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THE GOLDEN LION STORE

PROBS—Moderate to fresh southerly to westerly winds, a few local snow falls, but mostly fair and cold to-day and on Wednesday.

The Golden Lion Store

Christmas Gifts

with greatly lowered prices attached, at "The Golden Lion Store," Wednesday.

Two offerings, for this day only, of desirable goods at about one-half former price.

1,000 Yards of Superbly Beautiful

Evening Dress Fabrics

Printed Silk Perlee Muslins

—and—

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The handsomest evening-wear fabrics you have ever seen at the price.

On Sale Wednesday Only at, Per Yard,

35c

Always Sold Before at 75c Per Yard

The beauty of design and colouring in these materials cannot be described, but must be seen to be appreciated. The artistic printing and blending of colours have never before been equalled in such dainty materials. Wednesday only, 30 and 42 inch evening-wear fabrics, in dress lengths only, **35c per yard.**

SEE SHOW WINDOW TO-NIGHT

A Collection of

Hearth Rugs and Mats

in Axminister and Smyrna. Regular value up to **$2.75** each.

Wednesday Only, at Fair's, each

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This lot embraces German and English Axminster and Smyrna Rugs in variety of sizes, colourings and designs—a pleasing gift for the housekeeper at little money. Only about thirty in the lot, so come early Wednesday morning.

SEE THEM IN OUR SHOW WINDOW TO NIGHT

We can lay these aside and deliver Christmas Eve, if desired.

ROBERT FAIR & CO.

LIMITED

383 George Street, Peterborough

THE GOLDEN LION STORE

Established 1873

35 DOZEN IN ALL

In This Saturday Hosiery Snap

Heavy Ribbed Heather Mixture

SOCKS

With Skein of Yarn for darning with each pair.

Selling at only **15c** per pair, regular 25c

Great Stacks of Underwear

All colours—all qualities—all prices

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The Royal Bank of Canada

Is a Bank of

STRENGTH and PROGRESS

	Capital and Reserve	Deposits	Total Assets
1900	$3,700,000	$12,000,000	$17,000,000
1908	8,290,000	35,000,000	48,000,000

Peterborough - V. EASTWOOD, Manager

For Xmas! For Xxms!

For Father and Mother

Would not a pair of Glasses be appreciated? or, perhaps, a new style Frame? Or, if the sight is very poor, a large Magnifying Glass would be most helpful.

For these gifts we refer you to our Optical Department. It is most complete, from the Small Eye-Glass Hook, Eye-Glass Chains, Fancy Cases for Grandmother, Opera Glasses, etc., and the prices are not the least attractive, either.

Schneider's

Jewellery Store
For Genuine Bargains
Marriage Licenses Issued

Best Place for Xmas Presents

Your choice between our present stock of Pipes, Pipes in Cases, Cigar Cases, Tobacco Pouches, Tobaccos and Cigars at about cost to make room for new Christmas stocks, now arriving or your pick of the latest goods now here.

We Must Have Room

This means we must clear out our present stock at about cost.

New lines of Christmas Cigars in fancy boxes, now here.

M. PAPPAS

337 GEORGE STREET

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Experts to fill all appointments.
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All the correct Hair Modes, etc.
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A DUTY

Fathers and Grandfathers, Mothers and Grandmammas, owe it to their posterity to sit for a photograph at least once a year. Gratify those who wish to cherish your memories by arranging for a sitting before Christmas

Appointments for sittings in the evening made for Busy People.

If you are a 'stay at home' and don't care to come to the Studio, we have quick acting lenses to take you in the quiet of your own homes

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STUDIO
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between the ordinary flat lense, as used for the past half century, and the newly discovered Toric Lens, which artificially provides the finest, steadiest, and clearest vision. We are experts in the adjusting of glasses to the eyes of young and old, and our knowledge of the human eye and its needs enables us to correctly fit all ages with the right lenses to improve the vision. Charges moderate. Consultation Free.

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With the NUGENT DRUG CO'Y

25TH ANNIVERSARY OF LANSDOWNE LODGE

Annual Election of Officers Was Held Last Night—Sons of England a Quarter of a Century Old in Peterborough.

ARRANGING A BANQUET

The twenty-fifth annual meeting of Lansdowne Lodge, S. O. E., was held last night, when officers were elected for the coming year. There was a fairly good attendance and much interest taken in the proceedings. The officers elected for 1909 are as follows:

Pres.—Bro. F. Bantin.
Vice-Pres.—Bro. F. Thomas.
Chaplain—Bro. Jas. Theobald.
Fin.-Sec.—Bro. S. Oke.
Rec.-Sec.—Bro. W. Shiner.
Treasurer—Bro. C. Wood.
1st Committee Man—Bro. W. Taylor.
2nd Committee Man — Bro. J. Brown.
3rd Committee Man — Bro. W. H. Coverly.
4th Committee Man—Bro. J. Harrop.
5th Committee Man — Bro. F. Smith.
6th Committee Man — Bro. T. Record.
Inner Guard—Bro. R. Waram.
Outer Guard—Bro. S. Coveney.
Lodge Trustees—Bros. H. Long and D. Curtis.
Hall Trustees—Bros. E. Elcome, J. Runnett, T. Gunn.
Pianist—Bro. J. Harrop.
Auditors—Bros. F. Kitney and N. A. Howard-Moore.
Medical Officer — Dr. T. W. H. Young.

As stated above this was the twenty-fifth anniversary of Lansdowne Lodge, and in order to celebrate it in a proper manner a committee was formed to consider the question of holding a banquet in the near future. It is very likely that this will be the result as the general opinion seemed to be in favour of it last night.

OPENING OF THE NEW CITY MUSIC STORE

Mr. W. H. Ruse, a Member of the Musical Ruse Family, With the Genius of Moore, Will Open in the Arcade Block

Peterborough is to have another new music store for the sale of pianos, musical instruments and music. Mr. W. H. Ruse, who has been identified with music all his life, has secured a lease of the store adjoining Lindsay & Might's real estate agency, arcade block, possession of which will be given January 1st. In the meantime the side entrance in the market arcade will open into the office where Mr. Ruse will have a line of samples, from which to take orders, for which he has arranged with the manufacturers. Parties in need of anything musical, from a sheet of music to a piano, will do well to call and get prices and terms before ordering elsewhere. After January 1st the store will be fitted up and equipped for pianos, etc., in modern style.

ASSURANCE GIVEN THAT PARENTS RUN NO RISK

No Danger Anticipated in Sending Children to School.

Public School Inspector A Mowat informed the Examiner to-day that parents of children who are attending school need not be afraid of scarlet fever which has broken out in some parts of the city. The School Board, the teachers, and the Medical Health Officer have taken every precaution and there is no occasion to fear an outbreak in any of the schools.

SCARLET FEVER PLACARD WAS REMOVED WITHIN 16 DAYS AND WITHOUT CONSENT OF THE M.H.O.

Board of Health Asks Dr. Bingham to Exercise His Authority in Contagious Diseases Quarantined — Time Should be Six Weeks—If Danger is Gone it Could be Less.

THE NATURE OF THIS CASE

Moved by Dr. McNulty, seconded by Mr. James Murty that the Medical Health Officer direct his attention to those sections of the regulations regarding the isolation of contagious diseases and that he exercise his authority in that regard.

In other words the Board of Health desires that Dr. Bingham shall use his authority regarding the length of time that houses which have been placarded shall remain so.

This question was brought up at the regular meeting of the Board this morning. There were present, Dr. Burnham, Dr. McNulty, Mayor Rush, Jas. Murty, Dr. Bingham, Chief Rossel, Jas. Edgar and A. Parker. A letter was received from one of the local physicians relating to a family in the city in which one of the members had scarlet fever and the house was quarantined by being placarded on Nov. 11th. The card was taken down as it was stated, before the specified time and the doctor had it placed on again. The next day he was informed that his services were no longer required. A certificate was then procured from two other doctors, stating that there was no longer any danger of contagion. The card then came down to stay. The report stated that the card was on the house just 16 days, whereas it should have remained there 6 weeks.

There was considerable discussion on this case and it was remarked that the medical health officer should see that the cards are not taken down until danger is past. Both the Chief and Dr. Bingham stated that they had not given any authority in this case to take the card off the house. From the sentiment expressed by the members of the Board there will be no longer any laxity in dealing with contagious cases and especially the length of the quarantine period will be kept up to that required by law.

TOMMY GORDON TELLS OF HOW COMPANION SHOT HIMSELF WHILE HE FASTENED A LOOSENED GARTER

Young's Point, Dec. 8.—Nothing of a startling nature figured in the evidence of the inquest into the death of Roland Ayotte, who died a few weeks ago from a bullet wound at Oregon, Harvey township. The enquiry was resumed this morning in the annex of the Lakeview House, Coroner Dr. Gray presiding. Dr. Young who with Dr. Boucher held the post mortem examination was the first to testify. The only evidence bearing directly on the case was that the charge entered young Ayotte's body in a straight line.

Mrs. Ayotte, the dead boy's mother, and Mr. Baptiste Ayotte his father, also gave their testimony. The latter that he had heard a story once about Tommy Gordon getting a young lad to stand on a stump for a target while he shot at him. The story went that the boy fell off too soon and the charge entered the stump.

Thos. Weaver and Laura Gordon testified to finding the body. Tommy Gordon who was with young Ayotte, said that while the two boys were walking along together his garter became unfastened. He gave the gun to the other boy to carry until he fixed it. A second time the garter worked itself loose and while he (Gordon) was tying it, his companion exclaimed, "Watch me shoot that crow." He heard the discharge of course, and on looking up saw Roland Ayotte fall over to the ground.

The inquest was here adjourned until 1.45 this afternoon. The coroner's jury is composed of: Andrew Allan, foreman; Jos. Walsh, W. J. Bullock, Wm. C. Young, Josiah Bullock, Wm. Lane, Robt. Freeburn, Ambrose Davis, Geo. Davis, Peter Bullock, Jas. H. Kearney, Fred Young, Edward Young, Matthew Young.

THE CITY ENGINEER WILL REPORT ON MR. HOGAN'S CLAIM FOR DAMAGES

The complaint from Wm Hogan in regard to damages done his property in the re-building of the Murray St. Bridge was before the Whole Committee last night, and after being discussed was referred to the City Engineer for a report on the matter.

Ald. Neill stated that he had noticed that Mr. Hogan's place had been blocked up and while there was no legal claim against the city, he felt that as a matter of justice Mr. Hogan should be recompensed. He moved that the matter be referred to the City Solicitor.

It developed that a report had been received from the City Solicitor in regard to the matter.

Ald. Buller stated that the Board of Works and himself had been under the opinion that one entrance to Mr. Hogan's property had been left open but such was not the case.

Ald. Bradburn thought that the matter should be referred to the city engineer to get declarations from the men who were working upon the bridge as to what damage Mr. Hogan should have been put to. This would prevent the creation of a dangerous precedent. He moved in that direction and his motion which was seconded by Ald. Johnston was carried.

THE COUNTY COURT OPENED TO-DAY

Grand Jury Receive Their Charge—Only Non Jury Cases to be Heard—All of the Same Nature.

MEMBERS OF BAR PRESENT

The winter sessions of the County Court opened this afternoon before His Honour Judge Weller, at two o'clock. All the cases were non-jury actions. The Grand Jury was sworn as follows: Alfred Davies, foreman, Wm. Harper, Amos Jones, Michael O'Brien, Jos. Madill, Wm. Patrick, Robt. P Payne, W. G. Rundle, Frank Sanderson, Jas. Thorne, W. G. Thompson and Thos. Wilson.

The judge made the usual address to the Grand Jury, pointing out the duties which they must perform before returning their report. The jury went in a body to visit the House of Refuge.

The members of the bar present to-day were, Mr. W. H. Moore Mr. T. C. Robinette, Toronto, and Messrs. A. P. Poussette and S. T. Medd.

The seven cases concern the Trent Valley Sugar, Provisions and Cold Storage Company, Limited. In the case of Carton vs. Pilkey, the plaintiff, Michael Carton, is a retired merchant living in Peterborough, and the defendant, David Pilkey, is a farmer residing in the County of Ontario. The plaintiff claims judgment against the defendant for the sum of $250, which amount he alleges the defendant by a promissory note promised to pay to the order of the Trent Valley Sugar, Provision and Cold Storage Company, Limited.

The cases of Carton vs. Wm. Arbuckle, Carton vs. J Emmerson, Carton vs. Michael Kennedy, Carton vs. Gordon Ellworth Reynolds, Carton vs. Noble L Stevenson, and Carton vs. Balsdon, are similar in detail. Solicitor for the plaintiff, W. H. Moore, K.C., Peterborough; Solicitor for the defendants, T C Robinette, of Toronto.

POPULAR BANKER LEAVES FOR TORONTO

Mr. C. R. Hemstead Presented With Pipe on Eve of Departure From the City

At a dinner given in his honour at Hooper's grill room last night, Mr. C. R. Hemstead, teller of the Bank of Commerce, who has just been been moved to Toronto, where he joins the staff at the Commerce headquarters, was made the recipient of a pipe given by a few friends who assembled to pay tribute to the departing banker.

The presentation was made by Mr Geo. Cairns, and the recipient replied in feeling voice, expressing his regret at departing from the hosts of friends he has made since coming to Peterborough three years ago.

Mr. Hemstead leaves this afternoon for Toronto, and his friends join in wishing him a long and useful career in his new sphere.

OUR NEW DRUG STORE

COR. GEORGE AND CHARLOTTE STREETS

Our moving is over and our new store is being stocked up with a nice fresh stock, everything new and well assorted.

Our Toilet Article Department is being looked after with extra care. We have added to this line all the newest goods, Sachets, Perfumes, Talcum Powders, Face Powders, Lip Salves, Nail Polish, etc. Ask for Free Samples of Palmer's Perfume.

Let Us Fill Your Prescriptions

Christmas things will occupy a good deal of your attention just now, the same as they do with us, but don't lose sight of the fact that our business first and foremost is a Drug Store. Our Prescription Department is looked after with the utmost care. Every Prescription filled at this store is checked by our new check system and it costs you no more than where less attention is paid to Prescription work.

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THE SAFE, SATISFACTORY DRUGGISTS
COR. GEORGE AND CHARLOTTE STS.

ANNIVERSARY CONCERT AT BETHANY CHURCH

The Presbyterian Church at Bethany held their annual anniversary concert last night in the town hall, Bethany. The hall was filled to listen to the programme given by the orchestra of the George Street Methodist Church, Peterborough. Each number on the programme was excellent, and the audience repeatedly asked for encores. The programme consisted of orchestral selections, solos, duets, quartettes and readings. Everything was well selected and executed. The audience left the hall very much pleased. Besides the pastor, Rev. Dr. Marsh, who was chairman, the clergymen from Bethany also said a few words.

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GEO. SPOTTON, Principal

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HOUSE TO RENT — CORNER GEORGE and Perry streets. Electric lights and city water, good grounds. Apply J. J. Turner & Sons, George st. 3d107

TO RENT—TWO OR MORE FURNISHED or unfurnished rooms in house with all modern conveniences. Rent reasonable to right party. Apply 512 Bolivar street. D H

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Houses to Let at reasonable rent. Apply for particulars at **W. H. BRADBURN'S OFFICE** over Dominion Bank, corner George and Simcoe Streets. dtf

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Beautiful Brick House double parlors, winter kitchen, summer kitchen and wood shed, 4 bed rooms, bath room, complete electric light fixtures, furnace, cement cellar floor and cement walks to front and side entrance. This can be bought for $2800.

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350 WATER STREET
Houses and Lots for sale on easy terms.

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WORK WANTED — BY THE DAY OR week as cook or at general housework. No objection to small washing Apply No. 1 Crescent st. 3d107-34

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WANTED—TWO FURNISHED ROOMS for housekeeping. Central. Write to Box 1087, Post Office, city. 1d108

BOARDERS WANTED.

TWO GENTLEMEN CAN BE ACCOMmodated with room and board, central. by apply at 196 Dalhousie st 3d108 4539

LOST.

LOST—SUNDAY, SCOTCH COLLIE DOG young, neck white, back black, white underneath, white legs, answers name Bruce, Reward. F. McNeill, 314 Bonwell ave. 3d107 4530

A SNAP FOR SOMEONE

The owner of 310 Reid St; who is now living in the West must have his money out of his property at once. New house with bath, furnace, and electric light. Strictly up to date. Make use of this offer,

If you have some property that does not suit you, we will exchange it for something that will. Make it a point to see us, before doing anything in real estate.

A. Brown & Co.
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TO-NIGHT

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UNION LABEL

TUESDAY, DEC. 8th, 1908

AN IMPORTANT DECISION.

The victory for John W. Dafoe in the recent libel action brought against him as editor of the Winnipeg Free Press, is, says the Ottawa Free Press, if the pun may be excused, more a victory for the free press than for the Free Press. It establishes the right of a newspaper to publish facts, which are within the purview of any number of people who attend a political meeting which may be disturbed by a hired crowd of disturbers, and it places beyond peradventure the power of any reputable newspaper to expose a deliberate attempt to break up a public assembly. It is one of these judicial decisions which will in years to come be accepted as a precedent in the jurisprudence of libel.

TRANSCONTINENTAL VINDICATED.

During the last elections Conservative politicians, doubtless upon the substantial suggestion of great interests, bitterly assailed the Grand Trunk Pacific project, and vendible Yankee journals were even pressed into the service and their mendacities widely circulated in an attempt to discredit the undertaking. But their treason was committed in vain. The people believed in the bona fides of the Government and in the earnestness of the men behind the enterprise, who were not politicians but business men practically interested in the work of building a railway and a nation. It will be learned with as much pleasure as surprise that the last section of the line from Moncton to Prince Rupert, was last week put under contract. It is a stretch of 204 miles, running through the clay belt of Northern Ontario, from Lake Abitibi westward towards Lake Nepigon. The sections in New Brunswick, the sections in Northern Quebec, the sections north of Lake Superior, and the mountain sections are all in active progress. The prairie section is already built and doing business. In the next three years the whole line from ocean to ocean will be completed and in operation. This means that a line nearly 4,000 miles long, every inch on Canadian ground will have been completed in seven years from the first sod, representing the greatest achievement in railway building the world has ever seen, and all the more remarkable for a country of only six millions of population, which has already done more than its proportion according to population, in building railways and canals in the interests of national development. The Grand Trunk Pacific was needed, the Liberal Government saw and met the need. One of the greatest railways in the world, bound to do one of the greatest works of the world, is on the ways and, in spite of its great length and of the mountainous regions through which some of it passes, the Grand Trunk Pacific will have the lowest grades and easiest curves of any other long railway in existence. All that is modern in methods and some things unique have been embodied in its construction, with a view of giving rapid and economical transportation.

AN INDEPENDENT OPINION.

The action of the Ministers of the Dominion Government, who have abolished the "patronage list' in their departments is variously regarded. Those who have a real desire to see a genuine reform of conditions look upon it as an important indication of the bona fides of the Ministers and a step towards a desirable reform of the civil service. Some of the Conservative press, however, see in it or pretend to see in it, only a little false pretense. The Canadian Courier, by no means prejudiced in favour of Liberal interests, sees only good, and hope for greater good, in the movement. It says:

"Recent startling events have sounded the death-knell of political patronage. The political axiom that "To the victor belongs the spoils" is about to be limited in Canada as it has been in Great Britain and the United States. Mr. Brodeur has abolished it from the Marine Department and Mr. Pugsley from the Public Works Department. They cannot do it all at once, but they have made a beginning. Some newspapers, notably the Toronto News and Toronto Saturday Night, doubt the bona fides of these politicians, but the average man will accept the public statements of these gentlemen until they are shown to be hollow. The politician moves along the line of least resistance and fortunately today that means the patronage list is to be avoided."

OPPOSITION LEADER PROBLEM.

The Globe thus deals with what may be regarded as the constitutional aspect of the Opposition leadership question:

The problem of a salaried Opposition leader is again complicated by an attempt on the part of Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper's friends to elevate him to the position. The Ontario and British Columbia leaders have been spoken of as possible successors to Mr. Borden, whose two consecutive defeats seem likely to be made an excuse by friends of other aspirants. But there does not seem to be any constitutional means by which the office can be transferred. Even if the leader were willing to resign no one has authority to accept his resignation. He cannot resign to his Excellency, not being a Minister of the Crown, neither can he resign to the Premier, who is only technically responsible for the proper discharge of his duties. He was not called upon by his Excellency to form an Opposition, so there is no mandate to be withdrawn. Even Parliament by a majority vote cannot deal with the matter. Having no legal appointment or standing, the Opposition leader cannot legally be removed. Only the grim reaper can make the office vacant once it is filled. It is even more permanent than the Bench, for a Judge can be removed by impeachment in Parliament.

The Conservative party might to a man demand the leadership of Sir James Whitney, Premier McBride, or Sir Charles Hibbert Tupper, and even if Mr. Borden himself were agreeable there would be no means of effecting the transfer. The Auditor-General cannot authorize the payment of a salary on the strength of what some man may tell him regarding what has happened at a caucus, formal or informal, neither can he authorize a salary on a newspaper report, however reliable. There would be nothing to prevent Mr. Borden handing over the salary to any successor he might be willing to acknowledge, but that would be a far different matter from an official transfer. The office seems, in fact, the one permanence in a political system noted as elastic, responsive, and suited to changing needs. Nothing short of the Hayti experiment can depose a leader of the Opposition, and even it an indignant following should force him to take refuge in a foreign Consulate, he could still hold office and demand its emoluments. Before the claims of any successor are pressed the malcontents should devise some method by which the mantle can be transferred to other shoulders.

NOT PARALLEL AT ALL.

The Ottawa Journal has the following:—

"Sir Hector Langevin, though his personal probity was never questioned, was driven out of a Conservative ministry because of the organized pilferings of public moneys in his department. Mr. Justice Cassels is collecting evidence of the sort that should induce the Liberal Government to see a deadly parallel between the things of 1891 and the things of 1908."

The Journal is one of the few journals in Canada that vainly endeavour to conceal their Conservative partyism behind the mask of alleged independence, and their thinly veiled attacks upon Liberalism are even more offensive than those of honest Conservative papers, which make no pretence of concealing the animosity which consumes them against the hated 'Grit."

We would remind the Journal that in the case of the Conservative minister, whose name it forces into the political controversies of the day, regardless of the duty of letting the name of the dead rest, there was a direct, absolute and incontrovertible corrupt collusion between the minister and a contractor, who was also a member of Parliament, to rob the Government and the people of Canada.

The enquiry conducted by Mr. Justice Cassels was instituted by a Liberal Government, regardless of who might be hit in the inquisition. The offences disclosed, and they were grave, were committed by subordinate officers of the Government, most of them appointees of a Conservative Government, and were carried out in the routine of departments work without the possible knowledge of the heads of departments, and in pursuance of old bureaucratic methods. The Government took prompt steps, on this knowledge coming in to its possession, to punish the offenders, and to change the system and the coming session will give the Opposition an opportunity of voting for a measure that it is hoped will forever destroy any possible operation of "grafting" methods in the future.

Between the situation in 1891 and that in 1908, there is no parallel, deadly or otherwise.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Will our Conservative friends who are so horrified by the Ottawa patronage lists take, asks the London Advertiser, a look at the Ontario public accounts for 1907. The attention of local Conservatives is particularly called to pages 140-149, which deal with the London Asylum. The list of names reads like a roll-call of the Conservative executive.

The "Soo" must be an expert at sitting on the ragged edge; that is if a part of all the stories dispatched out about the closing of the steel rail mills are reserved for local consumption. A day or two ago the report was sent out that tthe works were to be closed. That meant a "black" Christmas for hundreds of working men and their families. The latest news, however, is that an unexpected rush of orders warrants the announcement by the managers, that the mills will reopen on Monday with a prospect of continuing operations all winter. Christmas is, therefore, restored to the calendar of a thousand workmen and their families. May their Christmas be all the merrier for the narrow escape it had from being no Christmas at all.

LATEST NEWS FROM THE CAPITAL

Conservative Animosity Likely to Disfranchise Ottawa During Session—Church Asks for Dramatic Censorship — Unwise Action of Canadian Japanese Agent — Sir Wilfrid Laurier's Birthday Honoured in England —South African Land Grants.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Ottawa, Dec. 8.—The protest against the election of Sir Wilfrid Laurier in the City of Ottawa, which resulted from the animus of a disgruntled contractor is giving the Conservatives of the capital an anxious hour. As is known, it was the intention of the Premier to sit for East Quebec, for which he was also elected, but while the protest proceedings are pending, he will be debarred from making a choice as to which constituency he will elect to represent. It is possible therefore that Ottawa may be practically disfranchised of one of its members during the whole of the approaching Parliamentary term. Some of the irreconcilables still claim that this will be a "moral victory,' but the "Tory" Citizen says: "Can't the Conservative party pretty well feed up on moral victories already?'

At a conference of the Anglican clergy of the city yesterday the whole question of present-day dramatic performances was discussed, with the result that a committee was appointed to consider practical means of controlling the theatre, as to the character of the plays presented in Ottawa. The members of the committee are disposed to urge upon the Dominion Government the necessity of a system of censorship along the lines adopted in England.

The Marine Department investigation will be resumed by Judge Cassels in Ottawa on Tuesday of next week, and it is whispered that some of the old "Tory" appointees are already experiencing a trembling sensation in their shoes.

It is stated that W T R Preston, Canadian Commercial agent in Japan, has instituted action against two of the pincipal newspapers of Japan for reprinting articles from The Colonist, of Victoria, B.C., regarding him during the last election, which statements, he claims, were scandalously false. It is not unlikely that Mr. Preston's faculty for getting into hot water may lead to his recall.

At Tenterden Hall, Middlesex, England, where Postmaster-General Lemieux was on Monday entertained by Sir Hugh and Miss Gilzean-Reid, two prairie maple trees were planted in the grounds—one by the Postmaster-General in recognition of the birthday of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and another by Lady Tenterden, wife of the great grandson of the famous Lord Chief Justice, in honour of the visit of Mr. Lemieux to the "ancestral home." Miss Miller, the Canadian singer, rendered "The Maple Leaf for Ever," the company joining in the chorus. In another part of the grounds Queen Elizabeth planted a cedar of Lebanon, which still flourishes.

Under the act of last session granting lands to the South African Canadian Veterans, three thousand five hundred certificates have already been issued. It is noted, however, that most of the certificates are put on the market, only a small proportion of the "Vets." electing to occupy the land.

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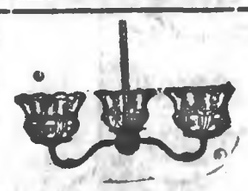

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Routine Business At The Council; Number Of By-laws Were Passed; Last Regular Meeting Of The Year

Considerable Business Was Done Last Night---Reports Read From Committees and a Number of Communications Were Dealt With by the Aldermen.

The last regular meeting of the City Council was held last night when a considerable amount of routine and special business was wiped off the slate. A number of communications were dealt with, reports read from most of the standing committees, and a large number of by-laws were passed. There were present, Mayor Rush, Aldermen Johnston, Tovey, Elliott, Morgan, Butler, Bradburn, Gillespie, McIntyre, Morrow, Neill, and Phelan.

The following communications were read:

From John Carlisle, offering an eight-roomed house and several acres of land to the city to be used as an isolation hospital, upon what he considered reasonable terms.— Property Committee.

From Wm. Logan, again calling attention to the damages done to his business during the re-building of the Brock street bridge.

From Rogers Bennet & Goodwill informing the council that they were acting for J. C. Higgins, within one week enter proceedings against the city and apply for an injunction because of damages done Mr. Higgin's land by excavation on the city's property adjoining.—Referred to committee of Mayor, Ald. Elliott, Morgan and Phelan.

From Davis, Thompson and Company, asking for the privilege of issuing accident policies upon the members of the fire brigade.

From Tax Collector W. J. Green, submitting the statement of roll ending Nov. 30th, 1907;

Total amount on roll	$159,356 08
By amount deposited	143,971 07
Balance	$ 15,385 66
Less 20 p.c. discount on first payment	$ 2,290 45
Balance	$ 13,095 21

From John Green, notifying the council that Mrs. Connie Meehan had been injured through falling into a gate-hole in the sidewalk on Aylmer street, and that she claimed damages.—Board of Works.

From F. J. Bell, clerk of Smith, offering on behalf of that municipality to pay one-third of the cost of the electric current for one lamp to be placed on the corner of Smith and Fairbairn streets for the term of five years.—Fire, Water and Light.

From Ed. M. Elliot regarding a sewer on Manning avenue.—Board of Works.

From Miss Katharine E. Wallis, in regard to the monument for Mrs. Nicholls.

From Geo. Morley Publishing Company, suggesting an advertisement in the Montreal Standard for the city.

It was moved by Ald. Phelan, seconded by Ald Johnston, that a committee composed of the Mayor, Ald. Morrow and Bradburn make a report upon the widening of Louis street.

Property Committee

Ald. Bradburn reported for the Property Committee as follows:

1. That the lot on the river front which R. Sheehy had during the year past be rented to him for another year, at $25 in advance.

2. We instructed the clerk to write to the Board of Trustees of the Nicholls Hospital and the management of St. Joseph's Hospital, and ask them to meet this committee to confer in regard to hospital treatment for patients suffering from contageous diseases.

The Board of Works, Fire, Water and Light Committee and Committee of the Whole Council also made reports.

By-laws Passed

The following by-laws were passed:

No. 1,422, to amend By-law No. 612.

No. 1,423, to authorize the execution of an agreement with the Peterborough Hardware Company for the supply of cement.

No. 1,424, to authorize the execution of contracts for snow ploughing for the winter of 1908-09.

By-law No. 1,425—A by-law to extend the time for the sale of land for the arrears of taxes.

By-law No. 1,426, to authorize the Commissioners of the City Trust to lease certain lands.

By-law No. 1,427, to appoint polling places and deputy returning officers for the municipal elections.

The following by-laws were given their first and second readings and will be submitted at the January elections:

By-law to authorize the borrowing of $30,000 for the purchase of land for exhibition and park purposes.

By-law to authorize the borrowing of $21,500, to pay for street extensions and filling in the water front.

By-law to provide for the borrowing of $49,000 for the re-building of the Smith street bridge over the river.

THE EXPENDITURES AND PAYMENTS FOR THE FIRST ELEVEN MONTHS OF YEAR---- INTERESTING FIGURES FOR RATEPAYERS

Ald. Morrow reported for the Finance Committee as follows:—

1. That 500 copies of the Times' industrial number be ordered at $10 per 100 copies.

2. That $2 paid as dog taxes by Mrs. M. King, be refunded as a kennel license was afterwards taken out.

3. That the chairman and Ald Bradburn be authorized to settle the matter of the taxes on lots 12 and 15, plan 26, through which Aylmer street was extended, and that the tax collector be authorized to accept the taxes as arranged by them without any added percentage, and to remit such taxes as the city would be liable for, for the part of the land owned by the city.

4. That the rate of interest on the debentures to be issued be 4 1-4 per cent., and that the sinking fund be based on 3 1-2 per cent.

5. That the previous instructions to take proceedings to expropriate land to widen Louis street be rescinded, and that no action be taken on this matter at present.

6. That the city treasurer be instructed to send accounts to persons who had sewer connections put in and whose deposit did not meet the cost of making the connection.

7. That no action be taken on the order of the Police Magistrate to pay Constable Adams for the arrest of a horse thief.

8. That the arrears of taxes charged to lots 45 and 46, plan 73, for 1907, amounting to 88.98, be written off, owing to an error in the description, if they cannot be collected from the owner of Lot 48, who should have been assessed for them.

9. That the following accounts be paid:—

R. Gibbs	$ 10 00
R. J. Wolstenholme	3 50
Alexander & Miller	5 55
A. H. Stratton	10 30
Adam Hall	25 20
C. N. Brown	2 40
Adamson & Dobbin	6 43
Thos. Johnston	7 00
O. S. Ferguson	4 05
H. S. Burnham	15
E. F. Mason Co...	1 00
Edward Huff	201 85
Fanning's steam laundry,... ...	11 61
Peterborough Lumber Co... ...	28 95
Bell Telephone Co...	6 20
W. J. Kennedy	2 65
F. L. Robinson	6 50
Peterboro. Fuel & Cartage ...	6 02
King Edward sanatorium	35 43
P. Downham	6 00
Dorris & Godfrey	1 00
John James	75
East Stove and Hardware Co...	50
Wm. Logan	5 00
W. E. McCall	3 10
H. Routley	25
J. T. Braund	50
A. Allison	25
James Murty	85
Wesley Bros'...	1 10
McGregor & Reid	2 60
Benj. Shortly	4 00
A. E. Meeks	38 85
Higgins Hardware Co...	8 91
John Halpin	20 25
G. Walter Green	248 09
Wm. Hetherington	7 50
Wilson & Cousins	1 35
Toronto Free Hospital for Con.	34 29
Peterborough Examiner	16 25
Municipal World	2 74
Hall & Hayes	15 38
Hutcnnison-Sturgeon Co... ...	73
J. J. Lynch	1 20
Wm. Taylor & Co...	187 32
A. McDonald Estate	137 46
Peterborough Canoe Co...	3 95
T. B. Manicee	50
The Henry Co...	85
Mitchell's grocery	25
Times Printing Co...	22 74
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All of which is respectfully submitted.

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On Friday evening last the regular meeting of the Ladies' Literary Society of St. Peter's T. A. S. was held, when a very interesting essay on "Art" was read by Miss Mamie McCarthy. The essayist confined her subject almost entirely to painting, and in her introduction pointed out that an artist can never be manufactured any more than one can manufacture gold—the art intellect is born in the true artist. The writer aimed at defining clearly the chief characteristics of greatness in painting and placed as the first, the choice of a noble subject. The artist who make a choice of sacred subjects as Leonardo da Vinci did in his "Last Supper," is a painter of the highest rank, as it implies that he has a natural disposition to dwell on the highest thoughts of which humanity is capable; he who delights in representing the acts and meditations of great men is a painter of the second order and he who represents the passions and events of ordinary life, of the third.

The second characteristic of the great school of art is that it introduces in its conception of its subject as much beauty as is possible, consistently with truth. In this respect schools of art become higher in exact proportion to the degree in which they apprehend and love the beautiful. Thus, the saintly artist monk, Fra Angelico, loving intensely all spiritual beauty, will be of the highest rank; Correggio, loving intensely all physical beauty, of the second rank; and Rubens, apparently insensible to beauty and caring only for truth, of the third rank. The corruption of the schools of high art, so far as this particular quality is concerned, consists in the sacrifice of truth to beauty. Great art dwells on all that is beautiful, but false art changes or omits whatever it considers ugly or objectionable.

The third characteristic of great art is that it includes the largest possible quantity of truth in the most perfect possible harmony. If it were possible for art to give all the truths of nature, it ought to do it. But, as this is not possible, choice must be made of some facts which can be represented, from among others which must be passed over in silence. As its greatness depends on the sum of truth, and this sum of truth can always be increased by delicacy of handling, it follows that all great art must have this delicacy to the utmost possible degree. All coarse work is the sign of low art.

The fourth characteristic of great art is that it must be inventive; that is, produced by the imagination. Hence lower art merely copies what is set before it; while the higher either entirely imagines its subject, or arranges the material presented to it, so as to manifest the imaginative power as much as possible. However, imaginative art always includes some facts as we see them in nature, for creation in its full sense is impossible to man. For example, "The Light of the World," Holman Hunt's great poetical picture, where the Saviour stands knocking at the door, the whole thought and arrangement of the picture is imaginative, but the several details of it are wrought out with simple portraiture; the ivy, the jewels, the creeping plants, and the moonlight, having been calmly studied or remembered from the things themselves.

In conclusion Miss McCarthy pointed out that a painting is nothing unless it expresses thought. The picture which has the nobler and more numerous ideas, however awkwardly expressed, is a greater and a better picture than that which has the less noble and less numerous ideas, however beautifully expressed. No weight, nor beauty of execution can outweigh one grain or fragment of thought. The writer gave as examples of pictures expressing numerous and, of course, well connected, thoughts. "The Highland Shepherd's Chief Mourner," by Sir Edwin Landseer, and "The Last Judgment," by that greatest of artists, Michael Angelo, and her conception of each of these world famous pictures was exceptionally fine.

During the evening Miss Eva Tangney presided and presented the following programme:

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Instrumental solo — Miss May Trombley.
Vocal solo—Mis Mamie Theobald.
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The next paper will be read by Miss Alice Moloney on December 18th.

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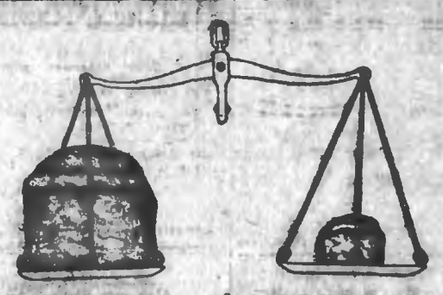

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TO SPEND CHRISTMAS AT FAMILY FIRESIDE

Many Young Englishmen Going Home For the Holidays.

A large party of young men are leaving to-morrow at noon for their homes in England, including Messrs. G. W. Griffith and Wm. McLeod, to Manchester, and Messrs. Fred Chadwick and H. Gunrodger. They sail from St. John, N. B., on the C.P.R. Steamer "Empress of Ireland," on Friday morning, 11th inst. They all expect to return in the early spring. Since living in Peterborough they have made many friends, who all wish them "bon voyage." The above mentioned were all employed at the C. G. E.

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SPECIAL MEETING OF THE POULTRY ASSOCIATION

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COUNCIL THANKS MAYOR RUSH FOR MANNER IN WHICH HIS WORSHIP HAS PRESIDED OVER THE MEETINGS OF YEAR

An unusual feature marked the last regular meeting of the City Council last night, when after the business of the council a vote of thanks was passed to His Worship Mayor Rush for the manner in which he has presided over the meetings of the council in the past year. The motion was carried by a standing vote, and amid the enthusiastic applause of the aldermen.

Ald Phelan, in introducing the motion, said that he thought the thanks of the council were due to Mayor Rush for the excellent manner in which he had presided over the deliberations of the council. It had, he felt been a pleasure to attend the meetings during the year so great had been the harmony existing as the result of the manner in which his Worship had carried out his duties.

Ald. Morrow, in seconding the motion, said that it had indeed been a pleasure for him to attend the council meetings during the past year. At no meeting during the year had it been necessary to move an extension of the time, which he felt sure was a record.

Mayor Rush, in replying to the vote of thanks, which was expressed to him by City Clerk Armstrong, thanked the aldermen for the great honour they had done him. He thought that no similar vote had been passed, and he felt very grateful for the honour. He was glad the meetings during the year had been attended by such harmony. The council was not always unanimous on certain matters; and it was not fitting that they should be so, but there had been little or no friction.

ROYAL HUMANE SOCIETY'S PARCHMENT PRESENTED TO MR. JESSE AIRRIES

A pleasing function added variety to the last regular meeting of the City Council last night, when Mr. Jesse Airries was presented with the parchment of the Royal Humane Society of Canada, for his bravery in rescuing from drowning of little James Butler, in August of this year.

Mayo. Rush made the presentation, and in doing so explained the circumstances of the rescue, stating that young Butler had been bathing and got beyond his depth. Mr. Airries was fishing near by and plunged into the river, saving the boy after considerable difficulty. His act was a brave and laudable act, and Mayor Rush complimented the young man for his heroism, which, he hoped, would be an example to everyone.

His Worship shook the young man warmly by the hand, and the presentation was received with loud applause from the members of the council.

PEOPLE WILL VOTE ON BY-LAW TO SPEND $30,000 TO PURCHASE EXHIBITION GROUNDS

The by-law calling for an expenditure of $30,000 for purchasing the Exhibition grounds will be submitted to the people in January, although last night some of the aldermen wanted to leave the matter over for a while fearing that it would endanger the other money by-laws to be submitted in January. Ald Morrow brought up the matter explaining that the by-law for $49,000 for the building of Smith St. bridge, and $25,000 for street extension and other business were to be submitted.

After some discussion, Ald. Morrow, seconded by Ald. Bradburn, moved that the matter be left over until a latter date.

Ald. Butler moved in amendment, seconded by Ald. Tovey, that the by-law be submitted to the people at the municipal elections in January.

The amendment was carried by a vote of 6—5, and the amendment will go to the people in January.

POOL ROOM OWNERS ASK THAT THE LICENSE ON TABLES BE REDUCED

At the meeting of the Committee of the Whole Council, Messrs. M Pappas and Hill, and the applicants before the council to ask that a reduction be made in the yearly licenses for pool and billiard tables, urging that the present rate was too high. Mr. D. O'Connell was present and addressed the council upon behalf of the deputation.

Mr. O'Connell said that it would appear that the rate had been established by a very ancient by-law. The rate was $40 per year, for the first table in fact for all tables. In other places the rate was $25 for the first table and $10 for the other tables. Mr. Pappas had already thirteen tables for which he paid $520 per year and was about to install six more which would make a total of $760. In addition he was a heavy ratepayer. Mr. Smythe had eight tables for which he paid $320 per year, and a bowling alley which cost him a licence fee of $50.

Mr. O'Connell pointed out that there were clubs in which there were pool tables from which no revenue came to the city, and he submitted that this was an unfair discrimination against those in business. While the by-law might have been all right when it was drawn up the conditions were different now, and he asked that a reduction be made.

Ald. Johnston moved, seconded by Ald. Neill, that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee to report as soon as possible.

Mr. Hickey waited upon the Board in regard to the opening of Aberdeen avenue.

It was moved by Ald. McIntyre, seconded by Ald. Elliott, that a drain be constructed on Bethune street, from what point may be necessary above Smith street, to Aberdeen Ave., and along Sheridan avenue to the Communication road.

The motion was defeated and the Board of Works will have to wrestle with the matter again.

CITY ENGINEER RECOMMENDS THAT THE ROMAINE STREET SEWER BE RE-BUILT

That old bugbear of the council the Romaine street sewer was once more before the aldermen last night, when a report was read from the City Engineer, recommending that the sewer be rebuilt, and the result was a long discussion over the matter, with the final result that it was left in the hands of the Board of Works again.

The report from the engineer was as follows:

In reply to your inquiry as to the advisability of re-constructing Romaine street sewer; in September, 1906, when the sewer was first ordered to be built, I strongly advocated the route via Princess street to Lock street, but was over-ruled and Romaine street route was adopted. Since then Romaine street has been well built up on the south side, besides two new churches and the school and therefore requires a sewer. Having ascertained by experience the nature of the ground, the difficulties met with when building can now be guarded against by laying the pipe and manholes on timber (as was done recently in Toronto where similar difficulties were experienced and half a mile of sewer had to be re-constructed) and the passage under the G.T.R. laid with a new cast iron pipe. In rebuilding, a 12 in. pipe instead of a 9 in. pipe should be used as I advised in the first place, but was over-ruled in that. The man hole on the school connection built by the School Board should be re-built as it also has sunk.

As the past season has been exceptionally dry, this would be the most favourable time to undertake the work of rebuilding, commencing in January which with favourable weather and a strong gang, should be completed in about 3 weeks. If this is decided on, application for crossing the G.T.R. should be made at once.

In the discussion that followed Ald. Neill advocated going ahead with the work as recommended by the City Engineer, at once, and moved along that line, seconded by Ald. McIntyre.

Ald. Morgan thought that the council should wait until Engineer Chipman arrived and took the levels there and made a report. Ald. Bradburn, Ald. Tovey and other aldermen were dubious as to whether or not a sufficient fall could be obtained along Romaine street, and several suggestions were made in regard to the matter, which was finally left in the hands of the Board of Works.

ST. PETER'S T.A.S. ROOMS DECORATED

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During the last three or four weeks a number of improvements have been made to the T. A. S. rooms, which have brightened them considerably and enhanced their suggested cosiness. The ladies' reading room has been repainted and decorated and the men's reading room and library have received similar attention. The result is very pleasing to the eye and is appreciated by the members. The work was done by Mr. J. P. Shevlin.

LADIES' BENEVOLENT ORANGE ASSOCIATION TO HOLD CONCERT

A social and entertainment under the auspices of Sentinel Lodge, No. 66, Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association, will be held in the Foresters' Hall George street, on Friday evening, Dec. 14. An excellent musical and literary programme by the best local talent will be given. Refreshments will be served after the programme.

It is expected that the Rev. A. H. Brace, of Cobourg, and Mr. R. H. Holland, of Port Hope, will be present and deliver addresses. Admission, adults 25c., children 10c. God Save the King. 5d108

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C. O. F. OFFICERS WERE ELECTED

At Regular Meeting Last Night—Annual Affair.

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" Frank Murray..... ... .C. R.
" William Lynch... ... ...V. C.
" John O'Brien... .....Rec. Sec.
" Frank Eano... ... .Fin. Sec.
" Jas. Clancy... ... ...Treas.
Trustees—Bros. John Halpin, Jos. Denno, and Jos. Kelly.
Medical Officer—Dr. McNulty.

FUNERAL YESTERDAY OF MR. WM. RUTHERFORD

Former Friends of the Deceased From Peterborough Attend.

The funeral of Mr. William Rutherford, South Monaghan, was held yesterday afternoon to Centreville Cemetery, the service being conducted by the Rev. Mr. MacKenzie. Among those from Peterborough in attendance were Messrs. John Riddell, Robt. Fair and R E Wood. Mr. Fair was clerk of South Monaghan township when Mr. Rutherford was reeve.

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Officers for the Coming Year are Elected

The members of No. 80 L.O.L. held there annual meeting last night in their hall, Simcoe street. A very large number of members were present and considerable interest was taken in the proceedings.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year, and duly installed by W. Bro. W. H. G. Armstrong, County Master:

Bro. Chas. E Wiley... ... .W.M.
" C H Tultman..... ... .D.M.
" J Batten..... ....Chap.
" W Nottall... ... . Rec.-Sec.
" E G Clark... ... . Fin. Sec.
" Robt. Wilson ....Treas.
" S W Lowry..... ....D.O.G.
" Jas Davis... ... ...1st Lecturer.
" J Crowe... .....2nd Lecturer.
Committee—Bros. Johnson, Brown, Wright, Miles and R Maxwell.
Tyler—Bro. R Arnott.

NEW DENTAL PARLOURS.

Dr. J. P. Pulkingborn, the new dentist, who has opened up parlours at 412 George street, over Talbot's, is an honour graduate of Toronto University and the R. C. D. S., Toronto, and has had ten years' practice. Dr. Pulkingborn formerly resided in Deseronto and is a well known athlete, having distinguished himself as an association football player and as a bicyclist. He will, no doubt, be given a warm welcome to Peterborough athletic circles.

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We have 29 Women's Coats in black and colours, winter weights in 32 and 34 inch lengths to clear up at 2 o'clock sharp in the Annex, Wednesday, (not before). These coats were left from last year's selling, sleeves and style are correct, but they are not as long as this season's garments. well line ... well made and priced at $5 to $15 00 last year. They make good, warm garments and are strictly correct fall and spring coats. We are going to pass ... on the ... at 2 o'clock ... day for 98c

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Rev. J. R. Webb, Assisted by His Wife, Provided Pleasant Evening.

An enjoyable evening was spent last night by the young people of the Murray street Baptist church in their regular meeting, Once a year the pastor, Rev. J. R. Webb, conducts one of the meetings of the Young People's Society, and last night this occasion came around again. The subject of his address to the members was "A Consistent Christian Life." There was a good attendance and the address from its profitable points and the interesting manner in which they were presented was greatly enjoyed.

At the conclusion, Rev. Mr. Webb, assisted by Mrs. Webb, had a very pleasant surprise for the young people. Refreshments which had been unannounced were provided, and a pleasant social hour was spent. The young men and women expressed their appreciation of the kindness of the pastor and his wife, having thoroughly enjoyed the meeting.

WEDDING BELLS

CLARK—BENNETT

The marriage took place at Regina, Sask., on November 24th, of Miss Susie M. Bennett, daughter of Mr. J. J. Bennett, of North Monaghan, to Richard Erroll Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clark, of Aylmer street, Peterborough. Both parties are well known and former residents of this vicinity. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. A. Henry, of Knox Presbyterian Church, Regina. The wedding was quietly observed. Mr. and Mrs. Clark have the congratulations of their numerous friends here. They will reside in Regina.

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DIED.

CUTTING—In Peterborough, on Tuesday, December 8th, 1908, Alden Revett, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cutting, aged two months.

OPENING OF REGIMENT CLASS OF INSTRUCTION

Warm Drill Hall Secured—Three Classes Per Week.

The preliminaries for the opening of the class of instruction in connection with the 57th Regiment were arranged last night. Col. Stevenson has been fortunate in securing a good warm drill hall for the classes which begin in earnest to-morrow night, and which will be held each Monday, Wednesday and Friday. An effort will be made to have the examinations here at the end of the classes.

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B.R.T.	56	55⅞
C.P.R.	176⅛	177
Erie	34⅛	33⅞
Great Northern	143⅛	143⅞
L.N.	122	123
Mo. Pac.	65⅛	66⅛
Northern Pacific	142⅛	142⅜
N.Y.C.	117⅛	117⅛
Penns	129⅛	129⅛
R.I.	24⅛	24⅛
Rdg.	140	140⅛
Smelters	90	90⅛
Soo	131⅛	131⅛
St. Paul	149⅛	151
S.P.	118⅛	119⅛
U.P.	181⅛	182⅛
U.S.	54⅛	55⅞
U.S. pfd.	112⅛	112⅛
Twin City	—	—
Nipissing	10⅛	10⅛
May- Wheat	109⅛	108⅞
" Corn	62⅛	62⅛
May Oats	52	52⅛
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Harry Adams

INDUCTION AT PERRYTOWN OF THE REV. O. E. NEWTON

Rev. Rural Dean Langfeldt Appointed to Officiate.

Rev. O. E. Newton, incumbent of Gore's Landing and Perrytown, will be inducted to his charge on St. Thomas Day, Dec. 21st. Rev. Rural Dean Langfeldt has been instructed by the Archbishop of Toronto, to induct Mr. Newton at St. Paul's church, Perrytown, on the above mentioned date at 2.30 p.m.

Ward System Of Electing Aldermen Not For This Year

Council Turn Down Proposed Vote on Such a By-law—Petition Presented Signed by 250 Ratepayers.

ONE CHANGE NOW PROPOSED

The people of Peterborough will not have an opportunity of voting on whether or not they favour a return to the ward system of electing aldermen. Last night a petition was submitted to the council signed by 250 ratepayers, asking that the ward system be adopted, but the aldermen were evidently not in favour of the proposition and when taken up in the committee of the whole council, a motion that a by-law be submitted to the people was defeated by a vote of 7—4.

The petition was as follows—

To the Honourable Mayor and Aldermen of the City Council of Peterborough—

We, the undersigned ratepayers, whose names are here subscribed, do hereby humbly ask and request by this petition that the present council will take into due consideration and will take such action as will be necessary to introduce and adopt a by-law to repeal the present system of electing representatives of the people to the City Council. Also that the ratepayers will have the privilege of voting upon the adoption of such by-law at the coming election of our city council. Further we humbly ask that the present city council will take immediate action on the introduction of such by-law by giving such readings as the same may require at their regular meeting or otherwise at special meetings."

When the matter came up, Ald. Bradburn asked what right the council had to make any change in the system.

Ald. Morrow understood that application should be submitted before Nov. 1st, and that it must be signed by 30 per cent. of the ratepayers.

The City Solicitor explained that the council was not compelled to submit a by-law unless such conditions were carried out, but they could submit a by-law if they wanted.

Ald. Morgan moved seconded by Ald. Buller, that a by-law be prepared and submitted to the people at the January elections in regard to a return to the ward system.

The motion was defeated by the following vote—

Ayes—Aldermen Morgan, Buller, Tovey and McIntyre.

Nays—Aldermen Elliott, Neill, Gillespie, Johnston, Morrow, Bradburn and Phelan.

When the matter came up in the council again a similar motion was defeated by the same vote, after a short discussion. Ald. Elliott said that while he was not opposed to the ward system, yet he felt after going to the Legislature for power to elect aldermen for two years it looked very foolish to go talking about another change.

NEW OFFICERS OF THE SONS OF SCOTLAND

Elected at Regular Meeting of Clan Alpine Camp Last Night.

The regular meeting of Clan Alpine Camp, S.O.E., was held last night, Bro. J. J. MacPherson, Chief, presiding.

Bro. R. Grieve, Grand Organizer, assisted in the initiation of new members, after which the election of officer bearers took place. The new officers for ensuing year:—

Chief—Bro. T. S. MacKay.
Past Chief—Br. J. J. MacPherson.
Chieftain—Bro. John Barr.
Chaplain—Bro. J. Mathieson
Physician—Bro. Dr. MacKinnon.
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Fin.-Sec.—Bro. A. Chalmers.
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The EXAMINER Peterborough
PHONE 57

FARMERS MUST CHANGE THEIR WAYS

President Brodie Discusses Farming at Guelph Fair.

FARMERS NOW "MINE" LAND

Chief of Winter Fair Association in Opening Address Makes a Plea For Intensive Farming in Ontario—Prof. Zavitz Speaks on Forestry Problems — Favors Big Purchases by the Government.

Guelph, Dec. 8.—Although the Guelph Winter Fair, the second largest of its kind on the continent of America, did not open its doors to the public until yesterday morning, practically the Ontario agricultural festival commenced on Saturday. The fair has now been established for a quarter of a century, and its growth has been, in a measure, an indication of the development of the farming industry in the banner province of the Dominion.

The statement made, therefore, at its opening session by its president, Mr. G. A. Brodie of Bethesda, to the effect that Ontario farmers must radically alter their ways if, as agriculturists, they intend to maintain their position as leaders of the world, is of exceptional interest. Mr. Brodie, in his address at the Ontario Agricultural College, contended that Ontario farmers must pay more attention in the future to intensive farming. Bitten with the fever of land greed, that has so declared itself in the west, he said that the farmers in Ontario "mined" their land rather than farmed it.

Another interesting address delivered at the union was that of Prof. E. J. Zavitz, in which he discussed the forestry problem. He points out that in Ontario there were many hundreds of square miles of land absolutely unsuitable for agricultural purposes. On some of those areas, in the effort to make them fruitful, there had already been expended "three generations"—"lives," as he termed it, "of blood, sweat and tears, at a net profit of $3.75 per acre." Far better, in view of the ever-increasing timber problem, that these districts should again come under the control of the crown, and be made to supply to future generations wealth and its concomitants in timber.

Premier Not In Wreck.

Ottawa, Dec. 8.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier is in Ottawa and has been for some days.

Nevertheless last night an Associated Press despatch had the Premier in a railway mix-up in Minnesota, the despatch reading:

"St. Vincent, Minn., Dec. 8.—Two cars on a Great Northern local train from St. Paul were thrown into a ditch at St. Vincent yesterday by a broken rail. In one of the cars was Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Premier of Canada, who was among the passengers shaken up, although no one was hurt."

To Prove Thaw Sane.

Pittsburg, Dec. 8.—The reproduction of a story written by Harry K. Thaw, in a society journal reaching all the social world of Pittsburg, has started a report that Mrs. William Thaw and Mrs. Copley Thaw, mother and sister of White's slayer, have begun a campaign to establish a general belief in Thaw's sanity.

The story is called "A Beginner in the High Alps." It was written by Thaw in prison, and appeared in an eastern publication some time ago. It is reproduced here by request of the mother and sister of Thaw.

Valuable Jewelry.

Stratford, Dec. 8.—John F. Hamlet, a Dane from Toronto, arrested here, had in his possession a valuable lot of jewelry. He had taken quarters at a local hotel, and when arrested his outfit was tabulated by the police. It comprised several valuable diamonds, rings, watches and other articles. The prisoner is believed to have been implicated in several robberies in Ontario, and the police consider they have landed a dangerous man. He will be given a hearing before Magistrate O'Loane to-day.

Killed Felling Tree.

Quebec, Dec. 8.—Captain Levien Boillon, an old and well-known navigator, was killed yesterday morning by a tree that he was felling crushing his skull.

"WOMEN!"
" Are You Nervous?"
The results of modern civilization are evidenced in an increase of nervous disorders. It could not be otherwise with the way we eat, drink, lose sleep, and keep up a continual round of excitement. The work, the worry, the excitement, all tell upon the nerves till they cry out in revolt, and will not be pleased till a remedy such as
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Mrs. Wm. Levi, Markdale, Ont., writes: "I had for several years been troubled with nervousness, and, like many others, spent lots of money on medicine that did me no good. I was so bad that the least noise would make me jump and my heart would thump so you could hear it plainly and I could not lie on my left side at night. I saw a few testimonials of others and decided to try Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, and to my great joy and surprise they completely cured me and it only took six boxes to do it. I have a neighbor, Mrs. Rickett, and I induced her to try them and they effected a cure. I can endorse their use for anyone afflicted as I was."
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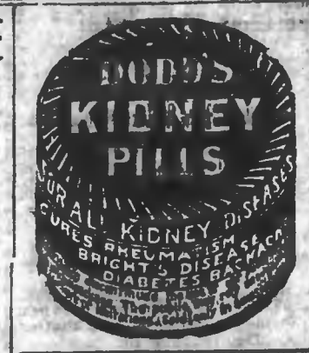

GERMANY PLEASED WITH AGREEMENT

Von Buelow Says U. S.-Jap Compact Is Quite Satisfactory.

WILL BE STORM IN SENATE

Hot Debate In U. S. Upper House Is Expected as Result of Conclusion of Verbal Agreement Without a Formal Treaty—Germany Has an Identical Understanding With Japan Regarding China.

Berlin, Dec. 8.—Chancellor Von Buelow, during the budget debate in the Reichstag yesterday, referring to the American-Japanese agreement, said:

"The new arrangement is thoroughly in harmony with the principles of Germany's policy in the Far East, the principles of the 'open door' economically, the preservation of the status quo territorially, and the integrity and independence of the Chinese empire. We have no occasion to regard the agreement otherwise than sympathetically."

Answering a complaint that Germany was left out of the American-Japanese agreement, the chancellor called attention to the fact that Germany already has a precisely similar arrangement with Japan, through an exchange of notes. Japan explicitly accepted the principles of the Anglo-German agreement of 1900, which guarantees the maintenance of the "open door" and the territorial status quo.

Warm Time In Sight.

Washington, Dec. 8.—The indications are that the Japanese-American entente designed to protect the territorial integrity of China will be the subject of a great deal of debate in executive session of the United States Senate during the present session.

The fact that such an agreement has been entered into through diplomatic exchanges between Japan and the United States without the formality of a treaty is not acceptable to Democratic leaders. As a result they propose to institute an enquiry to determine the exact form of the understanding between the two countries with a view to showing, if possible, that the agreement in fact, is a treaty.

If a controversy should be raised in the Senate over the question as to whether the President and Secretary of State were usurping constitutional powers of the Senate, it is likely that disposition of the question will be postponed until after the adjournment of the present session.

In this event the probability is that Mr. Root will be one of the Senators from New York and he would be expected to take an active part in the defence of the right of the President to engage in relations with foreign Governments along the line of the Japanese-American agreement.

Check Distresses Kaiser.

Potsdam, Dec. 8.—The Emperor who has been living in seclusion since Nov. 1, yesterday resumed audiences with reference to official business.

The Emperor is described as being greatly depressed by recent events and not disposed to talk even to members of his household, as he feels deeply his loss of prestige abroad and among his own people. The Emperor feels grieved that old loyal Ministers, as well as Chancellor Von Buelow, should desire to limit his freedom of speech in his after-dinner conversations, even though with foreigners.

Port Arthur's Utilities.

Port Arthur, Dec. 8.—In connection with the municipal elections the ratepayers will decide by plebiscite whether to continue to run municipal franchises by an elective commission of experts, removed from the influence of annual elections, or whether they shall be leased to private companies. The ratepayers will also vote on a bylaw to raise 25,000 for street railway extension.

Arrested at Rifle's Point.

St. Catharines, Dec. 8.—Held up at the point of rifles in the hands of two determined young farmers, George North and Seymour Wilson, two men who gaves their names as John Doyle and James Schram, were captured early Sunday morning in Grantham Township, and yesterday were committed for trial by Magistrate Campbell.

Want Strang For Railway Board.

Winnipeg, Dec. 8.—At a special meeting of the Board of Trade yesterday morning, at which Hon. Frank Oliver attended, Andrew Strang, Winnipeg, was recommended to fill the vacancy on the Railway Commission, caused by the death of Hon. Thomas Greenway.

Carnegie Library For Falls.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Dec. 8.—The City Council last night decided to submit a bylaw to the electors for $3,000 to purchase a site for a Carnegie Library. Mr. Carnegie makes a grant of $12,500 for the building if the city provides the site.

Congress In Session.

Washington, Dec. 8.—Both Houses of Congress held brief sessions yesterday. Big crowds attended the opening.

NO LOCAL OPTION VOTE FOR A YEAR

Brantford Council Throws Out Temperance Measure.

BRAMPTON SEEMS OPPOSED

Its Council Makes Slow Progress With Bylaw and Opinion of Councillors Is Against It—Big Crowd Present When Brantford Kills Plebiscite Motion by a Narrow Majority of One—Came as a Surprise.

Brantford, Dec. 8.—Brantford City Council by a vote of 7 to 6 knocked out the local option bylaw last night. The council chamber was packed.

The council went into committee of the whole, where the bylaw was when the temperane aldermen bolted a week ago, leaving no quorum.

Ald. Suddaby, who previously supported the bylaw, was put in the chair. Before the vote was taken ex-Magistrate Woodyatt addressed the council on behalf of the license holders, and E. Sweet followed for the local optionists. There was no discussion.

Ald. Andrews and Draper, previously supporters, refused to vote, while Ald. Blakney voted that the bylaw be struck out.

The result was scarcely anticipated and caused a gloom among the temperance workers.

Before proceeding with business, Mayor Bowlby intimated that anyone making a demonstration or addressing an alderman would be arrested. Four policemen were kept in the lobby. A report from the city engineer declaring the council chamber unsafe for a crowd was also read and no one moved during the proceedings.

Before adjournment a resolution was submitted that local option ought to go to the people in January. The resolution was lost, Mayor Bowlby tieing the vote by voting nay.

The council will meet again Wednesday evening, when the hydro-electric power bylaw to expropriate the lighting plant of the Western Counties Power Co. will be given necessary readings.

Brampton Slow.

Brampton, Dec. 8.—The local option bylaw had another airing in the council chambers last night, but no further progress was made. Councillor Ashley again moved the adoption of the first clause. Richard Watson, who had opposed its adoption a week ago, received new light in the meantime and supported it, but Dr. Sharpe, who was favorable last week, voted against, leaving the vote 3 for and 4 against.

BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

There was a fall of 10 inches of snow in Montreal yesterday.

Flavelles, Limited, of Lindsay, lost two carloads of turkeys, valued at $12,000, in the dock fire at Portland, Me., Thursday night.

A paper known as The Northern Light has been started at Athabasca, and is probably the most northerly publication in the world.

The oil tank steamer Oriflamme, oil-laden, from Philadelphia Nov. 25 for Cette, France, was towed into Halifax in a disabled condition yesterday morning.

At New York, Louis Evans, aged 19, shot himself dead in the Riverside Hospital, North Brothers' Island, where he had been under treatment for consumption for four months.

Baby Carriages Excluded.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Dec. 8.—To prevent the spread into Canada of the foot and mouth disease vehicular traffic is completely suspended between the two cities on either bank of the Niagara river.

An order just issued prevents all vehicles from crossing the bridges; baby carriages and sleighs are not excepted. The bridges are also fumigated at intervals daily.

It is rumored that pedestrians will not be allowed to cross the bridges, but this is not likely, as the more mild measure of having a disinfecting mat, to wipe their boots on, is probable.

Burglars at Niagara Falls.

Niagara Falls, Dec. 8.—A. C. Thoburn's drug store was burglarized Sunday night, $17 being stolen. Part of this sum belonged to the N., St. C. & T. Railway, which lost $500 by burglary at another of its offices ten days ago.

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CHURCH LEAGUE LAUNCHED LAST NIGHT WITH SEVEN TEAMS AND IN CHARGE OF GOOD OFFICERS

Mr. E. N. McWilliams Elected President—Everything Points to Successful Season—Rules and Regulations Formulated—Junior and Senior Series.

OTHER TEAMS EXPECTED

Seven churches were represented at the meeting in the Y. M. C. A. last night, when a Church Hockey League was organized and from present indications there should be some fast games materialize between the clubs which will put teams on the ice.

The George Street Methodist Church was represented by Stanley Wade St. Andrew's by Ernie Reid; Murray Street Baptist by B. Miller; St. John's by C. Halpany; Park Street Baptist by Fred Reed; Knox Church by Fred Reed; and All Saints' by Harry Flowers.

In each church boys' clubs have been formed and it is from these that the players will be drawn for the league games. The election of officers resulted as follows:

Patrons and Patronesses—The ministers of the various churches and their wives.

Hon. President—Dr. Wightman.

Hon. Vice-President—Dr. Middleton.

President—Mr. N. E. McWilliams.

Vice-President—Ernie F. Reid.

Secretary-Treasurer—Fred Reed.

The executive committee will be composed of one representative from each club.

It is the intention to have a junior and senior league with the above officers doing duty for both.

The next work was the discussion of the rules which should govern the league and the players. Every player must be a member of a club before the first day of September of the current year.

No player will be eligible to play in the Church League after playing in two games in any other league.

No player who plays in two games in the senior Church League will be allowed to play in the junior Church League.

Those eligible to play in the junior league are those who were under eighteen on the first of December.

The entrance fee was placed at one dollar. Each club must also deposit a guarantee of three dollars for a senior team and two dollars for a junior team.

Each team is allowed fifteen certificates.

A schedule committee was formed as follows: Ernie Reid, Fred Reed, Stanley Gillespie and Ed. Lebarr.

The ice on which the games will be played are the Knox and Park street rinks.

A meeting is called for Thursday evening, December 17th, at 8 o'clock, when all the teams intending to enter must be represented, and must have their entrance fee as well as their guarantee deposits.

With the above rules and with a body of officers under Mr. McWilliams, whose experience should carry the league along successfully, there is bound to be good hockey and it will scarcely by surprising if some of them do not come up to City Senior League standard.

BANKERS TAKE TWO OF THREE GAMES FROM THE FRONTENACS

The Bankers won two of three games from the Frontenacs, Lang's team, in the ten pin league series at the P.B.C. last night and thus clinched their hold on first place with a record of eight wins and only one loss. The Midgets are a fairly good second.

The game was hard fought and exciting throughout and on total pinnage the losers had just a shade the better of the contest, their aggregate showing a majority of ten pins to the good at the finish of the third game, the large total in the final contest giving them the advantage.

In the first game the bowling was not of a very high order, the Bankers winning out by twenty-two pins, but it improved in the second game when only fifteen pins separated the teams.

In this game the first and only fouls of the night were called, Hoolahan being the offender on two occasions. On one the lost a strike, and as subsequent events proved, this might have easily turned the tide of victory in the Frontenacs' direction.

In the last and deciding game of the evening the Frontenacs rolled well together and won by a majority of 48 pins, Lang incidentally rolling up the highest single of the evening 185.

Hoolahan had the highest total of the night with 472 closely followed by Ford of the Bankers.

The work of the winners was characterized by the same excellent team work that has marked their games since the opening of the league, all three working together like a machine.

To-night the Examiner A team and the B. A. C. will be the attraction, and the Exam has a surprise up its sleeve Geo. Cairns having decided to give his valuable services to the team.

BANKERS—				
Ford	135	149	179	463
Ferguson	140	133	134	407
Barber	156	161	127	444
	431	443	440	1314
FRONTENACS				
Lang	116	126	185	427
Hoolahan	155	167	150	472
Hempstead	137	135	153	425
	409	428	488	1324

HIGH SCORE TO DATE

Average—Wareham 175, Pollard 172.
Single—Martin, 236, LaPlante 212.
Three games—Martin 548, Wareham 526

A HOCKEY ORGANIZATION TO GOVERN ALL CLUBS IN THE CITY

The proposal to form in Peterborough a hockey organization to concontrol all branches of that sport is being considered and there will likely be a meeting this week to discuss the matter. Those who are interested believe that if such an organizaiont were instituted it would have a direct tendency towards the unifying of sport and would be a step in advance towards the formation of the athletic association talked of which would govern all lines of sport.

The hockey organization would have as one of its chief objects the arrangements with the rink company. No club under its supervision would therefore secure undue privileges—all would be treated as fairly as possible. Players, too, would get what is coming to them. In the selection of the players for an O.H.A. team for any series the officials of the supreme organization would do so regardless of the desires of any particular club and therefore the best possible teams would be placed on the ice.

These are but a few of the many benefits suggested and at the meeting to discuss this new organization, the project will be fully explained.

QUAKERS ARE ANXIOUS TO SEE MERCANTILE LEAGUE FORMED

The Quaker Oats hockey boys met last night when they organized for the coming winter and are prepared to enter the Mercantile League, if some of the other teams who played last year, and who are talking of entering this league, will do so. They will have a good line-up and are looking forward to the formation of a league before all the hours for the rink are spoken for. The G. T. R., Cressman's and other are of the same feeling and want to see the league got under way. The players think that it is up to some of those who are managers or factory owners to call a meeting at an early date and consider the advisability of forming the league. Everyone who has been spoken to so far thinks that the league would be a success.

HOAGLAND WINS FAST RACE FROM ERIE WALKER

The Erie Dispatch says:—Willard Hoagland, the touted middle-distance walker of Auburn, N.Y., made good at the Casino Rink last night every promise made by his manager, defeating E. H. Hubbell, the Erie pedestrian, in a 10-mile heel-and-toe match, by a distance of less than one full lap, 17 of which were required to make a mile. No better sporting event has been witnessed in Erie in many a day, a statement that any one of the 400 spectators who witnessed the match will verify.

Mr. Hubbell's exhibition was one that commanded the best efforts of his adversary and brought an equal share of applause. When Hoagland crossed the line on the last lap of the race Hubbell was rounding the far turn to the half-lap point, just 30 seconds in the rear. Hoagland's time was 1 hour 24 minutes and 16 seconds, and Hubbell's time was 1 hour 24 minutes and 45 seconds.

Hoagland Takes Early Lead

The Auburn contestant got away from the line ahead of his opponent, jumping to a lead of five yards on the first lap. This advantage he gradually strengthened, sprinting all the way and displaying the stride which has won for him over 300 races.

When the first mile had been covered, Hoagland seemed to gain even more speed and after the two men had raced abreast over the final lap of the third mile, Hoagland lurched ahead as they crossed the line and maintained the lead of one lap to the finish.

After Hoagland had taken the measure of his opponent there were many of the spectators who looked for a recurrence of the feat every mile or so. But as the mile cards went up and still Hoagland had not gained an additional inch, the crowd realized that a tough contest was on tap and even if Hubbell could not cut down his opponent's lead he was firm in his determination to keep the breach from growing wider.

A Clean Contest

From the standpoint of a true sportsman, no cleaner exhibition of any kind has ever been witnessed in Erie. Both men agreed to the rules laid down by the referee before the match and neither man made the slightest attempt to violate. The admonition of the referee was that two warnings would be given for infractions of the agreement and forfeiture for the third offense. The first warning was not given. This fact speaks well for both contestants, as well as their managers, W. G. Dey Monde of Auburn, and Mr. Benning, of Erie.

Five musicians served to keep the enthusiasm among the spectators at a high pitch.

Tony Loeslein challenged the winner to a race, and Edward Yunker challenged Loeslein to a 15-mile run for the championship of the city.

Y. M. C. A. TO PROVIDE RINK FOR BOYS

Another rink in prospect for the city is that which the Y.M.C.A. will prepare for the members of the association, mostly the juniors. It will be built on the lot to the south of the building, and will be sufficiently large for a good game of hockey. With all the rinks that are now assured there should be some hockey and skating in the city this winter.

BASKETBALL GAMES ARE BOOKED FOR LOCALS

It looks as if there is going to be some fast basket ball for several of the Y. M. C. A. teams between now and New Year's. The Midland Seniors are slated to appear in the local "gym," against the Tigers, on New Year's eve. The locals will try to turn the tables on the quintette from Georgian Bay.

The seniors will journey to Toronto on the 15th, to meet the fast team at the Central Y. M. C. A. It is very likely that the seniors will take a New Year's trip to Ottawa and Montreal. These trips are offering great inducements to the boys to get into the game and there will likely be a close run for a position on the teams that make the trips.

BOWLING

Bowling at the Y.M.C.A. alleys is coming along fast and the interest is growing every week. Mr. Ernie Bruce holds the highest score for this month so far, having rolled up 209 last night. The attempts to make high scores are making things interesting and the game is proving a success. A league has been formed with five teams contesting and the following schedule has been drawn up:

Thursday, Dec. 10—Happy Thoughts vs. Chieftains, Staff vs. Methodists, M.A.S. vs. Leaders.

Monday, Dec. 14—Staff vs. Happy Thoughts, Chieftains vs. M.A.S., Methodists vs. Leaders.

Thursday, Dec. 17—Happy Thoughts vs. Methodists, Chieftains vs. Leaders, Staff vs. M.A.S.

Monday, Dec. 21—M.A.S. vs. Happy Thoughts, Staff vs. Leaders, Chieftains vs. Methodists.

Thursday, Dec. 24—Happy Thoughts vs. Leaders, Staff vs. Chieftains, Methodists vs. M.A.S.

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ATHLETICS

A meeting of all the members of the South City Athletic Club is called for this evening at 7.30 o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

SHRINKAGE ONE-FIFTH.

Sir Geo. Drummond Discusses Trade Depression In America.

Montreal, Dec. 8.—The annual meeting of the Bank of Montreal was held yesterday, with the president, Sir Geo. Drummond, in the chair.

Sir Geo. Drummound said: "A year ago business in the United States was staggering under a sudden collapse of credit and acute money stringency, while in Canada the brakes had been applied and the slowing down process had begun.

"The check had been beneficial and financial affairs are now on a sound basis.

"To-day the situation is much improved, confidence has been largely restored, credit is again good, the money markets of the world are abnormally easy, but the volume of trade has been considerably diminished, measured by the value of imports. The shrinkage in Canada within a year has been approximately 20 per cent., namely, from $362,460,000 to $297,300,000, the figures being for the twelve months ending Oct. 1, 1907, and 1908, respectively. On the other hand, the value of domestic exports in the same period has been well maintained, being $231,500,000, as against $244,300,000 last year.

"The past year certainly was, and the present holds out the prospect of being, emphatically the era of railway construction. The Grand Trunk Pacific, between Prince Rupert and Moncton, is likely to occupy a considerable time, while it cannot be overlooked that most of the other railways in the country have been occupied with extensions much greater than the public have any idea of. For example, the C.P.R., at the end of June, had over 700 miles under contruction in different sections of the country, and the Canadian Northern was also engaged in increasing its mileage in Quebec and the western provinces."

STUDENTS PUNISHED.

Five Are Fined $10 for Rowdyism In Kingston Street Fight.

Kingston, Ont., Dec. 8.—Police Magistrate Farrell yesterday levied a fine of $10 and costs each on five students of Queen's University, arrested on Saturday night for participating in the riot on Princess street. The charge of interfering with the police was not pressed.

The culprits pleaded guilty, not as individuals, but as representing the student body.

The student prisoners were attended in court by Principal Gordon, Dean Connell of the Medical College, and Francis King, barrister.

Queen's students marched in a body to the Police Court, but were refused admission.

When Mayor Ross crossed the market square a crowd of students, awaiting the result in the Police Court case, hooted at him and some yelled "Traitor," because on Saturday night he refused to use his efforts to free the arrested students.

Mayor Ross is professor in Queen's Medical College.

Code For Naval Warfare.

London, Dec. 8.—The business section of the international conference now being held in London to frame a code for naval warfare held its first session yesterday.

The delegates read the proposals of their respective Governments and then elaborated them in short speeches. This was followed by a brief preliminary discussion.

It has been decided to hold meetings three times a week and to adjourn over the Christmas holidays.

The social entertainment of the delegates will begin Dec. 10 with a dinner to the delegates and their secretaries by the Earl of Desart.

Cruiser Badly Buffeted.

Halifax, N.S., Dec. 8.—With her wireless telegraph mast broken off at the heel, a petty officer fatally injured, doors broken in, a boat swept away, and minor injuries inflicted in different parts of the ship, H. M. S. Brilliant lies in the dockyard, her officers and crew thankful to be in harbor again. The cruiser left St. John's, Nfld., for this port on Wednesday morning. With ordinary weather she would have tied up at the dockyard on Friday morning. As it was, she did not tie up until Sunday morning, encased in ice.

Keep Out the Japs.

Vancouver, Dec. 8.—County Court Judge Grant announced yesterday morning that no longer will his court be allowed to use as a medium for the railroading of Japanese into the favored realm of British citizenship. Judge Grant declared that the usual formal certificates by notaries, giving statements of good character, will not hereafter be allowed, but that the strictest requirements of the law must be complied with.

Murderer Attacks Guard.

Vancouver, Dec. 8.—With the hope of being shot and killed in a melee and thereby avoid hanging John Pertella, colored, made a vicious attack on Warden Bryner in the provincial jail, New Westminister. Pertella is to hang with two others Friday week. The crime was the murder of his mistress in Vancouver last August.

Mrs. Maybrick's Big Win.

Richmond, Va., Dec. 8.—The case of Mrs. Florence Maybrick and her mother, Baroness von Roque of New York, involving title to lands said to be worth about two and a half million dollars, was decided yesterday in their favor in the Chancery Court here.

Smallpox Costly.

Brockville, Dec. 8.—The last smallpox epidemic in Brockville cost the municipality $6,485 for 79 cases. The town is constructing a new isolation hospital, which will be ready for occupation by the first of the new year.

CHIPPAWA MAN THREATENED.

J. F. Macklem Receives Letter From Black Hand.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Dec. 8.—The Black Hand, that mysterious Italian organization that resorts to violence when its demands are not complied with, has made its appearance at Chippawa, and the life of the wealthiest resident in the village is threatened. Now every citizen is moving about armed and sleeping with a pistol under his pillow.

On Friday last, presumably late in the afternoon, a letter was placed under the door of James F. Macklem's office, which adjoins his home, directing that he leave $1,000 beside the horse block that night or his home would be burned to the ground. The letter was crude in construction, but the author made plain his demands.

Mr. Macklem moved his valuables from the house and at once notified the police. Detectives set to watch and pursued two strange foreigners. Revolvers were freely used, but the men escaped. Another case has been reported.

MUSTN'T HURRY.

Premier Fisher of Australia Partly Approves Council Scheme.

Melbourne, Dec. 8.—(C.A.P.)—Referring to the proposal of Lord Rosebery's committee to reform the House of Lords, Mr. Andrew Fisher, Australia's Labor Premier, says that if the nominees of the oversea states can make known the views of the states they represent without binding them, nothing but good can come of the proposal, but attempts to hurry on the creation of an Imperial Council will defeat their own object, though such a council is not impossible in the future. The Canadian Associated Press is informed that the present Government intends to take no action on the report.

LIBERALS WILL GO IN.

Calder and Motherwell Are Elected In Western Bye-Elections.

Winnipeg, Dec. 8.—Bye-elections were held in Humboldt and Saltcoats, Saskatchewan, yesterday, owing to the resignation of Dr. Neely and J. N. McNutt, who were elected to the Dominion Parliament.

Hon. J. A. Calder and Hon. W. R. Motherwell, who were defeated in the provincial election last September, were the Liberal candidates. Returns up to midnight indicate that both Calder and Motherwell will be elected by large majorities.

Does Electrocution Kill?

Albany, Dec. 8.—Speaking of the report from Trenton, N.J., that efforts are to be made by county and prison physicians to revive the victim of the next electrocution at the state prison there for the purpose of proving or disproving the theory that has been expounded, that electrocution only stuns the victims, who are later killed by the surgeon's knife during the autopsy, Superintendent Hollins of the state prison gave the opinion that when the contacts are made properly the man is dead before the surgeon's knife touches him.

No Need For Y.M.C.A.

Guelph, Dec. 8.—There is no need for a Y.M.C.A. in a city the size of Guelph, said Rev. C. H. Buckland of St. James' Church, when speaking on the subject, "If all the Sunday schools and churches did their duty."

He went on to say that he believed every school house ought to be fitted with a gymnasium, churches and Sunday school halls should remain open all week, and the Carnegie public library reading room should remain open on Sunday afternoons for the benefit of the young men.

Mrs. Ingersoll's Win.

Washington, Dec. 8.—The Supreme Court of the United States yesterday decided in favor of Mrs. Ingersoll, widow of the late Robert G. Ingersoll, against Joseph Coran and others, involving a claim of $100,000 by Mrs. Ingersoll on account of services rendered by her husband in breaking the will of the late Andrew J. Davis, a Montana millionaire.

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For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	12.32 a.m.
Going West	**Leave Peterborough**
For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	5.32 a.m.
For Burketon, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	7.05 a.m.
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points	4.30 p.m.

GRAND TRUNK.

	Arrive	Depar
Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Gravenhurst, North Bay, Sturgeville and Toronto	11.40 a.m. / 6.00 p.m.	9.30 a.m. / 11.55 a.m.
Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	6.30 a.m. / 4.00 p.m.	9.05 p.m. / 5.00 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Cobourg Montreal and East	6.30 p.m.	11.05 a.m. / 9.05 p.m.
Toronto, Lindsay, Sturgeville, Uxbridge and Markham	11.00 a.m. / 6.00 p.m. / 10.15 p.m.	7.10 a.m. / 9.30 p.m. / 11.45 a.m.
Lindsay Local	9.15 a.m.	9.30 p.m.
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	9.30 a.m. / 6.05 p.m.	9.05 a.m. / 1.05 p.m.
Lakefield and Stony Lake	10.00 a.m. / 6.15 p.m.	8.30 a.m. / 12.20 p.m.

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Funeral to-day

—The funeral of Mr. Joseph Bell Forster, who died in Warsaw on Sunday morning, was held this afternoon to the Little Lake cemetery.

Expresses Thanks

—Mr. Jesse Airriess, who was presented with a parchment from the Royal Humane Society, desires to thank those who were instrumental in securing this recognition for him.

Gave Wrong Name

—The correct name of the man who was fined at the police court the other day for spitting on the floor of the Opera House, is Thos. Collins. He gave his name as Thos. Fitzgerald.

Winter Term

—It will pay any ambitious young person to read on page one, the new advertisement of the old established Commercial School, located in the city of Peterborough. The winter term opens January 4th. 6d108

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The Bachelors' Dance

—The Bachelors of Peterborough intend holding their annual dance this year on Dec. 28th in the Conservatory of Music Hall. The Fralick Orchestra of Toronto, will provide the music.

Laymen's Banquet

—The Laymen's Banquet will be held this evening in the Sunday School of the George SStreet Methodist Church, beginning sharp at 7 o'clock. The visiting speakers will be Messrs. N. F. Davidson and Patterson, of Toronto. The speaking will begin at 8 o'clock.

Invitation Accepted

—The Anglican Young People's Association of St. Luke's church have been invited to attend a young people's social arranged for by the Y. M.C.A. for next Friday. Mr. H C M Potter, the president, requests the members to meet at the postoffice corner on Friday at 7.45.

Leather Goods as Gifts

— —The best place in Peterborough to buy leather goods is A. H. Stratton & Co's. We have leather purses and card cases, leather jewel cases, military brush sets in leather, leather writing folio, leather travelling companions, posts and gift books bound in leather, burnt leather cushion per cent. if you buy your leather less variety. We can save you 25 ion tops, and burnt leather in endgoods at A. H. Stratton & Co's. Watch for our sensational announcement on Saturday. Every book in the store will take on new interest. Be with the crowd and come. Shop early. A. H. Stratton & Co.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

THE EXAMINER welcomes all Items of Interest for this column. Phone 234 or send post card with name and address.

Mr. Robert Grieve, Sons of Scotland organizer, has gone to Oshawa.

Mr J E. Weatherill, B.A., inspector of High Schools and Collegiate Institutes, is in the city inspecting the work at the Institute.

Messrs. W E and Albert Matthews, of Ottawa, and Geo. S Matthews, of Brantford, are in the city to-day, attending the quarterly meeting of the Matthews Company.

Messrs. W. Ireland, Bennett and Reginald Farthing leave for their homes in England on Wednesday, Mr. Farthing has accepted a position on the staff of one of the magazines published in the west of England.

DEVOTIONAL NIGHT AT KNOX

Young People's Society Had Profitable Evening.

Last night's meeting of the Knox Church Young People's Society was of a devotional character. Miss Ida Warren occupied the chair. A paper on "The Consistency of Living" was read by Miss Mamie Menzies. A vocal duet sung by Miss Eva Bartley and Mrs. Parker was much enjoyed. Miss Thompson has charge of the next meeting on Monday, Dec. 14th, it being Social night.

Leaky Boat; Loses Life.

Chatham, Dec. 8.—Emil Huyer was drowned in the Sydenham river yesterday morning. He was employed by the Wallaceburg sugar factory.

Huyer, who is a Belgian, and three others tried to cross the river in a boat. It sprung a leak and sank. Two of the men swam ashore. Another was brought out by an Indian. But Huyer was drowned.

The men had been warned not to use the boat.

Theatres Will Open Sunday.

Montreal, Dec. 8.—The Sparrow and Jacobs' Amusement Co. has decided to open the Academy of Music, the Francais and the Theatre Royal on Sundays, as a protest against the small moving picture shows in the French-Canadian portion of the city being open. They say they are paying more taxes and should have at least the same privileges.

Explosion Kills Eleven.

Calcutta, Dec. 8.—An explosion in the magazine at the military station here yesterday resulted in the killing of 11 men and the wounding of 26 others. Most of the injured will die. The casualties were all among native soldiers. The men were engaged in "converting ball cartridges into blank cartridges."

City Hall Threatened.

Belleville, Dec. 8.—The city building had a narrow escape from destruction by fire last night. A blaze originated from a furnace and spread to the city engineer's and tax collector's offices before it was extinguished.

Trade Is Growing.

Ottawa, Dec. 8.—J. B. Jackson, Canadian trade commissioner at Leeds, in a report received yesterday, declares that the trade of Canada with the north of England is growing in a remarkable manner.

Unearth Stolen Mica.

Kingston, Dec. 8.—The police investigating the theft of mica from the Brockville mica works, succeeded in unearthing $300 worth at Sydenham. Arrests will follow.

No Word of Clemson.

Duluth, Minn., Dec. 8.—No word has yet been received of the steamer Clemson, which left Sault Ste. Marie a week ago. Tugs are scouring the lakes searching for her.

A Task For Kitchener.

London, Dec. 8.—(C.A.P.)—It is understood that Lord Kitchener will be made a field marshal next year. It is suggested that he be given the task of co-operating with the colonies and consolidating the land forces of the empire, formulating a mobilization plan for use in a great war.

Chinese Joint Raided.

Lethbridge, Sask., Dec. 8.—The police raided a Chinese joint and found a white girl. Gee Lee was arrested and bail was refused. The girl at first claimed to be married to Gee Lee, but later acknowledged the true condition. Fourteen Chinks were arrested as accomplices.

Still Hopeful.

Montreal, Dec. 8.—"Ye pays your money and ye takes your choice."

James Ross, president of the Dominion Coal Co., wires as follows: "Perfectly well satisfied with counsel's presentation of the case; confident of outcome.

J. H. Plummer, president of the Steel company, also wires: "Case closed. Believe outlook favorable to the Steel. Nothing conclusive."

Balsden Goes For Trial.

Bowmanville, Dec. 8.—Wm. Balsden, C.P.R. switchman of Burketon station, was yesterday committed for trial by Police Magistrate Horsey, bail being granted in the sum of $2,000.

The evidence given at the inquest into the deaths of three C.P.R. trainmen at Sandbank on Nov. 23 showed that Balsden did not have the switch lights burning.

Crushed by Wagon.

Guelph, Dec. 8.—Norman Wilson, son of a very well-known Nassagaweya Township farmer, while backing a team of horses into a shed on his father's farm, slipped and fell under the wheels of his heavily-loaded wagon, the wheels passing over his chest crushing him so badly that it is doubtful if he will recover.

Schooner Goes Down.

Wallaceburg, Dec. 8.—The Wallaceburg Sugar Co.'s schooner Hough, loaded with 500 tons of beets, sunk while attempting to cross Lake St. Clair, on its way from the Thames river.

The crew were rescued. There is no insurance.

Boy Burglar Sentenced.

Galt, Dec. 8.—Earl Licht, the 18-year-old boy who was caught burglarizing the safe of the local Bell Telephone Co.'s office last Monday, was yesterday sentenced by Police Magistrate Blake to two years and six months in Kingston Penitentiary.

Christmas Bargains at China Hall

CHINA HALL IS GIVING SPECIAL BARGAINS IN ALL KINDS OF CHRISTMAS GOODS TO ENCOURAGE EARLY SHOPPING. : : : : : : :

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Smith Cheese Factory Made Progress Under Ald. Gillespie

He Recalled the Past Eleven Years' Business Done at the Factory—Total of $231,606 Received.

IT IS A MODERN FACTORY

Probably none of those who were present at the Central Smith cheese factory were more interested in the affair than Ald. Geo. A. Gillespie. For five years he was engaged as maker at the fourth line factory and although the equipment was not as modern as it is now, the record he established was one to be proud of. Smith cheese by the excellence of its quality has always been of the best that this country produces, and Peterborough cheese has a reputation on the market.

Mr. Gillespie commenced his duties in charge of Central Smith factory in the year 1898, the gross earnings of his first term being $10,138.13. Each year found the business increasing until in 1902 the gross earnings were $23,869.05. Thus in the fifth, his last year the patrons of the factory received considerably more than double the amount from the first year's earnings under Mr. Gillespie's management and the foundation of a successful dairy business for Central Smith was assured. At present the factory is one of the best equipped in the district, and this fact is in itself a good advertisement. It is probable that before next year there will still be other improvements which will increase the facilities of manufacture and bring the patrons even higher returns.

In addressing the people at the meeting on Friday night Mr. Gillespie stated that he always looked forward to this affair. He had attended them all during the past eleven years and he was proud to witness the growing prosperity of the factory and the continued high quality of the butter and cheese that is being manufactured. In conclusion he read the following statistics showing the total amount of money that the patrons of Central Smith factory had received during the past 11 years and also the total amount of money that had been received.

Year	Patrons	Gross
1898...	$8447.83	@10138.13
1899...	12091.71	14398.13
1900...	16330.75	19124.60
1901...	17750.58	20837.64
1902...	20819.95	23869.05
1903...	25572.48	29510.18
1904...	20712.34	24440..0
1905...	21730.56	24769.40
1906...	19009.07	21436.06
1907...	18039.99	20357.31
1908...	19652.85	22720.74
	$201153.30	@231606.82

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Elected at Meeting at St. John's Church on Sunday Afternoon.

The annual meeting of St. John's Junior Chapter, No. 3, Brotherhood of St Andrew, was held on Sunday afternoon with a large attendance. Reports of an encouraging character were received from the different officers and addresses from Rev. Canon Davidson, Messrs. Jack Patte and Jas. S Bell.

The secretary's report showed that a large number of boys had been visited and invited to the Sunday school, the Bible Class and the services of the church. The Bible Class for young men and older boys was reported in a healthy condition.

Other work was outlined to be taken up in the coming year.

The election for the different offices was keenly contested and resulted as follows:

Hon. Director—Mr. J S Bell.
Director—Fred Seymour.
Vice-Director—H Spring.
Sec.—Frank Pidgeon, re-elected.
Treas.—Harold Smith.
School boys' Scripture Union Committee—Kenneth Brown, Hugh Burritt, Everett Glover, Frank Halpany.

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Very Finest Dripped Lemon and Orange Peel, per lb.			30c
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SEE SHOW WINDOW TO-NIGHT

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For Father and Mother

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NEXT BOARD OF TRADE MEETING

Preparations for an Industrial Revival to Be Considered.

A general meeting of the Peterborough Board of Trade will be held tomorrow (Thursday) evening, December 10th, in the City Council chamber. The chief business to be transacted is the preparation for an industrial revival. The public is generally invited to attend, as matters important to the interests of the city will be discussed.

HOLIDAY GIFTS FOR CHRISTMAS REMEMBRANCE

Most Handsome Array of Articles at the Store of Milburn the Jeweller.

Just now many, and perhaps most of our readers are occupying their minds with the holiday presents that mark this era in our annual lives, in every family where the amenities of refined life are observed. This annual interchange of the gifts of love and friendship is one of the highest attributes of modern life, and constitutes a duty to which the best attention of the better people is carefully given.

While the growing aesthetic taste among cultivated people has consigned the cheap and tawdry gifts that used to do duty for the occasion, to the limbo of the things that we have outgrown, the more educated taste now looks to the combination of artistic beauty with practical utility or intrinsic value in the selection of holiday gifts, and instinctively turns for satisfaction to the jewellery store where the achievements of the schools of art and design and the art of the gold and silversmith unite in presenting a field of choice where all needs and all tastes can be abundantly gratified. These suggestion are impressed upon one's mind by a visit to, or even a passing by, the magnificent display on exhibition at the store of MILBURN, the Jeweller, at 349 George street. If it be true that "a thing of beauty is a joy forever, here are joys enough for all eternity. Anyone who can at all appreciate the most exquisite achievements of artistic merit here exemplified in a thousand articles designed for use or ornament, or combining the requirements of both, should call at this store and examine the lovely array of goods now on display and at the command of the holiday purchaser. Clocks, watches, rings, pins, bracelets and articles of vertu are in a bewildering array of ravishing beauty. Whether you buy or not, the visit will repay you, but when you come to learn of the amazingly moderate prices at which these elegant goods are being offered for the holiday trade, you will be more than human if you can resist the temptation and the unprecedented inducements to buy. MILBURN, the Jeweller 349 George street.

GEORGE STREET W.F.M.S. WERE ENTERTAINED

Enjoyable Meeting Was Held at the Residence of Mrs. Lindsay.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the George Street Methodist Church, was held yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. H. P. Lindsay, when the members were most pleasantly entertained by Mrs. Lindsay and Mrs. Jas. Stubbs. There was a large attendance and the session was profitable and enjoyable. After the regular business of the meeting was transacted a short but delightful programme was rendered. Miss Pilling and Mrs. Wood gave enjoyable vocal numbers that were much appreciated, and the Watch Tower was conducted by members of the society. Afterwards refreshments were served by Mrs. Stubbs and Mrs. Lindsay and a pleasant social hour was spent.

CONGREGATIONS REQUESTED TO RAISE PASTORS' SALARIES TO THE AMOUNT REQUIRED BY ASSEMBLY

Presbytery Meeting at St. Paul's Church Yesterday Morning—Good Attendance—Considerable Business Transacted—Rev. Mr. Abraham Moderator.

CALLS WERE RECEIVED

A meeting of the Peterborough Presbytery was held yesterday morning at St. Paul's church when considerable business of importance was discussed. The attendance was fairly large and quite representative. Rev. H. S. Abraham, of Port Hope, was moderator for the Presbytery.

A call from Rice Lake was extended to Rev. John A Black, B.A., of Massey, Ont., and conditional arrangements were made regarding his induction provided he accepts it. A call was also received from Omemee and the associated congregations, and was moderated in by Rev. Mr. Pogue, in favour of Rev. Mr. J. S. McFarlane, B.A., of Warkworth, but owing to the shortness of the time in which it had been prepared, the proper number of certificates had not been secured. A final decision will probably be made in two weeks.

Rev. Dr. Marsh, convener of the committee that had in charge the organization at the Stewart settlement, reported that it had been accomplished in a satisfactory manner.

Rev. Mr. Buchanan, of Dundalk, in the Presbytery of Orangeville, was asked to sit with the Presbytery and to correspond. He was present as the convener of the General Assemblies Committee to lay before the local Presbytery the claims for the Home Missions.

Another important consideration was that regarding those congregations which are paying less than $600 a year and the manse to their ministers. It was decided to request them to make the necessary effort in order to raise the salaries to the amount required by the assembly.

Five Children From 2 to 8 Years Received At Children's Shelter

Five children from Lakefield were brought down to the Children's Shelter a few wdays ago, owing to the illness of the father and the consequent impoverishment of the household. The doctor attending the case was instrumental in having them placed in the Shelter temporarily, until the father is recovered. The oldest is eight years old and the youngest is only two. They are very bright children and are getting along well in their new home.

TOBOGGAN SLED DASHED INTO TRAIN BUT THE RIDER ESCAPED

To escape literally within an inch of his life was the unpleasant experience this morning of a youth exercising himself tobogganing on Barnardo avenue. He was occupied in this pleasure for some time during the morning and almost remained too late for his personal safety.

On one occasion when he was coming down the hill he did not notice an approaching train on the Lakefield track until it had reached the crossing. Quick as a flash he threw himself off the sled within a few feet of the wheels of the advancing train. The toboggan of course could not be stopped and was dashed headlong beneath the passing cars, and ground into splinters.

AT EXHIBIT OF YOUNG LADY'S ART

Handpaintings at Old Bank of Montreal Buildings This Evening.

An excellent display of handpainting by a local young lady is on exhibition in the old Bank of Montreal building. They consist of oil paintings, water colours and china hand paintings, the work of Miss M. McCarthy and some of her pupils. Many viewed the interesting exhibit this afternoon and others will have an opportunity, as the building will be open until ten o'clock to-night.

FUNERAL OF THE LATE WILLIAM RUTHERFORD

Remains Interred in Centreville Cemetery on Monday Afternoon.

The funeral of the late William Rutherford was marked by evidences of the high place he held in the esteem of the community in which he was best known. It took place on Monday afternoon at one o'clock, from the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. Alex. Hunter, Cavanville. There was a large attendance from South Monaghan, Cavan and Peterborough. Although the distance from the residence to the cemetery at Centreville, is about eleven miles, a large concourse followed the remains to their last resting place. The religious services were conducted by Rev. D. A. McKenzie, pastor of the Centreville Presbyterian Church, where the late Mr. Rutherford had worshipped for about seventy years, assisted by Rev. W. Johnston, of Millbrook. The former spoke in affectionate terms of the many personal and public virtues of the deceased, and of his fidelity to his religious obligations, during the three score years and ten he had been a worshipper at the Centreville Church.

The pall-bearers were Messrs. John Buckham, William Buckham, Joseph Byers, John Rutherford, John Riddell and Joseph Wood.

LOCAL POULTRYMEN HAVE BIRDS AT GUELPH

Messrs. Jas. Baptie and Harry Lush There This Week.

Peterborough poultrymen are in attendance to-day at the Guelph Winter Fair. Mr. Jas. Baptie, president of the local association, has 17 birds on exhibit, while Mr. Harry Lush, vice-president, has 24.

RECEIVED INTO THE SODALITY

Impressive Ceremony Last Night at St. Peter's Cathedral.

A beautiful and impressive ceremony was witnessed at St. Peter's Cathedral last night when forty young ladies were received into the sodality as Children of Mary and 34 others were received as aspirants. All the members of the society assembled at the Convent before the evening devotions and marched to the church where they occupied the front central pews. Before benediction the reception was held. The aspirants received the white ribbons and medals and blue ribbons and medals were for those who became Children of Mary. Acts of consecration were read and afterwards His Lordship Bishop O'Connor addressed the society, especially the new members, in a splendid address of advice and good counsel.

This society is rapidly growing and it may not be long before all the young women of St. Peter's are members. In Mother Edward of the Convent the society has an untiring adviser and assistant and under her care it has grown in numbers and in its activities.

THE CONSUMPTIVE FUND GROWING

Forty Dollar Mark is Passed—More is Expected for a Sufficiency.

Mr. F. W. Miller announces that he received seven dollars towards the consumption fund yesterday. There is still considerable to be received before the family can be sent home to England, and those intending to assist in swelling the fund should do so at once as the desire is to send the family home before the coldest part of the season sets in. The fund as it now stands is:—

Already acknowledged	$33 25
E.B.T.	5 00
Consumptive case	2 00
Total	$40 25

SPRINGVILLE WAS WELL REPRESENTED

At the banquet last night in connection with the Laymen's Missionary movement the Springville congregation was well represented. Rev. Dr. Marsh and a dozen of his parishioners were present, and the Bethany congregation was represented by Mr. Hugh Logan, of Manvers Station.

Classy Neckwear For Xmas

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MISS ALICE KENNEDY

And the Partello Stock Company All Next Week at the Grand Opera House.

The theatre-goers of Peterborough and vicinity will no doubt be glad to learn that the attraction to hold the boards at the Grand ter one week, commencing next Monday night, is the famous Partello Stock Company, which came to us last season unheralded and made a decided hit. The company this season is headed by that clever little comedienne, Miss Alice Kennedy, who is so popular among the theatre goers, and her support this season is the best possible to be obtained. The company's list of plays this season are composed of the following New York successes. "The College Girl," written by Mr. Justin Adams, author of "Quincey-Adams Sawyer," "A Yankee Girl Abroad," "The Postmaster's Daughter," "Cumberland 61," "Tempest and Sunshine," "A Jealous Wife," "Thelma," "Lena Rivers," "The Girl of Eagle Ranch," A new play of life in the Golden West made famous by Miss Mamie Fleming. "A Daughter of the People," "Sisters," "Under Western Skies," "When The Harvest Days Are Over," Mr. Felix Haney's last season's big success. "A Yankee Girl," a beautiful story of the south, with no shooting.

High Class specialties will be introduced between the acts which is direct from the Keith-Proctor circuit, the best possible to be obtained. A car load of special scenery and electrical effects is carried and each and every play will receive a complete scenic production. Ladies' 15-cent tickets are being issued for opening night, limited to 200. The play selected as their opening bill is one of the prettiest plays ever written, entitled "The College Girl." Seats on sale at box office, Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

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CAUTION AND COURAGE.

Reports from Ottawa, inferentially purporting to reflect official sentiment, indicate that at the coming session, efforts will be made to keep down the public expenditures to the lowest point consistent with effective public service. For the past twelve years there has been a buoyant revenue and an animated spirit of public confidence, in every sort of enterprise We are a new country of great distances and great needs. We had to meet large demands for the provision of the necessary equipment to national development, especially in the line of transportation and allied concerns. Money was spent lavishly, and it would seem justifiably. We had the money and we had the needs. We spent largely to deepen our canals, to deepen the St. Lawrence to the sea, and improve the harbou of Montreal. Navigation interests in all parts of the Dominion, wharves, break-waters, light houses, harbour improvements, ave been well looked after, and we have spent large sums in launching the and Trunk Pacific, which is we under way and must be kept undert way. Public buildings have been generously supplied. All this because they were needed and we had the money. Much of the work done, which is necessary to our national equipment, had waited for years, to the natural detriment of the interests affected, because the national finances would not before warrant undertaking it. A decrease of inflow of revenue, which, it is hoped, will be only temporary, counsels corresponding caution in expenditure, but this caution should be allied with prudent courage, should not be allowed to go to the extent of neglecting palpably needed public improvements, especially those relating to the bettering and extending of our transportation facilities. upon which our national prosperity, development and advance depend.

Lest you forget—let us remind you to do your Christmas buying early.

LIMITING DEBATE.

Among the matters which will probably be suggested at the coming session of Parliament will doubtless be the question of limiting the power of members to waste the time of Parliament, and increase the cost of legislation, by limiting the liberty of debate or restraining it within limits this side of license. This will naturally apply to liberty of speech, when it is palpably made an occasion of obstruction. The obstructive tactics of the Opposition last session, were the last straw. The appalling waste of time, a consequent increase in cost of what comes under the name of legislation, the bitterness, the unseemly exhibitions of what, in other circles would be called hoodlumism, had not only its material bad effect but tended to discredit the good name of the country, and the good sense of our central parliamentary body. That is not all. Parliament theoretically meets to discuss public questions which bear upon the transaction of the business of the country. Parliament cannot be in the proper temper to deal with public questions on their merits if unlimited discussion and gratuitous waste of time in obstruction, and, consequently, distraction of attention from legitimate business is allowed to obtain. We have all seen, to suggest a familiar illustration, how talkative and consequently squabbling city council meetings have operated to the injury and delay of legitimate civic business. Instances are not lacking where council meetings have been held, when the hours have been talked away in purposeless spouting, making necessary adjournment to do business at another meeting. Many words darken speech, and too much talking, either in a council, or legislature or parliament, obstructs business.

The closure of debate in Parliament is regarded as a remedy. But it is, as the Globe, points out, a two-edged sword. It should not be employed when obstruction is justified—a delicate point to determine—for what one party might call obstruction, the other party might regard as discharge of public duty. The situation is a serious one. The presently predominant party, together with the public interests, suffered greatly last session from the great liberty of debate. Circumstances might be reversed and the time might come when the public interests might suffer, as our history furnishes precedent, from lack of freedom of debate. Both parties are concerned in maintaining the decencies of parliamentary discussion, and we are not likely to see a repetition of the scenes that disgraced last session, the disgraceful abuse of the liberty of Parliament, and avowed obstruction. The policy that led to these things is now regarded, even by those in whose interest it was ostensibly pursued, as a mistake. These scenes will not probably be repeated next session. The hotheads that caused them are effectively silenced; public opinion excluded them from Parliament. It may be long before the liberty of speech will be similarly abused. The power of closure is a serious weapon to place in the hands of a parliament. While it might be benignly used to prevent undesirable liberty of speech, there is a possibility of its being used to imperil other liberties.

To-day is the tercentenary of John Milton, the poet, of Paradise Lost.

A LITTLE CONTRAST.

Premier Hazen, of New Brunswick, must envy Premier Scott, of Saskatchewan, whose bye-election experience is quite opposite. Premier Hazen, in the general elections, seemed to have made a tremendous sweep of his Liberal opponents, scoring a big majority in the House. Two of his supporters resigned, in Carleton and Northumberland, to enter Parliament, but were defeated; bye-elections held to fill the vacancies resulted in the defeat of Mr. Hazen's candidates and the election of two Liberals. Two of the supporters of Hon. Walter Scott, Premier of Saskatchewan, resigned to enter the Dominion Parliament; they were both elected and the two Liberals, Messrs. Calder and Motherwell, who were defeated in the general elections for the Legislature, were returned in the resulting bye-elections. Thus the Conservatives lose four supporters in New Brunswick and the Liberals gain four in Saskatchewan. Hon. Mr. Hazen, the Conservative leader in New Brunswick, will be cautious hereafter about opening seats. They do things better in Manitoba—an obliging Conservative government is good to its own. Hon, T. Mayne Daly resigned a lucrative government office to contest in the Conservative interest a seat in the Dominion House against Hon. Clifford Sifton in Brandon. He was defeated but dropped gracefully back into the seat the government had kept warm for him.

If Carrie Nation can't create trouble otherwise for saloonists, she will hatchet.

SUNDAY CHURCH PARADES.

In 1900 the Protestant ministers of Orillia, adopted a resolution in the following terms: "That while welcoming associations which, in their corporate capacity, attend Divine service, they should not be accompanied by bands of music, or hold any procession on the Lord's Day, other than walking between their lodge room and the church, that such special services should be at the ordinary hours of public worship, and also that there should be no excursions or invitations to brethren at a distance, and no entertaining of visiting brethren in connection with such services on the day of rest." After eight years' experience the ministers concerned think that the rule embodied in the resolution, has been satisfactory to all interested parties, societies, etc., and the ministers have issued a circular letter commending similar action to other ministers throughout this district, in the interests "of a quiet and orderly observance of His Holy Day." Is the sanctity of the day of rest the only matter involved? It does seem to be so. Is not the matter of the value of religious worship and service-to-order in question? Is there any certainty that formal parades of societies and military are prompted by the sole desire of worship? Of course, attendance at church even under such conditions, is a recognition of human obligations, is respect of Divine relations, but, in the main, does church parade attendance involve the recognition mentioned, or a recognition of the claims or the demands of society relations or military order. Ecclesiastical processions on Sundays can be justified as tangible evidence of a faith whose obligations rest on all men, but in the case of society and military church parades the society or military idea is thrust to the front—both purely, secular considerations. Was not the Pharisee of old a type that calls attention to its piety, by substituting for prayers on the street corners and broadened phylacteries, the beat of drum and the blast of trumpet?

Suffragettes in chains—a spectacle for free England, the cradle of liberty.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Quarter-master Sergt. J. W. Edwards succeeds Sergt.-Major Brittain as caretaker of the drill shed, and took possession of his quarters and entered upon his duties yesterday

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BIRTHS.

BEACH—At Hamilton, on Saturday, Dec. 5th, 1908, the wife of Mr. Bert B Beach, of a son.

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COUNTER-ACTION IN WEST PETERBOROUGH PROTEST

The Globe has the following this morning in its Osgoode Hall news: The first counter action in regard to an election protest was taken yesterday in the filing by Mr. J. R. Stratton of a statement of preliminary objections to the protest against this election in West Peterborough. The objections are in effect:

That the security provided by statute was not properly given, and was not given until some time after the petition in question was filed; that the said security was not given in bank bills or gold or Dominion notes or legal tender; that the alleged copy of security and notices were not verified, that the original petition and copies were not signed by the petitioner in person; that the signature of the petitioner was not verified; that the petition and copies were not in form, and not endorsed in accordance with the provisions of the statute and the rules governing the same; that the provisions of the statute as to the filing of the petition and as to service thereof were not observed or complied with; that the order made on December 2, 1908, whereby, amongst other things, it was "ordered and adjudged that the copy of the petition and of the notice of the date of presentation and a copy of the deposit receipt and the appointment of petitioner's solicitor may be served upon the respondent by delivering such copies to Roland Glover or such other clerk as may be in charge of the respondent's office at Peterborough, and the steps and proceedings under said order were irregular and null and void; that the material upon which the order of December 2 was made, and the said order and steps and proceedings thereunder were and are insufficient and irregular, and that said petition should now be dismissed.

The statement of objections is signed by J. R. Stratton, the respondent in person, and by his solicitors, Watson, Smoke & Smith, National Trust building, 20 King street east, Toronto.

C. M. B. A. ELECT THEIR OFFICERS

Annual Meeting Held Last Night for That Purpose.

At the regular meeting of Branch No. 90, C M B A, held last evening the following officers were elected for the coming year:—

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Bro J J Lynch—President
Bro A Dennett—1st Vice President.
Bro Geo Ahearn—2nd Vice President
Bro P M Leahy—Rec. Secretary.
Bro H Carveth—Asst. Cor. Sec.
Bro T J Doris—Financial Sec.
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In the speeches made on Monday night at the anniversary concert of the Bethany Presbyterian church—one of Dr. Marsh's congregations—reference of the highest commendation was paid to the character of Mr. Jas. McKinnon, owner of the hotel at that place. Rev. Mr. Johnston, of Millbrook, stated that he had known Mr. McKinnon for many years and knew him to be a man of character and decision. In Dr. Marsh's remarks concerning him he stated that Bethany was to be commended on having such a man as Mr. McKinnon as hotel keeper in the place. When the law permitted him to sell he sold, and when it ordered him to stop he did so. The speaker said he had never heard any suspicion relative to Mr. McKinnon.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS EVENING

Enjoyable Time Spent at Their Rooms Last Night.

The Knights of Columbus spent an enjoyable evening last night at their club room when progressive euchre provided a pleasant pastime for several hours. The first prize, a handsome pipe was won by Mr. Ambrose Regan, and a box of cigars was won by Messrs. Fred McGrath and Thos Lane. The affair was much enjoyed and the cosy commodious rooms were well suited for the occasion. There were a large number of the members of the society present.

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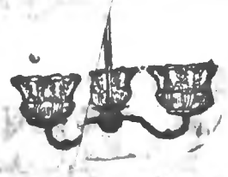

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Sermon Delivered by Rev. Robert Pogue in St. Paul's Church Last Sunday Morning on the Occasion of His First Anniversary as Pastor of that Church.

Last Sunday was the first anniversary of the Rev. Robt. Pogue's pastorate in St. Paul's Church, of this city. His morning sermon was a powerful plea on behalf of increased zeal and work for the Church of Christ. He spoke as follows:

I intend this morning to speak on "The Dearth of Conversions," or the fewness of conversions in the Church of Christ—the fact and the cause.

I. Let us begin by inquiring if it is really so that there is a dearth of conversions? Is it a fact that few souls are being saved through the preaching of the word? Is it true that the Church is failing to realize her true glory in the salvation of souls? Is Zion low? Is Jacob small? Are there few being received into our Church through the gate of the new birth?

Let me preface my answer to these questions by a remark or two.

1. It is impossible to determine accurately by statistical reports the number led into the Kingdom of God yearly. Congregational statistics do not always furnish reliable information. Many names are entered there that have never been entered in the Book of Life. And many names have never been tabulated in a congregational report that are entered in the heavenly record. There are Christian men who never sat at the Lord's table. There are good men outside all our churches.

2. Then, secondly, results do not always follow immediately after the preaching of the Word. There is a sowing time and there is a reaping time. And while in some cases the harvest follows closely on the sowing, God's method is generally in harmony with that natural law. Let me give you an illustration. Dr. E. Cumming tells of a meeting he once held in a kitchen. There were actually only about twenty present. He preached the word as faithfully as he knew, and that was all he heard of that sermon for 25 years. It dropped almost completely from his memory. But at the end of 25 years he had occasion to send into Glasgow for a student to come and preach for him. As soon as the young man entered his home he asked him if he remembered preaching a sermon in the kitchen of a certain home 25 years before. With difficulty he recalled the occasion. "Well," said the young man, "that night my mother was converted, and it is due to her godly training and influence that I am now a student for the ministry." That is an illustration of the truth that the harvest does not always, even in Spiritual things, follow immediately on the sowing.

3. Then we must make allowance for this fact, namely, that conversions in many cases seem to be a matter of growth. Some are led into the Kingdom gradually. Many have been brought up in Christian homes and instructed in the knowledge of the Christian life, and taught to love Christ from infancy, and they are not able to place their finger definitely upon the point of time when they were subjects of the great change of conversion. Now, I believe, the work of regeneration in every case is instantaneous. There is a moment when the soul is dead and there is a moment when it is alive. There must be a moment when the eternal life of God is in the soul and a moment when it is not. But the manifestation of that life may be gradual. The moment of birth is seldom the moment of conscious existence.

Now in discussing our subject I wish to make all due allowance for these facts.

But, granting what has been said, is it not so that there is great cause for humility on the part of the Church.

(1) Listen to the confessions of some of the leading men in the religious world, men who are in a position to know. Dr. R. Nicoll, Editor of the British Weekly, believes there is a dearth of conversions. I may say, possibly no man in all Britain is in a better position to judge of the condition of affairs in the Church. He seems to have his fingers on the pulse of the whole ecclesiastical organizations of the British Isles. And he says: "In churches which are both prosperous and enterprising, and whose praise is in all the land, conversions of the old order at least, are practically unknown."

Conditions have not changed much on this continent during the last ten years. Almost the last thing D. L. Moody did before he died was to write an article for the New York Independent, in which he stated that there were 3,000 congregations in the United States mostly from the Congretational al. Presbyterian bodies that did not report a single conversion in a year. He then asks: "Can this be true? The thought has taken such hold on me I cannot get it out of my mind. It is enough almost to send a thrill of horror through the soul of every true Christian. What must the Son of God think of such a result of our labors as this?" I believe that one thing which hastened the end of that great man was the low condition of the Church of Christ. As you know, he gave himself more and more in his closing years to the rousing of the Church and Christian people, rather than to the work among the unsaved, believing that not until the Church of Christ was brought back to apostolic belief and practice of the great work of evangelism could we hope to see much accomplished among the unsaved.

(2) But let me give you some statistics. We cannot resist the logic of facts. I take two great evangelistic bodies; the Wesleyan Church in England, the other, the Methodist Episcopal Church in the United States. A few years ago, the Wesleyan Church in the Old Country, with 2,000 ministers, 17,000 local preachers, 131,000 Sunday School teachers, could only report at the close of a year's effort, 3,549 conversions for a single year.

The Methodist Episcopal Church in the United States has 3,600,000 members, 18,000 preachers, 13,000 local preachers and about 350,000 Sunday School teachers. The value of their Church property which is free of debt is about $147,000,000. And yet, despite these enormous figures, the average annual increase of membership in the last five years has been only about 27,000.

Our own Presbyterian Church in Canada, while reporting much larger additions for last year, is far from doing what she ought to do, and what the Master expects of her. With her 1,300 ministers, 23,000 Sunday School teachers, 265,000 members, she received into her communion last year only 15,000—or on an average of 4 to every preaching station in the Presbyterian Church of Canada.

Now, do not let us shut our eyes to these facts. Do not let us say that we are raising a false alarm when we point out these conditions. If we are, then the General Assembly of our Church raised a false alarm last year when it saw the necessity for the appointment of a committee on evangelism; and some of our Presbyteries have raised a false alarm when they have set aside days for fasting and prayer; and the thousands throughout our Church, who are feeling the need of revival, and are praying earnestly for it, are raising a false alarm.

One of the dangers to which the Church is ever exposed is the danger of false security. The Church may say as she has said in the past, in the presence of like conditions: "I do not see the need for anxiety. Everything is well and prosperous. I am enriched, and increased in goods, and have need of nothing." No doubt congregations have said this and individuals have said this again and again, and yet the Lord's verdict on such has been, "You are poor, miserable, and blind, and naked."

We must be impressed, brethren, with the magnitude of the evil. We must try to realize the sorrow and disappointment of the Son of God at all this coldness and deadness. We shall never apply ourselves to the "cure of souls" as we should until we have some idea of the nature of the hurt. We must get thoroughly imbued with this thought that the Church of God has been raised up for the one grand work of saving a lost world, but she is failing in her mission. And we shall have to humble ourselves before God because of it—crying as did Joshua: "O Lord, what shall I say when Israel turneth her back upon her enemies. for the Canaanites and all the inhabitants of the land will hear of it, and shall environ us round, and cut off our name from the earth—and what will Thou do to Thy great name?"

II. And now let us pass on and enquire into the cause. It is self evident that every effect must have a cause and that the cause must be proportionate with the effect produced. And it is only as the effect is discovered and felt that the cause is removed. What is the effect again? It is that the Church is failing in the very purpose of her existence; she is suffering defeat, she is not going on with her great mission of winning the world to Christ. Well, what is the cause of it?

1. I want to make a confession to you. Identifying myself with my brethren of the ministry in taking my share of the blame, I must confess that the pulpit itself is largely responsible for present conditions.

Is it not so that in many pulpits throughout the land a false emphasis is given to the importance of literary culture? I do not mean to affirm that sermons should not be models of the literary art, where that is possible. But, what I mean is that the constant effort after literary style has led to a false emphasis on these things, and so people have been offered the husks instead of the kernel. People do not go to the House of God to study rhetoric and composition. They come to worship God—to have their souls refreshed, their spiritual energies quickened and their love for God and Christ, and the souls for whom He died, deepened. And the minister when he stands in the pulpit should bend his energies and direct his prayers towards the accomplishment of this object. He stands before people to appeal to the heart, the conscience and the will rather than the intellect. Culture is demanded, but not a culture that so sharpens the intellect that it cuts out the heart. And when the emphasis is laid on excellency of speech or enticing words of man's wisdom, we rob the gospel of its power. What a contrast is offered us in the rugged eloquence of Peter and many of the literary productions one will read to-day in homiletic journals. Listen to Paul: "And I brethren came not unto you with excellency of speech or of wisdom, and my speech was not with enticing words of men's wisdom, but in demonstration of the spirit and of power, that your faith should not stand in the wisdom of men, but in the power of God."

2. Then, the pulpit, in many places, no longer preaches the Gospel. It does not preach to save sinners. Dr. Nicol says that he listened to twelve sermons by young preachers some time ago and in not one instance was there the faintest approximation to saving truth — not the slightest evidence of how a sinner might be saved. Our colleges are failing to train ministers properly for the great and distinctive work of the Church.

3. Then, preaching is no longer of that stern prophetic character that marked the days of great revivals. We do not hear thundered in men's souls now: "Except ye repent ye shall all likewise perish." Are we not in the habit of addressing people as though they were all saints, while many are dead in trespasses and in sins.——And, when we do address ourselves to sinners our manner is apologetic and stammering. We try to make the Christian life easy. We do not speak as the Master did: "Straight is the gate and narrow is the way," or of the difficulty of being saved. We do not insist as He did, on men denying themselves, of taking up the cross and following Him in a life of severe discipline, and unselfish service.

But the pew must bear its share of blame.

And I have this charge to bring against the pew: The Church neither believes nor realizes that the one purpose of her existence is the Glory of God in the salvation of souls. How many understand and believe that the one purpose for which the Church was constituted the body of Christ, was that she might continue the work which Christ began on earth? How many believe, and live in keeping with their belief, that the one object for which the Holy Spirit was given was that the Church might be endued with power for the work of saving men?

Let us look for a moment at that statement: "The one work of the Church is to glorify God in the salvation of souls." I think it is quite clear from the word of God that the glory of the Church is her soul-saving power. For that she was raised up of God, and for that she exists. A glance at the Book of Acts makes that perfectly clear. The Holy Spirit scarcely considers it—if I may use the expression—worth while to mention the word Church, except in connection with additions to the Lord. The object of every sermon that is reported is the salvation of souls. The Church was born in a revival, where 3,000 souls were added to the Lord. Shortly afterwards 5,000 more were added. Then a number of the Levitical priests were obedient to the faith. Philip goes down to Samaria and many believe his word. And so the Church went on by leaps and bounds until the whole old Roman world was brought under the banner of the cross. Then the Church had nothing but triumph to record; now it is mostly defeat. Oh! we have machinery the most perfect, innumerable organizations yet we are met with the appalling statistics—that 3,000 churches cannot report a single conversion in a year.

And all this because the rank and file of Church members do not consider it the one business of their lives to give Christ's salvation to a lost world. Brethren how is it with us? What is your faith? and what is your practice? Are you living to bless men and to carry Christ's salvation to lost souls? Are you praying for a revival? Praying for the unsaved about you? Are you living as a branch of the true vine to bear fruit for the refreshing and life of a hungry world.

2. And, then, I have this charge to bring against the pew: It does not desire the salvation of lost men. First, we do not believe this is our special mission on earth—and then, of course, we have no particular desire to see it accomplished. And this lack is often seen in the pulpit. A minister once asked Mr. Spurgeon for an explanation of his success in soul winning and his own complete failure. Mr. Spurgeon asked:

"Do you expect to see souls saved every time you preach?"

"Oh! No!"

"Then according to your faith be it unto you."—The inference being that as ministers and people we shall see results when we truly desire them.

Ministers must drink the cup of Christ and share to the measure of their capacity, his agonizing compassion for souls. One of the greatest sermons Spurgeon ever preached was on the words: "When Zion travailed she brought forth children." In that sermon he showed that the mystery of the new birth, the salvation of souls, additions to the Church must be preceded on the part of the Church by the birth pangs of prayer and effort. No birth without pain, no souls born from above without birth pangs on the part of some child of God. When you and I agonize for souls we shall have them.

Mark Guy Pearse some years ago, said that he has never known a Sabbath in a long ministry of ten years, in which there has not been a conversion or conversions under his preaching. And then he says: "How any Christian minister can endure to live without conversions is to me incomprehensible." Ah! that is the trouble with ministers and people, we can endure it all too easily. But we shall all have to learn this: that unless we go forth weeping into the Master's harvest, we shall never come again with joy bringing our sheaves with us. And we shall have to learn that not until we cry and give God no rest will he make Jerusalem a praise in the whole earth.

3. A third charge I bring against the pew is: we do not pray for conversions. We do not believe it is our special work, we do not desire to see it accomplished, and so we do not ask God for it.

A little book was written a few years ago that bore a strange title. I am quite sure that the title, if true, would be welcome tidings to the average Church member to-day. Here it is: "And the Almighty hath decreed that there shall be no more prayer." Sarcasm! you say. Yes, but that holy kind that cuts deep into the secrets of your life and mine, and lets us see the disease and the defects there. We have failed to exercise the gift of prayer. What was true in Isaiah's time is true now: "He saw that there was no man and wondered that there was no intercession." "There is none that calleth upon Thy name, that stirreth himself up to take hold of Thee."

I shall not institute an inquisition into your prayer habits. I do not stand here to condemn for past failures—but to plead for better things in the days to come. To plead for more prayer, more intercession, more time that we may lay before God the conditions about us.

4. My last word is this: The Church does not live to save men. She does not believe this to be her special work. She does not desire it. She does not pray for it—and she does not live for it. What do I mean? I mean this: The greatest hindrance to the spread of the Gospel among the unsaved is the inconsistent lives of those who belong to the Church. It isn't the higher critics that are doing most to destroy the influence of the Church—and I have no more sympathy than you with the work of destructive criticism—but it is the lower living of those who call themselves Christians. It is little wonder that few of the outside world are enquiring the way to Zion with their faces thitherward when they see how little the inhabitants are actuated by the true Spirit of Christ.

The Master said: "Ye are my witnesses—Ye who sit at my table and confess my name—Ye are my witnesses—in the shop, at the lawyer's bench, in the doctor's office, behind the counter, before the counter, in the home, on the street, in the lodge—Ye are my witnesses." Nowhere can men find what Christ is like but by looking at you. Nowhere can they see the beauty of holiness, the attractiveness of the Christian life, but in the men and women who belong to Him, and to whom He said "Ye shall be witnesses unto Me."

We read a good deal about the coming revival. I do not pretend to know what is hidden in the counsels of eternity, or say what shall be the character of that movement when it comes. But I'll tell you one thing: The revival that we need is a revival that will teach Church members to love one another—that will lead them in all their business relations, and social relations, in their walk and conversation to apply the teaching of the Golden Rule. May God grant us that revival.

Brethren, I begin to-day my second year's ministry in your midst. One year ago to-day I preached my first sermon as your pastor. I looked forward hopefully a year ago to my ministry in St. Paul's. You ask me if I have been disappointed? I might with as much reason ask you, "Have you been disappointed? I am conscious of my failure in many places. The year has been a busy one. I thank you for your patience with me, notwithstanding my failures. It has been the happiest year, in many respects, of my life. No people could have loved a pastor or supported him with a more loyal devotion than you.

But I take you into my confidence, when I say that I am not satisfied with either my own attainments, nor yours. We have scarcely begun to grasp the problem that is given us, in the Providence of God, to solve, the problem of holy living, of work among our young men, of the conversion of the unsaved among us—of the evangelization of the world and of the whole round of Christian duties.

For some few Sabbaths, I shall seek to bring to you the most heart-searching messages I can give. The one object I shall seek to serve in these, is the sanctification of the life—resulting in Christian service. Then in the evening I shall endeavour to preach the Evangel of Jesus Christ, in all its simplicity and power with the object of bringing unsaved ones to decision.

I ask, therefore, for your faith in this as the great mission of the Church. I ask that you earnestly desire its accomplishment. I ask that you pray earnestly and unceasingly. And I ask that you live for it.

I am jealous for the people of St. Paul's. I want, when I hear outsiders speak of you, that it will be of a people who are eminent for holy, consistent living, loving, unselfish Christ-like service. And I ask you to-day to dedicate yourselves, as I seek to do it with you, to our great mission and great service.

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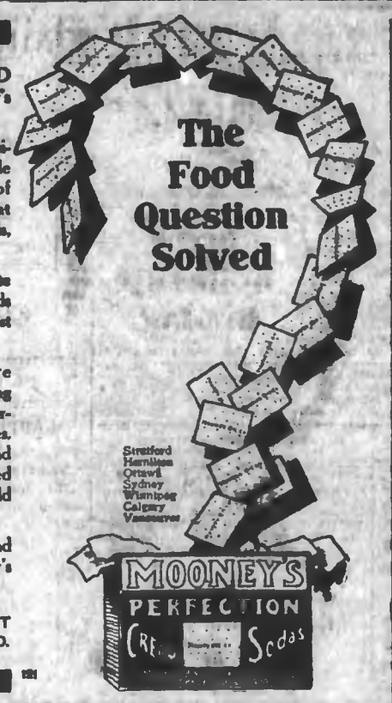

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During the past week the secretary has received inquiries from poultrymen in Toronto, Bowmanville, Whitby, Muskoka, Cannington, Villers, Bethany, St. Thomas and Cobourg.

Special terms have been made for visitors to the show with the railways and a large crowd is anticipated.

The show will be held in the market hall.

SATISFIED WITH THE ACTION OF THE COUNCIL

Mr. Gregg Praises City Aldermen for Manner in Which Market is Being Run.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

Dear Sir,—Please allow me a little space in your valuable paper for a few lines. I heard some men talking on the market square last Saturday and judging from what I heard some of them seemed anything but satisfied. I want to say that I have been going to the market for seventeen years, and I must say that the arrangements that the council have made for the year 1908 are ahead of anything that has ever been there before—at least in my time—and I earnestly hope that the council will see their way clear to do the same in the future. Let me add that a better man than Mr. Ball to carry out the wishes of the council and the people at large cannot be found. Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for this space.

Yours very respectfully,
JAMES GREGG.

Ennismore, Dec. 5, 1908.

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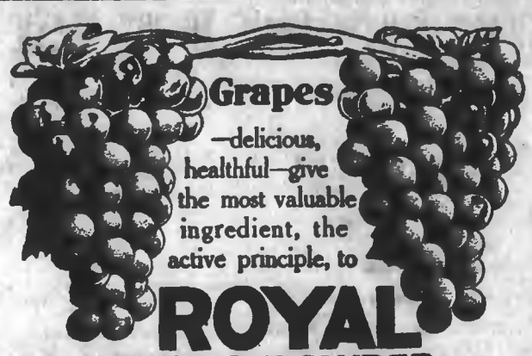

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EARNEST ADDRESSES FROM LEADING CHRISTIAN WORKERS

A meeting of an unusual and most interesting character, and destined to be of influence and importance in its results took place last evening in the basement of the George street Methodist church, where, through the initiative of the Laymen's Missionary Movement, there was gathered upwards of 400 in numbers of the best and most representative citizens of Peterborough.

The spacious basement was decorated with flags and bunting in a very effective and attractive manner, and the proceedings of the evening were opened shortly after seven by participation in a bounteous banquet, served in admirable style by Coleman Bros., the caterers, and which met with evident appreciation by the large throng. An orchestra discoursed admirable harmony during the dinner.

Those present included the Mayor and a good representation of the Board of Aldermen, the Chairman, the secretary and members of the School Board, the leading merchants of the city, and a liberal representation of the bench and bar. It included large delegations from St. John's, St. Paul's, the Methodist and the Baptist congregations of Peterborough, and was as thoroughly a representative gathering of all the best elements and the most important interests of the city, as has ever been witnessed on a public occasion of any kind.

After ample justice had been done to the generous spread, chairs were reversed so that all faced the rostrum.

Chairman's Address

Mr. D. W. Dumble, the chairman of the evening, then introduced the serious business of the evening in a brief but earnest address. He said he had seldom felt more embarrassment in addressing a public gathering than before one of this peculiar kind, where men of all denominational views were met together, openly professing themselves to be followers of the Lord Jesus Christ. They had been told that where two or three were gathered together He would be in the midst of them, and surely in such a meeting they must realize the presence of the Master. It was for them to grapple with the matter that was before them, to examine into their hearts and their lives, and to see each for himself if these were consistent with their professions. Those could rejoice who had met the Master, who knew that He had come into their lives and given the peace that passeth all understanding—who could look up and say, "My Lord," without condemnation and without fear. They were here as Christians, possessing that great gift to consider the obligation resting upon them of how best to bring others to the knowledge of Jesus Christ. Those who enjoyed the high privilege of Christian knowledge and fellowship, must realize that they have a responsibility outside themselves, and ask themselves whether they had performed the duty that lay upon them toward others. It was a time when great things can be done, and ought to be done, and must be done. The responsibility lay upon them, individually, of bringing the knowledge of God to all the peoples of the earth. He had never before in this city stood before so large an audience of men openly professing to be followers of Christ, and he hoped they would all be filled with a sense of all the responsibility and the duty that such profession imposed upon them.

Mr. Wilson, secretary of the Peterborough Laymen's Movement, gave statistics gathered from Peterborough Protestant churches, showing the amount contributed for general church purposes in this city to be $47,082.72, as against $11,840.29 for foreign and home missions, a total of $58,923.01. This represents per Christian head—there being 4,284 Protestant church members in Peterborough—$10.99 per year for general church purposes, and the not very flattering sum of but $2.76 per year for missions, as against $8 per head for the latter purpose in Toronto, and $5 in much smaller places than this city.

Mr. J. C. Patterson

Mr. J. C. Patterson, K.C., of Toronto, prefaced his remarks with the quotation "If this work be of man, it will come to naught; if it be of God, ye cannot prevail against it." This he said was the language of 1900 years ago, and it might be well applied to the present movement. The fault of the day with professing Christians was not that they sought to impede the work of spreading the knowledge of God, but they were not sufficiently keen in promoting it. A year ago in Toronto this great work had begun, to unite all the churches in an effort to evangelize the world in the present generation. The object was to present the Truth adequately to all peoples. It's object was, not to Christianize, but to stimulate in each denomination a more active work, each using its own instrumentalities to bring the Truth to all, leaving to the spirit of God the instilling into all hearts of a true understanding of it. The aim of the Laymen's Missionary Movement was to instill and distribute enthusiasm in this great work throughout all the evangelical denominations, so that each should collect and expend its own resources in its own peculiar way, but with a greater zeal and the knowledge and appreciation of a common purpose, and of a general cooperation. He spoke of the original meeting in St. James' school house in Toronto, when this matter had been presented by Rev. J. Campbell White, and said that when he regarded the spirit awakened there during an assemblage of hard-headed business men, bankers, lawyers and professors, he had realized as never before, the spirit which came on the day of Pentecost, and which he felt was with that meeting. He took for his theme: This movement, its meaning and motive. Analysing its title, he said, instead of "Laymen's" he would have preferred simply "Men's." Men implied force, virility, energy, the power and the determination to overcome resistance. He was not unmindful of the Marys and Marthas and Ruths of Christian history. He thanked God for the women who had done so much for the work of the Master all through the centuries—"Last at the cross and first at the tomb." But this was a work that peculiarly devolved upon the men. The word "Missionary," he said, meant men doing for others what God had done for us. Our God was a missionary God: "God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believed in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life." God had commanded us to go into all the world and carry the Truth to all living creatures. He wanted a missionary man. It was a command. It was placed first in the Lord's Prayer, "Thy Kingdom come,' and what God placed first, you do not and you cannot put second. The third word, "movement" meant progress — the cutting away of old things and the implantation of new methods. It meant going forward. He would epitomize their work and their duty in the matter. "We can do it, and we will." Were they as Christians to sit down and admit that anything as impossible that God had set before them to do? Some would say "we don't need foreign missions." He would ask them where would be the German and English, Scotch and Irish civilization to-day, if missionaries had not carried the Truth to our barbarian ancestors centuries ago! The average contribution to Foreign Missions to-day was $2.60 per head. They wanted to increase that to $5 per head and they could do it. Few places were in the enjoyment of so many advantages as Peterborough. They were above the average, and they should contribute something to make up for people elsewhere who did not come up to the average. If their hearts were touched with the sense of Christian duty the money would come all right. This movement meant victory—they were not going to let go—they were going to win.

Mr. N. F. Davidson, K.C., of Toronto, who is a brother of Rev. Canon Davidson, of St. John's Church, Peterborough, made an earnest and eloquent appeal for more liberal effort to forward the work of evangelizing the world, and his remarks frequently stirred the enthusiasm of the audience to applause. The meeting in Toronto, to which Mr. Patterson had referred, had been an epoch in the history of that city, and this meeting could be made an epoch in that of Peterborough, if it were rated at its right importance. It was time that men should come to realize that missionary enterprise was the business of businesses, and set about to do it in a business-like and earnest way. It was a work that had to be tackled by men like men—the work of evangelizing the whole wide world in a single generation. The object of this movement was to bring together in a common effort the men of different churches. The only question should be, "Who is on the Lord's side?" They should all stand together, no matter what their differences of faith and practice might be. The union of all the Christian forces for the evangelization of the world in a single generation would make that object entirely practicable. Out of $40,000,000 demanded for this purpose, Canada was asked to raise $4,500,000. Referring to the recent business depression he declared that it had been a good thing for the country. It had saved them from the dreadful tendency to materialism, to which our people were being subjected, which measured all things by the sordid dollar, and had turned the people toward higher things, better things and more profitable things. A Montreal editor claimed the origination of a phrase which had appealed to the judgment of the nation, and had had much to do with the success of the premier in the recent election. "Let Laurier Finish His Work." This great work in which they were asked to join might well adopt the motto "Let Jesus Christ Finish His Work."

"Onward Christian Soldiers," was then sung by the audience in a most inspiring manner.

The Practical Result

On motion of Mr. Vincent Eastwood the assemblage unanimously resolved to pledge themselves individually to support and advocate a general movement among the several Protestant congregations of Peterborough, to raise an amount equal to $6 per head each year in support of Foreign Missions.

Some Resolutions

Before close of the meeting the following resolutions were passed:—

Moved by Mr. David H. Moore, seconded by Mr. E. A. Peck,—That the lay members of the Protestant churches of Peterborough, realize that the acceptance of the Gospel of Jesus Christ into their lives implies the acceptance of the obligation to be co-workers with Him in making known to the whole world the glad tidings of salvation through faith in the Son of God, they therefore hereby accept the obligation and pledge themselves to a heartier sympathy with all missionary enterprises and to a more liberal and constant contribution of financial assistance to the missionary efforts of the churches.

Tender Their Thanks

The Committee of Management have sent thanks to the trustees of the George street Methodist church for their lecture room, to the Examiner for the programmes, Messrs Jordan Bros. for flowers, Messrs J. J. Turner & Sons for decorations, the Times Printing Company for printing, the orchestra of the George street Sunday school, for its splendid music, and the Peterborough Review for local notices.

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SHALL WILL OF PEOPLE BE TRAMPLED ON? ASKS MR. HANNA

An Earnest Advocate of the Ward System of Electing Aldermen.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

Mr. Editor,—You will kindly allow me a little space on a public question in your issue. Being one of the two hundred and fifteen that signed the petition to return to the ward system, I notice in what a slick way a few of the city council gave it the turn down. First, one alderman raises a technical legal point by stating "that the application should be submitted before November 1st," and second "that twenty per cent. of the ratepayers should have signed the petition." I think it a very good criterion to go by. The result of the canvassing of the few who had the opportunity was that out of that number ninety-five per cent. signed the petition for the ward system. So it would be quite safe to say at least, ninety per cent. of the people would want the ward system. However, the council surely could have asked them their wishes. Another alderman plays the part of the double actor when he says that he was not opposed to the ward system, yet the votes against the submitting of the by-law to the people, under a flimsy excuse, and says it looks foolish when we are seeking to elect aldermen for two years. But the city solicitor opened the eyes of the council that they might submit the by-law if they wanted to do so.

What is left for the voters to do is to elect such aldermen as are willing to ask the people, "What is their will concerning their interests in general?"

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ALBERT HANNA.

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ROLAND AYOTTE CAME TO HIS DEATH BY ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING, SAYS JURY; INQUEST WAS CONCLUDED YESTERDAY

Considerable Evidence Was Heard —Tommy Gordon's Comprehensive Story of the Shooting— Stood Cross-Questioning Without Flinching.

HIS SISTER'S ACCOUNT

Special Staff Correspondence.

Young's Point, Dec. 9.—"That the said Roland Ayotte came to his death by accidental shooting," was the verdict reached by the coroner's jury yesterday in the inquest into the death of little Rollie Ayotte, who was killed in Harvey township on November 12th. Considerable evidence was heard during the day but there was nothing of a sensational nature brought out, the evidence pointing strongly to the fact that young Ayotte had been shot accidentally, although just how, it was hard to ascertain from the testimony. There was nothing to indicate that there was any foul play in connection with the boy's death, and it only took the jury a few minutes to bring in their verdict after they had retired to consider the evidence.

The inquest which had been adjourned from December 1, was resumed at ten o'clock in the annex of the Lakeview House, with Dr. Gray presiding. Mr. R. E. Wood represented the Crown, while Mr. O. A. Langley, of Lakefield, was present in the interests of Tommy Gordon, the 12-yaer-old boy, who was with Ayott when the latter was shot. Gordon's evidence was the most important heard during the day, and the manner in which he told the story of the accident, evidently favourably impressed the jury.

The Autopsy Report

Dr. Young, of Peterborough, who assisted by Dr. Boucher, performed the autopsy on Saturday, was the first witness, and gave the report of the post-mortem as follows;

"The body was that of a boy well nourished, and apparently about ten years of age. Post mortem discoloration was decidedly marked. A wound extended to the left of the sternum between the seventh and eighth ribs, round in appearance. The external edges of the wound were inverted. Before removing the sternum we found two hard felt gun wads. There was a wound penetrating the left lung and breast which in our opinion was the cause of death. The chin and left side of the face was powder marked. There were no other external marks of violence. The other organs were apparently healthy.

T. W. H. YOUNG, M.D.
R. P. BOUCHER, M.D."

Dr. Young testified that they had found a number of shot in the left lung. The wound in the breast was such as would be caused by a shot, and its cleanness would indicate that the shot had been fired at very close range.

To Mr. Langley the witness said that there was no stray shot outside of the wound.

The Deceased's Mother

Mrs. Baptiste Ayotte, the deceased's mother, was the next witness and testified that her son would have been ten years old on December 3rd. On the day that he was shot he was sent to school, but as the teacher was not there he had come back as far as Mr. Gordon's house. She had not seen him until he was brought home dead in the evening. Messrs Thomas Weaver, Herb Weaver and other men brought him home. There was no hole in his shirt or sweater when he had put them on that morning.

The Father's Evidence

Baptiste Ayotte, the boy's father, was next called, and corroborated the evidence of the previous witness as to his son's movements on the day upon which he was shot. He told of his being notified by Thomas Weaver of the boy's death, and of finding his son's dead body in the road leading across Mr. Gordon's property. He had not seen young Gordon there after he arrived nor did he see a gun there. The witness said that he had been told that young Gordon was a very bad boy. He had been told that he had put Mrs. Trotter's little boy, a child of five or six years, on a stump as a target, and had shot at him. The boy had dropped from the stump and the contents of the gun had entered the stump. He had also heard that young Gordon had threatened to shoot Joseph Gillespie's boys. He had heard some of these things before his boy was shot.

Thomas Weaver testified that he was Tommy Gordon's uncle, and that he was working in the woods not far away from where young Ayotte was shot. Tommy had come running up to them and told them that Rollie had shot himself with his gun and they had gone to the spot and found the body. Young Gordon when asked how it had happened, had explained that his garter came untied, and while he was fixing it he had given Ayotte his shot gun to hold. Ayotte had asked for a cartridge, and while he was still busy fixing his garter he had heard a shot and saw the boy fall. The boys were friendly and played together and he had never heard of a quarrel between them.

Dr. Young, re-called, testified that from what he could find, the shot must have entered the body from straight in front as there was no slant either up or down.

Robert Weaver gave evidence corroborating that of Thomas Weaver in regard to working in the woods, to being notified of Ayotte's death by Tommy Gordon, and to the story that the latter had told in regard to the accident.

Laura Gordon's Story

Laura Gordon was the next witness. She testified that she was Tommy Gordon's sister and had been at home on the day that young Ayotte was shot. Tommy had come running home and had told her that Rollie had shot himself and asked what he should do. She had told him to tell his uncle Thomas Weaver, and he had done so while she had gone to where the body was found. She had found that Ayotte was dead by feeling his heart. Rollie had come to their place about 9.15 o'clock in the morning and had stayed there until the afternoon getting his dinner there, and the boys had played around the house until 4 o'clock, when she had told Tommy to take the cows to the lake. Ayotte had said he would go with him as far as the corner on his way home. Tommy had taken the gun with him because it would be dark when he was returning. Tommy had told her the same story of how the accident occurred as he had the other witnesses.

Tommy Gordon's Evidence

Thomas Gordon was the next witness and stated that he was twelve years of age. He explained the circumstances of the shooting at considerable length, and stood the questioning of the Crown Attorney and Coroner Gray without flinching. He stated that Rollie Ayotte had come to his place in the morning, and had remained there until 4 o'clock, and that they had played together around the house all day. At 4 o'clock his sister had told him to take the cows to the lake and Rollie had said that he would go with him as far as the corner. They started out together and after they had gone a short distance from the house witness' garter became untied, and he gave the gun to Rollie to hold while he tied it. The gun was not loaded, but Rollie had asked him for a cartridge while he was tying his garter, and he had given it to him. A little further on the witness' garter again became loose and he once more handed the gun to Ayotte. As he was fixing his stocking Ayotte had said: "Watch me shoot a cow," but the witness did not think anything of it until he heard a shot, and looking up saw Ayotte falling to the ground. He had supposed that he had tripped and that in falling, the gun had exploded. He had rushed to his home and told his sister of the shooting and then had told his uncle. "The gun was not in my hands when Ayotte was shot," said the witness.

The inquest was adjourned at 12.45 for luncheon.

Upon resuming, Chas. Bickell was called, and stated that he was an undertaker residing in Lakefield, and that he had attended the funeral of the deceased boy. Dr. Gray had given him instructions to bury the boy as he thought, after examining the case, that it was an accident. He had investigated and young Gordon had given him the same account of the shooting as she had at the inquest. The witness said that he was familiar with fire arms and had shot at the Dominion Rifle ranges and won shooting prizes at Lakefield. He gave considerable evidence as an expert of the effect of a shot at close range, and stated that in his opinion the muzzle of the gun could not have been more than a foot away from the boy when he was shot. He thought that the shot had an upward tendency, judging from the wound.

It was possible for a gun to be discharged by a heavy jar upon the stock.

Joseph Johnston testified that he had been working in the woods near the Weavers', and had been told of Ayotte's death by Thomas Weaver. He told of going to the spot where the body was and of seeing it there. He had had no talk with young Gordon in regard to the case. He had seen the boys playing together that day.

Edward Johnston, who had been working with the previous witness, corroborated his testimony, but threw no new light on the matter.

This concluded the testimony and the room was cleared to allow the jury to consider the evidence.

Their deliberations lasted but a few minutes when they brought in a verdict of accidental shooting and were dismissed.

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ISOLATION HOSPITAL QUESTION DISCUSSED

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To the Editor of The Examiner:

Dear Sir,—Apparently we are on the verge of a considerable outbreak of scarlet fever, and as in the past our facilities for attending to it are almost as inadequate for handling it as a generation ago, and not as good as a few years ago, when the hospitals accepted these cases in a special ward.

Ours is too progressive a city to be still floundering in the mud on this question.

It is only when a number of unpleasant messes arise, such as those which have occurred in the past few weeks, that we awaken to the recognition of our out of date condition.

The majority of people forget or do not realize, that the quarantine and isolation of infectious diseases is for the benefit of the public at large which should pay for this protection.

Isn't it enough hardship for a poor man to have these diseases come to his home without the neighbours, the law, and public at large compelling him to pauperize himself for years to come, by staying at home weeks or months without work, without perhaps enough food to live on, and yet those for whose safety this is done are unwilling to share the expense.

Take the concrete examples of recent date,—an honest, hard working woman with a family of five children, two of whom are breadwinners. Each of the latter were taken from their work to nurse the others, ill with scarlet fever, in order that the main bread-winner might stay away from the family for the public protection. Think what this would mean to you in the same circumstances:

Away from her family for three months—

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Two bread-winners less for three months.

Consider the other case where a very ill child in an institution with a number of other children, was infected with scarlet fever, probably from some ignorant visitor coming from an infected house not disinfected.

Why should a poor man disinfect his home at his own expense for public protection, if he is too poor to pay for it, when we (the public) don't care whether he does or not, and at any rate are unwilling to recompense him for it.

If this had been your child and it had died, would you not feel indignant at our lax and careless system in Peterborough.

The Board of Health wants to solve the problem, the council wants to solve the same thing but up to the present they have been unable to do so.

Dr. McNulty last year made a sensible suggestion, when he proposed home isolation, compensation of bread-winners for loss sustained, and disinfection at public expense.

But this suggestion was ignored entirely, because the trouble has not struck home to those who have power to act. With but few exceptions the scarlet fever has been in the homes of the poor and powerless.

The plan we, the public in our selfishness would like, is to have the Nicholls Hospital Board build an infectious disease hospital, pay for the nursing and run it free for all. But why should they? We do not appreciate what we have. If like other cities, we were taxed the twenty odd thousand of hospital upkeep we might worry. Other cities are always begging for hospital funds. Having become used to spoon feeding in this way, we think the Nicholls or other Hospital Board should still spoon feed us free.

Statistics

During the last year, as recorded in the city books, the case of infectious diseases are:—

Month.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria
January	0	0
February	6	0
March	0	0
April	3	0
May	2	0
June	0	0
July	7	0
August	4	0
September	4	0
October	9	1
November	4	0
December	4	0

Allowing an average rate of $10.00 per week compensation for the minimum number of weeks (6) on Dr. McNulty's plan, and $2.00 per case for disinfection, the city's bill for protection would have been about $2700.00.

It does not seem necessary to compensate the bread-winners to this extent, for most of them can board out at about $1.00 to $2.00 more than they can live at home and still earn wages.

At this rate and $2.00 for disinfection, making an average of about $8.00 per case, the city's bill would have been about $400.00.

If full compensation were allowed to those out of work, it would only add a few hundred to this, making perhaps $600.00.

But this does not consider or assist those unpleasant circumstances where cases suddenly develop in the Nicholls Hospital, St. Joseph's Hospital, the House of Providence, Barnardo Home, or strangers in boarding houses or hotels.

It does not seem necessary to build an expensive, ideal building with a marble front, when from statistics, this is shown to be unnecessary.

A combination of a small moderate cost building with home isolation and compensation in suitable cases, would cut out a great deal of expenses.

I heard a man of authority who knows say he considered that a suitable building for practical use could be put up for $3000.00.

The council seems afraid of running expenses and mention $4000.00 as the minimum.

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Allowing $7.00 a week for food, 11 tons of coal per winter, and $460.00 per year for a porter for scrubbing, disinfection, washing and furnaces, allows a standing expense without patients of—

Nurse	$400 00
Hospital assistant nurse	72 00
Coal	100 00
Food	350 00
Porter	400 00
Telephone	18 00
Electric light	20 00
Water	20 00
About $1406.00.	

Last year's expense rating at about 25 cents per day per patient, for light diet, or,

Food	$600 00
Medicine	100 00
Disinfection	100 00

Thus we have a standing expense of at most, $1500.00, and an expense variable with the number of patients from $500.00 to $1500.00

These plans may not fit in with the theoretically beautiful and perfect isolation hospital, as planned by the powers that be, but will cover the present and ordinary future needs, and save some unfortunates a lot of worry.

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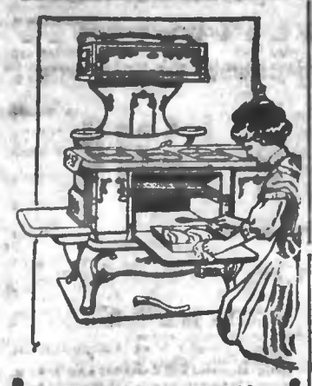

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PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S FINAL ADDRESS

Retiring President Issues Last Message to Congress.

IS STILL AGAINST TRUSTS

He Repeats His Conviction That Movements of Corporate Interests Should Be Strictly Regulated—Calls Proposed Labor Law Against Injunction Class Privilege in Most Brutal Form.

Washington, Dec. 8.—Interest in both Houses of Congress centered yesterday in the President's message, the reading of which began in the Senate at 12.15, just a quarter of an hour after the Senate had convened, and in the House a few minutes later. The galleries of both Houses were well filled. The chief points in the message are:

Favoring a revision of the currency system to remove defects.

Placing of railways, telegraph and telephone companies under interstate commerce commision and removed from the domain of the anti-trust law. As regards rates the power of the commission should be summary.

There should be regulation by the National Government of the great interstate corporations, including a simple method of account keeping, publicity, supervision of the issue of securities, abolition of rebates and of special privileges. There should be short-time franchises for all corporations engaged in public business, including the corporations which get power from water rights. There should be national as well as state guardianship of mines and forests. Labor legislation should be enacted into law.

Postal savings banks will make it easy for the poorest to keep their savings in absolute safety. The regulation of the national highways must be such that they shall serve all people with equal justice.

There must be prohibition of child labor, diminution of woman labor, shortening of hours of all mechanical labor. Stock watering should be prohibited, and stock-gambling, so far as is possible, discouraged. There should be a progressive inheritance tax on large fortunes. Industrial education should be encouraged. As far as possible we should lighten the burden of taxation on the small man.

There should no longer be any faltering with the question of taking care of the wage-workers who, under our present industrial system, become killed, crippled or worn out as part of the regular incidents of a given business.

Recommends increased salaries for the judges and simplification of the administration of justice, which "operates with peculiar severity against persons of small means and favors the very criminals it is most desirable to punish."

The bill demanded by labor leaders before the House committee on judiciary last year, in regard to injunctions, is referred to as legalizing blacklisting and boycotting in every form and representing a class of policy which, if carried out, would mean "the enthronement of class privilege in its crudest and most brutal form."

The Hawaiian Islands should be made impregnable.

American citizenship for Porto Ricans is recommended.

TRAIN KILLS TWO.

Wagon Is Struck by Express Near Dunnville on Michigan Central.

Dunnville, Dec. 9.—A double fatality occurred yesterday morning at a level crossing on the Diltz road, about six miles from here, when a fast express on the Michigan Central struck a wagon in which Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Miller and their three-months-old infant were driving into town.

Mrs. Miller and the child were killed instantly, and Mr. Miller was seriously injured.

The crossing at which the accident occurred is particularly dangerous owing to trees obscuring the view, and several fatal accidents have happened there before.

The bodies of the two victims, together with Mr. Miller, were brought to Dunnville to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burton S. Depotty, parents of Mrs. Miller.

Mr. Miller is reported last evening to be likely to recover.

Was Troubled With Weak Back For Years.

Could Not Perform Household Duties. Doctors Attended Without Avail.

Mrs. Arch. Schnare, Black Point, N.B., writes: "For years I was troubled with weak back. Oftentimes I have lain in bed for days, being scarcely able to turn myself, and I have also been a great sufferer while trying to perform my household duties. I had doctors attending me without avail and tried liniments and plasters, but nothing seemed to do me any good. I was about to give up in despair when my husband induced me to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and after using two boxes I am now well and able to do my work. I am positive Doan's Kidney Pills are all that you claim for them, and I would advise all kidney sufferers to give them a fair trial."

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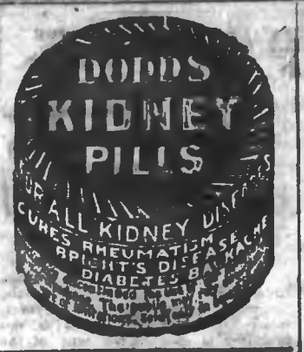

A RELIGIOUS FANATIC MEETS HIS DEATH

"Adamite" Sharp Fatally Wounded in Kansas City.

DEATHS WILL TOTAL FIVE

One Policeman and Little Girl Are Killed, Two Are Mortally Hurt, and Sharp Is In Hopeless Condition, as a Result of a Fight In Which "Adam God" Prophet Attacks Police—Once Raided Canada.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 9.—In the shadow of the city hall, a riot in which religious fanatics and the police participated, resulted yesterday afternoon in the death of two persons, the fatal injury of three others, and severe injury to two persons.

A. O. Dalbow, policeman, and Lola Pratt, aged 14 years, were killed, and the fatally injured are: Patrick Clark, police lieutenant; John Sharp, a street preacher known as "Adam God"; Michael Mullane, policeman.

Probation Officer Holt of the juvenile court yesterday went to Fifth and Hain streets to investigate a case of alleged abduction.

Probation Officer Holt met Sharp, who was exhorting a crowd on the street. With Sharp was a woman named Selzer and five children, ranging in age from three to 14 years. Holt then inquired as to the identity of the children. The woman replied that the officer "had better attend to his own business." The officer persevered in his enquiries, and Adam God "who wears long white beard and hair, struck him a blow behind the ear

JOHN SHARP.

with a pistol, inflicting an ugly wound.

Sharp and his companions were within 50 yards of the police station when officers stepped into the street. The Sharpites, with profane abuse, served notice on all that they would preach right "under the eyes of the police station, and the police cannot prevent us."

The officers did not, however, expect serious trouble, and were not prepared for the volley of bullets which met them almost immediately after they appeared on the scene.

A riot call brought policemen from all directions. Thoroughly aroused, the officers closed in on Sharp and his followers, firing as they went. When the firing ceased "Adam God" was fatally wounded.

The woman and the children fled to a houseboat on the Missouri river. Fifty policemen followed them and found that the woman had barricaded herself in the houseboat. Standing on the boat with a shotgun she shouted to the officers, "Come on, you fiends." The boat was only a few feet from the bank of the river and several officers dashed toward it. The woman dropped her weapon, and seizing two of the children, she sprang into a row boat and began to row into the middle of the river. She was ordered to stop, but she only pulled the oars more vigorously. The police fired a volley at the rowboat. One struck Lola Pratt, tearing away the greater part of the child's face. She died later. The woman then surrendered.

At the police station she said she was Mrs. Pratt, wife of one of the companions of "Adam God," and mother of the dead child.

Louis Pratt, who was with the preacher when the first shooting took place, was arrested uninjured.

Winnipeg, Dec. 9.—John Sharpe, the man who styled himself "Adam God," and whose career as religious fanatic ended in bloody battle in Kansas City yesterday, is the man who last July invaded Canada from Missouri and for two or three weeks defied the Provincial Governments of Manitoba and Saskatchewan, and the Royal Northwest Mounted Police.

Will Fight the Dutch.

Caracas, Venezuela, Dec. 4.—(via Willemstad, Curacao, Dec. 9.—The Government has resolved to fire on the first Dutch warship that commits an unfriendly act, and the beginnings of what may develop into a strong movement against President Castro have been noticed.

It was learned here to-day that President Castro recently closed negotiations for the purchase in Germany of three gunboats.

FIAT IS REFUSED BY SIR JAMES

Premier Whitney Denies Application Regarding Power Question.

APPLIES TO LONDON CASE

Acting in Absence of Hon. J. J. Foy, Leader of Provincial Government Decides That Hydro Should Not Become a Party to Beardmore Suit Against Toronto—Another Application Is Possible.

Toronto, Dec. 8.—Sir James Whitney, Acting Attorney-General, has refused to grant a fiat making the Hydro-Electric Power Commission a party with the city in the suit, brought by Mr. W. D. Beardmore. The decision, which was made public last evening, also applies to the case of Smith v. London. However, in the judgment there is a clause by which the applications may be renewed after the opening of the Legislature. The full text of the judgment is as follows:

"These applications were fully argued before me by counsel representing the different interests on the 1st of December. I am expected, apparently on the mere statement of a plaintiff that the members of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission were guilty of fraud and deception, as set out in the statements of claim, to assume the truth of the statement, and, therefore, grant a fiat. Under this doctrine it would be simply necessary for a plaintiff to interject into his pleading any allegation calculated, if true, to justify the issue of a fiat, and a fiat would follow as a matter of course. As I cannot agree with this, and as under such circumstanes fiats have been many times refused, I do not see my way clear to grant these applications.

"Apart from the question of fraud, the plaintiffs' contention in each case rests upon the view that the Municipal Councils had not the power under the statute to finally enter into contracts with the Hydro-Electric Power Commission without submitting the terms of them to the ratepayers. I have personal knowledge that this was not the intention of the Legislature, and I cannot divest myself of this knowledge. It may be that at its next session, which cannot now be long delayed, the Legislature may make a declaration on the subject.

"In refusing the applications now I reserve the leave to the applicants to renew them, after the opening of the session."

At the meeting held in Windsor after the recent visit of Hon. Adam Beck, it was decided to invite all the cities and towns between St. Thomas and Windsor to a power conference on Friday next at 1.30 p.m. The representatives have been asked to submit the amount of power their municipalities will be likely to require.

The conference will deliberate with a view to the submission of electric-power bylaws in January. The Hydro-Electric Commission have until February to close the additional contracts arranged for at the cheap rates under the original McGulgan contract. Prompt action by the municipalities in the west will enable these rates to be taken advantage of.

To Prohibit Hop Substitutes.

London, Dec. 9.—A bill prohibiting the use of hop substitutes in the manufacture of beer was introduced in the House of Commons yesterday by Chancellor of the Exchequer David Lloyd-George.

This bill, which the tariff reformers hail as a protective measure, was read for the first time. In addition to stopping the use of hop substitutes, it prohibits the importation of hops except in bags properly marked.

Crozier Case To-Day.

Milton, Dec. 9.—Thomas M. Crozier was not arraigned here yesterday on the rehearing of the charge of counterfeiting, upon which he was given nine years by Magistrate Shields a month ago.

He is expected to plead guilty when he comes up to-day.

Criminal Cases at Owen Sound.

Owen Sound, Dec. 9.—At a sitting of the grand jury of the general sessions of the peace yesterday afternoon true bills were returned against Robert Breckels, charged with perjury, and Robert Catis, accused of shooting with intent to do serious bodily harm.

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Running Athletics Hockey

EXAMINER "A" BOWLERS MAKE IT A BLANK FOR THE B. A. C.

The Examiner A team took three straight games from the B.A.C. last night in the Peterborough Ten Pin league series at the P.B.C., the losers attributing their reverses in a large measure to the rigid enforcement of the foul-line rule which worked a hardship upon Best and Bruce, who was playing under the new conditions for the first time. The scores were small all along the line, though Huston managed to roll a very fair average. Cairns made his first appearance with the team but being out of practice did not show his real merit. McCrea was high man for the losers, his best single being 159, and his aggregate 410.

To-night Hutch's Hams and the Lock Works come together, and the last named is counting upon taking three games. The lunches think otherwise and have been putting in a lot

The scores last night follow:

B. A. C.

Bruce	129	134	104—367
Best	100	117	104—321
McRae	141	110	159—410
	370	361	367—1098

Examiner A.

Huston	146	164	149—459
Cairns	114	131	129—377
Lasheur	145	153	133—435
	405	453	413—1271

PETERBORO' TO HAVE TWO O. H. A. TEAMS—BIG MEETING FRIDAY NIGHT

Peterborough is to be represented in the O.H.A. this season by an intermediate and junior O.H.A. team, at least that is what it looks like at the present moment, and the fans will no doubt be glad to hear the announcement. Yesterday it was decided to enter two teams, and a telegram was sent to W. A. Hewitt, at the O.H.A., notifying him of the club's intention to have two teams this season. A meeting of all those interested in hockey will be held on Friday night of this week at the Oriental Hotel, when officers will be elected and other arrangements made for commencing this season. Every one who is a hockey enthusiast, whether as a player or a fan is asked to be present as much important business is to come up.

The Examiner is informed on good authority that all the older players who have helped to win championships for Peterborough in the past, will turn out again this season, and a big effort will be made to carry off the honours. The old guard will form the nucleus of what should prove a team that will be decidedly hard to beat as there are a number of speedy young players who will step in and fill the vacancies. There should be a big attendance on Friday night.

THE LAKEFIELD HOCKEY CLUB ORGANIZED FOR CITY LEAGUE

Lakefield will again be in the City Hockey League this winter. Mr. W. W. Leonard, a representative of the northern Club was in the city yesterday and announced their entry. The annual meeting of the club was held on Monday night, officers were elected and the decision reached that there would be doings in hockey circles in Lakefield this year.

The following patrons and patronesses were appointed:

Rev. W A and Mrs. MacKenzie.
Mr. and Mrs. A S Butchart.
Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Crawford.
Mr. and Mrs. C S Tanner.
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Executive Committee—J M Bygott, Wm. Campbell, Reggie Murdutt, W. L Hurl.

WRESTLING.

Artie Edmunds won the wrestling bout in Toronto last night with Young Roeber, getting the decision on a foul. The New Yorker, however, gave the pocket Hercules an awful argument getting three falls. Edmunds protested the second fall and although Referee Hewitt decided that it should count Roeber was game, and decided not to claim it as a fall. His sportsmanlike action, however ultimately lost him the match. The conditions were the best three out of five falls, somewhat unusual requirements in the wrestling game.

HOCKEY

The Belmont Club are considering placing a team in the City Hockey League.

TURF.

Some of the members of the Turf Club are turning out regularly on the track, which, they say, will soon be in fine condition. Any persons wishing to drive on it may do so. In the afternoons the turf men are found working out, preparing for the Christmas matinee and the winter races.

T. Hendry appointed the following members active scrutineers for the election of officers, Bros. Record, Oliver and Gilbert.

the election of oficers resulted as follows.

C.R.—R J Goodenough.
P.C.A.—Bro T Hendry.
S.C.R.—A Brotherson.
Treas.—S. Adlam, acc.
Sec—R J McWilliams, acc.
S. Sec—A H Dryland, acc.
Sr. W—Jas. Shields.
Jr. W—R N Hopkins
Sr. B—Chas. Joyce.
Jr. B—Bro. Jas Elliott.
Chap—D. Hamilton.
Med. O.—Drs. Scott and Amys.
Trustees—Bros. Tremain, Oliver, Hanwell.
Auditors—Bros. Record, Johnston, and Gilbert.
Pianoist—Asa Huycke.
Cor. to A. F.—Bro S Adlam.
Delegate to High Court—Bro T. Hendry Alt. Geo R Record.
Arb. Com.—Bros R Goodenough, S. Adlam, R J McWilliams, Geo R Record, Geo. Remain, Jas. McDonald, H Hanwell.

COURT STANLEY ELECTED THEIR OFFICERS

Bro. R. J. Goodenough is Chief Ranger for the Year—Other Officers.

At the regular meeting of Court Stanley, A. O. F. held last night in S.O.E hall, there was a very large attendance of members. Bro. Hendry presided. After the business of the Court had been concluded, the chief ranger, Bro.

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YOUNG LADIES' MISSION BAND ELECT OFFICERS

The officers of the Young Ladies' Mission Band of St. Andrew's church elected last night are as follows:

Pres.—Miss Langford.
1st Vice-Pres.—Miss Jean Kennedy.
2nd Vice-Pres.—Miss Ethel Tully.
Sec.—Miss Shearer.
Treas.—Miss Ethel Richardson.
Organists—Miss Ethel Tully and Miss Ross.
Convenors of Committees—Clothing—Miss Allen. Social—Miss King.

JUDGE WELLER DID NOT PRESIDE

Was Interested in the Case and Judge Harding of Lindsay Acted.

Judge Harding, of Lindsay, presided at the County Court Sessions today, owing to Judge Weiler being personally interested in the case which was heard. In this action the plaintiff, Frederick W. Wickins, is a civil engineer residing at Norwood, and the defendant, Helena Louise Grover, is a widow residing in Kingston. The plaintiff claims the sum of $164.00 and interest thereon, with judgment for professional work rendered in the capacity of an architect, surveyor and in other ways. Mr. Geo. J. Sherry, Norwood, appeared for plaintiff, and Mr. R. E. Wood for defendant.

THE MISSING ENGINEER RETURNS TO OWEN SOUND

Will Swear He Had Nothing To Do With Bribing Detectives.

Examiner Special.

Owen Sound, Dec. 9.—George Pumple, the C.P.R. engineer, missing in the liquor case, has returned. He says he had nothing to do with bribing Stewart and Pownall, the detectives, and if they were on his train they rode the bumpers. He was not with Tucker on the night in question and will swear to this in court to-morrow.

FIVE DOCTORS GAVE HER UP!

ULCERS AND SORES DEFIED ALL TREATMENT.

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"One medical man after another gave my case up, and until I had consulted five different doctors, and they were all baffled by my case. Then I went into hospital and was there five months, and came away very little better. The sores were so extensive, and I was so weakened that I had to walk with a stick and a crutch. This was my condition when first I began to use Zam-Buk. I applied it to the sores, and in a few days I thought I saw an improvement. I persevered with the balm and, to cut a long story short, the wonderful balm did what all the doctors had failed to do—healed my ulcers. I have now put away my stick and crutch, the ulcers and sores are healed, and I take this opportunity of strongly advising all who suffer from sores, ulcers, or open wounds to give Zam-Buk a proper trial.'

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	Opening	Closing
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Atch	98¾	98½
B.R.T.	56	57½
C.P.R.	177	177½
Erie	35	35
Great Northern	143¾	144
I.N.	123	124
Mo. Pac.	66¾	66½
Northern Pacific	142¾	143¾
N.Y.C.	117¾	117¾
Penna	129¾	130¾
R.I.	24¼	24¼
Rdg.	141½	142¾
Smelters	90¾	91¾
Soo.	—	—
St. Paul	151¾	151
S.P	119¾	120½
U.P.	183¼	183¾
U.S	65¾	66
U.S. pf'd.	118	118
Twin City	94¼	94¼
Nipissing	10¼	10½
May-Wheat	106¾	107¾
" Corn	69¾	69
May Oats	53	53
" Pork	16.15	16.15

LADIES' BENEVOLENT ORANGE ASSOCIATION TO HOLD CONCERT

A social and entertainment under the auspices of Sentinel Lodge, No. 66, Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association, will be held in the Foresters' Hall George street, on Friday evening, Dec. 14. An excellent musical and literary programme by the best local talent will be given. Refreshments will be served after the programme.

It is expected that the Rev. A. H. Bruce, of Cobourg, and Mr. R. H. Holland, of Port Hope, will be present and deliver addresses. Admission, adults 25c., children 10c. God Save the King. 5d109

CHARGED WITH PERJURY.

E. Kenyon Stow, Cobalt Capitalist, Arrested in Toronto.

Toronto, Dec. 9.—Justice Riddell yesterday afternoon ordered the arrest of E. Kenyon Stow, defendant in a mining action involving $51,300 damages in the non-jury Assizes.

At the close of the hearing Justice Riddell in giving judgment to the plaintiff declared that Stow had sworn falsely when he said that he had not promised to give 10 per cent. of the stock of a mining company to J. Carling Kelly and ordered his arrest for perjury.

Stow was taken into custody by Detective Kennedy upon a warrant which the detective swore to, the charge being:

"That E. Kenyon Stow as part of his evidence under oath in open court made an assertion that he did not agree to give one T. Carling Kelly ten per cent. of the stock of a company to be formed to take over the Otisse Mining Co., such assertion being known to said Stow to be false and being intended by him to mislead the court."

Bail has been fixed at $2,000, Stow having offered $1,000 cash. Bail was accepted by S. L. Owens, local manager of the Bank of Ottawa.

Justice Riddell allowed Mr. O'Meara to amend his claim from $51,300 to $100,000.

BRAMPTON MUST VOTE.

Mandamus Issued to Compel Temperance Plebiscite.

Toronto, Dec. 9.—Chief Justice Meredith yesterday issued a mandamus to compel the town council of Brampton to submit a local option bylaw, saying:

"I think it would be the purest formality to hold that this is not the petition signed with the heading upon it. I have more difficulty as to the other point as to whether the prerequisite literal application has been shown."

His lordship quoted from an American authority to the effect that in public matters, as there might be no one whose duty it was to make the application, the literal demand was not necessary.

"That sounds to me like very good sense," remarked the chief justice, "and it ought to be the law of the country."

His lordship also remarked that the loose, careless manner in which the temperance lists often fail to comply with the plain, simple direction of the law, imposed a burden on the public.

EVANS IS ELECTED.

He Wins Mayoralty of Winnipeg Against R. A. C. Manning.

Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 9.—William Sanford Evans was yesterday elected mayor. With six polls to hear from he has 4,134 votes, R. A. C. Manning, 3,091 and the dark horse, W. S. Eades, 82, giving Evans a lead of 1,043.

For controllers, R. D. Waugh and J. W. Cockburn with eleven votes between them, are 1,100 ahead of the next competitors, A. A. McArthur and J. G. Harvey, Joel Baker making a poor fifth.

No figures on the bylaws are obtainable, but it is believed the bylaw for $400,000 for an overhead bridge, and one for $215,400, carried with substantial majorities.

Want City to Assist.

Kingston, Dec. 9.—The Wormwood Piano Co., burned out, want the city to assist in the rebuilding, claiming that the fire protection equipment was inadequate.

A bylaw to bonus the Wormwood Piano Co., to rebuild the factory burned recently, will be voted on in January.

Shot In the Dark.

Kenora, Dec. 9.—Gillroy, held for murder in the shooting and killing of Richard Denna, declares the shooting was done in the dark.

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For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago ..... 4.35 a m
For Burketon, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto ..... 7.30 a m
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points ..... 4.35 p m

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Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Gravenhurst, North Bay, Sturgeon Falls and Toronto — 11.00 a.m. 9.30 a.m. / 3.00 p.m. 11.55 a.m.
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Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Cobourg, Montreal and Boston — 3.00 p.m. 11.55 a.m. / 9.35 a.m. 9.40 p.m.
Toronto, Lindsay, Sturgeon Falls and Montreal — 11.00 a.m. 7.10 a.m. / 3.00 p.m. 9.35 p.m. / 10.10 p.m. 11.55 a.m.
Lindsay Local — 9.35 a.m. 9.40 p.m.
Havelock, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East — 9.30 a.m. 9.35 a.m. / 3.00 p.m. 1.55 p.m.
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TOWN TOPICS

PROBS.—Moderate winds, a few light local snow falls, but generally fair and cold to-day and on Thursday.

B. A. C. Meeting.
—The B. A. C. will meet to-morrow evening, when the nomination of officers for the coming year will be held.

No Court to-day
—The "house was dark" at the police court this morning, and for the first time in many days there were no court proceedings.

Piano Tuning
—Piano tuning promptly attended to. Satisfaction guaranteed. A. F. Hoover, 223 McDonel street. 'Phone —Bell 199k, Machine 199.

Overcoat Found
—There is an overcoat at the police station which was picked up on the market on Saturday, and for which Chief Rossel would like to find an owner.

Concert
—The Onward Young Ladies' Bible Class of George street Methodist church, are holding their annual concert in the school room on Friday night. 1d

All Saint's Bazaar
—Remember the All Saints' girls and boys' bazaar, Friday evening, Dec. 11, 1908, All Saints' church, sale of fancy goods, candies. Light tea will be served. 2d109

The Toboggan Slide
—The slide at Jackson Park is being prepared for shooting the chutes, and the announcement that it will be ready for opening may be expected at short notice.

Winter Term
—It will pay any ambitious young person to read on page one, the new advertisement of the old established Commercial School, located in the city of Peterborough. The winter term opens January 4th. 6d108

Fire, Water and Light Committee
—There will be a meeting of the Fire, Water and Light Committee of the City Council this evening at the City Clerk's office. The question of insurance for the firemen will come up for discussion.

Is Your Piano in Tune?
—The change of season affects pianos as well as everything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano-maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Historical Society
—The annual meeting of the Peterborough Historical Society will be held in the Library of the Collegiate Institute on Friday evening, the 11th inst., at 8 p.m. A full attendance of members, and others interested, is requested.

Concert
—Don't overlook the concert of the Onward Young Ladies' Bible Class, of the George street Methodist church in the school room on Friday evening. Good programme. Admission 15c, or 2 for 25c. Children 10c. 2d109

St. Andrew's Service
The prayer meeting service at St. Andrew's Church will be held at 8 o'clock, subject Psalm 122: 11—"I was glad when they said unto me let us go into the house of the Lord."
This session will meet at the close of the prayer meeting.
A Communicants Class will meet at 7.30 to-night in the Guild Room.

Annual Meeting
—The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of St. Paul's church, will hold their annual meeting in the Sunday school room of the church, on Friday, December 11th, at 3.30 p.m. Mrs. Geforth, of Honan, China, will address the meeting. All women interested in missionary work are invited. The members will meet at three o'clock in the Guild Room for the election of officers.

Annual Thank Offering
—The annual thankoffering of the Women's Mission Circle of the Park street Baptist church, will be held on Thursday evening, December 10, at eight o'clock. The programme will consist of an address by Miss McCalla, Y.W.C.A. secretary; a Bible reading by Mrs. H. P. Kennedy, and special musical selections. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

THE EXAMINER welcomes all Items of Interest for this column. Phone 294 or send post card with name and address.

Mr. R. B. Dargavel, of Toronto, was registered at the National last evening.

Mr. Bangham, of the Asphalt Block Paving Company, Walkerville, is in the city; the guest of Chief W. A. Howard.

Miss Mae Edwards and her sister, Irene, of 425 Sherbrooke street, have gone to Toronto, where they will reside for the winter.

Master Walter Vam, who has been confined to the Nicholls Hospital with appendicitis has been removed to his home, and is recovering rapidly.

Mr. A. E. Armstrong, of Ottawa, until recently on the local staff of the Trent Canal Department, was in the city, having returned from an extended trip to the Pacific coast.

Mr. Charles Barber, of the Bank of Montreal staff, spent Sunday in Hastings, the guest of Mr. L. F. Clarry.

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THE QUESTION OF CHURCHES AND DINING ROOMS

Mr. Frederick C. Moore Contributes Letter—An Answer to Mr. Carlisle.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

Dear Sir,—With your kind permission I would like to give my opinion about this "something," that my dear friend Mr. Carlisle is protesting against. Irishmen have the privilege of speaking twice, that is, if he speaks under a wrong impression "or makes a mistake," or happens to judge wrong. He can speak again and perhaps express himself more correctly. I think Mr. Carlisle not only misunderstands the reason why the social gatherings are held in churches, but perhaps also misunderstands what Paul meant in the quotation he asks us to read. I would ask if Mr Carlisle would inquire into the need of such gatherings as he condemns and find out just what they are held for, and also look into his quotation and see what it particularly refers to. There is one lesson in it for all of us, and that is not to back-bite and talk ill of one another. Allow me to quote Bloomfield & Doddridge on this particular portion of scripture:

"Here schisms and heresies are taken in the same sense as meaning divisions and parties in the church, but the latter term is now generally applied to separations from it upon matters of faith. The Apostle terms as divisions (or schisms) the want of regard, and of sympathy of feeling, and unity of spirit, described verse 20, as existing among the Corinthians, which doubtless led to many unhappy and unhallowed altercations.

"This apparently refers to the agape or love-feast, accompanying and at times preceding the Lord's supper. To this each brought a portion and the more wealthy seem to have taken again the food they brought, almost to the exclusion of the poorer sort, who thus would fare scantily and feel mortified. Bloomfield says:—'The fault with which they are charged is gross selfishness at a meal united with the eucharistical one and formed on such principles of Christian charity and brotherly communion as would be a proper introduction or supplement to it. These love-feasts are alluded to in Jude 12, and seem to have been joined to the Lord's supper in imitation of our Lord's uniting it to the passover feast. Some have thought that the Corinthians confounded partaking of the Lord's supper with their usual meals. Doddridge remarks that Socrates reproves other Greeks, the Athenians, for similar conduct at their common suppers."

My own opinion of social gatherings in connection with church work is that they are necessary for the bringing together of young people in our cities away from home and living in lodgings. These people's home must be the church and God forbid that the time may ever come when the church will be closed against such gatherings.

In London, England, and Dublin, Ireland, the mission halls and churches in some of the poorer districts, and not only the poorer ones, are kept open day and night for homeless folk and others who have not a good home of their own, where their sad hearts are made glad and happy. I have no doubt Mr. C. has seen similar work done in Belfast, Ireland—Christ-like people not only come to provide a happy time with singing and music, etc., but also out of love and kindness bring good things to eat.

It has been my privilege to attend a church of this kind in Dublin where social gatherings were a weekly affair and were absolutely necessary.

This church was our home and I have great reason to thank God for the kindness shown me there, and, Mr. Editor, if you will pardon my writing just a few words with reference to myself since coming to this country, I was a stranger in a strange land, but the good people of Toronto and Peterborough who have been so thoughtful as to have these gatherings, have enabled me to meet friend after friend, and to feel perfectly at home, *even if I* am away far from my dear old Irish home, by the side of the road. God bless the promoters of such gatherings as enable us to meet and know each other and help each other to live a better and purer life.

Yours truly,
FREDERICK C. MOORE,
599 Harvey street.
Peterborough, Dec. 8, 1908.

OBITUARY.

NETTIE HANLON

The Sharon Herald gives the following notice of the death of a young lady who was well known in this city and who had relatives residing in this district, Mr. Jas. Hanlon of Otonabee being an uncle.

Nov. 5th, 1908—To her wide circle of friends and acquaintances news of the death of Miss Nettie Hanlon, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs Richard Hanlon, which occurred about 11 o'clock Thursday morning at the family home on East State street, came with startling suddenness and was heard with genuine sorrow. Few knew that she was ill and those who did know were not aware tha ther condition was at all serious. She had been confined to the house since Tuesday, suffering apparently only from a severe cold. Her health was always delicate and her ailment developed into pleural pneumonia.

Miss Hanlon was a charming and accomplished young woman. She was born in Sharon 22 years ago and had spent her entire life here. She attended the public schools, but was compelled to give up her studies after reaching the Freshman class in the High School. She was a musician of more than ordinary ability, having graduated several year ago from St. Nicholastica's Academy. Miss Hanlon was a member of the Sacred Heart church and took an active part in church affairs. She is survived by her parents one sister, Frances, and one brother John. The funeral will probably be held at 8 o'clock Monday morning from the Sacred Heart church.

Christmas Bargains at China Hall

CHINA HALL IS GIVING SPECIAL BARGAINS IN ALL KINDS OF CHRISTMAS GOODS TO ENCOURAGE EARLY SHOPPING. : : : : : : :

Our stock is most complete and the finest we ever carried. An early visit would be a profitable and pleasant one. : : :

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FOR A FEW DAYS at Cash Prices that will make the housekeeper happy. The best quality. The lowest price.

21 lbs. Standard Granulated Sugar for..... 1.00
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3 STORES 3

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Large size, hemmed, splendid value at 15c each.
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For Father and Mother

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The A B C's Of The Municipal Elections—Information In Detail For Those Who Vote Jany. 4

New System of Electing Aldermen Instituted This January—The Change in Boundaries of the Wards—New Polling Divisions.

THREE BY-LAWS ON TICKET

NOMINATIONS—Monday, Dec. 28
ELECTIONS—Monday, January 4.

For Mayor, Aldermen, Board of Education and Water Commissioner.

Six Alderman obtaining highest votes will hold office for two years.

The other six retire at end of first year.

Hereafter only six Aldermen will be elected at a time, as long as the new system remains.

By-laws will be voted on for the issuing of debentures for the Smith street bridge, the expenses of filling the water front and street extensions, and also the purchase of the Exhibition grounds. Total, $100,500.00.

Rate of interest on debentures 4 1-4 Per Cent.

In a few short weeks the annual nominations for civic honours will be held and a week later the people will have the opportunity of electing their representatives to look after the city's welfare for the coming year. With this in view, a few of the necessary details connected with the method of carrying out the work, have been secured for benefit of those ratepayers whose names are on the voting list for the municipal election.

The nominations will be held on Monday, December 28th, in the Council Chambers, at ten o'clock for Water Commissioner and for the vacancies on the Board of Education, and at noon on the same day and in the same place for the Mayoralty and City Council. Mr. T. F. Matthews is the retiring member of the Water Commission and Messrs. B. F. Ackerman, Robt. Fair, W. S. Robinson and Dr. M. A. Morrison are the members of the Board of Education whose terms expire this year.

Vote on By-laws

There are three by-laws which will also be presented to the electors, the total amount of money involved being $100,500. There is one to provide for the issuing of debentures to raise $49,000 for a new bridge over the Otonabee at Smith street, a second is $30,000 to purchase the Exhibition grounds and the third is for $21,500 for the expenses of filling in the water front and for street extensions.

A New System

At this election a new law comes into effect in regard to the constitution of the council. Twelve aldermen will be elected, as has been the custom for several years, but the six securing the largest number of votes will hold office for two years, while the other six will retire at the end of the first year, and after that six will be elected each year, as long as the system remains in force.

The New Wards

SOUTH WARD—The south ward is composed of all that part of the city lying south of Sherbrooke street and west of the river.

CENTRE WARD—This ward is bounded on the south by Sherbrooke street, on the east by the river, on the north by McDonel street, and on the west by Bethune street.

WEST WARD—The west ward is composed of all that part of the city between Sherbrooke and McDonel streets west of Bethune street.

NORTE WARD—This ward consists of all that part of the city north of McDonel street and west of the river.

EAST WARD—The east ward is all that part of the city east of the river.

The Polling Booths

Simultaneous with the new arrangement of the city into wards, the polling divisions have been somewhat changed and three new polling divisions have been created. The places where the voters will cast their ballots this year are given in the following, with the boundaries of the divisions and the returning officer at each booth:

In the South Ward

No 1—Is all that part of the south ward south of Townsend street and east of Aylmer street. The polling place is M. H. Halpin's shop, 20 George street; Josiah Robertson, deputy returning officer.

No 2—That part of the south ward south of Townsend street and west of Aylmer street. Polling place R. C. Braund's store; W. VanEvery, deputy returning officer.

No. 3—All the south ward north of Townsend street. Polling place Louis Spry's shop, 210 Stewart street; F. J. A. Hall, deputy returning officer.

In the Centre Ward

No. 4—All centre ward east of George street and south of Brock street. Polling place, City Council Chambers; T. B. McGrath, deputy returning officer.

No. 5—All the centre ward south of Hunter street and west of George street. Polling place, J. Jay's shop, 336 Aylmer street; D. H. Barritt, deputy returning officer.

No. 6—All the centre ward west of George street and north of Hunter street, and also that part north of Brock street. Polling place, J. M. W. Metherall's shop, 464 Aylmer street; J. R. Metherall, deputy returning officer.

In the West Ward

No. 7—All the west ward between Sherbrooke street and Charlotte street Polling place, G. Matthew's south end store, corner of Sherbrooke and Park streets; Mr. E. J. Hartley, deputy returning officer.

No 8—All the west ward between Charlotte and Brock and Weller streets Polling place, A. J. Warne's store, 356 Charlotte street; J. M. Greene, deputy returning officer.

No. 9—All the west ward north of Brock and Weller streets. Polling place, N. Routley's, 392 Brock street; A. Sawers, deputy returning officer.

In the North Ward

No. 10—All the north ward east of Aylmer street and south of Edinburgh street. Polling place, Mrs. Mann's, 601 George street; George Howson, deputy returning officer.

No. 11—All that part of the north ward west of Aylmer street. Polling place, John James' store, 332 McDonel street; F. Bartlett, deputy returning officer.

No. 12—All north ward east of Aylmer street and north of Edinburgh street. Polling place, Mrs. Wm. Lee's shop, Smith street; T. W. Robinson, deputy returning officer.

In the East Ward

No. 13—All that part of the east ward south of Hunter street. Polling place, the former village hall; John Malone, deputy returning officer.

No 14—All that part of the east ward north of Hunter street. Polling place, Mrs. Swanston's residence, 44 Hunter street east; Jas. McDonald, deputy returning officer.

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Christmas things will occupy a good deal of your attention just now, the same as they do with us, but don't lose sight of the fact that our business first and foremost is a Drug Store. Our Prescription Department is looked after with the utmost care. Every Prescription filled at this store is checked by our new check system and it costs you no more than where less attention is paid to Prescription work.

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BOY STARTS FIRE—BURNING BARNS, OUTBUILDINGS AND THREE CATTLE NEAR OMEMEE

Examiner Special

Omemee, Dec. 10.—The barns and out-buildings with the contents belonging to T. B. Laidley, Elmhurst Farm, two miles from here, were burned at six o'clock this morning. The stock and horses were saved with the exception of three head of cattle. The fire was started by a Home boy who skipped across the fields and has not yet been captured.

Hangman Radcliffe To Send Three Men To Eternity At Once

Examiner Special

Ottawa, Dec. 10.—Official Hangman Radcliffe is on his way to New Westminster, B.C., to officiate at a triple hanging on December 18th. The doomed men are John Pertella, William Jenkins and Lee Clung. The first two are negroes and the last a Chinaman. Radcliffe has not as yet officiated at a triple hanging, but ten years ago he hung two men together at St. Thomas, Ontario. This time he has the task of sending all three to eternity at once, and as he has always been successful in his tasks, he will likely succeed in making a new record on the calendar of Canadian criminal history.

The Crystal Completely Renovated; Will Open Its Doors On Saturday

The patrons of that popular little theatre "The Crystal," will have difficulty in recognizing their favourite amusement house when its doors are open to the public on Saturday afternoon. During the past two weeks carpenters and decorators have been hard at work and as a result the theatorium is completely renovated and changed inside. The hall has been enlarged by an extension at the back and the floor has been lowered so that a good view of the screen can be obtained from any part of the house. The seating capacity has been largely increased by the improvement and the Crystal will be able to accommodate large crowds. However, the proprietor, Mr. Edwards has not been content with enlarging his theatre, but has also gone to considerable expense in decorating the interior with the result that he has one of the prettiest little theatoriums in Canada. Two boxes in theatre style have been constructed, one on each side of the hall, and adorned with neat brass railings, add considerably to the effect. The orchestra has been provided with room immediately in front of the stage, and their section is also cut off by a railing. The wall and ceilings have been done in attractive shades of red and green, the walls being burlap with artistic panels. The whole effect is charming and will surprise the Crystal patrons.

Mr. Hipperson has been the contractor in charge of the carpenter work, while Mr. Watson has looked after the decorating and painting. Both are to be congratulated upon the work they have turned out.

Team Of Horses Fell Through Trestle Bridge On G. T. R. Track

How a team of horses can run at break neck speed down a railroad track and half way across a trestle bridge, finally to lose their footing and become tangled in their harness and lie helpless across the beams and rails, how they could go through this experience and escape without a broken bone is more than a few residents in the vicinity of Murray street can understand.

Last night, after six o'clock, a team of horses belonging to R. Hicks & Co., started to run away from a house on Aylmer street, and dashed northward to Murray, where they turned west to Bethune, up Bethune to McDonel and around by Rubidge street until they came to the G. T. R. track, when they suddenly turned on to the track and ran towards the station. They reached the bridge over the creek and got almost half way across before their feet went down between the beams.

A number of men quickly assembled, word was sent to the G. T. R. station, and danger signals were placed on either side of the bridge. A load of lumber was brought from Hicks yards and as the horses struggled the boards were placed under them until they were finally extricated. Many expressions of wonderment were heard when it was learned that neither of the animals had been seriously injured.

KEEP THIS DATE OPEN

A delightful Operetta will be presented on Friday evening, Dec. 11th, in St. Peter's School Hall, by the children. Pretty choruses and fascinating drills. Reserved Seats, 50 cents; Rush Seats, 25 cents.

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THE WEATHER

There was a decided drop in the thermometer last night. Eighteen degrees below zero, or 50 degrees of frost, was registered. The air was calm, and the intense cold was not so severely felt.

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Via Grand Trunk Railway System, between all stations in Canada, also to Detroit and Port Huron, Mich., Buffalo, Black Rock, Niagara Falls and Suspension Bridge, N.Y.

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NO ROOM FOR REST.

A go-ahead Government can never find rest. Its energy and enterprise make work for itself. The Liberal Government's energetic immigration policy by increasing the population of the West has increased the grain-growing capacity pari passu. This has made necessary the construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific and Hudson Bay railways. These in turn will call for a still more energetic immigration propaganda and this in turn will call for enlarged facilities for transportation. The Government can never rest.

The water of Niagara Falls, on its way oceanward, reaches tide-water in twenty-three hours.

RURAL DELIVERY AND ROADS.

Rural mail delivery is now in operation on 945,087 miles of road in the United States. Of these roads 35,000 miles are macadam, the remainder being earth, sand or gravel. Since the service was first established $70,632,162 has been expended on roads traversed by rural carriers. Road officials and patrons are notified whenever repairs are necessary on rural routes. More work has been done on such public highways and more expenditures made in their improvements during the past year than in any previous year in the history of rural delivery, and the official reports received clearly indicate that interest in road improvement is being generally manifested throughout the country. If the institution of rural delivery in Canada is to lead to an improvement in the highways such as has taken place in the United States its advent will indeed be a greater blessing to this young country than rural free mail delivery itself. This will certainly be the case, if it is made a condition of free delivery that the highways along which the routes are to be maintained are of a certain standard. No investment the Government can make will yield such varied and valuable returns, in saving of time, wear and tear of horseflesh and vehicles, as liberal expenditure of money in providing public highways.

Canadian wheat was exported to Great Britain in the five months ending August, to the value of $13,425,503.

CIVIC TAXATION.

At this season of the year, when the municipal elections loom in view, the ratepayers of Brockville will be interested in the comparative returns to the Provincial Government by Ontario cities with reference to their assessment, taxation, totality and per head and their rate. According to the figures last submitted (1907) the lowest rate of taxation was 17.3 mills and the least amount collected per head of population, $6.87 was that of Guelph, which has a municipal street railway, waterworks, electric light plant, and the usual civic utilities. This, it is said, has been reduced this year still lower—to fourteen mills. The next lowest in collection per head is Peterborough $8.53, Fort William $9.20, Kingston $9.35, Port Arthur $9.84. The biggest amount of taxes per head of population is that of Chatham with $17.89 Toronto coming second with $14.94, and Ottawa third with $12.13. The mill rate of Chatham 36.4 is the highest, while Belleville has 27.9, and Niagara Falls 27.4. Details of population, assessment, will be of interest for comparative purposes;

Brockville; Population 8,926, assessment $3,660,295; total taxes $98,953.67, per head $11.08, rate 26 mills;

Guelph; Population 13,700 assessment $5,540,930, total taxes $94,056, per head $6.87, rate 17.3.

Belleville; Population 9,515, assessment $4,018,930, total taxes $112,322, taxes per head $11.80, mill rate 27.9

Brantford; Population 19,899, assessment $10,452,116, total taxes $246,195, per head $12.37, rate 23.6.

Chatham; Population 9,942, assessment $4,855,409, taxes $177,839, per head $17.89, rate 36.4.

Fort William; Population 13,882, assessment $6,326,270, taxes $127,751, per head $9.20, rate 20.2.

Kingston Population 18,626, assessment $7,937,240, taxes $173,753, per head $9.33, rate 24.6.

Niagara Falls; Population 8,976, assessment $3,959,005, total taxes $108,528, per head $12.09, rate 27.4.

Ottawa; Population 69,893, assessment $41,318,150, taxes $937,737, per head $14.13, rate 23.9.

Peterborough; Population 16,000, assessment $7,067,231, total taxes $136,417, per head $8.53, rate 19.3.

Port Arthur; Population 13,576, assessment $7,149,846, taxes $133,613, per head $9.84, rate 18.7.

St. Catharines; Population 12,295, assessment $6,084,985, taxes $149,281, per head $12.14, rate 24.5.

St. Thomas; Population 13,414, assessment $7,194,846, taxes $133,615, per head $11.21, mills 25.4.

Stratford; Population 14,069, assessment $6,018,310, taxes $157,183, per head $11.17, rate 26.1.

Toronto; Population 282,800, assessment $185,297,806, taxes $4,073,785, per head $14.94, rate 22.0.

Windsor, Population 15,417, assessment $8,184,280, taxes $190,529, per head $12.36, rate 23.3.

The total exports of Canada for the twelve months ending August, 1907, were valued at $260,225,019; for the same period in 1908, the value was $205,956,949.

CANADIAN GRAIN MOVEMENTS.

By returns sent from Winnipeg to the Department of Trade and Commerce, Ottawa, some interesting details of western grain movements are learned. For the three months ended Nov. 30th, double the number of cars of wheat were inspected than during any corresponding period on record; also the percentage of high grade grain was larger, while very few complaints were made as to the inspection. The total number of cars of wheat inspected was 41,750, which at 1,050 bushels of wheat to the car is equal to 43,837,000 bushels, out of a total of some 80 million bushels of the crop of 1908 available for export. In all 48,898 car loads of grain were handled, of which the C.P.R. carried 30,900 car loads, the Canadian Northern 14,212, the Great Northern (to Duluth) 2,604 and the Grand Trunk Pacific, in the two months of its operation carried 1,182 car loads. During the corresponding three months of 1907 the C.P.R. transported 17,985 car loads of grain; the C.N.R., 7,170 car loads, and the Great Northern carried to Duluth 683 car loads.

"The showing," the Ottawa Citizen remarks, "is an excellent one upon several counts. Not only is the proportion of the year's crop moved out during the season of navigation larger than previously recorded, but the quality of the grain is better, and the fact is made manifest that the provision of an additional outlet by means of the Grand Trunk Pacific has not kept pace with the increased productiveness of the West, all of which goes to show that it will eventually require not only the combined facilities of existing railways but also the capacity of the Georgian Bay canal and a railway to Hudson Bay to adequately cope with the Canadian crop moving problem."

Here is a candid admission that even in the interest of the profitable handling of the Northwest wheat crop the building of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway is justified. Thus the logic of facts constrains a Conservative journal to antagonize the policy of its party which has levelled the heavy artillery of its criticism against the Transcontinental Railway. The Examiner has frequently insisted in connection with the construction of the Trent Canal that with its completion and with the completion of all projected railways and means of transportation, there would be inadequate facilities for the proper disposal of the western wheat crop. Mr. Charles M. Hays, President of the Grand Trunk Pacific in an interview with the New York Times, says that with six million acres of Northwest lands under the plough "we have only scratched the surface." What will the harvest be when sixty, instead of six, million acres are producing wheat? If six million acres produced eighty millions of wheat for export, it is easy arithmetic to show that sixty million acres will produce eight hundred millions of wheat for export. The Mother Country takes about 200 millions of breadstuffs per year, so that it will not be long before Canada can supply the wants of the British Islands four times over—can feed the home land and contribute 600,000,000 towards realizing our vaunt at the Queen's Jubilee—"Canada, the Granary of the Empire."

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Eastern Dairyman's Association meets at Prescott on January 6th, 7th and 8th, 1909.

Winnipeg has elected a Conservative as Mayor. This fault is mitigated by the fact that he is a newspaper editor.

According to Osgoode Hall notes, Mr. Justice Britton has appointed Monday, the 14th inst., as the date for the hearing of the preliminary objections of Mr. J. R. Stratton in the West Peterborough election case.

The celibate editor of an evening contemporary writes of "the handsomely lighted room made radiant by the presence of so many lovely girls." Girls like "taffy," but they do not appreciate theoretical appreciation. Appreciation without appropriation is merely sounding brass and tinkling cymbal, which has no relation to the ring of the wedding ring, the true test of the coin of admiration.

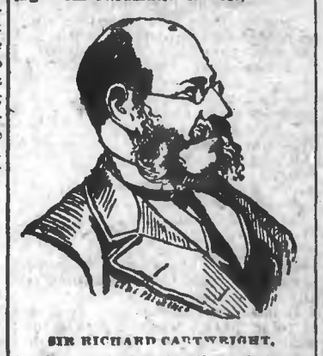
The total amount to the credit of depositors in post office, Government and other savings banks for the year 1908, is $89,500,000. The amount thus on deposit in 1907, was $90,200,000, a difference of only $200,000, the year 1907 was the banner year in a long run of prosperity. The past year we have had a slight pinch of hard times, business of all kinds has been more or less depressed, employment has been less plentiful and less regular, but with all this the people at large, the people of moderate means, who generally resort to savings banks investments have decreased the deposits by withdrawing only, $200,000 out of ninety millions.

LATEST NEWS FROM THE CAPITAL

Sir Richard Cartwright Will Lead Senate—Tory Government of New Brunswick is Doomed—Thanks to Vigilant Precautions of the Government Canada Will Escape Foot and Mouth Disease

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Ottawa, Dec. 10.—It is understood that Hon. R W Scott, who for so many years as Secretary of State, has been the Liberal leader in the Senate, will, now that he has relinquished his portfolio, give way in the leadership for the Government on the Senate floor to the veteran Sir Richard Cartwright. Sir Richard, though suffering from rheumatic trouble, retains



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his keen and alert intellectual vigour, His long Parliamentary experience, and close and constant touch with the progress of public affairs, and his unrivalled ability as a public speaker qualify him to lead the Senate debates with tact and dignity, and to the public advantage.

Mr. F B Carvell, who is visiting here, referring to the rebuff given the Hazen ministry in New Brunswick, in its loss of two local seats recently, says: "If the Hazen ministry went to the country to-morrow it would be wiped off the political map."

The Department of Agriculture states authoritatively that there hasn't been a single case of foot and mouth disease discovered in this Province, and now that the worst of it is over we are pretty sure to escape. The strictest precautions are, however, continued, and will be unrelaxed, till all fear of danger has absolutely disappeared.

Pope Resumes Audiences.

Rome, Dec. 10.—The Pope, appearing greatly restored in health, resumed his audiences yesterday. The Duchess of Norfolk was one of those received by his holiness. She presented to him 300 chalices, the gift of 10,000 Catholic women of Great Britain.

THE MARKETS.

Liverpool and Chicago Wheat Futures Close Lower—Live Stock—Latest Quotations.

Wednesday Evening, Dec. 9.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day ½d higher to ½d lower than yesterday, and corn closed ½d to ¾d lower.

At Chicago, December wheat closed 1½c lower than yesterday, December corn closed 1¾c lower, and December oats closed ¼c higher.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—July $1.04¾ bid, December 96¼c asked, May $1.03 bid.
Oats—December 37¼c bid, May 41¾c bid.

Toronto Grain Markets

Wheat, fall, bush	0 96	to $....
Wheat, red, bush	0 95	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 91	....
Rye, bushel	0 80	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 55	....
Peas, bushel	0 90	....
Barley, bushel	0 53	0 58
Oats, bushel	0 43	0 44

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 26
Butter, store lots	0 23	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb rolls	0 28	0 29
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 40	....
Eggs, cold storage	0 25	....
Cheese, large, lb	0 13½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11
Honey, combs, dozen	2 25	3 75

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 9.—Closing—Wheat—Spot steady; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 11½d. Futures quiet; March 7s 8½d, May 7s 7¾d.

Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, new, via Galveston, steady, 5s 5½d. Futures quiet; Jan. 5s 4½d, March 5s 4½d.

Pork—Prime mess, western, quiet, 79s 3d.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, quiet, 47s 3d; American refined, in pails, dull, 48s 6d.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Butter—Steady; receipts, 2472; creamery, specials, 31½c to 32c; official price, 32c; western factory, firsts, 31c to 31½c.

Cheese—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 2814.

Eggs—Easier; receipts, 9461; western firsts, 37c to 38c; seconds, 32c to 35c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Firmer—U. S. Markets Are About Steady.

LONDON, Dec. 9.—London cables for cattle are steady at 13c to 13½c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9½c to 10c per lb.

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Montreal Live Stock.

MONTREAL, Dec. 9.—At the Canadian Pacific Live Stock Market, the offerings were 1100 cattle, 50 milch cows, 700 sheep and lambs, 100 calves and 1000 hogs.

There were more good cattle on the market to-day than on any day the present season, some 200 of them coming from Manitoba and the northwest. These cattle sold at from 4c to 5c per pound, and a few choice ones at 5¼c per pound; the common stock sold at 2¾c to 3½c per pound. Milch cows sold at $30 to $55 each. Calves sold at 4c to 5c per pound. Sheep sold at 3¼c to 4c per pound, and the lambs at 5c per pound. The demand for hogs was keen and prices were firm at the recent advance. Selected lots sold at $6.00 to $6.75 per 100 pounds, weighed off cars.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Dec. 9.—Cattle—Receipts, 100 head; steady; prime steers, $6.25 to $6.50

Veals—Receipts, 200 head; active and steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 2800 head; active and steady; heavy, $5.90 to $6; yorkers, $5.75 to $5.80; roughs, $5.10 to $5.40; stags, $4 to $4.50; dairies, $5.40 to $5.75.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 5200 head; slow and lower; lambs, $5 to $7.85; yearlings, $5.75 to $6; wethers, $4.75 to $5; ewes, $4.25 to $4.50; sheep, mixed, $3.50 to $4.75; Canada lambs, $6.50 to $7.00.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Dec. 9.—Beeves—Receipts, 125 head; 19 cars on sale; steers firm to 10c higher on limited supply; bulls steady to strong; cows 10c to 15c higher; all sold. Steers, $4.25 to $5.90; oxen, $4 to $5.30; bulls, $3 to $3.90; cows, $1.90 to $3.75.

Calves—Receipts, 353; veals firm to higher; barnyard calves 25c higher; westerns nominal; stock all sold; veals, $5 to $10.50; culls, $5; barnyard calves, $3.50 to $4.25; dressed calves firm; city dressed veals, 9c to 16c; country dressed, 6c to 15c.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 5820; sheep steady to firm; lambs firm to a shade higher; about all sold; sheep, $2.75 to $4.50; choice, $4.75; culls, $1.75 to $2.50; lambs, $5.50 to $7.40; culls, $3 to $5.

Hogs—Receipts, 9177; market steady; good heavy medium state hogs sold at $6.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Dec. 9.—Cattle—Receipts, 20,000; market weak to 15c lower; steers, $4.00 to $7; cows, $3 to $5.25; heifers, $2.50 to $4.60; bulls, $2.75 to $4.50; calves, $2.50 to $8.25; stockers and feeders, $3.50 to $4.85.

Hogs—Receipts, 40,000; market strong to 5c higher; choice heavy shipping, $5.75 to $5.85; butchers, $5.65 to $5.80; light mixed, $5.25 to $5.40; choice light, $5.50 to $5.65; packing, $5.50 to $5.70; pigs, $4 to $5.15; bulk of sales, $5.60 to $5.75.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 22,000; market strong, with choice lambs 25c higher; sheep, $4 to $4.90; lambs, $5.25 to $7.35; yearlings, $4.75 to $6.65.

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EDUCATION FOR FARMER.

Higher Side of Farm Life Dealt With at Guelph Meeting.

Guelph, Dec. 10.—The humanities of farm life and the evangel of higher living on saner lines formed the themes of the addresses at the usual big public meeting of the winter fair.

President Creelman of the college struck a responsive chord in the hearts of all thinking farmers at the meeting, which was packed to the doors. His remarks were taken up by W. F. Maclean, M.P. of South York, and if such doctrines of rational living were preached as broadly and accepted as completely over rural Ontario as they were last night's audience a regeneration in vitality of the people, a financial recuperation and healthier race of hardy stock should result. The high plane of the discussions and the co-operation of a sympathetic audience amply justified the assertion that Canadian talent on the rostrum as far excelled the imported article as day was better than darkness.

Hon. Jas. Duff occupied the chair, and in a breezy address referred to Ontario's wonderful possibilities in soil and rock bed, while material development might go on greatly all progress would prove abortive if the farmer was not educated from within, he said.

Popular Joe Downey, M.P.P., along with Mayor Newstead, made the address of welcome, and again referred to Guelph's claim and support of the winter fair. To these Lieut.-Col. McEwen, president of the fair, and Wm. Smith, ex-M.P., president of the Horse Breeders, replied. Hon. Dr. Landry, Minister of Agriculture of New Brunswick, also spoke.

CORONATION OATH.

British Government Would Leave Out Anti-Romanist Slur.

London, Dec. 10.—In the House of Lords yesterday the Earl of Crewe announced that the Government would introduce a bill changing the coronation oath, so that the clauses denouncing Roman Catholicism as idolatrous would not be in the oath, but not otherwise changing its Protestant features.

Lord Lansdowne, leader of the Conservative Opposition, announced his own and the party's hearty concurrence in the proposal.

The Duke of Norfolk and Lord Ripon, Conservative and Liberal Roman Catholic peers, expressed their gratitude at the announcement, which, they declared would be heartily welcomed by the Roman Catholic people.

The Earl of Kinnaird, an Independent, and leader in many religious movements, especially in home missions, expressed grave doubt about the wisdom of such a change, and was not at all sure that the country would endorse the proposal.

The date of the introduction of the measure was not stated, but it is said it will be one of the earliest bills after the Christmas holidays.

Hops Bill Passes.

London, Dec. 10.—The House of Commons at 3.30 o'clock this morning passed the second reading of the Hops Bill.

The bill prohibits the use of hop substitutes in the manufacture of beer.

The second clause of the measure is regarded as strongly protective, especially against Germany.

Lost, With 25 Men.

Duluth, Minn., Dec. 10.—There is little doubt that the steamer D. M. Clemson went down with all hands near Whitefish Point. Twenty-three hatch covers have been washed ashore and their description convinces the Provident Steamship Co. that they belong to the missing boat. The crew numbered 25.

B. C. Village Shaken.

Vancouver, B.C., Dec. 01.—A shock of earthquake caused great commotion in the Village of Skitgate on Nov. 30, according to news brought yesterday by steamer Celestial Empire. Two small Indian houses fell to the ground and the Indian residents greatly alarmed.

Hon. Geo. E. Foster at St. Kitts.

St. Catharines, Dec. 10.—There was a large turnout of the members of the Canadian Club last night to welcome Hon. Geo. E. Foster, the guest of the evening, who spoke on "Some Things Canada Needs."

To Give Holiday Fares.

Chicago, Dec. 10.—At the regular monthly meeting of the Central Passenger Association here yesterday, it was decided to grant the usual holiday rate on the railroads of the association.

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Preparing For Change.

Toronto, Dec. 10.—Legislation will be needed for the proposed change in the date of the Ontario Government's fiscal year. At present it closes on Dec. 31. It is purposed to close the next year on Oct. 31, necessitating a short term fiscal year of ten months.

Next session of the Legislature will consequently be asked to provide estimates for ten months. In order to carry on the business, however, estimates for the following 12 months will also be submitted. These will necessarily be somewhat light, as many of the expenditures cannot be estimated so far ahead. This will be remedied by providing heavy supplementary estimates in the following session of the Legislature.

It is understood that good progress is being made with the accounts and business will be in good shape for the session early in February.

To Develop Brockville.

Ottawa, Dec. 10.—A meeting of the directors of the proposed Ottawa to Brockville Electric Railway was held here yesterday afternoon, and it was decided to progress the scheme as speedily as possible. The railway is intended to run through Augusta Centre, North Gower, Manotick and Merivale.

One of the ideas of the promoters is to develop Brockville and vicinity as a residential district, the electric railway making it possible for business men to travel to and from the capital daily.

The line will be used as a steam road in order to earn the Government subsidy. The distance is 60 miles.

United States' Bad Year.

Washington, Dec. 10.—The annual report of Mr. Cortelyou, the Secretary of U. S. Treasury, shows a reversal of conditions for the fiscal year 1908, as compared with the fiscal year for 1907. For the latter year the receipts were $84,236,586 in excess of the disbursements. For the fiscal year 1908 the disbursements were $58,070,901 in excess of the receipts, due to business depression and increased appropriations.

Fortunately, the report says, the available cash balance at the beginning of the fiscal year was $272,081,445.

Verdict For $450.

Milton, Dec. 10.—At the Assizes yesterday Allen Kemp, blacksmith of Oakville, was given a verdict for $450 against Harry Giddings, one-time champian athlete of Toronto University.

On June 16 Kemp was kicked on the leg by Giddings and his leg broken, causing contraction of the limb. Giddings alleged that Kemp called him insulting names and dared him to fight.

Aged and Wealthy.

New York, Dec. 10.—Miss Mary Goodwin Pinkney is dead of pneumonia, at the Hotel Buckingham, at the age of 89 years. Miss Pinkney was credited with being one of the very wealthy women of the world, the value of her holdings in Manhattan real estate alone being estimated at $10,000,000.

United States Cabinet Changes.

Washington, Dec. 10.—The United States Senate last night confirmed the nominations of Luke E. Wright of Tennessee to be Secretary of War, Truman H. Newberry of Michigan to be Secretary of the Navy, and Hoffman Philip of New York to be Minister and resident consul-general to Abyssinia.

'Phone For G. T. System.

Ottawa, Dec. 10.—Morley Donaldson of the Grand Trunk Railway said yesterday that he would not be surprised if the company gradually introduced the telephone throughout their entire system, the telegraph being superseded by degrees.

Building For Mining School.

Kingston, Dec. 10.—A delegation from the School of Mining will wait on the Ontario Government and ask for a new building. For two years the school has been cramped for space.

Milroy Goes For Trial.

Kenora, Dec. 10.—Joseph Milroy was yesterday afternoon committed for trial on a charge of murdering Richard Danna, near Dryden.

Making Traveling Safer.

Ottawa, Dec. 10.—The Railway Commission has issued an order providing for the daily inspection of electric bells at highway crossings. When they are found to be out of order a flagman must be stationed at the crossing till repairs are made.

Another order provides that freight cars attached to passenger trains must be provided with air brakes and wheels with steel tires. It is also provided that there must in future be a distance of seven feet allowed from the centre of a mail car to the cranes at stations on which mail bags are deposited. This is to prevent accidents to passengers in putting their heads out of a window.

Acquitted of Theft Charge.

St. Catharines, Dec. 10.—Arthur E. Bull, Beamsville, was acquitted on the first of five theft charges before Judge Carman in sessions yesterday. The crown refused to press the other four indictments, but he was held in bail to appear at the June session. A number of witnesses swore that complainant could not be believed on oath.

Going to Prince Rupert.

Chatham, Dec. 10.—H. C. Clements, formerly M.P., who lost in West Kent in the last election, and Geo. Heyward, a prominent citizen, will leave for Prince Rupert, B.C., after the holidays. Both men will take up a permanent residence in the western terminus of the Grand Trunk Pacific.

New Zealand Needs Domestics.

London, Dec. 10.—A Wellington despatch says that Premier Ward, speaking of assisted immigration, said he had cabled instructions to the Imperial Government that assistance in regard to passages would not be given to any persons except small farmers and domestic help.

Farmer Dies From Kick.

Guelph, Dec. 10.—On his farm in Pilkington Township, near Elora, Mr. Thomas Farmer, while harnessing up his horse was kicked in the face by the animal and died two hours' later. The doctor stated that the injury caused a cerebral hemorrhage. Deceased was 83 years old. An aged widow alone survives.

Pretoria the Capital.

London, Dec. 10.—(C.A.P.)—There is every indication that Pretoria has been selected as the capital of South Africa. A municipal loan of $7,500,000 is to be issued and the Government has authorized $500,000 for a central railway station.

One Killed; One Injured.

Montreal, Dec. 10.—As a result of a scaffold breaking on which two men were repairing at the Montreal Gas Works yesterday, one man lost his life, while the other one is so seriously injured that he cannot recover.

Four Daughters.

Puxico, Mo., Dec. 10.—Four daughters were born yesterday to Prof. Reuben F. Jones, head of the local schools and a school commissioner of Stoddard County. One baby died, but the others bid fair to thrive.

Gashed His Wrist.

Guelph, Dec. 10.—Thos. Snell gashed his wrist badly yesterday morning while trog killing at the winter fair, due to the animal lunging against him. He lost a deal of blood.

Canadian History at Oxford.

London, Dec. 10.—The development of the Canadian constitution was recently included among the special subjects which may be taken for the honor degree in history at Oxford.

Dead In Snowbank.

Kingston, Dec. 10.—Thomas Buck, aged 73, was found dead in the snow at the homestead at Cataraqui, where he was born and lived all his life. Heart disease was the cause.

Woman Gashed Throat.

Huntsville, Dec. 10.—Mrs. F. F. Latcher, an aged resident of this town, made an attempt Tuesday night to end her life by cutting her throat.

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WINTER SEASON ARRIVES

"Business in the West is again on the upward incline and in a short time will be better than before the stringency." Such was the substance of the remarks of Mr. R. R. Hall, who has returned this week from a month's business tour to the Pacific Coast. All along the line of the C.P.R., the men of the West are in a mood more optimistic than ever before. The wholesale men report collections to be excellent during the past few months. During the money stringency which seems now to be in its dying stages, very little speculation was done on large scales, with the result that the Western people have their money still.

Mr. Hall states that lumbering and mining conditions in British Columbia are very brisk, and business along these lines promises to be active during the coming winter. The crops have, on the whole, been good. The immense production of grain this year is followed by a great shortage in cars to carry it east to the seaboard, and the people of the West are longing for the completion of the Grand Trunk Pacific, in order that their produce may be taken directly to the eastern markets and shipping points. They realize that the country in which they reside is vast enough to export products that will keep at least two transcontinental railways busy a good deal of the year.

A PRESENTATION TO NORMAL SCHOOL TEACHER

Lindsay Sunday School Give Him Biblical Dictionary.

Lindsay, Dec. 10.—A pleasing event took place in St. Andrew's Sunday school last evening when Mr. Geo. A Cornish, science master in the Peterborough Normal School, and formerly superintendnt of St. Andrew's Sunday school, and his wife, were made the recipients of tokens of esteem by the teachers of St. Andrew's Sunday school. Mr. Cornish was presented with two handsomely bound volumes of The Dictionary of Jesus Christ and the Gospels, by Hastings, and Mrs. Cornish with a fine Morocco hand bag.

Some months have elapsed since Mr. and Mrs. Cornish left Lindsay to take up residence in Peterborough, but advantage was taken of the annual Sunday school teachers' meeting last evening, and both were invited to attend. Mr. Cornish was formerly Science Master at the Lindsay Collegiate Institute.

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THE ABSENCE OF CRIME

The Grand Jury of the General Session of the County Court made their presentation to Judge Weller yesterday afternoon, and is one that should be satisfactory to everyone. The absence of crime is one of the most prominent conditions and the county buildings were found to be well provided and under careful management. This Grand Jury recommends that something should be done by the city towards looking after its aged poor. In this respect their presentment is similar to many others that have been prepared.

The report is as follows:

To His Honour Judge Weller.

We, the Grand Jury at the General Session of the County Court of the County of Peterborough, beg leave to report as follows:

We have visited the county jail and were much pleased with the satisfactory conditions prevailing there, and particularly with the cleanliness of the premises throughout, for which every credit is due the officials in charge. We found fifteen inmates, all male, in the building, of which number nine were vagrants and the remaining six had been committed for various offences.

The former were mostly elderly men, whose only offence is poverty, and in this connection your jury would respectfully recommend that some arrangement should be made between the city and county of Peterborough, whereby these aged people might be better taken care of in the County House of Refuge, or if that is not possible that a separate building be erected on the jail property for the accommodation and comfort of these aged poor.

We also visited the Collegiate Institute in the Central Park, as well as the Normal School in the north end of the city. These schools are a credit to the city, nicely situated and thoroughly equipped for the purpose for which they were built.

Your jury also inspected the Nicholls Hospital and St. Joseph's Hospital, and have to report that these, under capable and painstaking management, are institutions of which we may well feel proud. In them the surroundings are made bright and pleasant for any who find it necessary on account of illness, to take advantage of the comforts therein provided.

Wishing you the compliments of the season, and that you may be spared to hold for many years the exalted position you now occupy. It is a matter of congratulation that the duties of your Honour, as well as that of your Grand Jury, are so light at this session.

Yours respectfully,
JOSEPH MADILL,
Foreman.

APPENDICITIS PROVES FATAL TO ENNISMORE YOUNG MAN OF 21

Taken ill a few days ago in a Cavendish lumber camp, brought to St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday afternoon at two-thirty o'clock, David Crowley the second son of Mr. Patrick Crowley, Ennismore, passed suddenly away last night at half past eight o'clock. The news of the demise of this promising young man was received among the friends of the family with profound regret. In spite of everything that was done death ensued from a severe attack of appendicitis.

The young man who was only twenty-one years of age was brought to his home on Tuesday and yesterday was conveyed to St. Joseph's Hospital. After seven o'clock last night a friend started for Ennismore to bring the mother to the hospital, but before the home was reached the young man had passed away.

His death is mourned by his parents and by four brothers and three sisters. The funeral will be held tomorrow morning, leaving the family residence, lot 5, concession 10, Ennismore, at nine o'clock, proceeding to St. Martin's church and afterwards to St. Peter's cemetery for interment. The deceased was well known throughout the township and also in the city.

Was Charged With Stealing $13 But The Stories Of Theft Were Different

At police court this morning two residents from the surrounding country were involved in a case in which one man was charged with stealing $13 from the other. The defendant pleaded not guilty and elected to be tried by the Magistrate.

The complainant stated that he was in a local hotel on November 7, and that the defendant had suggested to him that he should give him his money to look after, and he had accordingly handed him $13. He had not seen the money since and when he asked the defendant for it on Saturday last, he had denied any knowledge of the money. The complainant admitted that he might have had eight or ten drinks that day.

The complainant's sister testified to having seen the defendant with her brother and she thought another man in the hall of the hotel, and that she had heard someone say "thirteen," as if he was counting money She had seen the defendant take her brother by the arm and take him into the bar.

The defendant denied that the complainant had given him any money to look after, although he had seen him in the hotel that day, and had had a drink with him in another hotel. He also stated that he had been drinking, and admitted that he was not sober.

The Magistrate dismissed the case, saying that he would give the defendant the benefit of the doubt. He would have liked to have had more evidence on the subject.

A man who had been indulging too freely with the flowing bowl was allowed to go with a warning.

Superb Exhibit Of Art Work By Miss Mamie McCarthy and Pupils

The exhibit of art work by Miss Mamie McCarthy and her pupils in the old Bank of Montreal building yesterday afternoon and evening, was an attraction that drew a very large number of local people to visit the rooms during the day, and they were well rewarded for their presence. Those who had not had the opportunity of seeing Miss McCarthy's work were surprised and delighted with the excellence and variety of the exhibition, which is certainly a credit to the clever young artist Miss McCarthy is, indeed, to be congratulated, and Peterborough is fortunate in having in its midst such a talented young lady, who is not only able to execute most brilliant work, but who possesses the happy faculty of being able to impart something of her brilliancy and genius to her pupils.

The exhibit was a large one, two spacious rooms being called into service to show the pictures and other articles of art work, which included portraits in oils, water colours, charcoal and pencil drawing, and black and white work and china and silk painting. Miss McCarthy had many excellent pictures of her own on view, scoring her greatest successes in portrait painting. most of the pictures being painted from sittings. The most ambitious and undoubtedly the most successful example of her skill was the large oil painting of Rev. Dr. O'Brien, which is a magnificent work, earning the admiration of all who saw it yesterday.

Some superb painted chinaware was also shown by Miss McCarthy, and the display attracted much attention. Some of Miss McCarthy's pupils also made an excellent showing in this line, as well as with the pictures. The exhibit also included some work by the young artist's mother, Mrs. L. McCarthy, which demonstrated the skill of that talented lady. Some very clever silk painting on umbrellas and cushion tops was shown, it for the most part being the work of the pupils.

Miss McCarthy was kept busy during the day in acknowledging the congratulations of her friends and their complimentary remarks were certainly merited.

Date Of The Commencement Exercises Has Been Changed

The date of the commencement exercises at the Collegiate Institute has been changed from Friday the 18th to Monday, Dec. 21st. It being the inaugural affair of this kind a special effort is being made to provide a good programme and the friends of the students may expect something out of the ordinary. Apart from the musical numbers there will be the presentation of trophies, medals, etc., won at the Collegiate's field day of sports, and the diplomas and scholarships from last midsummer's examination. Miss Gladys Crane will read the valedictory of the year. Mr. H R H Kenner will be chairman. This will be the first entertainment in the new Collegiate Institute and will, no doubt, be most successful.

MANY IN ATTENDANCE AT ROLLER RINK

The "Rube" Carnival Proved to be Very Successful.

The Rube's Carnival at the roller rink last night proved to be the success that was anticipated. A large number of costumed skaters gathered on the floor and took part in the carnival. Of course most of the characters were rubes but quite a number were in fancy dress and presented a very pleasing spectacle which was greatly enjoyed by the spectators. The band was in attendance as usual, and rendered an excellent programme.

The prize winners were:
Miss Hazel Edgar, as a western girl.
Miss Alta Cavanagh in fancy costume.
Mr. Godfrey, as Buddy McGee.
Mr. Mitchell, as a clown.
Mr. Reilly, as a rube.

A feature of the evening was the presence of a life size Teddy bear.

The superior flavour and strength of "Salada" Tea makes it possible to make two cups to one from any other tea. Besides "Salada" is infinitely more delicious and healthful. 40

RECOMMEND SOME NEW STREET LIGHTS

Fire, Water and Light Committee Take Drive About City.

The Fire, Water and Light Committee went for a drive around the city last night to see what could be done towards supplying better light at several points from whence complaints had come. They were out for about half an hour and came back and passed the following motion:

Moved by Ald. McIntyre and Ald. Butler that an incandescent lamp be recommended on Charles street; two incandescent lamps at the corner of George and Smith streets; two incandescent lamps on Bonacord street, two incandescent lamps on Walnut street and to move the lamp on Park street opposite Elm street a little north and put it out on a long arm, the lamp to be placed as directed by the chairman of the committee.

The committee also took up a number of accounts and recommended them to be paid.

THE LADIES' FAVOURITE

Wherever Parisian Sage is Known It Has the Call

Parisian Sage, that most efficient of all hair restorers, is a very delightful and refreshing hair dressing. Besides possessing these qualities, it will positively make any woman's hair soft, luxuriant and attractive. Wm. Madill sells it, and will return your money if you are dissatisfied

Just read this: "After using one bottle of Parisian Sage, I now have a better growth of hair, and I found your Hair Restorer pleasant to use. After the first application the dandruff disappeared and my hair stopped falling out, and it has been restored to its natural colour. I now recommend your Parisian Sage to all my lady friends.—Lottie Real, 111 Mt. Hope avenue, Rochester, N.Y."

MAILING OF LETTERS AND PARCELS FOR OLD WORLD

Former Must be in Montreal Office To-morrow Morning.

The Post Office authorities call attention to the fact in order to have parcels delivered in Great Britain and Ireland in time for Christmas Day they must be mailed in time to go forward from the Montreal Post Office by the mail per S.S. Empress of Ireland closing on Friday the 11th inst., at 10.30 a.m., which is the latest hour for posting letters. Parcels should be posted not later than 9.30 a.m., on that day, and if possible, even the previous day. The latest time for mailing letters, newspapers, and in fact anything except parcel post packets, so that they may be delivered before Christmas, will be at 6 p.m. on Tuesday the 15th, at which hour the mail per S.S. Lusitania, Cunard Line via New York closes in Montreal, and the mail by this steamer should reach England on Tuesday the 22nd.

Beautiful Brooches

The more particular you are regarding the Jewellery you buy, the better you will be pleased with our display of Brooches.

Every one tasteful in design and perfect in execution.

There is a wide assortment to pick from—a Pearl, a Pearl and Amethyst, etc.

Examine, compare, do what you will, you will find these the best values you have ever seen.

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Stratton's Bookstore

Leads the Procession in the

GRAND HOLIDAY FETE

DISCOUNT SALE ALL THIS WEEK AT STRATTON'S

We have more goods than we can show. Must get rid of them at once. Come at once. See our goods. Ask the price. Time's too short to remark everything—prices marked down. We will quote lowest discount prices.

You never had a better chance to buy Christmas Presents—just come and see. Pick out what you want—we will guarantee the price will be right. Will save you at least 20 per cent. Shop early in the forenoon.

BOOKS—Stacks of splendid books. Henty Books for Boys, Books for Girls, Holiday Books in dainty bindings, Bibles, Prayer Books, the Poets, etc.

DESK NOVELTIES—Desk Pads, Leather Writing Cases, Letter Racks, Memo Books, Glass Inkstands, and other Desk requirements in Brass, Hammered Brass, Copper, etc.

EBONY GOODS—We have something for everybody's taste **Ebony Brushes, Ebony Mirrors, Ebony Combs, Ebony Sets,** also at **20 per cent off.**

FOUNTAIN PENS—"It's just the thing I wanted!" We have **Waterman's** Pen in a number of styles, with plain handles, chased handles, or with gold bands. **"Stratton's Special"** is also a ready seller.

THE POPULAR ANNUALS—"Sunday at Home" "Leisure Hour" "Girl's Own" "Chums" and "Boy's Own" will be snapped up quickly. 'Phone your order if you can't get to the Bookstore.

XMAS CALENDARS and CARDS, 20 per cent off

CUT GLASS—We have many pieces Cut Glass—**Vases, Jardinieres and Parlour Ornaments** in stock which will be sold at **20 per cent off.**

PLEASURE-GIVING GIFTS—We have a host of things that are useful. Such things as:— **Toilet Cases, Brush and Comb and Cuff Sets, Shaving Sets, Ladies' Companions, etc.** all marked now to clear at **20 per cent off.**

SOUVENIR POST CARDS—Don't overlook this line—they are beauties.

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Diamond Calk Horseshoe

It saves time—it saves money—it saves your horse.

The calk being adjustable, the shoe has not got to be removed to be re-sharpened.

The calk being made of case-hardened steel and being triangular, having three sharp edges, it has been tested out to more than equal 9 ordinary re-sharpened shoes.

Your horse always having perfectly sharp calks is thoroughly protected against slipping.

The Shoe, and all the parts are made of the best material The fittings—that is the calks, clamps and cap screws—are renewable at very small cost, while the shoe itself is practically indestructible.

For full particulars apply to the Company's office, 340 George Street.

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FANCY HANDKERCHIEFS

Of the Finest Linen

The collection of Handkerchiefs which we have assembled after months of planning and buying embrace the very newest effects in fine embroidered Linen, Muslin Embroidered, Plain Linen Hemstitched and fancy coloured Embroidered Linen and many other different styles, ranging in price from, each

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Neckwear

Where is the man who does not appreciate a new Cravat? The neckwear is about the only illumination that a man wears to brighten up his outfit—the greater variety in his stock, the better he is pleased. Give him one of our handsome Christmas Cravats. We have the finest range in Peterborough and are exclusive agents for several of the best makers in the world. Our prices .. .. 50c to $1.50

Mufflers

This cold weather adds to the appropriateness of the Muffler as a Christmas gift. Our stock is the highest you could imagine—not all high priced, but the styles are the newest and appeal to all tastes. Squares, padded or reefer styles. Prices .. 50c to $4.00

Gloves

Gloves make good gifts for Christmas, they are a luxury and a necessity — they combine beauty with comfort. Our handsome showing includes the world's best makes, in lined and unlined, Fur, Mocha, Suede, Cape and Kid. Prices ..... $1.00 to $4.50

ASK TO HAVE YOUR GIFTS BOXED. THE GIFT SHOP FOR MEN.

Cressman's Toggery Shop 389 George Street

CARE NECESSARY IN CHRISTMAS DECORATIONS

Canadian Fire Underwriters Association Issue Warning to Merchants.

The following etter has been sent by the Canadian Fire Underwriters' Association to the Examiner, referring to Christmas decorations and displays;

Following our usual custom at this season of the year I beg to call attention to the dangers to life and property from Christmas decorations, displays, etc., which are frequently made at this time of the year. The use of Christmas greens, harvest specimens and other inflammable materials such as draperies, scenery, cotton to represent snow, and the like, especially in connection with electric and other lighting systems, is decidedly an increase of hazard, it being impossible to make displays of that nature perfectly safe.

The third statutory condition of an insurance policy reads in part as follows;—

"Any change material to the risk, but within the control or knowledge of the assured, shall void the policy, as to the part affected thereby, unless the change is promptly notified in writing to the company or its local agent."

In addition to the danger to property from the displays referred to, the danger to life in crowded stores or places of meeting, by reason of a panic occasioned by a fire, even though it be small and easily controlled, is so great that the underwriters, who have made a study of such hazards, would fail in their duty should they not give this warning.

EYE TALK

The eye being the most delicate organ in the body should be given the greatest care and attention.

We are experts on the eye and guarantee all our work to be satisfactory or money refunded.

In the last two days we have examined 27 persons for glasses, who have satisfied themselves as to our ability.

The largest stock of up-to-date frames and mountings, both rim and rimless, in Peterborough are shown here.

Our lens department is second to none in Canada.

Consult us about your eyes and save both time and money.

Tate-Taylor Optical Company
412½ George St. Peterboro

GENUINE QUALITY IN CHRISTMAS FURS AT MODERATE PRICES

Present Weather Turns One's Thoughts To The Cozy Furs.

As the genuine old-fashioned winter advances upon us the fur store becomes one of the centres of interest and attraction that appeals both to the needs of the season and the especial delight of the angels of the household. While there is nothing that can contribute so materially to the comfort of the person in the winter season as a coat, wrap, or set of furs, there is also nothing that adds more to that grace and dignity of appearance that is the instinctive aim of every daughter of Eve. The fur garment lends an indescribable effect of refined luxury to the outdoor outfit of a lady which she thoroughly appreciates, and which even a mere man cannot fail to admire. And even gentlemen are not exempt from a due regard for a kind of apparel that gratifies a pardonable vanity while providing a real comfort.

A look through the fur store of E. N. McWilliams, at 374 George St., will prove an hour well spent to any one who choose to call, and there they can be convinced that in the more moderately priced fur goods, as well as in the rarest and most expensive, an up-to-date style and an exquisite appearance are to be found combined. For the gentlemen, Mr. McWilliams shows a splendid line of fur-lined, Canadian coon and wombat coats. Persian lamb, otter and beaver gauntlets, collars and caps, and goat, bear and other sleigh robes. For the children are provided children's carriage robes, Iceland lamb and other fur coats. Fur sets, white Thibet stoles and muffs. For the ladies there is an unlimited variety of beautiful and stylish goods. Persian lamb, Canadian Mink, western lynx, natural Alaska and black Alaska, muffs Xmas ties, stoles, pillows, muffs, etc., fur-lined coats, electric seal and natural Canadian muskrat coats, grey squirrel ties, stoles and muffs, white fox and Royal Sitka fur sets, Hudson Bay sable and Russian ermine. No holiday present can be found that will give the same pride and pleasure to the recipient as a selection from this elegant stock on view at E. N. McWilliams' Fur Store, 374 George street, Peterborough.

SMALL BUT EFFECTIVE—A Want Ad. in the Examiner. Try it.

GOLD MEDAL AWARDED.

Word was received on Saturday by the Passenger Department in the General Offices of the Grand Trunk Railway System, that Mr. H. R. Charlton, Advertising Manager, had been awarded a gold medal as collaborater in connection with the Grand Trunk Pavilion at the Franco-British Exhibition, held in London, England, during the past summer. This is in addition to the Grand Prix awarded the company of which notice was given some weeks ago. 1d-110

Practical Work Being Carried On In Cobalt Mining District

Cobalt, Ont., Dec. 10 — The story in the camp this week is one of steady progress in practical mining, with no tales of sensational strikes. All of the shipping mines are working two shifts a day to the capacity of their equipment. Many of the new properties are carrying on more active work, with slightly increased gangs.

Winter seems to have begun in earnest this time, and despite the fact that boats were out on Cobalt Lake only three days ago, hundreds of the boys are to-day skating all over the lake.

Just as soon as the traveling will permit, considerable mining machinery will be hauled in to these distant camps. The winter will be a busy one in that respect, and a great lot of supplies will be sent in for use next summer.

Industriously, the camp here is very busy. Not only are all the mines working to full capacity, but there is an immense amount of building and other work going on in the town.

Incidental to the mining operations here is the big boom in the flotation of new companies. A word of warning will not be out of place regarding some of these new flotations. Knowledge of the men behind the companies is usually the best safeguard. Reports from mining engineers are not always a safe guide. There are mining engineers of probity and mining engineers, so called, of the other kind. There is a story current in camp that one property engaged for superintendent — an ex-mixed-drink expert

One reason assigned here for the weakness in the mining stock list is that many people are selling their higher priced stock of the shipping mines in order to buy the low priced new issues. This is all right for the new companies — which number about one in ten — that have first class properties, but it will be bad for people who get into the remaining nine wild cat enterprises. There are several shipping mines in Cobalt that are able to pay generous dividends for some years to come, which offer reasonable investments in which the speculative feature is well removed from a mining venture.

At present prices La Rose, Crown, Reserve, Nova Scotia, City of Cobalt, Kerr Lake, Right of Way, Trethewey, Temiskaming, Chambers Ferland, Nipissing, Nancy Helen, and several other mines are considered by men who are on the ground and ought to know, to be a reasonably safe investment.

Those investors who stick to the shipping mines for higher priced stock and the near shippers in Cobalt Township for low priced ventures will come out best in the end. There are several good prospects among the newer properties scattered throughout the ore belt of Coleman. Outside of Coleman so far there is not one conspicuous success — not one mine that has been a consistent shipper for the past three years.

The success of Montreal River is dependent upon railway transportation for supplies, machinery and shipping ore, and the road has yet to be built. So far the Ontario Government refuses to be committed on this matter, despite the hopes of mine promoters that the road will be built next summer.

VERY ARTISTIC WINDOW DRESSING

Mr. H. C. MacDonald Has a Cleverly Planned and Carefully Executed Christmas Window at R. Hall & Son.'

"The Heralding of the Dawn of Christmas Morning," is the title of the delightfully seasonable window which Mr. H. C. McDonald, with his characteristic enterprise and good taste, has chosen to display a few of the many Christmas gifts that are to be found in Rich. Hall & Son's establishment. Handkerchiefs form the piece de resistance and a very large number are arranged in a most attractive backgroung. The doll, which Mr. McDonald makes such artistic use of in all his big windows, is the herald and is equipped with a trumpet and wings, while an imitation of sun rise adds to the illusion. The window just south of the main entrance contains a very artistic panel, illustrative of Christmas eve. The two windows are a credit to Mr. McDonald and to the firm.

MILK TRAVELLED AT A FAST RATE

Delivery Horse Took to Flight Leaving Waggon at One Stage of Journey.

The cold weather is having an invigorating effect on horseflesh, judging from the epidemic of runaways that seems to have been simultaneous with the fall in the mercury. This morning a milk delivery horse gave a speed exhibition that would make good at the Turf Club's matinee. It started on George street, turned west on Hunter and "swizzed" around the corner onto Aylmer street, leaving the sleigh there but continuing with the shafts and harness down to Simcoe street, where it turned west and lost itself in the distance as far as the uptown people were concerned.

CHEMONG STAGE OVER FIRST

Mr. Dan Whetung "Breaks the Ice" in Crossing Chemong Lake This Year.

Once again has Mr. Dan Whetung been the first to drive a team of horses across Chemong Lake. This morning the lake had a substantial coating of ice and no danger was possible. Mr. Whetung crossed early this morning and succeeded, of course, in getting to Peterborough with considerable less labour than is generally expended. The thermometer out at the Chemong Reserve during the night hovered around the 20 degrees below zero mark, and "Dan" was seen on the streets to-day wrapped up in mid-winter furs.

RINK MAY BE OPENED TO-MORROW

If Weather is Cold Ice is Practically Assured.

Ice at the Brock street rink to-morrow night is practically assured. It was looking fine to-day, and if the weather is at all cold it will present a keen hard surface for the opening night. Mr. Jack Thirtheck is looking after the manufacturing process, and is doing his best to provide good ice. Further announcements will be made to-morrow. Many have been enquiring about the opening of the rink and for their benefit as well also as those who were waiting patiently the opening will be announced in to-morrow's edition.

A DANGEROUS COUGH

Ottawa, Ontario, Man Suffered From a Chronic Cough Accompanied by Spitting of Blood.

RESTORED TO HEALTH BY VINOL

"For two years I had a severe cough accompanied by spitting of blood. I was discouraged, for I had tried different physicians and medicines, obtaining only temporary relief. Hearing of Vinol I decided to give it a trial. The first bottle did me so much good that I made up my mind to continue for several bottles if necessary, but by the time I had finished the third bottle the cough and the spitting of blood had both entirely disappeared.

"Allen & Cochrane, the Red Cross Druggists, from whom I procured the Vinol, can vouch for the correctness of this statement." Percy E. Smith, 179 Bank street, Ottawa, Ontario.

The reason that Vinol is so successful in such cases is because it is the only preparation that contains tonic iron together with all the healing, body building elements of cod liver oil, actually taken from fresh cods' livers, but no oil.

Without hesitation we proclaim our faith in Vinol for chronic coughs, colds or bronchitis, and as a body-builder and strength creator for old people.

Anyway, if you try it and it does no good we will refund your money on demand. McDermid & Jury, druggists, corner George and Charlotte streets; also Payne's Drug Store, corner George and Simcoe streets.

A LADIES' LOYAL TRUE BLUE LODGE

Organization Meeting to be Held in a Few Days.

Within a few days another lodge will be added to the Loyal True Blue Society. It is a lodge for ladies. The aims of this Association, it is stated, will be to bring closer together the different churches and shelter the orphan children by providing and maintaining suitable orphanage homes, clothe, board and educate them, to teach religion to any Protestant children who are in need of it and also to assist the needy widow. Besides the orphans in the beautiful home and school house situated in a large park on the Bay of Quinte shores at Picton, they are also paying for the support of many in other institutions. The night of organization will be arranged later.—Com.

The New Drug Store

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will be open on Tuesday, December 1st. We carry a full line of Drugs, Sundries and Toilet Articles, everything is new, fresh and up to-date. A share of your patronage will be greatly appreciated by

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COUNTY COURT WAS CONCLUDED

Judgment Reserved in Final Case—Other Hearing in Favour of Plaintiff.

The County Court sittings were concluded yesterday afternoon when after receiving all the evidence in the Wilkins-Grover case, Judge Harding, of Lindsay, who acted instead of Judge Weller, decided to reserve judgment. This was a long drawn out case and required all of yesterday to receive the evidence. Mr. R. E. Wood appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. Geo. Sherry, of Norwood, for the defendant.

In the cases of Michael Carton against David Pilkey, J. Emmerson, Wm. Arbuckle, M. Kennedy, G. D. Reynolds, N. L. Stevenson and W. H. Baldston, which were heard before Judge Weller, the plaintiff was given judgment in all of the seven.

Mr. Carton sought to recover the payment of notes from the above defendants, which had been given to him by his brother, Mr. George Carton, for collection, as part payment of a large sum of money owing Michael Carton by George Carton.

AN INTERVIEW WITH THE LIBERAL LEADER

Convention of Ontario Liberals Next June—Defence Witness in Owen Sound Case Intoxicated.

Examiner Special.

Owen Sound, Dec. 10.—Hon. A. G. MacKay stated in an interview today that a Provincial Liberal Convention would be called for next June, with representatives from all parts of Ontario.

J. Wm Stevenson, defence witness in the case against Bartender Campbell of the Coulson House, was sent from the box by the magistrate because he was intoxicated. Campbell was fined $70 and costs.

Giving

The Season For Giving Is Here

The Christmas Spirit Is in the Air

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should be useful as well as pleasing to the eye.

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Wool Norfolk Coats at 2.50 and 3.00— These are comfortable garments and excellent Xmas Gifts, made of fine quality wool, with and without belt, colours black, grey, white, cardinal, navy.

Ladies' Skating Sweaters at 1.00 and 2.00— We are showing a splendid range of Ladies' Skating and Tobogganing Sweaters, open at the shoulder, and open front, colours, white, cardinal, white with sky, collar and cuffs white with cardinal collar and cuffs with Toques, Sashes and Mitts to match. These are useful and inexpensive Xmas Gifts.

Children's Sweaters at 1.00 to 1.50— Our range of Children's Sweaters, Norfolk Coats, is most complete, all colours and styles with long Mitts, Toques and Sashes to match. Special values for Xmas Gifts.

Wool Toques at 25c. 35c 50c.— Our stock of this popular headwear for Ladies, Boys and Girls is now complete in all the newest colour combinations, plain and honey comb effects, made of fine quality wool, special values

Long Wool Mitts at 25c to 50c.— We are showing a splendid range of long woolen Mitts for ladies and children, colors white, navy, cardinal and scarlet. Special values.

Harry Adams

The New York Stock Market

(Furnished by J. N. Barber.)

	Opening	Closing
A.C.P	84⅞	84½
Atch	93⅜	92½
B.R.T.	57½	58⅛
C.P.R.	178	178⅜
Erie	35½	34⅜
Great Northern	144⅜	144
L.N.	123⅜	123½
Mo. Pac	63⅜	63¾
Northern Pacific	143⅜	142⅜
N.Y.C.	118	117⅞
Penna	130⅜	130⅜
R.I.	24⅜	24
Rdg.	142½	142
Smelters	94½	93⅜
Soo	131⅜	132½
St. Paul	151	151
S.P	120½	121½
U.P.	189⅜	186
U.S	55⅜	55
U.S. pfd.	113	113
Twin City	94	94
Nipissing	10½	10½
May-Wheat	107½	107½
" Corn	61⅞	62
May Oats	53½	53½
" Pork	16.25	16.27

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25 cents.

NOTICE.

Toronto, Dec. 8, 1908.

NOTICE is hereby given that I, Harold H. Earl, have this date withdrawn from the co-partnership known as the Excelsior Fruit Cleaner Manufacturing Company, of Peterborough, Ont.

All debts and liabilities of said concern are assumed by Robt B. McGill.

1d-110. H. H. EARL.

Holiday Sale of Pianos Organs etc.

Having bought out all interests in the Peterborough Music Co. I have decided to offer **Decisive Bargains** during this month in

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In order to reduce the stock before Jan. 1st, 1909.

EXTRAORDINARY SALE of SHEET MUSIC from 5c up. A Pianist will play over any of the pieces for you.

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PHONE 57

Greeting For Xmas

The Examiner has in stock a large assortment of Xmas and New Year's Greeting Cards in fancy boxes which will be sold in lots of six cards up, with Envelopes to 'match.

These Cards were specially imported by us and are the best to be had in the city.

Order early if you want to secure these Cards before the season's rush commences.

CALL AND SEE THE SAMPLES

The EXAMINER Peterborough

PHONE 57

THE CITY OF TORONTO DEFEATED

Board Decides in Favor of Street Railway Company.

HAS VIOLATED AGREEMENT

Tribunal Declares That Traction Company Has a Right to Select Whatever Streets It Deems Most Necessary to Handling of Traffic—City Should Not Interfere in Matter, Says Board's Finding.

Toronto, Dec. 10.—"The board determine that the company have the right to select the aforementioned streets (for new routes), and so declare.

"We find that the city has denied the company's right and has prevented the company from using the streets selected for their new lines, and has violated and committed a breach of the agreement which they made with the company."

Such is the summing of an unexpectedly strong decision by which the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board confirm the Toronto Street Railway Co. in their contention that they can lay out such car routes as they may deem best for their own traffic. The city is "beaten to a frazzle" evidently, though no order is made as to costs.

A company advancing all the capital, making themselves responsible for the success of the enterprise, taking all the risk of failure and loss, would require to have the right to select the streets where men most do congregate, where passengers could most readily and easily present themselves for carriage, and where the traffic could be most remunerative.

The denial of this right to the company to thus manage their business would require to be stated in very clear and decisive language.

While the city may requisition the company to extend its tracks * * * the company cannot be compelled to build * * * and the city may grant the right to some other person. To force the company to abandon and to grant the right to build on the abandoned streets to some other person or company, is the only remedy which the city has. This, however, does not prevent the company from picking and choosing the streets that they consider will fit in with the rest of their system.

APPLES WERE ROTTEN.

Big Ontario Shipper Is Reported by English Commissioner.

Ottawa, Dec. 10.—Ontario apple shippers get a bad jolt in a report received yesterday by the Trade and Commerce Department from the acting trade commissioner in Birmingham, in which, after dealing out high praise to British Columbia apples, he states that he came next to a shipment of 500 barrels of apples from a prominent Ontario shipper, all of which were rotten or half decayed.

The peculiar thing is that in each case the barrels were marked "Not to be shipped" or "Falsely marked." It seems that the consigners collected in advance and that the apples were thus sent forward.

Enquiry at the fruit branch of the Department of Agriculture revealed the fact that while the inspectors at Montreal have power to mark barrels "falsely marked" they have no right to add "not to be shipped" and an investigation will be made as to who placed this mark upon the barrels or how it happened that when so marked they were allowed to be sent to England.

Hurrying the Irish Land Bill.

London, Dec. 10.—The House of Commons on Tuesday night passed the second reading of the Irish Land Bill.

During the course of the debate Augustine Birrell, Chief Secretary for Ireland, announced that it was the Government's plan to push forward the bill as rapidly as possible at the next session.

Grain on the Lakes.

Port Arthur, Dec. 10.—The insurance season for vessels expired at midnight Thursday night, but, though all rushes to get their lines cast off before that time, several have had to remain in port, and there will be departures for four or five days yet. Boats that got away during the night and morning carried 1,837,112 bushels.

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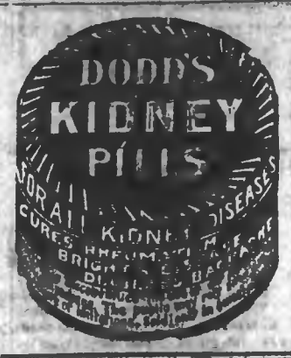

BARTENDER ACQUITTED.

Charge of Perjury Against Robert Breckels Fails.

Owen Sound, Dec. 10.—Great interest was manifested in the trial here yesterday of Robert Breckels, a former bartender in the Coulson House, accused of perjury.

It was alleged that accused on the occasion of his trial on the 19th of August last, when he was charged with having sold whisky, gave false testimony on oath knowing it to be untrue. On that occasion he denied having on the 4th or 5th of August supplied License Detectives Adamson, Allan and Gifford with whisky, and also denied ever having carried a bottle in his coat pocket while on duty behind the Coulson House bar.

In the morning these three detectives again gave evidence, when they averred that the accused had supplied them with liquor from a bottle which he had concealed in his coat. H. G. Tucker, counsel for the accused, examined the detectives as to their past careers, and asked Gifford if it were not the case that he had been a horse thief while in Montana, and had had to leave that place in a hurry, as he stood in danger of being strung up. Gifford denied the allegation.

Accused gave evidence in his own behalf and repeated his former testimony.

In his address to the jury Mr. Tucker stigmatized the spotters as snakes and said that they had gone about with lies in their mouths. The judge summed up slightly in favor of the accused.

The jury were absent for over two hours, and returned with a verdict of not guilty.

Sensational evidence is expected today during the testimony of George Pumple, the C.P.R. driver, accused by Detective Stewart of having bribed Pownall and himself to leave the town.

REED GIVES UP.

Brakeman to Blame For Sandbank Disaster Is Ready For His Trial.

Toronto, Dec. 10.—Brakeman W. P. Reed, who opened the switch which caused the Sandbank collision, with the loss of several lives, is back in Toronto. Yesterday he communicated with his lawyer, J. G. O'Donoghue, that he was prepared to voluntarily give himself up. Mr. O'Donoghue immediately notified Crown Attorney Kew at Cobourg that he would produce Reed whenever his presence is required.

Reed's explanation is that he was so appalled at the loss of life his mistake had caused that he fled. Afterwards he realized that it was his duty to return and face the consequences. His plea is that he thought the main line was clear when he turned on the switch, as his train was to be sidetracked for the purpose of letting the one following it pass. He had no knowledge that another train was due from the opposite direction and returned to the forward caboose shortly before the on-coming train engine telescoped that to which he belonged.

Said Jury Could Walk.

Hamilton, Dec. 10.—Yesterday afternoon a deputation of grand jurors waited upon the statesmen of the Wentworth County Council and requested that the council should authorize the hiring of cabs to take the grand jurors to the asylum. The council turned down the request, though some of the councillors were willing to go to the extent of paying the jurors' car fare to the top of the mountain. The councillors refused to sanction the expense because they think the asylum is inspected by grand jurors more frequent than necessary.

Son Finds Mother Dead.

Sarnia, Dec. 10.—Two highly respected citizens, Mr. and Mrs. John Paul, of this place, were found dead in bed yesterday morning, being asphyxiated by gas. The discovery was made by their son, W. B. Paul, who was passing the house on his way to work and seeing no move about the place, went in to investigate. Going into the bedroom he found his parents both lifeless. Four sons and two daughters survive.

Burned to Death.

Keewatin, Ont., Dec. 10.—Fire which started yesterday morning in Allan Bros.' bakeshop about seven o'clock caused the death of Andrew Allan, aged 18, whose body was charred beyond recognition, and had spread to the adjoining buildings.

Robert Allan, brother of the dead man, was drowned just six months ago and of three brothers who opened the shop three months ago, only John is left.

War With Germany Sure.

Mexico, Dec. 10.—The following statement is made by Frederick F. C. Rhodes, cousin of Cecil Rhodes, who is in this city in the interest of the large mine owners:

"While in England I talked to some of the best versed men in public, navy and military affairs, and I found the opinion unanimous that war with Germany was inevitable."

Don't Want Winter Carnival.

Montreal, Dec. 10.—The Montreal Board of Trade, at a meeting yesterday, adopted a resolution against the holding of a winter carnival, on the ground that such a carnival would be a bad advertisement for Canada. The promoters of the carnival have already raised $16,000, and are going ahead with the undertaking.

SHARP, SECOND MESSIAH, AT LARGE

Adamite Leader Escaped in Battle With the Police.

LIEUTENANT WAS WOUNDED

Sharp Escaped After Fight and Decided to Give Up But Changed His Mind—Shaved His Beard Off—Surviving Women Will Be Put on Trial on Charges of Murder—Pratt Expected to Live.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 10.—Efforts of the police yesterday to find James Sharp, hailed by his ten fanatical followers as a second Messiah, failed to reveal his movements after Tuesday's bloody fight with the police. It was thought at first that the man taken to the hospital mortally wounded was Sharp, but it was learned afterwards that this was Louis Pratt, one of the fanatic's followers, and father of the girl who was killed. Pratt is lying in the hospital at present with his right leg amputated at the knee and a bullet in his brain. He persists that he is divinely guided, and is very bitter in his denunciation of the police. He is not going to die, he says, but will live to kill more policemen.

Policeman Michael Mullane, the most seriously hurt of the officers, rallied slightly yesterday and physicians say he has an even chance for recovery. Sergt. Patrick Clark and A. J. Selzea, a bystander who was shot through the lungs, are both slightly improved.

It is known that Sharp has had his hair trimmed and his long beard shaved off, but the police have no clue as to his whereabouts.

Shortly after the shooting Tuesday he walked into a saloon and laid down his revolver with the remark, "I am satisfied, I give up." There were no policemen present, and as nobody present seemed anxious to take him into custody Sharp waited a moment, then picked up the weapon, reloaded it, and walked out.

Mrs. Pratt and her four surviving children are detained at police headquarters. Mrs. Sharp is in jail. None of them exhibit any emotion when speaking of the death of Lulu Pratt, but calmly assert it was God's will. The police say the two women and the two eldest girls, Mary and Lena, will be charged with murder. Five residents of a mission in the north end frequented by Sharp's followers are being held for examination.

THAT QUEEN'S ROW.

Students Are Sorry and Will Pay For Damage Done.

Kingston, Dec. 10.—A fairly attended mass meeting of the students of Queen's University was held to consider what action should be taken in view of the events of Saturday night.

A resolution was passed expressing complete disapproval of the disorderly conduct and sincere regret for the part in it for which the students were responsible. The students' committee ask space for the following statement:

"Much indignation was expressed at the exaggerated reports of the affair appearing in the outside press. Not more than fifty students were directly concerned. No stones were used, nor were revolvers displayed by either police or students. The conflict was of short duration; personal injuries received were slight and the damage to property was inconsiderable. For this damage the students are making full restitution. Kingston citizens offered bail for the students arrested. The magistrate was willing to accept, but was overruled by Mayor Ross and the students were forced to remain in the cells till Sunday morning.

"It is not thought that this occurrence will in any way permanently interfere with the good feeling which has always existed between Kingston citizens and students."

Croziers Get Less.

Milton, Dec. 10.—Thomas W. Crozier of Toronto pleaded guilty yesterday on the charge of counterfeiting paper money, before Justice Teetzel, and was sentenced to seven years in Kingston penitentiary.

His son, Milton, also pleaded guilty and received a sentence of one year in the Central Prison.

Crozier, Sr.'s sentence is thus two years less than it was on the first conviction, which was quashed, and the son's term is reduced by 364 days.

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Running Athletics Hockey

PETERBOROUGH BOWLERS ARE INVITED TO MADISON SQUARE

An idea of the wonderful popularity of ten pins in the United States may be gleaned from the fact that fifty thousand dollars in prizes will be distributed at the next tournament of the National Bowling Association to be held at Madison Square Gardens, New York, starting on May 24th next. A letter was received by J. B. Hay, of the Peterborough Bowling Club, this morning, to this effect from Mr. C. Wyman, secretary of the tournament. Mr. Wyman, in asking for Peterborough entries, says that twenty-four alleys will be laid in the Garden of the same class as those in use at the P.B.C. The tournament will last for three weeks, and will be "one of the most stupendous and inspiring sporting events ever held."

The prize fund of fifty thousand dollars will be distributed among the winners in the five-men, two-men and individual events, and the winning five-man team is guaranteed at least one thousand dollars. The conditions will be so broad that every competitor will have a chance.

"Bowling," says Mr. Wyman, in conclusion, "is now the national winter pastime of the American people, and is second only in importance to our great American game of baseball. The growth and development of the ancient and historical game of bowls in the last ten years to its present standing and importance as a national game with world-wide leanings is simply marvelous; and merit alone is the foundation of its progress. Its popularity is due to the physical, mental and recreative benefits which it confers upon devotees of the sport rather than to any adventitious booming the game has had."

Several teams from Toronto, Hamilton, London, Vancouver, Winnipeg and other Canadian points have already signified their intention of attending and there will also be a team from far off Alaska.

CURLERS SELECT RINKS AND ARE NOW PREPARED FOR THE OPENING OF CURLING SEASON

At a meeting of the curlers held last night the rinks were selected for the coming season. There are 33 rinks and 20 unattached players in the club this year and there will likely be several more members added. Most of the rinks also have five players, so that there should be no trouble in getting plenty of players for games. There are a hundred and sixty members altogether. The rinks selected last night were as follows:

W G Menzies, R. Harstone, W. T. Hall, J. A. Cameron, W. G. Ferguson, skip.

H. T. Millard, H. Taylor, W. J. Lattie, Dickson Hall, skip.

Thos. Barrie, V. Eastwood, D. Walker, A. Mowat, W. G. Morrow, skip.

Gus White, Harry Hall, L. Hall, W. H Taylor, D. Davidson, skip.

Dr. Hammond, R. B. Morley, C. R. Cameron, T. E. Butler, Dr. Greer, skip.

F R Payser, W. F. Nelson, R. F. McWilliams, Dr. Wightman, J. H. Conrad, skip.

F W Doone, W. S. Dodd, H. A. Morrow, W. McIlroy, skip.

Dr Gowan, J. D. Craig, Alex. Gibson, Dr J. M. McCulloch, R. M. Waddell, skip.

Rev. J. R. Webb, L. Dobbin, J. W. McDermid, W. H. Denham, T. F. Matthews, skip.

F. L. Roy, R. M. Glover, E. L. Goodwill, A. A. Hollingshead, S. T. Medd, skip.

F. Brownscombe, W. H. Adamson, C. Tabor A. L. Talbot, R. Neill, skip.

Geo Lundy, R. Denne, J. N. Barber, S D. Hall, W. J. Thompson, skip.

F. Hamilton, F. Barnes, P. Gardiner, J. D. Collins, C. N. Brown, skip.

W. R G. Higgins, Harry Evans, J. Crane, T. Brightman, skip.

J. G M. Wilson, M. Comstock, S. A. Oke, H P. Kennedy, E. B. Clegg, skip.

R. Best, T. Savigny, R. Carton, H. Foote, skip.

C Barber, T. Glover, W. G. Ferguson, W. M. Laing, skip.

J. T. Squires, J. H. Wolstenholme, S. U Rush, E. L. Bowes, A. Moore, skip.

W. A. Labelle, W. E. Austin, J. W. Kelly, G. L. Hay, skip.

Dr McPherson, G. C. Clark, W. H. Meredith, J. H. Burnham, skip.

M. Briggs, A. O. Meyers, J. A. McKone, J. E. A. Fitzgerald, skip.

Dr. Buchanan, J. F. Galvin, A. H. Webb, W. G. Read, skip.

J. E. Hayes, F. Clarke, J. Montgomery, G. H. Giroux, skip.

L. Sherwood, R. F. Ackerman, M. Harvey, Dr. Eastwood, skip.

F. D Kerr, S. J. Stubbs, R. N. Merritt, H. R. H. Kenner, skip.

L. F. Cross, G. S. Cameron, D. B. Dennison, J. H. Ferguson, skip.

D. Minicola, W. Snow, W. D. Campbell, W. E. Talbot, skip.

L. Mendel, Ed. Hurt, W. E. Leeb, S. Ray, skip.

T. D. McGregor. J. R. Bell, Wm. Smith, G. M. Roger, skip.

W. J. Johnston, J. J. Turner, G. H. Duncan, Geo. Maitland, F. M. DeloFosse, skip.

Geo. Hill, R. J. Wineb, J. Wylie, R. Hicks, skip.

H. Morgan, J. Davidson, G. B. Stevenson, D. Fraser, T. Rutherford, skip.

A. H Baker, C. James, M. C. Tooley, A. Blade, skip.

Unattached Players

W. Stalker, F. Ames, W. H. Hill, C. G. Graham, F. H. Dobbin, R. J. Munro, P. D. Fitzgerald, I. Eastwood, W. C. P. Heatbcote, E. H. D. Hall, G. E Elliott, W. Rudkins, R. Sturgeon, C. Curtis, H. Neill, H. C. Hill, W H. Bradburn, G. A. Gillespie, Dr. Young, A. Montizambert.

District Cup Skips

R. Hicks and T. F. Matthews.

Tankard Cup Skips

R. Neil and D. Davidson.

EXCITING GAME IN BOWLING LEAGUE; HAMS AND LOCKWORKS TEAM WERE TIED

There was a most unusual occurrence in the ten pin league series at the P.B.C. last night, when Bruce Hutchison's team and Lock Works ended up a hard-fought game in the opening event of the evening by tying with a score of 373. And it might be said right here that the Lock Works were very fortunate to break even, the proverbial bowlers luck being all against Hutchison. The finish was most exciting, the deadlock occurring when Hay, the last man to bowl got nine on his last spare though he put down what looked like a perfect strike ball. Previous to this the same player dumped a ball into the gutter on a spare in his eighth frame and wound up with the small total of 142.

In the second game the Hams bowled better together, while the Lock Works showed very little improvement, Hutchison emerging from the melee with a nice comfortable margin to his credit.

In the last game the order of things was completely reversed, the Lock Works in this contest giving the best exhibition of the evening. LaPlante had the high score after getting away to a splendid start. Lacheur, however, gave him a strong run for it at the close finishing up with five straight strikes, though even this sensational performance left him still a few pins behind his team-mate at the finish.

In the play off of the tie game one frame each was rolled and the Lock Works captured the odd contest.

To-night Martin and the strengthened Grays will meet. The Grays will be represented by McFadden, Perry and Sullivan, and they should give the Indians something to worry about.

Last night's scores follow:

Lock Works

Westbrooke...	114	113	132—	359
LaPlante	145	141	185—	471
Lacheur...	114	129	174—	417
	373	383	491—	1247

Hutch's Hams

Graham	130	116	141—	387
Hutchison...	101	143	95—	339
Hay...	142	168	154—	464
	373	427	390—	1190

Majority for Lock Works, 57 pins.

Standing of the League

	Won.	Lost
Bankers	8	1
Midgets	5	1
Exam. E...	4	2
Pacifics	4	2
Lock Works	6	4
Exam. A...	5	4
Belmonts	3	3
Iroquois	3	3
Lang.....	3	5
B. A. C.....	3	6
Hutchison	2	7
Greys	0	6

RUGBY

Indoor Rugby is the latest game to be invented. Already it has been introduced into the Central Y.M.C.A.

Two teams have been formed, one composed wholly of wrestlers, and the other from the Rugby Club. These teams will line up next Saturday night on the gym. floor for their first game.

Ten men form a team, and the line up consists of seven wings, one quarter and two halves. The ball will be regulation size, but it will be stuffed, not blown, so that it can't be kicked far. Points will be scored on tries, kicks to the dead line, and touch in goal, rouges and safeties. The distances to be gained (three downs has been cut down to 8 yards instead of ten. The boys will wear their regular Rugby togs.—Toronto News.

G. A. C. ELECT THEIR OFFICERS FOR THE SEASON

The annual meeting of the G.A.C. was held in their club rooms, George street, on Tuesday night, when there was an enthusiastic gathering of the members. The following officers were elected for the season:

Hon. Pres.—R A Morrow.
President—Harry Latimer.
Vice-Pres.—T Reilly.
Sec-Treas.—H L Beale.
Manager—H L Staunton.
Captain—Fred Haskill.
Trainer—Corney Burns.
Committee—Jack Seymour, S Wade and C Stewart.

The club intends to have a hockey team this season, and will, if possible, have a team in the Mercantile League. It is also the intention of the members to go in for wrestling and boxing during the winter with a view to entering representatives in the spring tournament in Toronto. Some good material is available and there seems no reason why the G. A. C. should not have a most successful season. The club has new rooms comfortably fitted out and nicely decorated. They are situated over the Peterborough Light and Power Company's office and are admirably suited for the purposes required.

BIG HOCKEY MEETING IS TO BE HELD TO-MORROW

The attention of all those interested in hockey is called to the big meeting which will be held to-morrow night for the purpose of organizing the O.H.A. teams for the season. A cordial invitation is extended to all hockey enthusiasts to be present to do what they can to boom the movement. The meeting will be held in the Oriental Hotel at eight o'clock sharp and a big crowd of fans is expected. It is hoped that the people of this city will appreciate the movement by turning out in large numbers to the organization meeting. An invitation has been sent to the officers of the Chieftain Hockey Club to be present and to discuss the new scheme.

FRED DOHERTY SIGNS WITH THE GUELPH PRO TEAM

Fred Doherty, the star rover of last year's Norwood City League team, has signed with Guelph, according to the following despatch:—

Guelph, Dec. 9 (Special). — Manager Cockman of the local pro. hockey team has signed two new men in Ed. Powers of Elora and Fred Doherty of Norwood. Powers is a lacrosse and hockey player, lately back from Calgary, where he was on the hockey line-up last winter, and several managers were after him for their defence. Doherty is reported as a new pro. man and of the same class as Mercer.

NED FITZPATRICK LEFT THIS MORNING FOR CINCINNATI

Mr. W. ("Ned") Fitzpatrick left this morning for Cincinnati where he has secured a position and by his going the city loses a clever athlete and a good fellow. Since his return to Peterborough from Spencerport, N.Y., in August last, he has been prominently in the athletic lime light, and he will be much missed. During the Rugby season he did sterling work on the wing line of the T.A.S. Athletic Club's senior O.R.F.U. team and was of much assistance to that organization. He has been one of the mainstays of the Brownie Basketball team of the local Y.M.C.A., and his aggressive work at centre did much to win the Creasman Trophy for that team. His going will leave a vacancy on the Brownie's line up that will be hard to fill. In addition Fits. was a clever wrestler and the lovers of the mat game are not likely to soon forget his strenuous battle with Harry Burridge in the roller rink recently.

SLATS REILLY TO PLAY SEMI-PRO HOCKEY IN COBALT

Another Lindsay hockey player intends doffing his amateur status and joining pro ranks.

George (Slats) Reilly leaves Friday for Cobalt to play with the semi-professional team of that town.

Reilly has played in Lindsay for years and figures prominently in many hard games. He is a defence man but has played a wing too.

Yesterday Slats received a letter from Tom Hare, of Cobalt, offering him a good thing to trandle a puck in the Silver City this winter. Reilly says he is going to Cobalt Friday.—Lindsay Warder.

A MERCANTILE LEAGUE TO BE ORGANIZED TO-NIGHT

A meeting to organize a Mercantile Hockey League in the city will be held this evening at 7.30 o'clock in the G.T.R. freight office, Charlotte street. It is now almost certain that this league will be formed as several clubs are anxious to participate. Among them are the G.T.R., Quakers, Auburns, C.G.E., Ackermans, and Creasmans. It, therefore, there are a sufficient number of teams represented to-night, officers to control the league will be elected.

RAOUL DEROUEN HAS NEW OPPONENT TO MEET

Raoul de Rouen, the big French wrestler, will have the best Graeco-Roman wrestler in the Western States pitted against him at Sohmer Park next Friday night, when he meets Mort Henderson, the best two falls out of three.

Henderson is a big, husky fellow, who has been making his way to the top at the Graeco-Roman style, and as he is one of the hardest propositions de Rouen can take, the latter will have to show better form than in his last two matches if he wants to pull out ahead of the Westerner. Henderson would like a victory over the Frenchman as this would enhance his value as a wrestling attraction throughout the continent, and he will do everything possible to win out.

De Rouen, on the other hand, is particularly anxious to make a good showing against a man equally proficient in the game with himself, and as he is gradually getting in to better condition, the match on Friday night should be a big improvement over his previous efforts.

Montreal Star.

CURLING.

A Montreal paper makes the sensational announcement that the Canadian curlers to tour Scotland will wear 'Tam O' Shanters and Norfolk jackets but doesn't say a word about trou——Well, well, perhaps the curlers are going to wear kilts—so what does it matter anyway?

It is quite probable that a number of changes will be made in the above when the rinks and skips are revised.

A big bonspiel commencing January 18th was the scheme decided upon by the members of the Peterborough Curling Club at the meeting of the skips held last night. It will be in the nature of a house-warming for the new rink and will tend to widely advertise the new structure, as invitations will be sent to many outside curlers. It is prophesied that the event will be the biggest of its kind ever held in this city, and the local knights of the broom will spare no effort in endeavouring to make the affair a success.

When the bonspiel was first proposed it was thought by some of the curlers that the expense would be too great in view of the cost of building the new rink. However, a canvass of the members showed that the majority were in favour of the proposition and the skips last night were decidedly enthusiastic. They will set at work at once to prepare for the event which they desire to make a brilliant success. There is no doubt that a large number of outside curlers will avail themselves of the invitation as Peterborough curlers have always had the name of being capital hosts.

HOCKEY

The Toronto Globe is a little out in its dope in the following—

"Miller, of Peterborough, is announced as on the Brantford line-up, but he is now in Edmonton, and will play on the Edmonton Stanley Cup team, which will probably disband as soon as the cup games are played, December 28 and 29."

The Edmonton Miller is, of course, Jack Miller, formerly of Edmonton.

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It is said that Arthur Bently, of Cobourg, has received several offers to play with professional clubs. Jimmy Cockman, of Guelph, is very anxious to secure his services, but Bently prefers to play with the amateurs.

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SOME PERSONAL NOTES FROM KEENE VILLAGE

Examiner Special

Keene, Dec. 9.—The funeral of the late Mrs. Wm. Drummond was held Saturday afternoon from the family residence, and was largely attended.

A concert will be held in the Providence School House on December 22. A good programme will be provided by the young people.

Mrs Jas. S. Dickson is spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warder, of Asphodal.

Mr. W. Purser, of Cobourg, who has been visiting in Keene, returned to his home Saturday.

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For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	12.35 a m
Going West	**Leave Peterborough**
For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	6.35 a m
For Barrieton, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	7.30 a m
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points	4.35 p m

GRAND TRUNK

	Arrive	Depart
Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Gravenhurst, North Bay, Sandville and Toronto	11.40 a.m. 8.35 p.m. 7.00 p.m.	11.45 a.m. 9.05 p.m. 7.30 p.m.
Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	8.30 a.m. 8.00 p.m.	9.05 p.m. 8.30 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Montreal and Boston	4.00 p.m.	11.45 a.m.
Toronto, Lindsay, Bracebridge, Uxbridge and Markham	11.40 a.m. 7.00 p.m. 10.55 p.m.	9.05 a.m. 7.30 p.m. 11.55 p.m.
Lindsay Local	8.55 a.m.	8.00 p.m.
Hamilton, Campbellford, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	8.30 a.m. 2.30 p.m.	8.40 a.m. 1.40 p.m.
Lakefield and Stony Lake	10.30 a.m. 4.15 p.m.	8.40 a.m. 12.30 p.m.

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Special Choir Practice

All the members of the Knox Church Choir are requested to be present at 8 o'clock to-night for special practice.

Choir Practice

—All Saints' choir will practice this evening in the church at 8.30. All members are requested to be present.

Piano Tuning

—Piano tuning promptly attended to. Satisfaction guaranteed. A. P. Hoover, 222 McDonel street. Phone —Bell 199k, Machine 192.

All Saint's Bazaar

—Remember the All Saints' girls and boys' bazaar, Friday evening, Dec. 11, 1908, All Saints' church, sale of fancy goods, candies. Light tea will be served. 2d109

St. John's Choir

—St. John's choir meet to-night at 8 o'clock in the Guild room, for an important practice of Christmas music. All choristers are requested to be present in good time.

Ladies Aid Society.

—A special meeting of St. Andrew's Ladies' Aid Society will be held on Friday evening at Mrs. (Dr.) Robinson's, 225 Charlotte street. All members are requested to be present.

Notice to Operatic Society

—The members of the Peterborough Amateur Operatic Society, are requested to hand in tickets, dresses and scores not later than Friday of this week at 285 Park street

An Evening in Honan

—Mrs. Goforth will give an address on Honan, which will be illustrated by stereopticon views, in St. Paul's Sunday school room on Friday evening, Dec. 11, at 8 o'clock.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

—The change of season affects pianos as well as everything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano-maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Concert

—Don't overlook the concert of the Onward Young Ladies' Bible Class, of the George street Methodist church in the school room on Friday evening. Good programme. Admission 15c, or 2 for 25c. Children 10c. 2d109

Winter Term

—It will pay any ambitious young person to read on page one, the new advertisement of the old established Commercial School, located in the city of Peterborough. The winter term opens January 4th. 6d108

I. O. O. F. District Meeting

—There will be a district meeting of the Independent Order of Oddfellows under the auspices of Peterborough and Otonabee Lodges in the I.O.O.F. Hall to-night. Many visitors are expected from Lakefield, Havelock and other district lodges.

No Name Signed

—The Examiner has received a personal item from someone who signs herself "A Friend." It is absolutely necessary that the name of the writer be known or signed—not for publication—before the item can be inserted.

Board of Trade

—The members of the Board of Trade and citizens generally are reminded of the meeting to-night at the Board of Trade in the Council Chambers. Preparations for an industrial revival will be the chief business.

To Entertain Brotherhood

—Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Lane, corner Reid and Simcoe streets, are extending the hospitality of their home to the Brotherhood of the Charlotte street Methodist church. They cordially invite every member to be present this evening at eight o'clock.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

THE EXAMINER welcomes all Items of Interest for this column. Phone 216 or send post card with name and address.

Mrs. V. H. MacWilliams, of Keene, will receive with her mother, Mrs. O. B. Sheppard, in Toronto to-day.

Mr. R. Norman Jolliffe leaves Toronto after Christmas for New York to pursue his studies in vocal music.

Mrs. T. O Elliott, 112 McDonel street, will receive to-morrow afternoon, and not again until the New year.

Mr. John Hogan, formerly of the Examiner reportorial staff, has secured a position with the Toronto Globe.

Mr. Eric Forson, of the editorial staff of the Canadian Dairyman and Farming World, leaves in a couple of weeks' time to accept a position on the advertising staff in the Toronto office of the Rural Publishing Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Macdougall, of Fort William, announce the engagement of their daughter, Mae, to Mr. Hugh Wallace Campbell of Edmonton. The marriage will take place early in the new year. Mr. Macdougall was formerly a well-known and popular resident of Peterborough.

Mrs. Edward Brown, Peterborough, who is the guest of Mrs. G R Stephens, of Barrie, played the part of the "Goddess" in "The Temple of Fame" in Barrie last week. The Barrie Examiner says, she displayed decided dramatic talent and her assistance was highly appreciated by the ladies.

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BRAKEMAN REED GIVES HIMSELF UP

Ready to Face Trial for His Carelessness in Causing Wreck.

Brakeman W. P. Reed, who opened the switch which caused the Sandbank collision, with the loss of several lives, is back in Toronto. Yesterday he communicated with his lawyer there, J. G. O'Donoghue, that he was prepared to voluntarily give himself up. Mr. O'Donoghue immediately notified Crown Attorney Kerr at Cobourg that he would produce Reed whenever his presence is required.

Reed's explanation is that he was so appalled at the loss of life his mistake had caused that he fled. Afterwards he realized that it was his duty to return and face the consequences. His plea is that he thought the main line was clear when turned on the switch, as his train was to be sidetracked for the purpose of letting the one following it pass. He had no knowledge that another train was due from the opposite direction and returned to the forward caboose shortly before the on-coming train engine telescoped that to which he belonged.

Monday Evening, Dec. 14

AUTHOR'S NIGHT
St. John's A. Y. P. A.

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ST. JOHN'S SCHOOL ROOM
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The Latest Lakefield News

Happenings in the Northern Village—Some Typhoid Fever.

Examiner Special.

Lakefield, Dec. 9.—Mr. Wallace Calder of Port Rowan, Ont., is visiting friends in the village.

Miss Lancaster, who has been suffering from an attack of Mumps at her home in Peterborough, returned to Lakefield on Thursday to resume her duties at the Public School.

Mr George Hilliard, who has been spending the past five months at London and vicinity, returned home on Thursday last.

Mr and Mrs H G Fitzgerald, spent Sunday in Peterborough.

Miss Barbara Traill left on Saturday for Peterborough, where she is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dela Fosse, for a few days.

Mrs J Quartermain and Miss Mellor of Peterborough, were visiting friends in the village on Wendesday last.

Mrs Owen Hitchcox will deliver an address to Lakefield people on question of social and moral reform in the Town Hall on Wednesday, Dec. 16th.

Miss E. McWhinnie who has been visiting Mr and Mrs John Botherill returned to Peterborough last week.

Master Harry Atwood returned to Lakefield on Monday after spending a few days at his home in Peterborough.

Mr E A Kelly of Woodstock is in the village on a visit to his brother, Mr J E Kelly.

A Special meeting of the Women's Institute will be held on Thursday afternoon, Dec. 10th at the Foresters' Hall. An interesting address will be delivered by Mrs Colin Campbell of Windsor After the address tea will be served in the Hall.

Mrs Gilbert was in Peterborough on Monday and Tuesday, the guest of Mrs Fitzgerald.

Mr F M Dela Fosse was in the village Thursday the guest of Mrs F J Tate.

A large number of turkeys were shipped from here to Lindsay on 'Turkey Day'. The amount paid out to farmers by Messrs R Graham and Son being $1457.00.

Mr J A Sexsmith, M.P., was in the village on Thursday last visiting friends and acquaintances.

Miss Traill is the guest of Mr and Mrs Atwood for a few days this week.

Mr and Mrs F MacLaren who have been visiting Toronto, Niagara and Buffalo returned to the village on Thursday last to pay a short visit to Mrs MacLaren's parents before leaving for Montreal where they will take up their residence in future.

Miss Mollie Young is in the village on a visit to her sister, Mrs S J Gibson.

Mrs J R Fraser and Master Alex were in Peterborough on Saturday last

The bazaar and entertainment held in the Town Hall on Thursday and Friday of last week under the auspices of the Parish Workers of St. John's Baptish Church was a decided success. The members of the society deserve great credit for tasteful arrangement of the hall, and the grand display of work exhibited shows that they well deserve the name of 'Workers'.

Great praise is due to Mrs E R Tate and Miss Penny fort heir able management of the programme.

Mr Johnson with his troup of 'black trash' afforded the audience much merriment and it is hoped it is not their last appearance in the hall.

The five children of Mr and Mrs. W Smith were taken to the Children's Shelter in Peterborough on Monday last Mr. Smith being dangerously ill with typhoid fever and lying in a precarious condition. A trained nurse has been secured and everything is being done to effect his recovery.

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SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS IN SMITH

Mr. William Graham Has Spent a Life-Time on the Farm—Reminiscences of Former Days.

ONE OF THE PIONEERS

One of the oldest residents of the township of Smith, is Mr. William Graham, who is known throughout the entire county as one of its pioneers. He was brought to this country by his parents when only 15 months old. He is now in his 78th year, and the three-quarters of a century which he has spent within the confines of his township have worn well on him, for he is enjoying good health, is hale and hearty and the land in which he placed his dependence to provide him with the necessaries of life did not disappoint him.

To an Examiner reporter he said that his parents had made a clearance when they first settled here and each year it was gradually broadened. Logging "bees" were held when all the neighbours would gather to assist one another. By this co-operation the township gradually was brought under cultivation. Mr Graham states that he well remembers when the farmers used to shoulder a sack of grain and walk to Port Hope to have it ground, and the tramp to Peterborough for necessities was quite commonplace. Among other interesting recollections of those early times, he stated that when a boy he saw the soldiers entrained in Peterborough at the time of the Mackenzie rebellion when the whole country side was aroused by anticipated strife.

One of Mr. Graham's sons, Thomas Henry, is the deputy reeve of Smith.

IT MIGHT SURPRISE YOU to know how every year many a thoughtful son or daughter brings father or mother to us that we may provide a beautiful pair of Glasses as a Christmas Gift.

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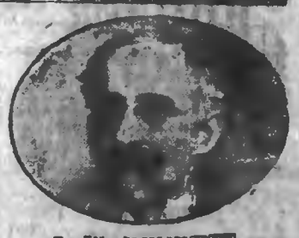

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HINDUS TO TRY FARMING

Tija Singh, Leader of Those Opposed to Deportation Has Purchased Farm Near Vancouver and Will Plant Market Garden Colony—Governor Swayne, However is Assured of Success.

Winnipeg, Dec. 11.—Brigadier-General Swayne, Governor of British Honduras, is en route to British Columbia to negotiate with the Hindus for their removal to Honduras. He is delighted with the prospect of getting Sikhs for his colony, which is in great need of labor; indeed, so great has the problem become that Gen. Swayne has just been in England discussing it with the Government. Removal of the Sikhs was one of the remedies suggested, and he is now on his way west to lay the project before them. His plans were outlined yesterday when he said:

"All matters in connection with the transportation of the Sikhs to British Honduras have been settled, and it is now only a question whether they will accept the terms which are offered to them. I may say that it will be entirely a voluntary matter with the Sikhs; it is between them and myself. If they will come to us in Honduras I will guarantee them oversight and care. I will establish them in villages with their headmen over them, as they were at home in India. All the customs of their country can be preserved to them. They will be placed on the best of land, the returns from which amount to $20 per acre. Owing to my 16 years' experience in India, I know the Sighs very well and sympathise with them. Many of them served under me for years in India."

Hindus as Gardeners.

Vancouver, B.C., Dec. 11.—Teja Singh, who is leading the Hindus against the Federal Government's plan of sending them to Honduras, has completed a deal for the purchase of 150 acres of land at North Vancouver, where he will instal a large number of Hindus as market gardeners.

Ottawa Salary Increases.

Ottawa, Dec. 11.—The present indications are that it will be some time before the civil service is classified under the provisions of the act passed at the last session of Parliament.

It is said that the treasury board, which is a sub-committee of the Cabinet council, has abandoned its efforts to bring about some measure of uniformity in the classifications of the various Departments as made by the various deputies, and has referred the whole matter back to the council. The upshot will probably be that the Civil Service Commission will probably be asked to undertake the task.

It is said that it would take the commissioners nearly a year to do the work and in the meantime the matter of salary will probably have to stand in abeyance.

Jury Frees Davies.

Omaha, Neb., Dec. 11.—The jury in the case of Charles E. Davis, charged with the murder of Dr. Frederick T. Rustin, returned a verdict of not guilty.

Davis is the brother of the vice-president and uncle of the president, cashier and other officials of the First National Bank, and is related to men prominent in financial affairs in New York City.

It was alleged that he had been leading a double life, and that Davis, a drug fiend, had been induced by the physician to kill him, so that his life insurance would not be voided. A suicide compact with a notorious woman was claimed.

After Piano Factory.

Kingston, Dec. 11.—Deseronto is making a bid for the Wormwith Piano Works, and has offered a building.

A HELPFUL TALK TO SHEEP MEN

Debate at Guelph on Woollen Industry Proves Warm.

AWARDS IN OAT CONTEST

Five Prize-Winners Chosen With Difficulty Out of 76 Entries — Toronto Speakers Declare That Tax on Woollens Would Enable Canadian Mills to Use Entire Output — Farmers Get More.

Guelph, Dec. 11.—All day yesterday the interest in the winter fair was maintained and although the live stock was finished, the seed exhibit, the lectures on sheep, swine and cattle were of a high order, productive of much practical benefit.

The dressed carcasses were on exhibition and Mr. Featherston of Yorkshire fame from Streetsville won out in the bacon hog class.

Profs. Klinck and J. Buchanan completed their awards in the grain crop competition and in the 76 entires in white oats, the five prizes were awarded after much difficulty in deciding the valuable qualities of each. The results are valuable. The following awards were made:

First, Thomas McMurchy of Loree, Collingwood, on "New Sensation"; 2, James McLean of Richmond Hill, on "Irish White"; 3, John McLeod of Lucknow, on "White Danish"; 4, J. Cockburn of Aberfoyle, on "Lincoln"; 5, James Baird of Lucknow, on "Sensation."

Thus it will be seen that the banner oat was not mentioned here.

Cattle men were instructed in the art of diagnosing and remedying the diseases of cattle by Dr. H. G. Reed and Messrs. Robt. Miller and W. F. Stephen. The principal diseases were milk fever, contagious abortion and indigestion.

But it remained for the interjection of the woollen manufacturers and dealers into the sheep discussion to stir up a warm time. T. D. Wardlaw of Toronto in his paper touched on the prices and qualities of Canadian wools. Soon the vexed question of woollen tariffs and closed woollen mills stirred the meeting into a turmoil.

Discussion became general and Messrs. E. B. Biggar and H. V. Andrews of Toronto claimed that the imposition of a tax on woollen goods would enable Canadian mills to employ all the Canadian output. Farmers, they contend, would receive 5 to 10 cents a pound more for their wool. Col. McCrae, John Campbell and R. E. Gunn took part in the discussion.

Prof. Day in an excellent address on swine counseled the farmers to go on raising the bacon hog, and not quit because the packers are proving hard at times. He resented strongly the imputation that he was purchaseable by certain interests to act thus on his advice. His one aim was to give a true service to the people of Ontario and he would not curry favor by knocking the packer.

POULTRY IS EXEMPT.

Government Releases Christmas Trade From Meat Inspection Act.

Ottawa, Dec. 11.—The provisions of the Dominion Meat Inspection Act in so far as they apply to the shipments of poultry during the Christmas season, have been withdrawn by the Department of Agriculture.

The law provides for inspection of shipments from one province to another. Many merchants, not thinking the law applied to poultry, in anticipation of Christmas trade had laid in large stocks of poultry, but when they commenced to ship they found that the railways refused to carry their goods on account of the law. Shipments of dressed poultry are so large and so numerous that it was found impossible to apply the law to them. The removal of the rule will greatly facilitate Christmas poultry trade.

Engine a Menace.

Fort William, Dec. 11.—The jury empanelled to enquire into the death of E. R. Noble, engineer, who with his fireman, R. Horsley, was killed in the C.P.R. yards here, returned a verdict declaring: "We are of opinion that engine No. 2166, of which the deceased was in charge, was in a defective condition and unfit for service."

A number of reports were put in, one signed by the dead engineer in which he said:

"Dec. 6.—See report of Dec. 5, 'engine is menace to life and property in present condition.'"

Freight Rates Go Up.

Washington, Dec. 11.—Transcontinental freight tariffs, beginning Jan. 1 next, will be advanced on all eastbound traffic, both by rail and water. The class rates on westbound traffic will remain as they are now. The commodity rate on westbound traffic from Atlantic seaboard points to Pacific coast terminals will be increased approximately ten per cent.

This announcement was made yesterday by the interstate commerce commission.

Must Disinfect Boots.

Ottawa, Dec. 11.—To guard against the introduction of foot and mouth disease into Canada the Government officials at Niagara Falls have made regulations requiring foot passengers crossing the international bridges to have their boots disinfected before entering Canada.

It developed that the disease was carried to a herd of cattle on Grand Island by sectionmen, who had been in the Buffalo stock yard.

GERMANY SAID TO BE SUFFERING

Tariff War With Canada is Damaging Its Trade.

JOURNAL FAVORS TREATY

Hersen Courier Declares That Lack of Commercial Agreement is Not Doing Either Country Any Good and Urges Immediate Negotiations Toward Securing a Trade Treaty With Dominion.

Berlin, Dec. 11.—The Horsen Courier, the leading Stock Exchange organ, considers it the duty of the German press to draw the attention of the public from time to time to the fact that a tariff war between Germany and Canada is still proceeding and that the war, far from benefiting either party, is doing serious damage to German trade.

It welcomes the recent information of the German Economic Association for the furtherance of commercial relations between the countries as an excellent basis for a renewal of efforts to secure a satisfactory commercial treaty.

This association, it continues, could not have been established at a more favorable moment, for the elections have just given the Liberals a considerable Parliamentary majority, which will keep Laurier's Government firmly in the saddle for the next five years.

If efforts to renew the negotiations for the conclusion of a commercial treaty are not pushed forward energetically now all hope may be buried.

The Courier points out the value of Germany's exports to Canada, which from 35,800,000 marks in 1903 to 21,800,000 marks in 1905, and increased in the following years to 24,800,000 marks and 29,600,000 marks respectively. The value of Germany's exports from Canada has averaged during the five years ending 1907, a little more than $2,250,000. Were German goods not taxed as heavily as English goods and about a third higher than produce countries, Germany would now occupy a very different position in the Canadian market. In consequence of the rapid development of the country, Canada, The Courier adds, required an enormous amount of industrial products which cannot be supplied at home. As matters stand Germany can hope to participate to only a very modest extent in supplying these growing needs. "It is a matter of urgent necessity that every obstacle in the way of a conclusion of the German-Canadian commercial treaty should be overcome as soon as possible."

BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

The Saskatchewan Legislature opened yesterday.

A number of petty thefts is reported at Guelph.

The Amalgamated Press of England have declared a dividend of 40 per cent.

Hon. Nelson Monteith of Ontario was a visitor at the Calgary Poultry Show this week.

Twenty-eight below has been reported from places in the Adirondacks, New York State.

Montreal has 456 policeman and the chief has asked for 200 more. Burglaries average one a day.

Fire destroyed the barns, outbuildings and all of the contents belonging to John Pedan, who resides on the Harris farm east of Newtonville station. A lantern which was in the barn was knocked over by a cat.

Gift to McGill.

Montreal, Dec. 11.—In answer to the urgent appeal for financial assistance made by McGill University, Principal Peterson announced yesterday that Robert Reford, one of the board of governors, had donated securities to the value of $50,000, the revenue from which is to be used towards the increase of salaries of the professors in the various faculties.

In making the donation Mr. Reford stated he was well aware of the necessity of an increase in the salaries of professors of McGill if first-class men are to be retained and the standing of the university maintained.

McGill's needs call for $2,000,000.

Cleaning Up Montreal.

Montreal, Dec. 11.—A keeper of a house of ill-fame was heavily fined in the Police Court yesterday and placed under bond of $3,000, and her sworn oath to discontinue.

It is one result of a crusade by the rector of the Church of St. John the Evangelist to purify the town.

Man Died to Death.

Bismarck, N.D., Dec. 11.—Twenty-five passengers were seriously injured, one of whom, a man, died to death, when the Northern Pacific North Coast Limited jumped the track and ran down a ten-foot embankment.

Stamp Brings $210.

New York, Dec. 11.—An unusually fine unused copy of the very rare six-pence scarlet vermillion postage stamp of Newfoundland issue of 1857 brought $210 at the Collectors' Club in West Twenty-Sixth street.

Austria Plans Dreadnoughts.

Vienna, Dec. 11.—Advices from Pola, the chief naval station of Austria-Hungary, state that the naval authorities are planning the construction of the three 20,000 ton warships of the Dreadnought type.

Twenty-Two Below Zero.

Kingston, Dec. 11.—At Sharbot Lake yesterday the themometer registered 22 degrees below zero. In Kingston 5 degrees below were registered.

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If he is a man who enjoys the delightful soothing fumes of a fragrant Havana, he will appreciate the easy comfort of a *Smoking Jacket* or House Coat—he might prefer the Dressing Gown. Give him one of these handsome garments and notice the real enjoyment which is taken out of the long winter evenings.

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TWO MORE ARE DEAD.

Deaths In Kansas City Shooting Now Number Four.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 11.—Louis Pratt, one of the leaders of the band of fanatics that fought a bloody battle in front of the city hall here on Tuesday last with a squad of policemen, died at the hospital yesterday of his wounds. Almost at the same time Policeman Michael Mallane, who was shot during the riot, died, making the total number of deaths four.

James Sharp, the leader of the onslaught against the police has not been captured, but the police declare they will have him under arrest today.

Mrs. Pratt, who with her children is being held at police headquarters, now states she knows Sharp was a fake prophet, and wishes she had remained in "the good old Baptist Church."

Holy Rollers Ordered Out.

Sandusky, Ohio, Dec. 11.—The Holy Roller organization at Martin Heights, about 200 strong, was ordered to disband by irate townspeople yesterday, and the organizers, Jacob Hoppinger and J. C. Deeken of Buffalo, N.Y., were served with notice to leave the community. This action was prompted, it is said, by fear of trouble, due to the Kansas City affair. The Holy Rollers threaten resistance.

Bargains For Saturday

To help Christmas Shopping we are going to introduce a line of bargains, the like of which have never been in our window before.

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FOUND IN THE WOODS.

By GRANT PACKARD.

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Overnight the street corner had blossomed out with unpainted pine chestnut stands, topped by the roaster, which sent out the fragrance of the mealy nuts.

A crisp tang in the air sent the endless procession of workers along at a smarter pace. Only an occasional derelict sauntered along at a laggard's gait. Overhead a thin haze veiled the sky, changing the blue of the cloudless firmament to a softer tint, and through this a yellow sun burned dully.

Paul Westford as he hurried toward the office sniffed the odor of the roasting chestnuts and smiled reminiscently. Of course chestnuts roasted in a pan over a charcoal fire could not be as good as when they were gathered in the wood and roasted in a fire shovel.

It took two to roast chestnuts properly, two in a cozy parlor, with an open fire for the only illustration.

He knew all about roasting chestnuts. It was while they were roasting chestnuts that Carol Ryder had promised to be his wife. Ever since that night the perfume of the chestnut stands had reminded him of the girl he had loved and lost.

The course of true love had run with its customry irregularity, so it befell that during one of their misunderstandings John Ryder, Carol's father, had fallen upon evil times. His investments were threatened for lack of ready money. Another man had come to Ryder's aid and had claimed Carol as his reward.

The girl had married him in the mistaken belief that she owed it to her father to obey his wishes, and when Paul sought reconciliation he had found that it was too late.

He had come to the city that he might not be reminded daily of his loss and had prospered greatly. He had found engrossment if not forgetfulness in business.

Yet always the smell of roasting chestnuts brought back to him that night in the Ryder parlor, and he could feel again that thrill of joy when he heard the whispered "Yes."

Today it came back to him more strongly than ever, and on the pages of the letters he opened he could see the picture of the woods about Carrisville, rioting with color under the autumn sun.

He had never gone back to the town since his first departure. He had never wanted to see the place. But today he heard the country call him, and the call was not to be denied. He arranged with his chief clerk to look after affairs for a few days, and that night he left on the sleeper for Carrisville.

He found the town was sadly changed. Paul arrived in the early hours, when few were stirring, and as a sleepy hackman drove a sleepier horse through the silent street Paul felt a lump rise in his throat as when one greets an old friend and finds him that friend no longer, but even more foreign than an actual stranger.

The old brick schoolhouse had grown into a stone structure several stories in height. There was a new Methodist church, and many of the old houses had been replaced by more imposing structures, while in the business section the store fronts had been altered to present a metropolitan aspect.

It was not until after lunch and Paul had started out into the country that he began to feel at home. He had looked up none of his old friends, fearing to find them as sadly changed as the village itself.

There was a trolley now to take him to the outskirts of the town, but he dropped off when the canal bridge came in sight and the trolley turned on the road to the river. The bridge was not changed.

It was the same low, white structure from which he had dropped many a time to the deck of some passing canalboat to ride down to the lock and beg a ride back.

Beyond the bridge, too, the road looked the same. The trend of progress had been along the line of the trolley, and on this side of the canal the farmhouses were unchanged.

They had not even mended the break in the fence where he formerly slipped through for the short cut to the marsh. Here the largest frogs were always to be caught, and Paul was tempted to push through just to see if he still was slender enough.

It was a sharp climb up the hill, and Paul was glad to pause and rest for a moment when he gained the crest. Below, the canal wound its way between grassy banks, the towpath, dotted with toiling mules, showing white against the green.

Farther yet the river flowed placidly on to the churning foam of the rapids below, and between lay the level acres now yellow with stubble. In the valley, the autumn tints were not yet pronounced, but at his back, on the heights, the woods were glorious with red and gold.

Paul started out at a brisk pace for the chestnut grove where the nuts were always biggest and best. On the Saturday holiday the woods would be dotted with the nutpickers, but today he had the place to himself. He was on familiar ground now, and he headed straight for the grove.

There were few nuts on the ground, but Paul was not content with these, and, slipping off his coat and vest, he swung up into the biggest tree to shake some down.

He felt an odd sense of elation as he found that he could climb as well as ever, in spite of city life and elevators, and he determined to climb to the very top of the tree. It was from this same tree that he had had many a fall in his knickerbocker days, and he wanted to show his mastery of his old enemy.

The pride that goeth before a fall was his, and the inevitable tumble came. He was nearly back to the bottom limb when, with an ominous crackle, one of the yellow branches by which he was steadying himself gave way, he lost his balance and fell heavily to the ground.

For a moment he lay, half stunned, then a burning pain in his ankle roused him. Dragging himself to a sitting posture, he cut the laces of the boot and with his handkerchief bound the sprained ankle as tightly as he could. Then, by slow degrees, he made his way to his coat and slipped it on to prevent a cold.

Holding to the trunk of the tree he sought to rise, but he sank to the ground again and rested for a moment until the sharp pain ceased.

There was no stick in sight that could be used as a cane, and without such an aid there was small chance of being able to make his way to the edge of the wood, where he might be able to attract the attention of some pedestrian, on the road below. Yet he would crawl on his hands and knees rather than pass the night in the open.

He was still considering the situation when he spied a flash of brown and scarlet between the trees, and a girl came slowly toward him. As she came more clearly into view Paul gasped and rubbed his eyes.

Coming toward him was Carol Ryder, not as he expected to find her with the weight of added years, but as young and girlish as on that day when they two had gathered chestnuts and taken them home to roast.

It seemed that it must be some vision, for he had seen a late picture of Carol, and the girlishness had given place to a matronly dignity that sat oddly on her young face. This was the girl of the olden day—his Carol—and as she approached he struggled to rise and fell. She came hurrying toward him.

"You have hurt your ankle," she asked in a voice that surely must be Carol's. "I will try and find a stick for you to use as a cane. Don't try to rise until I bring you one."

She hurried away and presently reappeared with a stout branch.

"You will have to trim it down a little with your knife," she explained. "It was the best I could find. Is it Paul Westford?" she added as, for the first time, she studied his face.

"It's Paul Westford," he assented, "but you cannot be Carol?"

"I'm her sister Edith," she explained with a light laugh. "I was just at the awkward age when you left, and, anyhow, you never had eyes for any one but Carol."

"You look very like her," he said quietly as he rose by aid of the cane.

"So every one tells me," was the girl's careless comment. "You had better take my arm too. It will be safer. Do you think you can manage it?"

"Easily," he agreed as he accepted her suggestion and rested his free hand lightly upon her arm.

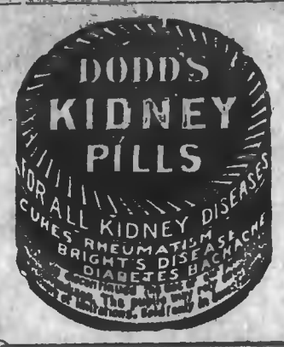
Slowly they made their way to the clearing, and not until they left the woods behind did Edith stop with a little cry of dismay.

"You never got the nuts," she cried, "and you came all the way from town to get them!"

"I came in search of old memories," said Paul softly as he looked down into the eager face upturned to his. "I thought they were dead memories, and I find that they still live."

The color flooded the girl's face as she turned it aside, but not till eyes had spoken to eyes, and Paul knew that he had found his mate.

No one loves the man whom he fears. —Aristotle.



ALEXANDRA AT HOME.

Simple Everyday Life of the Queen of England—A Great Letter Writer.

Few people can realize the comparative simplicity of the everyday life of Queen Alexandra, especially when in Scotland or at Sandringham. While in Norfolk the queen spends much of her time in the open air, walking, driving and doing short expeditions in her motor car.

After breakfast she and one or more of the several ladies who may be staying in the house make an expedition to kennels, stables and poultry yard to feed and interview the favorite dogs, horses and poultry of the establishment. In the afternoon a drive is arranged, and the evenings pass cheerily with music, cards and conversation. Dinner at Sandringham is always at 8:45.

It may be mentioned, says Town and Country, that the royal servants' liveries have a quaint old world appearance and are different in cut to those seen elsewhere. The coats are scarlet, made in the swallowtail style, with dark blue waistcoats edged by narrow gold braid. The men wear no collars, but have gold stocks, and white satin breeches and white silk stockings complete their stately costume. All the royal menservants are over six feet in height.

The queen is an indefatigable letter writer. She has been known to write as many as forty letters in one day with her own hand, and Miss Knollys, her lady in waiting, often would get through a hundred, all written under the queen's personal supervision. Queen Alexandra's note paper is cream colored and rather rough, with the royal crown and address in dark blue and of the simplest design.

During the shooting season the queen sends a great deal of game to her own particular friends, and the hampers are labeled "With the queen's compliments." At Christmas time she often presents her intimates with a signed photograph of herself in a silver frame. Queen Alexandra is a keen photographer and has transferred some of her photographs on to china.

CLEANING GRAY HAIR.

Much Care Necessary to Keep It in Good Condition.

The woman who has gray hair may be very proud of it because of its artistic beauty and the fact that it is the height of fashion.

Her problem in these days is how to keep it clean. For the first time she envies the woman who has the kind of hair that can be washed in anything and remain clear and keep its color.

Every speck of dust and soil streaks white hair with gray and yellow. The latter is a sign that the hair needs cleansing. It is not always easy to do this away from home, and it is not always successful when done by any one else. It is said by an expert that one of the best ways to clean it during the summer months, when perspiration takes away all the polish from it, is to wash it once every three or four weeks with the raw white of an egg mixed with castile soap.

The use of bicarbonate of soda is not good for any one with gray hair. Borax and ammonia should also be avoided.

One woman whose hair is inclined to be harsh under frequent washings always keeps it clean and sweet smelling by dusting it two or three times a week with finely powdered orris root and good talcum.

She rubs this in the hair, lets it remain for a day, then shakes it out and brushes it in small divisions so the bristles can draw out every particle of powder.

This takes the dust with it, whitens the hair and removes every trace of perspiration and oiliness.

Women and Morals.

We hope that women who claim their rights will use them soberly and well. It is of ill omen that most of the novels that throw morality to the winds and picture vicious living in seductive colors as an exercise of freedom and self realization are written by women. Women are the natural custodians of a high moral standard, and if they lower the standard they will fall themselves and drag men down with them.

No Private Interview.

"Could I have a few minutes' private conversation with you?" he asked as he stood at the open door of a lawyer's office.

"Can't you speak right out from where you are?" asked the lawyer in reply after looking the man over.

"I'd rather make a private matter of it."

"What is the nature of your business?"

"Confidential—strictly private and confidential, sir."

"Well, I have no time to grant you a private interview. If you have anything to say, you can let her go right here. Now, what is it?"

"I—I wanted the loan of a quarter, sir," stammered the man.

"Oh, you did! And you wanted a private interview to ask me that?"

"Yes, sir. I knew that would hurt both our feelings if I were refused in public—yours because you couldn't afford to loan me the money and mine because I couldn't get it. Can you grant my request, sir?"

"No, sir."

"And does it hurt you feelings?"

"Not a bit. You are mistaken on that point."

"And my feelings are the only ones hurt?"

"Yours alone."

"Just so," said the man as he bowed and backed out. "I beg your pardon. I was mistaken. You have the money and no feelings, and I have the feelings and no money. Impassable chasm; no use in trying to bridge. Good day!" —Washington Post.

CHAPPED HANDS

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ZAM-BUK ON CANADIAN FARMS.

Every farm should have its box of Zam-Buk always kept handy. Writing from Ochre River (Man.), Mr. C D McArthur states:—"I cannot praise Zam-Buk too highly. It is the only thing that has done my hands any good. They crack and bleed in the cold weather, but Zam Buk has soothed and healed them in fine style. I have a brother who suffers in the same way, and he also has found Zam Buk of great value as a balm for cuts, burns, and skin injuries of all kinds so frequently sustained in farming. Zam-Buk is in our estimation without any equal."

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Making Sure of Having Good Eggs

Sir Gilbert Parker, the novelist M.P. in the British Commons, who has traveled extensively and acquired a great knowledge of the ways of the world, tells many good stories of his experiences. One relates to an English officer and himself. At a small post in Egypt they lived practically on eggs and tinned meat, and, as there was nothing else to be had, the eggs were a very important item of the dietary. Day after day the eggs, like those of the oft-quoted curate, were "very good in parts," but one morning they were frankly bad. The officer, who had the power of life and death in those parts, determined that the eggs should be fresh in future, so the egg merchant was brought before him. "Open your mouth," said the officer, and the wretched man, standing between two sentries, obeyed, trembling. Slowly and solemnly an evil-smelling egg was poured in. Again the command was given, and again a potential rooster was gulped down. A third followed the other two. After that, whoever else may have had bad eggs palmed off on them, Sir Gilbert Parker and the officer were well served.

One Thing Was Certain.

When Carol was nearly four years old her parents had occasion to move into another part of town, and one morning when a strange little girl wandered into the yard Carol, who is an only child, was delighted with the idea of a playfellow.

"Good morning, little girl," she called out brightly. "Did you tome to play wiv me?"

The little girl, who was older and larger than Carol, stared and was dumb.

"What's your name, little girl?" Carol proceeded.

No answer.

"Are you five?"

Still no answer.

"Are you six?"

The child fidgeted and grinned, but remained silent, with her finger in her mouth.

Carol surveyed her calmly a moment and then remarked emphatically, "Well, I don't know your name and I don't know how old you are, but I do know you aren't very smart for your age!"—Delineator.

His Lost Opportunities.

"Of all the masterpieces of art and nature there is just one that my infirmity prevents my studying critically," said the shortsighted man. "I never get a really satisfactory look at a pretty woman. When my attention is directed to an especially fine picture, a piece of statuary, a fine building or a beautiful landscape I am at liberty to come as near as I like, adjust the strongest magnifying glasses I can get hold of and study that object of art to my heart's content. But when somebody says, 'By George, there's a handsome woman,' I am denied that privilege. Conventionality, consideration for the lady's sensibilities, forbid that I should study her at close range through a magnifying glass. Consequently I am struggling through life with my curiosity in regard to feminine pulchritude only half satisfied."—New York Press.

Dodged.

"I got my wife through advertising."

"Then you'll admit that advertising pays?"

"I'll admit that it brings results," was the cautious reply.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

No man can be provident of his time who is not prudent in the choice of his company.—Jeremy Taylor.

NO WOMAN

CAN BE STRONG AND HEALTHY UNLESS THE KIDNEYS ARE WELL.

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Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Peterboro, Montreal and East	8:10 a.m.	9:05 p.m
Toronto, Lindsay, Stouffville, Uxbridge and Markham	11:40 a.m. 7:10 a.m. 9:00 p.m. 10:10 p.m.	11:45a.m 9:30 p.m
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STORIES OF THE BANK

STRANGE THINGS HAVE BEFALLEN TREASURE HOUSE.

Sudden Demand For Cash In Exchange For Notes Nearly Broke the Bank of England Once, But Clever Ruse Saved the Day—"Old Patch" the King of the Forgers Withstood Arrest For a Long Time.

There is no institution that has more romance attached to it than the Bank of England. It has been nearly ruined on several occasions, it has been beset with thieves — one gang robbed it of over $500,000 thirty years ago—forgery and frauds have been practiced upon it by the most accomplished criminals in history, and yet "safe as the Bank of England" is a saying which, in spite of the institution's many ups and downs, is true to the letter.

One morning, just after the bank opened, an angry and excited crowd thronged the street demanding cash for notes. There was actually double the money in notes in the hands of that mob to what there was gold in the bank, and the outlook was a bad one. Gold had to be got to pay off every claimant, but that took time. So the directors sent men with notes into the crowd, whose claims they attended to first, and paid each claim in sixpences and shillings. Some men walked away sacks of shillings over their backs, but the time gained by this method of payment saved the bank, and every claim was paid.

After this the bank decided to reassure its depositors by displaying in the bank windows and near the cashiers' desks sacks overflowing with sovereigns, but the public did not know that the sacks were full of coal with only a layer of sovereigns on top.

The man who gave the bank the most trouble was one named Charles Price, and he was given the nickname of "Old Patch" because he often wore a black patch over his right eye for no reason save as a disguise. He was one of the finest engravers in the world, beating even the bank engravers. He put forged notes into circulation with surprising skill, and a battle royal began between him and the bank.

Had he not been a master of disguise, he would have been caught long before he was, but he managed to swindle the bank out of more than $300,000 before he slipped into the hands of the law in a curious manner. He used to dress in a long, black cloak which generally covered the lower part of his face, and, although he employed more than a dozen agents, none had ever seen him out of his disguise.

It was one of these agents who turned upon him. Realizing that the man was making a fortune, he lay in wait for him and slunk into the corner of a doorway when the muffled figure drew near. Then leaping upon him he tore away his disguise and threatened to betray him to the police unless he acceded to certain preposterous terms. Price refused, so his agent carried out his word, and two months later the arch-criminal was convicted and hanged.

Only one man has succeeded in breaking into the bank, and this happened about thirty years ago. One day the directors received a letter from an anonymous person saying that he would meet any person the bank liked to appoint in the bullion rooms at midnight on a date fixed, but that the person keeping the appointment must not be armed. At first it was thought to be a hoax, but as a precaution detectives searched the bullion vaults thoroughly, and were quite satisfied that under no circumstances could a man enter those rooms; but they waited all through the night, and beyond hearing a peculiar scraping noise which they attributed to rats they heard and saw nothing.

A week later the bank directors were staggered at receiving a box in which lay several securities from the bank vaults, and enclosed was a note saying that if the directors would send a man to the vaults at midnight on the same day the writer would meet him there after having broken in from outside.

Accordingly three men went down into the vaults with lanterns at midnight and waited. Presently they heard a scraping noise, and a light appeared at one end of the vaults, which vanished, however, on their approach. Then a man's voice coming, it seemed, from right under their feet, told them to put out their own lanterns and he would appear. They did so with some trepidation, and carrying a dark lantern a man came on the scene. He explained that he was a sewer cleaner, and had discovered a disused drain which he found ran right into the bank vaults. He had stolen nothing, so the bank gave him a reward, which, it was whispered, ran into thousands, for his honesty.

The most successful thief the bank ever had to deal with was Bidwell, an American, who arrived with his gang in 1873. He distributed his agents all over the country, buying up genuine bills that could be manipulated, and then paid into the bank a bona fide bill of Rothschild's for $28,500, saying that he was going to start making Pullman cars in England. Following this he paid in forged bills to the value of over $510,000, and paid the amounts to himself under the name of Warren at the Continental Bank. This great fraud might have gone on longer than it did had the delinquents not forgotten to put the dates on two of the bills, whereupon they were returned to Messrs. Rothschild for rectification. Then the fraud was discovered, and the thieves caught just as they were starting for the continent with their spoil.

When you enter the bank by any door four pairs of eyes watch you though you are unaware of this fact. Situated close to the doors are hiding-places in which are four guardians of the bank. You cannot see them, but they can watch you with the aid of reflecting mirrors in which they can see your entrance and exit, and every movement from the time you enter the portals of wealth to the moment you leave them.

PETTING A HORSE.

If You Want to Please Him Rub Him Between the Ears.

"Not many people know how to pet a horse, from the horse's standpoint, at any rate," said a trainer. "Every nice looking horse comes in for a good deal of petting. Hitch a fine horse close to the curb and you'll find that half the men, women and children who go by will stop for a minute, say 'Nice horsy' and give him an affectionate pat or two.

"The trouble is they don't pat him in the right place. If you want to make a horse think he is going straight to heaven hitched to a New York cab or delivery wagon, rub his eyelids. Next to that form of endearment a horse likes to be rubbed right up between the ears. In petting horses most people slight those nerve centers. They stroke the horse's nose. While a well behaved horse will accept the nasal caress complacently, he would much prefer that nice, soothing touch applied to the eyelids. Once in awhile a person comes along who really does know how to pet a horse. Nine times out of ten that man was brought up in the country among horses and learned when a boy their peculiar ways."—New York Globe.

Queer Old Book Titles.

These are some of the odd titles of old English books published ... the time of Cromwell:

"A Most Delectable Sweet Perfumed Nosegay For God's Saints to Smell At."

"Biscuit Baked In the Oven of Charity, carefully conserved for the Chickens of the Church, the Sparrows of the Spirit and the Sweet Swallows of Salvation."

"A Sigh of Sorrow For the Sinners of Zion breathed out of a Hole In the Wall of an Earthly Vessel known Among Men by the name of Samuel Fish."

"Eggs of Charity Layed For the Chickens of the Covenant and Boiled with the Water of Divine Love. Take ye out and Eat."

"The Spiritual Mustard Pot to make the Soul Sneeze with Devotion."

The Sailor's Prayer Book.

"This is what you call the sailor's prayer book," a seaman said bitterly as he kicked a holystone out of the way. "Why is it called that? Well, in the first place, it is called that because in using it, in holystoning the deck, the sailor has to kneel down, and, in the second place, because all holystoning is done on Sunday. Don't you know the chantey—

"Six days shalt thou work and do all that thou art able
And on the seventh holystone the decks and scrape the cable.

"The stone is called holystone because the first holystones were bits of tombs stolen from cemeteries. It's got a pious, religious sound—holy and prayer book and Sunday and all that—but it is when he is using this stone that the seaman is most profane."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

It Happened Before.

A self made, self satisfied and self assertive itinerant preacher was expatiating to a college graduate on his own eloquence.

"Colleges," he declared, "ain't necessary when a preacher's got a genuine call to the ministry. I'm thankful to say the Lord opened my mouth without education."

"That's interesting," returned his hearer. "Come to think of it, something like that happened several thousand years ago in connection with Balaam, wasn't it?"—Circle Magazine.

In a Nutshell.

"Big talker," declared the Indian who had been listening to a local candidate. "Heap scrap."

"And what if he is not elected?"

"Scrap heap."—Kansas City Journal.

A Peculiar Bird.

"A Naturalist in Africa," Mr. P. B. Shaw, gives some interesting details of a bird which is very common on the Umtata river, in the Kambe forest district of Zululand, but which it is found somewhat difficult to classify. In its general appearance, color, and deportment it is apparently nothing more remarkable than our old friend the crow. But its habits are very different. It is a fish-eater, and swims the river like a duck, dives like a diver bird, and has the power of staying quite a remarkable time under water. In repose, its neck is like that of a crow, but when fish-catching or diving the neck stretches out to nearly three times its normal apparent length; while its bill, on close examination, is found to be flattened at the ends.

To Suffer From Headaches Makes Life Miserable.

It takes a person that has had or is subject to headaches to describe the suffering which attends them.

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PILES

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Fifteen degrees above zero—unpleasantly warm.

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Ten degrees below zero—pleasantly fresh and bracing.

Twenty degrees below zero—sharp, but not severely cold. One must keep one's fingers and toes in motion and rub one's nose occasionally.

Thirty degrees below zero—very cold. Particular care must be taken of the nose and extremities. Plenty of the fattest food must be eaten.

Forty degrees below zero—intensely cold. One must keep awake at all hazards, muffle up to the eyes and test the circulation frequently, that it may not stop somewhere before one knows it.

Fifty degrees below zero—a struggle for life.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Drank and Remembered.

A porter in a big New York warehouse in Greenwich street was recently discharged for getting drunk and losing a valuable parcel. The discharge sobered him instantly, coming as a sudden hard shock. He said he would take the oath never to touch liquor again, but his pleadings for reinstatement were unheeded. He searched everywhere for the parcel, but could not recollect what disposition he had made of it. Of his honesty there had never been a question in twenty years. Overcome by the loss of his place, he got violently drunk and while in this condition recollected where he had left the parcel and went and recovered it.—New York Times.

Where Willie Was.

The professor (at the dinner table)—Oh, by the way, Mrs. Chopsticks, have you seen your little boy Willie lately? Mrs. Chopsticks—No, professor, I have not seen him since 10 o'clock, and I can't imagine what has become of him. In fact, I am very much worried about him. Professor—Well, seeing Martha pour me out that glass of water just now reminded me of something that I had on my mind to tell you some time ago, but which unfortunately escaped my memory. It was just about 10 o'clock, I think, that I saw little Willie fall down the well.—Atlanta Constitution.

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LAND OF THE CROSSBOW.

The Deadly Poisoned Arrows of the Lissoo Sharpshooters.

On the wild frontier between China and British Burma is a barbarous tribe which has no civilized supervision. George Forrest, an English traveler, thus describes the chief weapon of these people: "If I had to suggest a title for a book on the upper Salwin I should call it 'The Land of the Crossbow,' which is the characteristic weapon of the country and the Lissoo tribe. Every Lissoo with any pretensions to chic possesses at least two of these weapons—one for everyday use in hunting, the other for war. The little children play with miniature crossbows. The men never leave their huts for any purpose whatever without their crossbows. When they go to sleep the 'nukung' is hung over their heads, and when they die it is hung over their graves. The largest crossbows have a span of fully five feet and require a pull of fully thirty-five pounds to string them. The bow is made of a species of wild mulberry of great toughness and flexibility. The stock, some four feet long in the war bows, is usually of wild plum wood. The string is of plaited hemp and the trigger of bone. The arrow, of sixteen to eighteen inches, is of split bamboo about four times the thickness of an ordinary knitting needle, hardened and pointed. The actual point is bare for a quarter to one-third of an inch, then for fully an inch the arrow is stripped to half its thickness, and on this portion poison is placed.

"The poison is invariably a decoction expressed from the tubers of a species of aconitum which grows on those ranges at an altitude of 8,000 to 10,000 feet. The poison is mixed with resin or some vegetable gum to the consistency of putty and is then smeared on the notched point. The 'feather' is supplied by a strip of bamboo leaf folded into a triangular form and tied in a notch at the end of the arrow, with the point of the angle outward. The reduction in thickness of the arrow where the poison is placed causes the point to break off in the body of any one whom it strikes, and, as each carries enough poison to kill a cart horse, a wound is invariably fatal. Free and immediate incision is the usual remedy when wounded on a limb or fleshy part of the body, but at Chengka the uncle of the Laowo chief showed us a preparation which resembled opium dross and which he said was an effective antidote.

"With few exceptions the Lissoo seemed to us to be arrant cowards, but the crossbow and poisoned arrow are certainly most diabolical weapons. An arrow from a war bow will pierce a deal board an inch thick at seventy or eighty yards. Some of the Tsekou natives were so expert that they could hit a mark four inches in diameter repeatedly at sixty to eighty yards. As no one goes anywhere without his crossbow and his bearskin quiver full of poisoned arrows and as every village is at feud with every other village mutual suspicion is inevitable. In open fight the Lissoo are usually careful to keep at a respectful distance from each other and behind oxhide shields which protect the whole of the body. But if battle is rare, murder and sudden death by ambush in the jungle are common."

Reward of Gallantry.

Charles Chatwin, a Coventry, England, boy, who has rescued four children from the canal at different times, has received from the deputy-mayor, Ald. A. H. Drinkwater, the Life-Saving Society's bronze medal in recognition of his bravery.

A Bona-fide Pun.

This is how Sir Francis Burnand, in a recent article, described one attributed to Charles Mathews. It was made on the name of a well-known comedian, named Howe. Mathews was alone on the stage, puzzling over the best way of dealing with a difficulty. His soliloquy finished by his saying to himself and the audience, with a puzzled expression of countenance, "Yes, that's what I ought to do, and it is what I will do. But how?" At that very moment Howe appeared at the back. In a second Mathews, pouncing with his thumb to the character who had just entered, said to the audience, in a tremendously confidential whisper, audible all over the house, "That's Howe." The pun was said off-hand at a rehearsal and repeated every night. It took immensely, the audience being convulsed with laughter.

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"What's the trouble?" he was asked.

"Opsonic test," he replied gloomily.

"What in the world is that?"

"I've been run down of late and feeling pretty blue. As there is consumption in my family, I consulted a specialist. He said I didn't have the disease yet, but he would tell me what my chances were of getting it. We are constantly breathing tuberculosis germs, he explained, but healthy blood has the power to destroy them. So he took a drop of my blood and inoculated it with a certain number of germs. In half an hour he examined it under the microscope and found that only half as many germs had been killed as should have been the case. Normal, healthy blood is said to have an opsonic test of 100, so my test was only 50/ He advised me to build up my strength by sanitary living—lots of fresh air day and night, plenty of sleep, wholesome food and moderation in work and pleasure."

"Where does smoking come in?"

"He said that tobacco had an extraordinary effect in decreasing the power of the blood to destroy germs. Some men who smoke a great deal have an opsonic test of zero—that is, their blood has no effect whatever on germs. I am fond of my cigar, but when a specialist levels an opsonic test all cocked and primed at your head and says, 'Tobacco or your life,' what are you going to do but throw up your hands?'—New York Tribune.

DESOLATION ISLAND.

Kerguelen Land Is a Region of Perpetual Storms.

Of all places on earth outside the arctic and antarctic regions Kerguelen Land, in the Indian ocean, is the most isolated and inhospitable. Indeed, it is generally known to mariners not by its official title, but as Desolation island.

Most nations have owned it by turns, but it has been sooner or later abandoned by them all as worthless, and this although it covers an area variously estimated at from 1,500 to 2,000 square miles. At present France is in nominal possession of it, she having annexed it in 1893.

The soil is utterly barren. Practically the whole of the interior is covered with snow fields of unknown depth, whence glaciers flow down to the sea. Where there are no snow fields there are morasses and hidden, treacherous mudholes.

The climate is probably the worst in the world. Terrific tempests follow one another practically without ceasing and are accompanied by torrents of ice cold rain, hail, sleet and snow. The Challenger expedition spent a month there, during which time there were only three fine days. And this was in December-January, when it is midsummer in those latitudes.

Its discoverer, M. Kerguelen Tremarec, although at first he professed to be enraptured with it, lived to confess that it was unfit for human habitation. "Not even Eskimos," he exclaimed, "could exist there."—Pearson's.

Too Cheap.

The class at kirk had been reading the story of Joseph and his brethren, and it came to the turn of the visiting minister to examine the boys.

The replies to all of his questions had been quick, intelligent and correct, such as:

"What great crime did these sons of Jacob commit?"

"They sold their brother Joseph."

"Quite correct. And for how much?"

"Twenty pieces of silver."

"And what added to the cruelty and wickedness of these bad brothers?"

A pause.

"What made their treachery even more detestable and heinous?"

Then a bright little fellow stretched out an eager hand.

"Well, my man?"

"Please, sir, they selt him ower cheap."

Very Nearly Trouble.

"Horace, you don't love me as you used to."

"Not altogether, my dear. When we were first married I loved you for your beauty. Now I love you for your real worth, your many excellencies of mind and heart and for your"—

"So, Horace Higgsworthy! You think I've got entirely over my good looks, do you? Let me tell you, sir"—

"And for your unfailing sweetness of disposition, my dear."

Uncertain whether to go ahead and scold him just the same or to indulge in a good cry, she compromised by doing neither and fell to darning his socks with renewed energy.

A Conundrum.

Little Flora—Mamma, you ain't a girl, are you? Mamma—Certainly not, my dear. I'm a woman. Little Flora—But you were a little girl, weren't you? Mamma—Oh, yes, years ago. Little Flora—Well, where is the little girl now that you used to be?—Chicago News.

Steam.

"Can you tell me what steam is?" asked the examiner.

"Why, sure, sir," replied Patrick confidently. "Steam is—why—er—it's wather that's gone crazy wid the heat."—Everybody's.

One may dominate moral sufferings only by labor. Study saves from discouragement.—D'Abrantes.

Loss?

"I should think a doctor with so many friends would have lots of practice."

"But he won't treat his friends. He says he hates to lose them."—Kansas

TRIBAL CUSTOMS.

Missionary Has Made Interesting Discoveries Regarding Papuans.

A Methodist missionary in British New Guinea—now known as Papua—Rev. W. E. Brownlow, has added to the world's knowledge of the curious and little known races of the great North Pacific island by the discovery and partial taming of a new tribe.

The race in question consists of about 20,000 blacks, living at a place called Dobu. The customs of the race are most curious. The immigration policy is more drastic than that of "White Australia," for all strangers have either to become full members of the tribe or be eaten. When dealing with Mr. Brownlow, however, the difficulty was got over by making him a father of the tribe.

Women have great influence in the affairs of the tribe, and their duties are quite distinct from those of the men. The men clear the bush and dig the ground, then the women prepare it and plant yams, the crop being theirs. If a man wanted any yams he had to ask for them. The banana patch, however, was his own property. Wives were obtained by purchase. If a man paid well for his wife he could thrash her occasionally, but she could leave him if she did not like it, and go back to her own village, where she still had a home.

In the religion of the people, continued Mr. Brownlow, there was something of ancestral worship. A deceased relative was regarded as sacred, and his name must not be mentioned on pain of death. An exception was made in the case of anyone being ill, and given up by the medicine man. The invalid might then call upon the name of an ancestor, invoking him to bring back the spirit of the dying man. Their heaven was a place where the healthy, strong and good-looking went. All the others went to hell. They believe in a being who created them, but left them alone afterward.

FROM FACTORY TO PULPIT.

British Passive-Resister Is Still a Youngster at Seventy-Two.

Dr. John Clifford, who recently celebrated his seventy-second birthday and his jubilee as a Baptist minister in England, worked as a boy in a lace factory. In spite of the long hours he studied at night in order to educate himself for the ministry—for before he had reached his teens he had made up his mind to be a preacher. There are few more popular preachers to-day, and even those whom he fought over Mr. Balfour's Education Bill by Passive Resistance methods have paid tribute to his sterling sincerity and courage. One anecdote may be told about the Passive-Resistance movement which reveals the character of the man, who was then in his seventieth year. He received at 2 a.m. an urgent message to attend the first Passive-Resistance sale to be held at a small Derbyshire village. At 4 a.m. he was at St. Pancras for the newspaper train, and after a drive of seven miles across the Derbyshire hills reached the place of sale in time to address his co-religionists.

In spite of his age, Dr. Clifford still keeps a merry heart, and is often full of boisterous fun. He leaps gates and jumps hedges with the youngest, and keeps a whole party in good spirits with his witty remarks. On one occasion he and his "boys"—as he calls his young men—were having a summer outing and traveled in a compartment labelled "Engaged." There were one or two vacant places, however, and a young lady, not of the institute party, anxiously seeking a seat, came to the door of the carriage and asked if she might enter. "By all means," replied the doctor, with a twinkle in his eye, "if you don't mind being engaged."

"As Dead as Queen Anne."

Mr. P. F. W. Ryan, the author of "Queen Anne and Her Court," just published, offers a curious and plausible explanation of the old saying, "Dead as Queen Anne." During the closing years of the reign of Anne Her Majesty lived much in retirement at Windsor, while her brother, the pretender, resided in Lorraine, awaiting an opportunity to strike a blow for the possession of his sister's throne. The Queen's health was precarious, and, living much in seclusion, it was not surprising that rumors of her death constantly alarmed London. The citizens expected that on the death of the Queen the Pretender would appear in the capital at the head of a French army.

Constant rumors of this kind, which were as constantly shown to be lies, produced in the public mind a state of scepticism concerning all news as to the Queen's health. When the end did come the people were naturally incredulous, and only the official proclamation some hours after her death convinced them that the Queen was really dead. On that subject no further lies could be told to harm honest Londoners. Hence the saying "Dead as Queen Anne," came to be the most emphatic possible way of asserting that somebody or something was gone beyond all hope of life or resurrection.

The Palms of Trinidad.

Of the many beautiful plants, flowers and trees in the West Indies, none are more captivating to the eye than the Moriche Palms of Trinidad. Sixty feet aloft, reared on smooth, slender columns, their great fan-like leaves form a splendid groined roof. Round the bole of each leaf is a growth like ostrich plumes, packed close round the brown stems, and showing such tracery, carving, and painting as nature only can devise. The native-dweller in the Moriche wood is in keeping with its majestic beauty—a wild brown man, who feeds his hogs on Moriche fruit and Mombin plums, and whose only work in life is collecting for sale ant-eater skins.

Seizes Cow For Fine.

John Martin, brother of ex-Ald. Joe Martin of Windsor, by refusing to pay a fine in the Police Court for violation of the sanitation law, is minus a cow and a buggy. Chief Willis having seized them for sale to cover the amount of a fine which was inflicted several months ago.

No Better Half.

She—So the fortune teller told you that you would never marry. He—Yes—that is, indirectly. She—What did she say? He—She said I was born to command.—Exchange.

OLD TIME FORCEPS.

When the Thing Was Turned Something Had to Give Way.

And speaking of teeth reminds me that the country doctor had to draw them when they ached. The dentist's artistry had not attained the elevated plane it occupies today, when everybody's mouth shines like the inside of a communion cup. I honestly believe the modern dentist has more different kinds of tools than even a sanitary plumber, and that's a whole lot when you come to count them up. The modern dentist hates the worst way to draw a tooth. Nevertheless if the modern dentist must draw the tooth he has a particular forceps for a particular tooth, and a cruel hearted and cold looking thing it is too. It puts you so in mind of a successful financier. When you brace yourself in the iron chair and take a tight grip on the arms of it and make up your mind you'll try to stand it and he gets that forceps well under the gum and—wait a minute; I feel so kind o' faint! Laws! Why didn't I mind my mother when she told me not to crack hickory nuts with my teeth? Well, anyway, you know he'll get the tooth out without doing more than take the whole top of your head off, and that only in a figurative sense.

Uncle Doc had one implement that did for every tooth, big and little, front and back. It wasn't a forceps; it was a turnkey. The real old folks know what that is and will say so with the cold chills running over them. But you've never seen one, and many a man that you would call old has never seen one. It's something like a canthook. The loosely riveted piece that curves slips over the tooth and catches on the inside; the solid cam bears on the outside gum; the operator turns the handle. Let's not talk about it. Something has got to give. Maybe the tooth will come out; maybe it will break off; maybe the jaw will fracture. All those are details. The main point is that if the operator twists the handle something has got to give, and that's all there is about it.—Eugene Wood in Success Magazine.

A GENTLE REPROACH.

Telling Retort of the Lamblike, Violet Eyed Beauty.

There is a certain young woman who is beautiful, with that childish, wistful, innocent looking, violet eyed beauty which reduces one-half the feminine world to tears, the other half to utterly helpless rage. We all know the type, but it is seldom given us to see it in such perfection. We usually associate it with a lamblike, appealing mentality that permits itself to be ridden upon—as soon expect a wood violet to turn and rend you.

A short time ago she was asked to a woman's luncheon and got herself up for the occasion in a way that made the result of her efforts a thing not easily forgotten. She arrived looking so lovely that there was little said among the guests for a few moments after her entry into the room. Perhaps she felt the silence. At all events, she turned to the woman standing nearest her and said in a childish voice, with ever such a little lisp and pretty southern accent:

"How well yo' are lookin' today!"

It was a well meant civility from a young woman to an older one, who seemingly was unable to accept it as such and put up her lorgnette, sweeping the speaker from top to toe. What she saw was enough to disconcert a younger and prettier woman than herself, but even so one finds it difficult to justify her next move.

"Wish I could say the same for you," she returned, closing her lorgnette with a snap.

One or two of the guests were friends of the pretty woman and almost stopped breathing in order not to miss what they felt sure would come—and it came. The pretty one raised her eyebrows slightly, then said, with an air of gentle reproach:

"Why don't yo' lie like a lady, like I do?"—Rehoboth Sunday Herald.

What He Needed.

A sovereign would tempt many men, and when Plimkins, making a few purchases at the stores, saw one lying on the floor just by the counter he quivered with excitement.

Glancing around to reassure himself that none was looking, he quite accidentally dropped one of his kid gloves neatly on the coin and then dived. He got the glove all right, but still the sovereign remained.

A shopwalker approached him.

"Good morning, sir," said the man, rubbing his hands together in the approved style, "and may I show you a bottle of our celebrated liquid glue, which sticks"—

—London Mail.

The Cellar Stairs.

A man who once had a bad fall when going down his cellar stairs now has a broad strip of white painted on the floor at the end of the last step. This is easily seen, even if the cellar be dark, and many a nasty accident is avoided. If the house is rented and you do not like to paint the boards a piece of white oilcloth can be tacked to the floor at the foot of the stairs. See that the tacking is securely done or a worse fall may follow than from a misgauged step.—Philadelphia Press.

A Foozle.

Evelyn—I just met Clarence. He is a conversational foozle. George—How's that? Evelyn—He makes love when he ought to play golf, and he talks golf when he ought to make love.—Illustrated Bits.

Added a Little Sulphur.

Doctor—Did your husband follow my directions? Did he take the medicine I left for him religiously? Patient's Wife—I'm afraid not, doctor. He swore every time I gave him a dose.—Boston Transcript.

HOUSEWIFE SUGGESTIONS.

Sweet apples will cook better and have a more delicious flavor if a little lemon juice or pure cider vinegar is added.

If lettuce is kept for several hours it should be laid on a wet towel and placed on the cellar floor or in the refrigerator.

Unpainted wood will remain whiter if scrubbed with cold water and soap. Hot water and strong alkali will make the wood yellow.

When washing pongee silk never wring it at all. Simply hang it on the line and let the water drip out. Iron with a warm iron when dry.

If the sink pipe is clogged remove the strainer and insert the hose into it and turn the water on full force. In almost all cases it cleans the pipe.

If porcelain vessels are placed directly over the gas flame they will clean much better by rubbing lard over the outside of the pan before putting it over the flame.

For "orange jelly in ambush" a well known cook directs one to cut oranges in half, remove the pulp and juice and with the juice prepare enough orange jelly to fill half the number of orange "cups." Then fill the remaining pieces with a charlotte russe mixture. When both are firm put them together in pairs and tie together with white baby ribbon.

TO RESTORE "VICTORY."

Nelson's Flagship Will Be Again Refitted as She Was at Trafalgar.

After careful consideration, the British Admiralty have decided that Nelson's flagship Victory, almost the last relic of the great naval wars, is to be re-rigged, re-painted, and as nearly as possible restored to the condition in which she gloriously led the port column of the British fleet into battle at Trafalgar.

At present she is fitted with masts which belonged to the old rigged iron cruiser Shah. These will be removed, and masts like those which she carried under Nelson will be placed in the ship, with spars and rigging of the ancient pattern, which is to be copied as faithfully as possible down to the smallest detail.

The nettings along the side are to be cut down and the hull of the ship, thus restored to its old proportions, will be painted in alternate black and yellow bands, with vermilion on the gun-ports. At present the Victory is painted in alternate bands of black and white. The unsightly structures which for the last few years have disfigured her upper deck are to be removed.

While Sir John Fisher was commander-in-chief at Portsmouth he cleared the cockpit of the Victory, and had it fitted up just as it was at Nelson's death. Now the process is to be carried out through the whole ship, and it will greatly increase her historic interest. Unfortunately, only a few of the guns which she actually carried at Trafalgar remain on board her, but every effort will be made to find the others and to put them back.

On Trafalgar Day, just celebrated the world over, there was an interesting feature. For the first time in recent years Nelson's deathless signal was hoisted in the Victory in the exact flags with which he made it.

This will not be the first reconstruction which the noble old Victory has undergone. Built in 1765, she was reconstructed in 1802, shortly before Nelson hoisted his flag in her. The vermilion painting of the lids of the gun-ports and the interior of the ship is said to have been originally adopted to hide the traces of blood. It goes back to a very remote past in British naval history.

The modern masts in the Victory do not fit the ship, and are lower than the ancient ones, while the poop differs altogether from that which marked her in Nelson's time.

Bush Vendetta.

A young Kanaka, of about eighteen years, was recently brought from an adjoining island, but it was found necessary to send him away to another station. It appears that some years ago the tribe from which the boy was taken had murdered a man belonging to a bush tribe near the station. How the natives got to know the boy was there is a mystery, but, nevertheless, it became known. One day a native, who had not been near the mission station for a year, suddenly made his appearance. The boy was carefully watched, and at night slept in a room occupied by a missionary, but he became so terrified that it was necessary to send him elsewhere. Miss Young says that the authorities are doing all they can to prevent the importation of rifles and ammunition, but for all that the bushmen become possessed of rifles. Some of the firearms are of a very old pattern. They are certainly not supplied by white traders, who are too much concerned about their own safety to supply the natives with weapons of destruction. It is alleged that some of the boys ship to New Guinea, and while there buy rifles and ammunition. It has happened that some of the boys when searched have had ammunition in their possession.

A Spectacled Skipper.

Dr. H. M. Moran, the captain of the Wallabies, the traveling Australian football team, soon to come to Canada, one would never set down as a footballer, for, wearing spectacles as he always does, save when on the field, and being a very pale-faced, thin-looking individual, one at first glance puts him down as a bookworm who regularly burns the midnight oil. He also mourns a snake! He happened to be staying at a station upcountry in Australia, and while sitting smoking in the verandah he was startled by seeing the head of a huge snake thrust out through the creepers. Slowly the huge monster—there were some seven feet of him—uncoiled and advanced. Springing up, the dauntless doctor seized a stick, fell upon the reptile, and slew it. On looking round, he found the ladies of the party mopping tears of merriment from their eyes, while in the middle distance stood his host, speechless with fury. Ultimately it was explained to the Wallaby captain that he had done to death a pet snake kept about the house for the express purpose of abolishing the rats which abounded on the premises!

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NANCY'S PROXY.

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"Nancy, it's awful to go to school."

Nancy Hartman nodded a solemn assent to the statement, for she always agreed with what Bobby Seaton said.

In this instance her own views were reflected, albeit those views were somewhat prejudiced at the moment by the fact that she had been kept in after school, and Bobby had had to sit on the curb and wait for her. He had done his best, too, to be kept in, and so share her punishment.

"I'll be glad when I'm married and don't have to go to school," he continued solemnly. "Married people don't have to go to school."

"Mr. Scarritt did," reminded Nancy.

"He was a minister," explained Bobby, as though that made a difference. "Besides he was married when he was in college. College is different from a school."

Nancy nodded wisely. She could not grasp any distinction, but since Bobby said so, there must be a difference.

"School's horrid," she complained. "I just fired one teenty little spit ball, and Miss Magnus made me stay in."

"She's got to stay to correct the exercises," explained Bobby, "and she's 'fraid to stay alone. That's why she always makes some one stay in."

"'Tain't fair," insisted Nancy, "and we were going after nuts too."

"I tell you what," exclaimed Bobby. "Let's get married, and then she can't make us go to school."

"Right now?" demanded Nancy, with a glance at her soiled dress.

"That little ink stain don't matter," assured Bobby. "We'll go to Mr. Scarritt. He got married when he was in school, so he'll understand."

"But he went to school after he got married," reminded Nancy.

"That's because he wanted to," explained Bobby. "If he didn't want to go he didn't have to. We won't want to go."

He started to his feet, and Nancy obediently followed. Had Bobby proposed a stroll to the north pole she would have followed with the same content, for was not Bobby wise with the wisdom of full eight years, while she boasted a scant six?

It was a short walk to the minister's home, and presently Bobby, brave but a trifle weak in the knees and with a higher color on his face, was explaining to the minister his desire to wed.

The Rev. Scarritt, grave and studious, was shocked at the suggestion and with gentle reproof at their sacrilege turned them from his study. The reproof was lost on a determined mind, and when the door had closed Bobby shook his tiny fist in the air.

"Just 'cause he's married he don't care 'bout no one else," he said vindictively. "He's not the only marrier in town. Huh!"

There was a world of scorn in the exclamation, and Bobby's wrath was hot. He had not understood what the minister was saying, but he had gathered that he was being scolded for even thinking of marriage, and this under the very eyes of his beloved.

There were three other ministers in town, but none of them was at home, and Bobby turned toward the tired Nancy.

"It's no use," he said, with a tightening of the quivering lip. "We've got to go to Riverside."

Nancy blinked back the tears and put her hand in his.

"It's dreadful hard getting married," she said. "Do all people have trouble like this?"

"When they elope," explained Bobby calmly. "You don't have time to fix it with the minister."

"I don't think that 'loping's much fun," ventured Nancy, but Bobby's look silenced her. Together they trudged along in silence until the houses were passed and the road to Riverside lay bare and lonely before them.

The shadows were closing in, and there were clumps of trees that made patches of dark, just the sort that bears love to hide in.

For the benefit of his lady Bobby kept up a brave front, but his clasp on the tired, dirty little hand that lay within his own tightened when the dark places came, and the sturdy little legs were urged to greater speed until the danger point was passed.

The dark was closing in now, and Nancy's plump little legs were not as strong as Bobby's, and, though she bravely sought to hold the pace, she lagged behind.

At last, in spite of her fortitude, she had to give in and sank with a little sob on the grass beside the roadway.

"I just can't go any more, Bobby," she wailed. "It seems like we 'most walked round the earth."

"It's only a little way now," urged Bobby, "an' maybe the minister will ask us to stay for supper."

The mention of food was the last straw. Fatigue had prevented the thought of hunger, but now Nancy knew that she was famished.

A school lunch is not calculated to last until 7 o'clock, and Nancy remembered that there was to be jelly cake for supper.

At the sound of the sobs that shook her tiny frame Bobby knelt beside her and sought to check the flow of tears, but not until she had cried herself to sleep on Bobby's shoulder did silence come.

Bobby himself felt very much like crying, but that would never do, and he held back the tears while he stared bravely into the dark, his arm protectingly about the sleeping Nancy.

It seemed to him ages passed as he sat there in the silence and the dark. No wagons came along, though once an automobile shot past at a speed that rendered his cry unavailing.

The passing of the car only served to make the loneliness the more pro-

[illegible] and when two more great yellow eyes shone far down the road Bobby gently lowered the golden head from his shoulder to the grassy bank and sprang to his feet. Perhaps if he waved his arms they would see and stop.

Nearer and nearer came the lights, and he stood directly in the yellow patch the lamps made in the white dust of the road. To his great relief the car slowed down, and from behind the curtain of light that half blinded the tired eyes came the welcome sound of a familiar voice. Bobby sprang forward to throw himself into the strong arms of his big brother.

"You're a fine pair of runaways," cried Howard. "We have been searching the roads for nearly two hours."

"Is Nancy with you?" demanded an anxious voice from the car, and Bobby knew that Nancy's sister was there too.

She gave a little cry when Howard brought the girl to her and covered the tear stained face with kisses. Howard made up a bed in the tonneau for the children and ran on to where the road permitted a turn toward home. Bobby was not sleepy now, and he stood leaning over the back of the front seat watching the car eat up the road.

"We was eloping lovely," he said plaintively, "until Nancy got tired. Now I s'pose this spoils it all."

"I guess it does, old man," was the laughing comment. "Suppose that you give me your proxy."

"What's proxy?" demanded Bobby curiously.

"It's this way," explained Howard as he let the car slow down. "If you want to do something, but don't have time or for some other reason you can't, you appoint a proxy to act for you. I appreciate highly your endeavors to unite the Hartman and Seaton families, but, since your scholastic duties prevent the consummation of your laudable intentions, I propose that you constitute me your proxy in the premises. I might add that in consideration of this demonstration of your confidence in my integrity I prepared to reciprocate with the donation of one bright silver half dollar in the coin of the realm."

Bobby regarded his brother suspiciously. He never could tell just what Howard was up to when he used the big words, but the proffer of a half dollar was a business proposition, and he stretched out his hand.

The exchange was made and Howard turned to the girl.

"Etta," he said gently, "it would be a shame to frustrate the plans of these two innocents. Don't you think, dear, that you might act for Nancy and make this marriage by proxy an assured fact?"

For a moment the girl hesitated, then she half turned in the seat.

"It would be a shame—to spoil their plans," she said gently. "I think—I should like—to act as Nancy's proxy, dear."

A Natural Result.

Willowby had a good shoemaker, Hiram Pool by name. Nobody knew the trade of making, mending and tapping, resoling and patching shoes better than he. His conversation took on local color from his shop, no matter what the subject might be. One evening an astronomer, sojourning in Willowby, gave a "talk" at the town hall, and Hiram went to hear him.

"What did you make of all he said about the cause o' wet weather when he'd spoken so light of the moon having all to do with it?" somebody asked Hiram the next day.

Mr. Pool held up the boot he was mending and squinted at the sole of it.

"His talk needed waxing," said the shoemaker dryly when his inspection of the boot was finished. "But what I made out of it was that he considered the wet weather usu'lly comes when the clouds are so old and rotten they won't hold the patches."—Youth's Companion.

Encouraged to Hope.

When the Empress Frederick, eldest daughter of Queen Victoria, was a little girl, her disposition, to the great grief of the queen, was haughty and arrogant. Once, when about to embark on the royal yacht Victoria and Albert, she was lifted across to the deck of the boat by one of the sailors, who, as he was putting her down gently, said, "There you are, my little lady."

"I am not a 'little lady;' I am a princess!" was the prompt and indignant reply. The queen, who had overheard the conversation, detained the man with a gesture and, turning to her spoiled little daughter, said:

"Tell the kind sailor that you are much indebted to him for his civility and that, although you are not a 'little lady' yet, you confidently hope to merit the title before long."

An Air With Real Air.

During one of the political tours of Mr. Cleveland, in which he was accompanied by Secretary Olney, he arrived during a severe storm at a town in which he was to speak. As he entered the carriage with his friends and was driven from the station the rain changed to hail, and immense stones battered and rattled against the vehicle. A brass band, rather demoralized by the storm, stuck bravely to its post and played.

"That is the most realistic music I have ever heard," remarked the president.

"What are they playing?" asked the secretary of state.

"'Hail to the Chief,' with real hail!" rejoined Mr. Cleveland.

The Unmaking.

He (boastingly)—*It takes six generations to make a gentleman, you know.* She (calmly)—Yes, and what a pity that it only takes one generation to unmake him!—Exchange.

Truth is as impossible to be soiled by any outward touch as is the sunbeam. —Milton.

HOW HE SLEPT.

His Experience With a Noisy and Persistent Cuckoo Clock.

Werts recently was presented with an old fashioned clock. That evening he hung it on his bedroom wall, wound it up and after admiring it awhile went to sleep. He was drifting into very pleasant dreams when he was startled.

"Coo-coo, coo-coo!"

Werts sat up with a start, but in an instant recovered his wits and listened to eight more coo-coos with a foolish grin. Then he lay back and went to sleep again.

He had got into a fine doze by the time the thing went off again. This time he didn't grin.

Werts is a light sleeper, and, though he tried to get used to the thing, he gave up after the cuckoo had announced 2 o'clock and got up and stopped the clock.

Next evening Werts junior, who had not seen the clock, went to look at it.

"Why, it's stopped," he said. "What is wrong?"

Werts senior stroked his chin.

"Maybe I didn't wind it this morning," he replied. "Fred," he continued generously, "if you will promise to wind that clock every morning I'll let you have it for your room."

Werts junior was delighted, and the transfer was made.

At the breakfast table next morning the heir of the house of Werts looked tired and somewhat sheepish, but offered no explanation. After considerable general conversation his father said:

"You look tired. How did you sleep last night?"

Werts junior yawned.

"By the hour," he answered.—Kansas City Times.

SAVED THE GIRL.

An Old Time Adventure With Solomon Island Cannibals.

One day on a Solomon beach a little girl ran to me and, before I was aware of it, placed my foot on her neck. One knows what this means well enough. In hot war it means that if a chief allows his foot to rest on the defeated one's neck the man's life is safe, but he is a slave forever, rescue or no rescue. I was puzzled at the child's action. It was soon explained. Shortly afterward down came a lot of villagers and insisted on taking the youngster. I told them what she had done. They said they did not care. Her mother was being cooked in the town, and the child should go to the ovens with her.

"Never!" I said. "What! We, who have eaten betel nut together many times, to quarrel for a mere child to whom I have granted life in your own way!" I swore they should kill me first. They replied:

"Oh, that is an easy thing to do."

A bold front was the only thing now. Luckily I had my sixteen shooter. Springing back and putting a mark on the sand with my foot, I swore I would shoot the first man who crossed it. They knew I could answer for a dozen of them or so, and, although clubs were up and bows bent, they hesitated, as well they might, and I knew I had mastered them. Then one proposed I should buy the child fairly. They cared not to fight a friend. To this I at once agreed, and a muss was thus avoided, and a mission ax worth tenpence made me a slave owner.—"Among the Man Eaters," by John Caggin.

The Century Plant.

The century plant, so named because of the popular idea that it blooms but once in a hundred years, in one sense makes good its name, for it blooms only once, then dies. In the genial climate of southern California it reaches maturity and blooms in fifteen or twenty years, while in colder climates the period may range from forty to fifty years. There are many species of the agave family native to northern Mexico, where it is called the maguey. The plant furnishes "pulque," the national drink of Mexico. At the time of blooming the plant throws up a single stock of rapid growth to the height of twelve to twenty feet, from which the tassel-like flowers sprout forth. This great flower stalk draws all the sap and vigor from the body of the plant, which soon withers and dies.

Apt Pupil.

Captain Jones (giving a short lecture to the recruits of his company on their demeanor in public)—If a civilian should make offensive remarks in a public house and try to induce a quarrel the well conducted soldier should drink up his beer and go quietly away."

After his address Captain Jones questioned his audience to ascertain if they had comprehended his remarks.

"Now, Private Jenkins, what should you do if you were at an inn and a civilian wanted to quarrel with you?"

"I should drink up his beer, sir, and 'ook it."—London Pick-Me-Up.

With the Minstrels.

Bones—What am de diff'rence 'tween er pastry cook an' er bill sticker? Tambo—Ah dunno. What am de diff'rence, Mistah Bones? Bones—One puffs up de paste an' de othah pastes up de puffs.—Chicago News.

A Worthy Desire.

An ambitious young Chicagoan called upon a publisher of novels in that city, to whom he imparted confidentially the information that he had decided to "write a book" and that he would be pleased to afford the publisher the chance to bring it out.

"May I venture to inquire as to the nature of the book you propose to write?" asked the publisher very politely.

"Oh," came in an offhand way from the aspirant for fame, "I think of doing something on the line of 'Les Miserables,' only livelier, you know."—Lippincott's.

STAGE SCENERY.

Modern Settings Tax the Ingenuity of the Builders.

The big scenic artists do little actual painting beyond making the model, unless they have a panoramic effect. That they do themselves, standing on the paint bridge, many feet from the floor, while the canvas is raised or lowered. The panoramic effects are hard to handle. One difficulty is to avoid fluttering when a draft sweeps across the stage. Mountains that tremble hazily are not conducive to illusion.

With the elaborate productions of late years the importance of the builder of scenery has increased, says Everybody's Magazine. Formerly, when the scenery consisted merely of canvas stretched over a wooden frame, it was simple enough. But the struggle for realism and sensational effects has developed difficult problems for the builder of stage scenery to solve. Every piece of scenery must be made so that it can be folded into strips five feet nine inches wide, because the doors of the baggage cars in which it is transported are only six feet in breadth. Also every piece must be light and so constructed that one scene can be removed and another put in place within ten minutes. It may take thirty hours of continuous work to get the scenery "set up," to use a technical expression, after it is brought into the theater. After that the work of changing a scene is comparatively easy.

A DOGS' CLUB.

London's Luxurious Resort For Aristocratic Canine Pets.

London is the only city in the world boasting a dogs' club. The club is in a pleasant suit of rooms near the Trocadero and close to Regent street. Handsome rugs cover the floors, the windows are veiled in lace and silk, and luxurious sofas are ranged against the walls, while a profusion of soft pillows are scattered about for the comfort of aristocratic dogs who prefer the floor for a nap. Dainty satin lined wicker baskets are provided for the smaller pets. The membership fee is half a sovereign, but this does not include meals, baths or tips to the attendants.

Ladies going shopping or to the theater leave their pugs and poodles at the club and give the attendant in charge at the time a few shillings for looking after it, but if the dog is fed half a crown is charged. This pays for a mutton chop and milk. A whole crown provides the little animal with minced chicken. For a half sovereign Fido is bathed, brushed and perfumed, and if he is a French poodle his hair is carefully curled. A veterinary is attached to the club to see that only dogs in perfect health are admitted, all sick members being quarantined in a separate room. Blankets, boots, collars, harness, soaps and brushes and all the accessories of a fashionable dog's toilet as well as dog medicines are sold at the club.—New York Press.

A Candid Critic.

"A criticism that has helped me a great deal in my work came from a man to whom I took a picture to be framed," said a young woman who spends much of her time copying in the Metropolitan Museum of Art. "As the picture progressed my friends told me it was fine. Some of the other copyists said it had value, character, good coloring and all those things, and even one of the guards in the gallery got real friendly one day and remarked that it was the best copy of that picture he had seen. I began to think that maybe, after all, my several years of study were beginning to bear fruit. At the framer's I picked out a nice frame, and the framer began to figure on the cost.

"'I'll tell you, miss,' he said, 'that frame will come to $3.98. If I were you I'd get something cheaper for that picture.'"—New York Sun.

"Setting the River on Fire."

In old English times, when each family was obliged to sift its own flour, it sometimes happened that an energetic man would turn his sieve so rapidly as to cause it to catch fire. The style of sieve used in those days was called a "temse," and it became a customary saying that a lazy man would never set the temse on fire. Now, it happens that the name of the river Thames is pronounced like the name of this old flour sieve, and after many years, when the old fashioned temse was forgotten, it was thought that setting the temse on fire meant setting the river on fire, and that is why today we say that a stupid person will never set the river on fire.

Esperanto.

"When I first started out hunting apartments I went through a long, polite dissertation," said the woman with a haunted look and weary feet. "Now I go in and say to the elevator man or janitor: 'Apartments?' 'Rooms?' 'Price?' 'Keep 'em.' I get along just as well, and it saves lots of time. Try it."—New York Times.

Not His Fault.

Dad—Johnnie, your teacher tells me that you are at the foot of your class. How's that? Johnnie—That ain't my fadit, dad. They've taken Tommy Tuff out and sent him to a reform school.—Exchange.

Better Left Unsaid.

Caller — So sorry to hear of your motor accident. Enthusiastic Motorist—Oh, thanks! It's nothing. Expect to live through many more. Caller—Oh, I trust not!—London Tit-Bits.

Noble discontent is the path to heaven.—Higginson.

Just Goes Out.

Juvenile—Mamma, when the fire goes out where does it go?' other—I don't know, dear. You mustn't just as well ask where your father goes when he goes out.—Town Topics.

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A Busy Family.

"Say, bub," said the book agent as he drew up at the gate of a house in a country town on which was swinging a barefooted boy, "is your pa around?"

"Nope. Pa's out breakin' in a colt," was the reply.

"Could I see your ma?"

"Nope. Ma's jest took a walk to break in a new pair of shoes."

"Is your big sister at home?"

"Nope. Pete Lawson fell over town an' busted his leg, an' she's gone over to break the news to his ma."

"Maybe I could see another one of your sisters."

"Nope. The other's gone to town to break a ten dollar bill."

"Well, I guess I'll have to talk to your big brother, then. Will you call him, please?"

"Can't. He's breakin' stone up at the county jail."

"Your folks seem to be pretty well occupied," smiled the book agent. "Maybe I could interest you in a big book bargain."

"Not me, mister," replied the boy. "That feller comin' over the hill called me squint eyed yesterday, an' I'll soon be so busy breakin' his head that I won't have no time to talk to you."—Judge's Library.

No Wonder She Didn't Know.

Before he had been in the car three minutes most of the women passengers and some of the men were explaining to their neighbors what they would do with the little imp if he belonged to them. Spanking was the popular remedy, and if that boy had received then and there all the paddlings that his critics were aching to administer he surely would have been well blistered.

To the general babel of advice and fault finding, however, there was one woman who contributed nothing. She was a gentle, gray haired body who remained unruffled in the midst of the small tempest raging.

"If that child was mine," said the determined woman beside her, "I'd make him mind if I had to half kill him. Wouldn't you?"

"I don't know," said the little woman mildly, "what I'd do.'

"You don't?" said the determined woman. "Well, I know. But maybe you are not used to children? Maybe you never had any of your own?"

"Oh, yes," said the little woman. "I brought up thirteen. That is why I don't know what I would do."

No Attempts, Please.

Mother (to future son-in-law)—I tell you that, though my daughter is well educated, she cannot cook.

Future Son-in-law — That doesn't matter much, so long as she doesn't try.—Fliegende Blatter.

Tolstoy's Sense of Fun.

At one music party at Count Tolstoy's a lady's singing displeased the count's boys, and they adjourned to another room and made a noise. Their father lost patience and went after them, and a characteristic admonition ensued.

"Are you making a noise on purpose?" he asked.

After some hesitation came an answer in the affirmative, "Y-y-yes."

"Does not her singing please you?"

"Well, no. Why does she howl?" declared one of the boys, with vexation.

"So you wish to protest against her singing?" asked Lyeff Nikolaevitch in a serious tone.

"Yes."

"Then go out and say so or stand in the middle of the room and tell every one present. That would be rude, but upright and honest. But you have got together and are squealing like grasshoppers in a corner. I will not endure [illegible]

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FOUGHT FOR DEER.

Nephew of Roblin In Duel With Indians Over Quarry.

Winnipeg, Dec. 11.—A serious shooting affray occurred at Rose Isle, Manitoba, on Tuesday. A nephew of Premier Roblin, Alfred Demill, had shot a deer and was bleeding it when an Indian stepped forward and claimed the quarry. Young Demill refused to resign the deer, whereupon the Indian cocked his rifle. Both promptly took cover, Demill behind a tree and the Indian behind the deer's carcase.

Demill fired at the Indian's rifle, hoping to destroy the weapon, but struck the Indian in the arm and hand. Two other Indians arriving, drew knives and further trouble seemed imminent. Demill warned them they must take the consequences if they approached him, and finally the Indians, thinking discretion the better part of valor, loaded the venison in a sleigh, with the carcases of seven other deer, and drove off in the direction of Rathwell.

Alleged Chinese Smugglers Caught.

Welland, Dec. 11.—William Riley and Edward Barts of Buffalo were arrested in Fort Erie yesterday, and the police believe these are the men who were smuggling Chinamen over the river to Buffalo on the morning of Nov. 12, when four of the party of 11 were drowned and three others were dashed to pieces on the breakwater.

Appearing before Magistrate Burgas, a remand was made until Dec. 17, though it is probable a hearing will be given to-day. The charge against them is manslaughter, and they announced that they will fight extradition. Both men are married. Riley is 26 years of age and Barts is 40.

His Majesty's Health.

London, Dec. 11.—In view of the disquieting rumors abroad The Lancet is authorized to state that the health of His Majesty the King gives no cause for anxiety.

The King contracted a slight cold, and subsequently showed symptoms of influenza and neuralgia, but he improved under treatment and he has derived decided benefit from the change of air at Brighton.

A stockbroker's wire yesterday flashed the news that His Majesty was stricken with appendicitis.

New Factory at Welland.

Welland, Dec. 11.—The ratepayers of Humberstone Township yesterday carried the bylaw fixing the assessment on the plant of the Dain Manufacturing Co. for ten years at $10,000.

The Dain Co. of Ottumwa, Iowa, will establish a Canadian plant adjoining Welland, for the manufacture of farm implements. One hundred and thirty acres have been acquired and a plant costing $250,000 will be erected, as well as 100 houses for workmen.

Damages For False Arrest.

Brantford, Dec. 11.—G. W. Hill, Indian herbalist, secured a verdict for $100 damages in the County Court yesterday for false arrest against Detective Rose of Toronto. The defendant acted for the Ontario College of Physicians and Hill was fined in Grey County for unlawfully practicing medicine. Points involved in the case were novel.

Banquet to H. Gervais.

Montreal, Dec. 11.—The banquet tendered last evening to H. Gervais, M.P. for St. James, and presided over by Mayor Payette, was a success, the guest of honor speaking at length on the development of Montreal as a natural port and kindred subjects.

MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool and Chicago Wheat Futures Close Lower—Live Stock—Latest Quotations.

Thursday Evening, Dec. 10.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day ½d. to ½d. lower than yesterday, and corn closed ¼d. to ⅝d. lower.

At Chicago December wheat closed ⅛c. lower than yesterday, December corn closed unchanged, and December oats ⅛c higher.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—July $1.06⅛ bid, December 99⅝c asked, May $1.03⅜ bid.
Oats—December 37⅝c bid, May 41⅜ bid.

Toronto Grain Markets.

Wheat, fall, bush	$0 95	to $....
Wheat, red, bush	0 95	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 92	....
Rye, bushel	0 80	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 65	....
Peas, bushel	0 85	....
Barley, bushel	0 63	0 65
Oats, bushel	0 34	0 34

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 26
Butter, store lots	0 23	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb rolls	0 28	0 29
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 40	....
Eggs, cold storage	0 29	....
Cheese, large, lb	0 13½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 12½	0 13
Honey, combs, dozen	2 25	2 75

Liverpool Grain and Products.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 10.—Wheat—Spot dull; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 11½d; futures steady; Dec., 7s 8½d; March, 7s 5½d; May, 7s 1½d. Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, new (via Galveston), 5s 8½d; futures, quiet; Jan. 5s 4½d; March, 5s 4¼d. Bacon—Cumberland cut, easy, 42s 6d; short ribs, dull, 45s 6d, Shoulders, square, dull, 38s 6d.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, N.Y., Dec. 10.—Butter—Steady, unchanged; receipts 5631. Cheese—Firm, unchanged; receipts 903. Eggs—Unsettled; receipts 3838. State, Penna and nearby fancy, selected white, 30c to 32c; do., fair to choice, 44c to 48c; brown and mixed fancy, 40c to 42c; do., fair to choice, 35c to 38c; western firsts, 34c; seconds, 30c to 32c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Unchanged—Hogs Up 10c to 20c at Buffalo.

LONDON, Dec. 10.—London cables for cattle are steady at 12c to 13½c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9½c to 10c per lb.

Toronto Live Stock.

TORONTO, Dec. 10.—Receipts of live stock at the City Market, as reported by the railways for Wednesday and Thursday, were 170 carloads, consisting of 2688 cattle, 2540 hogs, 2644 sheep and lambs, 61 calves and 1 horse.

Exporters.

A few loads of export steers, were sold at $5 to $5.15 and one extra quality load, good enough for Xmas beef, which we are inclined to think was bought for that purpose, sold at $5.40; export bulls of which there was quite a number sold at $3.90 to $4.30, and one or two, extra choice quality, went as high as $5 per cwt.

Butchers.

Choice loads of Christmas stall fed steers and heifers sold at $5 to $5.50, Dunn and Lowack selling a shipment of 150 cattle at these prices; picked steers and heifers such as are on each market daily, sold at around $5 per cwt.; loads of good, $4.50 to $4.75; medium, $4 to $4.30; common, $3.25 to $3.75; cows, $2.90 to $4; canners, $1.50 to $2.25.

Feeders and Stockers.

H. and W. Murby report a fair demand for stockers and feeders this week, prices holding steady for anything with quality. Messrs. Murby bought 200 head at following quotations: Best feeders, 900 to 1050 lbs. each, at $3.60 to $4; best feeders, 800 to 900 lbs. each, at $3.40 to $3.65; best stockers, 600 to 800 lbs. each, at $3 to $3.40; common and medium, $2 to $2.50.

Milkers and Springers.

There is a fair demand for good to choice quality cows, but not nearly as great as it was a few weeks ago, the cows that sold at $70 can now be bought at $60, or at least cows of the same quality, the proportion of cows selling at $60 now is about the same as those selling at $70 some little time ago. Prices ranged from $25 to $60, the bulk of the best going at $45 to $55 each.

Veal Calves.

A very few choice new milk for Christmas calves sold at $7 to $8 per cwt.; but the ordinary run of calves, such as are seen on the market daily, sold at unchanged quotations that is $3 to $6.50 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs.

The run of sheep and lambs was large, 2644. Sheep sold at unchanged quotations, but lambs sold higher than for many weeks. Export ewes, $3.25 to $3.40; rams, $2.25 to $2.50; lambs, $4.75 to $5.40 for the general run, and $5.50 per cwt. for a few selected lots of Christmas lambs.

Hogs.

Mr. Harris reported the market unchanged, at $6, for selects fed and watered, and lights at $5.75.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, N.Y., Dec. 10.—Cattle—Receipts 125 head; steady; prime steers, $5.25 to $5.50.

Veals—Receipts 150 head; active and 50c higher; $7 to $10.25.

Hogs—Receipts 2200 head; active and 10c to 20c higher; heavy, $6 to $6.05; mixed, $5.90 to $6.05; yorkers, $5.40 to $5.90; pigs, $4 to $5.25; roughs, $5.25 to $5.40; stags, $4 to $4.75; dairies, $5.50 to $5.85.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 4000 head; slow; sheep 25c lower; lambs steady; sheep, mixed, $3.50 to $4.50; Canada lambs, $6.65 to $7.50.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—Beeves—Receipts 954. Feeling steady. Dressed beef in fair demand at 7½c to 10½c for native sides.

Calves—Receipts 259. Feeling steady. Veals, $6 to $10.50; barnyard calves, $3.25 to $3.50; western calves, $5.15. Dressed calves steady; city dressed veals, 9c to 16c; country dressed, do., 7c to 15c.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 1674. Sheep firm; lambs, 15c to 25c higher. Sheep, $3 to $4; culls, $2 to $2.75; lambs, $2.25 to $7.70; culls, $3.50 to $6.

Hogs—Receipts 5223. Market steady; State hogs sold at $6.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Dec. 10.—Cattle—Receipts 8000; market weak; steers, $4.60 to $7.80; cows, $3 to $5.25; heifers, $3.50 to $4.60; bulls, $2.15 to $4.50; calves, $2.50 to $8.25; stockers and feeders, $2.50 to $4.25.

Hogs—Receipts 30,000; market strong to 5 cents higher; choice heavy shipping, $6.00 to $6.05; butchers', $5.70 to $5.90; light mixed, $5.25 to $5.65; choice light, $5.50 to $5.65; packing, $5.50 to $5.80; pigs, $4 to $5.15; bulk of sales, $5.60 to $5.85.

Sheep—Receipts 20,000; market strong; sheep, $4 to $6; lambs, $5.35 to $7.50; yearlings, $6.25 to $6.25.

Aunt Was Killed on the Same Spot.

Dunnville, Dec. 11.—Evidence in regard to the killing at the New York crossing here of Mrs. George Miller and her infant son, will be taken this afternoon.

The last accident at this same crossing was on Tuesday, Jan. 26, 1897, when Mrs. Miller's aunt, Mrs. Joshua Bowman, and her husband, along with their team, were all instantly killed.

Marine Enquiry.

Ottawa, Dec. 11.—The Marine enquiry will open here on Tuesday. It is hoped to have the report ready when Parliament opens.

Megantic Launched.

London, Dec. 11.—(C. A. P.)—The White Star steamer Megantic, destined for Canadian trade, was launched at Belfast yesterday.

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NOBEL PRIZE AWARDED.

Former McGill Professor Gets High Honor.

Stockholm, Dec. 11.—The official announcement of the award of the Nobel prize is as follows:

Literature, Prof. Rudolf Eucken of Jena University.

Physics, Prof. Gabriel Lipman of the University of Paris.

Chemistry, Prof. Ernest Rutherford, director of the physical laboratory of the University of Manchester, England.

Medicine, divided between Dr. Paul Ehrlich of Berlin and Prof. Elie Metchnikoff of the Pasteur Institute, Paris.

Peace, divided between K. P. Arnoldson of Sweden, and M. F. Bajer of Denmark, ex-Parliamentarians.

Prof. Rutherford was formerly of McGill University, Montreal. He is now of Manchester University. He was well known when in 1902 he advanced the theory of radio-activity. Two years later when he published the complete results of his researches, he received the Rumford Medal. Prof. Rutherford is only 38. He was born in New Zealand, of Scottish parents.

The Nobel prizes are awarded annually in accordance with the will of the late Dr. Nobel, the Swedish chemist and inventor of dynamite, to those persons who shall be considered to have conferred the greatest benefit on mankind during the preceding year. There are five prizes, each worth about $40,000. One is awarded in physics, one in chemistry, one in physiology or medicine, one for the most distinguished work of an idealistic tendency in the field of literature, and one for the best efforts in the interests of peace among the nations.

$100,000,000 Mining Company.

Dawson, Y.T., Dec. 11.—Announcement was made this week that Missouri capitalists, chiefly of Kansas City, together with Dawsonites, had organized a company with $100,000,000 capital, to dredge the Stewart and McQueen Rivers, beginning operations next year with at least one dredge.

This company and the Yukon Gold Basin Co., headed by former Governor Ogilvie, will install a joint power plant to drive 30 dredges.

Would Shut Out Live Stock.

London, Dec. 11.—(C. A. P.)—Lord Carrington, president of the Board of Agriculture, has refused the request made on behalf of the Scotch Chambers of Agriculture to close the ports against the importation of live cattle from the United States and Canada. He said it was not wholesome to have only the dead meat trade.

Guilty of Perjury.

Hamilton, Dec. 11.—Will Burkholder and John Rogers, two of those charged with perjury in connection with the raid on a gambling club at the corner of King and Catherine streets east a year and a half ago, were found guilty at the sessions yesterday and will be sentenced at the conclusion of the session.

Rush Nearly Over.

Port Arthur, Dec. 11.—Last night saw the end of the big rush season at the elevators, though a few cargoes will likely be shipped to-day and to-morrow. The Wells is expected in for 200,000 bushels of grain.

Altogether about three-quarters of a million bushels were loaded yesterday.

Sbaretti at New York.

New York, Dec. 11.—Monsignor Donato Sbaretti, apostolic delegate of the Pope to Canada, arrived yesterday on the steamer Koenegin Louise, from Genoa.

CHURCH UNION FAR OFF.

Another Conference Is Passing Without Any Result.

Toronto, Dec. 11—The fourth church union conference at the Metropolitan Church will adjourn without bringing organic union of the Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational churches within measurable distance. Last night it appeared to be fading away further than ever from accomplishment, owing to the impossibility of the doctrinal committee to reconcile the Calvanistic dogma of the Westminster confession of faith with the Armenian principles of free will as contained in the Wesley sermons. Rev. G. Burwash is chairman of the committee on doctrine. It is admitted that his committee has the hardest task of any. Rev. Dr. Sparling of Winnipeg said, however, "If we do not accomplish union for fifty years what we are now doing is worth the time and effort."

As in former cases the clauses upon which the committee on doctrine can agree will be announced to the public, and not the motions in committee which fail to carry.

One estimate is that within the next ten years the benevolent funds of the denominations will be federated, but no representative will hazard a guess as to the union of the Methodist and Presbyterians. There are said to be some indications that the Congregationalists and Methodists will eventually unite as a result of the annual church union conferences.

The conference is expected to adjourn to-night.

Owen Sound's Campaign.

Owen Sound, Dec. 11.—J. M. Davis, who headed the councillors in January, has come out for the mayoralty against Mayor Kennedy or anyone else. The mayor has decided not to run and Councillor F. W. Harrison will probably oppose Mr. Davis. Both are against local option. The local optionists will not run a candidate.

A newspaper, The Citizen, will be started on Saturday by the anti-local option party here, and will be issued thereafter every Wednesday during the campaign.

Tip From Rockefeller.

New Brunswick, Dec. 11.—Jno. D. Rockefeller gave the waiter who served him at luncheon here Wednesday, Rudolph Osterwald, five cents for a tip, and advised him to put it in the savings bank.

"That's what I did with my spare cash when I was your age," said Mr. Rockefeller, "and it earned money for me. Never waste your money."

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Very Finest Dripped Citron Peel, per lb.	30c		
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ASLEEP ON THE TRACK

Ops Farmer's Team Wanders on to Crossing While Occupant of Sleigh is in Slumberland---Saved by a Foot.

THE SLEEPER AROUSED IN TIME

A farmer residing near Lindsay had a narrow escape from a terrible death on Wednesday evening, and the fact that he is alive to-day is due to the presence of mind and promptitude of a well known resident of South Ops.

The farmer was in Lindsay during the afternoon and started for home early in the evening. When near Ops station he apparently fell asleep as the team wandered on to the track. The South Ops resident had occasion to visit the station to meet a friend who was coming on the train and who intended getting off at this point. He was surprised to see the sleigh across the track and he at once hurried to the spot and roused the sleeping occupant.

The train had already whistled for the station and was fast bearing down upon them. Just as the end of the sleigh cleared the track the local came tearing by.

MERCURY HAS BEEN TRAVELLING SINCE THURSDAY EVENING

The mercury has been working over-hours, to use a street expression, and during the last twenty-four hours has been particularly industrious. Thursday night it started on the downward trip as it the bottom had fallen out of the glass, or like a stock that is being heavily "beared." The lowest figure reached was 19 degrees below, and after resting on its oars for a short time it started, like Baker's speech, to climb again. It did not stop at freezing point, but went past it several points. The total distance traversed from the lowest to the highest point was 54 degrees. The weather as a quick change artist, stands in a class all by itself.

CONSIDER HOW TO ADVANCE LAYMEN'S MOVEMENT HERE

A meeting of the committee that was in charge of the Laymen's banquet will meet in the Y.M.C.A. to-morrow night at eight o'clock for the purpose of settling up accounts and for considering the advancement of the movement and what steps are to be taken by the Peterborough Laymen.

OFFICERS OF ORANGE LODGE WERE ELECTED

There was a large attendance at the annual meeting of Duke of Manchester L. O. L., No. 50, held last evening in the Orange Hall. Several visitors were also present from sister lodges, principally Nos. 39 and 1,175, which had the effect of making the meeting more interesting, and added considerably to its success.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year, and installed in their respective offices by the District Master, Bro. R. E. Juby.

W. M.—Bro. W. H. G. Armstrong.
D. M.—Bro. R. Mitchell.
Chap.—Bro. H. L. Brace.
Rec.-Sec.—Bro. M. Armstrong.
Fin.-Sec.—Bro. N. A. Howard-Moore.
Treas.—Bro. P. Johnston.
D. of C.—Bro. H. Dodds.
1st Lieut.—Bro. N. Hopkins.
2nd Lieut.—Bro. Geo. Godfrey.
1st Com.—Bro. S. Tindall.
2nd Com.—Bro. Chas. Barrie.
3rd Com.—Bro. N. Barrie.
4th Com.—Bro. I. Record.
5th Com.—Bro. G. Campbell-Stewart.

The singing of the National Anthem brought the meeting to a close.

Good Skating, Brock Street Rink to-night. 57th Band. 1d-111

AN OWEN SOUND HOTELMAN IS FOUND GUILTY

Examiner Special

Owen Sound, Dec. 11.—Charles Crook was found guilty on two charges of selling liquor and fined $75 and $50 costs. Magistrate Creaser said he believed the detective's evidence and that Stewart was bribed.

BOARD OF TRADE RECOMMENDS MUNICIPAL OWNERSHIP OF ELECTRIC POWER AND STRONGLY FAVOURS MORE AGGRESSIVENESS IN ADVERTISING THE CITY

Resolutions Passed

Moved by Mr. Wm. Langford, and seconded by Mr. F. W. Dean, —That it is greatly to the interests of city to immediately acquire power to sell to manufacturers desirous of locating here. —Carried.

Moved by Mr. Wm. Langford, and seconded by Mr. W. Might, —That this Board of Trade appoint a committee composed of the President, Vice-President, Messrs. J. H. Larmonth and W. H. Moore to interview the City Council with the object of having all available sites suitable for manufacturing enterprises tabulated, and of establishing a Publicity Department in connection with their Manufacturers' Committee, to advertise the advantages of the City of Peterborough as a manufacturing centre, and, when this department should consider it advisable in the interests of the city, to send some business men to personally interview intending manufacturers with the object of inducing them to locate here.—Carried.

Two important questions were dealt with last night by the Board of Trade. One was the procuring of municipal power and the other was the advertising of the facilities and advantages for the purpose of inducing manufacturers to locate here. The meeting was fairly well attended and the discussion was thoughtful and bearing on the city's best interests One and all were agreed that some energetic method of advertising should be adopted by the City Council and the suggestion was made that a man be appointed whose duty would be to give his sole attention to keeping in touch with the manufacturing houses with a view to getting them to locate branches here. Mr. Wm. Langford was one of the leading speakers endorsing the city's possessing its own power. His idea was that the city should put its money into the developing of power rather than into parks and bridges.

Chairman's Address

Dr. Morrison stated that the meeting had been called for the purpose of discussing ways and means by which Peterborough might benefit by what is considered a certainty—that we are on the eve of a revival of good times. After a slight period of depression the general feeling is that greater activities in industrial and manufacturing lines are at hand. In the near future, he said, the city would be experiencing the onward movement and manufacturing houses would be looking for locations. "Other towns are moving and we feel that Peterborough should move also. We should go after our share and prepare for them. As the spring opens activities that three months ago we did not dream of, will be presenting themselves." It is admitted that Peterborough is a manufacturing city and depends on its industries for its growth. Our location, Dr. Morrison stated, is one ness and suggested the appointment of a man whose duty it would be to keep in touch with manufactures that may be looking for locations. Every week, he said, it is noticed that enquiries are coming from Europe and the United States, for information in this regard. A man appointed to this position might co-operate with manufacturers' committee and organize companies with local capital behind them.

Favoured This Idea

Ald. Bradburn agreed with Mr. of the best in the province. In a few years we will be on the water front for the Government has decided upon a depth of an eight foot canal as far as Peterborough. "If we have not sufficient water power, it is because it is not properly husbanded, or developed."

"In the past we have been inclined to conservatism, and are still somewhat that way. We do not, however, want to stand still. Other cities are spending large sums of money in advertising their facilities and advantages, endeavouring to get manufactures to locate within their boundaries."

Dr Morrison cited several cases where good results had resulted from Larmonth, but stated that it would be better to take it out of the hands of the committee and leave it entirely in the hands of one man.

He did not believe there was much gained by corresponding with manufacturers, for while letters were being interchanged the representative of the city could immediately go directly to the company and with vastly better results. Pay this man a good salary, he said, for it seemed to be a good plan. If it did not prove satisfactory after several years, it might be dropped.

Other Opinions

Messrs. R F McWilliams, W R Morris, Ald. Gillespie and Ald. Johnston, Mr. W C Austin, Mr. A Montgambert and others dealt with the question of Peterborough's facilities, the power problem receiving most attention. All were agreed that a publicity department was in the best interests of the city.

The motions mentioned above were then passed and it was decided to adjourn until Monday, December 21st, when the by-laws that are to be submitted to the people in January will be discussed.

OUR SUBSCRIBERS AND OUR 'XMAS EDITION

The Examiner to-morrow will be the regular Christmas edition of thirty-two pages. There will be two of the regular news sections of eight pages each, and a six-page section of Christmas and other matter. There will be as well eight pages of a handsome two-colour section, and two pages of half tones of local children, making one of the best editions the Examiner has yet undertaken. Our advertisers have taken advantage of the opportunity and are using it as a means of special Xmas announcements. Don't overlook ordering any extra copies as one may require early, as we cannot guarantee the extra supply will even be sufficient to fill all orders. Only 2c.

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Rev. Dr. Workman Protests He Was Wrongly Condemned And Illegally Dismissed

The personal appeal of Rev. Dr. G. C. Workman against the action of the Board of Governors of the Wesleyan Theological College, Montreal, in dismissing him from the chair of theology has come before the Methodist Board of Appeal in Toronto. At the outset attention was called to certain newspaper reports of the previous night's proceedings, and it was agreed that no information should be furnished to the press until the court had reached their decision. The proceedings which took place in one of the upper rooms of the Metropolitan church, lasted three and a half hours, a large part of which was occupied by Dr Workman, who made an impassioned appeal to have the decision of the Board of Governors rescinded. He protested that he had been wrongly condemned and illegally dismissed. The board, he argued, had no power of appointment, and therefore no power of dismissal. With regard to the charge upon which the action of the board had been based, he claimed that his doctrinal views and teaching were in strict accordance with the standard of the Church. Dr. Workman declared that as the result of the board's action he had suffered mentally, physically and financially.

Some discussion followed, and at the close Rev. Dr. Carman, who presided, informed the press that the court would meet again to consider their decision.

The chief charge made against Rev. Dr. Workman in the proceedings leading to his dismissal, was that in effect he had denied the virgin birth of Christ.

DR. W. A. MORRISON,

President of the Board of Trade, which begins agitation for Revival in Securing industries for Peterborough

Halifax Men Walking Around The World Reached City Last Evening; Their Trip Will Last Two Years

Two pedestrians are registered at the Oriental Hotel as A. R. Fletcher and Frank Hines, of Halifax, and who stated that they are on a tour of the world on foot, arrived in the city last night, and set out again on their travels this morning. The pair stated that they left Halifax last spring and have already covered some thousand miles of the 2500 miles which they expect to negotiate in two years. They are expected to finish their tramp in May, 1910. They were at Hastings on Wednesday night and came on to Peterborough yesterday.

LICENSE COMMISSIONERS TELL OF LOCAL OPTION CLASH WITH THE CITY

Examiner Special.

Toronto, Dec. 11.—Dr. Morrison and Messrs. James Kendry and H Lee Brun, Peterborough License Commissioners, this morning told Provincial Secretary Hanna, that a clash between local option districts and the city required further measures towards control. Mr. Hanna promised consideration.

CITIZENS WILL DISCUSS THE BY-LAWS ON WHICH THEY VOTE IN JANUARY

The ratepayers may be interested in the announcement that the Board of Trade will hold a meeting on Monday evening, Dec. 21st, when the bylaws that are to be voted on election day, will be discussed. Since the council decided to place them before the people there has been considerable discussion among the citizens and hence they will have an opportunity of learning the full import of these by-laws and of fully considering them. It was to educate the ratepayers or rather to have them learn exactly what they are called upon to vote on, that the Board of Trade decided to hold this meeting, and it is expected that there will be a large attendance as the time has come, as it is everywhere stated, when the city will advance only by every citizen taking a material interest in its welfare.

MILK VENDORS MUST GET LICENSES OR APPEAR BEFORE THE MAGISTRATE

There are nine milk vendors in the city who have not taken out their licenses for the year, and Chief Rossel vouchsafed the information this morning that if the nine didn't get busy and secure the necessary bits of cardboard at once, a similar number would find themselves before the Magistrate. There is a penalty of a fine not to exceed $50, so that it behooves the tardy dairymen to bestir themselves. The licenses are due on December 1, but Chief Rossel will give the erring ones until Tuesday next, December 15, to set themselves right. Informations will be laid against all those who have not done so by that time.

PETERBOROUGH COUNCIL TO APPROACH THE HYDRO-ELECTRIC COMMISSION

It is expected that Peterborough will shortly approach the Hydro-electric Power Commission with regard to power. It is proposed to obtain this if possible from sources about twenty miles north of the city, and have practically the same plan worked out as at Ottawa, Fall-ing in this, however, the commission may be asked to bring Niagara power to the city. It is thought that perhaps 8,000 horsepower may be used annually.

Good Skating, Brock Street Rink to-night. 57th Band. 1d-111

STARTLING REDUCTION IN PRICES AT MEAT MARKET TO-MORROW

The following prices will prevail at Mr Jas. Goselin's meat market to-morrow, and in a perusal of them there will be found welcome news for the householder.

Beef — Sirloin roasts, 10; porterhouse roast, 10c; rib roasts, 8c; shoulder roasts, 8c; boiling beef, 5c to 7c; 3 lbs. steak for 25c.

My beef is all heifer and steer beef.

Head cheese, out own make, 4 lbs. for 25c.

Fresh pork sausages, 10c; 3 lbs for 24c.

Hind quarter beef, 6c.
Fore quarter beef, 5c.
Loin of beef, 8c.
Round of beef, 7c.
Hind quarter lamb, 11c,
Fore quarter lamb, 9c.
Loin of lamb, 12 1-2c.
Leg of lamb, 12 1-2c.
Fresh port, 12 1-2c.
Hind quarter pork, 11c.
Fore quarter pork, 10c.
Hind quarter mutton, 9c.
Fore quarter mutton, 8c,
Loin of mutton, 10c.
Leg of mutton, 10c.

P. J. Goselin, 241 George street, 'Phone, Bell 316k. These prices are strictly cash.

COWS CAME HOME AFTER SALE AND FELL INTO LAKE

A story comes from Enniskorry where a few days ago two cows that Mr. Jas. Gregg had sold with the rest of his stock, returned to their old home and wandered out onto Chemong Lake, where they went through the ice, with the result that at that time it was thought one of them would not live. They wandered away from the farmer who had purchased them, and with unerring instinct found their way back to the old barnyard.

SILK BLOUSES TO-MORROW

See the south centre window at A. W. Greeaman's for the display of Japanese Wash Silk Blouses—exquisitely trimmed, well made in the latest styles. Values from 3.00 up, Saturday while they last 1d-111 ..... 1.69

MR. R. C. BRAUND THINKS CITY CAN SAVE MONEY IN BUYING FAIR GROUNDS

At the coming municipal election a bylaw will be voted upon by the ratepayers of the city of Peterborough which it carried permits the purchasing by the City of the Exhibition Grounds at a cost of $30,000, to be used as the Peterborough Industrial Fair Grounds.

Mr R C Braund, general merchant, in speaking to the Examiner last night from the standpoint of a ratepayer considered that the people, who are affected by such a bylaw should it pass, ought to know more about its nature. But from what he understood about the matter he believed the city could do much better by expending $10,000 upon a site and $20,000 on a display building.

"The present Exhibition Grounds are located about a mile from the centre of the city and I believe enough land can be purchased no farther away than they and just as handy to the street cars for the $10,000. Then the remainder of the $30,000 might be used for erecting suitable buildings."

Snow From George St. Roof Top Fell On Young Lady Pedestrian

This morning a young lady was walking down George street, between Simcoe and Charlotte streets, when without any warning a small pile of snow fell from the roof upon her. Although she was practically unhurt, her hat was rudely misplaced and slightly damaged and she was somewhat frightened. Owing to the smallness of the mass of snow there were no injuries, but there were other quantities falling which fortunately struck no one. It was remarked by a few of those who saw the affair that this snow should not be left to fall whenever it may, as is the case throughout the winter.

INTERESTING ADDRESSES GIVEN AT LAST MEETING OF THE CAMERA CLUB

The most enthusiastic meeting so far, was held last Tuesday evening, at the Tate-Taylor Optical Rooms, and the many questions brought forward showed that the organization of a camera club was the filling of a long-felt want. The question of the coming exhibit in the Y.W.C.A. building was discussed and it was decided that the entries and exhibits must be in by Monday, Dec. 14th, before 9 p.m., at the club's headquarters, the Tate-Taylor Optical Company's office, Y.W.C.A., or the secretary's address, 191 King street. The Hanging Committee will begin their work on Wednesday evening. The Secretary will supply each exhibitor with a number, for identification of photos.

It was also decided that the prizes secured by the club be open only to members of the club. There are other prizes which are open to any exhibitor who may wish to compete. Any person may make as many entries as he or she desires in any of the following classes;—Landscape, portraiture, interiors, architecture, figure studies, aquatic or marine, groups, lantern slides, set of 12 photo cards, mechanical or machinery, statuary and stereoptical. Not more than one prize can be secured by the same exhibitors.

An exhibit of photo novelties will also be there, to show what can be done with the camera to beautify the home.

Mrs. McCarthy and Misses Rose McCarthy and Moore are the hanging committee.

Mr F. Russell gave the club a very interesting lecture on the composition of Sodium Salts, and Mrs. McCarthy's paper on the "Art of Negative Making," was also eulogized.

The next meeting will be a social one and will be held at Mrs. McCarthy's on Dec. 22nd, at 7.45 p. m. Rev. Dr. D. B. Marsh will give a lantern slide exhibition on "A Trip to the West Indies."

TO ASSIST IN BUILDING OF ST. JAMES' CHURCH

At a joint meeting of the Board of the George street Methodist church it was decided to have a "St. James' Sunday," instead of the usual anniversary services. Next Sunday, therefore, Rev. D. O. Crossly, Whitby, will be in Peterborough to preach at both services, and an effort will be made to raise as much money as possible for St. James' new church.

FAVOUR A NEW SCHOOL

Board of Arbitrators Decide on Non-Union School Section to Northeast of Lakefield in Douro.

LONG CONTROVERSY NOW ENDED

Some time ago arbitrators were appointed by the municipalities interested to consider an application for the alteration or dissolution of the Union School section composed of the Village of Lakefield and certain portions of the township of Douro. The arbitrators by their award, dated July 18, 1908, decided that no change should be made in respect of the limits of such school section. An appeal was made by a number of ratepayers interested, to the County Council, and on September 29th, arbitrators were appointed to deal with the matters in question upon such appeal.

The Board of Arbitrators were Messrs. John M. McIntosh, William McIlmoyle and Wm. Nelson. In effect they decided that the continuance of the Union School Section with its present boundaries, is unsatisfactory, by reason of the fact that many children resident in that section, owing to their distance from the school house, find it difficult to attend the school.

They also awarded that there be removed from the school section all that portion of the township of Douro which is now included in the section except all that part of the township now in the section which lies in the seventh and eight concessions, and south of the line between lots seventeen and eighteen in that concession, and that the land last mentioned with the village of Lakefield shall continue to form a Union School section.

INSPECTOR WAS PLEASED WITH NEW INSTITUTE

The Board of Education had a meeting in the new Collegiate Institute when Provincial Inspector Wetherill had a conference with the members. It was the first visit of the inspector to the new building and he had many kind things to say to the board about the rooms and equipment. He also informed the board that he would be able to report the building first grade in nearly every particular, and expressed himself as being greatly pleased with the structure. The inspector made several suggestions to the board along minor lines that will likely be adopted. Among other things the question of drill for the boys was discussed, and temporary arrangements will be made until such time as the new armouries will be available for this purpose.

BROCK ST. RINK OPEN FOR SEASON WITH BAND TO-NIGHT

The Brock street rink will be opened for the season to-night, and no doubt there will be a big crowd on hand for the opening of this popular winter resort. Caretaker Jack Thornbeck has been working faithfully to get good ice for the occasion, and skaters will find little to complain of in the excellent sheet which he has prepared. The thaw to-day has had little effect upon the ice and it will be in splendid condition. The 57th Band will render a choice programme and there promise to be many skaters to-night when the doors are thrown open to the public.

DISTRICT MEETING OF ODDFELLOWS HELD LAST NIGHT

The semi-annual District meeting of the Independent Order of Oddfellows for Peterborough district was the raison d'etre of a very enjoyable evening in the I.O.O.F. Hall last night, when some 150 visiting and local brethren were present. There were about thirty visitors from Lakefield, who drove down for the evening, and who, apparently, had a pleasant visit. The three degrees were conferred upon six Lakefield members: Messrs. Kenneth McGinnis, Chas. Bickell, Wes. Hurl, Dr. Graham, Wm. Leggott and Norman Moore by a joint degree team from Peterborough and Otonabee Lodges. The exemplification of the degrees was put on in excellent shape, the work of the team being all that could be desired. Afterwards light refreshments were partaken of and a pleasant social hour spent.

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It he that gives quickly gives twice, he or she that buys Christmas gifts promptly gives double pleasure—to himself and others.

THE FREEDOM OF THE PRESS.

The newspaper is coming into its own. Recent decisions and judgments in cases of libel show the trend of the judicial mind to be averse to encouraging vexatious and frivolous suits to recover damage for alleged libel or similar offence. Another case in point developed on Wednesday at Osgoode Hall, Toronto. Chancellor Boyd has dismissed the application by Major Knowles to commit to custody William Robertson, editor of the Dundas Banner, for contempt of court in publishing articles in the issues of his paper of the 22nd and 29th of October during the heat of the last Dominion election contest in Wentworth county when Lieut.-Col. W. H. Ptolemy was the Conservative, and Mr. W. O. Sealey, the Liberal candidate. The articles in question commented upon a charge made by Knowles against Guest, who sued for slander. The Chancellor accepts the editor's declaration in his affidavit that he had no thought of committing a contempt of court or interfering in any way with the course of justice or of prejudicing the defendant at the trial.

If the utterances of members in Parliament, and of lawyers in court are privileged why should not a larger measure of protection be thrown around the utterances of newspapers. A member of Parliament represents, at most, a limited constituency, a newspaper represents as a rule, a much larger constituency and rests under a larger responsibility. A journalist has charge of all the interests of his constituency, and is likely to watch them with more regard for just dealing, because, with the betterment of his constituency, his personal and material interests are correspondingly advanced. His duty is to enlighten the public in regard to matters of which it is their interest and privilege to be well informed. If a member of Parliament can slander, traduce and vilify a private citizen outside of Parliament and without scath; if a lawyer in court can, without reproof or penalty, browbeat, abuse, scandalize and charge a witness in the most offensive manner and words with lying and perjury, surely a moderate discussion of a matter of public interest in a newspaper, dealt with in temperate language, should not come under the penalty of frivilous and vexatious suits, involving in any case expensive litigation and sometimes heavy mulct in damages to reputations in a state of repair beyond the possibility of damage, even by telling the truth. If it is held, as is done as matter of fact, that such treatment of a witness, is not an "interference with the course of justice" or prejudicing one of the parties to a suit, when committed with these express objects in the immediate presence of judge and jury, face to face, on what grounds of consistency can it be claimed that the casual comment of a, possibly, obscure newspaper, which ten to one, the judge and jury may never see or even hear of, be made a star chamber matter. No doubt liberty of the press should be restrained from degenerating into license at the same time the freedom of the press with all its large importance, should not be subjected to vexatious or malicious interference on frivilous grounds.

In respect of utterances in the heat of an election contest especially should encouragement of vexatious charges of libel be witheld. A man that enters a political fight expects to submit to rather vigorous criticism, and he will feel hurt if his importance is ignored in the form of weak criticism, which he would regard as the antithetical equivalent of being damned with faint praise. It is questionable whether a political candidate can be libelled or slandered at all in the heat of feeling engendered in an election fight. No matter what is said against him it is certain that his political opponents, will not be impressed by it. They will be confirmed in their position by the reflection that the half has not been told; as for his friends no matter if the most blighting charges, with confirmation strong as proof of holy writ are made, they will not believe them, so that on the part of friend and foe scandal rolls off him like a drop of water rolls in globular dustiness off the covers of a family Bible.

Seriously, however, newspapers with all their faults, with all their errors of judgment, with all their rare outbreaks of mild malice, if given much freer rein, would give far less cause for real offence, would do far less damage, than would be inflicted upon the public and public interests, upon the progress of the country and upon the development of the best in our civilization, by a too rigorous curtailment of the right to free criticism of actions and actors in matters where the interests of the public are essentially involved.

It is hoped that it will not be contempt of court to regard the petition against the election of Sir Wilfrid Laurier as vexatious.

SHEER HYPOCRISY.

With a simplicity only parallelled by its hypocrisy the Toronto News says:

It is easy for governments in Canada to raise huge corruption funds. It is difficult for Oppositions to raise as much money as is necessary for legitimate expenses. In the old days of Opposition at Ottawa the Liberal party had to be contented with an election fund of from $50,000 to $100,000. Since 1896 the election fund of the Ottawa Government has run from $1,000,000 to $2,000,000. It is safe to say, if the accounts published in the United States fully cover the expenditures of the Republican party in the Presidential contest, that an equal, if not greater, sum was used by the Canadian Government in the election of October 26th. There are between eighty and ninety millions of people in the United States. There are between six and six and a half millions of people in Canada.

These statements of alleged fact are mere statement, unsupported by an iota of evidence and a denial of their correctness should be as credible as the assertion, and more so, because it would be in the line of reason and common sense. The assertion that "it is difficult for an Opposition to raise money," is disproved by the size of the Opposition campaign fund available for the use of the Conservatives in the late general election. There is reason to believe that a plentiful share of it came into West and East Peterborough. Of course, no one outside the inner circle knows the amount of the Conservative corruption fund—except perhaps the great corporations contributing. But there is just as much warrant for asserting that it was one or two million dollars as the News has for asserting that the Liberal election fund was the absurd amount it declares it was. Of course, both parties had election funds, which are necessary. But where the attitude of the News becomes the cynicism of hypocrisy is when it assumes that that of the Liberals was a huge corruption fund and that of the Conservatives hardly enough to pay for the printing.

An open and avowed sinner may be credited with courage; but a hypocrite is—a hypocrite.

CHEESE FACTORY REPORT

The report of Villiers Cheese Factory for the season of 1908 is as follows:

The amount of milk delivered at the factory was 1,017,708 lbs, from which were made 89,071 1-2 lbs of cheese.

Number of lbs. milk to one lb. of cheese, 11.34.

Average price of cheese per lb. 11.83c.

Total value of milk per standard, $32.07.

Value per standard to patrons, $20.43.

The greatest quantity of milk sent by any one patron was by G. Shearer, viz.,—63,558 lbs.

Average number of lbs. sent by each of the 37 patrons was 27,505 lbs.

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A delightful Operetta will be presented on Friday evening, Dec. 11th, in St. Peter's School Hall, by the children. Pretty choruses and fascinating drills. Reserved Seats, 50 cents; Rush Seats, 25 cents. twf-410

LATEST NEWS FROM THE CAPITAL

New Brunswick Conservatives Abandon All Protests—Railway Commission Taking Active and Energetic Measures — Ottawa Tories to Import a Quebec Candidate—Important Order in the Interests of the Farmers.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Ottawa, Dec. 11.—News comes from St. John, N.B., that a Conservative caucus has decided to drop all protests. They feel, like A F McLaren, the ex-member for North Perth, who had the dignity to accept defeat gracefully and to bow to the popular will where it was unmistakeably registered. Mr. McLaren, when asked to protest his election recently said, "I am no protester," and in consequence he stands higher in the public regard than the mongrel pack of sore-heads, who seek to defeat the will of the people by methods of legal chicanery.

The Railway Commission is taking vigorous measures to promote the safety of travel re the railway lines of Canada. One of the new orders just put into effect provides for a daily inspection of electric bells at all highway crossings, and another stipulates that where freight cars are used on the main line passenger trains, they must be equipped with air brakes, steel tires and metal trucks, designed for passenger service. Where these requirements are not complied with, on account of exceptional circumstances, the trains must not be run at more than 35 miles per hour.

Ottawa Liberals are preparing a cross petition against Dr. Chabot, the Conservative candidate against Sir Wilfrid Laurier. The "Tories" are making an effort to induce J H G Bergeron, ex-M.P. for Beauharnois, to contest the Ottawa division in the bye-election, which is anticipated, not from any possibility of a protest against the Premier's election prevailing, but from the fact that Sir Wilfrid will sit for East Quebec, for which he was also elected.

An important order, of special interest to Peterborough, has just been issued, effecting a change in the supervision of meat transportation between the provinces under the Dominion Meat Inspection Act. Up to now the railways have been compelled to refuse any shipment of meat or poultry consigned from one Province to another unless it bore the stamp of a Government inspector. While this was not a serious handicap in connection with the larger establishments, it proved practically prohibitive to the country storekeeper, for he found it difficult to secure the services of a meat inspector. For some time past hundreds of shipments of poultry destined for the Christmas trade have been refused by the railways at various country stations. Much inconvenience and money loss was entailed thereby to the farmers, but the railways under the circumstances had no recourse, for to accept the shipments would have meant liability to the penalty provided by the act. An order in Council just passed permits all shipments of poultry hitherto refused as above to be transported in future.

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IMPROVEMENTS IN THE POST OFFICE

Some Items of Interest From Bridgenorth —Hockey Club are Making Preparations.

Examiner Special.

Bridgenorth, Dec. 8.—Mr. and Mrs. W McNaughton have returned from a ten days' visit among friends at Warsaw.

Mr. Noble Kelly has got his new house completed.

Mr. Geo. Bell has just pulled down part of his old planing mill and there are rumours that he intends remodeling the other part and making it into a large hall for concerts and municipal purposes.

Mr. Alex Walker has come to Bridgenorth to follow his profession as a blacksmith. Mr. Walker was in the employ of Mr. B Yelland. He is widely known and no doubt will receive his share of the patronage of vicinity.

Mr. Jobe our worthy postmaster, has undertaken to remodel the post office and he is having boxes placed in with lock and key to make it convenient for the public.

The hockey club is making preparations for the winter. An open air skating rink will be put in order at once.

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RAIN IS NEEDED AT HASTINGS

Wells Empty But Plenty of Water in the Trent—Flying Squirrels Found—In Municipal Circles.

HOLD FIREMEN'S CONCERT

Examiner Special.

Hastings, Dec. 8.—The Edmonds' Amusement Company, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Quinn, vaudeville artists, have completed a series of concerts in the town hall, which commenced Nov. 26, and following evenings. The entertainment was fairly well patronized.

Rain is very much needed in this locality. Many of the wells in the country are dry, and the farmers have to drive their cattle long distances to water. Fortunately for the people of this town the waters of the Trent are at their disposal, and they have little need to fear from scarcity from that source, although some wells which were never before known to fail, have almost completely dried up.

Some of our citizens are complaining of the excessive taxation for the present year, and are considering the plan of moving for a complete revision of the assessment of the village for the coming year.

A pretty November wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Cuffe, Percy township, when their daughter, Miss Mabel Selina, became the wife of Mr. John B Grant, of Warkworth. The bride looked very pretty in a handsome gown of cream gloria silk trimmed with white chiffon, all-over lace, white applique and satin ribbon, and was given away by her father. The bridesmaid was Miss Eva Cuffe, while Mr. Arthur Robertson supported the groom. The house was beautifully decorated for the occasion, the ceremony being performed within a bower surrounded by a large wedding bell. After the customary congratulations were over the company repaired to the dining room where a bountiful wedding "dejeuner" was served, after which a number of toasts were proposed and heartily responded to by those present.

Miss Lila Drummond, of Keene, has been spending some time visiting in Hastings and vicinity, the guest of Miss Della Humphreys.

Mr. and Mrs. John Beavis spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Jas Stevenson, Jr.

Mrs. Geo. Hormel and son, James, are visiting in Port Hope, the guests at the home of Mrs. Hormel's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Frost, of Peterborough, have moved to Hastings, and are living on Front street.

Miss Johnson, from the Emerald is a guest at the home of her cousin, Mrs. L. F. Clarry.

The special song service in connection with the Methodist church on Sunday evening, was very largely attended. The music by the choir was most highly appreciated. Especially the rendering "Angels of Jesus." The congregation was also favoured by a solo from Mr. Wm. McQuinn, entitled the Holy City." This gentleman proved himself to be a baritone singer of no mean ability. At the service Rev. W. Barrett discussed the subject of the "Modern Dane"

Mr. Louis Kelly visited his parents at Dartford, on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Elmhirst visited at the home of Mr. B. Crowley recently.

Mr. Robinson, of Warkworth, spent Sunday with Mr. Thos. McKee.

Mr. John Pulfer is home after spending some time in the West.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Forsythe are rejoicing over the birth of a son.

Messrs. Hess and Huycke have shipped up-to-date enough fowl to aggregate 10,000 pounds. No doubt the good prices have been an inducement to the farmers to dispose of the birds.

A November wedding of unusual interest was solemnized at the home of Mr. Cardwell, of Asphodel, the principals being Miss Maye Cardwell and Mr. Alexander Leitch. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. Frost, of Westwood, pastor of the Methodist church. Mr. and Mrs. Leitch have a large number of friends who wish them "bon voyage" through life.

It is stated that work is likely to commence on this section of the canal early in the new year. The contractor, Mr. McDonald, has been paying the town a visit.

The men who are engaged in taking out logs in Mr. Andrew McGee's woods report that flying squirrels have been seen there of late and have been killed by dogs. These little animals are very scarce in these parts and it was quite a novelty to have one captured.

Miss Carney, of Rochester, has been spending a few days with friends in town.

Mrs. W. H. Purdy, of Huntsville, is home on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Dodd. She expects to spend Christmas at her old home.

Miss Kate Hawkins spent two weeks with friends in Burnley.

Mr. and Mrs. Heffernan were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. English, on Sunday.

Mr. W Stevenson, of Harwood, was in town on Tuesday.

Master Robt. Howard, of town, is in attendance at the College in Berlin, where the recent disastrous fire occurred.

The local engineering staff of the Trent Canal, have returned from Burleigh, where they spent the past two months.

Some men in connection with the foundry, have been in Toronto lately installing some new machinery in Johnsons' tannery. This speaks well for Hastings foundry.

Everybody is expecting that some time in the near future the boys of the Fire Brigade will give us a good entertainment. They purpose beginning at once to practice.

At the annual meeting in connection with the cheese factory on Tuesday evening the old officers were again elected for the coming year. Following is the statement for 1908:

Total lbs. of milk sent, 1,676,746; total lbs. of cheese made, 153,771

Total selling price, $16,189.04; total No. standards almost 550.

Net price per standard, $27.50; No. lbs. of milk for one pound cheese 10.9.

Average price of cheese, 11.83c.

THE BENSFORT FACTORY REPORT

Receipts and Expenditures for the Past Season—More Than $17,000 Worth of Cheese.

The report of the Bensfort Cheese Factory for the year 1908 is as follows:—

Amount of milk, 1,563,747 lbs.

Numbers of lbs. cheese made, 146,451.

Number lbs. milk to one lb. cheese, 10.08.

Money received for cheese, $17,498.70.

Proceeds of whey, $221.53.

Amount of interest, $83.25.

Total, $17,803.48.

Expenses.

Making cheese, $3,648.74.

Drawing cheese to market, $163.40.

Salesman's salary and expenses, $53.50.

Secretary's salary and expenses, $54.10.

Auditor's salary, $20.

Total, 3,939.74.

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NEW OFFICERS OF THE LOCAL LADY MACCABEES

The Lady Maccabees met in the Orange Hall over C.N. Brown's store on Simcoe street, Wednesday night and elected the following officers:

Past Commander—Mrs. Titterson.
Commander—Mrs. W J McCallum.
Lieut.-Com.—Mrs. Tooley.
Record Keeper—Mrs. Ed. Pratt.
Chaplain—Mrs. G W Hall.
Mistress-at-Arms—Mrs. Geo. Williamson.
Sergeant—Mrs. Brooks.
Sentinel—Mrs. A Metheral.
Picket—Mrs. Stevens.

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Rugby Basketball Wrestling

THE EXAMINER'S SPORTING PAGE

Running Athletics Hockey

JIMMY GRAHAM IS A STARTER IN SIX DAY GO-AS-YOU-PLEASE RACE AT DETROIT

Our old friend Jimmy Graham, of Buffalo, who will be remembered as the comedian of the six day walking match held last spring, is one of the starters in the six day go as you please contest, and was in seventh position at the end of the first day's grind. Bill Davis, the Hamilton Indian, who discovered Tom Longboat, was sixth, and Hoagland's old friend Klubertanz, who has given the Auburn crack some hard heel and toe contests was third. Tom Loeslein, of Erie, Pa., who has challenged Hoagland to a matched race, was ninth. Hoagland could pretty near have walked as far as the leader in the first twelve hours.

The Detroit News say :

Dineen, the eastern runner, who is leading the long-distance men at the armoury in the six days go-as-you-please contest, took 123,806 steps in twelve hours yesterday.

There are 16 laps to each mile, and Dineen covered 75 miles and 2 laps, or a total of 1,202 laps. In five laps he averaged 103 steps to the lap, which brings his total steps up to 123,806.

Dineen is a short man, well built, with a touch of gray in his hair. He has participated in many walking contests, long-distance running matches, and events where endurance pays the biggest part. His pace is steady and his steps seem of equal length every minute of the time he is at work.

The pace he set in the grind at the armoury yesterday was a killing one, and if he can continue that steady gait all week, no one stands a chance at giving him a race.

Prouty, Klubertanz and Feeney and Davis, an Indian runner, stand a good chance of finishing near the top, and it promises to be a pretty contest between them.

The runners toe the mark with these first day records :

Runner.	Miles.	Laps.
Dineen	75	2
Prouty	71	2
Klubertanz	67	15
Feeney	67	2
Collister	65	12
Davis	65	...
Graham	58	8
Ownby	55	4
Loeskein	53	4
Shelton	53	2
Day	52	6
Teagle	51	3
Breckels	46	3
Hegelman	41	5
Hawn	22	3
Harris	18	21
Young	—	—
McDonald	—	—

Young and McDonald were the only starters to abandon the race.

TEAM WITH MOST MONEY AND PULL WINS THE STANLEY CUP, SAYS A CRITIC

A recent decision by Trustee Foran, in which he gave a challenging team practically unlimited power in collecting a team to battle for the Stanley Cup, virtually means the relegation of the once famous trophy to the scrap heap. It is no longer a question of local pride and ambition, but a matter of the club that has the most money and the best pull in putting a team on the ice. The Edmonton challenge is a case in point.

Scouts were sent out, offers made to hockey men all over Canada, and the result is the Edmonton team that will contend for the Earl of Derby's famous trophy is almost entirely a new outfit.

This is not written in a spirit of censure so far as the Edmonton club is concerned. It is merely taking advantage of circumstances and in fact is entitled to commendation for its efforts to bring the pewter west, but the conditions are certainly rotten, and the historic old cup now really represents nothing. What a farce would be the world's championship baseball series were such a shifting of players possible. None but bona fide members of the champion teams are permitted to play for the highest honours in the baseball world, and some rule along that line will have to be adopted if the Stanley Cup is to regain its lost prestige. For one thing there should be no hold-over challenges. In this connection the Manitoba Hockey League took a step in the right direction when it arranged a shortened schedule so that its champion team would have opportunity to go after the cup. Another suggestion is that instead of the team holding the cup having to defend it against all comers that champion series be arranged east and west and that the winning teams meet for the Canadian championship and of course the battered old mug.—Manitoba Free Press.

CITY MERCANTILE LEAGUE FORMED WITH FIVE TEAMS

Last night another hockey organization was perfected and it will be known as the Mercantile League. The meeting was held at the G. T. R. freight office on Charlotte street, and was well attended and most enthusiastic. Representatives from the Quakers, B F Ackermans, G.T.R., Auburns and the C.G.E. were present and teams from each of these will be found in the newly-formed Mercantile League.

After the organization was decided upon the following officers were elected, with E V Morphet in the chair:

Hon. Pres.—Hon. J R Stratton.
President—W O Ackerman.
Vice-Pres.—W Hartley.
Sec.-Treas.—E V Morphett.
Executive Committee—T J Carson, C.G.E.; C. Ackerman, of B F Ackerman's; W Shaw, Auburns; F J Heaslip, Quakers; B A Rose, G.T.R.

The Brock street rink has been secured for one night a week and one game will be played each week. The schedule will be drawn up at the next meeting in a few days time.

All City League players of this year are barred.

C.G.E. team is confined to the office only.

All players are eligible to play who are employed by the firm a week preceding the following game.

THE IROQUOIS BRAVES TAKE THREE GAMES FROM THE GRAYS

As was the case with Hutch's team on the previous evening, the reorganized Grays showed marked improvement in their ten pin league fixture at the P. B. C. last night, and though they met with three straight reverses the tail enders were fighting all the way, and with an even break of luck would easily have broken their losing streak in the first game, which the Iroquois eventually won by the small margin of 10 pins. A spare at a critical juncture towards the close would have given the losers the game, but misfortune pursued them and they failed to make the necessary mark.

In the second game, too, they started off like winners, but Sullivan ran into the most miserable luck and again the Indians emerged from the fray with a few pins to the good. In the final game it was Iroquois all the way.

Martin had high single and high total for the evening, while for the losers Perry held high aggregate honours, the high single going to McFadden.

To-night the Midgets and Belmonts will be the opposing teams and a grand struggle should ensue when the teams come together as both their standings in the league depend largely upon the outcome of these games. If the Midgets lose two they will drop out of second place while if they drop the series to the Belmonts the latter will be tied with Iroquois and Pacifics for the position which the Midgets will vacate. A new face may be seen on the Belmonts but the Midgets will have their old line up and they fully anticipate a victory.

The result of last night's games follow:

IROQUOIS:

Adams	136	130	160—426
Stroud	157	125	140—422
Martin	133	170	167—470
	426	425	467—1280

GRAYS:

McFadden	109	157	121—387
Sullivan	146	128	121—366
Perry	142	140	141—423
	396	397	383—1176

IMPORTANT HOCKEY MEETING TO BE HELD TO-NIGHT IN THE ORIENTAL

Much depends upon to-night's hockey meeting at the Oriental Hotel in regard to what Peterborough hockey fans are to expect this season. If there is a large attendance, showing that the citizens want an intermediate team and are willing to support one, the scheme will be gone ahead with; otherwise the outlook will not be very brilliant. It is therefore up to the citizens to turn out in large numbers at to-night's gathering. Nothing yet has been definitely decided and the campaign for the winter will be decided to-night, so that a big attendance is imperative if anything is to be done to provide Peterborough with O.H.A. hockey this season. The meeting is called for eight o'clock sharp. Turn out and help the move along.

THE LEAGUE AVERAGES IN THE BOWLING TOURNAMENT

Secretary Herb. Martin reports that Wareham still leads in the individual averages with 178 for six games, while Pollard, also of the Belmonts, is a good second with 172. Of the players who have taken part in nine games Martin is in the lead, with Ford, of the Bankers, a good second. The figures for the first seven players are as follows:

Ford	167 1-2
LaPlante	159 1-2
Hay	153
Huston	153
Adams	151
Barber	150 1-2

The standing of the teams that have played nine games to date, follows:—

Bankers	8	1	.888
Iroquois	6	3	.666
Lock Works	4	4	.555
Examiner A	5	4	.555
B. A. C.	3	6	.333
Frontenacs	3	6	.333
Hutchison	2	7	.222
Grays	0	4	.000

BOWLING ALLEYS AT THE Y. M. C. A. OPENED LAST NIGHT

The Bowling League at the Y.M.C.A. was opened by two games, the Leaders taking two from the M.A.S. and dropping one. The Staff trimmed the Methodists in two out of three games, getting the highest total of the evening. Collings rolled up the highest score of the night, having 420 for three games, his best single being 178. Shirley, Staunton and Pratt also made a fair showing. These games are creating a lot of interest among the "Y's." The scores were as follows:

LEADERS

Staunton	121	125	108	354
Wallace	89	120	143	352
Slason	113	107	100	321
	322	352	351	1025

M. A. S.

Shirley	121	110	138	379
Millard	104	117	93	314
Armstrong	110	89	101	298
	345	316	332	991

METHODIST

Pratt	122	140	104	366
Wade	108	102	90	302
Little	112	91	87	290
	337	333	290	958

STAFF

Collings	106	178	137	420
Evans	99	123	118	340
Hassard	74	86	113	273
	278	387	368	1033

WRESTLING.

Chicago, Dec. 10 — Fred Beell defeated Charles ("Kid") Cutler in straight falls at the Empire Theatre last evening, taking the first in 12.15 with an arm lock and leg hold and the second in 8.15 with a half-Nelson and leg hold. Americus, as Gus Schoenlein is known, appeared in the preliminary with Charles Posti. He easily defeated Posti, throwing him in straight falls in 5.30 and 7.35.

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A big Turk, wearing the national costume of turban, embroidered vest, and baggy pantaloons, created a bit of a sensation on the downtown streets to-day. It was Hassan Abdallah, the Oriental grappler, who meets Cyclone Burns, the English champion. He was accompanied by W. B. Naylor, his manager. The Turk is confident of victory. He certainly looks big enough to break Burns in half, but Englishmen in town wink and say: "You Burns is a mustard pot—a hot 'un."

Burns last night took on a 200-lb. coloured man, who is some wrestler, and flopped him in 50 seconds. He showed unusual speed.—Toronto Star.

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The public will be glad to learn that Peterborough's famous wrestler is making good progress in his practices. It has just been learned that last night he threw one of our local druggists, an eminent wrestler, in 28 minutes. The struggle was intense, but the druggist succumbed at last to a scissors and a half Nelson hold.

STRIKES AND SPARES

By a margin of 175 pins, Joe West and Bill Karrys of London defeated Eddie Sutherland and George Capps of Toronto, on the Brunswick alleys Wednesday night, in a ten-game match for $100 a side, the London boys winning seven out of the ten games and running one, two in the averages, with Bill Karrys leading.

Bill Karrys was the star performer of the night, pulling off some especially hard splits, namely the 4 and 9 and the 4 and 10. Eddie Sutherland also pulled off the 5 and 7 and hung up the high game for the night with 247.

Karrys, with 188 2-5 of an average, had 39 strikes, 47 spares, 12 splits and 7 errors. West averaged 181 2-5 and had 36 strikes, 54 spares, 7 splits and 8 errors, while E. Sutherland averaged 178 1-2, having 39 strikes, 41 spares, 14 splits and 10 errors. George Capps averaged 177 1-5, having 39 strikes, 40 spares, 15 splits and 9 errors.

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Harry Cheetham, who played third base for the Peterborough Baseball team last year and part of this season, is evidently some bowler. On Wednesday, rolling for the Royal Oaks, he hung up a new record for Class C of the Toronto League. The News says: The feature of the night was the rolling of Harry Cheetham, who put in a new record for the league with a 626 count.

SNOWSHOE CLUB MAY BE FORMED IN PETERBORO

With the advent of winter in reality as the past couple of days indicates, the young folk are beginning to talk about skiing, snowshoeing and tobogganing. Snowshoeing has become exceedingly popular during the past few years and it is time now, a local Snowshoe Club was organized. No winter exercise can be any better. It is not too violent, there is little danger of accidents and pure air is always inhaled.

A sociable club, therefore, to promote the popularity of the sport is apparently needed so that no difficulty will be experienced in obtaining company to tramp across the country fields.

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It is understood that the question of forming a Peterborough Snowshoe Club is being discussed by a number of local young people, and will likely be gone ahead with. Snowshoeing is an ideal pastime for the winter months, and Peterborough offers many advantages in the way of picturesque routes for the tramps. What little snowshoeing has been done has been accomplished by a few little groups of people, but nothing has been done on a large scale and the experiment should prove highly successful. A meeting will likely be held next week to talk over the proposition.

HOCKEY

With Junior and Senior O.H.A. teams a Junior and Senior City League, a Mercantile League and a Church League, did somebody remark that Peterborough wasn't going to have any hockey this season?

If you want to boost hockey in Peterborough, turn out at to-night's organization meeting.

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Edmonton, Dec. 10 — The Edmonton hockey team will leave for the East to prepare for their games with the Montreal Wanderers for the Stanley Cup at 9 o'clock on December 16th. They will go by Canadian Northern via the Burlington Route, branching south through St. Paul and Chicago at Winnipeg.

Steve Vair is not showing up as well as expected, and if Joe Hall is secured he will be carried as spare man.

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Brantford Expositor: Taking everything into consideration the team looks pretty good all round. A lot depends on Miller this year. He is expected to return here a developed player. He showed big improvement last year, and that is the reason he has been secured again. Marks, Ward and MacDonald speak for themselves. There are no better in the game.

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Lindsay, Peterborough, Cobourg and Belleville will probably form a district in the intermediate series of the O.H.A. The hockey enthusiasts can bank on seeing some interesting games the coming season. According to the Intelligencer, Belleville is going to be strong this year, and the Examiner states that many of the old timers who helped to win glory and renown for the electric city will turn out this year and will figure on the intermediate team. —Lindsay Post.

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Galt Bankers have elected these officers: Pres., H. W. D. Browne; Vice-Pres., H. McKean; Sec.-Treas., C. F. Bourne; Manager, W. C. Glennie; Captain, W. L. Gilliland. The team will play independent hockey.

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Jack Eames, of Niagara Falls, has received the appointment of coach of the Hanover County, Virginia, hockey team.

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"Doide" Burkhart, the left wing for Upper Canada College, was chosen captain yesterday of this year's hockey seven.

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The Cornwall Hockey Club are hopeful that a decent league will be organized in this end of the province ere long. They are very much disappointed over their throw-down by the E. C. H. A., and Montreal's return to the amateur camp. The club's annual meeting will be held on Friday, December 11th.

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The first hockey practice of the season took place last night at Stratford. Only three men were out on the ice, Ramsay Rankin, Jim Preston and "Sky" Easson. The ice was good, although a little rough in spots.

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It is not improbable Jack Williams, the Rugby half-back, will be seen at cover-point for Cliffsides in the Interprovincial League. It was first given out Jack would play with Ottawa II.'s, but later word has him in a Cliffside uniform.

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Queen's hockey players are working out in the gymnasium every evening. The men are going at the game the right way, and are trying hard to get into shape.

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Stratford Beacon: Easson and Rankin in particular did some good, hard work last night. A naughty little bird whispered that Ramsay is swinging into shape for a position on the 'Varsity team after Christmas in the event of his going to college. We need him here worse than the 'Varsity club, and it is to be hoped that the big fellow will be seen on the local line-up again this year.

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Kingston Whig: It is understood that there may be another junior team from the city in the O.H.A. series, besides the 14th team. St. George's club have been considering the proposition of again entering a team. Last season the St. George's did good work, winning out this section. If the church boys do enter a team, it will take a number of good players away from the 14th bunch.

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When asked whether Westmount was contemplating joining any such league, as suggested from Brockville, H H M Andrews, president of the club, stated emphatically that so far as this club was concerned there was nothing in the story.

WATCH TO-MORROW FOR THE Peterborough Bookstore's Startling Announcement

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RUNNING.

New York, Dec. 10 — Longboat's defeat by Percy Smallwood in Philadelphia has caused much comment here, and there is a suspicion that he is "pulling" his races to get big odds in the betting. Smallwood is a "small potato" beside Dorando and Shrubb, who are on the list for races with the Indian.

Not only was Longboat beaten, but the time of the ten mile race was ridiculously slow. When Hayes and Dorando ran at Madison Square Garden they averaged better than six minutes to the mile for the first ten miles of the race, and they had sixteen miles more to cover. As a matter of fact, Longboat's performance was so poor compared with the other running feats that it looks fishy.

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TERCENTENARY OF JOHN MILTON

Three Hundredth Anniversary of England's Blind Poet Celebrated.

London, Dec. 11 — Wednesday was the three hundredth anniversary of John Milton's birth. The celebration commenced with a notable gathering in the Theatre of the British Academy. Those who assembled include men most prominent in art, science and literature and the learned professions.

The features of the evening were the reciting of a poem of homage, specially written by George Meredith, the novelist and an oration by Dr. A W. Ward, of Cambridge, who presided. Among the other notable contributions to this event is the ode read at the memorial service. It was written by Lawrence Binyon, beginning:

Soul of England, dost thou sleep,
Lulled or dulled, thy mighty youth forgotten?
Of the world's wine hast thou drunk too deep?
Hast thou sown more than thy hands can reap?
Turn again thine ear
To that song severe,
In thine hour of storm and war begotten!

Here in towered London's throng,
In her streets, with Time's new murmur seething,
Milton pacing mused his haughty song.
Here he sleeps out feud and fret and wrong.
Nay, that spirit august
Tramples death's low dust,
Still for us is kindled, burning, breathing.

ILLUSTRATED LECTURE ON A NIGHT IN THE SKIES

Given by Dr. Marsh at Indian River—Mr. McLeod of Scotland in Charge.

Rev. Dr. Marsh gave his illustrated lecture last night on "A Night in the Skies" at the Baptist Church, Indian River. A large and appreciative audience was present and the receipts were gratifying. Mr. Murdo MacLeod, a young man only three months out from Scotland, is in charge and is making excellent progress at Indian River. The young men are assisting him greatly.

JUNIOR DEBATING CLUB FORMED AT THE Y.M.C.A.

Debates to be Held on Wednesday Evenings—City Life Versus Country Life

Last Wednesday evening a Y.M.C.A. Junior Debating Club was formed and it was decided that the debates be held on Wednesday evening, starting at 8 o'clock sharp. The first will be held on Dec. 16th, the subject chosen for that night being "The Advantages of the City over the Country Life." The leaders are Messrs. Norman Laing and Bruce Hunter, the former for the city, the latter for the country. All boys interested in debates are specially invited.

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20 dozen fine Silk Handkerchiefs with silk embroidered initial in corner ---every letter in stock. Hall's Saturday Bargain, each ..... .19

French Taffeta Silks, in stripes, checks and plain colourings, in a good range of Fall shades, all pure Silk. Now is the time to make a saving on a waist length, 20 inches wide, worth 90c and $1.00 per yard. Hall's Saturday Bargain, yard 62c

French Venetian Cloth—A good assortment of colourings and weighty enough for Suits and Skirts, 42 inches wide and pure dye, worth 75c yd. Hall's Saturday Bargain, yard.. 52c

Spot and Figured Velveteens, for Waists and Dresses, rich, close weave and in colours of Myrtle, Green, Navy, Blue, Wine and Rose, 21 inches wide, sold regularly at 65c yard. Hall's Saturday Bargain, yard 38c

Tartan Plaid for Children's Dresses and Ladies' Waists, a great range to choose from; rich, warm colourings and a suitable gift for ladies and children, 42 inches wide, sold up to 60c per yard. Hall's Saturday Bargain, yard.. 48c

French Cheviots, for Suits and Skirts, in 6 different Fall colourings, 42 inches wide and very special value at 75c per yard. Hall's Saturday Bargain, yard..... 48c

Cashmere Gloves—Ladies' Superfine Cashmere Gloves, fleece lined, 2-dome fasteners. Hall's Saturday Bargain, pair..... 22c

Ladies' Collars
200 different styles to choose from, made of chiffon, net ribbon and appliqué, mostly finished with ruches, Gibson style. Hall's Saturday Bargains, each .50

Scotch Tweeds that are Tweeds, no shoddy about these, all pure wool, some in plaids and some in heather mixtures, for Suits and Skirts, 42 to 44 inches wide, sold regularly for 75c and 85c yd. Hall's Saturday Bargain, yard.. 53c

Gift Underwear—Ladies' Fine Undervests, unshrinkable, high neck and long sleeves, extra fine quality. Hall's Saturday Bargain, each..... 57c

Wool Toques, in colours of Red, Navy, Black, Sky and White, Navy and White, Red and White. Hall's Saturday Bargain, each 50c

500 Frills, 8c—Fancy Chiffon and Net Rush Frills, in a big assortment of all the wanted colours. Hall's Saturday Bargain, each..... 8c

Hall's Guaranteed Gloves. Cape Gloves made with one dome fastener in extra heavy weight, guaranteed in every respect. Hall's Saturday Bargain 98c

RUGS! RUGS! RUGS!
Buy Your Xmas Rugs Saturday
We'll be ready for you Saturday with another lot of those splendid Axminster Rugs, but we are sorry to say the quantity is not quite so large as two weeks ago; but we are going through our stock, picking up some odd lines, and in all we will have 50 Rugs in the lot and some 20 designs and colourings to choose from, worth up to $4.50. Hall's Saturday Bargain, each 1.98

Cashmere Hose. Ladies' fine black Cashmere Hose, all wool and seamless. Saturday 3 pair for 1.00

Gift Belts. In white kid and coloured leather belts in a variety of different styles and buckles. Hall's Saturday Bargain, each..... 42c

Ladies' Handkerchiefs. Barred Swiss Handkerchiefs with lace edge. Hall's Saturday Bargain, 2 for 25c

Ends of Linoleum and Oilcloth ranging is size up to 1½ yds. by 1 yd., worth per square yard up to 85c. Hall's Saturday Bargain, per piece 22c

Cushions. 3 only Silk Tapestry Cushions, finished in the latest style, all ready for use, regular 5.00. Hall's Saturday Bargain, each..... 3.75

Stair Carpet. Hemp Stair Carpet, 16 inches wide in 3 different colourings Hall's Saturday Bargain, yd 8c

See the new Class Door Curtains. Are made in Arabian style of arab, coloured net and trimming. Hall's Saturday Bargain, each..... 1.50

Ladies' Net Waists. In round and square mesh, all tucked and nicely trimmed with val. insertion and medallions, long sleeves and high collar, silk lined, regular 5.00 and 6.00. Saturday 3.98

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White Muslin. 100 yards only, fine quality Swiss spot muslin assorted patterns, suitable for fancy aprons, etc, regular 15c per yd. Saturday 11c

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$1.25 Table Cloths 99c—Fine quality Pure Linen Damask Lunch Cloths, pretty patterns, with neat designs of drawnwork, size 52x54, regular $1.25. Hall's Saturday Bargain, each.. 99c

30c Black Sateen 19c—150 yards extra fine quality Black Sateen, full 32 inches, fast black, thoroughly mercerized, our regular 30c line. Hall's Saturday Bargain, yard 19c

15c Print 11 1/2c—Crum's English Prints, best on the market for wear and washing, good assortment of patterns. This Print is sold everywhere for 15c per yard. Hall's Saturday Bargain, yard..... 11½c

35c Flannel Shirting 29c—100 yards fine quality English Ceylon Flannel Shirting, full 28 inches wide. This flannel is positively unshrinkable and we recommend it to give satisfaction in wear, good assortment of patterns, regular 35c per yard. Hall's Saturday Bargain, yard..... 29c

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NOMINATION OF B. A. C. OFFICERS TOOK PLACE

Election at Next Meeting—Semi-Final Bowling Game.

The B.A.C. held a meeting last night, the important business being the nomination of officers for the coming year. Elections will take place at the next meeting.

After the meeting the first game in the semi-finals of the Bowling tournament was played at the P.B.C. alleys, Best and Wood winning by about 130 pins in three games from Cochrane and Campbell. Best made the high single score of 216 during the evening.

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FUND IS NEARING THE AMOUNT

Mr. Miller Reports Favourable Contributions Coming In.

The fund which Mr. P. W. Miller is in charge of is growing rapidly and the required amount will soon be realised. It is for a deserving family, the father of whom is a consumptive. The intention is to send them back to the Old Country, at least to help them to get back. The amount received already is as follows:

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A Friend	50
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SCHOOL REPORTS

The report of S. S. No. 2, Smith, for the month of November, is as follows. The names being in order of merit:

V Class—Lillian Scott.

IV Class—Gertrude Archer, Vincent Bell, Grace Graham, Ruby Archer (equal), Harry Young, George Tindle.

Senior III Class—Bruce Darling, Luella Nurse, Allie McGregor (equal), Reuben Maitland, Elwood Deyell.

Junior III Class—Helen Moore, Mary Graham.

Senior II Class—Jennie Paul.

Junior II Class—Wilhelmine Archer, Smithson Nurse.

Senior Part II—Irene Maitland, Irene Kimball, Ray Bell.

Junior Part II—Stanley Mahood.

IC—Elsie Kimball, Wallace Darling.

IB—Madeline Deyell, Lawrence Archer, Mildred Archer, Gordon McGregor, Lockhart Wright, Beatrice Nurse.

IA—Gilmour Paul,

Average attendance—27.

Champion speller—Helen Moore.

M. E. Pollard, Teacher.

The following is the school report of S. S. No. 6, Harvey, for the month of November. Names are in order of merit.

V Class—Bruce Simpson.

Senior IV Class—Charlie Flynn, Lorne Chesney, Ethel Guthrie, Pearl Guthrie.

Junior IV Class—Margaret Spence,

Senior III Class—Clifford Spafford, Blanche Bennett.

Junior III Class—Irene Traynor, Hilda Flynn, Chester Windover, Melville Simpson.

Senior II Class—Nellie Mooney, Lottie Windover, Ben Irwin, Mary Mooney, Mae Armstrong, Bertha Switzer.

Junior II Class—David Irwin, Violet Monerief, Lorne Guthrie, Coleman Guthrie, Arnold Bennett.

Senior Part II Class—Evan Traynor, Britain Bennett,

Junior Part II Class—Stella Barcroft.

Senior Part I Class—Harry Pluard, Frank Pluard.

Junior Part I Class—Hannah Monerief, Cora Mooney, George Monerief, Gladys Irwin, Wellie Bennett, Mona Bennett,

Average attendance for the month, 26; largest attendance, 31. December opened with 29 present.

Results of examinations held at S. S. No. 8 Douro for the month of November, are as follows:

Senior IV Class—marks obtainable 800—Maggie Whibbs, 620; Vina Farley, 552.

Junior IV—marks obtainable 800—Edith Slater, 548.

Senior III—marks obtainable 800—Cecil McCliggott, 617; Willard Slater, 300.

Junior III—marks obtainable 800—Joseph Whibbs, 385; Margaret Coughlin, 189; Odo O'Toole, 67.

Senior II—Mattie McCarthy, Clayton Cranley.

Junior II—marks obtainable 500—Roy Slater, 380; Irene Farley, 348.

Part II Class—Minnie McCarthy, Lillie McCarthy.

Senior Part I Class—Esther McCarthy, Nellie McCarthy, James McCliggott, Thomas Whibbs.

The following were absent from part of examinations—Vina Farley, Odo O'Toole, Margaret Coughlin, Irene Farley.

Pupils registered—18.

Average attendance—12.

Teacher—Josie M. Condon.

The junior classes are arranged in order of merit.

The following is the report of S. S. No 12, Otonabee, for the month of November:

Class V—Wilfrid Girven, 56 per cent.

Class IV—Pearl Petrie, 87 per cent; Ada Curtis, 74 per cent; Vina Sargent, 72 per cent.

Class III—Myrtle Sargent, 70 per cent; Florence Sargent, 64 per cent.

Class III—James Petrie, 83 per cent; Earl Petrie, 80 per cent; Eva Garrett, 66 per cent.

Class Part II—Bertha Sargent, 90 per cent; Martha Garrett, 86 per cent; Mary Garrett, 82 per cent.

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Class I—Johnnie Fitzgerald, 90 per cent; Kenneth Petrie, 85 per cent; Johnny Brady, 83 per cent.

The following were present every day—Wilfrid Girven, Vina Sargent, Ada Curtis, Pearl Petrie, Florence Sargent, Earl Petrie, Bertha Sargent, Kenneth Petrie, Johnny Fitzgerald.

Teacher—M. M. Girven.

Mrs. Ellis, of Dakota, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Walter Thompson.

Mr. Wm. Cummings, of Chicago, spent a few days with his sister, Mrs. J. R. McIntyre last week.

Miss Kate McFarlane came home from Whitby on Saturday.

Miss Eleanor Scriver left last week to spend a month in Toronto.

Mrs. Wm. McCrea and Mr. Will Mein, Peterborough, were in Keene Saturday.

Messrs. E. C. Howson and Duncan Drummond, Peterborough, attended the funeral of Mrs. Wm. Drummond on Saturday.

Miss Annie Connell, Peterborough, spent Sunday at her home here.

Miss Laura McFarlane spent Sunday in Peterborough.

Don't forget the Farmers' Institute on Saturday night, December 12. A splendid programme will be provided as usual.

The Scotch troupe, Mr. Gavin Spence, Miss Strachan and Miss Kerr, will give a return concert in the town hall on December 30.

LAY ON, MACDUFF

I have a hen, she hath a name—
Macduff;
She's both prolific, musical and tough.
The Yanks have fixed, she heard the neighbours say,
Two hundred eggs a year as smallest of her lay.
"I'll lay no more," she cackled in a huff,
Until the rooster roared: "Lay on!
Macduff."
Robert the Bruce he knew not where to turn—
His triumph came at bloody Bannockburn.
Eat wheat, O hen! and oyster shell and bone,
And be a credit to the Northern zone.
Be patriotic! Show them you're the stuff;
See, yonder is the stack— Lay on!
Macduff.
Great Britain, by, for all your produce begs;
Perhaps the King himself may eat your eggs.
Stick to your colours like a little hen,
We'll stand the racket if the Yankees ken.
"Hence to the stack," he cried, "lay on! Macduff;
And cursed be he who first shall cry enough."

Monday Evening, Dec. 14

AUTHOR'S NIGHT
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COURT CHEMONG I. O. F. ELECT THEIR OFFICERS

Semi-Monthly Meeting Held Last Night —Mr. W. G. McKee the Chief Ranger.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of Court Chemong, 530, Independent Order of Foresters, was held in the S.O.E. hall last night, when a large attendance of the members were present. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

C.R.—W. G. McKee
V.C.R.—F. C. Hooke.
R.S.—J. W. Buyers.
F.S.—G. W. Powell.
Treas.—Wm. Madill.
Orator—Rev. J. C. Davidson.
Organist—Mrs. H. J. McCannan.
S. of J. C—G. H. Robertson.
S.W.—W. R. Grose.
J.W.—J. R. Brownlee.
S.B.—J. Jinks.
J.B.—R. Briggs.
C.P.—Dr. N. C. McKinnon.
P.C.R.—A. H. Webb.
O.D.—D. Wallace.
Auditors—Dr. D. N. Carmichael, Dr. J. M. McCulloch
Fin. Com—A. H. Webb, J. McBain.

An interesting instalation ceremony will be held at the semi-monthly meeting on Thursday evening, Jan. 14th, which will be open to the members and their friends.

OBITUARY.

MR. WM. SPILSBURY

The death occurred on Friday morning, Dec. 4th, 1908 at 7.15 o'clock, of Mr. William Spilsbury, at the home of his son-in-law, Mr. Peter Stewart, Hannaford, N.D. Mr. Spilsbury was born at Colborne, Ont., and was in his 79th year. He was the youngest son of the late Captain B. B Spilsbury, of the Royal Navy, who commanded a gunboat on the lakes during the Anglo-American war of 1812-15.

On December 31st, 1859, he was married to Mary Ann Ashby, a daughter of the late George Ashby, C.E., of Albion, N.Y., he then came to reside in North Monaghan, on a farm which was given to him by his father.

Besides his widow he leaves two sons and four daughters to mourn the loss of a kind father. Their names are, Mr. George Spilsbury, North Monaghan; Mrs. W. Jackson, and Miss E. Hillier, city; Mrs. Harry Falkner, Havelock; Mr. T. W. Spilsbury, Rochester, N.Y., and Mrs. Peter Stewart, Hannaford, N.D. The remains are being sent home for burial.

THOS. GEO. PEACOCK

The death occurred Tuesday at the Ross Hospital of one of Lindsay's best known citizens in the person of Mr. Thomas George Peacock. The late Mr. Peacock had been ill for some time and was removed to the hospital on Tuesday of last week. The deceased was 76 years of age, and has resided in Lindsay for the past 22 years. He leaves to mourn his loss three sons, Charles, at home; Edward and William in Peterborough, and three daughters, Ethel, in Peterborough; Ruby and Emily at home.—Warder.

The New York Stock Market

(Furnished by J. N. Barber.)

	Opening	Closing
A.C.P	84⅛	83⅝
Atch	93⅛	93
B.R.T.	58⅛	58
C.P.R.	178⅝	178
Erie	34⅛	33⅞
Great Northern	143⅜	143¼
L.N.	122¼	123⅛
Mo. Pac.	65¼	64⅞
Northern Pacific	142¼	142
N.Y.C.	118	117⅞
Penna	130⅜	130
R.I.	24	24
Rdg.	142½	142
Smelters	92½	90⅜
Soo	132	131½
St. Paul	151	150½
S.P	121⅜	121⅜
U.P.	183½	183
U.S	54⅜	54½
U.S. p f d	113	112⅜
Twin City	94⅞	95
Nipissing	10⅛	10⅛
May Wheat	107⅞	106⅜
" Corn	62	61
May Oats	53⅜	53⅜
" Pork	16.32	16.00

LADIES' BENEVOLENT ORANGE ASSOCIATION TO HOLD CONCERT

A social and entertainment under the auspices of Sentinel Lodge, No. 66, Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association, will be held in the Foresters' Hall, George street, on Friday evening, Dec. 14. An excellent musical and literary programme by the best local talent will be given. Refreshments will be served after the programme.

It is expected that the Rev. A. H. Brace, of Cobourg, and Mr. R. H. Holland of Port Hope, will be present and deliver addresses. Admission adults 25c., children 10c. God Save the King. 4d11

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

The senior members of the Y. M. C. A. are requested to be present at the gym. on Monday evening when a track team will be organised. Mr. Collings is looking after the members in the athletic department and a fine class is the result. All kinds of track sports will be taken up, and a fast team should be developed in the course of time.

The Social Committee of the Y. M. C. A. will hold a reception this evening for the various church organizations

CURLING.

The Peterborough Curling Bonspiel will be held on Jan 12th. It was at first decided to hold it on Jan. 18th, but this date was found to conflict with Kingston and hence the change.

HURTUBISE TO MEET CYCLONE BURNS TO-NIGHT

Gene Hurtubise will be Cyclone Burns' opponent in the match at the Riverdale Rink in Toronto to-night instead of Hassan Abdallah. The Turk, while walking to the station in Montreal the other night to leave for Toronto, slipped and fell on the icy pavement, injuring his shoulder so severely that the doctors called in advised him to remain out of the game until he recovers somewhat from his injuries. The Toronto management decided to ask Hurtubise to take his place and the local grappler accepted the offer and will go on to-night against Burns. The latter is said to be some wrestler, but Gene should hold his own with him.

TRENT VALLEY HOCKEY LEAGUE ORGANIZED

The annual meeting of the Trent Valley Hockey League was held in Havelock a few days ago. A silver cup has been donated for the champions of the league.

The following officers were then elected for the coming season:

Hon. President—J. W. Pearce, Marmora.

Hon Vice-President—Jas. Thompson, Havelock.

President—R. Fulcher, Marmora.

1st Vice-President—W. Whitty, Stirling.

2nd Vice-President—P. J. Hoover, Madoc.

Secy-Treasurer — T. E. Dineen, Havelock.

Executive Committee—T. Pearce, Norwood; S. M. Quackenbush, Warkworth; Coughlan, Hastings; B. Connors, Madoc; H. Andrews, Havelock; H. C. Wiggins, Marmora; W. Whitty Stirling, and a representative to be supplied from Keene.

The application of the Rough Riders, of Peterborough, for admission to the league was thrown out.

BASKET-BALL.

On Tuesday evening, December 15th, the local Y.M.C.A. intermediate basketball team will run up against a team from Peterborough Y.M.C.A. in the local gymnasium. A good game should result as the Lindsay boys are no slouches at the game. They are practicing faithfully and if they don't trim the fast Peterborough team when they meet it will not be their fault. The seating capacity is limited to sixty, so all wishing to see the game should get their tickets at once before they are all gone.—Lindsay Post.

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The Peterborough Y.M.C.A. have a couple of men on the sick list, and will not be able to send their team to Toronto on Tuesday, Dec. 15th. The management of West End, however, will have the London team down instead, and as they are one of Canada's fastest teams, it will be a fast game.
—Toronto Star.

RUGBY

Twenty dollars in the "hole."

It isn't very nice to be in that shape.

But the Lindsay Rugby team, junior champions of the O.H.A., are twenty bucks to the bad, and where the money is to come from is the question now confronting the management.

All season the team has been running under a big expense and money coming but slowly, and now it looks as if the over-worked management would have to dig into their own little hoards to save the rep. of the club.

Too bad, isn't it?

EYE TALK

The eye being the most delicate organ in the body should be given the greatest care and attention.

We are experts on the eye and guarantee all our work to be satisfactory or money refunded.

In the last two days we have examined 27 persons for glasses, who have satisfied themselves as to our ability.

The largest stock of up-to-date frames and mountings, both rim and rimless, in Peterborough are shown here.

Our lens department is second to none in Canada.

Consult us about your eyes and save both time and money.

Tate-Taylor Optical Company
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The New Drug Store
412 GEORGE STREET

will be open on Tuesday, December 1st. We carry a full line of Drugs, Sundries and Toilet Articles, everything is new, fresh and up to-date. A share of your patronage will be greatly appreciated by

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The Christmas Spirit Is in the Air

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Have You

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A 20th Century Suit
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Inexpensive and Appropriate Xmas Gifts

Any of the following should solve the Christmas Gift problem and prove acceptable as well as appropriate for this zero weather.

Golf Waists at 2.25 and 2.50— We are showing extra special values in wool Golf Waists, for Xmas Gifts, colours black, white, navy, cardinal. Made of fine quality wool, Special Xmas Prices..... **2.25 - 2.50**

Wool Norfolk Coats at 2.50 and 3.00— These are comfortable garments and excellent Xmas Gifts, made of fine quality wool, with and without belt, colours black, grey, white, cardinal, navy.

Ladies' Skating Sweaters at 1.50 and 2.50— We are showing a splendid range of Ladies' Skating and Tobogganing Sweaters, open at the shoulder, and open front, colours, white, cardinal, white with sky, collar and cuffs white with cardinal collar and cuffs with Toques, Sashes and Mitts to match. These are useful and inexpensive Xmas Gifts.

Children's Sweaters at 1.00 to 1.50— Our range of Children's Sweaters, Norfolk Coats, is most complete, all colours and styles with long Mitts, Toques and Sashes to match. Special values for Xmas Gifts.

Wool Toques at 25c, 35c 50c.— Our stock of this popular headwear for Ladies, Boys and Girls is now complete in all the newest colour combinations, plain and honey comb effects, made of fine quality wool, special values

Long Wool Mitts at 25c to 50c.— We are showing a splendid range of long woolen Mitts for ladies and children, colors white, navy, cardinal and scarlet. Special values.

Harry Adams

Castro Allowed to Land.

Bordeaux, Dec. 11.—President Castro of Venezuela disembarked here yesterday from the French steamer Guadalupe.

The Government has reconsidered its attitude towards President Castro. He will not be expelled from France, at least not at present.

Stricken on the Floor of Congress.

Washington, D.C., Dec. 11.—Gen. Henry G. Worthington, a former member of congress from Nevada, the only living pall-bearer at the funeral of Abraham Lincoln, was stricken with apoplexy on the floor of the House shortly after noon yesterday.

Feared the Black Hand.

Flint, Mich., Dec. 11.—Laboring under the delusion that he had been marked as a victim of the "Black Hand," Thomas Fitzpatrick, aged 36, shot and killed himself.

Fish Hatchery In Brantford.

Brantford, Dec. 11.—The Ontario Government has leased Gibson Pond in Holmedale District as a fish hatchery for the purpose of restocking the Grand River with bass.

Perjury Charge Fails.

Chatham, Dec. 11.—Ernie Crummer, horse trainer, was found innocent of a charge of perjury by the jury yesterday morning, after a trial lasting a day and a half.

Hopewell For Mayor.

Ottawa, Dec. 11.—Controller Hopewell, who was defeated in a three-cornered mayoralty contest two years ago by D'Arcy Scott, will in all probability get the chief magistracy of the capital by acclamation. There is no rival candidate in the field.

Reduction In Kingston.

Kingston, Dec. 11.—The Reform League is working hard for license reduction, and the council will likely be asked for a referendum at the January elections.

Great Wheat Crop In Punjab.

London, Dec. 11.—There is the prospect of an enormous wheat crop in the Punjab, where there is a great scarcity of labor. The Government is importing labor-saving reaping machines from England.

Holiday Sale of Pianos Organs etc.

Having bought out all interests in the Peterborough Music Co. I have decided to offer **Decisive Bargains** during this month in

Pianos, Organs, Music and Musical Instruments

In order to reduce the stock before Jan. 1st, 1909.

EXTRAORDINARY SALE of SHEET MUSIC from 5c up. A Pianist will play over any of the pieces for you.

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Delicious Bacon and Ham and Worcestershire Pork Pies (our own make.)

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11 DAYS MORE TO DO YOUR XMAS SHOPPING

To-Morrow Ends the Big Rush Sale

Bargain Annex Open All Day

We can't stop to tell you how many more Big Specials we have on sale for Saturday's selling --- All we are going to do is simply this:

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12th, Must Be One of Our Biggest Days in the Year 1908 in the Turning Over of Merchandise

We want to beat last year and we will do so with such low prices that to leave them in the store after that day means money lost to all Christmas shoppers. Don't ask the reason why, simply come and see for yourself and get your share of the big values. Here are a few of the hundreds. ∴ ∴ Visit the Bargain Annex which is open all day. ∴ ∴ Note the Leaders here advertised:

Shawls and Fascinators The entertainment and opera season is now in full swing and many of these will be used. What could be more appropriate than one of them for a Xmas Gift? Cream, silk knitted Shawls and Fascinators, beautifully worked, large size, regular $2.75 and $3.00. Rush Sale Extra Price 1.98
—Main Floor Centre—

Large Hair Nets We regret the selling out of this line last Saturday, and not being able to supply the demand, but have procured an extra large quantity for this week's sale, each net firmly knotted and tied at the ends. All shades. Regular 15c. Rush Sale Extra.....(Positively not sold to dealers) 9c
—Main Floor Centre—

Raw Silk 26 inch Natural Shade Raw Silk, fine even fibre, for waists, cloaks and dresses, two pieces only, regular 75c. Rush Sale Extra ..... yard 39c
One piece 18 inch Silk, same quality, regular 45c, for ..... yard 29c
—Main Floor Rear—

Kid Gloves French Kid Gloves in Browns, Fawns, Greys, Modes, Blacks and Whites, nearly 30 dozen in the lot. Very acceptable gifts for women. Rush Sale Price ..... SEE WINDOW 49c
—Main Floor Left—

Lace Curtains

8 patterns in our $2.50 Nottingham Lace Curtains in natty patterns, white, cream and ecru, 3½ yards long, 50 and 54 ins. wide. Rush Sale Extra, (third floor) 1.68

Camel Hair Suiting

2 pieces of grey Camel Hair Suiting, 46 inches wide, especially for womens' suits, very conservative natty hair line stripe. Regular price 1.00. Rush Sale Extra.... 39c

Stain Glass Madras 350 yards in beautiful artistic effects in colour and pattern, suitable for the door and window drapes and curtains. These give the stain glass and Cathedral effects, so popular this season. Reg. 25c. Rush Sale 16½c
—Third Floor—

Cressman's

Bargain Annex Open To-Morrow

The following two items are the Two Leaders for the day in the Annex only. Dozens more just as good values will be found there, plainly marked and displayed for easy choosing. Many very suggestive lines for gift giving:

LINENS! LINENS! LINENS!

This lot comprises **ENGLISH BAG PILLOW CASES** with embroidery and drawn work, frilled with fine cambric or in many cases made all through of pure linen with hemstitched border, closed with linen tape and buttons. Regular 75c to $1.00 each.

LAUNDRY BAGS in pure linen, some handsomely embroidered. Reg. 75c.

NIGHT GOWN BAGS, hemstitched, pure linen. Regular 60c to 85c.

PURE LINEN EMBROIDERED GOODS for laundry bags, just enough material in each to make a large bag. Reg. 65c.

SHADOW EMBROIDERY SOFA PILLOWS, finished and ready for the form with hemstitched frill and fastened with washable tape and buttons. Reg. $1.25.

HAND EMBROIDERED SHAMS, hemstitched and with drawn work embroidery in pure White or Colors. Reg. 90c to $1.75 each.

Any of the above pieces on sale Saturday only in the Annex 29c
SEE WINDOW

Flannelette Blankets

Large double bed size (11/4) Flannelette Blankets in White or Grey, with Pink or Blue borders, best quality, the size you always pay $1.25 for. In the Annex, Saturday 89c
—Bargain Annex, 4th Floor—

Women's Shoes Our big shoe specialty: Our $2.50 Shoes for Women. We have a new line of Diamond Goodyear Welt Shoes with leather box toe, made in the Vici kid and patent leather in the very latest lasts. Our Special at 2.50
SEE WINDOW

Boxed Papeteries as Gifts When looking for your Xmas Gifts, see our Big Stationery Specials. Boxed Papeteries in beautiful holiday boxes: Regular 20c for 10c, reg. 25c for 15c, reg. 40c for 29c, reg. 75c for 50c

A Splendid Assortment of Gift Books for the Grown-up Folks as well as for the Children
Rush Sale Prices
—Main Floor Centre

Wool Toques Double knit honey comb in Navy, Cardinal and White. The Tobogganing commences very soon, weather permitting, so prepare for the exhilarating pastime now and be ready. Reg. 50c line of wool toques. Rush Sale..... 39c
—Main Floor Centre—

Art Cushion Tops

Beautiful Art Lithographed Cushion Tops; a large variety of new subjects. These make inexpensive but appreciated gifts. Worth 25 cents. Rush Sale Extra 19c
(Main floor centre)

Fancy Black Lustre

One piece of black French Lustre with white spot, 47 inches wide, pure mohair, brilliant finish. Reg. 85c. Rush Sale Extra 39c
(Main floor rear)

Post Card Albums A new shipment of Post Card Albums, large sizes, two lines. No. 1—Worth 35c, for 25c. No. 2—Worth 75c for 50c. These are natty little remembrances for children. (Main floor centre.)

385-87-89 George Street, Peterborough

STORE HOURS 8.10-5.45.
Open Saturday 'till 10 p. m.

TOWN TOPICS

PROBS—Fresh to strong southerly to westerly winds, a few scattered showers, but partly fair and mild. Saturday—Fair, not much change in temperature.

Special Choir Practice

All the members of the Knox Church Choir are requested to be present at 8 o'clock to-night for special practice.

Finished

—Your clothing will look finished if cleaned dyed or repaired by "My Valet," 204 Charlotte street.

Rehearsal to-night

—A rehearsal of the principals in "The Three Musketeers" will be held this evening at the Y.M.C.A. at 8 o'clock.

Rosemary Story

—In to-morrow's issue the Examiner begins a beautiful Christmas story entitled "Rosemary, in Search of a Father."

Piano Tuning

—Piano tuning promptly attended to. Satisfaction guaranteed. A. F. Hoover, 222 McDonel street. 'Phones —Bell 199k, Machine 199.

Annual Concert

—Knox church annual concert will be held on Tuesday night next, Dec. 15th. A very excellent programme has been arranged.

Judge Suicides

—Montreal, Dec. 11.—Special.—Judge Blanchet, Quebec, suicided this morning by shooting. The cause is said to be neurasthenia.

Carpenters Union No. 672

—Regular meeting Monday evening December 14th, in Simcoe street hall. All members requested to attend. By order, J. Wylie, Secretary. 2d11

Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of Cyzcus Sanctum, No. 8, Oriental Order of Humility and Perfection, will be held this evening in the I.O.O.F. Hall, when officers for the season will be elected.

C. O. C. F. Meeting

—The regular meeting of the C.O.C.F. will be held this evening. A portion of the programme will be the nomination and election of officers. All members are requested to be present.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

—The change of season affects pianos as well as everything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano-maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

An Evening in Honan

—Mrs. Goforth, of Honan, China, will give an address on Honan, which will be illustrated by stereopticon views in St. Paul's Sunday School room this evening at eight o'clock.

Winter Term

—It will pay any ambitious young person to read on page one, the new advertisement of the old established Commercial School, located in the city of Peterborough. The winter term opens January 4th. 6d106

Woodmen's Notice

—The members of Sherwood Forest Camp, No. 50, W.O.W., are requested to attend the regular meeting on Monday evening, December 14th, at eight o'clock. Election of officers and other important business. 2d-111

A Springville Change

—Mr. Archie Reynolds recently of Peterborough, has moved to Springville, having purchased the large store and building occupied by Mr. Moncrief. Mr. Reynolds is opening a large general store there.

Hastings Concert

—The first local concert of the season will be held in the town hall this (Friday) evening, under the auspices of the Presbyterian Church. The best local talent will take part assisted by Miss Julia Choate, violinist of Peterborough.—Hastings Star.

Annual Meeting

—The annual meeting of the Women's Mission Circle of the Park street Baptist Church was held last night, Miss Maggie Mann being in the chair. Addresses were given by Mrs. F P Kennedy and Miss McCalla and refreshments were served during the evening.

Tickets at the Rink

—The management of the Brock street rink not wishing to impose upon the generosity of the merchants of the city, have decided to dispense with the system of having their season tickets on sale at various business places, and will instead sell these tickets only at the rink where they may be obtained from the young lady in charge of the office. The management wish to thank those merchants who in the past have been of such assistance in allowing tickets to be sold in their places of business.

Leather Goods as Gifts

—The best place in Peterborough to buy leather goods is A. H. Stratton & Co's. We have leather purses and card cases, leather jewel cases, military brush sets in leather, leather writing folio, leather travelling companions, poets and gift books bound in leather, burnt leather cushion top, and burnt leather in endgoods at A. H. Stratton & Co's. Watch for our sensational announcement on Saturday. Every book in the store will take on new interest. Be with the crowd and come. Shop early. A. H. Stratton & Co.

CHRISTMAS NEAR

We mention a few of the Xmas necessities which we now have in stock. Table Raisins, Pulled Figs, Fresh Figs, Fresh Shelled Nuts, Golden Dates, Grape Fruit, California, Florida and Mexican Oranges, and the very best new Nuts. Also "Sealshipt" Oysters. S. A. OKE
376 George St.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

THE EXAMINER welcomes all Items of Interest for this column. Phone 234 or send post card with name and address.

Mr. A H Stratton was in Toronto yesterday on business.

Mrs. Tate and Miss Tate, of Lakefield were in the city yesterday.

Rev. Dr. Symonds, vicar of Christ's church, Montreal, spent a few hours in the city yesterday.

Mr. W Jones of Brockville, father of W Spencer Jones, who as well known in music circles here, has died.

Mr. R G Kingan, of Peterborough, was in town yesterday.....Mr A Gumpricht, Peterborough, was in town yesterday.....Mr. F M Brown, of Peterborough, transacted business in town yesterday.—Lindsay Post.

Mr. Andrew Cameron of Peterborough, was in town this week.....Rev. D A Thomson attended the Presbytery meeting at Peterborough this week.....Miss Lillian M Fite, of Peterborough, graduate of Toronto College of Music, will assist in the Presbyterian Concert Friday evening.—Hastings Star.

Mrs. Thos. H Darcy and Mrs. W H Darcy left this morning for New York City to visit Mrs. Thos. H Darcy's daughter, Mrs. Val Trainor (nee Miss Maud Darcy,) who is playing at Pastor's Theatre this week. Upon their return they will visit relatives and friends in Rochester, N.Y. and Toronto.

Make a man out of your boy by giving him a Y.M.C.A. membership ticket for a Christmas Present.
8d-ts-Dec. 23, 24

APPRECIATION OF THEIR SYMPATHY

Rev. W. M. MacKay and Mrs. Hall, of Harriston, Thank Local Citizens.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

Dear Sir: Kindly permit me through your valuable paper to express to the kind people of Peterborough the sincere thanks of Mrs Hall and myself for the tender sympathy so generously expressed to us both in our dark midnight hours of gloom. Plunged so suddenly and so unexpectedly into the deep valley of bereavement we can but feebly express our appreciation of the many messages of sympathy which have come to us from all over Canada. The childlike nature, the innate kindly disposition, the love of the beautiful, the good and the true which combined to endear our loved one to her many friends in Peterborough, had also won the hearts of the people of Harriston and her sudden death has plunged our town and neighbourhood into bitter mourning, and has left two aching hearts which eternity alone can heal. Let me assure all our kind Peterborough friends of her sincere love and respect for them, and while all that is mortal remains by our side as the desire of her fond mother, may her friends everywhere remember that her esteem for them all was always sincere and abiding.

Yours very sincerely,
W. M. MACKAY,

Harriston, Ont.,
Dec. 8th, 1908

The Farmer's Wife Should Not Be Placed In Position Of A Dependent

From The Canadian Dairyman.

Were I to point to a weak spot in our farm life it would be, "lack of business methods in our farm economy." Many farmers can drive a sharp bargain, are close buyers and sell their products at top prices, but are sadly amiss in observing business methods, and none more so than in relation to the wife's apportionment for funds for her private purse.

Is she not worthy of some consideration in this matter? She, who so ably and unselfishly helps her husband to lift the mortgage, perhaps assists to build and furnish the new home or make other necessary improvements from the funds, perchance she may have brought with her from her father's home. These are handed over without reserve, it may be, with no arrangement for her future spending money but the good will of her husband. This arrangement, if we can call it such, may be very satisfactory where the true position of the married relation is taken into consideration,—that of a life-partnership, —willing to share equally in its joys and sorrows and the pocketbook open to each.

Now, while this often satisfactorily prevails, yet the tendency of the husband will be to control the funds and if so the wife must take the humiliating position of asking for funds, even should the husband be considerate or even indulgent. This places her in a secondary position when, by rights, she is the equal, if not the superior, (I use the word advisedly), to the man. There may be call for this attitude, but, generally speaking, the wife is as much a part of the farm economy as the man, and should be given her true position.

TWO GOOD PLANS TO FOLLOW

Every farmer's wife should have her own spending money for household and personal uses, and there are two sources from whence this income may be derived. Firstly, by allowance. All the receipts from sales of farm produce, should go into one common account, and the wife draw an allowance, in keeping with the circumstances, weekly or monthly, as necessity and conditions warrant; or, secondly, she should have all the proceeds derived from sales of poultry, eggs, small fruit and butter (made at the season when the milk does not go to the creamery or cheesery.) I must confess that I like the latter system the best and when rightly managed it should give a good return. I am conversant with homes where this system is carried out very successfully and the wife always has a few dimes, yes, and dollars, too, to lend to her husband when his wallet becomes empty.

I am also aware of several cases where the women of the farm house have the returns from a good sized orchard for their spending money. As far as I have been able to learn, the "allowance" custom prevails among business men, but where all household supplies have to be purchased, and where there is no source of revenue for the women folks, it no doubt is the best system. The conditions of farm life are so different that it is impossible to lay down any one system that may be suited to all its phases and conditions. Such being the case, the farmer and his wife must be a law unto themselves in matters pertaining to finance. In closing, I would say, let every true husband see that his wife, yea, and daughter, too, are in some measure provided with funds they may call their own, having feeling to use them without feeling that they are "dependents," (to use this word in its mildest sense.)

In nine cases out of ten these funds will be well expended, possibly some of it will go for papers, magazines, books, music, etc.; home will be made more attractive and cheery, farm life will be elevated and our boys and girls will be loth to leave the fireside of the "old home," consequently more will stay with us on the farm rather than go to eke out an existence in the cities on a miserable pittance of a salary. Then farm life and Canadian agriculture will receive an uplift that will be marked in the annals of history.

The Keeping Of Poultry In Winter; December Most Important Month

From The Canadian Dairyman.

December is the most important month in many respects to the poultry-keeper. If eggs are to be expected in January and throughout the winter, regular and intelligent care must be given to the fowl from now on and, in fact, those who began a month ago to give their hens proper conditions for laying, are most likely to get the best egg harvest. Proper conditions include the whole situation, which may be divided into three parts: viz., the poultry house, the fowl, and feeding.

The house should be in thorough order in every respect. The windows should be sound and scrupulously clean. This is very necessary. The days are now very short. At the earliest, the fowl cannot see to eat before seven a.m. and after four p.m. at the latest. This means a period of fifteen hours between the last meal of the day and the first of the next, which shows the need of all the light that can possibly be given. In cities and towns this long gap between supper and breakfast is shortened by giving a fourth meal between eight and nine o'clock at night by electric light, and, in some cases, the result has been very encouraging and successful. This can be done by lamp light but it takes from half to three-quarters of an hour each night, which may not be considered worth while unless large flocks are kept.

The fowls should be healthy, in good condition, and the pullets mature. There is a wide difference of opinion about the number of layers that should be kept in each flock or pen. Personally, I think twenty-five or thirty is plenty for each pen. One expert says: "When you think you have room for twenty layers only keep ten." This is good advice. If you have to lessen the number of fowl kept, begin by removing all the spare males, young and old, keeping only those needed for breeding next spring. Next remove all hens over two years of age, except if the breed kept is Leghorn or any of the Mediterranean class, when they may be kept until three years of age. After the old hens, remove the very young pullets. This should leave only serviceable birds that, with proper food, should return eggs in profitable quantities.

The layers should be fed three times a day, twice with grain and once with soft food. Give the soft food whenever most convenient. Many breeders give it the first meal of the day, others at noon and others again, at night. There are arguments in favor of each method, so that, as far as now known, it is best to let convenience decide the point. Wheat and oats make a good grain ration—half of each. To this may be added a small quantity of whole corn, say one part to ten of wheat and oats. If white birds are kept and are used for exhibition do not add corn—it makes the plumage creamy. The soft feed may be made up of five parts bran, four parts whole grain provender and one part corn-meal, but omit the corn-meal if white birds are kept. This covers the main feeding. In addition, there should be in each pen, hoppers or boxes containing grit and oyster shell. Cabbages, mangels, beets, or other green food should be fed in reasonable quantities.

For stimulating the egg supply, green bone may be given three times a week. Feed this very lightly. If it is not convenient to feed green bone, use beef scraps or meat-meal. This may be mixed in the soft food. It is far better to feed too little, say about a tablespoon to each fifteen fowl. It is far better to feed too little of either green bone or meat-meal than too much.

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A pleasant social evening was enjoyed last night at the entertainment and social held under the auspices of the newly organized Sentinel Lodge, No. 66 Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association. The event took place in the Foresters' Hall, George street. Mr. Joseph Jones presided as chairman and introduced those participating in the splendid programme. Others on the platform were W.H. G. Armstrong, C.M., Supt. E Juby, D.M., Miss Lila Calder, Worthy Mistress and Miss Hattie Lee, Deputy Mistress. The programme was as follows:

Instrumental—Miss Myrtle Wiley.
Opening address—Chairman.
Solo—Mr. Chambers.
Recitation—"How Mrs. Smart Learned to Skate"—Miss E V Calder.
Duet—Misses Spicer and Wiley.
Recitation—Miss Pearl Pogue.
Humorous solo—Mr. H Birchall.
Recitation, "The Changed Cross"—Mr. R A Jackson.
Address—Col. J W Miller.
Trick Banjo Specialties—Mr. Wm. Dundas.
Duet—The Misses Spicer.
Humorous solo—Mr. H Birchall.
Accompanist, Mr. Birchall.
God Save the King.
Refreshments were served at the close of the concert.

ALL SAINTS' GIRLS HOLD BAZAAR

Have Ready Sale for Dainty Christmas Articles Provided.

The Girls' Guild of All Saints' Church last night held a very successful bazaar. There was a large attendance, and the many dainty as well as useful articles were soon purchased. As a result the girls will have a handsome little sum to add to the building fund of the church. Those in charge of the tables were:—

Apron Table — Miss Lacheur and Mrs. Coane.
Candy Table—Miss Buller and Miss Blois.
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AN OPEN LETTER

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CHATS ABOUT FAMOUS BOOKS AND THEIR AUTHORS

By F. M. D.

There are many who look upon the teaching of History and Biography, especially, Biography, as altogether unnecessary in the curricula of modern education. They say that there is no good to be obtained from steeping the young idea in the annals of the past, and stoutly deny that such studies imbue beings with loftier ideals, either in morals or patriotism.

The Historian More Useful Than the Poet

To the plain, matter-of-fact man such arguments do not appeal with cogent force, for, whence would our incentive to patriotism or to higher living get its food, were it not from the pabulum obtained from the pages of the past?

"Lives of great men all remind us,
We can make our own sublime,
And departing leave behind us,
Footprints in the sands of time."

The historian, in fact, although he may not possess a tithe of his genius, is a greater benefactor to the world than any poet, for the latter, is the illumiher of hearts alone, whilst the former lights up past centuries for the observation and instruction of all mankind. Poetry will not dissipate error; History undoubtedly will, for by its recital of events mankind will be taught to avoid the mistakes that have caused conflict and confusion in days gone by.

Opponents of History

But one great argument adduced by opponents of the teaching of history, is that it is not to be depended on, as the records of the past are so overlaid with exaggerations and downright falsehoods that it is impossible to gain a credible record of even one reign. We all know that there is a great amount of truth in this contention. One has only to ask two eye witnesses of any event one day old for their account of the occurrence, and they will be pretty sure to err in the recounting of one or two essential or unessential details. If people will differ on events of a day, how much more is it likely that happenings of centuries past which have been subjected to the pruning and picking of this and that historian, will be likely to be distorted? Men for instance, with an imaginative turn of mind, like Macaulay, or a prejudiced one like Hume, no matter how marvelous their erudition, are not trustworthy historians, and are to be read rather for the excellence of their style than for any solid instruction to be obtained from their pages.

But, it would be absurd for anyone to assume that all history is wrong, because certain cock-and-bull stories have been unearthed in the pages of this or that writer, placed there, either through carelessness, or deliberate misrepresentation. Nothing is surer than that we possess honest historians, who in their study of the state archives have taken history as they found it, and have not coloured it to suit their own inclinations.

Biography not Always Correct

Biography is much in the same case as History, and the example of Sir Philip Sidney is a very good instance to bear out what has just been stated. In regard to all the more important points of his career, there is unanimity of opinion. Hume says of him: "This person is described by the writers of that age as the most perfect model of an accomplished gentleman that could be formed even by the wanton imagination of poetry or fiction—virtuous conduct, polite conversation, heroic valour, and elegant erudition, all concurred to render him the ornament and delight of the English court; and as the credit which he possessed with the Queen and the Earl of Leicester was wholly employed in the encouragement of genius and literature, his praises have been transmitted with advantage to posterity. No person was so low as not to become the object of his humanity."

Differences of Statement

Against his fame no historian has used a venomed pen. Amid a galaxy of figures, brilliant in their parts, and magnificent in their courtliness, Sir Philip Sidney stands pre-eminent. Yet, in the minor details of his career there are certain divergences of opinion. Some, for instance, affect to doubt altogether the well-known tale of his gift of water to the dying soldier at Zutphen. Others firmly believe it and compare him with King David, St. Thomas Aquinas and Alexander the Great, who are all credited with deeds of similar magnanimity. One writer states that Elizabeth called him "the jewel of her dominions," another "one of the jewels of my crown." Collier states that he lost his life through lending his armour except his breast plate to an old general, too lightly equipped for battle. Others say that in a spirit of romantic chivalry he cast it away because he saw his commander wore none. It is in minor details such as these that historians generally differ.

Sidney's Career

Sir Philip Sidney was the son of Sir Henry Sidney and Mary Dudley, sister of the Earl of Leicester. Bred in the atmosphere of the court he was sent at the age of 18 on a continental tour, and narrowly escaped being a victim at Paris, in the uprising against the Huguenots. The events of his short life are well told. In his 23rd year he was sent on an embassy to the Emperor Rudolph II. of Germany. Owing to the antagonism of the Cecil family, who looked askance at men of rising talent, it was long before he could gain recognition, but he at last obtained the Government of Flushing. This and the embassage to Germany comprised his public appointments. In the year following his appointment to the Government of Flushing he was killed at Zutphen. Sidney was in his 32nd year at the time of his death. His claims to a place in literature are high. Space does not permit of any extracts from his works, but his "Apologie for Poetrie," and several of his lyrics have been and still are deservedly admired.

INFORMATION COLLECTED BY THE INDIAN AGENT ABOUT LIFE ON LOCAL RESERVES

Population of Hiawatha is 92 and of Chemong 191—Homes Kept Clean—The Question of Strong Drink.

THE RED MEN'S PROGRESS

The annual report of the Department of Indian Affairs for the year ending March 31, 1908, issued by the Dominion Government gives some interesting statistics regarding the Indians on the Hiawatha and Chemong Reserves. The report was submitted by Mr. Wm. McFarlane, Indian Agent, and is as follows:

Rice Lake Band

The Rice Lake reserve is located on the north shore of Rice lake, in the township of Otonabee, county of Peterborough. It contains about 1,850 acres, of which about 800 is cleared: 130 acres of this is under lease to white tenants, while the locatees cultivate the remainder of said cleared land.

Population.—The total population shown by the present census is 92.

Health and Sanitation.—During the past year there has been very little sickness on the reserve.

Occupations.—A few of the young men work in the lumber camps, while others work their locations and do exceptionally well trapping in the spring, also hunting in the fall and acting as guides for the tourists on the lake. A few gather wild rice also.

Buildings.—All the buildings are of log and frame and very well kept. The church and grounds are very neat.

Stock.—The members of this band have several good horses and milch cows, also hogs and poultry.

Farm Implements.—Those who farm have all the modern machinery.

Education.—They have a very bright, cosy little school-house, where the children attend school with the white children, and I believe are making splendid progress in their studies.

Temperance and Morality.—These Indians are well behaved and law-abiding; some of them will have liquor whenever it can be had, but the majority, I think, are temperate.

Mud Lake Band.

This reserve is located on the shore of Mud lake, in the township of Smith, county of Peterborough. It contains about 2,000 acres, of which a little over 300 acres is cleared.

Population.—The total population shown by the present census is 191.

Health and Sanitation.—Some of the homes are very clean and well kept. They have had very little sickness during the year.

Occupations.—Some engage in farming or as farm help; others work in the lumber camps in winter and spend the summer rowing tourists on the lakes. Some of them do remarkably well trapping and hunting.

Buildings.—The buildings are kept in very good repair. With the exception of the hall and church, they are all of log and frame.

Stock.—These Indians have quite a number of horses and milch cows, also hogs and poultry.

Farm Implements.—Those who farm here have all the modern machinery.

Education.—The children who attend school regularly, are making very fair progress. The teacher, Mr. McCue, takes a very great interest in his pupils.

Temperance and Morality.—There are a few of these Indians who indulge in strong drink whenever it can be had; but the majority of them are very temperate and moral.

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President—Miss Dickson.
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Secretary—Mrs. P. McLean.
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For Indian River, Norwood, Havelock, Tweed	7.51 p m
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	12.31 a m
Going West	**Leave Peterborough**
For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	6.36 a m
For Burketon, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	7.36 a m
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points	4.36 p m

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	Arrive	Depar
Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Gravenhurst, North Bay, Stouffville and Toronto	11:40 a.m. 2:00 p.m.	9:35 a.m. 11.45 a.m
Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	9:20 a.m. 5:20 p.m.	9:05 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Cobourg Montreal and East	5:20 p.m	11:45 a.m
	9:10 a.m.	9:05 p.m
Toronto, Lindsay, Stouffville, Uxbridge and Markham	11:40 a.m. 2:00 p.m. 10:10 p.m.	7:10 a.m 9:35 a.m. 11:45a.m
Lindsay Local	9:15 a.m.	9:15 p.m
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	9:10 a.m. 2:55 p.m.	9:30 a.m 1:40 p.m
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Continued from last Saturday

The pair of rogues did their work well and quietly, so quietly that nothing of it would be known were it not that they quarreled later on over the spoils of this and other transactions, and Mme. Mantis in the witness box at Lille used her memory and her tongue freely. "The plan now was to get rid of the young lady," she said plainly. "Pharos feared her power over my lady and that my lady might leave her all the money. Pharos hated the young lady because she would have nothing to say to him and told him plainly that she thought him a charlatan. She had courage, yes! But if she would have joined in with him—why, then, into the streets with me! I knew that well enough, and Pharos knew I knew it. So I hated her, too, fearing that some day she and he would make up their differences, and I—that for me! Yes, that was how we were, M. le President." Her lucid exposition elicited a polite compliment from M. le President, and we also are obliged to her.

But Sophy was heedless. She showed afterward that she could fight well for what she loved well and that with her an eager heart made a strong hand. Her heart was not in this fight. The revelation of mad Lady Meg's true motive for taking her up may well have damped a gratitude otherwise becoming in Sophy Grouch transmuted to Sophie de Gruche. Yet the gratitude remained. She fought for Lady Meg—for her sanity and some return of sanity in her proceedings. In so fighting she fought against herself, for Lady Meg was very mad now. For herself she did not fight. Her heart and her thoughts were elsewhere. The schemes in the Rue de Grenelle occupied her hardly more than the clash of principles, the efforts of a falling dynasty, the struggles of rising freedom, the stir and seething of the great city and the critical times in which she lived.

They left the two behind sipping beer.

For she was young, and the lord of youth had come to visit her in his shower of golden promise. The days were marked for her no more by the fawning advances or the spiteful insinuations of Pharos than by the heroics of an uneasy emperor or the ingenious experiments in reconciling contradictions wherein his ministers were engaged. For her the days lived or lived not as she met or failed to meet Casimir de Savres. It was the season of her first love. Yet, with all its joy, the shadow of doubt is over it it seems not perfect. The delight is in receiving, not in giving. His letters to her, full of reminiscences of their meetings and talks, are shaded with doubt and eloquent of insecurity. She was no more than a girl in years, but in some ways her mind was precociously developed—her ambition was spreading its still growing wings. Casimir's constant tone of deference, almost of adulation, marks in part the man, in part the convention in which he had been bred, but it marks, too, the suppliant. To the last he is the wooer, not the lover, and at the end of his ecstasy lies the risk of despair. For her part, she often speaks of him afterward and always with the tenderest affection. She never ceased to carry with her wherever she went the bundle of his letters, tied with a scrap of ribbon and inscribed with a date. But there is one reference worthy of note to her innermost sentiments toward him, to the true state of her heart as she came to realise it by and by. "I loved him, but I hadn't grown into my feelings," she says. Brief and almost accidental as the utterance is, it is full of significance, but its light is thrown back. It is the statement of how she came to know how she had been toward him, not of how in those happy days she seemed to herself to be.

He knew about Grouch. He had been told by a copious superfluity of female friendliness, by Lady Meg, cloaking suspicious malignity under specious penitence; by Mme. Mantis with impertinent and intrusive archness; by Marie Zerkovitch in the sheer impossibility of containing within herself any secret which had the bad fortune to be intrusted to her. Sophy's own confession, made with incredible difficulty, she hated the name so, fell flat and was greeted with a laugh of mockery.

It happened at the Calvaire at Fontainebleau, whither they had made a day's and night's excursion under the escort of Marie Zerkovitch and a student friend of hers from the Quartier Latin. These two they had left behind sipping beer at a restaurant facing the chateau. On the eminence which commands the white little town dropped amid the old forest, over against the red roofs of the palace vying in richness with the turning leaves, in sight of a view in its own kind unsurpassed, in its own charm unequaled, Sophy broke the brutal truth which was to end the infatuation of the head of a house old as St. Louis.

"It's bad to pronounce, is it?" asked Casimir, smiling and touching her hand. "Ah, well, good or bad. I couldn't pronounce it, so to me it is nothing."

"They'd all say it was terrible—a mesalliance."

"I fear only one voice on earth saying that."

"And the fraud I am—De Gruche!" She caught his hand tightly. Never before had it occurred to her to defend or to excuse the transparent fiction.

"I know stars fall," he said, with his pretty gravity, not too grave. "I wish that they may rise to their own height again and I rise with them."

He caught her round the waist.

The sun sank behind the horizon. A gentle afterglow of salmon pink rested over the palace and city; the forest turned to a frame of smoky, brownish black. Casimir waved a hand toward it and laughed merrily.

"Before we were it was; after we are it shall be! I sound as old as Scripture! It has seen old masters and great mistresses! Saving the proprieties, weren't you Montespan or Pompadour?"

"De la Valliere?" she laughed. "Or Maintenon?"

"For good or evil, neither! Do I hurt you?"

"No; you make me think, though," answered Sophy. "Why?"

"They niggled at virtue or at vice. You don't niggle! Neither did Montespan nor Pompadour."

"And so I am to be—Marquise de"—

"Higher, higher!" he laughed. "Mme. la Marechale"—

"It is war, then—soon—you think?" She turned to him with a sudden tension.

He pointed a Frenchman's eloquent forefinger to the dark mass of the chateau, whose chimneys rose now like gloomy interrogation marks to an unresponsive, darkened sky. "He is there now—the emperor! Perhaps he walks in his garden by the round pond—thinking, dreaming, balancing."

"Throwing balls in the air, as conjurors do?"

"Yes, my star."

"And if he misses the first?"

"He'll seek applause by the second. And the second, I think, would be war."

"And you would go?"

"To what other end do I love the lady of the red star—alas, I can't see it—save to bring her glory?"

"That's French," said Sophy, with a laugh. "Wouldn't you rather stay with me and be happy?"

"Who speaks to me?" he cried, springing to his feet. "Not you!"

"No, no," she answered. "I have no fear! What is it, Casimir, that drives us on?"

"Drives us on! You! You, too?"

"It's not a woman's part, is it?"

He caught her round the waist, and she allowed his clasp, but she grew pale, yet smiled again softly.

"If all life were an evening at Fontainebleau—a fine evening at Fontainebleau!" she murmured in the low clearness which marked her voice.

"Mightn't it be?"

"With war? And with what drives us on?"

He sighed, and his sigh puzzled her.

"Oh, well," she cried, "at least you know I'm Sophy Grouch, and my father was as mean as the man who opens your lodge gate."

The sky had gone a blue black. A single star somberly announced the coming pageant.

"And his daughter high as the hopes that beckon me to my career!"

"You've a wonderful way of talking," smiled Sophy Grouch—simple Essex in contact with Paris at that instant.

"You'll be my wife, Sophie?"

"I don't think Lady Meg will keep me long. Pharos is working hard, so Marie Zerkovitch declares. I should bring you a dot of 2,500 francs!"

"Do you love me?"

The old question rang clear in the still air. Who has not heard it of women or uttered it of men? Often so easy, sometimes so hard. When all is right save one thing, or when all is wrong save one thing, then it is hard to answer and may have been hard to ask. With Casimir there was no doubt save the doubt of the answer. Sophy stood poised on a hesitation. The present seemed perfect. Only an unknown future cried to her through the falling night.

"I'll win glory for you!" he cried. "The emperor will fight!"

"You're no emperor's man!" she mocked.

"Yes, while he means France. I'm for anybody who means France." For a moment serious, the next he kissed her hand merrily. "Or for anybody who'll give me a wreath, a medal, a toy to bring home to her I love."

"You're very fascinating," Sophy confessed.

It was not the word. Casimir fell from his exaltation. "It's not love, that of yours," he said.

"No—I don't know. You might make it love. Oh, how I talk beyond my rights!"

"Beyond your rights? Impossible! May I go on trying?"

He saw Sophy's smile dimly through the gloom. From it he glanced to the dying gleam of the white houses dropped among the trees, to the dull mass of the ancient home of history and kings. But back he came to the living, elusive, half seen smile.

"Can you stop?" said Sophy.

He raised his hat from his head and stooped to kiss her hand.

"Nor would nor could," said he—"in the warmth of life or the cold hour of death!"

"No, no! If you die, it's gloriously!" The hour carried her away. "Casimir, I wish I were sure!"

The spirit of his race filled his reply. "You want to be dull?"

"No—I—I—I want you to kiss my cheek!"

"May I salute the star?"

"But it's no promise!"

"It's better."

"My dear, I—I'm very fond of you."

"That's all?"

...ough for tonight. What's he thinking of down there?"

"The emperor? I'm not so much as sure he's there really. Somebody said he had started for St. Cloud this morning."

"Pretend he's there!"

"Then, of anything except how many men die for what he wants."

"Or of how many women weep?"

Her reply set a new light to his passion. "You'd weep?" he cried.

"Oh, I suppose so!" The answer was half a laugh, half a sob.

"But not too much! No more than the slightest dimness to the glowing star!"

Sophy laughed in a tremulous key. Her body shook. She laid her hands in his. "No more, no more! Surely Marie and the student are bored? Isn't it supper time? Oh, Casimir, if I were worthy, if I were sure! What's ahead of us? Must we go back? Tonight, up here, it all seems so simple! Does he mean war? He down there? And you'll fight!" She looked at him for an instant. He was close to her. She thrust him away from her. "Don't fight thinking of me," she said.

"How otherwise?" he asked.

She tossed her head impatiently. "I don't know—but—but Pharos makes me afraid. He—he says that things I love die."

The young soldier laughed. "That leaves him pretty safe," said he.

She put her arm through his, and they walked down. It had been a night to be forgotten only when all is. Yet she went from him unpledged.

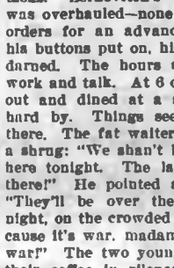
Chapter Eight

THAT feverish month of July—fitting climax to the scorching arid summer of 1870—had run full half its course. Madness had stricken the rulers of France. To avoid danger they rushed on destruction. Gay madness spread through the veins of Paris. Perverse always, Lady Meg Duddington chose this moment for coming back to her senses, or, at least, for abandoning the particular form of insanity to which she had devoted the last five years.

One afternoon she called her witch and her wizard. "You're a pair of quacks, and I've been an old fool," she said composedly, sitting straight up in her high backed chair. She flung a couple of thousand franc notes across the table. "You can go," she ended, with contemptuous brevity. Mantis' evil temper broke out, "She has done this, the malign one!" Pharos was wiser. He had not done badly out of Lady Meg, and madness such as hers is apt to be recurrent. His farewell was gentle, his exit not ungraceful, yet he, too, prayed her to beware of a certain influence. "Stuff! You don't know what you're talking about!" Lady Meg jerked out and pointed with her finger to the door.

Early on the morning of Sunday, the 17th, having received word through Lady Meg's maid that her presence was not commanded in the Rue de Grenelle, Sophy slipped around to the Rue du Bac and broke in on Marie Zerkovitch, radiant with her great news and imploring her friend to celebrate it by a day in the country.

"It means that dear old Lady Meg will be what she used to be to me!" she cried. "We shall go back to England.



"You're a pair of quacks."

I expect, and—I wonder what that will be like!"

Her face grew suddenly thoughtful. Back to England! How would that suit Sophie de Gruche? And what was to happen about Casimir de Savres? The period of her long, sweed indecision was threatened with a forced conclusion.

Marie Zerkovitch was preoccupied against both her friend's joy and her friend's perplexity. Great affairs touched her at home. There would be war, she said, certainly war. Today the senate went to St. Cloud to see the emperor. Zerkovitch had started thither already on the track of news. The news in the near future would certainly be war, and Zerkovitch would follow the armies, still on the track of news. "He went before, in the war of sixty-six," she said, her lips trembling, "and he all but died of fever. That kills the correspondents just as much as the soldiers. Ah, it is so dangerous, Sophie—and so terrible to be left behind alone! I don't know what I shall do! My husband wants me to go home. He doesn't believe the French will win, and he fears trouble for those who stay here." She looked at last at Sophy's clouded face. "Ah, and your Casimir—he will be at the front!"

"Yes, Casimir will be at the front," said Sophy, a ring of excitement hardly suppressed in her voice.

"If he should be killed!" murmured Marie, throwing her arms out in a gesture of lamentation.

"You bird of ill omen! He'll come back covered with glory."

The two spent a quiet day together, Sophy helping Marie in her homely tasks. Zerkovitch's campaigning kit was overhauled—none knew how soon orders for an advance might come—his buttons put on, his thick stockings darned. The hours slipped away in work and talk. At 6 o'clock they went out and dined at a small restaurant hard by. Things seemed very quiet there. The fat waiter told them, with a shrug: "We shan't have much noise here tonight. The lads will be over there!" He pointed across the river. "They'll be over there most of the night, on the crowded boulevards. Because it's war, madame. Oh, yes, it's war!" The two young women sipped their coffee in silence. "As a lad I saw 1830. I was out in the streets in 1851. What shall I see next?" he asked them as he swept his napkin over the marble table top. If he stayed at his post he saw many strange things. Unnatural fires lit his skies, and before his doors brother shed brother's blood.

The friends parted at half past 7. Marie hoped her husband would be returning home soon, and with news. Sophy felt herself due in the Rue de Grenelle. She reached the house there a little before 8. The concierge was not in his room. She went upstairs unseen and passed into the drawing room. The inner door leading to the room Lady Meg occupied stood open. Sophy called softly, but there was no answer. She walked toward the door and was about to look into the room, thinking that perhaps Lady Meg was asleep, when she heard herself addressed. The Frenchwoman who acted as their cook had come in and stood now on the threshold, with a puzzled, distressed look on her face.

Sophy helping Marie in her homely tasks.

"I'm sorry, Mlle. Sophie, to tell you, but my lady has gone."

"Gone! Where to?"

"To England, I believe. This morning after you had gone out she ordered everything to be packed. It was done. She paid us here off, bidding me alone stay till orders reached me from M. le Marquis. Then she went. Only the coachman accompanied her. I think she started for Calais. At least, she is gone."

"She said—said nothing about me?"

"You'll see there's a letter for you on the small table in the window there."

"Oh, yes! Thank you."

"Your room is ready for you tonight."

"I've dined. I shall want nothing. Good night."

Sophy walked over to the little table in the window and for a few moments stood looking at the envelope which lay there, addressed to her in Lady Meg's sprawling hand. The stately room in the Rue de Grenelle seemed filled with a picture which its walls had never seen. Old words re-echoed in Sophy's ears: "If I want you to go I'll put a hundred pound note in an envelope and send it to you, upon which you'll go, and no reasons given! Is it agreed?" As if from a long way off she heard a servant girl answer, "It sounds all right." She saw the old elm trees at Morpingham and heard the wind murmur in their boughs. Pindar chuckled, and Julia Robins' eyes were wet with tears.

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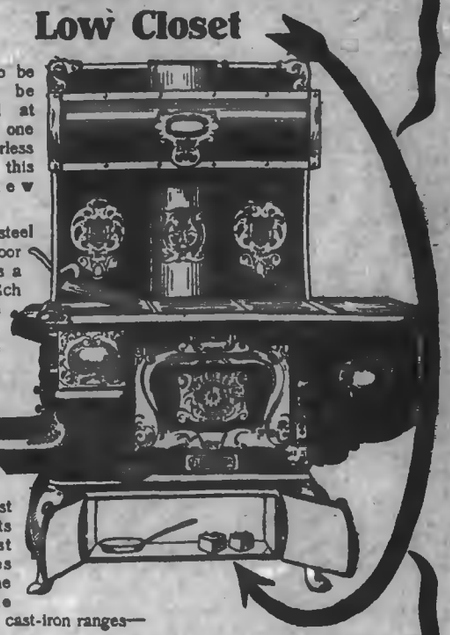

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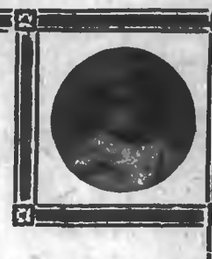

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THE BANK OF MONTREAL

The ninety-first annual general meeting of the Shareholders of the Bank of Montreal was held in the Board Room of the Institution yesterday at noon.

There were present: Sir George Drummond, K.C.M.G., president; Sir Edward Clouston, Bart., vice-president and general manager; Sir William C Macdonald, Sir Thomas G. Shaughnessy, Hon. Robert Mackay, Messrs. R. B. Angus, E. B. Greenshields, Charles R. Hosmer, David Morrice, Alexander T. Paterson, G. F. C. Smith, Huntley R. Drummond, Lieut.-Col. Prevost, B. A. Boas, James Tasker, W. R. Miller, Jas. Kirby, K.C.; B. W. Shepherd, Roswell C. Fisher, Henry Mason, William Stanway, W. R. Blackader, Bartlett McLennan, Henry Joseph, R. Campbell Nelles, Henry Dobell and M. S. Foley.

On motion of Mr. R. B. Angus, seconded by Hon. Robert Mackay, Sir George Drummond, President, was unanimously voted to the chair, after which it was resolved: "That the following be appointed to act as scrutineers: Messrs. G. F. C. Smith and Bartlett McLennan; and that Mr. James Aird be secretary of the meeting."

Sir Edward Clouston then submitted the report of the Directors as follows:

THE DIRECTORS' REPORT.

The Directors have pleasure in presenting the Report, showing the result of the Bank's business for the year ended 31st October, 1908.

Balance of Profit and Loss Account, 31st October, 1907... ... ...$	699,969 88
Profits for the year ending 31st October, 1908, after deducting charges of management, and making full provision for all bad and doubtful debts...	1,357,658 68
	$2,057,628 56
Dividend 2 1-2 per cent., paid 1st March, 1908..	360,000,00
Dividend 2 1-2 per cent., paid 1st June, 1908..	360,000 00
Dividend 2 1-2 per cent., paid 1st Sept., 1908..	360,000 00
Dividend 2 1-2 per cent. payable 1st Dec., 1908.	360,000 00
	$1,440,000 00
Amount credited to rest account...	...$1,000,000 00— 2,440,000 00
Balance of Profit and Loss carried forward	...$ 217,628 56

Since the last Annual Meeting Branches have been opened at Stirling, Ont., Gretna, Man., Grimsby, Ont., St. Hyacinthe, P.Q., Hosmer, B.C., and Sherbrooke, P.Q., and Sub-Agencies at Magrath, Alta., Cardston, Alta., and Peel street (Montreal). The arrangements mentioned in our last Report for opening a Branch at Prince Rupert, have not yet been completed. The Sub-Agencies at Sherman avenue (Hamilton) and Queenswike, Ont., have been closed.

With deep regret the Directors have to record the death of their esteemed colleague, Sir Robert Reid, who had been a member of the Board for upwards of eight years.

The vacancy on the Board has been filled by the election of Mr. C. R. Hosmer.

All the Offices of the Bank, including the Head Office, have been inspected during the year.

(Signed) G. A. DRUMMOND,
President.
Bank of Montreal, 7th December, 1908.

GENERAL STATEMENT

The General Statement of the position of the Bank, 31st October, 1908, is as follows:

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock... ... ...

THE GOPHER AND HIS WAYS.

Only More Settlers Will Ever Rid the Country of the Pest.

Those whose lines have been cast in places where the Canadian gopher has its haunts bear no tender recollections of this tiny quadruped, which has so strong a predilection for the farmer's wheat. The creature belongs to a family of rodents, the various species of which are scattered all over North America. One branch rejoices in the possession of cheek-pouches, but the Canadian variety has no such adjuncts, and is an offshoot of the Californian family. It is met with all over the vast prairie lands, and attains a length of, perhaps, ten or eleven inches on the average. His hair is of a light brown hue, with white breast. Here and there one may see a gopher with black spots, but this type is by no means so common as the other. The hind-quarters are largely developed, and the little creature is often seen squatting on his haunches, the while he utters a plaintive squeak. The teeth are powerful, especially in front, while a bushy tail swings behind. The gopher is a burrowing animal, and makes its nest of grass or anything soft. They exist in their millions, and are a great nuisance to the settler who grows wheat. By abstracting the sap or juice from the stalks a few score of gophers will soon render useless a tract of wheat land, and one can trace their depredations from the dull, lifeless appearance of the part preyed upon. Poison will kill them, traps will thin their numbers, but progress in that direction is almost inappreciable, owing to their countless array, and they breed very fast. The only way by which they will be exterminated then, as in the case of many other pests, in the filling up of the country with settlers.

Home For Cats.

If all goes well Toronto in the near future will have a home for lost, strayed, and homeless cats. The idea has been growing for some time, and recently received an impetus from a number of cat lovers, who concluded that the universal pet animal is not receiving the credit and care it deserves.

Nearly every home has a feline of some sort or other. It guards the household Penates, as it were, from whatever depredations the numerous flocks of rats and mice might commit. Those who visited the show at the Exhibition saw his and her majesty decked out in regal splendor reclining on cushions of silk and satin.

These animals are well looked after and have homes and loving ones to care for them. But what of the thousands of homeless pussies, who stray outdoors, sleep in alleyways, on fences, or on the roofs of houses? What of those numberless ones who know not where the next meal will come from, unless it be from a friendly milk bottle on a doorstep or a careless sparrow or robin? What of those who become old in service? Is it right that they should be tied in a sack and drowned in the bay, or that some wretched urchin should be given a dime to get rid of them?

These are the questions the Home for Cats will solve. It will be patterned after the London Institution [illegible] for lost and [illegible] Cats which has been solving the perplexing problem since January 22, 1906.

English Trade Loses.

During the last twenty years English trade with Newfoundland has been steadily year by year declining, whilst Canadian and American trade is, on the other hand, annually increasing. Improved communication both with the United States and the Dominion by the Reid railway and steamers has had, of course, its effect. England gives Newfoundland slow steamers once a fortnight; Canada has swift trains and fast steamers every day. Both Canadian and American agents are much more pushing than their English confreres. Canada has a commercial agent in St. John's.

Chinese Wives.

A question as to whether Chinese wives of white men are liable to the $500 head tax on landing in Canada has been raised by the arrival on board the steamer Empress of India recently of two British engineers who have been working on the Canton-Kow Loon Railroad, bringing Chinese wives. They hold that their wives should be considered as taking the husband's nationality, and consequently not be amenable to the tax. The question has been referred to Ottawa.

Died at One Hundred and Five.

Mrs. William Beatty died recently at Maple Hill, Merivale, aged 105. She read without glasses until a year ago and was never ill until last August, when she fell, prostrated with heat, and fractured a limb. She leaves 46 descendants.

A Plate Heater.

For use in the butler's pantry to keep dishes and food not a very convenient little heater has been designed on the order of those seen in hotel restaurants. The only difference is in the size, the family heater being considerably smaller, just large enough to hold a couple of plates or a small platter. The heater is made to attach to either the gas jet or an electric wire, and it can be regulated to any temperature desired. For breakfast this will be found a great help in serving crisp, hot toast or in maintaining the high temperature of coffee and water. No well equipped dining room or serving pantry is complete without at least one of these heaters, and in large houses several are installed to facilitate the serving of large dinners and luncheons.

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MET DEATH ON TRAIL.

Englishmen Who Started For Gold Fields Have Disappeared.

The mysterious disappearance and probable death of two young Englishmen bound from Edmonton to the placer gold diggings on the Ingenica river last summer is the essence of another tale which has just reached the outside from the recesses of the lonesome wilderness of the north. Messrs. T. R. Wilson and A. Luffenden, arrivals from Port Essington by the steamer Camosun recently, brought the report.

On March 28, Harry Phipps and Matthew Tummon started from Edmonton for the Ingenica. They had spared no expense in securing a good outfit for the long overland trip, and with four horses loaded down with provisions and camp equipment they expected to make the journey without privation or great hardship.

On June 4, the two men reached Fort Grahame, on the Findlay river. They had made fairly good time considering that they had not pushed their animals which were all in the best of condition. Supplies were rather low and these they replenished while resting at Fort Grahame. They left the Hudson Bay post on June 8, following the banks of the Findlay river in the direction of the new diggings. Sixty miles north of Fort Grahame they made the camp at which they were last seen on June 15. From that date they never returned to their camp.

The four horses were discovered by Indians shortly after the two men were last seen. In the camp were found all the provisions and equipment carried by the missing men. A shotgun was lying in their tent. For several weeks the camp was not touched by the Indians, who took it for granted that the owners were out prospecting and would eventually return, though some wonder was caused by the fact that no provision had been made for the horses to secure feed. Finally the Indians reported the disappearance of the men to Hudson Bay Agent Fox at Fort Grahame.

About this time Messrs. Wilson and Luffenden ran across the camp, and learning the facts of the case they took an inventory of the supplies and took the horses to Fort Grahame. Mr. Fox took charge of the animals and sent out a report of the case to the Government agent at Hazelton.

While the fate of the men is a mystery, it is generally believed they were drowned. It is not believed they could have got lost, as they had the river to guide them even if they had strayed away from their camp. Mr. Fox, at last accounts, was awaiting the arrival of an expert Indian tracker to send him out to search for the bodies of Phipps and Tummon.

NEW LIBRARY SCHEME.

Ontario Government Will Compete With Correspondence Schools.

An important announcement has been made by T. W. H. Leavitt, inspector of public libraries for Ontario.

"The library department," said Mr. Leavitt, "is preparing a series of special libraries for artisans and mechanics in industrial centres such as Berlin and Niagara Falls. One of the libraries will be at Sarnia tunnel.

"The object of these libraries is to give the artisans and mechanics the benefit of a technical education in their trades without their being compelled to join a correspondence school in the United States at a cost of from $50 to $100.

"It is known that more than $200,000 has gone from young fellows in shops and factories, and so forth, in Ontario in the past three years to one correspondence school in the United States. And of this amount $55,000 went out of Waterloo County alone."

Mr. Leavitt predicted that further developments of the plan to get just as good an education in his trade as from the correspondence schools, and at a cost of not more than 25 per cent. of the cost in taking correspondence schools' course.

Canada and the C. P. R.

Some of the most difficult engineering in the history of the Canadian Pacific is now being completed on the section between Hector and Field, in the Rocky Mountains. The result of this will be to reduce the gradient from 4.5 per cent. to 2.2 per cent., and thus to make an enormous reduction in the cost of operating trains. This section plays an interesting part in the history of Canada. Under their contract with the Canadian Government, the syndicate of capitalists who undertook the completion of the transcontinental system reserved the right to build within a gradient of 2.2 per cent. At this particular point the tunnelling necessary to keep within this margin was so heavy that the connection between east and west was in danger of serious delay. British Columbia was already threatening to withdraw from the Dominion owing to previous procrastinations, and rather than suffer such a loss to Canada the Canadian Pacific directors waived their rights and built a temporary line. This temporary line is now to be discarded at the cost of two million dollars for the original route, and heavy freight trains will be able to cross the Rockies at twenty miles an hour instead of six.—Standard of Empire.

Absurd Stage Business.

Theatrical production is full of absurdities in business. A situation is required, a situation is thrown in. It makes not the slightest difference if it be a trolley car crew of song and dance brothers manning a yacht in the desert of Sahara. You have the trolley crew and the yacht, and if the scene happens to be a section of the arid west where typhoons take the place of waterspouts—well, so much the worse for the scene. And if the conductors collect fares from the sailors to carry out the business of the song, "We Are Jolly, Jolly Street Car Men," the audience must be prepared to submit calmly to a sandstorm immediately following, which is necessary to bring on the wind machine and stereopticon. When a comic opera (heaven save the mark!) opened at Madison Square roof with Japanese costumes, Broadway dialogue, a Martian setting and Irish comedy there were absurdities enough to delight a dozen stage directors.—Henry E. Warner in Bohemian Magazine.

He Couldn't See the Joke.

"The mother-in-law joke isn't half as funny to me as it was when I was a bachelor," said a young New Yorker to his old chum. "I've got a pretty good mother-in-law myself, and she's visiting us now. That's all right too. But here's my grouch:

"Whenever we go out in a bunch, as we generally do, ma grabs the baby every time we sit down—subway, elevated, bridge, surface or ferryboat. Just grabs the kid, you know, as if it was her private property; exhibits it in a way to everybody near by, tells the woman next to her all about how to raise children and what she's doing for this particular one; attracts general attention, you see, with my baby as a star performer and my wife and I sitting there without a chance to say a word and looking as if we wanted to apologize for being on earth."

"Don't think that's funny, eh?" said his friend. "How your sense of humor has shrunk!"—New York Globe.

Running For the Car.

If you feel like emulating Sherlock Holmes try your luck occasionally when you see some one run for a street car. It's a good, easy way to determine the previous training and the present occupation of the subject.

You will see one fellow dash easily toward the car with a long, swinging stride that usually means athletics, but no special training in the sprint. The old time college runner can be picked out by the way he throws his knees in front, like a high bred trotter.

Some waddle, and you must relegate them to the general category of "busy business men" whose duty to the desk has robbed them of wind and waist. Others are getting more than their share of avoirdupois, but in spite of that manage to show you that they are not out of it by any means. To that type it is a veritable triumph to overhaul a moving car and to swing on without the assistance of the conductor.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

The Joys of Life in Africa.

You must never walk barefoot on the floor, no matter how clean it is, or an odious worm called a jigger will enter your foot to raise a numerous family and a painful swelling. On the other hand, be sure when you put on boots or shoes that, however hurried, you turn them upside down and look inside lest a scorpion, a small snake or a perfectly frightful kind of centiped may be lying in ambush. Never throw your clothes carelessly upon the ground, but put them away at once in a tin box and shut it tight or a perfect colony of fierce biting creatures will beset them. And, above all, quinine!—Winston Churchill, M. P., in London Strand.

Self Disgraced.

In Boston, as every one knows, the symphony concerts are viewed in the light of sacred ceremonials. In this connection the story is told of two little girls of a certain family who returned from the music hall "in a state of mind." One of them carried an expression of deep scorn, the other an air of great dejection.

"What is the matter, girls?" asked some member of the household. "Was the concert fine?"

"The concert was all right," responded Eleanor. "The trouble was with Mary. She disgraced herself."

"Disgraced herself?"

"Yes; she sneezed in the middle of the symphony."—Philadelphia Ledger.

How Needles Are Made.

Needles are all made by machinery. The piece of mechanism by which the needle is manufactured takes the rough steel wire, cuts it into proper lengths, files the point, flattens the head, pierces the eye, then sharpens the tiny instrument and gives it that polish familiar to the purchaser. There is also a machine by which needles are counted and placed in the papers in which they are sold, these being afterward folded by the same contrivance.

OFFICIALLY DEAD.

"Hungry Joe's" Only Chance to Lead an Honest Life.

"I'm not the only man who is officially dead," said "Hungry Joe" the other day. He was once about as famous a confidence man as Broadway ever produced. In 1902 he was reported to the police as "dead," and his photograph and description were removed from the rogues' gallery. He was recognized on Broadway the other day by his habit of walking along the edge of the curb. Gold couldn't tempt him to walk close to the wall or to pass the mouth of an alley without detouring into the street, just a trick of caution inherited from the old days.

"I have reformed," said the man who is said to have once been known as "Hungry Joe." "But reformation doesn't go with the average calf headed imbecile on the police force. A crook's a crook to the end of the chapter with him. So when I made up my mind to live straight I went to the then head of the department. I convinced him that I meant business. 'Call off your men,' I begged. 'Tell them to let me alone. I'm a criminal, I admit. But I'm tired of it, and I want to be a man again.'

"The chief said it wasn't possible. 'I might tell the men you were reformed,' said he, 'but they wouldn't believe. They'd pick you up all the quicker, because they would think that you were trying to shelter yourself in this way. The only way out is for you to die.' And die I did, on the records. For six years the cops have thought that I have been under the daisies all the time. Now they have forgotten about me. My photo has been taken out of the records, and I think I'm safe. I work steadily, my record is good, and not half a dozen people in the world know that the one time 'Hungry Joe' is a respectable cigar salesman. But I had to die to do it."—New York Letter to Cincinnati Times-Star.

A Rotary Rudder.

There is on view at the Lepine toy exhibition in Paris the invention of a French engineer which will, its inventor contends, revolutionize marine and aerial navigation. The invention consists of a rotary rudder, said to be capable of turning a vessel in its own length or at any desired angle. All existing steering contrivances are limited in their action to a deflection of 90 degrees to right or left. It is claimed that by the adoption of the new invention sea collision will be prevented and warships will be able to turn in their own length. An aeroplane fitted with the new rudder would be able to leave the ground instantly.

Artificial Black Diamonds.

Carbon in an amorphous fused condition—real black diamond—is produced in a simple manner by a process lately patented in France by M. Bonnet. A vessel of bronze or other metal contains two carbon electrodes, between which is a rod of carbon over a small vessel of carbon bisulphide, and as the first current is passed the liquid is vaporized, generating a high pressure. Under this pressure and the temperature of a high tension current the carbon rod is changed in a few moments to black diamond, the material so prized for drills and as an abrasive.

A New Meat.

"A new meat has appeared," said a Fifth avenue chef to a New York clubman. "It has the rich sweetness of beef and the nutty zest of game. I think it will succeed. This new meat comes from Scotland. It is a cross between beef and buffalo. Near Stirling there is a herd of bison that has been crossed with highland cattle, giving to the world an animal with a new flavor. We import some of the meat, and it figures on our menu as bibeef—bison beef—see? Try a bibeef steak the next time you lunch here. Dear? No. Two dollars a portion is all."

A Zulu Breakfast.

Dinuzulu, the Zulu chief, has burst a blood vessel, says a telegram from Martzburg, and it is said to be only a wonder that his father did not do the same when he was enjoying British hospitality in London after his capture. He and his sable suit were housed in one of the artistic mansions of Melbury avenue, near Holland House, and his favorite breakfast was a basin of oatmeal porridge and a pint of whisky, which he preferred to milk. Otherwise he was fairly quick in his assimilation of the manners and customs of civilization.

Ungrammatical, but Earnest.

"You say there is nearly always something broke about your automobile?"

"Yes," answered Mr. Chuggins nervously.

"What is it, as a rule?"

"Me."—Washington Star.

Heard in the Dressing Room.

"Say, aren't you going out today?" asked the derby hat.

"Sure!" replied the tan shoes. "But you need not wait for me."

"Why not?" asked the hat.

"Because it's your business to go on a head," replied the shoes.—Detroit Tribune.

Shame to Take It.

"I've got a regular cinch."

"What is it?"

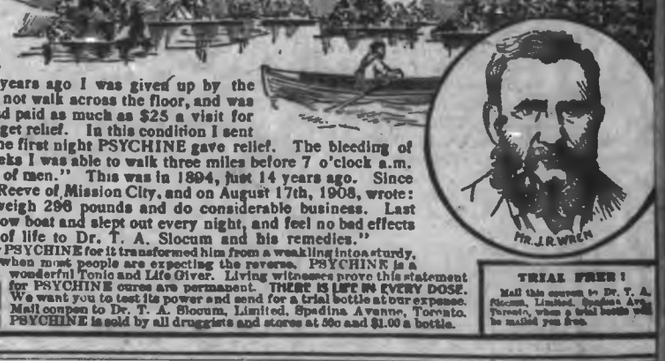
"Well, I'm going to take a little railroad trip. So I bet one man that the train would be wrecked. Then another man bet me that it wouldn't be robbed. I can't lose, can I?"—Cleveland Leader.

Hope Ahead.

Weary Walker—Dis paper sez dey's quite a few people dat t'inks it's unlucky to begin any work on Friday.

Ragson Tatters—Well, dat's a good beginnin'. Mebbe a'fer while people'll be dat sensible about ev'ery day in the week.—Catholic Standard and Times.

125 MILES IN A ROWBOAT REMARKABLE STORY FROM MISSION CITY



Mr. John R. Wren, late Reeve of Mission City, B.C., is now 66 years of age and tells the following remarkable story: "Some years ago I was given up by the Doctors. I was so weak I could not walk across the floor, and was patiently waiting for death. I had paid as much as $25 a visit for a specialist who said I could not get relief. In this condition I sent for a sample of PSYCHINE. The first night PSYCHINE gave relief. The bleeding of the lungs ceased and in three weeks I was able to walk three miles before 7 o'clock a.m. and take the oversight of a score of men." This was in 1894, just 14 years ago. Since that time Mr. J. Wren has been Reeve of Mission City, and on August 17th, 1908, wrote: I am now in my 66th year and weigh 286 pounds and do considerable business. Last week I travelled 125 miles in a row boat and slept out every night, and feel no bad effects from it. I owe this new lease of life to Dr. T. A. Slocum and his remedies."

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INDIAN FOUND SILVER.

Ojibway Was Pioneer of New Silver Country in North Ontario.

Round Eyes, an Ojibway Indian, discovered bloom at Silver Lake and Boland Lake in the Montreal river district when hunting many years ago, writes J. S. Crate in The Toronto World. He did not know what it was that he had found.

Round Eyes had a step-son named Mickle Taylor, a half-breed, who went out to Haileybury at the time the first silver discoveries were made at Cobalt. There he saw bloom, and remembering that his father had found similar samples up the Montreal river, he investigated, and this led to the first discovery of silver in that country.

In March, 1904, Thomas Saville, a clever young tourist guide, came into the country with an Indian chief, Francois White Bear, of the Ojibway tribe, and camped over night at Round Eyes' place. During the night the step-son, Mickle, showed them samples taken from the discoveries around Silver and Boland Lakes. To use Mr. Saville's own words:

"We took some of the samples and showed them to Rinaldo McConnel of Ottawa, and he told us to keep it quiet. We started in when the ice broke in 1904. We staked some claims and then went out to Temagami, but came back in the fall of 1904. I have been here ever since."

Mr. Saville was the first prospector in the district, and it was due to his discoveries that the rush into the Montreal river commenced. Owing to the great public interest among mining men in Cobalt and the phenomenal surface discoveries in that camp, interest did not develop in the Montreal river country as quickly as it did in the older camp, but the volume of the movement into the country steadily increased until in the spring of 1907, it became almost a stampede. How extensive was this rush in the Montreal river will be understood when it is stated that over 3,000 claims have since that time been recorded at the Government recording office, which was shortly afterwards established there, and which has been indispensable ever since.

In World's Race Now.

That Nova Scotia is able to compete with the world in steel-making has been established. The general manager of the Dominion Iron & Steel Co., of Sydney, C.B., announces that an order has been received by the company for steel rails to be manufactured for the Southern Punjaub Railway Co. The quantity consists of 9,000 tons of eighty-pound rails, and will be sent direct by steamer via the Suez Canal. The order has been secured in competition with the mills of the world, and had to be approved by the Viceroy of India.

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Mention of Lord Rosslyn and his "infallible" system reminds one that Viscount Villiers, who has just married Lady Cynthia Needham, has shown a fondness for Monte Carlo gaming tables. And although he possesses no particular system, he has proved one of the biggest winners of recent years. Some two years ago he made a most sensational coup, and won $160,000 at one sitting.

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CARE OF MONUMENTS.

Much Needed Step Is Being Taken by Ontario Official Regarding Relics.

The Historiographer of the Education Department of Ontario has issued a circular which is being sent out to the historical societies in the Dominion, asking for more complete information as to statues and monuments erected in Canada and illustrative of Canadian history. In connection with this movement it is interesting to note that The London Spectator, in its current issue, refers to a movement along similar line in Great Britain. It says:

"The appointment of a royal commission to make an inventory of the historical monuments best worth preserving in Britain is one of those tardy but welcome acts which, we hope, will eventually bring our system of caring for the relics of the past abreast of those of most western nations. France, Germany, Italy, and other countries are all ahead of us. The inventory which is ordered will, perhaps, be formed on the French model more than on any other, for the 'classement' of 'monuments historiques' is the feature of the French laws, which, however, are too highly centralized. The only objection we know of to the creation of a formal catalogue is, as we have pointed out before now, that by implication it sanctions a certain carelessness in the case of monuments not catalogued. The state, as it were, publicly withholds protection from objects not on its list; yet many of them, if they are near the dividing line, may be almost quite as well worth preservation as those which have been exalted to the honors of the catalogue. This danger may easily be exaggerated, and it could not become serious unless one is to assume a considerable lack of common-sense or the presence of ill-will somewhere. Indeed, if no other danger than this exists, it is obvious that there is an overwhelming case for the making of the inventory. We hope that it will be produced without delay, and will not err on the side of scantiness. The limitations will be strict enough in the nature of things, because no monument is to be considered which is dated later than 1700. We can think of a good many buildings later than 1700 which could not be removed without national disgrace, even if we look no further than some of the churches by Wren or founded on Wren's designs."

NAMING THE TOWNS.

What to Call New Western Communities Is a Problem to the Pioneers.

The choosing of town sites and surveying of homestead lands is not the only problem of the geographers in Western Canada. In the new mapmaking that is continually going on it is a question, not merely of where the towns shall be put, but what they shall be called. The Irishman who said that he could understand perfectly how the scientists could tell the size of the planets and stars, but couldn't for the life of him see how they found out their names, might have been impressed too with the nomenclature of the Canadian West. It is a comparatively easy thing to pick out a town site on the prairie, but where does the supply of brand new names come from?

This matter of place-names in the West is an interesting bit of study and reveals not only an amazing profundity but a very considerable originality. They are not the kind of names that are known in the east. Very seldom does a western town duplicate the name of an eastern town—which is more than can be said of the east itself, where there are many repetitions.

A glance at the newest map of the prairie provinces will show an interesting variety of names that are practically copyright. They are the kind of names that would not fit well in the east, simply because they have grown out of western experiences and conditions. The earliest were Indian, many sweet-sounding Indian names are on the map. Then the cue was taken from some appearance of nature, particularly in the case of rivers, hills, and valleys; and latterly the surnames of men are being commemorated—men who have taken some part in the establishment of the town or, in the case of many of the newest stations, the officials or engineers of the railway which is bringing the town into being.

Preparing to Grow.

The port of St. John, N.B., is preparing for the great export trade that begins after the steamers leave the St. Lawrence route. Plans have just been published by the Federal Department of Public Works for extended terminal facilities, piers, breakwaters, and further dredging, to make the eastern harbor ready against the coming of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway. This line will not be completed for two years yet, but the harbor improvements necessary for its accommodation must soon be begun if St. John is to be ready to handle the traffic the new transcontinental will bring. The prospect for the growth of the port is certainly bright.

How Kaiser Got Order.

An entertaining story of doubtful authorship is being circulated as to how Krupps got orders for rails in Canada from Sir William Van Horne. During his visit to Germany he was much gratified by the attention paid him by the Kaiser. On one occasion the latter invited Van Horne to Potsdam, the Kaiser stating he wished him to meet a particular friend. This proved to be Krupp, and the Emperor got at least one good order for Germany.

Stopping Genteel Smuggling.

Smugglers are having their own troubles just now in the Canadian Soo, and some gentlemen have had to undress in the customs shed when they arrived from the Michigan Soo dressed in new clothes that looked suspiciously like American made goods. On a couple of occasions the police have been called in when suspects showed an inclination to refuse to move clothing or boots that the officers wished to examine.

A Long Felt Want.

"I had a hair raising experience this morning," said the doctor.

"Wish I could bump up against something like that," said the bald-headed druggist.—Detroit Tribune.

THE CARPENTER'S SERENADE.

A lath! I quite a door you, dear;
I've hallways loved your laughter.
Oh, window you intend to grant
The wish my hopes are rafter?

When first I sawyer smile 'twas plane
I wood re-joice to marry.
Oh, let us to the joiner's his
Nor longer shingle tarry!

And now that I have axed you, dear,
Plumb, square and on the level
(I've always wanted two by four),
Don't spile hope's happy revel.

The cornice is waving, Peggy, dear;
The gables all are ringing.
Why let me pine? For, oh, you know
I'm sawdust when I'm singing!
—Saturday Evening Post.

Those Well Meaning Friends.

The man who is so glad to see you.—Browning's Magazine.

They Almost Fought.

The angular chap who had been jotting down notes on the margin of a newspaper approached the stern faced man in the waterproof collar.

"Beg pardon, sir, but could I ask you a question?"

"If it isn't nonsensical."

"Well, my memory isn't good of late. Who invented the sewing machine?"

"Howe."

"H'm! He must be a little deaf. Who invented the sewing machine?"

"Howe!"

"Great Scott! I'd better get a trumpet. The old geezer is as deaf as he can be. Hey, there, who invented the sewing machine?"

"Howe!"

The angular chap leaned over and curved his hands. Then he whooped:

"For the last time, who invented the sewing machine?"

"H-o-w-e—Howe. Mr. Howe. And now if you ask me again blamed if I don't thrash you within an inch of your life! Now, get!"

And the angular chap "got."—Chicago News.

Given the Mitten.

One cold day a love sick young man who had for some time harassed a young lady with his attentions was hurrying along the street behind this very young lady when he perceived, with delight, something drop from her muff to the sidewalk.

Picking it up, the gallant young man rushed ahead and, accosting her, smilingly held out her recovered property.

Without deigning to accept it she eyed him coldly a moment, then said: "You may keep it. It's my mitten!"—Brooklyn Life.

An Uncertain Speculation.

"Jane has a caustic tongue. I asked her the other day why she didn't marry some old man for his money."

"What did she say?"

"She said the increase in the duration of human life and the depression in stocks made the speculation too uncertain. But she added that she would marry a rich old man under one condition."

"What was that?"

"He must be a chronic aeroplanist."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Latest.

Roderick—Say, old man, why in the world is that regiment of girls wandering about the gridiron?

Van Albert—Why, they are the gleaners.

Roderick—Gleaners? What are they gleaning?

Van Albert—Why, loose hair to fill sofa pillows.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

MANY DON'T KNOW

HEART AFFECTED.

More People than Aware of It Have Heart Disease.

"If examinations were made of everyone, people would be surprised at the number of persons walking about suffering from heart disease."

This startling statement was made by a doctor at a recent inquest. "I should not like to say that heart disease is as common as this would imply," said the expert, "but I am sure that the number of persons going about with weak hearts must be very large."

"Hundreds of people go about their daily work on the verge of death, and yet do not know it. It is only when the shock comes that kills them that the unsuspected weakness of the heart is made apparent."

"But undoubtedly heart weakness, not disease, is more prevalent nowadays. I should think that the stress of living, the wear and rush of modern business life, have a lot to do with heart trouble."

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"LITTLE FRIEND'S" GRAVE.

Build a house for "Little Friend,"
Underneath the sunniest grass,
In a place where birds' songs blend
On the breezes as they pass.

Dig it not with sorrow's spade,
Use no sharp-edged tools of pain,
Nothing there must cast a shade.
Nothing there must leave a stain.

Build the walls of hope and joy,
Gladsome as the flowers and trees,
Else the little merry boy
Will not rest in it at ease.

Bring no torch or other light,
As though darkness could be there,
For a soul so pure and bright
Will give radiance everywhere.

Build the roof of faith and love,
Pillared on foundations deep,
That the rain of tears above
Will not mar his happy sleep.

Make no windows, as though he
Needed peep-holes to the skies,
For the vast Eternity
Now is open to his eyes.

Build no staircase for his feet,
Make no doorway in the wall,
For he treads the golden street
Where the Christ is all in all.

Only let the cross be set
Upright in the hallowed ground,
Lest the stricken heart forget
Where the cure of grief is found.
—Frederick George Scott.

OLD MALCOM.

Toronto Paper Picker Was Once With Booth and McCullough.

Perhaps you may have seen him, for he may have held out his hand for help. If he has met you on life's great way, just be kind to him, for he is one of this old world's derelicts whose career should have been long and brilliant, and whose declining years might have been spent in comfort and luxury.

But it is not a career now, it is an existence, and to-day in the city of Toronto, with a bag on his back and a pointed stick in his hand, he is a wanderer, a delver in our lanes and back alleys, gathering papers and bottles for the junk man and the Jew.

Malcom Macdonald was more than that once.

Years ago he was the friend and associate of the great Edwin Booth and John McCullough, sharing with them the plaudits and winning honor in his part.

His was the part of Iago, in "Othello," with McCullough in the title role. His genius was marked.

But that is all past, and he is one of the great army of Might Have Beens.

Four years ago I saw him. I saw him again the other day. He had not changed much. He was near the Government House with its spacious lawns and luxury, and here I questioned him and his voice softened, and his face lit up as his mind was flooded with recollections, memories of his illustrious one-time fellow actors.

Yes, across the road stood the Government House, and a coach was waiting at the door, the Government House representing the King, and lords and people.

But it was closed for him.

Nearby was a massive church, a monument to the Son of Man. But it was closed.

But there was another door open not far off, where even poor wretches like Malcom Macdonald can go, and are welcome for a nickel or a dime, can go and borrow enthusiasm to drown care and obliterate for the moment the sorrows of the past.

"How old are you, Malcom?" I asked.

"Eighty-three," was his reply, and with a remnant of old-time grace he disappeared to borrow new life where the bottles are shiny and men wear white coats and aprons.

He was welcome there, for he had a dime.—C.F.R., in Toronto News.

Canada and the Decimal System.

It is exactly fifty years ago since Canada adopted the decimal system, and it is therefore no wonder that so few Canadians are able to readily calculate in pounds, shillings and pence. The old system Canada abolished was not sterling, but a sort of a mongrel currency that had grown up here and taken the name of "Halifax." It was not based on the decimal principle, and yet there was some rational relation between its pound and the dollar of the decimal currency. The pound was exactly equal to four dollars, and therefore a little more than three shillings less than the British pound.

Men in business can recall the old arithmetic of their schooldays, and the rules it contained telling how to "reduce" sums from one currency to another. In 1858 the old Canadian currency was made to disappear, and since then the simple decimal system has prevailed.

Falls of Labrador.

Two travelers who have returned to St. John's, Newfoundland, after a visit to the famous Grand Falls in Labrador, have given a glowing description of their trip, which occupied some ten weeks. The falls lie inland 300 miles from the head of Hamilton inlet, on the coast of Labrador. The inlet stretches 145 miles into the country from the sea, up to which point it is navigable for steamers. Afterwards the canoe is utilized, and the river follows a very tortuous course. The width of the falls is about 2,500 feet, eclipsing the mighty Niagara. The rush of water extend many miles, and becomes a boiling torrent in the pool below. It is said that the roar of the cascade can be heard twenty miles away. The falls were discovered in 1859.

Fruit-Growing Booming.

Great progress in fruit-raising is reported from Revelstoke and Kamloops along the main line of the Canadian Pacific in British Columbia. Several large ranches have been bought by companies, and will be cut up into small holdings to be sold to fruit-growers.

Isn't This Rough?

Ella—A poet wrote a sonnet on my face the other day. Stella—Did he write it on the lines?—Bohemian.

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Now that smallpox, thanks to compulsory vaccination, has become a rarity in civilized communities, scarlet fever steps forward as the worst of the eruptive diseases of childhood. It is a malady of enormous antiquity. Thucydides, writing nearly 500 years before the beginning of our era, called it a heritage from the remote past. It has scourged the white races in all ages and all countries, and the physicians of all schools have leveled their heaviest artillery upon it. Yet it remains a puzzle unsolved and an enemy unconquered even today. We are in doubt as to its cause, and there is no drug or antitoxin that will cure it. But despite all this the death rate from scarlet fever is steadily declining, and we may expect it to decline more and more as the years go by. The reason for this, I take it, lies in the fact that the modern doctor is a great deal more sparing with pills and powders than his predecessor and a great deal more lavish with water, air and antiseptics. In the old days it was customary to dose scarlet fever patients with all sorts of violent remedies in staggering quantities, and as a result many of them died. Today medicines are but minor auxiliaries in the sickroom, and both doctor and nurse devote their main energies to preventing a spread of the infection.—Delineator.

USE FOR A TELESCOPE.

Interesting Discovery One Woman Made by Use of the Glass.

"I thought it was a pretty fair sort of telescope for one that wasn't very big," said Uncle Silas. "I rigged it up in the attic by the high north window and had it fixed so it would swing around easy. I took a deal of satisfaction in looking through it, the sky seemed so wide and full of wonders, so when Hester was here I thought I'd give her the pleasure too. She stayed a long time upstairs and seemed to be enjoying it. When she came down I asked her if she'd discovered anything new.

"'Yes,' she says. 'Why, it made everybody's house seem so near that I seemed to be right beside 'em, and I found out what John Pritchard's folks are doin' in their outkitchen. I've wondered what they had a light there for night after night, and I just turned the glass on their windows. They are cuttin' apples to dry—folks as rich as them cuttin' apples!'

"And actually that was all the woman had seen! With the whole heavens before her to study, she had spent her time prying into the affairs of her neighbors! And there are lots more like her—with and without telescopes."—Christian Uplook.

Last Charm of the Wayside Inn.

The inns of England, celebrated by Harrison and famous far and wide at the beginning of the last century, have degenerated into sad places which we visit only of necessity. Little did Stephenson think when he proposed the line from Manchester to Liverpool that he would ruin the wayside inns of England and kill the art of cookery.—Blackwood's Magazine.

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PREMIER'S HELPMEET

SIR WILFRID LAURIER'S HOME HAS CHARMING MISTRESS.

Lady Laurier's Work Has Had Much to Do With Her Husband's Triumph Over Difficulties—She Is Devoted to the Work of Developing Canada and Loves the Home Life of Picturesque French-Canadians.

Of Lady Laurier, one American writer, Margaret H. Downing, entertains a high opinion. In an article in The Detroit News-Tribune, Miss Downing says:

"The wife of Sir Wilfrid Laurier would be an interesting figure were she only of mediocre attraction. For the Liberal Premier of the Dominion of Canada towers mountains high above his contemporaries, and his history is virtually the story of Canada's transition into national greatness. But Lady Laurier possesses a powerful as well as a charming personality and those who love to trace the development of the man through choosing the right helpmeet will find her an illustrious type. Perhaps no man at present before the public owes quite so much to his wife and certainly no man is more prone to attribute his success to her unfailing good counsel, to her cheerful companionship and intellectual comprehension of the political needs of the hour. A few weeks ago when Sir Wilfrid invited a distinguished company to his pleasant home in Theodore street, Ottawa, to celebrate the fortieth anniversary of the wedding, he felicitated his wife in the following words: "Except for the good gift of children, all the blessedness which marriage can yield has come to me in this union. Madame Laurier has been even more admirable and efficient to the Prime Minister than she was to the struggling young barrister of Arthabaskaville forty years ago."

Dignified and gracious, Lady Laurier is the ideal chatelaine for a household such as the Prime Minister of the Dominion must maintain. It requires pre-eminent social tact to avoid the pitfalls involved in official precedence and to please the complex element which composes Canadian high society. But her training was in the days when she and her husband lingered in the cold shades of the Opposition and the lessons learned then have proved useful in the higher sphere. Sir Wilfrid's biographers aver that being a genius in things political, he would probably have succeeded against all difficulties, but it was entirely due to his wife's counsels, her unfailing patience and philosophic spirit that he succeeded so soon. Lady Laurier brought to him an excellent dower, fine social connections, and all the traditions of good blood. Her father, Mr. George N. B. Lafontaine, was a man of affairs in Montreal and she had been carefully educated in the best schools of her home city and in France. She met the future great man of Canada when he was reading law, and she studying under the Ladies of the Sacred Heart. The marriage was the result of devoted love on both sides and not the cut and dried affair arranged between parents which French-Canadian unions usually are.

Now that her faith in her distinguished husband has been so amply justified, Lady Laurier is devoting her declining years to projects which concern the future of her beloved country and particularly the future of woman in the great Dominion. Not even Sir Wilfrid himself is more devoted to the cause of Canada's development than his gentle wife.

Lady Laurier is proud of the fact that while Canada possesses a few immensely rich people, the number of those in affluence compares favorably with the prosperous neighbor to the south. She has studied all the characteristics of her people and tells many quaint stories about them. While she has never written herself, she has encouraged many friends to depict the homely life of the Canadian, which she considers more picturesque than that of the native French. She calls attention to the thrift and cleanliness which the poorest communities display. "Go through the country and glance into the open door of a peasant with a mere patch of ground and only a thatched roof cottage for his domicile," she said, "and you will see something of real rural Canadian life. The floor is yellow with many scrubbings, there are bright, neatly patched rag rugs, a stove polished bright as new tin, and most honorable ornament of all, stands in rigid solemnity the lit de parade or best bed in lace curtains and gay frillings. Cleaning and scrubbing make up a great part of every Canadian celebration, and no genuine Canadian housekeeper would think of commemorating a great day either in the religious or domestic calendar without scouring her home from rafters to floor. The feast of New Year and Easter, always supreme events in the Canadian peasant life, are preceded by general interior upheaval with broom, soap and scrub brush and so are marriages, birthdays, the visits of M. le Cure or relatives from a distance. All the distinction of the event would be gone were the home cleaning neglected and a corner slighted would bring as much remorse as a sin unconfessed. Best of all these great events are always accompanied by a confession so that the whole family conscience may be in harmony with the general purification of the home."

Lady Laurier, though a vice-president of the National Council of Women, and a director of the Victorian Order of Nurses, may not be called an enthusiast in the new woman movement of which the Countess of Minto was the progenitor. Rather she inclines to keep her energies for the home. In recent years she has traveled with her husband and her greatest delight now is to recall her experiences and to display the souvenirs of these historic visits. She was asked to many functions to which other colonials are not admitted and everywhere she added to the fame of her native land as a social centre.

THE SCRIBE WAS SLEEPY.

And He Repeated Himself Till His Editor Raised a Protest.

Some years ago when Sir Oliver Mowat was on his death-bed, the esteem with which he was held by the public received no better testimony than the fact that the morning daily papers kept small staffs on duty until six o'clock in the morning so as to be in a position to bring out special editions with his biography, and the announcement of his demise.

It was known to all that he could not possibly survive, but he lingered on unconscious for days. The newspapers were restrained by courtesy from publishing their editorials on his life, and the details of his history until the fatal hour arrived. It was necessary, however, to maintain a "death-watch," as, in the cant of journalism, it is known. That is to say, a group composed of representatives of each paper, and several correspondents of out-of-town papers sat up all night at a nearby hotel, day by day, with arrangements that they should be communicated with as soon as death intervened.

One night one of the out-of-town correspondents, who was a little out of form because of late hours and fatigue, thought he ought to do something to make a showing, and started to send bulletins. "Sir Oliver is sinking!" he wired to his paper at Ottawa. Again in fifteen minutes in apparent forgetfulness that he had sent a bulletin, he again wired: "Sir Oliver is sinking." So on through the night from time to time he would file the same message. Finally, the exasperated telegraph editor at the other end of the wire, sitting up all night for a real news message, cut in with the despatch: "Don't wire again until Sir Oliver sinks."

Then, and not till then, did the correspondent wake up to the fact that in his sleepy condition he had filed nearly a dozen messages in the same phraseology.

To Study Schools.

The Hon. D. S. Mackenzie, Deputy Minister of Education for Alberta, has departed for England in order to visit the representative schools and colleges of England, Ireland, and Scotland, and, if time permits, study the system of technical education in vogue in Germany. The Department of Education for Alberta is laying the foundation for a broad educational system, and Mr. Mackenzie's visit is for the purpose of learning the successes and failures of the British systems, in order that the new province may profit thereby. Another object is to become thoroughly conversant with the grading of the British schools, so that the Department will be able to deal more readily with the many applications which are coming from old country teachers for schools in Alberta.

Paper Products.

At a meeting of the jobbers and the papermakers of Canada, held in Toronto recently, it was decided to advance the price of wrapping paper 15 cents per cwt. It was also agreed that no orders for pulp or paper products could be booked ahead, as it was feared that some further advances in prices, due to increased cost of production, would have to be made soon.

The reasons given for the advance in price were the scarcity of pulpwood, the high price and scarcity of wood pulp and the increased use of coal for auxiliary power.

Fish Catch Is Good.

Returns from the Nova Scotia fishing fleet are most encouraging. In 1907 there were 109 vessels engaged in this industry, and the catch was 123,625 quintals. In 1908 there were 110 vessels, with a catch of 138,180 quintals. The average catch per vessel in 1908 was 1,256 quintals, an increase per vessel of 132 quintals. The catch of codfish is the largest obtained for years.

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CURE SICK HEADACHE.

A SPITE FENCE.

Toronto Man Has Shut Out the Daylight From Objectionable Neighbors.

On one of the Rosedale streets in Toronto a huge "U" shaped apartment house offers its proportions to the public gaze. It is built of mottled brick, three storeys high, and runs from end-to-end of the lot on which it stands. So economical of ground space was the architect that the eastern wall almost rubs noses with the house on the next lot. From its windows the curious can gaze meditatively on the shy antics of the bashful inmates across the way. If the occupants of the two houses were on friendly terms they could shake hands by leaning out of their respective windows.

But they are not friendly. The owner of the smaller residence has conjured up a frame of mind which would blast the great apartment like a lightning stroke if thoughts could wither and destroy. He conceived an idea. The back section of the hated human hive overlooked his backyard, staring into his private grounds with three rows of open-eyed windows. If the unfortunate man left his house to escape the eyes peeping from the neighboring structure, he encountered twice as many as he rushed through his yard.

To relieve his simmering feelings he went to a carpenter, and soon the sound of hammering rivalled the variegated noises of the workmen next door. A fearful and wonderful structure rose steadily and compactly till it reached the height of about thirty feet. There it stands—an airtight fence, protecting its owner's lawn from scrutiny and the windows of his enemy from light. When the rosy sun bursts in splendor, hoping to illuminate the eastern windows of the new apartment house, it encounters this impenetrable wall, and in chagrin hides its face behind a cloud. Meanwhile the occupants of the apartment house sleep on blissfully till noon, thinking by reason of the great darkness, that it is still night. The proprietor should secure Eskimos as tenants, as they are accustomed to almost perpetual twilight.

It is rumored that on another side of the apartment house poplar seeds have been planted, in the charitable hope that one day they will produce a foliage sufficiently dense to obscure the light from the few windows unaffected by the "spite fence."

TO TAP NORTHWEST.

Peace River Country Will Soon Have Network of Railways.

The news that the Canadian Pacific engineers have been locating a new line north of Edmonton through the Pine Pass and the Peace River district has not come altogether as a surprise to those who have watched the recent progress of construction on this railroad into the northwest. The Calgary and Edmonton line was at one time merely an isolated branch, but very soon it will intercept two other important branches, each of which might become an alternative main line in the days to come. Sir Sandford Fleming, in his surveys for the Canadian Pacific, reported on half a dozen routes from Edmonton across the Northern Rockies to the Pacific Coast, but commercial and political exigencies were so heavily against these routes that for the time being they were all discarded for the direct route to the mouth of the Fraser. Now, however, the northwest is so well settled that an extension into the Peace River district may reasonably be expected to pay, especially as this district is known to have a very fertile soil, rich mineral wealth, and a climate much less severe than that in the Dakotas. The new line is said to have been located already as far as Dunvegan, and will be continued to the goldfields of the Yukon, passing through the Cassiar district, the principal big-game hunting-ground of North America.—Standard of Empire.

Joins Ursuline Order.

An interesting and impressive ceremony took place recently in the chapel of the Ursuline College of Chatham, when Miss Mary Dwyer of Toronto and Miss Strickland of Port Hope were admitted into the order of the Ursulines. Miss Dwyer was a graduate in honor mathematics of the class of '03, Toronto University. As an undergraduate she was prominently identified with university organizations. Since leaving the university she has been very successful as a teacher in high schools in different parts of the province and in Toronto. Miss Dwyer is the first woman graduate of a university of this province to enter a religious order.

The Ursuline Order possesses peculiar interest for Canadians, as its members were among the first to be sent to Canada when the Catholic Church was establishing its outposts in new France. The order is closely associated with the early history of Quebec. It was to the Ursuline convent that Montcalm was carried when he received his mortal wound on the field of battle, and it was in the Ursuline chapel that he was laid at rest.

The Ursulines have always been exclusively a teaching order, and the convent in which Miss Dwyer and Miss Strickland were received at Chatham has existed there for sixty years.

Hostility to Union.

In the recent Newfoundland contest it is amusing to observe how both parties declared their deadly hostility to union with Canada. There is undoubtedly a strong popular feeling in the colony against confederation. All real Imperialists will view this question of union and the consolidation of British North America as really an imperial, not a local, question. As Sir John A. Macdonald said, "Newfoundland is the key of our door, the gateway into our Dominion, and should belong to us."

Eaten by Dogs.

News has just reached St. John's, Nfld., of a terrible tragedy at Sandwich Bay, Labrador. A young girl called White, a settler's daughter, was set upon by six savage Eskimo dogs and literally torn to pieces.

In a Bad Way.

"Here is a doctor who says you mustn't eat when you're worried."

"But suppose you're always worried for fear you ain't goin' to get anything to eat?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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FOOLED WITH ELEPHANT.

And the Animal Responded With a Surprise For Mr. Man.

The keeper at the Toronto Riverdale Zoo is chuckling these days over a mishap that befel a rather fresh young gentleman, who presumed to take liberties with the elephant the other day.

It appears that the elephant, though young—she is only twenty, a mere child, as elephants go—has a very well-developed sense of dignity, and resents keenly any attempts made to belittle her or her position. Some days ago a young man, accompanied by a girl, strolled into the animal house and proceeded to show off at the expense of the elephant.

He snapped his finegrs at her, threw small things in her face, and tried generally to impress his companion and all present with the fact that he was a sort of reincarnation of Kipling's Toomai of the Elephants.

Finally he indulged in his crowning piece of foolishness, poking the shackled beast in the sensitive trunk with the point of his umbrella.

Up to this point the elephant had borne it with the toleration of a man for a yelping puppy, but that was too much. With the quickness of a flash the big trunk flew out, and, according to the keeper, the young gentleman left terra firma with the speed of a baseball just off the bat. He brought up against the wall halfway down the house, knocking half the breath out of his body and smashing his hat into a pancake.

A roar of laughter from the spectators greeted his mishap, and he picked himself up, and, accompanied by his badly-scared companion, slunk out of the place, trying hard to look as though the elephant's act had been all arranged beforehand.

That sagacious beast after one grunt of satisfaction resumed her interrupted game with a handful of hay, and tried hard to keep her face straight.

Unsettled.

Skinner—Good morning, ma'am. Did you ever see anything so unsettled as the weather has been lately? Mrs Hashley—Well, there's your board bill, Mr. Skinner.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

SCOTT'S EMULSION

"would do so much for you if you would take it, 'twould strengthen you and do you good every way."—

Words of a physician to his over-worked, worried, run-down patient.

All Druggists

MILNER AS AN OBSERVER.

South African War Lord Has Had Ears and Eyes Open.

Lord Milner and his party, during their visit to Canada, have undoubtedly had their ears and eyes open, and it is unquestionable, that if he wishes, his lordship can, on his return to England, give a racy account of the situation in Canada. While in the West he dodged publicity, and in Ontario he has unobtrusively gone about at his own pleasure, living quietly in apartments and making only such public engagements as he could not without difficulty avoid. He has been declared by those who have met him to be one of the most genial and approachable of men, with a secretary who has been more than usually a companion to him.

As an indication of the manner in which the visitors have followed the situation in Canada, through personal contact and through reading the newspapers of this country, it is worth noting that they have even caught the style of a certain type of editorial expression familiar to Canadians. On the day of Lord Milner's arrival it was arranged that he should receive an honorary degree from Toronto University. Two hours previously he had an appointment with representatives of the daily newspapers, and in the course of an interview, in which he delighted his interlocutors, he was asked whether he intended to make an important deliverance at the University. He replied that he would be brief, and his secretary added, with a bland smile:

"About five minutes of the "uplift," as I think you call it in this country."

The Need of a Hobby.

In its biography of Mr. Bosworth Smith, for years a master at Harrow, who died a day or two ago, The London Times quotes the words of a colleague, who writes that Bosworth Smith's first question to each one who entered his house was "What is your hobby?" "His object has been to develop boys' tastes in every healthy direction whatever, and to bring to the surface all that was best in the innate character of his pupils. How many have learned, under this inspiring encouragement, to love wild nature, to appreciate the skill and endurance which form the best element of sport, to take an intelligent interest in travel and adventure, to follow the great questions of the day, social, political, and ecclesiastical?"

Profit-Sharing For Gasworkers.

The directors of the Tottenham and Edmonton Gas Co. in England have decided to introduce a system of profit-sharing for their employes, to whom the scheme was explained at a meeting of 500 or 600 of the officers and workmen some time ago. The bonus will vary with the price of gas, and at the present rate will amount to $22 to $500 earned per annum.

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By order,
NAPOLEON TESSIER,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, Dec. 7, 1908.

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Christmas in the Country

By WILLIAM LINCOLN SHEARER

"My baby boy."

ACCORDING to a high authority, man is made of dirt—of the earth earthy. In his natural state his wants are few, his necessities fewer. The simple life bred longevity, healthfulness, sincerity and truth. From this straight and narrow path he once trod is now a far cry. The "higher civilization," so called, has "civilized" out of him many of those things which made for healthfulness in both mind and body. The feverish excitement, the mad pace of professional business and social life are paths that lead to sanitariums or early graves those worthy a better fate.

Ofttimes, in saner moments, he hears the call of the wild back to the soil from which he sprang (and to which he must eventually return) for a brief season of rest, recuperation, reflection and refreshment. He quiets the tugging at his heart-strings with, "Yes, at a more convenient season." Father, mother, homestead pass away. Youth, strength, vigor follow their flight, and when the call again comes it falls on ears that do not hear, or, hearing, comprehend not.

So, son and daughter in your prime, "the days are gliding swiftly by." There are a multiplicity of reasons why you should go home as often as possible to visit the old folks. Go on as many legal holidays as you can, on the anniversaries of their birth and their marriage, but, most of all, on Christmas.

The old people are well provided for through your generosity, to be sure. That is noble in you, but their hearth is, to all intents and purposes, as childless as when the crane was hung there years ago. They are longing for words of comfort and the personal contact and presence of those whom they reared from helpless infancy, toiled, sacrificed to sustain, educate and prepare for the warfare of this world. You were obliged to learn much to make the fight, and when you come to sift it out, to separate gold from dross, wheat from chaff, you realize that it was what you learned at mother's knee that counted for more than all the rest.

Man grown that you are, you are yet to her a child. She even treasures the infant clothes you once wore. It is not the big, successful man of the world that she sees most in her dreams at this season of the year, which is the children's festival, but her little one. Your parents sit hand-in-hand around the open hearths, while the shadows lengthen along the western horizon of life. What announcement causes father to beam and mother to weep like that? Mort, who is a Colorado judge, whither he went for asthma in the early seventies, is going to risk the climate for Christmas on the old farm; and that Dr. John, who went with his wife to Arizona, where they might sleep out-of-doors the year round for their pulmonary troubles, are coming; and that Henry, the Boston banker, notwithstanding the copper slump and the attacks of Lawsonites, will break away this year and spend Christmas at the homestead.

At the last announcement mother sobs audibly, "my baby boy." You ought to see him. A bald bachelor crowding 45 and 300 pounds; as uneasy out of sight of a Turkish bath sign, on account of his rheumatic gout, as an old maid at a wedding. A fine, healthy "baby boy," indeed.

Deciphers the boys called him Ulysses S.

You are surely entitled to at least one more Christmas at home on the dear old farm before ever the silver cord be loosed or the golden bowl be broken, or the pitcher be broken at the fountain, or the wheel broken at the cistern. Take it while you may.

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Christmas in the country meant more than a similar celebration anywhere else, because it was observed in spirit and in truth. The gift-giving was simple, merely incidental to the occasion instead of its chief feature, as nowadays. Then, one's affection was not measured by the intrinsic value of his present, but the good will that prompted it. The thought, not the value, determined its worth before the spirit of commercialism penetrated it, which seems to have permeated every nook and corner of our social system and crowded out some of the very things that made for happiness and contentment. The Christmas spirit was the dominant tone of the holiday vibration, to which all were attuned, and sending and receiving messages, oral and wireless, to each and from each family member.

The big white farmhouse stands, as it has always stood since you can remember, on the very top of the highest hill in this section, which bears your grandfather's name, who cleared the original forest, where now are broad, fertile acres. Down the first bench of the hill the road runs straight for about eighty rods between stump fences to the schoolhouse. This school also bears his name. So does the little cemetery which lies directly back of it, the land for which he donated, where your ancestors are buried. Cemeteries are usually such depressing affairs, with their overplus of evergreen trees and much other everlasting shade and shrubbery, through which the sun can hardly penetrate. Not so this one. It has a few trees of the deciduous kind, not many; hardly enough to obstruct the enchanting view of hills, valleys and more hills beyond to the golden west, where it always seems

Then all hands go back to the fireplace, the heart of the house.

when the sun sinks to rest, from the halo which radiates from a common center, that the gate of heaven must be.

At the cemetery the road turns abruptly to the left to let you down the hill gradually, till you strike the main road, with its slight downward grade, to the county seat, two miles away, where the railroad runs.

December 20. At the breakfast table this morning mother said to father, somewhat decidedly, "Josiah, I'm going to get this Christmas dinner myself." "Why, no, you ain't," said father; "you're not able." Then mother looked over the top of her glasses and her eyes met father's looking over the top of "his'n." "Josiah, watch me," she said. "My children, in spite of all their new-fangled way of living and French 'chefs,' have always said there was nothing in the eating line like mother used to make, and I want to show them that my right hand has not forgot its cunning," said the old lady, her face beaming with pardonable pride.

"My children thought everything that mother made was just right," she continued, "except the army blanket pants I made for you and afterward cut over for the boys according to their size as they came along. Robert declares that his had 'U. S.' on the seat. Of course they didn't. But he has told it so much that I half believe it myself," she mused. "That's the reason he says he wouldn't go to school, because the boys called him Ulysses S. He went nutting and hunting in the fall, sledding, trapping and skating in the winter, spent his springtime in the sugar bush and fishing. Folks said he never would amount to anything at all, but the books he has written about his favorite sports and the habits of animals and birds that he has observed on his expeditions and has published would fill a whole library, and he never has been accused by a President of being a nature faker, either," said mother, warming up considerably for her.

So Bethany—that's the hired girl that has been in the family so many years—was set to work gathering the "ingredients," as she calls them, for the fruit cake, because it makes no difference how long before that is made, for it keeps indefinitely, unless one of the family happens to come before the rest, who makes a regular practice of carrying a knife and spoon in his pocket, and raids the cellar when it is most convenient and deserted.

"MOTHER'S FRUIT CAKE"

Here's mother's recipe: One pound brown sugar, one pound butter, ten eggs, one pound currants, three pounds raisins, one pound dates, one pound citron, one-quarter pound lemon and orange peel, one cup New Orleans molasses, two tablespoonfuls cinnamon, one small teaspoonful cloves, three nutmegs, one gill each brandy and wine. Grab a double handful of extra fruit, turn your head away and drop that in. Before putting it in add an even teaspoonful of soda dissolved in a very little hot water. Use extra flour to roll the fruit in.

If ever you get your teeth in that concoction, after it is slowly, thoroughly baked, you will have the time of your life then and later.

December 21-22. Christmas preparation goes steadily forward. Just like mother, the house is cleaned from garret to cellar. It is too cold to wash windows on the outside, which she mourns, for as fast as the water touches the glass it freezes, but inside everything is scoured and scrubbed until you can see your reflection in tinware and pewter.

Right after dinner this afternoon father appeared in the woodshed door with his coonskin cap, peajacket and mittens to protect him from the biting east wind, a double-bitted axe on his shoulder. At the sight Rover, the coon dog, almost threw fits. He leaped in the air, laughed, barked, threw handsprings and all but turned himself inside out for joy at the prospect of a hunt. "Down, Rover," father said, "this is no hunt. I'm going for a Christmas tree." Together they go over to the wood lot, Rover leading the way and running back to see if his master is coming and then madly on again. Father selects a fine specimen of conifer that stands in the southeast corner. He lays his coat over the stump fence and soon the bite of the woodman's axe awakens the stillness of the winter forest.

NOT GRUDGED FOR CHRISTMAS

At the first stroke a cock pheasant hidden in the topmost branches whirrs away to another shaded retreat. Marvelously few strokes, each following the other in quick succession, each precisely in the footsteps of its predecessor, for father, like his father, is a famous axeman, the tree crashes to the ground. He steps to one side so that when the butt kicks back it won't hit him. "Too bad," says father. "A few more years and it would have been a tree worth while. But, pshaw! Christmas comes but once a year." Out of the handsome top, with its even branches on every side, he cuts an eight-foot piece. There comes the hired man with the meek oxen, Buck and Bright, hitched to the stone boat, after it. Father helps him load it and the procession goes to the house.

One of the neighbors, who has been to town, brings up our mail. See the letters! Sons and daughters and grandchildren all coming, but can't possibly reach home before noon train of the 24th. The hired man will take the percheron colts, coming 4, father's pride, tipping the beam at 2800 pounds, and meet them at the depot. "I do hope it will snow," says father, as he looked out of the window toward the west, on going to bed. "A Christmas without snow is like an egg without salt."

December 23. The hired man goes to the wood lot with the oxen and boat and brings in butts of green beech logs for back logs. Another load of dry stuff follows, on which is piled fresh branches from the felled hemlock, to throw upon the blazing fire to make it crackle and blaze still higher. It still looks like snow. Just before noon the wind shifts. The sky is overcast with leadened, low-hanging clouds that shut out the sun. The rooster and his speckled harem go to bed. Finally a few flakes begin to fall about the size of half dollars. They increase in number, but decrease till the size of quarters, nickels, pennies, and finally settle down to business, a steady mantle of white falling and covering everything out of doors. The sleet beats almost vindictively against the window-panes and the nor'easter is on. Inside there is bustle and cheer and the odor of boiled cider, mince meat and fried cakes.

December 24. The morning breaks upon a world unknown. Fences where the road was are nearly drifted full. The cornerib, well sweep and pigsty are fantastically, fancifully and picturesquely covered. And the awful stillness, oppressive, choked, under the white pall. There is shoveling to the barn to liberate the imprisoned animals, who wonderingly gaze about. The turkey gobbler, who chased every petticoat that he saw unless it stayed his pursuit with a broom, is no more. His blood is reddening the pure white snow butchered for the morrow's dinner. From farther up the road come the road-breaking sleighs with two teams of oxen attached. They stop at our farm, where Buck and Bright are added, and road-breaking continues down to the schoolhouse, by the cemetery and on to the main traveled highway.

The first to traverse the broken path is the doctor's

The old farmhouse stands, as it has always stood since you can remember

"All ready," says Aunt Martha, who is master of ceremonies, and father opens the door

sleigh body cutter, with that worthy bundled up unrecognizable, on some errand of mercy, without waiting to inquire whether the party could pay or not. The early doctor would have scorned such inquiry as unworthy his noble calling. There is a smell of a combination of hunger-producing odors from the kitchen and smoke rises from the kettle of hot lard on the elevated oven stove.

Aunt Martha is on hand early to help trim the tree, which is firmly braced at the right of the fireplace. She has cut shreds of brilliantly colored tissue paper and strung popcorn and beads in among its fragrant branches. Cornucopias hang from every bough, filled with goodies. Little candles have been "run" and perched on every convenient limb, and across the corner where the glittering spectacle stands two sheets, sewed together, are pinned in front to hide it from the bright eyes of curious children who are soon to arrive.

A GLADSOME ARRIVAL

On account of the heavy snows the noon train is four hours late, and it is about 5 o'clock when the percherons with their precious load are discovered winding up the hill. The lumber-box wagon has been put on "bobs." Boards have been placed across for seats, and they have been put as close together as possible, and three are on a seat. A neighbor's sleigh, close behind, contains the overflow. Father is restless, and keeps putting more light stuff on the fire and then some logs, and mother walks from one window to another and wonders if those percherons ever will get there with her dear ones. They drive up close to the front porch. The men shout, the women cry and the children alternately cry and laugh. "There's mother!" they call as she appears on the porch, and is grabbed in turn by each big son and hugged and kissed till it seems she must succumb to the pressure. The daughters and children follow suit.

They stamp the snow off their feet and shake it from their garments and hustle into the house and back up to the fireplace. Wraps are removed and the dry stuff that father has loaded up the hearth with crackles, blazes. Up the great chimney's throat leap the dogs of flame, giving warmth, light and cheer. Each boy and girl goes to his own or her own room, the one that they had before they went away, and then they come downstairs to supper that mother has prepared. Among other things, creamed chicken, great yellow-legged, yellow-skinned fowls, with yellow cream in which they have been smothered; baked potatoes, soda biscuit, Dutch cheese, coldslaw, jellies, jams, honey and pumpkin pie or jelly cake, or both, twice helpin', if you desire.

Women who haven't touched a dishrag in years pick up the table, wash and wipe the dishes to help mother and Bethany, who are pretty weary from their week's work. Mother was pretty tired, she thought, before they came. There were some big circles under her eyes, but, my! what a change. She looks as young and animated as the first night the crane was hung in that same fireplace. She beams with joy.

With difficulty the youngsters are restrained from peeking behind the curtain. It is active work to keep them away. There is a very short program, consisting of "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear," in which all joined, singing heartily. Father, too, who never could carry a tune, sang the words to the only tune he knows lustily. One of the grandchildren spoke "'Twas the Night Before Christmas." After that the Doxology was sung as you seldom have heard it. Then the youngsters were all sent out in the kitchen, and father was set to guard the portal. This he did by sitting down on the kitchen floor, with his back against the door, while the grandchildren crawled all over him. The sheets are removed, the candles lighted and the tree is a blaze of glory.

"All ready," says Aunt Martha, who is master of ceremonies, and father opens the door. There is not the rush that was anticipated. There is a chorus of "Oh's" and "My's" as the little ones advance slowly toward the awe-striking spectacle, the ejaculations accompanying discoveries of things that they wonder if they are for them. Aunt Martha distributed the things under and on the tree. She removes a package and calls the person's name on it, who rises, goes and gets it, and it must be undone and inspected by all who care to before another one is given. The presents on the tree are from parents to children and from children to one another. The things that Santa brings they bang up their stockings for.

READY FOR THE MORROW

It is nearly 11 o'clock, and the mothers put the little children to bed, to be ready for the big tomorrow. Their stockings are hung by the chimney with care, and they trundle off to dream of a toy-ladened sleigh, with visions of St. Nick and his marvelous pack. They start up in the night, strain their ears for the light-falling hoofs of the reindeer on the roof or listen to the good saint sliding down the chimney. The men remain about the fireplace and later the women join them. The smoke of pipe and cigar fills the room. Reminiscences are exchanged, and the whereabouts of the former boys and girls of the neighborhood are particularly inquired into, as well as the old neighbors. It is surprising to hear of the recent number of deaths of the older generation, which cause the assembled family to be especially grateful that they made the effort and sacrifice, as in some cases, to come home this year. Father reads a favorite chapter in the Bible and offers a prayer of praise and thanksgiving that the family circle is yet unbroken, after which all, armed with candles, say their good nights and go up to their rooms, after filling to repletion the little stockings, and turn in on feather beds to sleep a sleep they have hardly known since last they were there. The house is quickly in slumber, all but mother. She lies looking out across the snow-ladened fields, gliating under the full moon of a cloudless sky, too happy to sleep and fearing to drop off, afraid she will forget; she begrudges the time to be lost.

December 25. The stair clock has just struck 6. A little tousled head rises above the bedclothes, rubs its eyes and digs its bedfellow in the short ribs. "Is it time to get up?" he whispers. "Mebbe he hasn't come yet, and we'll scare him away," is the reply. There is a suppressed giggle from the hall, which indicates that some girls are stirring. Finally the old house rings with peal on peal of childish laughter, and the children, in their nightdresses and bare feet, scamper down the stairs to the living room. Every stocking is bulging. "He's been here! He's been here!" is the enthusiastic cry, and "My stocking's full!" shouts one, "And mine!" "And mine!" is the echoing call that wakens the whole house. Bethany throws more dry stuff on the dying embers. The room again blazes with light and warmth, while each grandchild is drawing things from his well-filled stocking amid shouts of triumph, which indicate that his patron saint had brought him just what he asked for. It is a faith that is apropos of the day.

After breakfast of home-made, pure pig pen sausage and buckwheat cakes the color of a pheasant's wing, golden maple syrup from father's "summeries bush," hot muffins and fruit cookies the size of tea plates—"filled with bugs," the children say—and a cup of coffee and cream that looks as if it was just poured from a sunset, the women put the house to rights and do the upstairs chamber work. The youngsters go out by the henhouse and build a snow fort. From under dripping eaves they pack snowballs and fill the magazine of the redoubt with "soakers." Then they come in and dare the fathers to come out and take the fort. The challenge is greedily accepted. Time is given the sires to load up, and the skirmish line approaches cautiously, dodging the minie, cannon and mortar balls coming their way in confusing numbers and aggravating precision. They are under orders not to waste any ammunition, but wait until they can see the whites of their progeny's eye before firing. They advance under a merciless fire, but not that close before they are shooting volley after volley and storming the redoubt [illegible] several times they almost gain the rampart, but are driven back by an enfilading fire. Finally a rally is made for the last assault. On comes the attacking party with a wild shout, answered by a storm of shell from the fort and a wild whoop as children's reinforcements turn their right flank and pour in such a galling fire that the line breaks, stampedes and is in utter rout. Across the road to the barn the demoralized column flees, the youngsters in hot pursuit and doing great damage to the stragglers. The broken column takes refuge in the barn, holding the door, and through a crack waves a flag of truce. The surrender is accepted, but unconditionally, the vanquished not even being allowed to retain their side arms.

About 2 o'clock the Christmas dinner that mother prepared is served. There is the turkey, of course, done to a turn, with oyster dressing and a rich brown gibiet gravy, which no other woman that you know can make. There are mashed potatoes and turnips, creamed onions, cabbage salad, pickled beets and sliced green tomato pickles, currant and crabapple jelly and other spreads, tarts, mince pie, with its seventeen "ingredients," and the fruit cake. There is eating till little girths and bigger ones wished they were larger or more elastic.

Then all hands go back to the fireplace, the heart of the house. There are sputtering apples along the hearth, the varieties you liked best when you were young. There are pitchers of foaming cider on the table, big pans of buttered popcorn, platters of delicious molasses candy, all of which you are to lunch on toward night, because there will be no room or time for supper.

LOVED AND LOST ONES

Dear old Aunt Patience has come over to dinner and to spend the evening. Christmas is a sad time for her, ever since Uncle Wall was killed in the woods, just before Thanksgiving, and her two little boys, all she had, lay stark and dead from diphtheria the Christmas Day following. None of us know what she would have done if it hadn't been for mother's maiden sister, Aunt Martha. She is always on hand when any of us are sick, going about like the blessed angel of mercy she is. Present at all the births, at all the deaths, in joy, sickness and sorrow, she has ever been the family's tower of strength. What Aunt Patience would have done when the crushing blow fell without her none of us know. None of her other sisters dared even to go to the funeral on account of fear of carrying contagion to their little ones, and Aunt Martha was chief nurse, chief mourner and chief [illegible] and assistant undertaker.

It was several years ago that the blow fell on Aunt Patience. She has sort of never [illegible]. The doctor says they are slight cerebral [illegible], forerunner of a stroke. In the midst of festivities, particularly around the holiday season, like as not, suddenly her eyes become riveted on a fixed spot, and there rings from her lips an almost clarion cry, "Glory to God in the highest and on earth peace, good will toward men." Aunt Martha says maybe the doctor is right in his diagnosis, but she thinks that there are times when the strong spirit in Aunt Patience's frail body overcomes the intervening space between this world and the place of departed spirits, and that she is then in close contact and communion with her loved and lost. That it seems almost too bad to bring her back, but it is our duty and hers.

In the midst of the joyousness Aunt Patience's voice rings out the Christmas message, high and clear. A hush falls on the [illegible]. All bow their heads, the women weep[illegible]. Aunt Martha rises and hastens to her side. She places her hand on the sufferer's pulse and there passes from the mourning one, who has no child to die, a message of the strongest possible human sympathy to one who has loved and lost. She puts Aunt Patience's bonnet on, ties it under her chin, slips her wrap about her, places her arm around her waist, and, sustaining, leads her up the moon-flooded highway to her own home, puts her in bed, gives her ginger tea, places hot bricks at her feet and sits at her bedside till her breathing becomes normal, and then curls down on the sofa, drawn close to the bed, to watch the night out.

December 26. The farewells are spoken. The percherons slip down the hill, around the bend, out of sight with their precious load. Father turns and puts his arm around mother, who lays her tear-stained cheek on his shoulder, and he leads her back to the settle, and the childless couple enter on another year.

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A. W. Ponton Engaged by the Dominion Government in Extending Fifth Meridian North—Corrects Erroneous Impressions of Canada's Vast Hinterland.

MOOSE AS THICK AS CATTLE

EDMONTON, December 12.—(Special.)—After nearly two years spent in survey work in the northern part of the province, A. W. Ponton, of Macleod, Dominion land surveyor, returned to the city this week for supplies, and will not go north again until spring. He is very enthusiastic over the possibilities of the great north country tributary to the Peace River, and he undertakes to correct several misconceptions that have arisen regarding this country.

Mr. Ponton has been engaged for the past two years in extending the fifth meridian northward. He went up with a party in June, 1907, and commenced his survey work at township 76. During the first season he extended the line northward as far as Wabiscaw river. Mr. Ponton says that this is not the correct way to spell the word. The correct word is "Wahpescow," an old Indian word meaning a "lake with wavy shore." The early part of last winter was spent in transporting supplies to the Red River, a tributary to the Peace, and cutting pack trails through a wild unbroken country. Last summer he extended the line to within a short distance of the Peace. Mr. Ponton states that the new map of the Peace river district recently issued was incorrect in some particulars. Most of the rivers and lakes are marked too far to the west on the map. Another error was shown in the location of Birch river, which flows into Lake Clair. According to the map there was a large area which was not drained at all. Upon investigation Mr. Ponton found that this river ran much closer the Peace than was shown on the map, and provides a good drainage for the whole of that district. These errors crept in because when the map was made but little was known of the country beyound a few broad outlines. As the country is sub-divided, however, more will be learned regarding the physical features and a new and more correct map will be issued.

EXCELLENT AGRICULTURAL COUNTRY

Mr. Ponton states that the greater portion of the Peace river district is well suited for agricultural purposes, or will be as soon as a little attention is paid to drainage. The soil is undoubtedly good and there is not, as was reported, a hardpan bottom, that would make a cold wet soil. Mr. Ponton has samples of some of the soil with him as proof of his assertions. Throughout the district between the Athabasca and Peace rivers, there is a great deal of country that Mr. Ponton states is called muskeg. He claims, however, that there is no real muskeg in the Peace River district, and the worst it can be called is a spruce swamp. Heavy growths of moss retain the moisture just like a sponge; but on the removal of this moss, the land drains off and becomes dry. The moss is also the cause of the destructive fires which periodically sweep the country, as it will hold fire for months and the first favorable wind starts a blaze. This country can all be drained comparatively easily, as there are a large number of natural water courses and an ample fall for drainage.

One of the greatest propositions which the north country is up against at present is to secure better transportation facilities to aid in the development of the country. In order to open up the country there are two methods of procedure, both of which will cost considerable. One of these is to build a railway into this country and the other to construct a good road north from Athabasca Landing. To build such a road direct north would prove very expensive, as it would have to cross the Pelican Mountains, and a large tract of swampy land. Mr. Ponton's idea would be for northern travelers to go down the Athabasca river as far as Grand rapids. From that point a good road might be built northwest to Fort Vermilion or to the Chutes. There would be ample feed and water along the route for the settlers' stock. With proper management he believed such a road could be constructed for about $35,000. This would be a great boon to the country as it would give settlers a direct and comparatively easy method of entering that country, and would do duty until it would pay to build a railway. At the present time it is possible for land hunters with pack horses to enter this country by means of the trails made by his survey party, the trip occupying about three weeks.

THE IMMEDIATE SETTLEMENT

While the vast country between the Athabasca and Peace Rivers is attractive to experienced people, Mr. Ponton states that the country immediately north of the Peace at the Chutes is more suitable for immediate settlement. From the Peace River to the Caribou Mountains there is a stretch of partly open prairie about 20 miles square that is excellent for agricultural purposes. Grains and vegetables flourish in this district even now and as the country becomes better settled the danger from early frosts in the fall of the year will disappear. Settlers around St. John, Vermilion and other points on the Peace River are impatiently waiting for their land to be surveyed. This cannot be done, however, until the meridians are produced northwards. This work is being done as rapidly as possible.

There is plenty of game in this Peace River country. Moose tracks are thick, and Mr. Ponton states that last winter some of the Indian hunters killed as many as 20 or 30 during the winter. Moose are as plentiful as cattle in that country, indeed, Mr. Ponton stated that there were more moose in the Peace River district than there were cattle in the whole of Western Canada.

The Peace River district is not a good tie country as there is very little jack pine, which is used extensively for ties. As jack pines grow on sandy soil this is another proof that the land in that country is not light and sandy, but is good for agricultural purposes. There is, however, plenty of small timber which is good for building purposes and firewood. The Peace River country offers a great many advantages to the settlers and will undoubtedly be one of the best parts of the Dominion when it is opened up. Not only is the soil productive and the country rich in mineral wealth, but there is also plenty of good hay for stock, wood for building purposes and firewood, fish and game for food, and all the things so necessary to the pioneer settler.

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SOME OLD TIME CHRISTMAS GAMES THAT DELIGHT THE HEARTS OF THE YOUNG AND OLD

With the coming of Christmas the young folk and many of the older ones too will again revert to the merry games which have been handed down from the past ages. Many of the merriest games which were once popular have for ever passed away, but a few of the long list formerly kept up are yet known to many. Among them are:

Hot Cockles.

"Hot Cockles" was much in favour. It was a species of blind man's buff, in which the blinded one knelt down, and being struck behind, had to guess who struck the blow. The poet Gay thus describes it:

As hot Cockles once I laid me down,
And felt the weighty hand of many a clown,
Buxamo gave me a gentle tap, and I
Quick rose, and read soft mischief in her eye.

Questions and Answers.

Another game was called "Questions and Answers." It is mentioned in an old book with the title "Round About Our Coal Fire," published in the early part of the eighteenth century. It perhaps perished from its very inquisitiveness, for the commander could oblige his subject to answer any lawful question he might put to them, under the penalty of paying any forfeit he might choose to lay on the delinquent.

Fox I' the Hole.

Quaint old Herrick three times mentions a game called "Fox I' the Hole," but it cannot be gathered from what he says how it was played.

Of Christmas sports the wassail bowl
That's tossed up after the Fox 'i the hole.

Perhaps it was a relation of "We'll Catch a Fox, and put *him* in a box." A phrase used in the game of "A Hunting we will go."

Games of Cards.

Cards furnished several old-fashioned games. One is mentioned by Scott in his graphic picture of Christmas Eve told in "Marmion," as the vulgar game of "Post and Pair." It is also mentioned by many of our old writers, amongst whom may be quoted Jonson, in his "Masque of Christmas."

Now Post and Pair, Old Christmas Heir,
Doth make a jingling sally;
And wot you who, 'tis one of my two
Sons, card makers in Pur Alley.

It seems that three cards were dealt to every player, and the excitement of the game consisted in each person vying or betting on the goodness of his own hand. A pair of royal aces was the best hand—from this the game is also known as Pair Royal—and then the other cards according to their order. The modern game most resembling it is called "Commerce."

Noddy.

Another game was "Noddy" which was in great request at this season. In an old work, Father Christmas is represented as speaking to his children of the games of that time, and says, "I leave them wholly to my eldest son 'Noddy,' whom, during his minority, I commit to the custody of a pair of knaves and one and thirty." "Poor Richard's Almanack" for 1755 notices the game thus:

Some folks at dice and cards do sit,
To lose their money and their wit;
And when the game of cards is past
They fall to at Noddy at the last.

Ruff.

One more card game played was "Ruff," otherwise known as "Cross Ruff," and "Trump." This game was an ancient form of whist, and played by two against two or three against three. This practice, as well as others is alluded to in another quotation from "Poor Robin's Almanack," 1663. Christmas to hungry stomachs gives relief,
With mutton, pork pies, pastries and roast beef,
And men at cards spend many idle hours,
At loadum, whisk, cross ruff and all fours.

Until the reign of Henry VII. people had enjoyed immunity from interference with regard to the use of playing cards, but this monarch enacted a statute prohibiting the apprentices from indulging in the game, except during the Christmas holidays, and then only under the roof of their respective masters. This was confirmed with due severity by Henry VIII. Representation of national sports must, however, necessarily be transitory, and as each generation passed away the love of cards was transmitted in succession. They became an indispensable adjunct to Christmas entertainments, and the Squire of Queen Anne's time possessed, we are told, an almost superstitious regard for cards, never playing till the festive season came around, and then the family pack was produced from the mantel-piece with due solemnity. Stevenson, an old writer of Charles the Second's time, says: "The country maid leaves half her market, and must be sent again if she forgets a pack of cards on Christmas Eve."

Dun in the Mire.

A diversion that caused much frolic was "Dun in the Mire," and was played thus:

A log of wood representing "Dun" or the cart horse, was brought into the middle of the room. Then the cry was raised that "Dun has stuck in the Mire," and two of the company went to pull him out either with or without ropes. These called others to their assistance till the whole company, perhaps, were making a great show of lifting and pulling, the merriment really arising from the sly efforts of each to let the log fall on his neighbour's toes. Old writers often mention the game, and our great dramatist, in "Romeo and Juliet" act 1; scene 4, makes Mercutio say to Romeo:

Tut, dun's the mouse, the constable's own word,
If thou art Dun, we'll draw thee from the mire.

Handy Dandy.

"Handy Dandy" was a simple game. One of the party concealed something in his hand; if his friend guessed rightly in which hand it was, he won the article, if wrongly, he lost an equivalent. This is a schoolboy game now-a-days, but it was sufficiently important then to be noticed by Piers Plowman, by Brown in his Pastoral, who tells us how "boys with pibbles play at Handy Dandy," and in "King Lear," act 4, scene 6, Shakespeare alludes to it when he makes King John say to Gloucester; "Look with thine ears—see how yon justice rails upon you simple thief. Hark in thine ear; change places; and handy dandy, which is the justice, which is the thief?"

Shoeing the Wild Mare.

Herrick mentions another game, "Shoeing the Wild Mare," about the precise nature of which antiquarians differ. Brand in his "Popular Antiquities," says that it appears that the wild mare was simply a youth so-called, who was allowed a certain start, and who was pursued by his or her companions with the object of being shod, if he, or she, did not succeed in outstripping them. Most likely the shoeing was done in some rough fashion, but this is Herrick's allusion to it:

Christmas sports, the wassail bowl,
Or blind man's buff, and of the care,
That young men have to shoe the mare.

Cap Verse

Another game, more difficult, one would think two centuries ago than now, was "Cap Verse," in which one gave a word or line to which another had to find the rhyme on pain of forfeit. This pastime, sometimes called "Cento Rhymes," is capable of affording in modern times a very great amount of amusement when material is plentiful.

The Game of Goose

For the children, there was introduced in bye-gone days the game of "Goose." Goldsmith has, in his "Deserted Village":

The pictures framed for ornament and use,
The twelve good rules, the Royal Game of Goose,

Strutt says in his "English Games and Pastimes" that it was played by two persons, although it readily admitted of many more, and was well calculated to make the young people sharp at reckoning the sum of two given numbers. The table was about the size of a sheet almanac, and was divided into sixty-two compartments, arranged in a spiral form, with a large open space in the centre marked with the number 63, the other compartments being numbered from 1 to 62 inclusive. The game was played with two dice, each player throwing in turn and marking with a counter whatever number the dice cast up. Thus, if there was a four and a five he marked nine, and so on until the game was completed. The number 63 had to be reached exactly, and should the player exceed it, he had to reckon back and throw again in his turn.

Blind Man's Buff.

"Blind Man's Buff," if learned folks speak true, may claim a vast antiquity. The first blind man, it is said, was Polyphemus, the cave-dwelling giant whom Ulysses met on his wanderings, and who ate Ulysses' men. Thereafter, as all schoolboys ought to know, Ulysses made the giant drunk and pushed out his one eye with a pointed stick. Then the first blind man's buff began. Ulysses and his men had to get out of the cave. They did it by fastening themselves under the bellies of the giant's sheep, one man to each sheep, and as the giant felt only the sheep's backs, they all won safe away.

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Activity In Building

Permits For Year Totalled Over $417,000; The Figure Is Surprisingly Large; Compares Favourably With Last Year

THE PEOPLE WHO ARE BUILDING UP THE CITY; LIST OF THE NEW BUILDINGS CONSTRUCTED HERE DURING THE SEASON JUST PASSED

The building permits up to Dec. 2nd of this year reach the somewhat astonishing total of $417,365.00, in spite of the generally accepted statement that the building activity this year was not nearly as great as in 1907. True there is considerable difference in the totals, as the total amount expended in building last year was $761,321. As against this, however, must be set the fact that last year was an abnormal one because of the many large buildings that were constructed at a cost that swelled the figures enormously. There were the new armouries which alone contributed $125,000, the new Collegiate Institute, which was responsible for over $80,000 more, the extension of the Canadian General Electric Works, the new Roman Catholic Church, the enlarging of the North Ward school, and other big buildings, which tended to boost the total to nearly the three-quarter million mark. This year there were practically no large contracts, in view of which fact the total is indeed surprising, and indicates that the building trade has been in a most healthy condition in the past season. All over the city new dwellings have been constructed, and a walk through the outlying districts reveals signs of much activity during the year.

Below is a list of the new houses and buildings constructed during the year, with a few of the more important improvements made. The total number of permits up to December 2 was 245, so that it will be seen that many of the smaller alterations and improvements made are not mentioned in this summary:

A.

George A. Agnew, lumber dwelling, Elm street, $1000.

W. C. Ackerman, solid brick house, Park street, $4600.

B.

B. Brady, brick veneered house, 213 Douro street, $1500.

W. H. Baker, brick veneered house, Smith street, $1700.

Ambrose Blodgett, lumber dwelling, Romaine street, $400.

James B. Brown, brick veneer, lot 1, plan 42, $1450.

W. H. Baker, cement blocks, Bethune street, $1500.

James B. Brown, brick veneer, Park street, $1400.

Jas. B. Brown, brick veneer, Park street, $1700.

C.

T. M. Caldwell, brick veneered house, n. London e. Water street, $1800.

E. Cook, brick veneer, Gladstone avenue, $950.

Hon. George A. Cox, solid brick, block D, plan 79, $6000.

P. J. Carroll, brick veneer, lot 45, plan 115, $1900.

G. S. Cameron, M. D., solid brick house, s. Charlotte w. George, $4000.

D.

Alex. Davidson, brick veneer dwelling, Dublin street, east George, $2700.

Rev. J. C. Davidson, solid brick dwelling, Sheridan street, $1500.

P. J. Devlin, brick veneer house, Cricket Place, $1500.

W. J. Dormer, brick veneer, Edinburgh street, $3000.

Jos. Donaldson, brick veneer, Maitland avenue, $1700.

Fred Drake, brick veneer, Bolivar street, $1600.

John J. Devlin, brick veneer, Mark street, $1900.

P. J. Doris, brick veneer, Sophia street, $2200.

E.

J. P. Ego, brick veneered house, Gladstone avenue, $1200.

R. A. Elliott, brick house, Englebourne avenue, $1925.

T. C. Elliott, alterations to Beehive, $1000.

V. Eastwood, Dublin street, $1500.

G.

G. W. Green, brick veneer, London street, $1800.

W. Galbraith, brick veneer, Charlotte street, $1500.

Jos. Gray, brick veneer, McDonnel street, $1100.

Jos. Gray, brick veneer, Gilchrist street, $1200.

German Card Mfg. Co., factory, Sherbrooke street, $2500.

W. Galbraith, brick veneer house, Charlote street, $1500.

Michael Guerin, lumber dwelling, Roger street, $900.

Jos. Gray, brick veneer, Donegal street, $1200.

W. Galbraith, brick veneer, Pearl avenue, $1800.

H.

R. G. Hudson, brick veneer, London street, $1800.

P. J. Hickey, brick veneer, Reid street, $1750.

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EXAMINER SPECIAL HOLIDAY EDITION

The present issue of the Examiner constitutes the regular Christmas edition. It consists of thirty-two pages, ten of which are specially and beautifully illustrated in the spirit of the season, including the children's page, consisting of reproductions of Roy's photographs of Peterborough children. The illustrated section especially appeals to advertisers and here, as elsewhere in this edition, will be found the special announcements of our most enterprising merchants, the most worthy of the patronage of the public in search of wares suitable for seasonable purchase. This edition in all its features, in its illustrations, letter press and advertising importance, is illustrative of the advance, not only of the Examiner, in enterprise and public favour, but in the commercial and general progress of the city.

GOES UP FOR TRIAL

Sufficient Evidence Against Chas. Bowen to Warrant Magistrate Edmison Taking This Step in Havelock Seduction Case.

IS FREE ON BAIL OF $2,000

"Committed for trial" was the outcome of the trial yesterday at Havelock, against Chas. Bowen, of Belmont township, who was charged by a young lady named Miss Parcels with seduction under promise of marriage. County Magistrate Edmison went to Havelock yesterday and held court there. When the testimonies were given he considered there was sufficient evidence to commit Bowen, who will have the option of appearing at the Sessions in the Spring, or before His Honour Judge Weller without a jury. He was given his freedom on $2,000 bail, $1,000 by himself and two sureties for $500 each. The case has aroused considerable interest in Havelock and vicinity on account of both parties being widely known.

FROM LOVESICK TO PETERBORO' ON FOOT— A GOOD FORTY MILES

A forty-mile tramp down from Lovesick Lake is something out of the ordinary in these days of electric trains, autos and flying machines. Mr. J. Johnston who has a valuable tract of wooded land in that neighbourhood and has a number of men engaged in cutting it started to walk home on Thursday expecting that before he got far on his journey he would meet with some one who was driving south. But as is usually the case when you want something you cannot find it when ordinarily it is staring you in the face, Mr. Johnston had to walk nearly all the distance.

THE PETERBOROUGH HISTORICAL SOCIETY HOLD ANNUAL MEETING, ELECT THEIR OFFICERS AND DECIDE UPON THEIR PLANS FOR THE FUTURE

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Historical Society was held in the Collegiate Institute last night, although there was not a very large attendance. The many other attractions affected the attendance considerably. However, the new officers were elected and considerable time was profitably spent in discussing ways and means of making the society more beneficial to the members and of bringing it more prominently before the people. It was decided to broaden the scope of the society so that scientific subjects may be taken up as well as historical. A committe was appointed to map out a programme of subjects (historical and scientific,) upon which papers will be prepared and read to the society during the winter months.

It is also proposed to hold meetings at least once a month, and probably every two weeks. The papers will be prepared by local people for the greater part, although several outside speakers will be brought in.

The president, Mr. T. A. S. Hay, read his annual address, which was as follows:

To the Officers and Members of the Peterborough Historical Society.

Ladies and Gentlemen,—I have not prepared a report for the annual meeting, but there are several points I wish to bring before your notice this evening, and will be very glad to hear your views.

The late secretary-treasurer, Mr. T. Wallace, having removed to Toronto, a meeting was held on Nov. 19th, to appoint a successor, which resulted in the appointment of Mr. W. J. Dunlop, in whom I feel assured we have a most efficient officer.

It is now two years since any dues were collected from members, and the treasury, although not quite empty, is in need of funds to successfully carry on its proper function.

It is necessary to discuss the advisability of continuing as an Historical Society, as well as our relations with the Ontario Society, with which we are affiliated, or to re-organize as a purely Museum Board. If the former is decided on, it is essential that a strong and active Board of Management be elected, so that interest may be aroused and maintained.

If it were not for the Museum the society would scarcely have an excuse for existence. Certainly the Museum has continued to grow and the valuable collections deposited there have increased in number and value, notwithstanding the apathy shown by many members.

The society has enjoyed the use of the building at Inverlea for the past twelve years, through the generosity of Mr. Richard Hall, practically free of expense, and it is noticeable that by far the largest proportion of visitors are from outside the city.

Owing to the establishment by the Provincial Government of one of the Normal Schools in Peterborough, and the enlargement of the field of education in the Collegiate Institute, Public and Separate Schools, the usefulness of the museum has increased many fold, the collection therein containing many valuable and rare specimens. On the teaching staff of these schools are gentlemen of highly scientific attainments who have expressed their intention of using the exhibits for instructional purposes, which we as members should appreciate.

The register of exhibits commenced some years ago should be completed up to date, from which a convenient catalogue and a general classification can be made, which is most desirable and necessary for the proper study of subjects.

As this is the annual meeting of the society, it is now in order to elect the officers and committees, and it is to be hoped that with a strong and active board we may have a prosperous year.

R. A. S. HAY,
President.

An interesting discussion, participated in by Col. Rogers, Mr. A. J. Keyes, Mr. G. A. Cornish, Dr. Burnham and Mrs. Birdsall, followed the reading of the address. It was agreed that, as the Museum side of the society's activities had been stressed in the past, it would be well to pay more attention to the historical interests. All were agreed that monthly meetings should be held at which historical and scientific subjects would be treated of and discussed.

It was decided that more attention should be given to Provincial and National history than had been in the past. Mr. G. A. Cornish, of the Normal school, agreed to give the paper at the first of these meetings to be held in January, and a program committee was appointed to arrange for monthly meetings for the season.

The election of officers was then proceeded with, and resulted as follows:

Hon. President—Col. R. C. Rogers.
President—T. A. S. Hay.
1st Vice-president—Dr. Burnham.
2nd Vice-pres.—Richard Hall.
3rd Vice-pres.—Mr. G. A. Cornish.
Sec.-Treas.—W. J. Dunlop.
Executive Committee—Col. Rogers, G. A. Cornish, A. J. Keyes, Mrs. Birdsall, Dr. Burnham, Inspector Mowat, J. E. Hodgson.
Museum Committee—Mr. E. Elcome, G. A. Cornish and the secretary.
Programme Committee—T. A. S. Hay, W. J. Dunlop, Col. Rogers, G. A. Cornish, S. J. Keyes.
Auditor—Frank Adams.

It was moved by Col. Rogers, seconded by Mr. Cornish, that the President and the Secretary be authorized to secure a canvasser to collect the yearly dues of fifty cents per member.

TERMS THAT EXPIRE

Four School Board Members and One Water Commissioner—Mr. Matthews Will Be a Candidate Again—Mr. Ackerman Undecided.

TO TALK OF NEW BLOOD

This year the terms of four of the present Board of Education expire, but this does not mean that they will not be candidates again for the honors. Those whose two-year terms conclude on Dec. 31st, are, Messrs Robt. Fair, W. S. Robinson, B. F. Ackerman and Dr. M. A. Morrison. Mr. Fair has occupied the seat at the head of the table during the past year and he has decided to again become a candidate for the School Board should there be a contest. Mr. B. F. Ackerman is yet undecided. So far as can be learned the other two mentioned will also be in the field. Dr. Morrison has been chairman of the Collegiate Institute Committee, and Mr. B. F. Ackerman, chairman of the Property Committee.

The members of the Board who have another year before them are: Messrs. D. W. Dumble, John Crane, W. F. Nelson, Dr. Burnham, W. H. Hill and Louis M. Hayes, the latter being appointed by the Separate School Board. His term does not end until Jan. 1st, of 1910.

Up to the present no prospective candidates have been mentioned but, of course, there is plenty of time before nomination day.

The term of Mr. T. F. Matthews, water commissioner, terminates this year. Speaking to the Examiner today Mr. Matthews stated he would again be a candidate. The commissioners have taken up the question of a new dam and pumping station which they contemplate erecting, and Mr. Matthews desires to assist in finishing the work.

Property Committee Has Another Plan Of Solving The Isolation Hospital Matter

Have Written to Managements of Both Hospitals Endeavouring to Get a Small Building at Each for a Different Disease.

WHAT THEY PROPOSE

A new plan of solving the Isolation Hospital question has come to light, but whether it will materialise is something that can not be predicted as yet. The Property Committee of the council, who are trying to get at some solution, have written the authorities of the two hospitals, suggesting that a small isolation building be built somewhere near these institutions. It is understood that the committee considers that the largest item of the cost is not the erection of the building, but the maintenance after it is opened for use. The exact nature of their suggestion is not known, but the city would pay a certain amount for each patient who could not pay for himself, and in other ways the city would bear its share of the expense. Nurses from these establishments could be chosen to look after the patients alone. Another feature would be that one of the annex buildings would be for scarlet fever, the other for diphtheria. These are a few of the suggestions, which, it was said, were made the managements of the two hospitals. Ald. Braidburn stated this morning that as yet no reply had been received.

ONE OF THE MEMBERS OF THE SCHOOL BOARD WHOSE TERM EXPIRES

MR. ROBERT FAIR,
Chairman of the Board of Education, who will be a candidate for the School Board again.

Arrangements Are Being Made For Board of Trade Banquet

The annual banquet of the Board of Trade will be held during the first month of the new year. This was decided on Thursday evening, when it was moved by Ald. Gillespie, seconded by Mr. J. H. Larmonth, that Dr. Morrison, president; Ald. Gillespie, vice-president; Mr. T. Q. Quartermaine, secretary; Messrs. F. D. Kerr, J. H. Larmonth and Ald. Bradburn be a committee to arrange for the banquet. A good speaker will be secured and a successful affair is anticipated.

THE CONSECRATION OF THE VERY REV. DEAN FARTHING ON JAN. 6TH

The consecration of the Very Rev. Dean Farthing, D.D., as Bishop of Montreal, will take place at Christ Church Cathedral, Montreal, on the Feast of the Epiphany, January 6, 1909. The Right Rev. Dr. DuMoulin, Bishop of Niagara, will be the special preacher. Rev. H. Symonds is the rector of the Cathedral.

The enthronement of the new Bishop will take place the same evening. The laity of the Diocese of Montreal, are presenting the Bishop-elect with a pastoral staff set with jewels.

THE DEDICATION OF REREDOS TO MEMORY OF LATE ARCHDEACON

A beautiful reredos, erected to the glory of God and the memory of the late Ven. Archdeacon Allen, D.C.L., will be dedicated at St. Thomas church, Millbrook. The late Archdeacon Allen was rector of Cavan for 58 years. Rev. Rural Dean Langfeldt was requested to be the special preacher to-morrow, but unfortunately could not accept on account of parochial duties.

CYZICUS SANCTORUM OFFICERS ELECTED AT ANNUAL MEETING

Last night the annual meeting of the Cyzicus Sanctorum, No. 34, O. O. H and P., was held in the Oddfellows' Hall, when several candidates received the Oriental light. About one hundred were in attendance and the following officers were elected:

Grand Hyastytes—Tribesman M. P. Breckenridge.

Vice-Grand Hyastytes — Tribesman J. W. Jordan.

Grand Monitor—Tribesman J. H. Campbell.

Venerable Friar — Tribesman M. Kirn.

Grand Chief Guide—Tribesman E. C. Poole.

Grand Herald—Tribesman William Robertson.

Grand High Executioner — Tribesman Thos. Duncan.

Basileriissimo — Tribesman A. A. Fowler.

Registrariissimo — Tribesman Frank Wise.

Population Of Saskatoon Has Increased From 50 In 1901 to 7000 At Present Time

Wonderful Growth of This Rapidly Advancing Western Town—The Harvest Number of Saskatoon "Phoenix" an Interesting One —20,000 Copies Sold.

ADVERTIZING THE CITY

An interesting number of the "Phoenix," of Saskatoon, one of the leading dailies of the central west, and the most prominent paper in Saskatoon, has recently been issued under the name of a special harvest number. A copy has been received at the Examiner office. There are thirty-two pages and 20,000 copies were turned off the press. The people of the town sent them throughout the country to their friends, thus making an excellent advertisement for their town. It states that in 1901, according to Dominion statistics, Saskatoon had a population of 50; by steadily growing each year the present population is 7,000, which is considered a rapid increase and the residents of this town expect to grow at the same rate.

HE WILL AGAIN BE A CANDIDATE FOR THE WATER COMMISSION

MR. T. F. MATTHEWS,
Water Commissioner, whose Term Expires at end of the year.

ARE SHIPPING ENGINE

Has Been Undergoing Repairs at C. G. E. Works—To Be Returned to Shawinigan Falls, Quebec.

WAS TOO HEAVY FOR FLAT CAR

The electric engine that was brought to the C. G. E. Works to be repaired, is now completed and is ready for shipment. From the information gained it was brought here about six months ago to be electrically equipped. Plans had to be made for the motor and the patterns prepared from this. The work was then proceeded with and during the last few days it was being loaded on a flat car. It has been learned that the car would not support it, as it is said to weigh about fifty-six tons. It may be returned as it came on its own wheels. Its destination is Shawinigan Falls, Que.

Enjoyable Concert Programme Given By "Onward" Young Ladies Bible Class

One of the most successful concerts of the season was that held in the George street Methodist Sunday school last night under the auspices of the "Onward" Young Ladies' Bible Class. The spacious school room was crowded to the doors with a delighted audience, who were most enthusiastic in their reception of those taking part and encores were numerous. The programme was a delightful one, being sufficiently varied to be always interesting and the audience evidently enjoyed every minute of it, judging by the applause. Every contributor was warmly received and the little ones Miss Greta Lebar and Miss Jone Callendar, had a particularly happy reception. The young ladies of the Onward Class and their teacher, Mrs. Jas. Stubbs are to be congratulated upon the great success of their efforts.

Rev. E. A. Pearson made a most acceptable chairman, and the programme was as follows:

Chairman's address — Rev. Mr. Pearson.

Instrumental duet—Mr. and Miss Muyeke.

History of "The Onward—Miss B. Miller.

A selection, "What the Chimney Sang"—Orpheus Quartette.

Duet—The Misses Titterson.

An address—Mr. T. W. Robinson.

Instrumental Selection — Mandolin Club.

Solo—Miss Josie Callendar.

Recitation—Miss Greta Lebar.

Dialogue, "Aunt Jemima,"—By "The Onward."

Intermission Selections — Mandolin Club.

Cantatta, "The Daughter of Jairus"—Ladies of "The Onward."

Solo—Mr. Miles.

Recitation—Miss Nelson.

Duet—Misses Gamsby.

Recitation, "Japanese' in Costume—Miss Greta Lebar.

Selection, "The City Choir"—Orpheus Quartette.

Dialogue, "Journey of Life," with tableau—By "The Onward."

Close of Meetings

—The interesting series of meetings held by Mr. Robt. Telfer, evangelist, in the Assembly Hall, George street, under the old Opera House, close to-morrow night. At seven o'clock, sub-ject, "Believers in baptism." At conclusion of address the ordinance will be observed. All welcomed. No collection.

WAS ALLOWED TO GO AFTER HAVING HAD A WEEK IN LOCAL JAIL

There was only one case at police court this morning, when a young man who is a veteran of the South African war was allowed to go by the magistrate. He was arrested a week ago on a charge of being drunk and was remanded for a week to allow of his sobering up. When he appeared this morning Magistrate Dumble expressed the hope that he had decided to conduct himself better in future. He had had time to think over the matter and the magistrate believed that he would turn over a new leaf if allowed to go.

CONCERT REPEATED ON MONDAY NIGHT BY REQUEST OF MANY

Owing to the splendid success of the concert given in St. Peter's Hall last night by the Separate school pupils, and to the fact that a large number of persons were turned away it has been decided to repeat it on Monday night. There are many of those who saw it last night who stated their intention of returning on Monday night so delighted were they with the performance. The proceeds of the concert go towards the equipment of the library at St. Peter's school. Reserved seat tickets are on sale at Mr. James Lynch's drug store.

THE CORE'S LANDING ANGLICAN CHURCH IS NEARING COMPLETION

The new stone church at Core's Landing, which is being built by Mr. G. F. Warde, of this city, is nearing its completion, though its occupation may be delayed till spring. When finished it will be one of the prettiest churches in this and other districts, artistic in its design and thoroughly ecclesiastic in its construction. It reflects great credit upon the ability of Mr. Warde as a designer and builder.

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With a ten thousand dollar fire department, pretty thoroughly equipped and well manned, one would think that our citizens would use it to the best advantage. But there seem to be some persons who do not know or, in the excitement of the moment, forget, that we have a paid fire brigade on tap, so to speak, every hour of the day or night, whose sole duty and, no doubt, pleasure, it is to respond promptly to fire alarms and render effective service in extinguishing, or preventing the spread of fire. Yet within the past day or two, two fires have broken out in the business portion of the city, but instead of ringing in an alarm or summoning the firemen, those interested, fought the flames themselves. Fortunately, in both these cases, the fire was put out. The persons concerned, however, took a great responsibility upon themselves, and ran a very serious risk. It was doubtless due more to good luck than effective work that the fires were stayed. At another time under other conditions which it would be nothing rare to have present, similar well-attended efforts of amateur firemen might be useless and a serious blaze might develop. The delay in summoning the firemen might give the fire a fatal headway and a serious conflagration might get under way in the thickly-built business section, whose end might be disastrously costly, while the fire brigade whose business it is to cope in the most effective manner possible with fire, through default of a prompt alarm being sent in may have been ignorant and idle within easy reach of the spot. With proper warning their presence would have been effectively felt. The moral is call upon and trust to the effective establishment provided and the sufficient force maintained for the express purpose of putting out fires. In no other event possible does the lesson of the motto "a stitch in time saves nine," apply so aptly as in case of fire control. The fire alarm boxes should be used for sending in alarms. While this use is the duty of citizens, it should be made much easier than it is now. Perhaps five persons in ten may know how to use the fire alarm keys. But the five ignorant may have first knowledge of a fire and the possibilities of delay in ringing in the alarm are evident. Would it not be well to have concise directions for sending in an alarm affixed to the boxes? These could be read in a few seconds and possibly fatal delay avoided. Cards might also be conspicuously posted in numerous places recording the exact location of the fire alarm boxes. What advantage will it be to spend thousands upon a first-class fire department, if the details, little, but essential to securing its prompt, and in nine cases out of ten, effective services are neglected? This is a good way to get the city into "Class A."

An epidemic of scarlet fever, and an isolation hospital would constitute an admirable conjunction of conditions.

THE BANK OF OTTAWA.

In another column is printed the report and accompanying statement of the annual meeting of the shareholders of the Bank of Ottawa. The reports presented furnish evidence of another successful outcome of another year of good management. The net profits for the year ending November 30, 1908, after deducting expenses of management and making necessary provision for interest due to depositors, unearned interest on current loans, and for all bad and doubtful debts and contingencies are $429,879.52. There was also a credit balance brought forward of $327,832.42, making a total of $757,712. This latter sum has been appropriated as follows:—Dividend of 10 per cent., paid quarterly, $300,000; in reduction of bank premises, $46,720.73, and a payment to the officers' pension fund of $5,000. The balance of undivided profit, $405,991.22, has been carried forward. A comparison with the statement for the year ending November 30, 1907, only helps to demonstrate the careful manner with which the affairs of the Bank of Ottawa have been administered. During the year the deposits increased by $1,096,647.05, and the assets from $32,353,934.97 to $33,524,891.58.

While note is made of the fact that the influence of the Bank of Ottawa is steadily expanding throughout the country it might not be amiss to refer to the fact that under the management of Mr. Hollingshead, the local branch is rapidly conquering the confidence of the farming community, as evidenced by the large and increasing business relations of the Bank with the farmers of the district.

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The ninety-first annual meeting of the shareholders was held in Montreal on Monday, when the report of the directors for the year ending Oct. 31 last was submitted, which together along with the minutes of the proceedings will be found in another part of this issue of the Examiner, and as Sir Edward Clouston remarked in the course of his address, the financial statement discloses an exceptionally strong position, the percentage of immediately available assets having risen from 43 per cent. a year ago to 57 per cent. at present. The report shows that the profits for the year ending Oct. 31, 1908, after deducting charges of management and making full provision for all bad and doubtful debts, were $1,957,658.68, to which fell to be added $699,969.88, the balance at credit of profit and loss account at the corresponding date of 1907. The total profits available for disposal were thus $2,657,628.56. The dividend of 10 per cent. in the usual quarterly instalments absorbed $1,440,000, and after $1,000,000 had been credited to rest account, there remained a balance of $217,628.56 to be carried forward. The rest account now stands at $12,000,000, or only $2,400,000 less than the amount of capital stock. The two combined make a total of $26,400,000, a tangible evidence of the solidity of this great financial institution. Deposits bearing interest during the year reached $105,192,365.64, an increase of $17,000,000, as against current loans, other than call, of $94,762,020.73, a decrease of $16,000,000, a fact indicating that the depression in trade has restricted the employment of capital. That this depression has largely or will soon completely pass away is shown by the remarks of the President, Sir George Drummond, to the shareholders. He regarded the situation as much improved and expressed the belief that confidence had been largely restored, that credit is again good, that better times are at hand and that the outlook is extremely favourable. Sir Edward Clouston, at the meeting, after referring to the steadying effect of the late financial depression, said; "If our people will continue the conservative policy which is at present animating their conduct of business, we will emerge stronger and better in every way." When men like these, with their fingers continually on the pulse of finance, give such cheering assurances, the business world is well justified in taking courage.

We have had a little financial flurry, but it did not seem to affect the steady glacier-like advance of the Bank of Montreal, which stolidly persists in paying, be it business rain or shine, its regular dividend of ten per cent. Its business at large has prospered and to this prosperity the local branch in charge of Mr. A. Montizambert, has contributed a liberal proportion.

The people of Canada have to-day on deposit in chartered banks or savings banks the tidy rainy day sum of $650,126,232.

LATEST NEWS FROM THE CAPITAL

Premier Goes to Montreal—Three New County Court Judges Appointed—Date of Opening of Parliament is Definitely Settled—House will Meet on January 20th.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Ottawa, Dec. 12.—The Premier and Lady Laurier left to-day for Montreal where they will be the over-Sunday guests of friends.

An order in Council was passed yesterday appointing three new County Court Judges in Ontario to fill the vacancies caused by the death of Judge MacCallum of Manitoulin and Judge Boys of Barrie, and by the resignation of Judge E P. Clement of Essex, last year. The new County Court Judge of Manitoulin is Mr. C E Hewson, K.C., of Barrie. Mr. C J Mickle of Chesley is appointed to the

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Essex County Judgeship and Mr. E A Wismer of Essex takes the place of the late Judge Boys at Barrie. The principle has been followed in each case of making the appointment from outside the country where the new Judge will act.

At the meeting of the Cabinet yesterday afternoon, the date of the opening of the session of Parliament was definitely fixed for Wednesday, January 20th. It had been hoped that the new wing of the Commons building would be sufficiently completed to insure its being in readiness for the opening of the House on January 13, but it has been found necessary to allow an additional week for the contractor to finish up the work and have the new quarters for the Opposition members, Cabinet Ministers, press officials of the House, etc., ready for occupation. It is expected that the session will be a comparatively short one. The Government's legislative programme, as now contemplated, will not be a heavy one, the principal items on the agenda at present being the new insurance act, Hon. Mr. Aylesworth's bill to prevent corrupt payment of secret commissions, either in private or Government business; a bill to establish a separate portfolio of labour, a bill to extend the boundaries of Manitoba, Ontario and Quebec, and a bill to amend the present rules of Parliamentary procedure with a view to expediting the transaction of public business and preventing waste of time in useless debate.

ENTHUSIASM AND FAT

These two, like oil and water, mix poorly. This does not imply fat men and women are not enthusiastic. They do down deep inside. But what does it amount to? These fat doesn't get excited. They can't transmute their enthusiasm into energetic action, so they might as well keep calm.

Thus it is that fat people generate much steam for life's work, only to find the load too much for the horsepower, and as a result thousands of both sexes get just so far and no further. "Much they care," says the uninitiated slim one. But they do care. They care keenly for financial, mental, social, business fait hunting, straight-front and comfort reasons, and that is why Marmola Prescription Tablets have been so heartily welcomed by the overweight classes. The reason is not far to seek. Marmola Prescription Tablets take off about a pound a day, in most cases, without interfering in any way with the takers table tendencies or his love of ease. To some, possibly, their absolute economy appeals. Thus one large cake costing seventy-five cents at any drug store or of the makers, The Marmola Company, Detroit, Mich., direct, is said in itself alone to contain enough tablets to make a decided change in any one.

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THE LIFT LOCK CIRCLE ELECTS ITS OFFICERS

Large Number Present and Considerable Business Transacted.

An important meeting of Lift Lock Circle 142. A. O. F., was held last night in the Knights of Pythias Hall, Simcoe street, a large number of members being present. After considerable business had been transacted for the good of the order, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Chief Companion—Mrs. Goodenough.
Past Chief Companion—Miss Smith.
Sub Chief Companion—Mrs. Titterson.
Secretary—Mrs. Cummings.
Assistant Secretary—Miss Storey.
Treasurer—Mrs. McIntosh.
R. Guide—Mrs. Edwards.
L. Guide—Miss Aloe.
I. Guard—Miss T. Smith.
O. Guard—Mrs. Dodds.
Pianist—Miss Titterson.
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Chinese Conditions And Life Subject Of Address

Mrs. Goforth Tells of Honan, Where She Lived as a Missionary.

PROGRESS IN THE FAR EAST

Conditions existing in the far east were vividly described last night by Mrs. Goforth, a returned missionary. Honan, in China, was the subject and the Sunday school room of St. Paul's church, was well filled to listen to her.

She was here under the auspices of the St. Paul's W. F. M. S., who also invited the other missionary societies in the city to attend. Mrs. Goforth has been in China for many years, and has seen a great many changes take place in the manners, customs and habits of the Chinese. She was home in Canada some seven years ago and addressed many meetings. She is a very interesting speaker, and those who were present greatly enjoyed themselves. The lecture was illustrated by lime-light views, which assisted wonderfully in impressing upon them the importance of Chinese missionary work.

Mrs. Goforth dwelt particularly upon the old customs of the Chinese, which are now being rapidly done away with. Among these are the modes of travel, which are being superseded by railways; the old-fashioned dress and many other peculiar face characteristic of the Chinese. The custom of binding the young girls' feet is now only practised by the lower classes.

Western civilization is making rapid progress in China, and the natives are awakening to the advantages derived therefrom. The opium traffic, which has always been the curse of that nation, is now being curtailed to a great extent, and it is only a matter of time when it will be practically out of use. In speaking of opium, Mrs. Goforth related an experience she had had when travelling with a party. They went along all right until a certain hour of the day, when the Chinaman, who was pulling her cart, stopped and entered a small building. There he sat down and smoked his opium pipe and the party had to wait for two hours and a half until he had finished his smoke, and the sleep afterwards.

The Chinese possess great strength and can endure fatigure which would seem almost impossible for a human being. They also possess great intelligence once they are awakened, and drop their demoralizing and physique wrecking habits.

There never was a time when it was so important for the Christian Church to work the Chinese fields, and if neglected now the opportunity will be lost. In future the Church will have more than double the work and expense to bring the natives back if they are permitted to get the bad side of western life first.

In Honan the mission has met with great success. There are over one hundred adult members and several hundred young lady members, and all the various missions are growing equally as rapidly.

VICTORIA STATE RAILWAYS.

The railways in Victoria, Australia, are owned by the state. For a time the results were not satisfactory, but on July 1, 1903, they passed under the control of a commission of three, presided over by Mr. Tait, formerly connected with the Canadian Pacific Railway.

The commissioners present an interesting comparison of the results for the five years prior to their assuming control, and the five years for which they are responsible. The gross revenue increased by $14,007,037, with an increase in working expenses of only $3,290,625, the net revenue benefit being $11,616,412. The special expenditures and charges in liquidation of extraordinary liabilities met by the commissioners out of revenue amounted to $3,398,715 as against only $781,705 paid in the preceding period, while the interest charges and expenses only increased by $407,147. Thus instead of a deficit of $6,947,966 paid out of the consolidated revenue of the state, the commissioners aided that fund to the extent of $2,644,292. Although the traffic train mileage was diminished by 4,451,679, the passengers carried increased from 263,186,154 to 284,149,961; the tonnage of goods carried rose by 2,497,015, and the tonnage of live stock carried by 279,560—the percentage of working expenses to gross revenue at the same time falling from 59.80 to 51.68.

The above exhibit makes a strong argument in behalf of public ownership of railways; provided of course, the management of the roads is placed in the hands of a competent non-partisan commission, and in effect provides that administration as effective as private management is provided.

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PRESENTATION AT ST. ANDREW'S LADIES' AID

Mrs. Potter Given Purse of Gold—Services of Mrs. Robinson and Mrs. McClelland also Recognized.

A special meeting of the Ladies' Aid of St. Andrew's church, was held last night at the residence of the President, Mrs. F. L. Robinson, Charlotte street, to arrange for the Christmas decorations for the church. Advantage was taken of the meeting by a few of her friends, to present Mrs. Robinson with a beautiful fern in recognition of her work. A presentation was also made to Mrs. (Rev.) J. G. Potter, of a purse of gold, Mrs. A. Farlane reading the following address:—

Dear Mrs. Potter,—You fellow members of the Ladies' Aid Society of St. Andrew's church, feel that this season of peace, good will and loving remembrance would be a fitting time to signalize our appreciation of the services you have rendered the church and ourselves as humble workers in its interests, and to express the sentiments of gratitude we feel, not only at this time, but have felt day by day throughout the year, for many years. You have been a sympathetic and valuable help in the work our society is striving to carry on. Not only have your energy and interest been effective means of promoting its objects, but your example of cheerful devotion and ready help, has been an inspiration to us all. Your hospitable home has been placed at our disposal for our meetings and you have in other ways — in every way possible—been a very great help to us and our work.

In slight recognition of the services you have so freely and fruitfully given, we solicit your acceptance of this purse of gold, accompanied by what you will perhaps heed in higher regard, our best wishes and prayers, not only for a pleasant holiday season but for a long lease of happy life, to be spent, as has been done in the past, and as the Master showed the way, in doing good.

Mrs. Potter responded, expressing her appreciation of the gift and of her desire to continue assisting in the work of the Ladies' Aid, and of her desire to see the work make greater progress in the future.

A few of the friends of Mrs. C. McClelland, who were there, presented her with a beautiful mahogany tabourette, referring to her continuous interest in the work of the church.

Refreshments were served afterwards and a very enjoyable time was spent.

EX-MAYOR WRITES OF THE CITY'S FINANCES

Compares Last Year With the Present—The Overdraft Question.

The following letter received yesterday was unavoidably held over until to-day:

Peterborough, Dec. 11, 1908.

To the Editor of the Examiner,—

Dear Sir,—In the Review of the 3rd inst., there appeared a prominent news item comparing an overdraft in the city's finances on Nov. 30th of this year of $12,000, with an overdraft of $100,000 on the same date a year ago, and drawing the moral therefrom that the ratepayers evidently made no mistake in electing Mr. Rush as mayor. The article was so unfair and misleading that though seasoned to newspaper criticism, I thought it necessary to have the facts set right. I have been waiting since for the City Treasurer to complete his monthly return to the council, but in the meantime the editor has been good enough to withdraw any criticism of last year's mayor and council which might be involved. Truth, however, is always slow to catch up, and therefore I would ask you to publish the following summary of this year's finances compared with last year.

In the last Mayoralty election the chief charge made against me as mayor for 1907, was that I was extravagant and incapable in the management of the finances of the city, and the ratepayers were therefore urged to elect Mr. Rush, who was said to be a man capable of managing the finances. It is therefore doubly fair to examine the mayor's record on the financial side. I invite the ratepayers to enquire into the facts and I hope the newspapers will examine them fully and publish the results. Here are one or two for a beginning:

When Mayor Rush took office he found an overdraft of $138,423.45, made up as follows:

Sewers of 1905-6 allotted to	
City Trust Com'rs	$ 23,000 00
School Buildings	49,984 93
Permanent improvements built or completed in 1907	65,413 97
Current account	24 55
	$138,423 45

The mayor of 1907, supported by the whole council, had decided to sell very few of the debentures because of the poor rates obtainable. The new mayor adopted the plan, one could not call it a policy, of selling everything at any old price, and did sell $190,520.70 worth of debentures at the interest rate of 4 3-4 per cent. What does that mean? It means an increase of 3-4 of one per cent. on the rate at which nearly all our debentures have been sold for several years. What does that amount to? It amounts to an addition to each year's taxes for the next thirty years of $1475, or a total of over $40,000 added to the taxes of the people of this city by the financial wisdom of the present mayor. It may be said that the rate will not come down again at 4 per cent. It is down now to 4¼ per cent., and if the city had those debentures to-day they could be sold at a rate which would save $28,000 to the taxpayers compared with the rate at which they were sold in the early part of this year. I invite the mayor to justify such financing over his own signature.

Now as to the Current Account,—the expenditure of the year's taxes on the year's business. The figures above quoted show that the overdraft about which there was such a howl a year ago amounted on Dec. 31st to less than $25. But it wasn't even that. After the close of each year there are many adjustments, arrears and accounts to be settled, and the result of the auditors' examination was to show a surplus in the current accounts of 1907 amounting to $6,545.50. So that fearfully extravagant mayor left behind him the largest surplus in the last ten years.

How does the record of the present mayor compare? The statement published a day or two after being presented to the council shows a surplus in the current account of $21,140.70. Against that balance there have to be paid in December, firstly, the balances due the School Boards and the City Trust, amounting to $21,288.45, and, secondly, the usual expenses for the month, which last year, without anything abnormal, amounted to $15,053.19. That means that the expenditure directed by the present capable mayor will exceed the largest tax-bill in the history of the city by over $15,000. That means that next year there will have to be a special levy of two mills over and above the present rate to pay the deficit created by one year of Mayor Rush's management. I again ask the mayor over his own signature, to justify such financing.

In conclusion, Mr. Editor, I want to say that I am prepared to discuss the management of the city finances at any public meeting.

Yours sincerely,
R. F. McWILLIAMS.

MAYOR RUSH REPLIES TO MR. McWILLIAMS

Explains Sale of Debentures and Deals With Possible Deficit.

To the Editor of The Examiner,—

Dear Sir,—I notice in the Review of last night a letter signed by R. F. McWilliams, which demands some attention on my part, in order to correct its misleading statements, and to give a correct idea of conditions which he misrepresents.

Much is made of the alleged loss sustained by the sale of debentures. There are two points in this connection. First, these debentures could have been sold early in 1907, and should have been sold by the mayor and council of that year. They could have been disposed of at that time at a lower rate of interest and a declined saving effected. If Mr. McWilliams holds me responsible for my connection with the sale of debentures, he must take the responsibility of the neglect which resulted in loss.

Secondly, we had to sell the debentures. The bank overdraft was so large that the bank insisted that it must be reduced. The debentures had to be sold and were sold on the best possible terms at the time, and by the Finance Committee, not by the mayor. I might say that the bank overdraft at the end of 1907 would not have been nearly as large had less work been done in the line of building sewers on streets where there were no water mains, when material was at its very highest, and labour hard to procure, work being so plentiful that year.

In regard to Mr. McWilliams' alleged deficit at the close of the present year it is to be said that this amount is very greatly exaggerated. If there should be any deficit it will be due largely to justifiable reasons. It will be accounted for by the fact that the expenditures on streets and bridges was abnormally large, and defensibly large for two reasons—the people have the benefit in the improvements represented by the expenditure, and the ratepayers were given employment. During the season as many as fifteen unemployed persons visited my office in one day asking for work. Was it better to spend considerable sums of the peoples' money in charity, or to give citizens employment on work on the streets which would, at least, represent value to the taxpayers? Then there were besides other considerable expenditures for which value was received, and which add to the total of the amount chargeable to this year's expenditure, and which will go to make a deficit at the end of the year, if there should prove to be one.

Of this fact there is a considerable doubt. The estimated deficit of $15,000 of ex-Mayor McWilliams, is liable to very great reduction. There will be to set against his estimate, $13,000 of uncollected taxes, of which between $11,000 and $12,000 may be available. Other incoming amounts will offset liabilities to a sufficient extent to remove any fear of a considerable deficit, which, if any, will be of comparatively small amount.

I do not wish to argue the question—merely to state the facts as they exist. The facts seem to me to show that this year's council acted to the best of its ability in protecting the city's interests in the matter of the sale of debentures forced upon it by the urgency of the bank and the neglect of last year's council. Under the circumstances the overdraft on account of street expenditure was justified by the conditions. It was a case of either charity or work and myself and the council preferred the expenditure of money for value received.

In conclusion, I may emphasize two points: the council of 1908 disposed of, to the best advantage, debentures, which could, and should, have been sold a year before by the council of 1907, on terms which would have prevented the loss represented by the practically forced sale of this year. The large overdraft on the streets was caused by giving employment to labour which gave substantial returns, instead of paying out money in charity, which would have tended to pauperise honest and worthy citizens, resting under the disadvantage of want of employment.

I might remark that last year's council arranged with the bank for current accommodation at a rate of six per cent. for 1908. This year's council has arranged with the bank for the accommodation of 1909 at five per cent.

Yours faithfully,
M. RUSH.

LARGE NUMBER ENJOY OPENING OF THE RINK

The Brock street rink was opened for the season last night and in spite of the soft snap, there was an excellent sheet of ice for the first skate of 1908-09 season. A section of the 57th Band was in attendance and rendered enjoyable music. The attendance was surprisingly large in view of the short notice given and the evening passed very pleasantly. The rink opened a week earlier this year than last as it was on December 18th that the doors of the Brock street structure were opened to the public last season. The slight drop in temperature to-day made it possible for Caretaker Thirnbeck to sprinkle the ice this morning and there is a good sheet available for the use of the skaters to-night.

CHURCH SERVICES TO-MORROW IN THE DIFFERENT CHURCHES

ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL.—At St. Peter's Cathedral there will be three masses celebrated:—

7 a.m., Low Mass; at 8.15 a.m., Children's Mass; at 10.30 a.m., High Mass; at 7 p.m., Vespers with sermon.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH — Rev. J. C. Davidson, Rector
3rd Sunday in Advent.
8.30 a.m. Holy Communion.
11 a.m. Matins and Sermon.
Hymns 224, 49, 56, 356.
Venite, 8; Benedicite, Shaftington; Benedictus, 109.
Anthem: "In That Day." (Stainer).
3 p.m. Sunday School, Bible Classes.
7 p.m. Evensong and Sermons
Hymns 253, 51, 253, 12.
Glorias, 178; Magnificat, 344; Nunc Dimittis, 69.
Anthem: "Hark! The Glad Sound." (E. V. Hall)

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH. — Rev. Dr. Langfeldt, M. A., Rector.
3rd Sunday in Advent.
8 a.m. Holy Communion.
11 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon.
3 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Class.
7.30 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.
Rev. Dr. Langfeldt will preach at both services.

The members of St. Andrews Brotherhood are reminded of this being their day for attending Holy Communion.

Weeknight Service, Wednesday, at 8 p.m.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH.—Corner of Rubidge and Sherbrooke Streets.
Rev. H. R. Trumpour, M.A., B.D., Rector.
11 a.m. Matins and Sermon,
3rd Sunday in Advent.
2 p.m. Sunday School.
7 p.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon
The Rector will preach at both services to-morrow.

CHARLOTTE STREET METHODIST Church—Rev G W Henderson, pastor.
10 a.m. Prayer hour.
11 a.m. Subject: "Burdens."
2.30 p.m. Sunday School session. The Brotherhood. Subject of study —Solomon's Wise Choice"
7 p.m. Subject: "The Proto Martyr."
Monday, 8 p.m. Epworth League specially interesting missionary service.
Wednesday, 8 p.m. Mid-week Service for prayer and praise.
Singing led by a large men's choir.
9 p.m. Sunday School Lesson Study conducted by Pastor.
Friday, 7.30 —Regular meeting of the Boys' Guild.

MARK STREET METHODIST CHURCH. — Rev. C. H. Coon, pastor.
11 a.m. "What is Religion?"
Sunday School at 2.45.
7 p.m. Song Service.
The Pastor will conduct both services.

GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH — Rev. Edwin A. Pearson, B.A., Pastor.
Church Anniversary (usual services).
2.30 p.m. Sabbath School. The following Bible Classes will meet:
Inthon (Men's). Teacher: the Pastor.
Onward (Ladies'). Teacher: Mr. Switzer.
Welcome (Young Ladies'). Teacher: Mrs. Stubbs.
Friendly (Young Men). Teacher: Mr. Robertson.
Rev. D. O. Cressy, Whitby, will preach at both services.

ST. JAMES METHODIST — Rev. H. M. Manning, Pastor.
Regular Morning Church Service and Sunday School in the afternoon.
There will be no service at night.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH — Rev. Robt. Pogue, Pastor.
Mr Pogue will teach the "Mitto Adult Bible Class." Inspector Mowat will teach the Young Men's Class. The Guild will meet at 8.15 Sabbath evening.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH. — Presbyterian, corner of Rubidge and Brock streets, Rev. Jas. G. Potter, B.A., pastor.
Usual Services. 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
The Pastor will conduct both services.
3 p.m. Adult Bible Classes and Sabbath School.

KNOX CHURCH — Rev. M. J. Keith, B.D., M.A.
3.00 p. m. Young Men's Guild and Sunday School.

THE MURRAY STREET BAPTIST CHURCH — Rev. J. R. Webb, pastor.
Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Sunday School and Bible Classes, 2 p.m.

PARK STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. W. C. Riddiford, Pastor.
North-West Mission Sunday.
11 a.m. "The Importance of Prayer in Everyday Life."
2 p.m. Bible school and Pastor's Bible class.
7 p.m. Service of Song by Church Orchestra. Address on North-West Missions by Rev. Walter Daniels, B.A., Mr. J. C. Miller, Choir leader.
All made welcome.

BETHANY CHURCH—Regular services morning and evening, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m Bible School at 3 p.m.

GOSPEL HALL — Corner of George and Brock Streets.
The Sunday School will be held at three o'clock. Any children not attending any school are heartily welcome.

SALVATION ARMY CITADEL — 220 Simcoe street. Bell telephone 440. Staff Capt. and Mrs. Walton in charge.
7.00 a.m. Early Morning Prayer Service.
The monthly band meeting will be held to-morrow morning at 9.15 o'clock.
9.15 a.m. Bible Class
11.00 a.m. Holiness Address.
2.30 p.m. Sunday School.
3.00 p.m. Public Song and Praise Service.
7.00 p.m. Public Salvation Meeting.
The band will be in attendance at morning, afternoon and evening services and will render special music.
Wednesday evening at 8.00 p.m. private soldiers' meeting.
Public weeknight meetings at 8.00 p. m. on Monday, Thursday and Saturday. Everybody welcome.

GREAT ACTIVITY IN THE BUILDING TRADE

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Charles H. Huffman, Maitland avenue, $1600.
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J.
Jackson Park trustees, lodge at Jackson Park, $2100.
James Jackson, lumber dwelling, Maitland avenue, $1650.

K.
Martin Kylie, brick veneer dwelling, Rogers street, $1500.
James Kendry, brick veneer dwelling, Water street, $4500.

L.
Wm. Laidley, solid brick house, Stewart street, $1600.

M.
F. Montgomery, brick stables, Simcoe street, $2500.
Geo. Minorgan, solid brick house, Park street, $3000.
Thomas J. Moore, brick veneer, Margaret avenue, $1200.
George Metcalfe, brick veneer, 380 Rogers street, $1800.
M. M. Moore, brick veneer, Aylmer street, $1800.
George Minorgan, two dwelling, Park street, each $700.
Thomas J. Moore, brick veneer, Bethune street, $1900.
George Metcalfe, brick veneer, 388 Rogers street, $1800.
Mc.
H. McMillan, brick veneered house, Rogers street, $2000.
H. J. McCannan, solid brick, lot 2, plan 17, $1800.
James E. McIlmoyle, brick veneer, Sherbrooke street, $3000.
Malcolm McIntyre, brick veneer, Mark street, $1800.
Thomas McGarrity, lumber dwelling, Concession street, $540.
H. J. McCannan, brick veneer, Reid street, $1010.
James E. McIlmoyle, brick veneer, Pearl avenue, $2000.
W. A. McIlmoyle, brick veneer, Aylmer street, $2200.

N.
H. Neill, ice house, Burnham street, $1000.

O.
James O'Donnell, lumber dwelling, Smith street, $900.

P.
Peterborough Furniture Factory, Hunter street east, brick factory, $2000.
Peterborough Curling Club, solid brick rink, Charlotte street, $8500.
Peterborough Cereal Co., repairs factory, Simcoe street, $5000.
Park street Baptist Church, new church Park street, $7000.
B. Paquette, 4 brick veneer houses, Patterson street, each $700.
M. Pappas, moving picture theatre, George street, $2800.
E. G. Patterson, solid brick dwelling, Hunter street, $6700.
Mrs. D. W. Porter, brick veneer, Aylmer street, $1200.
Joseph Peacock, brick veneer, Sherbrooke street, $1000.

R.
C. Rutherford, brick veneered house, London street, $3000.
W. H. Robertson, addition to building, Hunter street, $2400.
W. E. Rogers, brick veneer, Maitland avenue, $1700.
N. Routley, solid brick, 502 Brock street, $1800.
Harry Rose, solid brick, Sherbrooke street, $1000.
Thomas A. Rehill, Bethune street, $1500.
J. Z. Rogers, 3 dwellings, Sherbrooke street, each $1000.

S.
Mrs. J. C. Sims, brick veneered house, plan 18, east George street, $1700.
Mrs. W. Shevlin, solid brick house, 231 King street, $3000.
St. John's church, solid brick, Brock street, $6500.
Walter Stocker, solid brick house, Weller street, $2500.
St. James Methodist church, new church, Aylmer street, $11,000.
George Shearer, brick veneer, Maitland avenue, $1700.
Robert Shearer, brick veneer, George street, $2400.

T.
Toronto Savings and Loan Company, brick veneered house, Park street, $1900.
John Taylor, solid brick, Hunter street, $1600.
William Taylor, cement blocks, Aberdeen avenue, $1850.
William Taylor, cement blocks Aylmer street, $2150.
William Taylor, cement blocks, Aylmer street, $1900.

V.
Reynolds Vintel, lumber dwelling, Rubidge street, $800.
H. Vance, brick veneer, Aylmer street, $1000.

W.
Abner Windsor, lumber house, Dufferin street, $550.
Mrs. Catharine Walker, brick veneer, Elm street, $1400.
A. J. Warne, two brick veneer houses, Wolseley street, each $1800.

DELIGHTFUL TIME AT THE "HOT-GUTS" DANCE

A most enjoyable function was the fancy dress dance under the auspices of Miss Pearl Lundy's dancing classes at the Conservatory of Music last night. Some fifty couples were present, and some beautiful costumes were worn, the effect being wholly charming. Delightful music was provided by Miss Gladman, whose work at the piano left nothing to be desired. The prize for the best ladies' costume was won by Miss Pretty while the gentleman's prize went to Mr. Jack Barstone. The patronesses of the affair were Mrs. Arthur Stevenson, Mrs. A H Stratton, Mrs. W H Bill, Mrs. Gliddon, Mrs. Palmer, and Mrs. G W Fastlen.

The dance broke up at 12 o'clock after a most enjoyable evening.

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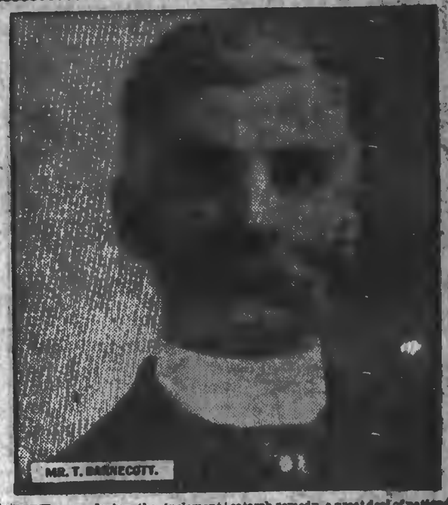
MR. T. BARNECOTT.

EVERY year, during the inclement weather of winter, there is an epidemic of la grippe. The disease is really catarrhal in nature, but from the form it assumes, has been commonly termed the "grip."

Splendid Remedy for La Grippe.

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We always enjoy the lion's share of the Gift Glove trade. That's because people are especially careful that the Gloves they buy to give should be the best. They know the Hall Store is the surest to have that kind only.

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Charming Belts

Perhaps a Belt would solve one or two gift problems. At least do not say 'no', until you have seen the pretty ones we are showing.

DIRECTOIRE BELTS—Made of Black Satin in folded effect trimmed with Black Silk and Satin Ornaments and Directoire Sash and Tassels, each **3.00**

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SILK DIRECTOIRE BELT—Made with shirred girdle and soft drapery sash in colours of Green with Black ornaments, Navy with Black and in all Black, **1.50**

GIBSON BELT—Made of folded Taffeta Silk with Gibson point, finished with two Silk Bows of self, in colours of Sky, Navy White, Black and Green, each ..... **.75**

Dress Goods

Full assortments of new Dress Fabrics, showing fashion's latest designs and shades---rich in charming novelties and including all the favorite staple weaves--have been gathered for the Holiday trade. Dress patterns are most excellent and we price them among the least expensive of gifts.

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BLACK SKIRT—Made of French Voile with pleated front and gored sides and three stitched satin bands put on in a tunic effect, price..... **8.00**

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You could think of no more lasting gift than something to add to the attractiveness of the home. If the suggestion strikes you favourably and you wish to be sure of buying Homefurnishings of first class quality, new this season and of correct style, and which is the fullest value for the price you pay---Come here for them.

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Probably the most delightful concert that has ever been given at St. Peter's School Assembly Hall was presented by the pupils of the Separate Schools last evening. The entertainment was a succession of delightful surprises from the opening chorus—"The Land of the Maple" — of one hundred boys' voices to the equally fine "Good Night" song. As each number was presented the children seemed to improve although the initial numbers were as well rendered as the last. The fact was that the ensembles grew prettier and the songs more effective as the programme unrolled itself with the result that the interest grew apace until the echo of the last note died away.

A Large Attendance

One of the features of the evening was the large attendance. Standing room even, was at a premium, and many were turned away. Without going into the details of each number, for one was as well executed as any of the others, the singing of the children was particularly fine and the nuns and teachers who have trained them had excellent material to work with, judging by the finished work in the choruses and drills. The costumes, stage settings and in fact every detail was excellent in taste and design and greatly enhanced the production of the various numbers. While the children accepted their parts in a most creditable manner, the greatest credit is due the Sisters of St. Joseph for the grand success of their efforts. The patience required to train so many little ones must have been equalled only by the inventiveness that was evident through the entire programme, which was as follows:—

Part I.

Boys' Chorus, "The Land of the Maple"—One Hundred Voices.
Instrumental Duet, "Tancredi," Rossini—Misses H Pearce and L Hatrick.
Song and Drill—Six Little Maids from Timbuctoo.
Sword Drill—Vatican Guards.
Action Song—Little Brownies.
Operetta—A Peaceful Assault.

Part II.

Instrumental Duet, "In Festal Array," Englemann—Misses K O'Brien and H Giroux.
Boys' Chorus—Merry Sailor Lads.
Sword Dance—Master E O'Shea.
Sunbonnet Drill—Sixteen Girls.
Song, "A Boy's Wealth"—Masters J Clancy and F Galvin.
Cantata—A Christmas Idyll.
Chorus—Good Night.
Accompanists—Misses A Sullivan, H Giroux, M Gorman.

Compliments of the Bishop

Of the special numbers the sword dance by Master O'Shea was cleverly performed and well merited the generous encore which it was accorded. He responded by dancing the Highland Fling. Particular mention is deserving Mr. V McCabe and Master E Tooley, who took leading parts in the Operetta. At the conclusion, His Lordship Bishop O'Connor, who was present, together with Mayor Rush and Rev. Father McColl, made a short speech commending the pupils and the Sisters on the very enjoyable evening which they had provided. Rev. Father McColl who suggested the concert was one of the most interested among the audience and was delighted with the manner in which the pupils acquitted themselves. The proceeds were for the library at the St. Peter's School.

What more appropriate Christmas present than 5 lbs., 10 lbs., 30 lbs. or 50 lbs. of "Salada" Tea in original cases? You can purchase this from your grocer in "Brown" Label at 30c. per lb., or "Blue" Label at 40c. per lb., or the very finest quality in "Gold" Label at 60c. per lb. Your gift will be appreciated three times a day as long as it lasts. 12, 15, 19

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TO SPEND CHRISTMAS IN ENGLAND

Peterborough People Who are Now on the Sea Returning Home.

Among those who have left Peterborough for the Old Country, where they will spend Christmas and probably remain for some time, are Messrs. A. E. Doughty, F. Chadwick, Geo. Griffiths and R. Farthing. They are now on the Atlantic, having left Montreal yesterday on the C. P. R. liner "Empress of Britain." Those who sailed from Montreal on the Allan liner "Grampian," from Peterborough, were Messrs. T. Collins and John King.

UNHAPPINESS DISPELLED.

Men and Women Unanimous About It.

Many women weep and wail and refuse to be comforted because their once magnificent tresses have become thin and faded. Many men incline to profanity because the flies bite through the thin thatch on their craniums. It will be good news to the miserable of both sexes, to learn that Newbro's Herpicide has been placed upon the market. This is the new scalp germicide and antiseptic that acts by destroying the germ or microbe that is the underlying cause of all hair destruction. Herpicide is a new preparation, made after a new formula on an entirely new principle. Anyone who has tried it will testify as it its worth. Try it yourself and be convinced. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. McDermid & Jury and Payne Drug Stores, Special Agents.

NOMINATION OF OFFICERS FOR CHOSEN FRIENDS ORDER

W. Payton, C.C.—The Elections Come Later.

At a largely attended meeting held last night, of the local branch of the Canadian Order of Chosen Friends the annual nomination of officers took place. The nominations were as follows:

P. C. C.—Friend Dr. Marshall.
C. C.—Friend W. Payton.
V. C.—Friend Miss Doxsee.
Recorder—Friend Mrs. A. Gibbs.
Treasurer—Friend A. Hanna.
Prelate—Friend Miss E. Marshall.
Marshal—Friend J. Brownlee.
Warden—Friend Miss Doughty.
Guard—Friend Elliott.
Secretary—Friend R. F. Ivory.
Pianist—Friend Miss Peters.
Auditors—Friends Dr. Marshall and Friend Mrs. A. Gibbs.
Trustees—Friends W. H. Habel, Jos. Thomas and Dr. Marshall.
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—Piano tuning promptly attended to. Satisfaction guaranteed. A. F. Hoover, 232 McDonel street. 'Phones —Bell 190k, Machine 190.

Carpenters Union No. 672

—Regular meeting Monday evening December 14th, in Simcoe street hall. All members requested to attend. By order, J. Wylie, Secretary. 2d111

Entertained Brotherhood

—The members of the Brotherhood of Charlotte street Methodist church spent a most delightful time the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lane at the corner of Simcoe and Reid streets, on Thursday evening.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

—The change of season affects pianos as well as everything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano-maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Winter Term

—It will pay any ambitious young person to read on page one, the new advertisement of the old established Commercial School, located in the city of Peterborough. The winter term opens January 4th. 6d108

Applying for Letters

—The Trusts and Guarantee Company, Limited, Toronto, are applying for letters of administration of the estate of the late John Glentield, of the city of Toronto, in the county of York. The estate consists of cash in bank.

Woodmen's Notice

—The members of Sherwood Forest Camp, No. 50. W.O.W., are requested to attend the regular meeting on Monday evening, December 14th, at eight o'clock. Election of officers and other important business. 2d-111

A Night on the Firing Line

—The Charlotte street Epworth League have arranged for a sharpshooting contest on Monday evening next. Lantern views of a number of missionaries and their work will be shown. Everybody is welcome.

Gospel Hall

—Evangelist John Gilchrist will hold a week's meeting in Gospel Hall, corner of George and Brock streets, commencing Sunday night, Dec. 13th. Subject for Sunday night is, "The Three R's of the Bible." The Gospel Male Trio will sing. A profitable time is confidently expected. All are invited.

Meetings Begin Again

—Owing to alterations at the Crystal the weekly meetings of the Gospel Temperance Union on Sunday evenings at 8.30 o'clock, have been discontinued during the last two weeks. They will be resumed to-morrow evening, when the usual large attendances are looked for.

Flower Show at Cobb's Grenhouse

—Somebody is choosing flowers for you. We have plenty for all gift givers. Flouring plants, palms and ferns in good variety. Fresh cut bloom for bouquets. Fine collection of begonias, azaleas, cyclamens, carnations, primroses and geraniums; also wedding bouquets and table decorations. Order early. Greenhouses open till 10 o'clock every evening. Jos. H. Cobb, 551 Aylmer street. 'Phone 132. 2d102

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CHRISTMAS NEAR

We mention a few of the Xmas necessities which we now have in stock. Table Raisins, Pulled Figs, Fresh Figs, Fresh Shelled Nuts, Golden Dates, Grape Fruit, California, Florida and Mexican Oranges, and the very best new Nuts. Also "Sealshipt" Oysters. S. A. OKE 376 George St.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

THE EXAMINER welcomes all Items of Interest for this column. Phone 234 or send post card with name and address.

Mrs. Peter Campbell is spending a visit at Petrolia.

Mrs Crawford, of Brockville, is visiting Mrs. (Hon.) R. Hamilton, Auburn.

Mrs. Foths, of Muskoka, is visiting her brother, Mr. W. S. Clarke, of East City.

Mr Robert Hamilton, of Renfrew, was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. (Hon.) R. Hamilton, Auburn.

Miss M. G. Pearce has returned to the city, after an extended visit to Edmonton and the west.

Mr. P L Grant who has been travelling with a theatrical company for some time, has returned to the city.

Rev. Mr. McLean, formerly of Shanty Bay, has been appointed rector of the Church of England in Colborne.

Mrs. Aaron A. Cox, of Toronto, is spending a few days in the city, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Pearce, Welton street.

Make a man out of your boy by giving him a Y.M.C.A. membership ticket for a Christmas Present.

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GUESSING CONTESTS ARE ARRANGED FOR THE A.Y.P.A. MEETING

For Monday evening the A. Y. P. A., of St. John's Church, have arranged a social literary evening, which promises to be very entertaining. Three interesting guessing contests will be held, including the matching of quotations, book titles and magazine advertisements. Prizes will be presented to the winners. The public is invited to attend and a large attendance is expected.

LOCAL MUSICIANS AT HASTINGS

Violinist and Pianist Contribute to Presbyterian Church Concert

Examiner Special.

Hastings, Dec. 12.—The elite in musical circles in Hastings village assembled last night at the Town Hall, on the occasion of the presentation of a most delightful concert, under the auspices of the Presbyterian Church. The large attendance and the success of the function was very gratifying to those in charge. Every number was warmly received by the audience. Among those who contributed were Miss Julia Choate, violinliste, and Miss Fife, pianist both of Peterborough. Miss Choate, who is a member of the teaching staff of the Peterborough Conservatory of Music, and who has a large class here, was given a flattering reception. The chief charms of the music of the violin were splendidly illustrated, and her selections during the evening were, judging from the manner in which they were received, greatly appreciated.

The piano numbers by Miss Fife were played with a daintiness of expression, which captivated her audience and made her presence on the programme very pleasing.

Miss Jessie Anderson, a talented local pianist and vocal soloist, acquitted herself admirably, as well as did Miss Fraser in the vocal selections. Mr. Chas. Plant's recitation and solo in costume, and contributions by the Male Quartette were other enjoyable numbers. Mr. Melvin Pelton, the possessor of a fine baritone voice, sang a solo which was also much appreciated. The singing of the National Anthem closed the delightful concert.

NASSAU ORANGEMEN ELECT THEIR OFFICERS

Mr. Robt. Bolton the Master—Regular Meeting Held.

At a regular meeting of Wellington L. O. L., No. 457, held on December 7th, the following officers were duly elected:—

W.M.: Bro. Robt. Bolton.
D.M.: Bro. Wm. King.
Chaplain: Bro. John Briggs.
Rec. Sec.: Bro. Robt. Campbell.
Fin. Sec.: Bro. Wm. Lockington.
Treas.: Bro. David Hamilton.
D. of C.: Bro. Robt. Robson.
Lecturer: Bro. Frank Lockington.
2nd Lecturer: Bro. Wm. J. Robson.
1st Committeeman: Bro. John Newall.
2nd: Bro. Wm. Lillie.
3rd: Bro. Samuel Thompson.
4th: Bro. John Robson.
5th: Bro. A. Blade.

OBITUARY.

MRS. JULIAN DINGMAN

The death occurred last night of Margaret Butler, wife of Mr. Julian Dingman after an illness that was first noticed last March. The deceased passed away at her home, 252 Woodbine avenue, shortly after eight o'clock. She leaves her husband and one daughter, aged twelve years. She is also survived by three brothers, John, James and Pierce, all of whom reside in the city. The funeral will be held on Monday morning at nine o'clock from the family residence to St. Peter's Cathedral and thence to St. Peter's Cemetery.

Beautiful Ebony Goods

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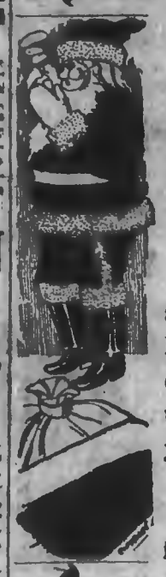

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Ladies' Skating Sweaters at 1.50 and 2.50— We are showing a splendid range of Ladies' Skating and Tobogganing Sweaters, open at the shoulder, and open front, colours, white, cardinal, white with sky, collar and cuffs white with cardinal collar and cuffs with Toques, Sashes and Mitts to match. These are useful and inexpensive Xmas Gifts.

Children's Sweaters at 1.00 to 1.50— Our range of Children's Sweaters, Norfolk Coats, is most complete, all colours and styles with long Mitts, Toques and Sashes to match. Special values for Xmas Mits.

Wool Toques at 25c, 35c 50c.— Our stock of this popular headwear for Ladies, Boys and Girls is now complete in all the newest colour combinations, plain and honey comb effects, made of fine quality wool, special values

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DAY OF CARNAGE IN THE STATES

U. S. Runs Riot With Deliberate Acts of Violence.

WHITE SHOOTS 7 NEGROES

Memphis Man Walks Into Saloon and as Result Three Blacks Are Dead—Fanatic Terrorizes New Jersey Town—Another Adamite Victim Is Dead—Three Ruffians Perpetrate Outrage on Family.

Memphis, Tenn., Dec. 12.—"I shot 'em and that's all there is to it." Beyond this, mumbled as he was being led to a cell at police headquarters, William Laturas, a white man of this city, proffered no explanation of the killing of three negroes and the wounding of four others, one a woman, at a saloon here yesterday.

When Laturas entered the saloon a group of negroes were about a pool table in a rear room. Laturas leisurely unbuttoned a long overcoat he wore and drew an automatic pistol and shot down his victims.

His weapon empty, Laturas threw it in an ash can and walked to a neighboring saloon, where he submitted to arrest.

Laturas several years ago shot and killed a white man, but was released on the ground of self-defence. Several years ago a negro met death at his hands, and he was again acquitted on a plea of self-defence. Recently he forced several men, at the point of a pistol, it is declared, to return money won in a game of chance.

Another Victim Dies.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 12.—A. J. Selsor, a bystander, injured in the fight between religious fanatics and the police on Tuesday afternoon, died early yesterday morning. This brings the death list to five.

James Sharp, self-styled "Adam God," who led the fanatics in their fight, was arrested Thursday night at Monticello, Kansas. He made no resistance.

"Honestly, captain," he said to an officer, "I believed that we were doing right and that it was God's will. When the bullets commenced to hit me, then I had a revelation. I am glad to be back and as willing to stand for anything that God wills. Oh, it is terrible, terrible."

Sharp told the police he tried to kill himself immediately after the fight, but could not get the cartridges into the revolver.

Holds Up Town.

Edgewater, N.J., Dec. 12.—Shouting that he was "John the Baptist come to save the world," an aged insane man held this town in terror for nearly an hour yesterday afternoon. He rushed down the main street, waving a revolver and held up half a dozen citizens, robbed the tills of three business establishments, stole a team of horses, and exchanged many shots with a hastily formed posse. His wild career was temporarily checked when he was bowled over by shots fired by members of the posse after a chase of more than half a mile.

A Dastardly Crime.

Cartersville, Ga., Dec. 12.—That a band of ruffians entered the home of J. A. Gibson three miles from Cartersville, Saturday night, and perpetrated a series of dastardly outrages upon the members of that family, including the shooting of Mrs. Gibson and criminal assault upon Lizzie Hardy, a sixteen-year-old girl, is the substance of charges contained in warrants just issued for three well-known young white men of this county.

The "Code" in Mississippi.

Hazelhurst, Miss., Dec. 12.—Dr. A. S. Pitts, prominent physician, was shot and killed at his office here by Dr. Thomas Birdsong, a dentist. Dr. Birdsong is a brother-in-law of Mrs. Annie Birdsong, convicted two years ago for the killing of Dr. Butler at Monticello and pardoned.

Homer Smith was arrested as an accessory. It is alleged that Smith lent Dr. Birdsong a pistol with full knowledge that Dr. Birdsong intended to kill Dr. Pitts.

A Powder "Combine."

Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 12.—World-wide agreements as to prices of all the powder companies in the United States and Europe was presented at the federal hearing before Special Master Mahafey here.

It provided for a $150,000 fine for any breach of the agreement.

Ex-Chief of Police Accused.

Brockville, Dec. 12.—George Brown, for many years chief of police at Athens, is lodged in jail here, having been committed by Magistrate Samuel Boddy on a charge of indecent assault on Emma Scott, aged 35 years. He is 65 years of age.

New Member For Cabinet.

Regina, Dec. 12.—Arch. P. McNab, M.P.P., of Saskatoon City, was sworn in as municipal commissioner and a member of the Saskatchewan executive. It is stated that after the session he will take over the portfolio of Public Works.

Hotelman Fined.

Drayton, Dec. 12.—Joseph Coote, proprietor of the Glen Allan Hotel, was yesterday fined $40 for having liquor on his premises. This is a local option town. It was Coots' second offence. He will appeal.

Year Wasn't Enough.

Chatham, Dec. 12.—A. Wolven was sentenced to one year in the Central Prison for attempted indecent assault. Wolven thanked the judge sincerely and said he wished it were more.

Civic Investigation.

Port Arthur, Dec. 12.—The investigation into the charges of malfeasance by municipal officers ordered by the City Council will commence Monday before Judge O'Leary.

The chief charges at present are connected with the purchase and sale of street railway material.

HOW MRS. CLARK FOUND RELIEF

After Years of Suffering Dodd's Kidney Pills Cured Her.

Pleasant Point Matron Tells Her Suffering Sisters How to be Free From the Terrible Pains that Make a Life Burden.

Pleasant Point, Ont., Dec. 11.—(Special)—That most of the ills that the suffering women of Canada have to bear are due to disordered kidneys, and that the natural cure for them is Dodd's Kidney Pills, is once more shown in the case of Mrs. Merril C. Clarke, a well known resident of this place and a prominent member of the Salvation Army. Mrs. Clarke is always ready to give her experience for the benefit of her suffering sisters.

"My sickness commenced twenty years ago with the change of life," says Mrs. Clarke. "My health was in a bad state. Water would run from my head which would make me faint. When I came out of the fainting spell I took fits. I was bloated till I was clumsy. The pain I suffered was awful. It would go to my feet and then to my head. Many doctors attended me, and I tried many medicines, but nothing gave me relief till I used Dodd's Kidney Pills. The first box stopped the fits and seven boxes cured me completely."

Every suffering woman should use Dodd's Kidney Pills. They make strong healthy kidneys, and the woman who has good kidneys is safeguarded against those terrible pains that make miserable the lives of so many women.

TO TAP SILVER COUNTRY.

Canadian Northern Prepared to Extend to Gowganda.

Toronto, Dec. 12.—The Canadian Northern Railway is prepared to extend its line from Sudbury to Sellwood, on to Gowganda, the new silver field, if a measure of co-operation can be arranged with the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway.

The proposal is that the C. N. R. complete their line from Sudbury to Gowganda, which would provide a direct service of about 14 hours to Toronto. The C. N. R. is built and in operation north of Sudbury, on which is located the famous Hutton iron range.

From Sellwood the line is under construction to Burwash, 20 miles further north. This leaves only 32 miles of projected line to connect Gowganda direct with the capital of Ontario.

Meanwhile the T. & N. O. has been surveyed from Charlton to Elk City, and the commissions have had a line through this district and the Gowganda country to Sudbury for some time past.

The Canadian Northern stands ready to give the Government line access from Cochrane at Charlton to Sudbury in return for running rights over the Government system between those points.

PROTECTION INADEQUATE.

Coroner's Jurors on Miller Accident Roasts M. C. R.

Dunnville, Dec. 12.—"That Mrs. Edith Miller and Burton Lloyd Miller came to their death by being struck by Michigan Central Railway train No. 31, at 9.45 a.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 8; that the devices for warning persons of the approach of trains at level crossing are inadequate; that the crossing referred to is particularly dangerous and the jury recommend that the electric alarms be placed at each dangerous crossing, and also that the approach to this particular crossing should be tiled and filled in from fence to fence."

This was the verdict of the coroner's jury in the inquest yesterday into the double fatality last Tuesday at Dilts road crossing of the M.C.R.

Engineer Johnson swore positively he whistled for the crossing, but none of the other witnesses heard either the whistle or the bell, though they would not swear no signals were given.

BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

The Huron & Ontario Railway is asking Parliament for an extension of time for beginning construction.

The Bank of Vancouver is asking at Ottawa for an extension of time of commencing business to two years from April last.

W. H. Bradshaw of Tyendinaga, near Belleville, accused of setting fire to his uncle's barn, was acquitted by the jury yesterday.

Governor to Study Farming.

Urbana, Ills., Dec. 12.—Governor Charles S. Deneen is to become a student of the Agricultural College at the University of Illinois. He will attend the state school during the short course which begins in January and will seek special instruction, it is said, in cattle and corn judging. The decision of the chief executive officer of the state to become a scientific farmer is the result of his attendance at the recent Illinois corn show in Springfield.

Fire Companies Had Bad Year.

London, Dec. 12.—(C. A. P.)—The Canadian Associated Press understands that the experience during 1908 of such companies as transact fire business in Canada is more than likely to prove unfavorable, as the losses are very considerably in excess of the corresponding period of 1907. A sequence of good years had been looked for to make amends for the disastrous experience of 1906.

A Shame to Jail Him.

St. Catharines, Dec. 12.—"It's a shame to send him to prison," said Judge Carman in acquitting 12-year-old James Schram of chicken-stealing. Schram and John Doyle had pleaded guilty and the latter had implicated Schram's father. Doyle will be sentenced Monday. Young Schram will be given a guardian.

A BULLET FROM SON'S REVOLVER

Judge Jean Blanchet of Quebec Commits Suicide.

HAD BEEN IN ILL-HEALTH

One of the Most Eminent Members of the Bench in Lower Province in Fit of Despondency Kills Himself With Revolver Borrowed From His Son—Game of Old Family Famous in Quebec Annals.

Quebec, Dec. 12.—Hon. Judge Jean G. P. Blanchet, judge of the King's Bench, and an eminent jurist, committed suicide at his residence, St. Genevieve street, Thursday night or early Friday morning by shooting himself through the heart with a forty-two-calibre revolver. The cause of his rash act can only be attributed to a sudden fit of despondency brought on by ill-health.

Deceased recently came from Montreal, where he left his wife and family to reside for the winter, and spent Thursday evening at his residence with his sister-in-law, Mrs. Florence Bayard, and daughter, Mrs. Norman Orilvie, and appeared in good spirits. Yesterday morning one of the house servants entered the bedroom to learn if deceased required any attendance, and when she realized what had happened she aroused the household, and the family physician was sent for, who arrived in time to see life ebb away.

The late Hon. Jean Gerrais Protais Blanchet was a member of a family many of whom have greatly distinguished themselves in professional and public life. Two of his uncles, the late Bishop Francois Nobert Blanchet and Augustin Magloire Blanchet, were among the pioneers of evangelization on the Pacific coast. A son of the late C. Blanchet, N.P., of St. Francois, Beance, the deceased was born at St. Gervais in February, 1843, and was educated at Nicolet College, subsequently entering Laval University to pursue his law studies, and was called to the Bar in 1863. He practiced throughout at the Quebec Bar, was created a Q.C. by the Quebec Government in 1876, and had the same honor conferred upon him by the Marquis of Lorne in 1880. He was elected Batonnier of the Quebec section of the Bar in 1888, and Batonnier-General of the province in 1891. A Conservative in political life, he sat in that interest for Beance in the Quebec Assembly continuously from the date of his first election in November, 1891, up to his appointment to the Bench on Sept. 19, 1891. He held the office of Provincial Secretary in both the Mousseau and Ross Administrations, and was leader of the Conservative Opposition to Mr. Mercier in 1890-91.

Morgan's Fast Ride.

New York, Dec. 12.—After having predicted in Chicago that "any man who is a bear on the future of this country, will go broke," J. P. Morgan returned to New York Thursday evening after a remarkable trip on a special train over the N. Y. C. The journey was made in 17 hours and 1 minute, one hour faster than the Twentieth Century Limited.

The special made 58 to 60 miles an hour for the entire distance, with six stops to change locomotives.

The trip cost the financier $100 an hour.

There was only one other passenger, W. C. Brown, senior vice-president of the New York Central Railroad.

Free Trade With Philippines.

Washington, Dec. 12.—Free trade with the Philippines was one of the most important matters argued by President-elect Taft and the Republican members of the ways and means committee at Thursday's conference on tariff revision. While Mr. Taft favors free trade with the insular possessions without any restrictions, it is understood that in order that there shall be no dissension he has agreed that the amount of sugar and tobacco which should be allowed entry free of duty should be restricted.

S. R. Heakes Resigns.

Cobalt, Dec. 12.—S. R. Heakes has resigned his position as superintendent of the Nova Scotia and Peterson Lake Mines.

Mr. Heakes is responsible for the efficient mining done at the Nova Scotia, Peterson Lake and Kerr Lake mines. In the future his attention will be confined to managing the Kerr Lake property, which has developed into a large proposition and commands his undivided attention.

Ask For Incorporation.

Ottawa, Dec. 12.—Companies applying for incorporation are the Prudential Trusts Co., Limited, and the Royal Casualty & Surety Co. of Canada. The chief place of business of the Star Iron Co. has been changed, and is now re-established in Montreal.

Tax on Autos.

Windsor, Dec. 12.—Essex County Council passed a resolution to memorialise the Legislature to authorise counties to collect reasonable compensation for the use of highways by autos owned or operated by non-residents.

Kilties For Ottawa.

Ottawa, Dec. 12.—Arrangements are nearing completion for the formation of a Highland regiment in Ottawa. There is a nucleus in a pipe band, which has been brought to a high state of perfection by Pipe Major Saunders.

Not Guilty of Arson.

Cornwall, Dec. 12.—W. F. McBean of Bainsville, accused of setting fire to buildings on a farm which at one time belong to him, but which he had conveyed to his son under a mortgage, was found not guilty by a jury.

All Night Sittings.

London, Dec. 12.—The House of Commons has begun all night sittings for the purpose of clearing up business before the Christmas holidays.

ARE PLANNING CHEAPER CABLE RATES

London Meeting Discusses Government-Owned Lines.

SCHEME IS NOT SOCIALISM

Sir Edward Sassoon Rights Misunderstanding and Declares That Proposed Purchase of Ocean Lines Is Pure Imperialism — Messrs. Fisher, Fielding and Borden Were Present at Gathering.

London, Dec. 12.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—An influential meeting was held in the Mansion House (the chairman being Lord Mayor Truscott), in support of the movement in favor of state-owned cables and cheaper rates.

Those present were: The Duke of Argyle, Lords Strathcona, Milner, Jersey, Hon. Messrs. Fisher, Borden and Fielding, Sir E. Sassoon and the agents-general of most of the colonies, a number of M.P.'s and the city business men.

There was some objection to state-owned cables expressed in the word Socialism, but Sir Edward Sassoon emphasized the difference between Socialism and Imperialism.

He was more particularly concerned with a state-owned cable service across the Atlantic. It was the logical sequence of the establishment of a Pacific cable. This one step would be of incalculable importance; it was a feasible scheme, one that could be worked on a paying basis.

Figures showed the Pacific cable was not worked at an annual loss each year. There had been an excess of earnings over expenditure ranging from $125,000 to $28,000, which was regularly employed in paying off the orriginal capital expenditure.

The 20th century was Canada's. Was it not a wise policy to give cheap telegraphic communication to both countries (Cheers.)

He welcomed the help given by the United States, but as this great reform is to be achieved at no distant future, he claimed that Britain and her premier colony should lead and not follow. A state-owned cable across the Atlantic would immediately lower the charges 50 per cent. It is believed there would eventually be a uniform charge not exceeding ten cents a word.

It would immediately bring charges on messages between England, New Zealand and Australia to half or less the present exorbitant rates. It would be a harbinger of a pan-Britannic cable and telegraph system encircling the globe.

"Can that be accomplished? I think it can, and I believe it will; I have searched in vain for the word impossible in the latest edition of the English dictionary."

Hon. Mr. Fielding also spoke earnestly in favor of a cheap system on imperial grounds. Resolutions in support of the movement and calling on the Government to convene a conference, were carried. Mr. Asquith was also requested to receive a deputation of business men.

Has Stolen Bonds.

Ottawa, Dec. 12.—Information has been received by the Dominion police from the Belgian authorities, warning Canadian bankers and brokers to look out for Elysabeth Herreboudt, 35 years old, described as the wife of Count D'Ivy, sister of a receiver of stolen bonds, who left Brussels with a package of bonds valued at 700,000 francs, stolen in Europe, with the intention of selling them in Montreal. She landed in New York and then proceeded to Montreal, from which place she has herself cabled by the several false names. Her father, Joseph Vincent Herreboudt, is supposed to reside in Montreal or Quebec, as well as her brother Jean, who is also suspected as a receiver of stolen bonds.

New Cabinet in P. E. I.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Dec. 12.—The Hassard Liberal Government was reconstructed yesterday, as follows:

Premier and Attorney-General, Hon. F. L. Hassard; Provincial Secretary and Commissioner of Agriculture, Hon. John Richards; Commissioner of Public Works, Hon. J. H. Commiskey, and, without portfolio, Messrs. George E. Hughes, Benj. Gallant, John McMillan, J. D. McInnes, Capt. Joseph Read and Capt. McDonald; Speaker, Matthew Smith.

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30c, 35c and 40c Veilings, for ..... .22

All accounts due this firm are required to be paid before January 1st, 1909.

BANK OF OTTAWA

At the 34th Annual Meeting of the Shareholders, the following statements were submitted:—

Profit and loss account credit balance brought forward $239,252.56
Net profits for the year ended 30th November, 1908, after deducting expenses of management and making necessary provision for interest due to depositors, unearned interest on current loans and for all bad and doubtful debts and contingencies 459,878.68
$797,713.24

Appropriated as follows:—
Dividend at 10 p.c. per annum, paid quarterly $320,000.00
In reduction of bank premises and furniture 50,000.00
Transferred to Officers' Pension Fund 5,000.00
375,000.00
Balance of undivided profits carried forward 422,713.24
$797,713.24

General Statement as on the 30th November

LIABILITIES

	1908	1907
Notes in circulation	$ 6,243,065.00	$ 3,298,939.00
Deposits bearing interest	$19,484,532.47	$20,666,127.00
Deposits not bearing interest	3,493,946.42	3,670,223.74
	22,978,709.89	24,336,414.74
Deposits made by and balances due to other Banks in Canada		5,000.00
Balances due to Banks elsewhere than in Canada or the United Kingdom		84,450.00
Capital (fully paid)	3,000,000.00	3,000,000.00
Rest	3,000,000.00	3,000,000.00
Dividends unpaid	75,147.50	75,302.50
Reserved for interest and rebate on discounts	119,700.00	96,000.00
Balance of profit and loss account carried forward	337,322.43	422,713.24
	$32,353,934.97	$33,524,291.98

ASSETS

Specie	$ 756,814.19	775,776.53
Dominion Notes	1,700,000.76	2,411,370.26
Deposit with Government for security of note circulation	150,000.00	150,000.00
Notes of and cheques on other banks	861,714.42	788,670.71
Balances due from other Banks in and out of Canada	1,483,332.58	2,677,000.20
Dominion, British and Provincial Government securities and other bonds	2,802,265.70	2,451,782.76
Call and short loans on stocks and bonds in Canada	726,230.35	5,465,909.35 / 537,529.22 / 11,606,323.00
Current Loans		20,799,290.50
Overdue debts (estimated loss provided for)		93,813.70 / 93,200.00
Real Estate, other than Bank Premises		76,063.45 / 76,010.00
Mortgages on Real Estate sold by the Bank		25,338.20 / 25,338.20
Bank Premises		600,000.00 / 600,000.00
Other assets not included under foregoing heads		5,063.71 / 5,000.00
		$32,353,934.97 / $33,524,291.98

Mr. George Hay, having announced his desire to retire from the presidency, a resolution was unanimously passed, thanking him for his long and faithful services as Director, Vice-President and President. The former Directors were re-elected, and at a meeting of the new Board, Mr. David Maclaren was elected President, and the Hon. George Bryson, Vice-President for the ensuing year.

GEORGE BURN,
General Manager.

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THE EXAMINER'S SPORTING PAGE

RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

PETERBOROUGH HOCKEY CLUB WAS RE-ORGANIZED AT MOST ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING HELD LAST EVENING; TWO O. H. A. TEAMS ARE TO REPRESENT THE CITY

A junior and an intermediate O. H. A. team for Peterborough. That was the verdict reached at an enthusiastic gathering of hockey supporters in the Oriental Hotel parlours last night, when the Peterborough Hockey Club was re-organized for the season, under most encouraging circumstances. The outlook for the season is decidedly bright, as the indications point to a strong intermediate septette and a junior seven that should give a good account of themselves. There is an abundance of materia., players and officers alike

C. G. GRAHAM,
Elected First Vice President of the Peterborough Hockey Club Last Night.

are enthusiastic, and it is understood that satisfactory arrangements can be made with the rink company, and everything presages a most successful season, if last night's meeting can be accepted as a criterion.

The older players have announced their intention of coming out this season and helping the intermediate team along, and it is felt that with a number of the younger puckohasers to round out the bunch, a team can be put on the ice that should prove a pennant winning possibility, at least. The fans can count upon seeing some fast hockey, as it is altogether probable that the locals will be grouped with Belleville, Cobourg and Lindsay, and with the four rivals clashing there will be something doing down in this neck of the woods when Jack Frost sets the ball a-rolling.

Dr A. W. McPherson was elected to the chair at last night's meeting, and there was a representative and enthusiastic crowd of players and supporters present when the meeting was called to order. The chairman briefly stated the object for which the gathering had been called, namely to take some steps to revive the Peterborough Hockey Club and to decide upon what series teams should be entered in.

There was considerable discussion in regard to a junior team. It was explained that the Chieftain A. C. had taken steps to place a junior team in the O.H.A., but the feeling of the meeting seemed to be that the junior team should be under the control of the Peterborough Hockey Club or that, at least, the Chieftains should throw their team open to all junior players in the city. Mr. Fred A. Clarke, president of the Chieftains, was present, and stated on behalf of his club that they were not at all anxious about entering the O.H.A., but that if they did so they would prefer to have their own men as far as possible.

Mr. Clarke, however, was of the opinion that if the rules of the Junior City Hockey League could be arranged so as to permit of the players taking in junior O.H.A. games without affecting their standing in the league, that the Chieftains would be quite willing to play for a Peterborough junior O.H.A. team.

After some further discussion along the same line, it was moved by Mr. Harry Morgan and seconded by Mr. Sam Ray, that intermediate and junior O.H.A. teams be organized, and the resolution was carried unanimously.

The meeting then proceeded with the election of officers, which resulted as follows:

Patrons and Patronesses—Hon. J. R. Stratton, M.P., and Mrs. Stratton, Mr. and Mrs. R. Denne, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Morrow, Mr. T. E. Bradburn, M.P.P.

Hon. President—J. H. Burnham.

President—Dr. A. W. MacPherson.

First Vice-President—C. G. Graham.

Second Vice-President—Jos. Picord, Jr.

Secretary-Treasurer—R. M. Glover.

Executive Committee—H. P. Morgan, W. E. Wasson, Geo. Lynch and F. A. Clarke.

It was decided that the secretary-treasurer should have power to appoint an assistant, who shall be satisfactory to the members of the executive.

The question of what district the club will be grouped with, was discussed, and it was decided to ask the O.H.A. to group the intermediates with Belleville, Lindsay and Cobourg if possible, while for the juniors a group composed of Peterborough, Port Hope and Cobourg was favoured. The O.H.A. will group the teams at a meeting to be held on Tuesday night next and the district meetings

W. E. WASSON,
A Member of the Executive of the Peterborough Hockey Club.

to draw up the schedules will be held shortly afterwards.

The questions of drawing up a constitution for the club, making arrangements with the rink company, for practices, etc., was left in the hands of the executive.

There is every reason to look forward to a good season this year. With such a splendid set of officers and with the return to the game of the old players a splendid intermediate seven can be placed on the ice. The junior team is as yet an unknown quantity, but there is any amount of junior material in the city, and a seven can be picked that should give all the district clubs a hard argument.

THE BELMONTS MADE NEW LEAGUE RECORD IN TRIMMING MIDGETS

New records were established last night in the ten pin league at the P.B.C. when the Belmonts smashed the figures formerly held by the Iroquois for the team total and the individual three game aggregate. Incidentally the Belmonts captured all three games from the Midgets, who were not bowling up to form. The winners were strengthened by Harold Tanney, a former London bowler. Tanney has all the requisites of a crack trundler and his score for the three games was just a trifle above that of Joe Pollard, who, it might be explained, was bothered by the foul line, and who lost the chance of making a couple of high scores by a slight transgression of the rules. At that he was second high for single honours with 181.

Wareham's work was the feature of the evening, his total for the three games being a new league record. Martin formerly held the record with 548, just four pins less than Wareham. The team score for the three games, 1480, breaks the record previously held by the Iroquois, by 1x pins.

To-night the Pacifics and Examiner B. meet.

The scores last night follow:

Midgets

Giroux	151	151	122—	424
Brown...	92	136	129—	357
Hayes...	135	144	143—	422
	378	431	394—	1203

Belmonts

Pollard	126	181	156—	463
Tanny...	134	176	156—	469
Wareham	192	167	203—	552
	452	548	515—	1480

Majority for Belmonts, 277 pins.

Week Dec. 14

Monday—B.A.C. vs. Grays.
Tuesday—Lock Works, vs Exam. B.
Wednesday—Bankers vs. Belmonts.
Thursday—Pacifics vs. Midgets.
Friday—Frontenacs vs. Iroquois.
Saturday—Hutchison vs Exam A.

EUGENE HURTUBISE,
Peterboro's big wrestler, who beat "Cyclone" Burns the English wrestler in a handicap bout at Toronto last night.

GENE HURTUBISE BEATS CYCLONE BURNS; WON THE HANDICAP MATCH LAST NIGHT

Eugene Hurtubise won the match last night with Cyclone Burns, in Toronto. The Globe has the following to say of the bout:

At the Riverdale Rink last night Gene Hurtubise, the Peterborough wrestler, won the handicap bout from "Cyclone" Burns, the English grappler. Hurtubise took the place of Perelli, the Greek, who was unable to make train connections. Burns agreed to throw him three times in an hour or forfeit the purse. The handicap proved too much for Burns, who was able to secure only one fall. This was gained with a head and arm lock hold after 28 minutes of fast wrestling. After a short intermission the men re-appeared on the mat, but no more falls were recorded. Hurtubise weighed 200 pounds and Burns about 190. Mr. Bob Harrison refereed the bout.

INDOOR BASEBALL IS BEING TALKED OF IN PETERBOROUGH

Many of the military men of the city are discussing the advisability of organizing an indoor baseball league for Peterborough this season, and it is likely that some steps will be taken in the near future. The 24th Field Battery, it is said recently talked over the matter and some of the members are most enthusiastic over the prospects. Those who have seen the game in other places and especially those who have played the game are loud in their praises of the pastime and they have fired the local men with some of their enthusiasm so that the prospects for a league are bright. The game is a good one for players and spectators alike and would no doubt take well in Peterborough.

NEW SECRETARY FOR THE HOCKEY CLUB WILL BE NECESSARY

It will be necessary for the Peterborough Hockey Club to elect a new Secretary-Treasurer for the Club. Mr. R M Glover who was elected to that position at last night's meeting has asked the Examiner to state that he cannot see his way clear to accept the office, and is reluctantly forced to send in his resignation to the club.

NEW ROYAL THEATRE WILL OPEN SHORTLY

One of the Most Gorgeous Five Cent Theatres in Canada—Interesting Description of the Interior.

As a short enumeration of the beauties of the Royal Theatre, soon to open, we would call attention to the fairy-like appearance of the entrance. Here one walking over a beautiful mosaic tile pavement sees on either side walls covered with artistically finished plate glass ovals surrounded by hand-cut ornamental glass in Persian design. Over the seat of Caesar, or ticket office, is a handsome cut glass covered wall, the glass being mirrors made in a pleasing design, the outer having the words "Royal Theatre" emblazoned thereon. Possibly no similar theatre on this continent is better illuminated by electric light. The theatre, including the outside sign, "Royal Theatre," has over six hundred incandescent lamps, over one hundred and eighty being on the sign.

This theatre contains two new pianos of latest make. At the entrance is an electrically played instrument specially imported from the United States. The piano for inside use is the New Scale Williams piano, for the equal of which its makers offered a reward of $1000. These two pianos cost over $1400.

ELECTRIC FIXTURES

To describe this item in full would take too much space. Suffice to say that three machines for displaying moving pictures of the most recent type have been specially imported from New York. These machines throw clearer and better pictures on the screen than ever seen before in Canada. The handsome electric light fixtures of expensive make and handsome design and fans for ensuring good ventilation, were imported from St. Louis for The Royal.

The films are imported direct from Paris. The proprietor of The Royal has made arrangements for new films to be sent direct from Paris. These films (or pictures) will be seen by Peterborough people before any other audience in Canada. The new films show clearer and better pictures than the cheaper films that pass from one theatre to another.

The management has secured from Chicago, New York, Toronto, Montreal and other cities the best talent, both vocal and instrumental, that money can procure.

Every child and lady in Peterborough will be as safe in The Royal as in their respective homes. Latest make of comfortable opera house chairs.

THE MONTREAL RIVER GOLD FIELD

A year ago last June a band of weary prospectors were crossing through the wilds of the Great South Bend of the Montreal River, in the Temagami Reserve, west of Willison Township, in search of precious metals. The leaders of the party were Mr Joseph L. Garvin, B.A., Principal of Schools, Lakefield, Ont., representing J. W. Garvin and Co., and Mr. W H. Fletcher, of Cobalt, representing C. Salkeld and Co.

When about three miles from the Montreal River their guide declared he had lost his way, and that it was necessary to retrace their footsteps. As it was late in the evening, the tired and discouraged party refused, pitched their tent and allowed the guide to return alone.

In the morning they found themselves located beside an immense reef of gold-bearing quartz, free milling, averaging about fifty feet in width, with leaf gold here and there on the surface, visible to the naked eye.

The discovery was kept a secret for several weeks, until the best claims were staked out and recorded, and was then made known; but the exceptional financial depression of the following autumn and winter prevented a big rush to the district.

The recent rich discovery of silver at Gow Ganda Lake, in the same great South Bend District, has aroused the keenest interest, and now this new mining territory is overrun with eager prospectors and other remarkable discoveries may be expected.

The four most noted claims of the new gold field have been purchased by "The Titan Montreal River Mines, Limited," (authorized capital $2,000,000, in $1 shares; 500,000 shares in treasury), whose prospectus has just been issued, and the first 100,000 shares of treasury stock are offered to the investing public at 20c a share. The huge reef runs through this company's properties for a distance of about one mile. For full particulars apply to the head office of the company, 29 Manning Arcade, King street west, Toronto, Ont., or to J. W. Garvin and Co., of the same address, or to any of the well known Toronto brokers.

LADIES' BENEVOLENT ORANGE ASSOCIATION TO HOLD CONCERT

A social and entertainment under the auspices of Sentinel Lodge, No. 66, Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association, will be held in the Foresters' Hall, George street, on Friday evening, Dec. 14. An excellent musical and literary programme by the best local talent will be given. Refreshments will be served after the programme.

It is expected that the Rev. A. H. Brace, of Cobourg, and Mr. R. H. Holland of Port Hope, will be present and deliver addresses. Admission adults 25c., children 10c. God Save the King. 4d11

H. P. MORGAN,
A Member of the Executive of the Peterborough Hockey Club.

POULTRYMEN RETURN FROM THE GUELPH FAIR

Messrs. Jas. Baptie, of Springville, and Mr. Harry Luch, of this city, who returned last night after spending the week in visiting the Winter Show at Guelph, are most enthusiastic in their references to the success of this annual affair. The poultry show they state was exceptionally successful, no less than 5000 birds being shown and it can be imagined that many classes were pretty well filled up. Mr. Luch showed twenty-four birds and Mr. Baptie sixteen and both succeeded in getting into the money class in several events, being well satisfied with their showing. They report the best of treatment and were delighted with the show which they state is of the greatest benefit to Guelph as it brings a big influx of visitors who leave behind them considerable money during their stay.

FRED A. CLARKE,
A Member of the Executive of the Peterborough Hockey Club.

SCIENCE ADMITS EFFICACY OF PRAYER

By Sir Oliver Lodge.

Conceive a scientific God. How would He work? The universe is governed by law, effect is connected with cause; if a thing moves it is because something moves it; effects are due and only due to agents. If there be guidance or control it must be by agents that it is exerted. Then what in the scheme of things would be his agents?

Surely among such agents we must recognize ourselves. Watch the bird teaching its young to fly, the mother teaching a child to read, the statesman nursing the destiny of a new-born nation. Is there no guidance there? What is the meaning of legislation and municipal government, and acts of reform, and all the struggle after better lives for ourselves and others? Pure automatism say some, an illusion of free will. Possibly, but even a dream is not an absolute nonentity; the effort, however it be accounted for, exists. What is all the effort, regarded scientifically, but the action of the totality of things trying to improve itself, striving still to evolve something higher, holier and happier out of an inchoate mass?

We are God's visible and tangible agents, and we can help; we ourselves can answer some kinds of prayer so it be articulate. We ourselves can interfere with the course of inanimate nature, can make waste places habitable and habitable places waste. Not by breaking laws do we ever influence nature—we cannot break a law of nature it is not brittle; we only break ourselves if we try—but by obeying them. In accordance with law we have to act, but act we can and do, and through us act as deity.

And perhaps not alone through us. We are the highest bodily organisms on this material planet, and the material control of it belongs to us. It is subject to the laws of physics and to the laws of our minds operating through our bodies. But what about our mental acts? We can operate on each other's minds through our material envelope, by speech and writing, and in other ways, but we can do more; it appears that we can operate at a distance, by no apparent physical organ or medium; if by mechanism at all, then by mechanism at any rate unknown to us. If we are open to influence from each other by non-corporeal methods, may we not be open to influence beings in another region or of another order? And if so, may we not be aided, inspired, guided by a cloud of witnesses, not witnesses only, but helpers, agents like ourselves of the immanent God?

Gibson's Son Ill.

Toronto, Dec. 12.—His Honor, the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Gibson, left yesterday afternoon for Colorado Springs on receiving a telegram announcing the critical illness of their eldest son, Gordon, who went to Colorado two years ago, his lungs being affected. He appeared to be progressing very favorably, but suffered a severe relapse. A later telegram said his condition had somewhat improved.

Roosevelt May Prosecute.

Washington, Dec. 12.—"If they can be reached for criminal libel I shall try to have them reached," said President Roosevelt in speaking about "those Americans who have been guilty of infamous falsehood concerning the acquisition of the property and construction of the Panama canal itself."

Drowned In Swimming Bath.

Montreal, Dec. 12.—A. M. Dufresne, a French-Canadian who kept hotels in Pekin and Tien-Tsin for some years past, and has been here on a holiday visiting relatives, was drowned yesterday while swimming in the Laurentian baths, East Craig street, heart failure coming on while in the water.

Brampton Needn't Act After All.

Toronto, Dec. 12.—The Divisional Court yesterday reversed the decision of Chief Justice Meredith, and has cancelled the mandamus directing the Town Council of Brampton to submit a local option bylaw at the next election.

Stratford Canadian Club.

Stratford, Dec. 12.—About seventy-five sat down to the Canadian Club dinner last night. Addresses were delivered by Prof. Fernow on forestry, and by Home Smith, president of the Canadian Club of Toronto, a former Stratford boy.

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(c) An immense reef of gold-bearing quartz extends for about a mile across these claims, and averages nearly 50 feet in width. There are also several veins from 4 to 6 feet wide. Surface assays from $2.40 per ton upwards. Leaf gold and nuggets have been found on surface.
(d) Quarts and geological conditions similar to the Rand, South Africa, but there are no sulphides,—all free milling quartz.
(e) Shaft down 30 feet and development work being pushed vigorously.
(f) Five favourable reports in prospectus—three from reliable mining engineers.
(g) Directors: President, J. W. Garvin, B. A., of Peterboro' and Toronto; Vice-President, E. S.Edmodson, Esq; General Manager of West Toronto and Oshawa Electric Power Companies; Sec-Treas., D. A. McPherson, M.D. Toronto; J.H. McKnight, Esq; President of J.H. McKnight Construction Company, Ltd., Toronto, Charles Salked, Esq., Cobalt, and Charles Holt, Esq., Solicitors, London, England.
(h) No promotion stock. Original owners amalgamated their properties into a joint stock company.
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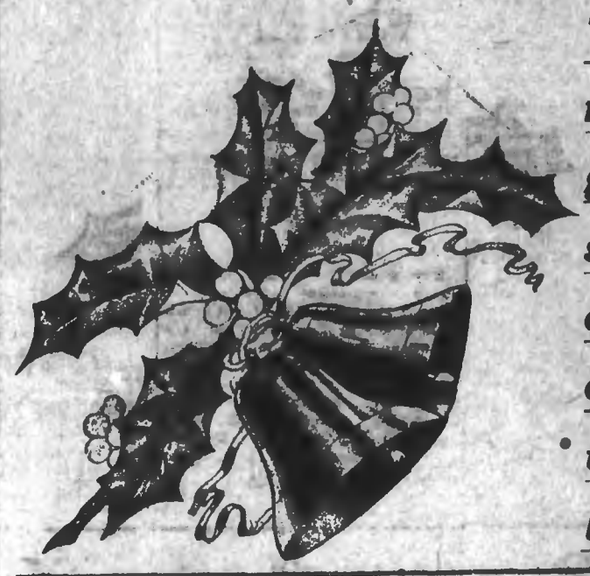

This store is filled with Christmas Suggestions. Holiday goods of every description being shown in larger quantities than ever. A very prominent feature of the showing this year is the very large number of holiday lines at Bargain Prices.

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Beautiful fine lawns, 40 inches wide, with one or two rows of cambric insertion and five rows of tucking, some hemstitched, made especially for aprons, at..25, 30, 35, 40 and 45c

Christmas Aprons

Aprons neatly made of fine lawn and trimmed with insertion and embroidery extra values at 50, 75, 85, 90 and 1.00

Christmas Bags

Seal grain leather bags, fitted with coin purse, strong frames in black or brown at .50,. 75, 1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 2.00

REAL ALLIGATOR BAGS—Genuine Alligator Bags, leather lined, with coin purse, special at 7.00, 8.00

LARGE SHOPPING BAGS—15 inch frame, seal grain shopping bags, leather lined in black only, 3.00, 3.50, 4.00 and..... 4.50

Christmas Handkercriefs

Pure linen handkerchiefs in 1-6, ⅛ or ¼ inch hem, at 12½, 15, 20, 25, 35c

SWISS EMBROIDERED—at 15, 20, 25, 35 and.....50c

COLOURED BORDERED HANDKERCHIEFS—fine silkine centres, in either women's or men's size, special.....2 for 25c

Christmas Belts

French studded elastic belts in black, special at 50, 75, 1.00

PERSIAN BELTS—made of beautiful brocade webbing in gold and brown, gold and blue and gold and white, at.....50c to 1.25

Also plain and fancy elastic webbing in all desirable colours at per yd. 50c

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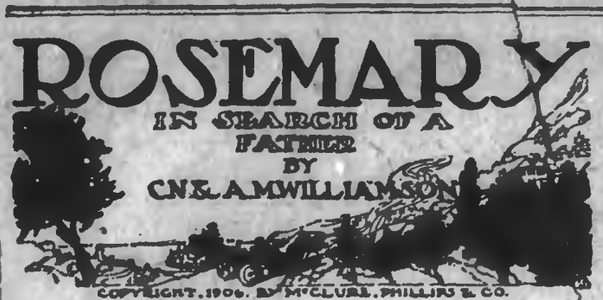

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Chapter One

THERE was a young man in Monte Carlo. He had come in a motor car, and he had come a long way, but he hardly knew why he had come. He hardly knew in these days why he did anything. But, then, one must do something.

It would be Christmas soon, and he thought that he would rather get it over on the Riviera than anywhere else, because the blue and gold weather would not remind him of other Christmases which were gone—pure, white, cold Christmases, musical with joy bells and sweet with aromatic pine, the scent of trees born to be Christmas trees.

There had been a time when he had fancied it would be a wonderful thing to see the Riviera. He had thought what it would be like to be a rich man and bring a certain girl here for a moon of honey and roses.

She was the most beautiful girl in the world, or he believed her so, which is exactly the same thing, and he had imagined the joy of walking with her on just such a terrace as this Casino terrace where he was walking now, alone. She would be in white, with one of those long ermine things that women call stoles, an ermine muff (the big, "granny" kind that swallows girlish arms up to the dimples in their elbows) and a hat which they would have bought together in Paris.

They would have bought jewels, too, in the same street where they found the hat, the Rue de la Paix, which she had told him she longed to see. And she would be wearing some of the jewels with the white dress—just a few, not many, of course. A string of pearls (she loved pearls), a swallow brooch (he had heard her say she admired those swallow brooches, and he never forgot anything she said), with perhaps a sapphire studded buckle on her white suede belt. Yes, that would be all, except the rings, which would lie hidden under her gloves on the dear little hands whose nails were like enameled rose leaves.

When she moved, walking beside him on the terrace, there would be a mysterious silky whisper and rustle, something like that you hear in the woods in the spring, when the leaves are crisp with their pale green youth, and you shut your eyes, listening to the breeze telling them the secrets of life.

There would be a fragrance about the white dress and the furs and ermine and the silk things that you could not see, a fragrance as mysterious as the rustling, for it would seem to belong to the girl and not to have come from any bottle or bag of sachet powder—a sweet, fresh, indefinable fragrance, like the smell of a tea rose after rain.

They would have walked together, they two, and he would have been so proud of her that every time a passerby cast a glance of admiration at her face he would feel that he could hardly keep in a laugh of joy or a shout: "She is mine! She is mine!"

But he had been poor in the old days, when from far away he had thought of this terrace and the moon of honey and roses and love. It had all been a dream then, as it was now, too sweet ever to come true.

He thought of the dream and of the boy who had dreamed it half bitterly, half sadly, on this his first day in the place of the dream.

He was rich, as rich as he had seen himself in the impossible picture, and it would have been almost too easy to buy the white dress and the ermine and the pearls, but there was no one for whom he would have been happy to buy them. The most beautiful girl in the world was not in his world now, and none other had had the password to open the door of his heart since she had gone out, locking it behind her.

"She would have liked the auto," he said to himself, and then, a moment later, "I wonder why I came."

It was a perfect Riviera day. Everybody in Monte Carlo who was not in the Casino was sauntering on the terrace in the sun, for it was that hour before luncheon when people like to say "How do you do? How nice to meet you here!" to their friends.

The young man from far away had not, so far as he knew, either enemies or friends at Monte Carlo. He was not conscious of the slightest desire to say "How do you do?" to any of the pretty people he met, although there is a superstition that every soul longs for kindred souls at Christmas time.

He had not been actively unhappy before he left the Hotel de Paris and strolled out on the terrace to have his first sight of Monte Carlo by daylight. Always there was the sore spot in his heart, and often it ached almost unbearably at night or when the world hurt him with its beauty, which he must see without her, but usually he kept the spot well covered up, and, being healthy as well as young, he had cultivated that kind of contentment which Thoreau said was only desperate resignation in disguise. He took an interest in books, in politics and sport and motor cars and a good many other things, but on the terrace the blue of the sea, the opal lights on the mountains, the gold glint of oranges among green, glittering leaves, the pearly glimmer of white roses thrown up like a spray against the sky, struck at his heart and made the ache come back more sharply than it had for a long time.

If he had been a girl tears would have blinded his eyes; but, being what he was, he merely muttered in anger against himself, "Hang it all, what a wretched ass I am!" and, turning his back on the sea, made his way as fast as he could into the Casino.

It was close upon 12 o'clock, and the "rooms" had been open to the public for two hours. The "early gamblers" thronging the atrium to wait till the doors opened had run in and snatched seats for themselves at the first tables or marked places to begin at 11 o'clock if crowded away from the first. Later less ardent enthusiasts had strolled in, and now, though it was not by any means the "high season," yet there were rows of players or lookers-on three deep round each table.

The young man was from the south, though a south very different from this. He had the warm blood of Virginia in his veins and just so much of the gambler's spirit as cannot be divided from a certain recklessness in a man with a temperament. He had seen plenty of life in his own country in the nine years since he was twenty, and he knew all about roulette and trente et quarante, among other things desirable and undesirable.

Still, gambling seemed to be made particularly fascinating here, and he wanted to be fascinated, wanted it badly. He was in the mood for the heavy hush of the rooms, for the closeness and the rich perfumes which, mingling together, seem like the smell of money piled on the green tables; he was in a mood for the dimmed light like dull gold—gold sifted into dust by passing through many hands.

He had got his ticket of admission to the Casino after arriving yesterday evening, but the rooms had not pleased him then. He had not played and had merely walked through, looking at the people, but now he went to a trente et quarante table, and, reaching over the shoulders of the players—not so many as in the roulette rooms—he put a 500 franc note on couleur. It won. He let the money lie, and it won again. A third time and a fourth he left the notes on, and still luck was with him. He was in for a good run.

As it happened, nobody else had been playing higher than plaques, the handsome hundred franc goldpieces coined for the principality of Monaco, and people began to watch the newcomer, as they always do one who plays high and is lucky. On the fifth deal he had won the maximum. He took off half and was leaving the rest to run when a voice close to his shoulder said: "Oh, do take it all off! I feel it's going to lose now. To please me."

He glanced aside and saw an exceedingly pretty, dark face, which looked vaguely familiar. With a smile he took up all the notes, and only just in time. Couleur lost; inverse won.

"Oh, I'm so glad!" said the owner of the pretty face. She spoke English with a slight but bewitching foreign accent, and her eyes shone at him like brown jewels under the tilted brim of a hat made all of pink and crimson roses. She was rather like a rose, too, a rich, colorful, spicy rose, of the kind which unfolds early. He knew that he had seen her before and wondered where.

After all, it was rather nice to be spoken to by some one other than a hotel manager or a waiter—some one who was good to look at and friendly. He lost interest in the game and gained interest in the girl.

"Thank you," said he. "You've brought me luck."

"I hope you don't think I speak always to strangers like that," said the girl in the rose hat. But, you see, I recognized you at once. I don't know if you remember me. No, I'm afraid you don't."

"Of course I remember you, only I can't think where we"—

"Why, it was in Paris. You saved my mother's little dog from being run over one day. We were both so grateful. Afterward we saw you once or twice at tea at the Ritz, and you took off your hat, so you must have remembered then. Ah, me, it's a long time ago!"

"Not so very," said the young man. "I remember well now." He wished her mother had not been quite such an appalling person, fat and painted. "It was only last October. I'd just come to Paris. It was my first day there when I picked up the little dog. Now, on my first day here you pay me back for what I did then—as if it needed paying back!—by making me pick up my money. That's quite a coincidence."

They had moved away from the tables now and were walking very slowly down the room. The young man smiled at the girl as he crushed up the notes and stuffed them into his pocket. He saw that she was much prettier than he had thought her in Paris, if he had thought of her at all, and her dress of pale pink cloth was charming with the rose hat. Somehow he was glad that she was not in white—with an ermine stole.

"So it is, quite a coincidence, and a pleasant one for me, since I meet again one who was once so kind," she said. "Especially it is good to meet a friend—if I may call you a friend—when one is very sad."

"Of course you may call me a friend," said he kindly. "I'm sorry to hear you are sad."

"That is why I told you the other meeting seemed a long time ago," explained the girl. "I was happy then. Now I am breaking my heart, and I do not know what to do. Oh, I ought not to talk like this, for, after all, you are a stranger. But you are English or you are American, and men of those countries never misunderstand a woman, even if she is in trouble. We can feel ourselves safe with them."

"I'm American," he answered, "and I'm glad you feel like that. I wish I could help you in some way." He spoke kindly, but not with absolute warmth of sincerity. The girl saw this and knew that he did not believe in her as she wished him to believe, as she intended to make him believe.

She looked up at him with sad and eloquent eyes, which softened his heart in spite of himself. "You can't help me, thank you," she said, "except by kind words and kind thoughts. I think, though, that it would do me good to tell you things, if you really take an interest."

"Of course I do." He was speaking the truth now. He was human, and she was growing prettier, as she grew more pathetic, every moment.

"And would you advise me a little? I have nobody else to ask. My mother and I know no one at Monte Carlo. Perhaps you would walk with me on the terrace and let me talk?"

"Not on the terrace," he said quickly, for he could not bear to meet the sweet ghost of the past in the white dress and ermine stole as he gave advice to the flesh and blood reality of the present in the pink frock and roses. "What about Ciro's? Couldn't we find your mother somewhere and get her to chaperon us for lunch? I should think it must be very jolly now in the Galerie Charles Trois."

"So it would be, but my poor mother is very ill in her bed," said the girl.

"Would she—er—do you think, as I'm an American and we're almost old friends, mind letting you have lunch just with me alone? Of course if she would mind you must say no. But I must confess I'm hungry as a wolf, and it would be somewhere to sit and talk together quietly, you know."

"You are hungry?" echoed the girl. "Ah, I would wager something that you don't really know what hunger is. But I know—now."

"What do you mean?"

"I mean it is well my mother is ill and doesn't wish to eat, for there would be nothing for her if she did."

"Good heavens! And you?"

"I have had nothing to eat since yesterday morning, and then only a biscuit with a glass of water."

"My poor girl! We won't say anything more about chaperons. Come along with me to Ciro's this instant to lunch and tell me everything."

He was completely won over now and looked very handsome with a slight flush on his brown face and his dark eyes bright with excitement.

The girl lowered her long lashes, perhaps to hide tears.

When she did this and drooped the corners of her mouth she was very engaging, and the young man tingled all over with pity. That poor, pretty creature starving in her charming pink dress and hat of roses! How strange life was! It was something to be thankful for that he had met her.

A little while ago he had walked through the Galerie Charles Trois, thinking how delightful the tables looked at Ciro's and making up his mind to return there for lunch. But afterward on the terrace he had been so miserable that he would probably have forgotten all about his plan if it had not been for the girl.

Now he chose a small table in a corner of the balcony close to the glass screen. A month later he might have had to engage it long beforehand, but today, though the place was well filled with pretty women and their attendant men, there was not a crowd, and he could listen to his companion's low voiced confidences without fear of being overheard.

Chapter Two

He ordered a lunch which he thought the girl would like, with wine to revive the faculties that he knew must be failing. Then, when she had eaten a little, daintily in spite of her hunger, he encouraged her to talk.

"Mother and I are all alone in the world," she said. "We are Belgian and live in Brussels, but we have drifted about a good deal, just amusing ourselves. Somehow we never happened to come here until a month ago. Then my mother said one day in Paris: 'Let us go to Monte Carlo. I dreamed last night that I won 20,000 francs there.' My mother is rather superstitious. We came, and she did win at first. She was delighted and believed in her dream so much that when she began to lose she went up and up, doubling each time. They call the game she made 'playing the martingale.'

"She lost all the money we had with us and telegraphed home for more. Soon she had sold out every one of our securities. Then she won and went half mad with joy and excitement, but the joy didn't last long. She lost all again—literally our all. We were penniless. There was nothing left to pay the hotel bill. I went out and found a Mont de Piete, just beyond the limits of the paincipality. They aren't allowed inside. I pawned all our jewelry, and, as we had a great many valuable things, I got several thousand francs. I thought the money would last us until I could find something to do; but, without telling me what she meant to do, mother took it all to the Casino—and—it followed the rest.

"She was so horrified at what she had done, when it was too late, that she wished to kill herself. It was a terrible time for me, but I was so sorry—so sorry for her."

As the girl said this she looked full into the young man's eyes with her great, appealing ones. He thought that she must have a wonderfully sweet nature to have forgiven that horrible fat old woman after being subjected to so much undeserved suffering. It was a thousand pities, he said to himself, that a really good sort of girl should be forced to live her life beside a creature of that type and under such an influence. He had not quite believed in the poor child at first perhaps, and because he did believe in her now he felt poignant remorse for his past injustice.

"What did you do, then?" he asked, honestly absorbed in the story, for he was a generous and warm hearted fellow, who found most of his pleasure in these latter days in the help he could give others, to make them happier than he was himself.

"I comforted her as well as I could, but I didn't know what would

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become of us. Then a lady who had a room next to mine in the hotel heard me crying and was very kind."

"I should think she would have been," interrupted the young man.

"She told me that, as my mother had lost everything, she had better go to the direction of the Casino and get what they call a viatique—money to go away with. So she did ask, although it was a great ordeal to make up her mind to do it, and they gave my mother a thousand francs. Then, you know, she had no right to play in the rooms again. She was supposed to pay her hotel bill and leave Monte Carlo. But she gave half the money to a woman she had met in the rooms and asked her to put it on six numbers she had dreamed about. She was sure that this time she would win."

"And did she?"

"No; the money was lost. We hadn't enough left to settle our account at the hotel or to get away from the place, even if there were anywhere to go—when one has no pennies. So my mother begged me to slip into the rooms with what was left and try to get something back. I had been trying when you saw me, with our last louis. Now you know why it seemed so good to see a man I knew, a face I could trust. Now you know why I, who had had such misfortunes, was glad at least to bring you luck."

"It's my turn to bring you some, I think," began the man she could trust, but she stopped him by putting up her plump little white hand.

"If you mean with money—no," she said, with a soft decision that was pretty and sad to hear. "If you mean with advice—yes. If you could only get me something to do! You see, they will be turning us out of our hotel tomorrow. They've let us keep our rooms on up to now, but for two days they've not given us anything to eat. Of course it can't go on like this. If it hadn't been for you I think when I went back to tell my mother that the last louis of the viatique was gone we would have killed ourselves."

"Great heaven, you must promise me not to do that!" the young man implored.

"I will promise now, for you have saved me by—caring a little. You do care, really, don't you?"

"I wouldn't have blood in my veins if I didn't. But—about something for you to do—I must think."

"Are you staying here for some time?" asked the girl.

"I haven't made up my mind."

"I asked because I—I suppose you don't need a secretary, do you? I can write such a good English hand, and I know French and Italian as well as I do German and your own language. If I could be of use I would work so hard for you."

"I dare say I shall be needing a secretary after Christmas. Indeed, I am sure I shall," insisted the young man, more and more earnest in his desire to do good. "I have dozens of letters to write every day and all sorts of odds and ends to keep straight. I could bring the things down to your place, and you could help me if you would. But I'm afraid it would be no end of bother to you."

"I should love it," said the girl gently.

"Oh, it would be hard work. It would take a lot of your time and be worth a lot of money."

"Would it, really? But you mustn't overpay me. I should be so angry if you did that."

"There's no danger. I'm a good business man, I assure you. I should pay a capable secretary like you—knowing several languages and all that—say $40 a week. That's about 200 francs."

"Wouldn't that be too much?"

"Hardly enough."

"You are so good—so good! But I know you would be. I wonder if you would think me a very bold girl if I told you something. It's this: I've never forgotten you since those days in Paris. You were different, somehow, from other men I had seen. I thought about you. I had a presentiment that we should meet again. My mother dreamed of numbers to play at roulette. I dreamed of—but, oh, I am saying things I ought not to say! Please don't blame me. When you've starved for two days and not known what to do, unless to die, and then a man comes who is kind and saves you from terrible things, you can't be as wise and well behaved as at other times."

"Poor child!" said the young man.

"It does me good to be called that. But you don't know my name, the name of your new secretary. It is Julie—Julie de Lavalette. My mother is the Comtesse de Lavalette.

And you?"

"Oh, I'm plain Hugh Egerton," said the young man.

The girl laughed. "I do not think you are plain Hugh Egerton at all. But perhaps an American girl would not tell you that. Hugh! What a nice name! I think it is going to be my favorite name."

She glanced up at him coyly under long lashes—a thrilling glance, but he missed its radiance, for his own eyes were far away. Hugh had been the favorite name of another girl.

When she saw that look of his she rose from her chair. "I'm taking too much of your time," she exclaimed remorsefully. "I must go."

His eyes and thoughts came back to the wearer of pink and roses. Perhaps there had been just a little too much softness and sweetness. It had been wise of her to change the key and speak of parting.

He paid for the lunch and tipped the waiter so liberally that they all hoped he would come again often. Then he asked if he might walk with her to the hotel where she and her mother were staying.

"It's down in the Condamine," she hesitated. "We've moved there lately, since the money began to go, and we've had to think of everything. It's rather a long walk from here."

"All the better for me," he answered, and her smile was an appreciation of the compliment.

They sauntered slowly, for there was no haste. Nobody else wanted Hugh Egerton's society, and he began to believe that this girl sincerely did want it. He also believed that he was going to do some real good in the world, not just in the ordinary, obvious way, by throwing about his money, but by being genuinely necessary to some one.

When they had strolled down the hill and had followed for a time the straight road along the sea on that level plain which is the Condamine, the girl turned up a side street. "We live here," she said and stopped before a structure of white stucco, rococo decoration and flimsy balconies. Large gold letters, one or two of which were missing, advertised the house as the Hotel Pension Beau Soleil, and those who ran might read that it would be charitable to describe its accommodation as second rate.

"It is not nice," she went on, with a shrug of her pretty shoulders, "but—it is good to know, all the same, that we will not be turned out. I have a new heart in my breast since I left this house a few hours ago—because there is a You in the world."

As she said this she held out her hand for goodby, and when he had shaken it warmly the young man was bold enough to slip off her wrist the little pink leather bag which hung there by its chain.

"Now for that advance on your secretarial work," he said, and, taking from his pocket a wad of notes which he had won at the Casino, he stuffed it hastily into the yawning mouth of the bag, while the girl's soft eyes gazed at the sea. Then he closed the spring with a snap, and she let him pass the chain over her hand once more.

"Oh, but it looks very fat!" she exclaimed. "Are you sure you counted right?"

"There's a little more there," he said uncomfortably, "just a little to save the bother of counting here in the street. Don't look angry. Only the salary part's for you, of course, but the rest—couldn't you just hand it over to your mother and say, 'Winnings at the Casino?' That's true, you know. It was, every bit. And you needn't say who won it. Besides, if it hadn't been for you it would have been lost instead of won. It would be a kind of Christmas present for your mother from the Casino, which really owes her a lot more."

The girl shook her head gently. "I couldn't do that, even for my mother's sake, but I don't misunderstand now we are such friends. I know how kindly you mean, and, though neither mother nor I can accept presents of money, even from dear friends (after all, we are of the noblesse), I'm not going to hurt you by giving the money back if you will do what I ask of you."

"What is that?" He felt ready to do anything within reason.

"Let us sell you our dear little dog for this extra money you have put into my bag. He is very, very valuable, for he cost thousands of francs, the sweet pet, so you would really have something not unworthy in return for your goodness. Ah, don't say no! You would love Papillon, and we should love you to have him. We couldn't have parted with our little darling to a stranger though we were starving, but it would make us happy to think he was yours. And then, if you won't, you must take all this back." As she spoke she touched the bag on her arm.

"Oh, I'll have the dog!" Hugh Egerton said quickly. Anything rather than the girl should return the money, which she so much needed. "I remember he was a dear little chap, Pomeranian or something of the sort. I hope he likes motors."

"He will like whatever you like. If you will come and fetch him this evening I will show you all his tricks. Do come. It would be good to see you again so soon."

"With pleasure," said the young man, flushing slightly, "if you think your mother will be well enough to receive me."

"The news I have to give will almost cure her. If you would dine with us! They will give us a dinner now"—and she laughed childishly—"when I have paid the bill. It will be very stupid for you at a place like this, but you will have a welcome, and it is the best we can do."

"It is the welcome I want," said Hugh. "But if you and your mother could dine with me somewhere"—

"Another time we will."

There were to be other times, of course!

"And this evening," she went on, "we can talk of my beginning work as your secretary. It shall be directly after Christmas?"

"Whenever you are ready."

"I suppose you have friends to whom you will go for Christmas?"

"Not a friend."

"Oh, perhaps we might be together—all three?"

"I'll think of something pleasant for us to do if you'll let me."

"How good you are! Then till this evening. It will seem long till then."

They shook hands once more. She had taken off her glove now, and her palm left on his a reminiscence of Peau d'Espagne. He did not know what the scent was, but it smelled rich and artificial, and he disliked to associate it with his new friend. "But probably it's her mother's, and she didn't choose it herself," he thought. "Well, I have a new interest in life now. I expect this is the best thing that's happened to me for a long time."

As he walked back to his hotel his head was full of plans for the girl's transient pleasure and lasting benefit. "Poor lonely child!" he thought. "And what a mother! She ought not to be left with a person like that. She ought to marry. It would be a good deed to take her away from such an influence. So young and so ingenuous as she is still, in spite of the surroundings she must have known, she is capable of becoming a noble woman. Perhaps if she turns out to be really as sweet and gentle as she seems"—

The sentence broke off unfinished in his mind and ended with a great sigh.

There could be only second best and third best things in life for him now, since love was over, and it would be impossible for him to care for an angel from heaven who had not the face and the dear ways of the girl he had lost. But second best things might be better than no good things at all if only one made up one's mind to accept

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them thankfully. And it was a shame to waste so much money on himself when there were soft eyed, innocent girls in the world who ought to be sheltered and protected from harm.

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HE soft eyed, innocent girl who had inspired the thought went into the hotel and was rather cross to the youthful concierge because the ascenseur was not working. There were three flights of stairs to mount before she reached her room, and she was so anxious to open her bag to see what was inside that she ran up very fast, so fast that she stepped on her dress and ripped out a long line of gathers. Her eyes were not nearly as soft as they had been while she picked up the hanging folds of pink cloth and went on.

The narrow corridor at the top of the staircase was somewhat dark, and, her eyes accustomed to the brilliant light out of doors, the girl stumbled against a child who was coming toward her.

"Petit bete!" she snapped. "You have all but made me fall. Awkward little thing! Why don't you keep out of people's way?"

The child flushed. She would have liked to answer that it was mademoiselle who had got in her way, but mother wished her to be always polite. "I am sorry," she replied instead, not saying a word about the poor little toes which the pretty pink lady had crushed.

"Well, then, if you are sorry, why don't you let me pass?" asked the girl of the soft eyes.

"If you please, I want to give you a note," said the child, anxiously searching a small pocket. "It's from mother for madame. She told me to take it to your door. So I did, several times, but nobody answered. Here 'tis, please, mademoiselle."

Mademoiselle snatched it from the hand, which was very tiny and pink, with dimples where grownup folk have knuckles. She then pushed past the child and went on to a door at the end of the passage, which she threw open without knocking.

"Eh bien, Julie! You have been gone long enough to break the bank twice over. What luck have you had?" exclaimed the husky voice of a woman who sat in an easy chair beside a wood fire, telling her own fortune with an old pack of cards spread upon a sewing board on her capacious lap.

She was in a soiled dressing gown of purple flannel, with several of the buttons off. In the clear light of a window at the woman's back her hair, with a groundwork of crimson, was overshot with iridescent lights. On a small table at her side a tray had been left, with the remains of dejeuner—a jug stained brown with streaks of coffee, a crumbled crescent roll, some balls of silver paper which had contained cream chocolates, ends of cigarettes and a scattered gray film of ashes. At her feet a toy black Pomeranian lay coiled on the torn bodice of a red dress, and all the room was in disorder, with an indiscriminate litter of hats, gloves, French novels, feather boas, slippers and fallen blouses and skirts.

The lady of the roses went to the mirror over the untidy mantelpiece and looked at herself as she answered, "No luck at roulette or trente, but the best of luck outside."

"What, then?"

The girl began to hum as she powdered her nose with a white glove lying in a powder box.

"You remember le beau brun?"

"The young man in Paris you made so many inquiries about at Ritz's? Is he here?"

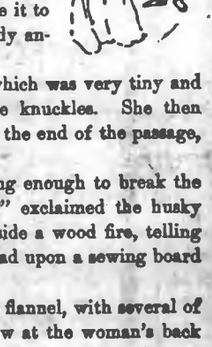
"He is. I've just had lunch with him. Oh, there are lots of things to tell! He is a good boy."

"How good? You told him we had had losses?"

"I painted a sad picture. He was most sympathetic."

"To what extent?"

"Chere maman! One would think we were vulgar adventuresses. We are not. He respects me, this dear young man, and it is right that he should. I deserve to be respected. You know the fable about the dog that dropped his meat in the water trying to snap at its reflection? Well, I don't ask strangers for loans. I make my impression. M. Hugh Egerton is my friend—at present. Later he will be what I choose. And most certainly I shall choose him for a husband. What luck, meeting him again! It is time I settled down."



"They said at Rits's that he was one of the young millionaires, well known already in America," the fat woman reflected aloud. "It is a good thing that I have brought you up well, Julie, and that you are pretty."

"Yes, it is a good thing that I am pretty," repeated the girl. "We have had many hopes often before, but this seems to be the most promising. I think it is very promising indeed, and I don't mean to let it slip."

She turned her back to the easy chair and opened the pink bag. As the woman talked on she secretly counted out the money. There were more than 10,000 francs in mille notes and others of smaller denominations. Quietly she put them away in the top of a traveling box, which she locked. Then she noticed the letter which the child had given her still lying on the dressing table with her gloves.

"Here's something from la belle Americaine upstairs," said she, "a billet doux."

"A dun!" exclaimed the woman.

"No doubt. It can be nothing else."

"Well, we can't pay."

"No, we can't pay," said the girl, looking at the locked box.

"Let me see—how much was it she lent?"

"Two hundred francs, I think. We told her we'd give it back in a week. That's nearly a month ago."

"Serves her right for trusting strangers. The saints alone know when she'll see her money again. She shouldn't be so soft hearted. It doesn't pay in these days."

"Neither do we—when we can help it."

They both laughed.

"But when you are Madame—let me see, what was the name of the young monsieur? They told you at the Ritz?"

"Egerton."

"Ah, yes! When you are Mme. Egerton"—

"Everything will be very different then."

And the girl slipped the key of the box into the little pink bag.

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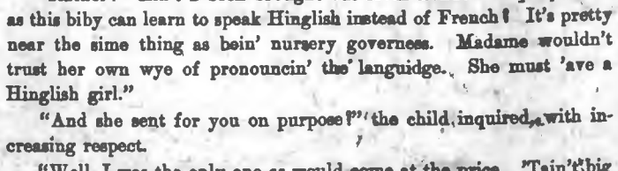

AFTER delivering her letter the child went slowly on downstairs to the room she had been on the way to visit. It was on the second floor just under the room of the Comtesse de Lavalette.

"Come in," said a cockney voice shrill with youth in answer to her tap, and the child obeyed.

Though this room was of the same size and shape, it was very different from that of the comtesse. The plain furniture was stiffly arranged, and there was no litter of clothing or small feminine belongings. By the window, which gave a glimpse of the sea and of Monaco rock, with the old part of the palace, a plump young girl sat with a baby a year or two old in her arms and a nurse's cap on her smooth head.

"You invited me to come down after I'd had my dejeuner, so I came," said the child.

"Right you are, Miss Rosemary," returned the plump girl. "You're such a quaint little body you're a regular treat. I declare I ain't 'alf sure I wouldn't rather talk to you than read the Princess Novelettes. Besides, I do get that tired of 'earin' nothin' but French I'm most sorry I undertook the job, and the biby don't pick up Hinglish much yet."

"Don't you think he's a bright baby?" asked the child, sitting down on a footstool, which was a favorite seat of hers.

"For a French biby 'e 's as bright as you could expect," replied her hostess judicially.

"Are they different?"

"Well, they ain't Hinglish."

"I'm half American," said the little girl.

"You don't talk through your nose. Far as I can see you've got as good haccent as me."

"I suppose yours is good?" asked Rosemary, as if she longed to have a doubt set forever at rest.

"Rather! Ain't I been brought out from London on purpose so as this biby can learn to speak Hinglish instead of French? It's pretty near the sime thing as bein' nursery governess. Madame wouldn't trust her own wye of pronouncin' the languidge. She must 'ave a Hinglish girl."

"And she sent for you on purpose?" the child inquired, with increasing respect.

"Well, I was the only one as would come at the price. 'Tain't big wages, but I'm seein' loife. Lor', I come down here with madame and mounseer a fortnight ago, and Monte Carlo ain't got many secrets from me. I was a duffer, though, at first. When I 'eerd all them shots poppin' off every few minutes up by the Casino I used to think 'twas the suicides a-shootin' theirselves all over the place, for before I left 'ome I 'ad a warnin' from my young man that was the kind of goin's on they 'ad here. But now I know it's only the pigeon shooters tryin' for prizes, and I wouldn't eat a pigeon pie in this 'otel, not if 'twas ever so!"

"Do they ever have them?" asked the little girl, awed.

"Not as I knows of, but they may for Christmas. Itsye, are you lookin' forward to your Christmas, kiddy?"

"Angel—that's mother, I mean—says I'm not goin' to have much of a Christmas this year. I'm trying not to mind. I suppose it's because Santa Claus can't get to the Riviera with his sleigh and reindeer. How could he, Miss Jane, when there's no snow and not even a scrap of ice?"

"Pshaw!" said Miss Jane. "It ain't Santa Claus brings you things, snow or no snow. Only babies believe that. You're old enough to know better. It's your father and mother does it all."

"Are you sure?" asked Rosemary.

"Dead sure. Don't be a silly and cry now, just because there ain't any Santa Claus nor any fairies."

"It isn't that," said the little girl. "It's because I can never have any more Christmases if it depends on a father. You know, I haven't a father."

"I supposed you 'adn't, as 'e ain't 'ere with yer ma," replied the young person. "She's mighty pretty."

"I think she's the prettiest mother in the world," said Rosemary proudly.

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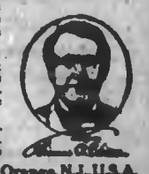

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ROSEMARY IN SEARCH OF A FATHER . .

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"She don't look much like a mother."

The child opened her eyes very wide at this new point of view. "I couldn't have a mother who looked any other way," she said. "What do you think she does look like?"

"Silly puss! I only mean she isn't much more'n a kid 'erself."

"She's twenty-five, twenty whole years more than me. Isn't that old?"

"Lawks, no! I'm goin' on seventeen myself. I 'aven't got any father, no more'n you 'ave, so I can feel for you. Your ma 'as to do typewritin'. Mine does charrin'. It's much the sime thing."

"Is it?" asked Rosemary. "Angel doesn't like typewriting so very well. It makes her shoulder ache, but it isn't that she minds. It's not having enough work to do."

"Bless your hinnercent 'eart, charrin' mikes you ache all over! Betcher loife my ma'd chinge with yours if she could."

"Would she? But Angel doesn't get on at all well here. I've heard her telling a lady she lent some money to and wanted to have it back after awhile. You see, when we were left poor, people said that she could make lots of money in Paris, because they pay a good deal there for the things Angel does, but others seemed to have got all the work for themselves before we went over to Paris to live, so some friends she had told her it would be better to try here, where there was no—no com—com"—

"No compertishun," suggested the would be nursery governess.

"Yes, that's the right word, I think. But there was some, after all. Poor Angel's so sad. She doesn't quite know what we'll do next, for we haven't much money left."

"She's got a job of char—I mean typin' today anyhow," said Jane.

"Yes, she's gone to a hotel, where a gentleman talks a story out loud and she puts it down on paper. She's been three times, but it's so sad. The story is a beautiful one, only she doesn't think he'll live to finish it. He came here to get well, because there's sunshine and flowers, but his wife cried on Angel's shoulder in the next room to his and said he would never, never get well any more. Angel didn't tell me, for I don't think she likes me to know sad things, but I heard her saying it all to a lady she works for sometimes, a lady who knows the poor man. I don't remember his name, but he's what they call a genius."

"It's like that out here on the Riviera," said Jane, shaking her head so gloomily that the ruffled cap wabbled. "Lots of ill people come, as well as those who wants fun and throwin' their money about. In the midst of loife we are in death. Drat the biby, I believe 'e's swallowed 'is tin soldier! No, 'ere it is on the floor. But, as I was sayin', your ma and mine might be sisters in some wyes. Both of 'em lost their 'usbins, young"—

"How did your father get lost?" Rosemary broke in, deeply interested.

"'E went to the dogs," replied Jane mysteriously.

"Oh!" breathed the child, thrilled with a vague horror. She longed intensely to know what had happened to her friend's parent after joining his lot with that of the dogs, but was too delicate minded to continue her questioning after such a tragic beginning. She wondered if there were a kind of dreadful dog which made a specialty of eating fathers. "And did he never come back again?" she ventured to inquire at last.

"Not 'e. You never do, you know, if once you goes to the dogs. There ain't no wye back. I was wonderin' since we've been acquainted, kiddy, if your pa didn't go the sime road. It 'appens in all clarses."

"Oh, no; my father was lost at sea, not on the road, and there aren't any dogs there—at least I don't think so," said Rosemary.

"If it's only the sea 'as swallered 'im, 'e may be cast up again any day alive an' bloomin'," replied Jane cheerfully. "My ma 'ad a grite friend; sold winkles. 'Er 'usbin was lost at sea for years and years till, just w'en she was comfortably settled with 'er second, along 'e comes, as large as loife. Besides, I've read of such things in the Princess Novelettes, only there it's most generally lovers, not 'usbins nor yet fathers. Would you know yours again if you seen 'im?"

Rosemary shook her head doubtfully, and her falling hair of pale, shimmering gold waved like a wheatfield shaken by a breeze. "Angel lost him when I was only two," the child explained. "She's never talked much to me about him, but we used to live in a big house in London—because my father was English, you know, though Angel's American—and I had a nurse who held me in her lap and told me things. I heard her say to one of the servants once that my father had been lost on a yacht and that he was, oh, ever such a handsome man. But—but she said"—Rosemary faltered, her gray blue eyes suddenly large and troubled.

"What was it she said?" prompted Jane, with so much sympathetic interest that the little girl could not refuse to answer. Nevertheless she felt that it would not be right to finish her sentence.

"If you please, I'd rather not tell you what nurse said," she pleaded. "But, anyway, I'd give everything I've got if my father would get found again. You see, it isn't only not having proper Christmases any more that makes me feel sad; it's because Angel has to work so hard for me, and if I had a father I s'pose he'd do that."

"If 'e didn't he'd deserve to get what for," said Jane decidedly. "If you was a child in a story book, your pa'd come back and be lookin' for you everywhere on Christmas eve—this Christmas eve as ever was."

"Oh, would he?" cried Rosemary, a bright color flaming on her little soft cheeks.

"Yes, and, what's more," went on her hostess, warming to the subject, "you'd know 'im the hinstant you clapped heyes on his face by 'eaven sent hinstinct."

"What's 'eaven sent hinstinct?" demanded Rosemary.

"The feelin' you 'ave in your 'eart for a father wot's planted there by Providence," explained Jane. "Now, do you hunderstand? Because if you do I don't know but you'd better be trottin'. Biby's gorn to sleep and seems to be sleepin' light."

"Yes, I think I understand," Rosemary whispered, jumping up from her footstool. "Goodby. And thank you very much for letting me come to see you and the baby."

She tiptoed across the room, her long hair waving and shimmering again, softly opened and shut the door behind her and slowly mounted the stairs to her own quarters on the fourth floor.

Chapter Five

SHE had a doll and a picture book there, but she had looked at the picture book hundreds of times, and, though her doll was a faithful friend, somehow they had nothing to say to each other now. Rosemary flitted about like a will-o'-the-wisp and finally went to the window, where she stood looking wistfully out.

Supposing that Jane were right and her father came back out of the ocean like the fathers of little girls in story books, this might be a very likely place for him to land, because there were such lots of sea, beautiful, sparkling, blue sea. Of course he couldn't know that Angel and she were in this town, because it was only about a month since they came. It must be difficult to hear things in ships, and he might go away to look for them somewhere else without ever finding them here.

Little thrills of excitement running from Rosemary's fingers to her toes felt like vibrating wires. What could she do? Jane had said if he came at all he was sure to come on Christmas eve, according to the habit of fathers, and it was Christmas eve now. By and by it would be too late, anyhow for a whole year, which was just the same as forever and ever. Oh, she must go out this very minute!

The child had put on her hat and coat before she remembered that Angel had told her she must never stir beyond the hotel garden alone. But, then, Angel probably did not know this important fact about fathers lost at sea returning on Christmas eve and not at any other time.

If she waited until Angel came in it might be after sunset, as it had been yesterday, and then, even if they hurried into the street to search, they could not recognize him in the dark.

"I do think Angel would surely want me to go if she knew," thought Rosemary.

Her heart was beating fast under the little dark blue coat. What a glorious surprise for Angel if she could bring a tall, handsome man into this room and say: "Dearest, now you won't have to work any more or cry in the night when you think I've gone to sleep. Here's father, come back out of the sea."

"Oh, oh!" she cried and ran from the room, afraid of wasting another instant.

The sallow young concierge had often seen the child go out alone to disappear round the path that circled the hotel and play in the dusty square of grass which, on the strength of two orange trees and a palm, was called a garden. He thought nothing of it now, when she nodded in her polite little way and opened the door for herself. Five minutes later he was reading of a delicious jewel robbery which had happened in a tunnel near Nice and had forgotten all about Rosemary's existence.

The little girl had an idea that she ought to go to the place where ships came in, and as she had more than once walked to the port with her mother she knew the way very well.

Two white yachts were riding at anchor in the harbor, but no one had come on shore who looked handsome enough for a father to be recognized by "'eaven sent hinstinct" the moment you set eyes upon him. Rosemary stood by the quay for a few minutes uncertain what to do. Two or three deep eyed, long lashed Monegasque men smiled at her kindly, as Monegasque men and Italians smile at all children. She had learned to lisp French with comparative fluency during the months she and Angel had spent in Paris, and now she asked where the people went who had come in on those pretty white ships.

"Those are yachts," said one of the deep eyed men, "and the people who come on them are rowed to shore in little boats. Then they go quickly up the hill to the Casino—that big white building there—so that they can put their money on a table or take somebody else's money off."

"I have always seen dishes put on tables," said Rosemary, "never money. If I went there could I take some off? I should like to have a little very much."

"So would we all," smiled the deep eyed man, patting her head. "They would not let you in, because you are too young."

"I want to find my father, who has been on the sea," the child explained. "Do you think he might be there?"

"He is sure to be there," said the deep eyed man, and he and the other men laughed. "If you sit on a bench where the grass and flowers are outside the Casino d or and watch, perhaps you will see him come down the steps. But you are small to be out all alone looking for him."

"It's very important for me to find my father before it is dark," said Rosemary. "So I thank you for telling me, and now goodby."

Daintily polite, as usual, she bowed to them all and started up the hill.

As she walked briskly on she studied with large, starry eyes the face of every man she met, but there was not a suitable father among them. She was still fatherless when she reached the place of the Casino, where she had often come before to walk in the gardens or on the terrace at unfashionable hours with her mother on Sundays or other days when, unfortunately, there was no work to do.

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ALTHOUGH she may not be permitted to take any part in the actual festivities given for a débutante sister or friend, it is still possible for a younger girl to derive considerable pleasure as well as much knowledge that will be of service to her later on if she is willing all through the winter so far to forget herself as to be always on hand to attend to those little details which no servant can superintend and which the débutante herself is far too worried and infinitely too excited to think of.

The girl, for example, who would be sufficiently unselfish of her spare time as to play secretary to her sister and answer all the delightful sounding invitations to luncheons, dinners and balls would awaken a gratitude in that older girl which, repaid when she herself comes out, would mean the success of many a dance. Men friends may be useful when one comes out, but if she is not popular among the older girls no débutante can have a thoroughly successful winter. After all it is through the girls that invitations are given, and the girl who has unselfishly thrown herself into the fun which some older friend is enjoying will more than reap her reward in the winters to come.

In the actual making up of the list for the big reception at which a débutante is to be formally introduced there is not any real work which a younger sister can do to help, unless perhaps she will take this opportunity of compiling neatly in a large, alphabetically arranged address book a complete visiting list. Such a book is a real necessity all through life and is an especially useful possession during a débutante's first season, when entertainments, both large and small, are being constantly given in her honor. In order that as many mistakes as possible may be avoided invitations for large and formal entertainments are now generally sent out by some firm which makes a regular profession of such affairs, but considerable expense can, of course, be saved for a new gown or theatre party if there is some one at home sufficiently reliable to undertake this somewhat difficult and confusing task. Or perhaps if a girl is desirous of eking out her allowance she may be permitted to take all charge of addressing and sending out the invitations and receive the remuneration that would otherwise go to some agent.

Naturally no girl should attempt to carry out such an undertaking unless her penmanship is both neat and legible, for a carelessly or untidily addressed envelope is considered a shocking breach of etiquette and is bound to prejudice the recipient.

THE time of all others when a younger sister or girl friend can be of use to the débutante and when she can at the same time obtain untold pleasure herself is the day of the coming out tea. In order that the débutante herself may be in no way tired and may look her very best in the afternoon she should not be allowed to appear at all before the morning is half over and she should then be spared every possible bother and fatigue. This certainly necessitates that the younger sister be down early for breakfast to get together and sort out all the cards that will come by the first post (for each one of these cards is necessarily obliging, for future reference); to be ready to receive all telephone messages and to see that the first early instalment of flowers is carefully unpacked and the card properly labelled. Not even the cleverest débutante or the most vigilant younger sister could possibly remember at the end of the reception by whom each bouquet had been sent, so that the only known means of writing a satisfactory note of thanks to the donor is to mark on each card as the bouquet arrives a full description of the flowers—Jacque roses, American beauties, three dozen chrysanthemums, shower bouquet of lilies of the valley, large corsage bouquet of orchids and gardenias, &c. The description will frequently call to mind the exact bouquet, and a really sincere note can thus be written, but even when this is not possible a girl will receive great credit for a letter of thanks stating how much pleased she has been with a certain carefully described bunch of pink roses. When the donor has seen at least fifty bunches of pink roses she is astonished beyond measure that her bouquet should have made such an evident impression. These letters of thanks should be written within two or three days at most after the reception, and a younger sister can assist greatly in this task by writing to all those who are not sufficiently intimate as to recognise any difference in handwriting.

No real attempt at decoration can well be attempted with the superb flowers which it is now the accepted custom for the interested friends and relatives to send to a débutante, for the flowers arrive so intermittently during the morning, and many of them so short a time before the guests are to arrive, that any regularity of grouping is extremely difficult. It must be remembered that the more well known florists, who are apt to receive the largest orders, will in all probability be among the latest to send these out—for one reason that there may be no question of orders received late in the day not being filled, for another that the flowers shall be given no opportunity of drooping or losing their first exquisite freshness. It is therefore well to leave places in prominent positions where the handsomest bouquets will be most conspicuous and to have at hand plenty of the small bunches with which to fill in odd vacancies.

IT'S all very well for a débutante to make up her mind definitely that she will receive no flowers of any kind, so that she will then be pleased at any number, however small, that may be sent her; but really this is superfluous modesty for the average débutante, and it is much the best plan for her to order from the florist a large wire screen to stand directly behind where she and her mother are to stand in receiving their guests, and in this to place as they arrive a sufficient number of bouquets to form one complete bank of flowers. Even if there are no flowers left to be placed anywhere else in the room such a screen will show off to best advantage each individual bouquet.

In a large house where there are from three to four or more rooms to be thrown open for the reception it is a mistake to spread the flowers about too much. Concentrated masses will give infinitely more effect. The best plan is to literally mass the flowers in the main reception room, where the guests will enter and receive their first impression, if necessary leaving only a few vases of cut flowers in the other rooms.

In a room having a high mantel with a mirror above a charming effect can be obtained with comparatively few bouquets. The mantel board should first be covered with separate bunches arranged with apparent carelessness, but in reality being so placed that there is some added height noticeable toward the centre or at each side. A screen should then be made of cords attached to picture hooks in the moulding and fastened at the other end by nails in the floor and cords tied across this, forming squares to hold in the bouquets, which are thus firmly held in place. If the woodwork of the mirror or the wall covering is not especially valuable this arrangement can be more easily managed by simply tacking or nailing pieces of cord or wire across the length of the mantel and slipping the ends of the flowers in behind.

With tall, not too wide spreading firs or Christmas trees, which can so easily be obtained at this season, handsome bouquets can be most effectively shown. The trees should be placed in the corners of the room or at each side of the mantelpiece and the flowers tucked in among the branches. If there are a number of these trees it is frequently attractive to separate the flowers so as to have on one all pink roses, on another only American Beauties, and so on, or, perhaps, one corner of the room, or one whole salon if there are enough flowers, may be kept entirely pink. As a rule, however, all flowers blend so beautifully that no better effect can be obtained than by placing side by side blooms of all imaginable kinds and colors.

In arranging the bouquets it should be borne in mind that only those which are comparatively high up will be noticeable, for the throng in the room will hide all that are placed below the range of vision, saving, of course, those which are on the screen as a background for the débutante and her mother. For this reason it is well to place bouquets wherever they can possibly be made to stay—on the wall, behind side lights, picture frames or on top of any high piece of furniture that has not had to be moved out of the room to give space.

At her luncheons and dinners also a younger sister can be invaluable in arranging the cards for the guests, which must needs be done at the last moment and while the young hostess is in all probability occupied in putting the finishing touches to her gown. A really interested young sister, who is perhaps particularly farseeing in the sowing of seeds for a harvest to be reached when she herself is to come out, will always be sure that the flowers on the table are prettily and tastefully arranged and that the color scheme of the decorations will be sure to blend happily with the débutante's costume, an apparently small but tremendously important item.

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"Unless the tea kettle boiling be,
Filling the teapot spoils the tea,"

and girls should learn this by heart, for the reckless manner in which this is disregarded by the average tea maker is nothing short of sacrilege to the lover of good tea. It is not enough, however, to have the water boil—it must freshly boil. Never use water that has been boiling some time. Many a pot of tea is ruined by the fact that the water in the kettle is made to last an hour or more and is drawn upon during that time to replenish the teapot.

Take the greatest possible pains to see that the tea you are serving is hot and fresh. Do not fall into that lazy little way indulged in by some of continuing to pour hot water on the same old tea leaves that first did service earlier in the afternoon. This is inexcusable, and no self-respecting girl should be guilty of such a thing. On the contrary, she should bear in mind that the making of tea may be regarded as a charming rite, that tea has an efficacy all its own and that it is a delightful medium for dispensing cheer and comfort.

If you want to be a genius at tea making, have that capacity for taking infinite pains which is said to be the secret of every form of genius. Have your tea kettle filled with freshly drawn cold water and boiled over alcohol on your tea table. As the water reaches boiling point pour a little in the teapot and let it stand there till the pot is thoroughly heated. Then empty the teapot and put into it the tea leaves, measuring a spoon to each person and one for the pot. As by this time the kettle "boiling be," the water is poured on the tea leaves and the pot is quickly covered with a "cosey" to protect it from the air while the tea brews for two minutes. Take this opportunity to heat the cups by pouring into each one a little hot water from the kettle. Always put the sugar first into the cup after the heating process is over, then the tea, poured through a strainer, and last the slice of lemon when lemon is desired. But if cream is preferred you must go about it in quite a different way, putting the cream on the sugar before adding the tea.

It makes all the difference in the world whether the tea is poured onto the cream or the cream onto the tea, as any connoisseur knows. The ingredients must blend, and well blended tea is achieved by pouring the scalding hot liquid on the cream and sugar. Taken the other way, with the cream dabbed in at the end, the perfect flavor is destroyed.

When presiding at a tea table be very alert and have all your wits about you. You have a dual responsibility—to be as charming as possible and also to cleverly dispense the tea. You must be adroit enough to work and play at the same time, for that is what is required of you. Do not be so stupid that you become engrossed in the tea while you are pouring it and fail to make yourself agreeable by smiling and chatting during the process. On the other hand, don't talk so much that you forget your duties and give the person lemon who wishes cream or cream when they ask for lemon.

BEAUTY HINTS FOR YOUNG GIRLS BY THE APRIL GRAND MOTHER

"BEWARE the high, tight collar," warned the April Grandmother solemnly, "for to eradicate the ugly dark line which its continued pressure makes upon the neck will be a matter of considerable time and patient perseverance. Girls who have incipient "stock rings" should promptly begin to get rid of them, and those whose throats are still free from blemishes should bear in mind the axiom that in this respect particularly 'an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure.' But," she continued resignedly, "high, tight collars are so salient a fashion feature of the hour that it is almost impossible to avoid the wearing of them at certain times. However," cheerfully, "much may be done to mitigate their evil effects. The most important step is to regularly renew the blood circulation which the unnaturally tight swathings so cruelly impede, for nothing will so quickly dry, deaden and discolor the throat's cuticle. A brisk, rough rubbing of the throat with a big, broad, coarse-bristled flesh brush will soon cause the blood to circulate freely, and the hot water and soap with which it is lathered will search out all the accumulated grime and dust that are communicated by high collars, while the final cold water douche will tighten and strengthen the muscles. This may safely be done several hours previous to going into the open air, but the best time is at night, when the baths may be followed by a reliable bleaching cold cream application—first taking the precaution to protect the hair line with a ribbon, so that the cream shall not penetrate its roots and give the hair an unpleasantly greasy appearance.

"That most unsightly of feminine physical defects, a red neck, may frequently be traced to a tight collar, but usually to the carelessness of its owner. Girls of the extremely blond type naturally have a thin throat cuticle, which readily roughens and reddens, while the brunettes are often dismayed to discover that the skin of the neck is rapidly becoming deeply, darkly brown. These unpleasant conditions frequently are caused by lack of protection from cold winds or by permitting furs to come into direct contact with the throat. Another very common cause of discoloration is the excessive use of toilet powders, which so clog the throat's cuticle pores that their natural oils are dried out.

"A cranelike throat, suggestive of an over-allowance of bones prone to push themselves to the surface, is often the birthright of the thin-faced girl, who would best start the reforming process before the tissues, shrinking away from the muscles, cause her neck to resemble that of a picked chicken more than anything else in nature.

CARE OF SILVER ORNAMENTS.

COLLEGE girls who are worried because their silver mounted toilet sets, picture frames, desk conveniences and individual tea services so quickly become tarnished and dull looking can readily keep them brilliant by going over them daily with a "witch" cloth such as may be purchased at any large department shop.

Whatever silver is in daily use, like the brushes and the manicure set, may be kept shining by being regularly dipped in soft warm water and castile soap. But care should be taken to handle each piece separately, so that while in the water they may not scratch or indent.

As any silver that is kept in a gas or a stove heated room is certain to quickly tarnish, the girl who is not of methodical habits and finds the daily witch cloth or bath treatment irksome should have her toilet articles lacquered. They need then be merely dusted with a dry towel each morning and occasionally gone over with a slightly dampened cloth, but under no circumstances should they be permitted to get wet.

Once a fortnight any unlacquered silver should be thoroughly cleansed by washing it in warm water softened with ammonia and generously soaped. Each piece should be carefully gone over with a fine, soft sponge kept especially for that purpose, while the dust should be removed from the chasings and handles with a brush. After the silver has been carefully rinsed in clear water let it stand until self-dried and then polish it with ammonia moistened whiting applied with a piece of old flannel.

Charming Home Made Christmas Gifts.

Money Envelopes.

NOW is the time to be making Christmas presents. Indeed, it is already so late that any girl who wishes to make more presents will do well to choose something simple. In making this choice two very simple and easily made gifts are a linen envelope, to carry money when one is travelling, and a case for brooches, collar pins, collar buttons and cuff buttons.

The money envelope is made of white linen, shaped like an envelope. It should be a little larger than a folded dollar bill. The bottom of the envelope is turned up and basted into place, then small scallops are embroidered all around it, including the flap. A little eyelet hole is worked in each upper corner, to hold the safety pins used to fasten the envelope to the clothing, and a buttonhole in the point of the flap, with a small button placed underneath.

The pin case is made of half a yard of flowered ribbon four inches wide and a piece of eiderdown flannel fourteen inches long and almost four inches wide. The ribbon and flannel are laid together, back to back. One end of the flannel is cut into a point, and over this the ribbon is turned, meeting in the centre of the point. Then the flannel is cut stitched to the ribbon. At the other end there will be about two and a half inches of ribbon left. This is hemmed across the end and turned back over the flannel to form a pocket, the sides being over-handed together. To finish three-quarters of a yard of narrow ribbon must be sewed to the point to be tied around the case when it is rolled up.

Dainty Cases.

CASES, attractively covered and daintily finished, perfectly solve the problem of having a special place in which to keep each one of the small articles that are in almost daily use. A charming present is a little oblong shaped flat case covered with corded silk, satin, moire, pressed or hand painted paper. Such a receptacle has double lids, which fasten with an invisible spring and fly open to reveal two satin lined compartments. One of these contains three bolt pins and the other three collar pins of cut silver, set with rhinestones, fresh water pearls or white coral.

A narrow and flat case, scarcely larger than a good sized pocketbook, has a covering of sealskin glace kid or moire silk and a satin lining of matching hue. When opened this case discloses a pair of small but powerful lensed opera glasses mounted in gold, silver or gun metal, and barrel covered with mother of pearl or in material similar to the case covering.

Bridge whist cases of portfolio shape are covered with any of the fine grades of kid or leather, have imitation padlock fastenings and linings of satin or moire. They contain two packs of high grade, gilt edged playing cards, a number of score cards and an ivory tipped pencil.

Vanity cases covered with ivory, mother of pearl, moire or kid contain gilt backed mirrors, gilt puff boxes and change purses and an ivory folding comb.

Rag Baby Doll.

ANY young girl who wishes to carry joy to the heart of a small sister or a niece should promptly set about providing the wee woman with a rag baby—the very latest favorite in dolldom.

The rag baby is dressed in whatever manner best accords with her rank in the doll collection. If she is needed as a parlor maid she wears a plain or figured pink, blue, green or brown lawn dress, a coquettish white cap and a lace frilled muslin apron.

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The Crimson Wigwam

By THEODORE ROBERTS

Author of "The Red Feathers," "Captain Love," "Heming, the Adventurer," "Mary Jane," etc.

Written specially for this edition.

WESTWARD and westward, beyond the voiceless barrens, beyond the hills where dwell the Gray Hunters, eyond the narrow sea and atop the edge f the world, glows the Crimson Wigwam. The spirits of the warriors of the Beothic People tarry at the Crimson Wigwam on their way out from the stony graves, to tell their names, and the tales of their great and little deeds, to the god who dwells therein. Then they continue on the long trail to the valleys of eternal summer.

In the Crimson Wigwam are many wonderful things which in the old days were given to man by the gods, only to be taken back because of the waywardness of man. Among these wonders are: The Red Arrow, The Wallet of Plenty, The Moccasins of the Wind, The Pictures of Wisdom and The Water of Healing.

To the village on the River of Three Fires stole a fearful sickness. It followed on the trail of the hunters who had been slaying the caribou about Wind Lake. The season was that of the southward migration, when the great herds cross the barrens to the extremist valleys, and the ptarmigan cross the bays and dust themselves in the dry loam between the granite boulders on the knolls; when the snipe take wing for the far flight and the leaves singe to blackness on the twisted alders. It was the season of dropping gold in the birch thickets; of rotting berries on the marshes; of haze of lost camp fires across expectant lakes.

Before the dawn, with the white frost, the sickness stole into the lodges of the village. Three of the returned hunters were the first to die. Then a woman turned away from her food, and her eyes from the light, and forgot the voice of her lover. The old women distilled bright liquors from various herbs, according to their knowledge of such things. The priests covered their heads with the head-skins of bear and wolf, and invoked their gods. They pricked their flesh with needles of bone, moistened the ashes of the council-fire with their blood and tossed pellets of it to the four ways. Still the sickness entered the lodges and claimed its helpless victims.

With the coming of the snow and the binding of the ice, the nameless malady increased in deadliness. Then the oldest man of the village—oldest in wisdom as well as in years—called Wolf Master, his great-grandson, to his lodge and told him of the Water of Healing, which was in the Crimson Wigwam atop the western edge of the world.

"Hold straight to the journey," said the oldest man. "Turn not aside for anything save food to strengthen you on the way. Cross the salt water as your wits and courage may tell you how. At the door of the great lodge of dyed skins stand upright and cry, with a fearless voice, that death sits in the lodges of your village and that you have journeyed from the River of Three Fires, without help of magic, in quest of the Water of Healing. Then cover your eyes with your left hand and extend your right, and await what may happen."

Wolf Master tied food in a bag at his belt, armed himself and bound racquets to his feet. His heart shook within him for terror of that journey which no living man before him had undertaken. As he turned his face westward from the shelter of the lodges, a young squaw ran to his side and laid slim hands on his arm. The bloom of health was still in her cheeks and lips. Life still glowed undaunted in her strong young body. Her eyes were alight with more than life.

"Do you hunt to-day?" she asked.

He freed his arm from her hands and drew her against him.

"I hunt a great quarry," he said; and he told her, in a few words, of the Water of Healing.

"Let me go with you," she pleaded, clinging to the furs on his breast.

"Nay," he whispered, "for how could I remember the sufferings of the village and the end of the quest, with your hunger and weariness ever near me? Then would I forsake the trail, that I might hunt food for you and build you a warm lodge."

The maiden saw the truth of his words. For a moment she clung to him—and then turned away. So they parted at the edge of the forest, where the new snow lay gray and unbroken under the gray sky. The girl went back to the stricken lodges, and the brave stepped between the frozen spruces and broke his trail up the wooded slope.

To the west he set his face, flashing through the lifeless wood up to the lifeless barren. A long wind ran before him, between the levels of brooding sky and blanketed earth. It died in a thicket of black spruces, like a wounded animal in its den. The gray canopy of heaven hung lower and snow descended in silent, revolving curtains of white. Wolf Master bent his head to it and held on his way; and love was a fire in his heart that warmed his courage against the ghostly desolation. All day he travelled, breaking a trail that twisted and turned, yet held true to the westward course. So the expert woodsman has ever travelled—saving his strength by edging thickets rather than breaking through, and taking a dozen steps around wind-fall and boulder rather than risking a strain by leaping across.

The storm of snow ceased about noon. The sky cleared, and a cold draught of wind came down from the north. When the early twilight began to gather over the gray waste, Wolf Master sought a resting place in the heart of a thicket of firs. There, with one of his racquets, he dug a trench in the drift. Near by he found fresh tracks of a hare, and above it, between two small spruces, he set a loop of fine thong. Returning to the trench, he built a fire and broiled a fragment of dried deer meat. He wisely chose to make his first day's journey short, so as to season himself gradually to the toil that lay before him. At one end of the trench he laid a bed of fir branches, springy and aromatic. At the other, the fire burned brightly, and the white, melting walls reflected the heat to the couch of boughs.

In the middle night Wolf Master awoke. The fire was low. Stars twinkled frostily in the violet dome of the sky. A light wind ran in the huddled firs and blew an occasional wisp of snow across the trench. Wolf Master fed the fire with a few sticks from the pile of dry wood which he had gathered before retiring. As the flame shot up, two great wolves slunk away from the edge of the trench into the shadows of the trees.

By the red sunrise Wolf Master found that his snare had been robbed. There was blood on the snow. Under the thin, new drift he discerned the tracks of wolves. Anger stirred in him, and a hot desire to hunt down the robbers; but duty held him to the westward trail.

Night after night he set his nooses, at the end of each weary journey; and night after night, the same pair of wolves, following like grim shadows, devoured his catch. At last all of his dried deer meat was eaten and hunger gnawed him. The narrow, unknown sea still lay a day's march ahead. Death faced him, and trotted behind him in the open. Better to seek it while his blood had still some warmth from the last scanty meal than to wait for it to tear him at the last with double agony. So, that night he built no fire and set no snare.

Twice, in quick succession, Wolf Master drew his bow and sped the heavy arrow. The dog-wolf snarled and sprang. The she-wolf yelped and crawled forward with her belly in the snow. The flint knife struck the dog-wolf in the shoulder, and tore hide and muscle. Again it struck, this time wedging between two of the gaunt ribs. Then the hands of the man closed on the neck of the beast. The final struggle was brief.

A day's journey back from the western coast lay the great red carcasses. Wolf Master had taken the pelts from them, and a little of the flesh. The red foxes found them and fed to their heart's content. Jays and snow-birds pecked at the frozen bones.

Wolf Master stood on the shore of the narrow sea, gazing westward and across. He could not see the Crimson Wigwam, for the sun was still low in the east. Ice fringed the gray tide, and the rocks were drifted with snow. The farther shore lay like drifted smoke along the uneasy waters. The air was bitterly cold; and in all that wide outlook nothing stirred but the wind and the sea. The warrior's courage faltered and sickened. Who was he to dare those unknown perils?—to brave the sliding, shifting waters on which no man had ventured before him?—to stand at the door of a god's lodge? His spirit cowered within him; his limbs shook; his belly yearned for food.

Strengthened by the meat of a great sea-bird, which he had stalked and killed, Wolf Master took fresh heart for the completion of the adventure. By the slanting sun of the previous evening he had seen the walls of the Crimson Wigwam so close that it seemed as if an arrow, shot high, would rouse the god from his retreat. Now only the rocking sea and the belt of smoky hill lay between him and the guardian of the magic water.

With fire and his stone axe, he felled a dozen spruce trees. He trimmed them of their branches and dragged them to the edge of the tide. There he bound them together with thongs cut from the raw hides of the wolves. He shaped rough paddles of spruce and fir. Such game as he could procure—a brace of ptarmigan, several gulls and a hare—he roasted at his fire, let freeze and bound securely to his raft.

THE VICE-REGAL VISIT TO BERMUDA
Earl Grey and Mark Twain en route to the coral reefs, which form part of the Bermudian archipelago

The morning sky was heavy, the wind was raw and from the east, when he launched his rude float from the rocks onto the desolate waters. The raft rode so deep that it was awash with every wave. It was sluggish, too, and the reckless voyager had to work desperately, with his pole of spruce, to get it clear of the shore. Once away from the rocks the wind helped him. He paddled until he was tired, standing upright, with the icy water streaming over his moccasined feet. He found it no easy matter to keep his balance, so sidling and erratic was the action of the sea.

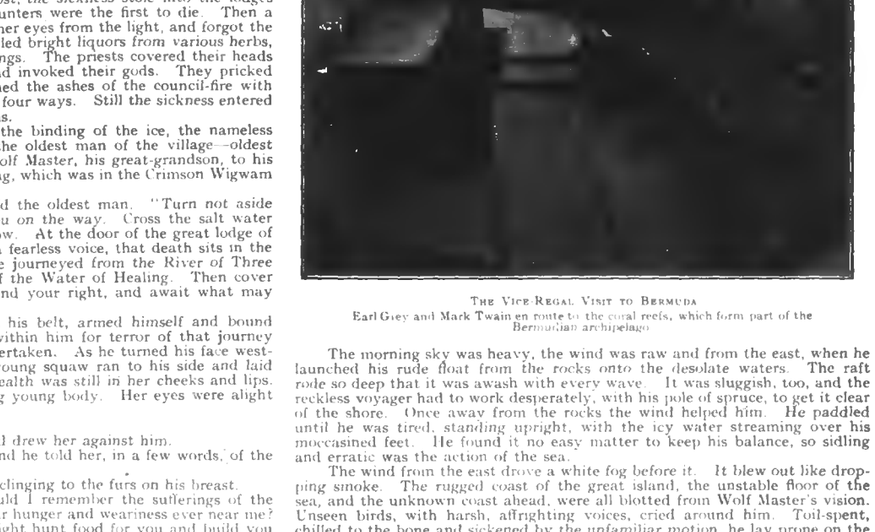
The wind from the east drove a white fog before it. It blew out like dropping smoke. The rugged coast of the great island, the unstable floor of the sea, and the unknown coast ahead, were all blotted from Wolf Master's vision. Unseen birds, with harsh, affrighting voices, cried around him. Toil-spent, chilled to the bone and sickened by the unfamiliar motion, he lay prone on the raft and clung to the straining thongs of hide by which it was held together. Indifferent to danger, and weak beyond naming, he sank, at last, into a profound slumber.

The sleep of exhaustion lasted many hours. The wind slackened and fell. The fog thinned and rolled southward. The sea quieted. The sun shone in the west, illuminating the walls of the Crimson Wigwam till they burned like fire. Soon the dusk flooded from the east and stars glinted overhead. Weird voices floated on the bitter air—the voices of the spirits of the wilderness. In the north a red curtain fell across the stars, shook east and west with silver and violet in its folds, and wavered along the hill tops. The gods of the north were dancing, beyond their walls of eternal ice.

Wolf Master's sleep of exhaustion slowly deepened towards the verge of the sleep of death. The while his blood pulsed slower and slower, he dreamed of summer and love. His leather garments were frozen stiff, and the raft was heavy with a casing of new ice. And still he slumbered, dreaming of summer along the valley of the River of Three Fires. Shortly before dawn a northing and landward current drew the raft toward the shore of the unknown land. Sea-birds swooped above it, veering and returning. A bright figure waded into the water and lifted the body of the brave from the sodden raft. The face of the god was tender. The arms of the god were strong and warm.

When Wolf Master recovered consciousness he found himself lying on a caribou hide in the open. The blood ran warm in his veins. Weariness had left him. He was clothed in a new coat made from the skins of silver foxes. Gloves of mink skin were on his hands, and on his feet were moccasins trimmed with dyed porcupine quills. Beside him, in a bag of oiled skin, lay what he knew to be the Water of Healing. He sat up and looked about him. In front ran the narrow sea, gray as steel under the high sun. Beyond it lay the rugged shores of the great island from which he had come. But nowhere could he see the Crimson Wigwam.

He fastened the bag of water to his belt and got to his feet. A strange sensation of buoyancy—of strength and lightness—possessed him. He sprang into the air and felt the invisible currents firm under his feet. Then he knew that he wore the Magic Moccasins of the Wind. So he ran eastward, swift as flying brant, high across the gray sea, the black hills and the white, desolate barrens.



THE LATE DR. DRUMMOND IN HIS STUDY
This picture shows the author of "The Habitant," seated at the desk on which were penned many of the charming poems dealing with French-Canadian Life that have made the name of Drummond a literary asset to Canada.

In the chief's lodge in the village on the River of Three Fires, sorrow crouched in the shadows. The daughter of the chief lay unconscious, stricken with the sickness. From the outer glare came Wolf Master, her lover, with the Water of Healing in his hands. Kneeling beside the couch of skins, he held it to her lips. Straightway she opened her eyes—and life was returned to them, and love still glowed in their depths.

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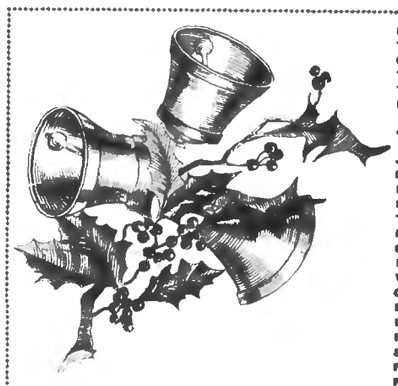

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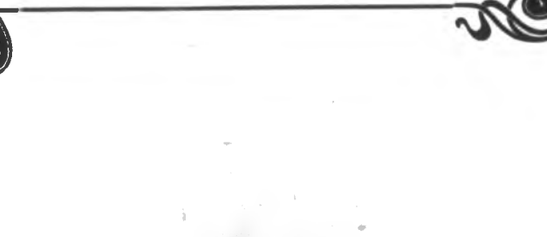

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"MOTHER, Mother! How can I bear it, never to see, never again to read the music he has written?—blind, blind forevermore!" With a cry the girl fell upon her knees, and buried her face in her mother's lap.

"My baby! My little one!" were the only words the mother breathed, but in her heart, with David of old, she cried in anguish: "Would God I could die for thee!"

"The Music of the Trees."

Little by little the child—she was scarcely seventeen—grew calmer. Exhausted by the vehemence of her grief the sobbing cries became fainter, until she lay motionless, save for an occasional tremulous, quick-catching breath.

The daylight faded into early twilight, and still mother and daughter did not move. In those crucial moments they were facing the new problem of their lives, and drawing from an unseen power strength to meet and master a seemingly overwhelming sorrow.

For many weeks this dark cloud had overshadowed them, but today all they had feared had come upon them.

"Do you remember," came in low tones, "it was this very week you were to see the master, and ask if he would take me for his pupil?" A pressure of the hand was the reply. "Now that can never be." Then, as a tear dropped from her mother's cheek upon her hand, the girl started, crying almost joyously: "But I have seen him—nothing can ever take that from me. Think what that will always mean, even if I have not spoken to him. Why, I can see him now"—and excitedly the girl stood up—"see him just as he looked the day he directed the last concert. That splendid head, those deep-set eyes, one instant filled with fury, the next with tenderness. Can you not hear it—that immortal symphony which he has never heard with outward ears?

"Ah! little did I think that day how soon Fate would knock at my door, and snatch all my plans, ambitions, fondest hopes——" and the gold-crowned head drooped sadly. "No, no, I am not crying, my tears have all been shed. I feel through this affliction I can better comprehend what he has borne these many years—understand beyond others what deafness means to a musician. Oh, dearest comforter," and the girl threw her arms about her mother, drawing her closer, "now I can tell you all, tell you what his music has meant to me since I have known what music meant; how it draws my very soul to his. There is no shame, my mother, in my telling this to you, for being blind I never can be just like others girls, and you must be to me husband, children, mother—all."

When Grief, the terrible one, enters the door the strongest are shaken, the bravest quail—all shrink from the unwelcome guest. Days and weeks go by, and still he stays, and slowly the lesson is learned, that the intruder can never be driven away, and only by the readjustment of one's life can power be gained to bear his presence.

The blow which had fallen upon her child struck to the mother's heart, and pierced it as with a thousand arrows. Only by mothers can this mother's grief be measured. Every phase of passionate rebellion was hers, fought and conquered only in the midnight loneliness of her sleepless hours. Over and over the woman lived the years of her child's life, murmuring: "She was sent to save me from despair the time her father died, and through poverty and struggle she was my one joy." Then a faint smile would come and she would whisper: "It was the summer she was seven that she could play from memory the 'Bagatelles.' Each year how tall and fair she grew, always loving, but her one desire to which she gave everything—time, thought, her very self—was to be worthy to interpret the master's music." Then bitterly this poor human heart would cry: "Now all is ended. Why could it not have been my faded, useless eyes that closed, and not hers, with all life's promises before them?"

As the weeks went by the exaltation of sorrow, as it might be called, faded, and left the blind girl listless, weary, struggling when with her mother for a cheerfulness which did not for one instant deceive the eyes of Love. They know not love who say that "Love is blind"—nay, nothing makes the eyes so keen as love. By its power virtues shine with a resplendent light, and faults, while seen, are hidden from unfriendly criticism, till love so changes them that they become the very gold of character.

With sinking heart, day by day, the woman marked the increased pallor of the girl's face; the feebleness with which she groped her way. The one hour of the day in which she seemed her former self was at dusk, when, seated at her loved instrument, all her despairing longings were voiced in exquisite harmonies.

"She cannot live and bear this long," the mother would whisper, as she listened outside the door.

It was one glorious evening, when the unusually long pause which followed this most beautiful of adagios told of the struggle being waged within.

Suddenly the woman stood erect, the tears not dried upon her cheek, but a new light in her eyes, and a firm resolve irradiating her face—"Yes, that will help, and that only; tomorrow I will go to him."

It was nearly the close of the following long summer day, when, in answer to a low knock, an elderly woman opened the door of one of the seemingly endless apartments which lined each side of the narrow, dark street.

"The master is out, but you can wait; he will soon come," said the housekeeper as she disappeared.

Almost timidly the visitor sat down in the cheerless room, near a table, dusty and disordered, strewn with manuscript, on top of which lay a slate and pencil. As the woman's eyes fell upon this she exclaimed inaudibly, taking up the pencil: "This is the better way—I will write it all and go; he will not need my presence; it will be easier for us both if he reads it by himself. He has known grief and disappointment, and as heart answereth to heart, so will he respond to what I ask."

"Revered Master:

"I am unknown to you, and so my name would count for nothing. I come to you out of the depths of my great need, as one stricken human soul cries to the one on earth who can comprehend and help, and yet I plead not for myself, but for one dearer than life—my child.

"How can I make you understand that you and your music have been through all the years of her young girlhood almost as the breath of her life? The consummation of all her tireless work was to become your pupil. This star of hope which guided her for years has sunk in blackest night, for now she is blind—hopelessly blind—Daily I see her grow weaker, the spring of action, of desire, broken, and I know unless some stimulus is given, she will slip forever from my arms.

"You and you only, can make her feel there is something still for her to do for music. Each night at twilight she sits for hours and plays what you have written.

"Would it be asking too great a gift if on one of your nightly wanderings you should pass a little house, but three doors from where your nephew Carl has lived, and should hear your own familiar music, you would stop and enter, speak and give to my blind, grief-stricken child, from out of your deep experience, courage to bear her lot?

"She knows nothing of my visit to your room, nor of this letter, written by her mother."

Again and again by the fast-fading daylight, the master read this mother's cry for help, and the written words seemed to bring before him every harsh, untoward circumstance of his own life. He saw himself a little boy, dragged from his bed after midnight by a drunken father, and forced to practice for hours.

"I can forgive and forget that," the man muttered, "but this is harder to forgive, and forgetfulness is denied me," and he lifted a clumsy ear-trumpet which hung by his side, regarding it with a melancholy smile.

"What demon guided my father's hand that he should always strike my ears whenever I came into his presence, and destroy the keenest sense a musician craves?" And restlessly he paced up and down the room. "Oh, this ceaseless, unavailing questioning!" And the clenched hands showed the struggle within.

"The world calls me morose, irritable. What does the world know of the tortures I endure in silence? Deaf from my early boyhood, cut off from my kind; denied love, wife, children, home. O Eternal One, Thou alone knowest all, Thou alone canst read my heart!"

And the master stood motionless, covering his face with his hands. With a mighty effort the man roused himself. "This will never do. I must go to her with cheer and comfort. I must show her that these and these," and he touched eyes and ears, "are not what make life worth living. I must prove to her that it is the divine within each one which makes for life, and only as we manifest that life do we really live."

As the master closed his door and stepped into the street a sight of such transcendent beauty met his gaze that he stood motionless, lost in contemplation of nature's loveliness. The leaves of the trees in the neighboring park swayed gently to and fro in the soft summer breeze. The sky was studded with stars, but these paled and faded before the light of the glorious full moon, which seem to ride the heavens as a queen, and sent a shaft of glittering moonbeams before the master as he walked slowly along, his head bent and his hands clasped behind his back.

On and on he walked, apparently without thought of definite direction, and yet as though the way were known and had often been traversed. After many turnings, and just as he passed a little house set somewhat back from the street, some impulse made him lift his ear-trumpet, and, as he did, soft and clear he heard the strains of music.

"Ah!" he exclaimed, "so it is here," and motionless he listened until the movement was completed. Then he whispered: "She has feeling, comprehension; she will understand. I will go in."

Somewhat hesitatingly he entered and tapped gently at the door of the room from which the sounds of music had come.

Almost instantly the door was opened, and in the moonlighted room the girl stood before him, saying in low tones: "Please tell me who it is, for I am blind."

In equally low tones he answered: "And I am deaf. I also am a musician, and hearing music played as only one can play who loves it I ventured to enter. Will you pardon my intrusion?"

The color flamed in the girl's cheeks as she faltered, nervously clasping and unclasping her hands: "It is a pleasure to welcome you, sir. You are a musician. Will you not enter and play to me?"

"Willingly," he replied.

Seating himself at the worn piano the man drew forth tones of such sweetness, such power, that the blind girl, greatly agitated, her hand pressed over her heart to still its beating, drew nearer and nearer, crying involuntarily, "Who are you? You told me you were deaf, and a musician. There is but one who can play like this—you are—the master!" and with fast-falling tears the girl bent and kissed his hand. "It is like some beautiful dream," the child murmured, "and if I stir I shall awake."

She knew not how it was that soon she had unburdened her heart of all its aspirations and lost joys.

"My child," and tenderly the master laid his hand on the bowed head, "I have lived long and suffered much, and this I know, there is a compensation for every trial. Our weak and finite sense too often fails to grasp life's meaning, but the deepest, most heartrending experiences should yield the fullest, richest harvest. [illegible] time—with childish folly have I railed at my deafness. How do I know that without it I could have shut out the world's allurements, and have attained? From your blindness may blossom some marvellous flower of beauty that will live forever."

At this moment the moon, which had been clouded up to this time, came out in full splendor, and sent a flood of light into every corner of the tiny room.

"How wondrously beautiful, how heavenly the moonlight is," the man murmured; then, turning to the girl and regarding her compassionately, he continued: "I will make you see the moonlight with your inward sense—the spiritual. I will improvise for you a Moonlight Sonata. You shall be its inspiration, its motive power."

There was a deep and pregnant silence in the room, as the master's rugged head sank down upon his breast; then softly his fingers pressed the keys, and there flowed forth an infinitely tender melody, which crept gently on, even as the moonbeams' light creeps over the earth. Filled with the sadness of all the ages, there was yet the calm, the dignity, which speaks of love and conquered sorrow.

"Oh, I can bear all things now!" the girl whispered, leaning forward, fearful to lose one magic strain.

Seeing the wrought tension in the child's face, the player said: "Now I will show you how the moon sprites dance."

And quick to answer to his change of thought the girl cried gleefully: "O, I can see them twining their arms about each other, their pale moonbeam tresses waving as they float hither and thither, now singly, now in groups."

Beethoven's Dream — By De Lemunc

Then a darker mood seized the man, and the keys under his fingers rang out in bitter protest, in fiery rebellion.

Agitated, trembling, the girl crouched by his side, but he was oblivious to all—the little room, the blind girl—only the genius, the Titan was there, battling with Destiny. Then the waves of sound surged about him, as the roar of the mighty ocean, proclaiming in triumph, "All thy storms have gone over me, but have not quenched me. I rise above time and circumstance, for I am deathless—immortal."

As, pale and exhausted with emotion, he rose to go, the girl cried tremulously: "What have you not done for me—what have you not given me?"

And gently the master said: "I have given you love, courage, faith, for I have given you the 'Moonlight Sonata.'"

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Bathing at the Hotel Wawa, Lake of Bays District, Highlands of Ontario

Canada as a Summer Resort

Written especially for this edition.

ONE of the available assets of Canada, and a source of ever-increasing revenue to the Dominion, is her growing popularity as a summer resort. It has been stated that twelve million dollars is spent annually in Maine by tourists. This is because Maine is old, advertised, and famous as a place where weary mortals may rest, where the fisherman may fish, and the huntsman hunt; but when Canada becomes known to the people of the Republic, who, of course, make up the bulk of the summer travel, millions of dollars will be spent here.

This will not detract, in any measure, from other out-door places, because the more men go the more they want to go. It is becoming more and more a recognized fact, that every man, woman, and child should have, at least once a year, a holiday—a loafing season. Even Hetty Green, the richest woman in the world, takes a holiday every year and goes back to the simple life in the woods—loafs and lounges in the little country town up in New England where the people are quaint, original and honest;

"Where the creeks are clear, and the skies blue,
And the hearts of the people kind and true;
Where folks do just as they want to do—
Folks that are livin' in the country."

The Lake of Bays is far the largest lake in the Huntsville District. From the deck of the "Iroquois" or "Mohawk" can be seen some inland scenery unsurpassed. The wooded hills billow away in every direction, not a rough, inhospitable shore always, for here and there are wide open reaches running down to the lake and sometimes away high on the hills are fine farms, from which the lakeside hotels draw new garden truck, fresh butter, buttermilk and sweet cream for the summer tourists. There is a ten-mile sail across the Lake of Bays, but many an enthusiast has taken off his hat long before he has reached the half-way island, and named her Queen of Lakes as she smiled up at the blue sky, her emerald island jewels glowing upon her quiet breast. The very trees that top the high hills that surround her shores seem to sing the praises of the Lake of Bays.

The natural charm and accessibility of this section are making friends year by year for the Huntsville District, of which the Lake of Bays is easily the chief charm.

Dwight Bay, with its green shore curving caressingly around it, and sloping gently and gradually back, sheltering groves with open evenness running down to the water edge, through which we get glimpses of open fields beyond, long reaches of slanting sandy beaches, where babes can bathe in absolute safety; cunning little cottages, picturesque summer houses, the white church, the schoolhouse, the hotel, and the "Iroquois" in the offing, that is but a faint hint of a picture of this beautiful Bay. Dwight Bay is its own best advertisement. The fact that the first visitor to this comparatively new resort came twenty years ago from a certain city in the State of New York, went home happy, came again and again, bringing each year others from the same section of that interesting state, speaks well for the Lake of Bays generally, and for Dwight Bay in particular. The Bay, walled in on three sides, is as safe for the canoeist as the shallow beach is for bathers.

The opening paragraph in this description describes the scenes to the north at the head of the Bay. On the west shore the dark-wooded mainland rises abruptly, while the river comes singing in from the east. Sail around the entire shore line, leave and sail all the other lakes in the "Highlands of Ontario," and there will remain with you the memory of Norway Point, Point Ideal, Britannia, and more distictly still, Dwight Bay, the Beautiful.

Of course the people have been coming to the Lake of Bays for a good many years as they have to the Muskoka District, but until 1908 there was not sufficient first-class accommodation to attract a great number of the best class of tourists.

Last year a beautiful hotel called the Wawa was built at Norway Point. Wawa is Indian for "Wild Goose," and as the wild geese go north in summer, so the tourists betake themselves to the Highlands of Ontario and to the Wawa.

When the proposition came up to build a beautiful hotel at Norway Point, where the beach spreads out on the sleeping shore, the Grand Trunk representatives predicted that they would be able to fill the hotel the first season, and with that promise or prediction, the work was commenced. To the surprise of the promoters and the builders of the hotel, the house was filled, not the first season, but the first month it was opened. During the month of June alone three hundred applicants were turned away, representing perhaps five hundred people.

In justification of the assertion at the opening of this article, that the more summer resorts we have, the more people will come, it is interesting to know that the new resort, opening a new pleasure land in the Highlands of Ontario, has actually helped the older resorts in the Muskoka District. Hundreds of people who were unable to find room at the Wawa, hastened to secure accommodation at the Royal Muskoka and other older hotels in the well-known district.

The Huntsville District affords every variety of scenery. The calm pastoral of Vernon, the romantic and rugged mountainous grandeur of Hollow, the fine bathing and quiet scenery of Lake of Bays, and the picturesque beauty, coupled with the unsurpassed fishing and hunting along the entire chain, lend to these waters an attraction and a charm. The ease with which any point along the system may be reached, and the facility with which from the solitude of primeval forests, deep glades, mountain dells, babbling brooks and enchanting lakes (the haunts of fish and game), the tourist may find a base of supplies, together with the superiority of the scenery, are among the causes rendering these lakes such favorite camping resorts.

The Rev. Edward S. Young, of Pittsburg, in an article in The Index, speaking of the Lake of Bays, says: "The Lake of Bays, where the cool breezes blow the purest air the Almighty has thus far manufactured; where groves of spice balsam lift their graceful minarets against the sky; where the old Laurentian rock, one of the oldest of this earth's formations, juts its bald ledge occasionally above the clearing; where the timbered slopes run toward the waters too rapidly for the accumulation of swamps; where the sandy beach gently feels its way into the soft, clear water, that the children may bathe in safety and hilarity; where in the early summer the speckled trout, unwary, seeks the wriggling worm or the artificial fly, and through all the summer down in the cool depths the noble salmon trout awaits the whirl of your otter or archer spinner at the end of your copper troll-line; where the skies and the clouds at sunset make the fading light go farther than Russell Sage could make a ten-dollar bill; where the sone or the call uttered in the twilight or under the moonlight is taken up by the circle of the surrounding hills and played into a melody of echoes; where you can on the cold nights gather around a fireplace crackling with Norway pine and cedar just for the blaze and fragrance, and plenty of beech and hardwood for solid heat; where all the children and all the dyspeptics suddenly turn into one group of appetites; where the insomnia wretch sleeps twenty-six hours out of the day and still more out of the night; where there are no nerves and no worry."

Fish abound. Speckled trout, salmon trout and black bass are plentiful in these waters; while whitefish, salmon trout and speckled trout are found in great quantities in the waters of the surrounding lakes. As a field for the geologist and mineralogist, the district is interesting. Wahawin, a delightful resort consisting of one hundred and forty acres, has a frontage on the Lake of Bays. Beginning at a fine shelving beach, it rises in natural terraces 70 to 80 feet to a plateau above, and is wooded on the slope with the choicest of hardwood trees. The location commands one of the finest views on the lake. Cottages are available here, also fine locations for cottage sites.

Not the least on the charms of Wahawin lies in the many woodland walks radiating in every direction from the cottages. There is a daily mail service by steamer.

Another popular resort is Britannia (on Lake of Bays). Britannia is the first calling point of steamer after leaving South Portage. Located on a fine bay on a sloping hillside, with fine bathing beach, this resort includes some 300 acres of land, part wooded and part cultivated. Extensive additions and improvements have been made here during the past year, and this resort has room capacity for 100 guests; beautifully cleared walks through the woods, along the lake shore, tennis courts and croquet grounds and a fine baseball ground situated on the brow of the hill back of the house overlooking the lake; a large covered pavilion, 100 feet by 42 feet for dancing, musicales, etc., electric lighted, has been erected, and weekly evening excursions to this point are run by the "Iroquois" for social hops or other amusements.

Christmas should be a day of joy, but joy should not be allowed to die out of our lives when the day is past and over. It should stay with us ever after. We should sing the Christmas refrain through all the new year and keep our hearts bright with the cheer and glow of the Christmas thought. We should carry continuallly in our hearts a deeper sense of the presence of God. We should from this time learn to find the beauty and good in all things and show to all the world our belief that since God loves us, and Jesus Christ is our eternal Friend, "all's well with the world" and with us who are in his tender keeping.—Anon.

CHRIST, the perfect babe, is born,
HOLY, holy is the morn.
ROYAL gifts the wise men bring,
INCENSE for immortal King.
SING His praise O angel throng
TILL a world repeats the song,
MAKER, God of Heaven and earth,
ALL shall glorify His birth,
SINGING, Holy is the morn.

The babe lying in a manger, heaven's gift to earth, is the picture we most easily understand of how the glorious life was literally given in love of our race. But the fact of the love that gives itself is none the less when we see that life being lived for others in later years, and at last, as a necessary part of its true and full living, dying for the world.—Henry F. Cope.

In one of the German picture galleries is a painting called "Cloudland." It hangs at the end of a long gallery, and at first sight it looks like a huge, repulsive daub of confused color, without form or comeliness. As you walk toward it, the picture begins to take shape, it proves to be a mass of exquisite little cherub faces, which somehow or other immediately rivet the attention like those at the head of the canvas in Raphael's "Madonna San Sisto." If you come close to the picture, you see only an innumerable company of little angels and cherubim. How often the soul that is frightened by trial sees nothing but a confused mass of broken expectations and crushed hopes! But if that soul instead of fleeing away into unbelief and despair, will only draw up near to God, it will soon discover that the cloud is full of angels of mercy.—(By the Rev. Theodore L. Cuyler, D.D.)

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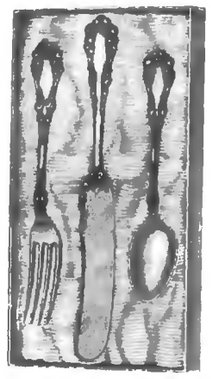

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"MY PICTURES must sell themselves," says St. Thomas Smith, the greatest marine artist that Canada has produced. "My ambition at first was to be a portrait painter and I used to get commissions. But I couldn't do my best work then. It was too commercial."

Such has always been the peculiarity of the "artistic temperament," to appreciate intrinsic values at the expense of material things.

St. Thomas Smith knows a great deal about the forest, the sunshine, the songs of birds, rocks and plains, ocean waves and great open spaces, and the big things of life, he is not so much concerned with the "hams and cheeses." He doesn't decorate Christmas cards; he paints on big sheets the big things of nature.

Born in Belfast of Scotch parentage, he claims to be Scotch because of his long line of Scottish ancestry. At the age of seven he came with his parents and brothers to live on the shores of Lake Simcoe in Beaverton.

Many of the happiest of his boyhood days were spent on the water, and he loved the lake in its every mood. He belonged to a race of sailors. He didn't require to learn the secrets of the great deeps. The understanding of the sea was inborn. Had he not been an artist he would have been a sailor. But instead of exploring the vast bodies of water, he chose to interpret them.

Among his ancestors there had also been artists some who had even acquired reputation. But art as a profession was not very highly regarded by the Scottish parents. The artist's remuneration was too uncertain, and the Scot is born with a practical mind.

At school he didn't distinguish himself by his precocity. He confesses to this day to an aversion to arithmetic. He preferred covering his school books with heads and sketches. And those were the days when the moral value of Art was not recognized in the training of the child. The boy who wasted his time in drawing was more likely than not to be brought into personal contact with the strap.

But the teacher of Beaverton School was a man of broader vision than the average pedagogue of his time. Alex. Muir, who gave to Canada the national song, 'The Maple Leaf Forever," saw merit in the budding artist's work and encouraged him in every way.

St. Thomas Smith has had no happier day in his life than the one on which he was presented with his first box of water color paints. He was only eleven years old, and it filled him with joy to be able to reproduce in colors the things he loved in nature. Crude his pictures were, no doubt, but full of portent of better things.

At the age of nineteen he entered the Art School in Toronto where he acquired technique. A master can teach drawing, but he cannot teach color if it isn't there. Later he was in the studio of J. W. L. Forster.

For a time St. Thomas Smith painted heads and portraits on commission, and very creditable work he did. Then he "found himself." Every one who is really in earnest in life "finds himself" sooner or later. His vocation was the painting truthfully of the sky and the waves of which he had such an intimate knowledge.

"I like the Scotch School of Art," he says, "because the artists paint true to nature. When they are impressionists, they are truthful impressionists. They don't paint pink eyes in green cheeks."

Half tone reproductions can give no adequate idea of St. Thomas Smith's paintings. The reproductions tell something of the form, but they cannot tell of the marvellous coloring, the wonderful atmosphere of the pictures, the almost uncanny fidelity with which he has told the story of sullen seas and lowering skies.

His waves are not choppy, irritable and malicious; they are great billows that rear themselves from mighty deeps, awe-inspiring in their majesty. The ship that is tossed in their midst is a toy of a day, the work of frail human hands; the waves are eternal and "yield homage only to eternal laws."

The artist has felt these things, as well as seen them, and has been enabled to give them significance. "Mid-Ocean" (reproduced on this page) reveals the open sea, dark, deep, blue-green. One doesn't need to be told that the season is October. The sky above tells the story—clouds, slate colored and opaque, clouds light and fleecy, scud along, here and there revealing a glimpse of pale blue sky.

All of St. Thomas Smith's summer months are spent beside the sea, down in Newfoundland, at Gaspe, Cape Breton, Prince Edward Island, the Magdalene Islands, and in Great Britain and Holland.

Newfoundland is his favorite camping place because of the deep water effects he so loves to reproduce, which can be seen near the land. At Land's End in the South of England he has found the same effects.

But he doesn't always paint ships, sombre seas and cloudy skies. Sometimes he paints sunsets, gorgeous but never harsh, again, he paints autumn scenes, warm and rich in coloring. Are these colors true to nature? His answer is "Go and see for yourselves."

Last spring he painted a Canadian rural scene, a little house with blossoming tree beside it, vivid green grass, and above, coming up from the lakes in the distance, black, angry thunder clouds.

"I'd be afraid to have it in the house," said a friend, "I'd be afraid I'd be struck by lightning."

Color, color, color! He revels in color. Canadian winter has never appealed to him because of the monotonous whiteness, the lack of color. He once did a winter scene, however.

Coming over to London from St. Thomas on a South-Western Traction car, he was stalled in a blizzard. All is grist to the artist's mill as well as the writer's. He occupied the time in sketching. A magnificent winter scene was the result. The picture, declared by critics and friends to be one of his finest, was unfortunately lost in the Academy fire in Toronto this year.

Though he has travelled much abroad, visited the art galleries, the schools and the studios of Great Britain and Europe, and become well acquainted with many of the notable artists of the day, he has not yet seen the Canadian Northwest, with its vast plains and great mountains.

He looks forward to the Rocky Mountains, expecting to find inspiration in the majestic rocks that "Man hasn't been able to spoil."

And what manner of man is this artist who strives—and very successfully—to "draw the Thing as he sees It for the God of Things as They Are?"

Dark-haired, dark-moustached, dark-eyed, and of medium height. He doesn't affect artistic negligee nor extreme style in dress that might attract attention to himself. Real geniuses don't need to be eccentric.

When at home, he lives in a quaint old red brick house on Wellington street, in St. Thomas.

'Why did you decide to live in St. Thomas?" he was once asked by an interviewer.

"Because I got my wife in St. Thomas," he replied, with a humorous twinkle in his eye, and that was all the inquisitive reporter could get out of him on that subject, or any other subject.

At the Art School in Toronto he met Miss Julia Payne, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Payne, of Talbotville.

They were married and set up their household gods in St. Thomas in 1889. Mrs. St. Thomas Smith has charge of the department of sculpture in Alma Ladies' College. She is possessed of exceptional talent, and in a large American city might make a fortune in her chosen work. A competent critic, her criticism and encouragement have without doubt been of inestimable value to her husband.

Three charming daughters complete the home circle, the eldest, a clever violinist, the second who has a voice of much promise, and the third, still in school, who bids fair to become the artist of the family.

St. Thomas Smith confesses to even neglecting painting for the fascinations of trout-fishing in the inland waters of Newfoundland.

The collecting of quaint old pieces of brass and china is one of his hobbies. On the mantel of the drawing room of the St. Thomas house are the most delightful old Dutch brass lamps, tea pots and coffee urns. In the corner is a cabinet filled with rare old china and other curios.

"Who is your favorite author?" he was asked one day.

'Hans Christian Andersen," came the rather unexpected reply.

Some friends laugh at him for carrying a volume of Andersen's Fairy Tales with him wherever he goes, but they are the friends who have not learned to appreciate the riches of humor and philosophy and gentle irony of the friend of the children who wrote children's(?) stories.

St. Thomas Smith is a delightful conversationalist, and tells in a most interesting and humorous manner of the places he has seen and the people he has met. He talks well about everything but his pictures and himself. He expects his pictures to talk for themselves as well as sell themselves. When he does talk pictures, he talks of art in general, of color in particular and of the work of other artists. He is more apt to show something painted by a friend than one of his own creations.

He has one picture painted by a friend that he values very highly, an old woman with folded hands, sitting in front of a table. The light shining through a window in front of her throws a radiance over her face, plain, strong, and full of lines of sorrow and suffering.

He was showing the picture to a lady visitor not long ago. After duly admiring, she began to moralize: "Youth has beauty, but age has experience. Age is more interesting."

"Not when you are getting there," quickly replied the artist.

He doesn't need to talk. He has scarcely reached middle age.

The water colors of St. Thomas Smith adorn the best homes of Canada, from Atlantic to Pacific. The Premier of Canada, Sir Wilfred Laurier, is one of his patrons, and he has exhibited at all the great American exhibitions.

Great Britain would doubtless appreciate his work.

But even over in Great Britain it is not considered good form to give epoch-making statesmen, poets and others tombs in Westminister Abbey until after they are dead.

The unwritten law for centuries has been: "Give a man his due when he is dead and it can't make any difference to him."

And so, through the centuries the great artists in all lines, with few exceptions, have struggled along amid adverse circumstances.

A great consolation it must be to a genius to know that a laurel wreath will adorn the brow of a bust on the monument erected to his memory some hundred years post mortem.

Let us, as Canadians, write a new law for ourselves—honor our artists, our poets, our musicians, while they are alive. We may erect monuments to dead geniuses and heroes; let us give appreciation and support to living ones.

Like the hero of the farce-comedy, most of them prefer, 'more taffy and less epi-taffy.'

Isabel E. Armstrong.

Old Windmill

"Making for Harbour"

Painting by W. St. Thomas Smith

A Dutch Landscape

Mid-Ocean

"Where do you come from?" asked the mice, "And what do you know?" They were so dreadfully inquisitive. "Tell us about the prettiest spot on earth. Have you been there? Have you been in the larder where there are cheeses on the shelves and hams hanging from the ceiling, where one can dance on tallow candles, and where one goes in thin and comes out fat?"

"I don't know anything about that," said the tree; "but I know the forest, where the sun shines and where the birds sing." And then it told them everything from its youth onward, and the little mice had never heard anything like it before.

The following night there came a great many more mice, and on the Sunday even two rats: but they said the story was not funny, and the little mice were sorry to hear this, for now they also thought less of it.

"Do you know only that one story?" asked the rats.

"Only that one," answered the tree. "I heard it on the happiest evening of my life, but I did not then know how happy I was."

"It's a very poor story. Don't you know any one with bacon and tallow candles in it—any story from the larders?"—From "The Pine Tree," by Hans Andersen.

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Christmas Weather

FOR centuries the idea has prevailed that "a green Christmas makes a full graveyard."

This is a belief too gruesome for the happy season. Of course, snow, icy landscapes and the chill but exhilarating breezes of winter seem more appropriate at Christmas. We can then gather at the fire, warm our hands, as our hearts should be warmed by the sentiment of the season, and rejoice in the world-wide exchange of good will.

The fact is that, in the middle and southern sections of the country, at least, cold Christmas days are not the rule.

When the boy of the family receives a new and gorgeously painted sled from Santa Claus, and the girl finds in her stocking or nearby, the pair of skates she has been wishing for, nothing short of a blizzard, or blizzard weather, will be satisfactory.

Good, clear, cold days of the old-fashioned kind please the elders best, too, notwithstanding the additional demand upon the coal bins. But are cold Christmases the rule? It seems not.

United States weather records run back about the life of a generation. But there are private records extending still further into the past. And these show that cold Christmas days have not been the rule.

We learn, for instance, that Christmas, 1825, was anything but cold, and the mean temperature was forty-two degrees. Christmas 1830, was even warmer, the maximum temperature reaching fifty-seven degrees, and this was but one degree above that of the preceding Christmas.

On December 26, 1829, thunderstorms occurred in some portions of the South, accompanied by frequent and vivid flashes of lightning. On December 25, 1851, the maximum temperature was forty degrees, but on the following day the mercury fell, until at night it registered only nine degrees.

Then there came the mild fall of 1855, when the weather was so springlike up to December 25 that rosebuds lingered in the gardens. In some places roses were in bloom on Christmas Day.

TOURISTS, THREE SCHNEIDER

Two years later Christmas was memorable because of its delightful weather, and it is related in the diaries of that time that the grass in the fields was green and flourishing when New Year's came.

Much fine weather was reported in December, 1863—the year of the first national Thanksgiving—but the December of the following year presented very different conditions.

"It was a very disagreeable month," states a recorder of facts of time. Snow, rain and fog prevailed throughout the month, and walking was of the worst kind."

While the mean temperature for Christmas, 1869, was only slightly above the freezing point, the month of December was mild—warm at times. On the last day of the month a pansy was plucked in bloom in the latitude of Pennsylvania.

December of 1891 was unusually warm and humid; there was no fall of snow during the month.

The cold Christmas Days of recent years were in 1878, when the mercury went down as low as fifteen degrees in clear weather; in 1884, a partly clear day, when twenty-two degrees was the minimum; 1887, a clear day, with twenty-seven degrees as the lowest; 1890, cloudy, with twenty-four degrees minimum; 1892, snowy, and sixteen degrees; 1896, clear and eleven degrees; 1897, clear, and seventeen degrees.

From these statistics it is very evident that it is not the usual condition for Christmas to be a day of freezing temperature.

After all, it isn't the state of weather that makes a happy Christmas. The enjoyment of the season grows from a contented and charitable heart. Whether the coming Christmas season be one of sunshine or of gloom depends upon those who attune their hearts to its kindly sentiments.

King Edward's Christmas Giving

YOU have often wondered, perhaps, how a king remembers his relatives and friends at Christmas—for a mighty ruler has his circle of personal and intimate friends just as any one else has.

Naturally, however, gifts made by royalty are more expensive as a rule than those exchanged in humbler circles. It is said that King Edward and Queen Alexandra spend between $20,000 and $25,000 each year upon their Christmas purchases.

In order to remember their personal friends with a suitable souvenir of the season, each requires between eighty and one hundred gifts. As these usually take the form of jewelry the cost is heavy.

It is nothing unusual, several days of a week before Christmas, to see the King and Queen paying quiet visits to the stores in Bond and Regent streets, London. They like to mingle with the holiday shoppers and to select their gifts just as other persons do.

When time and pressing engagements do not permit this, the West End shopkeepers send samples of their goods to the royal palace, and from these the King and Queen make their selections.

In choosing Christmas gifts, their Majesties are always careful to make each one appropriate to its intended recipient. Jewelry is the King's most frequent choice, but he also gives away snuff-boxes, smokers' requisites and walking-sticks.

With each gift it is the King's usual custom to send a little note of greeting instead of a private Christmas card and, needless to say, the former is more valued by the recipient than the latter would be.

This practice is also followed by Queen Alexandra.

In addition to jeweled trinkets, however, a common gift from the Queen to personal friends is a photograph of some favorite scene or pet, taken by the Queen herself, daintily mounted and framed, with the royal monogram, "A," surmounted by a crown, on the frame.

Not only do the royal pair send tokens of remembrance to relatives and favorite friends at home and abroad, but they present a Yuletide gift to every member of their household, which is an extensive one.

Of course the gift made to dependents are not as costly nor as handsome as those purchased for relatives and friends, but they are carefully chosen.

Queen Alexandra often follows the custom of Queen Victoria, whose habit it was to present dress goods, shawls, etc., to female members of the royal household. King Edward, too, sometimes includes pairs of good slippers among his Christmas gifts for male servants, but cigarette and cigar cases and pipes are his usual presents to these people.

And, in addition to the members of the royal household, each employee on the Sandringham estate also receives a Christmas gift from the King. Large joints are handed to each man in the several departments, from the highest to the lowest in rotation. Only the primest joints are given to the employees, the other parts—good meat for all that—being distributed among the cottagers on the estate who are not employed by His Majesty, or who are past work.

Then gifts of game are also made to a large number of persons who in any way may have rendered some service to His Majesty. Railway employees, postoffice officials, police and tradesmen are often favored by the receipt of pheasants, partridges, hares or rabbits, bearing a big label, "From His Majesty the King," printed in bold red letters

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Messrs. J J Turner & Sons, proprietors of the Grand Opera House, have been successful in securing an engagement extraordinary for the Christmas season in the appearance at the Grand on Wednesday, Dec. 23rd, of the famous American actress, Miss Lillian Russell in her wonderfully successful racing comedy "Wild Fire," assisted by an all star New York cast, including Will Archer, as the jockey in which his work has made him renowned all over the continent. This is Miss Russell's first appearance in Peterborough and it is safe to say that she will be greeted by a crowded house. Her brief Canadian tour embraces only Montreal, Ottawa, Hamilton, London and Peterborough, so that this city is especially favoured in seeing this celebrated actress in her equally celebrated play. That plan will open a week from Monday.

FIRE ORIGINATED IN THE AMERICAN HOTEL

Brigade Called and Very Little Damage Resulted.

On Sunday night shortly after nine o'clock the fire brigade received a call to the American Hotel, on Hunter street, where they found a small fire in one of the bed rooms in the back of the house. It was soon extinguished before it did any more damage than burning some paper and the oil cloth.

MEETING OF THE INTHON BIBLE CLASS YESTERDAY

The attendance at the Inthon Bible Class was fairly good yesterday afternoon If the Inthons would use the class motto, "We can if I will," a little more, it should see the attendance jump to one hundred and over. Next Sunday, in connection with the Christmas lesson, a talk on astronomy will be an important feature, and will be given by one of the Inthons.

For a time the Inthons considered the formation of a hockey team, but now they find the great majority of the members are benedicts and the team will be given up. Those who wish may represent the class by joining the Church League, of which Mr. Robertson has taken charge.—Com.

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Friday, Dec. 18, 1908; afternoon, 3 to 6, evening 8 to 10.
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Gymnasium, afternoon and evening—Christmas pudding-table, Cake and Candy table. Afternoon tea, 3.30 to 5.30; 3.30 to 4, Candy making; 4 to 4.30, Banbury tart making; 4.30 to 6, Cake making; 5 to 5.30, Ice cream making.
Evening.—8 to 8.30, Candy making; 8.30 to 9, Reveries of a Bachelor; 9 to 9.30, Pastry making; 9.30 to 10, The setting of an Invalid's Tray. Tea, ice cream and cake, 9 to 10 p.m. Admission 25 cents.

EDWARD O'BRIEN'S SUDDEN DEATH; PASSES AWAY ON HIS WAY HOME

Coroner Dr. Gray Decides Than an Inquest is Necessary and Jury Was Empanelled To-day—Found Dead in a Sleigh.

INQUEST ON THURSDAY

A death that was startling in its suddenness was that of Edward O'Brien, a well known resident of Douro township, who passed away on Saturday evening while on his way home from Peterborough, where he had been on business. The deceased came into the city on Saturday morning in company with several other farmers and spent the day here. Mr. O'Brien during the day traded one of the horses that had been driven in and the new one was harnessed with the other horse. In company with Messrs. John Smith and Guerin, Mr. O'Brien left the city on Saturday night to drive to his home and it is stated that after they had gone about three miles the new horse became ill or exhausted and fell to the ground. They were unable to get it to its feet again and Mr. O'Brien's companions went for assistance, leaving him in the sleigh. When they returned they found him dead. He was taken to a farm house until yesterday morning when Messrs. Lane and Kane were notified and brought the remains to their undertaking establishment.

On hearing the circumstances Coroner Dr. Gray decided that an inquest was necessary, and accordingly a jury was empanelled this morning, and met at 11 o'clock in the A.O.U.F. Hall, Hunter street, where they were sworn in and chose Mr. A E Micks as foreman. The jury was composed of the following: Jas. Bell, Archie Campbell, Jas. Read, John Halpin, Fred Cook, A E Micks, Joseph Hickey, Jas. Murty, J T G Lang, K G Leth, J H Craig, Wm Hudson and J W. Carey.

The jury viewed the remains, after which they were dismissed to meet again on Thursday night at 7.30 o'clock in the Council Chambers. A post mortem examination is being held on the remains to-day.

The deceased was a former resident of Peterborough and was very well known here. He is survived by his wife and one daughter, Mrs. Amelia, living in Rochester, and by two brothers, Michael and Alexander, residing in East City.

"GLOBE TROTTERS" ARRIVE AT LINDSAY; ARE GIVEN ENTHUSIASTIC RECEPTION BEFORE THEIR IDENTITY IS REVEALED

It will be remembered that on Friday two yooung men, who gave their names as A. R. Fletcher and Frank Hines arrived in the city and spread the story that they were walking around the world on a wager of $5000 undertaking to walk 25,000 miles in two years. They were entertained at one of the local hotels and spent the night there and next morning after calling upon several prominent citizens left for Lindsay. On Saturday morning Al Stevens a theatrical manager and his comedian Dan Fraser arrived in the city and on hearing the story at once stated that the men were members of his company which had disorganized in an eastern town the other night and that their story of walking around the world, was nothing but a fake and that in fact they had started their trip at Campbellford.

The two seem to have taken in the people of Lindsay pretty thoroughly. When they arrived there on Friday night they were interviewed by all the newspapers and told an amazing story of the many stirring incidents that they had experienced while on their way from Labrador, where they stated they had started their walk. They acted as judges in a contest at the Roller Rink that night and were made much of, but afterwards their story was exposed.

PROVISION MADE FOR LOADING AND UNLOADING AT MATTHEWS'

The new siding into the Geo. Matthews Company's yards is now completed and greatly increases the loading and unloading facilities. This is the second siding and was found necessary because of the fact that frequently, when the manufactured products were being shipped there was no room left to unload hogs which were then left in the C. P. R. yards.

A new platform has been built between the two sidings in the company's yard. At the east end it is connected with the pens. To unload from the upper deck of some cars a movable affair has been provided down which the hogs can easily run. This arrangement now allowing loading and unloading at the same time.

Rev. Victor McFadden Will Be Ordained Priest On Sunday

On Sunday morning next at the 10.30 o'clock mass at St. Peter's Cathedral Rev. Victor McFadden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin McFadden, Elm street, will be ordained priest by His Lordship Bishop O'Connor. A special sermon will be preached by Rev. Father Roach, of Toronto. The number of ordinations to the priesthood of the sons of parents of this diocease and especially of the city is ever more increased and another young man is vested with sacerdotal power by His Lordship. The many friends of the candidate who is widely known in the city will congratulate him upon the successful termination of the seminary course.

Whiskey, Upset, Argument And Fight Was Course Of Affairs

Too much "cold tea" and an upset, followed by an argument, resulted in a scrap on the road in the long swamp near Bridgenorth, and one of the party of two received a gash over the eye. According to the report of the affair, the two men had been in the city and had helped themselves too frequently and copiously to the flowing bowl, with the result that the cheery stuff had touched the quarrelsome spot. After an upset one of the men blamed the other for the happening and the statement was used, "You have lived long enough." There was a fight and a jack knife was used, one of the men getting a scratch on the head. The knife had been used to draw a cork, so it is said. At any rate they started for home good friends, but before the journey was ended they were mixed up in a fight that might have proved serious.

Outlook At Cobalt Very Bright; Mr. Otis Kidd Describes Conditions

"The camp never looked in better shape from the point of production than it does just now," said Mr. Otis Kidd, who is visiting his home here for the Christmas season. Speaking to the Examiner to-day in connection with affairs at Cobalt. Mr. Kidd has been a resident of Cobalt for some years, and is thoroughly conversant with the conditions there, being connected with the mining and prospecting business. He is very enthusiastic over the prospects at Cobalt, and says that the outlook is decidedly bright.

There is more money for investment just now than there has been in the last couple of years, and the result is a betterment of conditions generally. In the past two years, although the mines have been operating and the labour conditions were good, there was not much investment going on, but now things are different. "Cobalt is attracting the world," remarked Mr. Kidd. "and has a population in and around the camp, of ten thousand people."

The price of silver is just now remarkably slow, and when it increases it will make a big difference in conditions.

Mr Kidd is a son of Mr. A. R. Kidd, of the Customs House staff.

LAST CALL
For Christmas Photos

Will you sit now or wait for the rush? Count the days before Christmas. Can you afford to procrastinate any longer. We have planned for rushes of day and evening sitters, as well as for groups, for a few days longer. "Do it Now".

Appointments for Xmas Day are now being made according to order.

Kodaks for Christmas Gifts— Ask to see them.

Roy
STUDIO
140 1-2 Hunter Street

Keep Warm This Winter

Now that the cold days are here you should provide yourself with a Chamois Vest.

This is the most comfortable thing you can wear, especially driving, as it keeps out the wind and protects the lungs.

All sizes for ladies and gentlemen.

NUGENT DRUG CO., 386 George Street

Appointments may be made at any time to have your eyes examined by **A. A. FOWLER**, Eyesight Specialist.

OFFICE PHONE 332. HOME PHONE 636

9 Days More to do Your Xmas Shopping

Going on a Trip For Christmas

Before purchasing your ticket—let us help you plan out your travelling outfit—if you want your togs to speak well of you to your friends and strangers, you will find our handsome Christmas stock of great service to you. High grade togs at moderate prices, in fact in many cases the prices are very low.

Here's a list:—

OVERCOATS
SUITS
FANCY VESTS
MUFFLERS
CRAVATS
COLLARS
HANDKERCHIEFS
HOSIERY
UNDERWEAR
SUSPENDERS
SHOES

In fact, everything you are likely to need.

Creighton's
TOGGERY SHOP
The Gift Shop. 389 George St.

COME AND HEAR THE LATEST MUSIC—MAIN STORE

"QUEEN ZEPHRA" NOW IN ST. THOMAS

Presented by Young People of That Town With Success. Similar to That Here.

"Queen Zephra" which like the "Gingerbread Man" may be termed a fanciful fairyesque opera was produced in St. Thomas on Thursday and Friday evenings of last week and will also be presented several times this week. According to report it made the same hit as when produced by Peterborough young people last year. Everything was practically similar to that which was so delightfully enacted at the Grand on several occasions. Even to the shower of perfume the confetti and the dance of the Blackbirds which the St. Thomas Journal considers the best dance in the performance were presented and the whole account of the production reads familiarly.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS
PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding, or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50 cents.

DON'T MISS IT

To-morrow Night, Tuesday Dec. 15th second annual Concert of Knox Church Congregation. Last year's success sure to be repeated. Peterboro' Best Talent, Literary and Musical. Admission 25c. 21-113

A Few More Days — Then Christmas.

SIGNET RINGS

The ever increasing popularity of the Signet Ring for ladies and gentlemen has led us into devoting much time and attention to the gathering together of our Christmas assortment. It is now complete.

A few other Xmas hints for "Him" are:

Chains from	$1.00 to $50.00
Lockets from	1.50 to 25.00
Umbrellas from	3.50 to 10.00
Shaving Sets "	2.50 to 10.00
Fobs from	.50 to 27.00
Wallets from	1.00 to 6.00

Our plain Cuff Links are all hand engraved. The only firm in town doing their own hand engraved monograms is

Milburn's
THE JEWELLER
PHONE 614. 349 GEORGE STREET

WANTED.

AGENTS—WANTED ABOUT 10 GOOD quick live and respectable canvassers to sell a household article, a necessity used in every home, sells easily, good money and permanent position to willing agent. Apply at the Y. M C A Room No. 5, Peterboro. 2d113

WANTED—IN THE VICTORIA INdustrial School, a strong capable woman to take charge of the cooking department. Apply C. Ferrier, Superintendent, Mimico. 2d113 4606

WANTED—A PARTNER WITH SMALL capital for Vaudeville Company of 6 people, Bookings, Naylor's time Apply at once, Manager, Box 4607. 1d

BRIGHT YOUNG FELLOW WANTED for newspaper work, junior reporter's position, every opportunity for advancement. Apply by letter stating qualifications to Box 4592, Examiner Office.

WANTED — ORGANIZER IN PETERborough for first-class social and beneficial order; good remuneration. Address R. E. A., Land. National Club, Toronto. 30d 113 4592

MEN WANTED AT ONCE ON SALARY and Expenses. One good man in each locality with rig or capable of handling horses to advertise and introduce our guaranteed Royal Purple Stock and Poultry Specifics. No experience necessary, we lay out your work for you. $25 a week and expenses. Position permanent. Write W. A. Jenkins Manfg. Co., London, Ont. dtf sow wtf-45

WANTED — BOY TO TAKE A ROUTE in the centre of the city. Apply at this office.

HOUSES AND ROOMS TO LET

TO RENT—HOUSE WITH ALL MODern conveniences. Centrally located. Apply Frank Dawson, 483 Donegal st. t.t.s,113

TO RENT — SUITE OF ROOMS OVER J. C. Turnbull & Company's store, Simcoe street; bath room and all modern conveniences. Rent $10.00 per month; immediate possession. Apply 487 George street. tf

TO RENT—TWO OR MORE FURNISHed or unfurnished rooms in house with all modern conveniences. Rent reasonable to right party. Apply 512 Bolivar street. D H

TO RENT—OFFICE No. 13 IN BANK OF Commerce Building; heated, possession immediately. Apply at 487 George Street.

NEW HOUSES TO LET; RENT REduced. Apply to Jas. R. Bell, No. 161 Hunter street. 3m154

TO RENT — HOUSE No. 343 RUBIDGE street; hot water heating and all modern conveniences; immediate possession. Apply 487 George street. d-tf

HOUSES TO RENT

Houses to Let at reasonable rent.

Apply for particulars at **W. H. BRADBURN'S OFFICE** over Dominion Bank, corner George and Simcoe Streets. dtf

FOR SALE.

GROCERY BUSINESS FOR SALE, stock of about $600.00; good locality. Address Box 4596, Examiner Office. 6d 112 4596

ONE PARLOUR COAL STOVE WITH oven and hot air pipe, only used a few months; cost $35.00, will sell for $20.00. 74 McDonel street. 3d 113 4589

FOR SALE — SCOTCH COLLIE PUPPY from prize stock, beautifully marked, prices right for quick sale. B. P. POOLE, 430 WATER STREET, Veterinary Surgeon. 3d 113 4591

FOR SALE — 320 ACRES RAW WHEAT Land, Moose Jaw, Sask., district, twelve hundred dollars cash. Owner: R. J. Healy, 134 Shuter street, Toronto. 1m-30-4444

ALL KINDS OF ADVERTISING NOVelties, Pocket Mirrors, Tape-Measures Hand Mirrors, Paper Weights, Match Holders, etc. Samples at the Examiner office.

FOR SALE—ALL KINDS OF RUBBER Stamps. Apply at Examiner office.

WE ARE SOLE AGENTS FOR PETERborough and the territory between Toronto and Kingston for the Parisian Novelty Co., and have samples of all kinds of advertising novelties on hand. Call and see them at the Examiner office.

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Nice Frame House corner lot, nicely painted and papered, city water, size of lot 40 x 90, for $1,600. This property is a snap—party leaving city.

Beautiful Brick House double parlors, winter kitchen, summer kitchen and wood shed, 6 bed rooms, bath room, complete electric light fixtures, furnace, cement cellar floor and cement walks to front and side entrance. This can be bought for $2800.

Snaps in Houses and Lots in all parts of the city. Send in your list of houses to rent or sell, we can handle them. Head Office of Northern Life Assurance Co; Ocean Accident and Guarantee Co; Peterborough Sandstone Brick Co., Ontario Coal Co.

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Real Estate Agent

FOR RENT

Double House corner of Harvey and London Sts—all conveniences—good Furnace—Rent Low. apply

H. C. STABLER & CO.
350 WATER STREET
Houses and Lots for sale on easy terms.

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HOUSES
in variety, size, location and price.
LOTS
high and low in price.
FARMS
Several near the city.
INSURANCE
Good and Honourable Companies.

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Teaches Bischoff's New and Beautiful Dark Work in China Painting. Lessons Oil Painting to advanced pupils Studio—493 Donegal Street

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EXPERIENCED DINING ROOM GIRL Apply National Hotel. 2d113

WANTED — GIRL TO ASSIST WITH Housework. Apply 171 Aylmer street. 3d 111 4596

WANTED — YOUNG GIRL WILLING to do light housework for family of two. Apply 27 Lock street. 3d-111-4583

TEACHERS WANTED.

WANTED — A LADY TEACHER FOR School Section No. 12, Smith. For further particulars apply to Thomas H. Davis, Sec.-Treas., Young's Point P. O., Ontario, Can. 2w 51 4595

LOST.

LOST —ON SATURDAY, A PAIR OF glasses in A. A. Fowler's case; I J C on the inside of case. Finder will kindly leave at this office. 2d113 1w

King's Daughters Tea Room old Bank of Montreal Building

Afternoon Tea served Every Day from four to six p.m. Ladies and GENTLEMEN are CORDIALLY invited. Proceeds in Aid of Charitable Work. 3m 6d 86

ROLLER RINK
TO-NIGHT

Social skating. Tuesday Gentlemen night. Special admission and skates 15c. Good time. Wednesday, Ladies night, special for skating 10c admission free. Band attendance.

RINK IS WARM

A SNAP FOR SOMEONE

The owner of 210 Reid St; who is now living in the West must have his money out of his property at once. New house with bath, furnace, and electric light. Strictly up to date. Make use of this offer.

If you have some property that does not suit you, we will exchange it for something that will. Make it a point to see us, before doing anything in real estate.

A. Brown & Co.
396 Water St.
Phones: Office 126., House 474 L
Office open Saturday evening only.

Stop and Consider

We are offering splendid opportunity to buy and own a house and home. We have property at remarkably reasonable prices and in the very best parts of the city —well built and up-to-date houses.

The Key to Success

In life for many a man is a real estate investment. There is nothing safer than investments in Peterborough Real Estate, either vacant land or houses.

Are You Looking for Real Estate?

If so, consult us. We handle all classes of property such as Dwellings, building lots, business places, Commercial Sites, Factory and Mill Property, Market Gardens and Farms. As this is the holiday season we invite attention to some of the real bargains we have to offer.

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Fire Insurance Real Estate

$1250 Solid Brick, well and centrally located, a bargain.

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$0000 Very superior residential property which circumstances have placed on the market. If you want the best, see us for this.

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Office 376 Water, Phones 498L 547L.

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And builders materials of all kinds Shingles Scantlings, Joist and Bill Stuff, Mouldings, Casing, and Base and all kinds of finish. Boxes and Box Shooks.

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The Daily Examiner, published every lawful evening, at the Examiner Printing Office, 416 George street, Peterborough.

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The subscription price of the Daily Examiner is $4.00 per annum; that of the Weekly, $1.00.

J. R. STRATTON, Publisher.

Advertising rates on application.

UNION LABEL

MONDAY, DEC. 14th, 1908.

IT PAYS TO BUILD WELL.

The people of Canada do not yet appreciate the importance of our great transcontinental railway, the Grand Trunk Pacific, nor comprehend the idea of the great part it will play in the building up of Canada. From varying motives the project is attacked. It is to be expected that rival enterprises do not take kindly to what is regarded as a strong competitor, but which is in reality only a co-worker in dealing with transportation problems beyond the ability of one, or even two, transcontinental lines to satisfactorily solve. But we should not expect patriotic Canadians to oppose for party political reasons an enterprise so closely associated with the promotion of the interests of Canada. Objection is levelled against its cost. Extravagance in construction is charged. To meet this and other objections, Mr. Charles M. Hays, President of the Grand Trunk Pacific, has been talking to the New York Times. In the course of an interview he takes the opportunity to refute the charges of extravagance levelled, especially against the eastern or government section, from Moncton to Winnipeg. He says:

"Bear in mind, please, that railways are not now built as the earlier transcontinental roads were built, up hill, down dale, on an unballasted roadbed of mud. Such uneconomic methods were permissible when there were a mere handful of ranchmen and trappers to serve, and when the promoters' objective was first of all to earn the land grant on which they issued their bonds. What we require to-day and what the travelling public means to have is a first class roadbed with such low gradients and wide curvature that our trains can be run at very high speeds with perfect safety.

"We carry our road from Winnipeg over the Rockies to Prince Rupert with a maximum gradient of 2½ feet to the mile going west, and 26 to the mile going east. The immense economy in hauling freights with gradients so remarkable, every railway man must recognise. We shall be able to put two thousand tons of freight into Prince Rupert from Winnipeg behind a single engine."

To show the advantage gained from the expenditure of money liberally to secure a practically perfect line, Mr. Hays points out how much better railway work such a line can do. He claims that the same engine can haul up the maximum grade of the Grand Trunk Pacific nearly four times more freight in a train than the Great Northern, Northern Pacific, of Union Pacific, over five times more than the Santa Fe. Here is the comparison with American roads:

Railway	Grade.	Tractive Resistance Max. lbs. per ton.	Gross Capacity engine tons.
G T. Pacific	26	14	2,041
Great North'n	116	50	572
North'n Pacific	116	50	572
Union Pacific	116	50	572
Santa Fe	185	76	376

"You can read in these figures," said Mr. Hays, "the reason for our so-called generous expenditures. The INTEREST on the cost of such a line will be returned to us TEN TIMES OVER in the ECONOMY of our operations and in the INCREASED SAFETY of our passengers." Mr. Hays is very optimistic over the finacial prospects of the road. The opening of the Panama Canal will, he predicts, divert a great portion of the wheat export trade to the Pacific coast, and will make Prince Rupert one of the great grain ports of the world. He says:

"The volume of traffic coming out of the new northwest, if we may judge from the way settlers are already swarming in, will throw far more business upon our existing lines than they can possibly handle. The present cultivated area is but six million acres. As yet we have but scratched the surface. We shall require very shortly to do what the Canadian Pacific is already doing in Manitoba, that is, double track our road to enable us to handle the traffic. Thus the diversion of a large portion of the far western wheat trade to the Pacific Coast will advantage every section of our road; it will even ensible us to give settlers much lower rates, because we shall even up our loads, sending full cars both east and west instead of only east. While we send cattle, grain and minerals west to Prince Rupert, we shall haul back coal the coal and the lumber which the settlers on that three hundred million-acre farm need."

"For the first time," says the New York Times truly, in its comments on Mr. Hay's statement, "a railway is to be built on this continent in the English fashion, that is to say, as nearly perfect as the state of the art and natural difficulties permit. The grades are so low that a locomotive can draw four times as much as on existing railways, and the cheapness of the freights will correspond."

Everything converges to the justification of the action of the Liberal Government—first in undertaking this great railway enterprise and secondly in constructing it not only to last, but to give the best possible service. It will, when completed in 1911, be one of the largest and one of the best railways in the world. Its solidity of construction, its easy grades and its generous curves, will permit economical operation and lower rates, and thus contribute to furnish the farmers of the northwest a larger profit on their crops. This saving will more than meet the increased interest charges, necessarily paid upon the additional cost of more than ordinary excellence of construction.

The reduction in freight rates stipulated by the Liberal Government in connection with the Crow's Nest Pass Railway subsidy, saved the farmers of the west in five years in freight rates more than the total subsidy.

THE COST OF WAR.

Few people have any conception of the costliness of war between two of the great powers. Fortunately for mankind, the expense of military campaign keeps pace with the increasing deadliness of the weapons of war employed. In a very real sense "money makes the mare go." A realization of the ruinous cost of a great war is a powerful influence for peace. National prides and jealousies are always easily aroused, and, the war spark once falling among the tinder, one nation after another would find itself ablaze. Dr. Schaffle, the former Austro-Hungarian Minister of Commerce has made a computation of the probable cost of a war which would draw most of the European powers into the conflict. His figures are somewhat startling, reaching about $30,000,000 a day. The first two months of the world's war would require cash expenditure of 20,000 millions of francs—$4,000,000,000—this money being required for the cost of mobilisation, transportation and other initial expenses. All the powers, big and small, would have to pay their share toward the $4,000,000,000, but aside from that they would have to face the daily expense of keeping up an army and making actual war, as follows:

Germany over ...	...$4,000,000 per day
France over... ...	... 4,000,000 per day
Great Britain... ...	... 4,500,000 per day
Austro-Hungary over	2,000,000 per day
Russia..	... ... 4,750,000 per day
Italy over	... 2,000,000 per day
Spain...	... ... 1,750,000 per day

These he shows to be moderate estimates, and he points out that the nature of such a demand upon the ready cash of the world makes it unthinkable that such a war could last more than a brief time. It is conceivable that even the strongest of powers might early be compelled to make terms because of its inability to finance its army and navy. It is the consideration of such a situation which plead even with statesmen, not of the peace-loving kind for a more humane and reasonable method of settling the difficulties which arise between nations.—Exchange.

The countries of Europe spend nearly twenty-five million dollars per day to provide means for killing each other.

U. S. CURRENCY METHODS.

Nothing, says the Finance Chronicle, more striking illustrates the non-adaptability of United States' currency methods than monetary developments during the past year. The President's address to Congress reiterates the necessity of reform, and the Monetary Commission sitting this month at Washington may well have been struck with the fact that the country's circulation at the close of November this year had reached the high mark of $3,118,000,000. This means that, despite general business activity being still below normal, circulation is almost $110,000,000 greater than a year ago—and nearly $260,000,000 more than at the unprecedentedly active year-end of 1906. National bank notes, it is true, account for but a small part of the year's increase, but that they should have increased at all is remarkable. Canadian banks, with a note currency that adapts itself readily to various requirements, had at the beginning of November $1,250,000 less in circulation than a year earlier.

There is daily accumulation of proof that Canada has one of the best banking systems in the world.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Don't put off till to-morrow, the buying of Christmas presents, that can be done to-day.

The Ottawa Journal puts it very neatly when it says:—"The proposal to advertise Canada by means of moving pictures is based, of course, on the assurance that Canada will not stand still long enough to have any other kind of pictures taken."

The Ottawa Journal works up a "tiny" independence. It calls a post office overplus of a million dollars a year a "tiny surplus." Of course the deficit of nearly a million a year in the post office department under Conservative rule was a "tiny" deficit, looked at through the partisan hair that persists in adhering to its journalistic glasses.

One would think from the fuss our Yankee cousins are making over President Roosevelt's proposed African hunting tour, that the lion he may kill, will be the first one slain by a white man. For years Britons have been killing lions in Africa, as nonchalantly as they kill rabbits and their feats have not been sung as Iliads. Gentle Livingstone, bagged his quota and made less "copy" of his exploits in this direction, than he made over the discovery of a new plant.

Let him that can, take his memory back a generation or so note the contrast. Then we had none; now we have three transcontinental railways. Our trans-Atlantic shipping interests were small. Now we have one of the best equipped routes of all, and the launching of a new big liner for the Canada route by the White Star interests, is regarded with no surprise. Trade and travel follow the shortest route, and the line of least resistance, which is the Canada route, the nucleus of an all-red, round-the-globe line.

The London Advertiser says that 'Guelph is trying to hold the fat stock show, but Guelph will never be large enough to comfortably hold the crowds that want to see the show. The exhibition has outgrown the little city, and the government should act accordingly." Guelph, with a population of between 8,000 and 9,000 certainly cannot expect to have hotel accommodation to an extent to meet the demands of the large and increasing attendance the Fat Stock Show attracts. The exhibition is growing faster than the city.

Negro Eloquence.

Some years ago one of Texas' widely known statesmen who is now dead was passing along a street in Dallas when an old colored man who had once belonged to him approached, took off his hat and passed a hand over his white wool as he asked:

"Marster, gin de old man 50 cents."

"Dan, you are a robber."

"How?" asked the astonished darky, opening his eyes, around which roughshod age had walked.

"Didn't you see me put my hand in my pocket?"

"Yes, sah."

"Well, you old rascal, you rob me of the pleasure of giving you money without being asked."

The old man received a dollar. Bowing almost to the ground, while tears came out and coursed through the aged prints around his eyes, he replied:

"Marster, wid—wid such a heart as you hab and wid Abraham and Isaac and de Lord on your side I don't see what can keep you out of heaven."

Sitting Bull.

To look at Sitting Bull one would say that he was always quiet and self contained. In fact, he did usually keep himself under control, but he was cruel and almost heartless. He had practiced cruelty to animals and men from his childhood and as long as he lived; he was full of passion and often very angry. He was always imperious and insolent toward our generals, the Indian agent and other friends of the great father at Washington, whom he claimed to hate. He had great talent and ability to plan campaigns and battles and wonderful influence in bringing Indians together. Notwithstanding all this, he was afraid of death, and, though he planned the greatest victory which the Indians ever gained over white men, Sitting Bull himself was a coward and disgraced himself even before his own people by running away in the very face of success.—General Howard in St. Nicholas.

Folklore Stories.

The Journal of American Folklore has some interesting folk tales of the Nez Perces Indians:

"Once the sun fell down from the sky just about sunrise. Mole caught it and held it up until people got there and helped him to shove it back. The sun had meant to roll along on the ground instead of in the sky. It was from holding up the sun that Mole's hands are bent so far back.

"Coyote and Cloud ran a race. Cloud bet storm and Coyote clear weather. They started far away to the south, and for awhile Coyote was in the lead. Then Cloud made fruits of all kinds to grow in front of Coyote, and he, looking back and seeing Cloud far behind, stopped to eat. In this way Cloud caught up and won. This is why we have storms in winter time."

Long Suffering Bill.

A correspondent sends the following to a remote rural organ of the people:

"Our esteemed fellow citizen, Mr. William M. Puckleton, has had several new 'No Trespassing" signs erected on his place. We have had the pleasure of perusing the one facing the Hedgeville pike. It reads:

"Notis.—Trespassers will be persekuted to the full exten of 2 mean mungrel dogs wich ain't never ben overly sosibill with strangers an 1 dubbel barl shotgun wich ain't loaded with no soft pilliers dam if I ain't gettin tired of this helraisin on my property. Yurs respectful.

"BILL PUCKLETON."

—Current Literature.

In the Customary Place.

A well known English bishop some time since lost his third wife. A clergyman who had known the first wife returned from Africa and wanted to see the grave. He called at the cathedral and saw the verger.

"Can you tell me where the bishop's wife is buried?"

"Well, sir," replied the verger, "I don't know for certain, but he mostly buries 'em at Brompton."—Detroit Tribune.

The Canada Life Assurance Company

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435 GEORGE ST., UPSTAIRS

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Peterborough, November 10th, 1908.

Messrs. Davis-Thompson Co'y, Limited, Peterborough, Ontario:

Dear Sirs,---I beg to acknowledge receipt to-day of cheque from The London Mutual Fire Insurance Company in full settlement of my claim for loss by fire, which occurred just three weeks ago.

I wish to thank you and your Company for the liberal and satisfactory manner in which my loss has been adjusted and paid, and would heartily recommend the London Mutual to the insuring public.

Yours truly,

(Sgd.) THOMAS YOUNG.

CENTRAL CANADA LOAN & SAVINGS COY.
BANK ST. E. TORONTO.

Notice is hereby given that a Quarterly Dividend for the three (3) months ending Dec. 31st, 1908, at the rate of eight per cent. (8%) per annum, has been declared upon the Capital Stock of this institution, and the same will be payable at the offices of the Company in this city on and after Jan. 1st, 1909.

The transfer books will be closed from the 20th to the 31st. day of Dec. 1908, both days inclusive. By order of the board.

E. R. WOOD, Man. Dir.

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for the City of Peterboro, I have placed Charcoal on sale at the following grocers:

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Jas. Savigny	D. Sullivan	H. L. Burnham
J. J. Cocks	White and Gillespie	J. Heal
Conmel & Son	C. Alexander	J. E. Lillico
M. Halpin	Jas. R. Bell	Geof. O'Brien
J. J. Hill	J. H. Cameron	W. J. Routley
R. H. Hunter	D. Bradshaw	A. J. Warne
D. Neary	N. Routley	R. C. Breand
J.T. Donoghue	Mrs. Dunsford	J. J. Lynch
G. A. Goheen	Mountjoy and Wetten	R. S. Parks
Mrs. Harris	J. James	W. H. Hamilton
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Lawyer Arrested at Kenora on Charge of Rowdyism.

Kenora, Dec. 14.—One of the most sensational and disgraceful scenes that ever occurred in a Canadian court of justice was enacted on Saturday afternoon during the preliminary trial of the poker players—Martin Schwieg, Samuel Farquhar, George Archambault, Jr.—for conspiracy.

N. Hagal, K.C., arrived Friday night to defend the prisoners, and Saturday morning was suffering from indisposition. After adjournment for luncheon, he delayed court some little time by his late appearance, and during the examination of witnesses he had numerous disagreements with Crown Attorney MacKenzie and the presiding magistrates, Vereker and Belyeau. He subsequently was ordered out of court, and, refusing to go, was roughly handled by Chief of Police Gordon amidst great excitement.

When detained in an ante-room, he kicked several panes of glass out, and for a time pandemonium reigned. Afterwards the court adjourned till Monday. Martin Schwieg meantime was committed for trial, and Archambault and Farquhar were remanded.

Heavy Snow In Montreal.

Montreal, Dec. 14.—Thirty hours' continuous snowfall in Montreal and throughout a large portion of the Province of Quebec is giving the railroads and the municipal authorities a severe battle to keep open the means of transportation. The Canadian Pacific has half a dozen giant snowplows at work on its lines, between Montreal, Smith's Falls and Quebec, and the other railways are kept equally busy.

In Montreal it is costing the city more than $1,000 an hour to keep the streets open, without counting the cost to the Street Railway Co.

The McGill Observatory records show a snowfall of over fourteen inches, an unusually heavy one for this season of the year.

Germany Awaits Result.

London, Dec. 14.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—A Berlin despatch states that the German Government is awaiting the result of the debate in the French Senate with regard to the proposed Franco-Canadian commercial treaty.

Should the Senate, as expected, ratify the treaty, then there is little doubt that Germany will try to come to a similar arrangement with Canada.

It is believed that, supported by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, the present Canadian Cabinet will find a modus vivendi which will be acceptable to the commercial interests of Germany.

Shot In Hotel.

Winnipeg, Dec. 14.—Arthur Cunningham, an Irishman, was fatally shot in the basement of the Oriental Hotel last night.

Proprietor John Colt heard a shot and hurried to the basement, but on the stairs they were halted by a man who threatened to shoot. Calling the police, they found Cunningham lying on the floor with a wound in his head. He had a ticket for Dryden, Ont.

Cunningham made a statement to the effect that he was held up, shot and robbed in the hotel basement.

Two Burned In Home.

Brunswick, Vt., Dec. 14.—Mrs. Laura Smith, housekeeper for James Gilkey, a wealthy farmer here, and her two-year-old daughter, were burned to death early yesterday in a fire that destroyed Mr. Gilkey's farm buildings on the North Stratford road. Mr. Gilkey escaped with difficulty.

Robbed In Hotel.

Toronto, Dec. 14.—Jewelry to the value of $250 was stolen from the trunks of Mrs. H. G. McLachlan and Miss McLachlan of Arnprior, while stopping at the Queen's Hotel last week. The ladies left for home Saturday leaving the case in the hands of local detectives.

Killed at Kenora.

Kenora, Dec. 14.—Thomas McKay, aged 25, a native of Wick, Scotland, was instantly killed on Saturday. He was walking on the track with two friends, when a freight train came along. He stepped on to the other track and was struck by a west-bound train.

Bomb Works Havoc.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—Two buildings were wrecked, several persons are believed to have been killed and windows were shattered for a block around by the terrific explosion of a bomb in an alley in Wabash avenue, near 16th street, last night.

Women Barred.

Montreal, Dec. 14.—The Dominion Commercial Travelers' Association held its annual meeting on Saturday. S. J. Mathewson was elected president. A motion to admit women to membership was voted down.

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Suicides to Escape Arrest.

Ellicott City, Mo., Dec. 14.—In order to escape arrest by federal officers a man known as A. M. Crawford blew out his brain yesterday in the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Speishouse, near here. Crawford, who was wanted for alleged fraudulent use of the mails, is said to have claimed to represent the Russian Revolution Real Estate Co.

To Vote on Power.

Stratford, Dec. 14.—At a special meeting of the City Council on Saturday afternoon, which was attended by Hon. Adam Beck, it was decided to have a bylaw prepared for submission to the ratepayers, providing for 1,000 horse-power of Niagara power at a rate of $27.10 per horsepower, the city to be liable for only 450 horsepower.

Never Too Old to Wed.

Chatham, Dec. 14.—Angus Glassford, aged 75, and Mrs. Jane Ward, aged 75, were united in marriage at the bride's home by Rev. Dr. Daniel, pastor of Park street Methodist Church. The couple left on an extended honeymoon.

Japs to Fight C.P.R.

London, Dec. 14.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—The Edinburgh Scotsman understands the Japanese are about to commence a rate-cutting war against the Canadian Pacific, with the object of driving them off the ocean like the American lines.

Township Council Negligent.

Brantford, Dec. 14.—In the County Court here on Saturday a verdict of criminal negligence was returned against the township council for maintaining a dangerous highway near Cainsville.

Train Ran Into Street Car.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—One man was killed and several other passengers escaped with slight injuries Saturday when a Michigan Central freight train ran into a street car at a crossing in Chicago Heights.

John L. Is Free.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—The decree for divorce for John L. Sullivan, the former champion prize-fighter, recently applied for in this city, was granted on Saturday on the grounds of desertion.

MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Close Lower, Chicago Higher—Live Stock —Latest Quotations.

Saturday Evening, Dec. 12.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day ½d lower than yesterday, and corn closed ¼d lower.

At Chicago, December wheat closed ⅝c higher than yesterday, December corn closed ⅛c higher, and December oats closed ⅛c higher.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—July $1.05⅝ bid, December 97⅝c asked, May $1.05⅝ bid.
Oats—December 37¾c bid, May 41¾c bid.

Toronto Grain Markets.

Wheat, fall, bush	$0 93	to $ ....
Wheat, red, bush	0 95	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 91	....
Rye, bushel	0 53	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 53	....
Peas, bushel	0 70	....
Barley, bushel	0 53	0 55
Oats, bushel	0 43	0 44

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 26
Butter, store lots	0 23	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb rolls	0 28	0 29
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 30	....
Eggs, cold storage	0 23	....
Cheese, large, lb	0 13½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 12½	0 13
Honey, combs, dozen	2 25	2 50

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 12.—Wheat—Spot dull. No. 2 red western winter, 7s 11 1-2d; futures quiet; Dec. 7s 11 3-4d; March, 7s 7 7-8d; May, 7s 7 7-8d. Corn—spot steady, new American mixed (via Galveston) 5s 3d; futures quiet; Jan. 4s 4 1-2d; March, 5s 3 3-4d. Flour—winter patents firm, 30s. Peas—Canadian, steady, 7s 7d. Cotton seed oil, Hull refined, spot, firm, 24s 6 1-2d.

Beef—Extra India mess, steady, 115s. Pork—prime mess, western, quiet, 73s 9d. Hops at London, Pacific Coast, firm, £3, 5s to £3. Hams—short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, quiet, 45s. Bacon, Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, dull, 44s; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, quiet, 45s 6d; long, clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, dull 45s 6d; do, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, dull, 47s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, quiet, 43s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 61s. Shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs, dull, 32s 6d. Lard, prime western in tierces, quiet, 47s 6d; American refined, in pails, easy, 43s 3d. Butter, good United States, steady, 92s. Cheese—Canadian, finest white, quiet, 60s; do, colored, 60s, quiet. Tallow, price city, steady, 28s 3d; Australian in London, dull, 31s 3d. Turpentine spirits firm, 28s 6d. Linseed oil, dull, 12s 6d. Petroleum steady, 7 1-4d. Rosin, common, firm, 4 1-2d.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Butter—Fancy creamery scarce and firm; other grades slow and easy; creamery specials, 32c; official price, 31½c; extras, 31c to 31½c; third to first, 23c to 30c; western factory, first, 21½c to 22c; receipts, 2265.

Cheese—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 1681.

Eggs—Steadier at the decline; receipts, 4623; state, Pennsylvania and nearby, fancy, selected, white, 46c to 47c; do., fair to choice, 40c to 45c; brown and mixed, fancy, 36c to 38c; do., fair to choice, 32c to 35c; western first, 31c; seconds, 28c to 30c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Unchanged—Hogs and Cattle Are Steady at Buffalo.

LONDON, Dec. 12.—London cables for cattle are steady at 12½c to 13½c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10½c to 10½c per lb.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Dec. 12.—Cattle—Steady.

Veals—Receipts, 80 head; slow and 50c lower, $7 to $10.

Hogs—Receipts, 5200 head; slow and steady; mixed, $5.35 to $5.55; rough, $5.25 to $5.40; dairies, $5.40 to $5.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2600 head; slow; lambs 15c, wethers 25c lower; lambs, $5 to $7.60; wethers, $4.50 to $4.75; ewes, $4 to $4.25; Canada lambs, $6.30 to $7.15.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.—Beeves—Receipts, 627; nothing doing in live cattle; feeling steady; dressed beef quiet but steady at 8c to 11c; Christmas beef, 11½c to 13½c. Exports to-day, 70 cattle and 5375 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 208; market steady; veals, $6 to $10.50; western calves, $4.25; barnyard calves nominal; dressed calves quiet at yesterday's quotations.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 3541; sheep steady; lambs easier; sheep, $3.75 to $5; no good sheep here; lambs, $7 to $7.25; no really choice here.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Dec. 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 600; steady; beeves, $3.40 to $4.75; Texans, $3.40 to $4.20; westerners, $3.20 to $5.05; stockers and feeders, $2.60 to $4.30; cows and heifers, $1.50 to $4.30; calves, $5 to $8.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; 5c lower; light, $5 to $5.30; mixed, $5.20 to $5.75; heavy, $5.25 to $5.50; rough, $5.25 to $5.40; good to choice heavy, $5.40 to $5.50; pigs, $5.50 to $6.75; bulk of sales, $5.35 to $5.65.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1500; steady; native, $2.50 to $4.70; western, $3.50 to $4.75; yearlings, $4.25 to $5; lambs, native, $4.50 to $7.40; western, $4.75 to $7.30.

Rolled Pennies With Nose.

New Brunswick, N.J., Dec. 14.—Alleging that their brother Henry, a freshman at Rutgers' College, was brutally beaten, Harry and Samuel Jacobson, druggists at Elizabeth, came here Saturday and demanded an investigation. They said young Jacobson was compelled to roll pennies across the main street of the college town, with his nose, and that he was then subjected to a beating with fence pickets. The boy, they say, is at his home in a serious condition. The faculty are investigating.

Marie Corelli's Admirer.

Stratford-on-Avon, Dec. 14.—An admirer of Marie Corelli's writings, who came all the way from Birmingham to see the novelist, was arrested on Saturday as a dangerous crank. The stranger invaded Miss Corelli's garden, but being unable to obtain access to the house, he pulled out a revolver and began firing. The appearance of the police finally put an end to his activity. The man offers no explanation of his act except that he wanted to see Miss Corelli. He has been remanded.

Father 82; Has Triplets.

Columbus, Ga., Dec. 14.—Triplets were born on Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose E. Calhoun of this city. This couple now has twenty-five children. The father is 82 years old.

Lunched With the Prince.

London, Dec. 14.—The Prince and Princess of Wales invited Hon. W. S. Fielding to lunch on Saturday.

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EX-CONSTABLE IN COURT.

Chief Malone is Remanded by Magistrates at Simcoe.

Simcoe, Dec. 14.—Chief of Police Malone came up for a hearing at 10 o'clock Saturday morning before Magistrates Beemer and Earle. The prosecuting attorney asked that the hearing be remanded for one week as the crown was not ready to proceed, the principal witness, Constable Wilkins, still being unable to give evidence.

The defence held that Magistrates Beemer and Earle had disqualified themselves from acting on account of the motion made before the county sessions last week by Magistrate Beemer and seconded by Magistrate Earle, that Malone be removed from the list of county constables. Mr. Kelly argued that the court was disqualified by reason of bias, and he would not ask for bail as he had intended.

The magistrates gave their reasons for their course before the sessions, saying that they were not biased in the matter against Malone, but that they were acting for the good of the public.

The case was remanded until next Saturday at two o'clock, when it is possible that it will still be remanded.

$100,000 For Nationalist Party.

Queenstown, Dec. 14.—Joseph Devlin, Nationalist member of Parliament for Belfast, arrived here yesterday on the steamship Cedric from New York. He received an enthusiastic welcome.

Mr. Devlin spoke in the highest terms of the success of his mission to the United States, and declared that the Americans have guaranteed $100,000 to the Nationalist fund.

"Man" Was a Woman.

Butte, Mont., Dec. 14.—The death at Manhattan of "Sammy" Jones, aged 30, disclosed the fact that instead of being a man, as everyone for the past 18 years had believed, Jones was a woman.

She chewed tobacco and drank and associated freely with men as a cook.

Vanity of Men.

In a woman's club, over tea and cigarettes, a group of ladies cited many, many instances of the foolish vanity of males.

"Take the case of bees," one said. "Because the queen bee rules the hive, because she is the absolute mistress of millions of subjects, man up to a few hundred years ago denied her sex. He called her the king bee.

"Pliny wrote somewhere, 'The king bee is the only male, all the rest being females.' And Moses Bunden, beekeeper to Charles II., stoutly denied, in order to please his royal master, that the large bee, the ruler of the hives, belonged to the gentler sex.

"Even Shakespeare couldn't bear to think that the bee of bees, the largest and wisest and fairest, the hive's absolute lord, was a female. No, all the proofs notwithstanding, Shakespeare called her a male. Don't you remember the lines—

"Creatures that by a rule in nature teach
The act of order to a peopled kingdom,
They have a king and officers of sorts."

—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Casualties Expected.

During one of Speaker Cannon's bitter political fights in his district in Illinois the opposition resorted to desperate tactics. Among other things friends of Uncle Joe were summarily dismissed from positions they held in the public service. Some of his friends became alarmed at this, and one of them called on the speaker at his residence and said, somewhat excitedly:

"Joe, Smith and Jones have just lost their positions in the postoffice. What are we going to do about it?"

Uncle Joe took another puff at his cigar and then answered, with a benevolent smile: "Nothing. If you go into battle, you have got to expect to have some dead and wounded."

It Was All Within.

A practical joker carried an onion in his pocket to the depot when bidding farewell to a young lady and took a bite now and then to induce tears. Before the train departed he had eaten the entire onion. The young lady, perceiving the situation, remarked, "Ah, you have swallowed your grief!"—Harper's Weekly.

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James Murray, Arrested by P. C. Newhall a Year Ago, Calls at Police Station

After serving his term of a year in Central Prison, Toronto, James Murray, whom the citizens of Peterborough will remember having been arrested at the C. P. R. station for drawing a revolver on P. C. Newhall, was given his liberty last week. One of his first acts upon gaining his freedom was to pay a visit to the man who captured him a year ago. Murray, alias Gallighan, walked into the police station and shook hands with the officer, with whom he had a pleasant chat, apparently forgetting the threat he made when caught last year.

Murray it will be remembered, was supposed to have been an accomplice of Burke, the man charged with the theft of money from the till of the store at Buckhorn.

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SATURDAY'S MARKET WAS VERY LARGE

Prices Seemed to Suit the Citizens—Fowl Plentiful.

The market on Saturday was one of the largest of the season. There seemed to be plenty of everything, particularly meat and fowl. Eggs were rather scarce, but butter was fairly plentiful, and was selling at 25 and 28 cents. There were many sleigh loads of beef, the price being 4 1-2 and 5 1-2c. Pork sold at 10 and 11 cents, and lamb at 9 and 11 cents. The price of the best turkeys was from $.30 to $.76. There was not much change in the price of geese and chickens. On the whole the market was a good one and the citizens took advantage of it.

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Splendid Meetings In The Farmers' Interests Held At Lakefield Last Thursday

Valuable Addresses by Men Well Versed in Dairying, Fruit Growing, Breeding of Horses, Etc.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE MET

The dairy cow, the horse, poultry raising and fruit growing were the subjects of practical discussion at the meetings of the West Peterborough Farmers' Institute held at Lakefield on the afternoon and evening of Thursday, Dec. 10. There was a large attendance, particularly at the evening meeting. From the interest that was taken in the questions discussed, it was evident that the farmers of that locality are anxious to know all that is practicable for application on the farm. In addition to the addresses much valuable information was brought out in the questions that were put to the speakers and in the latters' replies. At the afternoon meeting, the chair was occupied by the president of the institute, Mr. J N Telford, and at the evening meeting, by Reeve Moore of Lakefield.

The Dairy Cow

The first topic discussed was "The Dairy Cow; Her Summer Feed and Winter Care." This was handled ably by Mr. W H Kydd, of Simcoe, a well known and most acceptable institute speaker. He pointed out that the subject is a most important one to Ontario. One of the greatest industries of the province is dairying. To make the business profitable, our farmers must keep profitable cows but there are more cows that are not profitable than those that are. To show the difference in the value of cows, Mr. Kydd referred to a report of the United States Department of Agriculture at Washington that estimated that one-third of the cows of that country are kept at a loss, one-third pay their way and one-third are kept at a profit. Experiments in Wisconsin have shown that some cows are worth at least four times as much as others in the same stable or in the same neighbourhood. A certain dairy paper in Ontario sent a man to a section of the province to make an investigation along similar lines. He estimated the cost of production on 20 farms in one locality and offset it with the returns received for the milk, which was supplied to the same cheese factory. This investigation showed that most cows are kept at a great loss.

The average cow gives only 3,000 lbs. of milk a year. As no man can keep a cow for less than $30 a year, there is no profit in this. In Denmark, a test of 438 herds showed an average per cow of 7,000 lbs. a year. This indicates that there is something wrong in Ontario.

Our farmers should weigh each cow's milk to determine whether she is worth keeping or not. Some may say that this requires too much time and labour. This is not so. It only takes one-quarter of a minute each time for each cow. The testing must be continued throughout the year. It is the cow that gives an average flow of milk for ten months out of the year that makes the money and not the one that gives a large flow for a short time and then falls off to almost nothing for the rest of the year.

To have good cows, breed from the best. Select the best performers and raise heifers from those. Cows have as much influence on the progeny as the sire if the breeding is just as strong. Use bulls that have pedigrees that are unbroken pure ancestors.

In respect to the question, "Which is the best breed?" Mr. Kydd said that there is no best breed. Each one is the best for a particular purpose and for certain environments. When choosing, the farmer must know what he wants his cow to do. As the district around Lakefield goes in more or less strictly for dairying, and particularly for the production of milk for cheese factories, Mr. Kydd stated that the Holstein and the Ayrshire were the two best breeds for the purpose. If the farmer's land is level and he has lots of good pasture, he probably would have better results from the Holstein; if hilly, and rocky and where the cows have to rustle for their summer feed, the Ayrshire would prove most profitable.

Some breeders lay great stress upon the conformation of the dairy cow but Mr. Kydd said that there is no sure test of the milking qualities of a cow except by milking her and testing for butterfat. In conformation, there are a few points that should be considered in all dairy cows. They should have a big heart girth, with the ribs sprung well, but not flattened at the back. The skin should not be hard or papery but intermediate and mellow. The milk veins should be twisted and they should extend as far forward as possible. Large milk wells are not necessary if the veins branch profusely and have many small wells. There should be a good nervous system to aid in the manufacture of lots of food. This is indicated by the links of the backbone being long, plenty of width between the ribs and good length of tail. These things mean a big spinal column, with a tremendous quantity of nerves coming from the brain.

"There would be more good cows in this province if they were better fed," said Mr. Kydd. "It pays to pasture in some districts, but not in others. In sections where the climate is dry and in seasons of drouth and on small farms, green crops should be grown for feeding in summer." In Mr. Kydd's practice, he cuts first in spring fall wheat that was sown the previous autumn, next peas and oats from successive plantings, and later corn and clover. Summer silage is an important feed. Have a silo for this that is rather narrow so that not too much silage is exposed to the air at one time.

Mr. Kydd advised having the stable light and with a temperature in winter that will not go down to freezing. It should be well ventilated. Keep the cows clean; use a brush and comb if it can't be done otherwise. Have salt in front of the cows all the time, because some cows use more than others. Water once a day in winter. Turn the cows out at the warmest part of the day and give them water that is freshly drawn from the well. Where it is practicable and possible, it is better to have the water in the stable.

Fruit Growing

Some general remarks on fruit growing were made by Mr. A. B. Cutting, of the Canadian Dairyman and Farming World, Peterborough. He pointed out that this publication is anxious to aid the farmer in the care of his orchard, as well as in general farming and dairying. Mr. Cutting said that most of the orchards in the country would be made to give three or four times present profits by giving them more attention in matters of cultivation, fertilizing pruning and spraying. There rob the trees of moisture and plant are too many orchards in sod which food and which harbours insects and vermin. Intelligent and regular pruning would do much to bring these orchards into a greater state of productiveness. Spraying is the exception and not the rule in this country. This is essential to the production of fruit of high quality. Codling moth, bud moth, oyster-shell scale and many other insects are ruining many of the trees. Apple scab and other fungous diseases also are prevalent. While each orchard pest requires special treatment at a particular time, most of them can be controlled by spraying four times with Bordeaux mixture and Paris green; first, in spring before the buds begin to swell; second, when the buds begin to break open; third, immediately after the blossoms fall; fourth, ten days to two weeks later.

In reply to a question asking for the best variety of red raspberries, Mr. Cutting recommended Marlboro for early, Cuthbert and Herbert for general crop, the latter being particularly valuable for cold localities. In respect to a similar question on strawberries, the speaker stated that there is no best variety. Some standard sorts do well in some localities and not in others. Owing to local conditions, some varieties that yield well on one farm often prove of little value on farms adjoining. Williams is the great commercial berry of the province. Clyde is excellent for light soils in dry season. Warfield is one of the best for canning, but requires moist ground. There are hundreds of others. When selecting, the farmer should choose those that have done best in his own neighbourhood with conditions similar to his own.

The Brood Mare

The afternoon meeting was concluded by Mr. Kydd with a short talk on the brood mare and her foal. The brood mare should have plenty of exercise almost up to time of foaling. When the foal comes, the mare should be kept quiet for two weeks at least before again working. She should foal in the stable in a box stall and not in the open field. There is less danger of trouble by the former method. Mr. Kydd also gave some general instructions on the feeding of mare and offspring.

The Statutes of the Farmer

At the evening meeting Mr. D. Hughes-Charles said that there is too much talk about the boys leaving the farm. He said that this should not be, that the farmer is as well off as the men of the city. He referred to the differences between city and farm life. The physician requires years of experience and study; they have nasty drives and often hard times. The lawyer must study and practise for years before receiving much remunerative returns; he has an unsavoury reputation. Store keepers work early and late and have to give lots of credit which oftentimes much loss. Banking is not what it is cracked up to be. Many farmers put their sons there because they think they can do nothing else. The clergyman's life is not a bed of roses, no man should enter this vocation without feeling himself "called" These are only a few instances.

The ideal life is on the farm. Conditions there are constantly improving. The farmers are the backbone of the country. They must be fond of their work and take pride in it. The large house of the farmer is a mistake. It means too much work for the women. Every farm home should have a library of agricultural books. Farmers labour too much because they do not put enough brains into their work. They have the brains and the brawn. It requires only application to make the most of them.

Barns and stables should be clean and well lighted. Cleanliness and tidiness is a part of the ideal farm. Have stock of the best. Included in this, should be one or more combination horses for riding and driving. The girls and boys should ride more. Farmers should keep cattle that pay not cows that give only 2,000 or 3,000 pounds of milk a year. Young farmers should think wisely and think long before deciding to go to the town or city. In conclusion, Mr. Hughes-Charles wisely said that most retired farmers are "tired" farmers.

Poultry Raising

The subject of an interesting address by Mrs. Colin Campbell of Windsor, was "Poultry Raising." Is it a profitable or a losing business? In theory, many persons consider poultry raising a gold mine but in practice, it is not always so. Successful poultry keeping depends upon the industry and ability of the person who undertakes it. No one should go into it unless interested.

The building for a poultry house should be situated some distance from others and on a dry site and well drained. There should be no trees nearer the building than 20 feet and these should be on the south side. Keep it in winter at about freezing point, free from draughts and dampness. Give a little more warmth at night. Do this by using burlap curtains in front of their rooms, which should be on the level. Hang the curtains on a wire at the ceiling so that it may be pulled to one side during the day. Have it extend across the pen and deep enough to go two inches below the dropping board. Keep the floor clean if wooden. A dirt floor is probably the best. Put on four inches of cinders, beaten down then three or four inches of gravel, and some straw or chaff on top. Have a dust box on one corner. The best breeds for farmers are Rocks, Wyandottes and Orpingtons.

If the object is to secure eggs in the winter, make the conditions as near as possible to those of summer. Give green food or substitutes, such as roots and cabbages. Hang these on nails high enough to cause the fowls to jump for it so as to give them exercise. Keep the birds busy. Give meat but no decayed food. The best grain is wheat. Barley and oats come next respectively but they have too much hull. These three make a good mixture. Feed most grain in the litter on the floor. Have grit and broken oyster shells available. The heaviest grain feed should be given at night and a mash in the morning. Mrs. Campbell said that she realized $1.25 per hen last year at her own poultry yards.

Drop Stitches

An interesting talk was given by Mr. Kidd on "Dropped Stitches" He said that Canadians did not appreciate their country sufficiently. The Province of Ontario is the seed bed for everything in agriculture and live stock. The great prairie country of the West, with its enormous grazing tracts is a wonderful part of the Dominion. British Columbia is a coming Province. The Maritime Provinces and Quebec have a history to be proud of.

The farmers of Ontario lack co-operation. It means more money in all lines of agricultural endeavour, particularly in fruit-growing. In respect to the latter, it affords a greater range of markets. The growers can plant the same varieties for that market. They can grow low-headed trees which saves labour. They can pack uniformly and get the big prices. Mr. Kidd referred to the success of the co-operative fruit-growers' association in Norfolk County, which has 152 members. Potato growing should be carried on co-operatively to get carloads that are uniform in variety.

Regarding the question of the boys leaving the farm, Mr. Kidd stated that many farmers are not treating their sons fairly. the boys should be paid so much money so as to give them a feeling of independence. The daughters also are not treated properly in this respect. Mr. Kidd advised our young farmers to take a one or two years course at some agricultural college and then return to the farm with higher ideals and newer methods of practise.

Mr. E. M. Elliott, of Peterborough in a short address, remarked that farming is one of the most intricate of all occupations. Compared with banking, mining, business and so forth, agriculture is supreme. The speaker said that there should be more farmers in our legislatures and parliaments.

At the evening meeting a number of musical selections were enjoyed. These included a male chorus and quartett, and a number of instrumental selections. The Women's Institute held an interesting meeting in the afternoon and entertained the visitors by serving refreshments between the two meetings.

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The Gospel Male Quartetas sang "Man of Sorrows" and Mr. Mulligan sang "A Wondrous Boon to Man is given." The meeting will be continued every night this week, commencing at eight o'clock.—Com.

LADIES' BENEVOLENT ORANGE ASSOCIATION TO HOLD CONCERT

A social and entertainment under the auspices of Sentinel Lodge, No. 68, Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association, will be held in the Foresters' Hall, George street, on Monday evening, Dec. 14. An excellent musical and literary programme by the best local talent will be given. Refreshments will be served after the programme.

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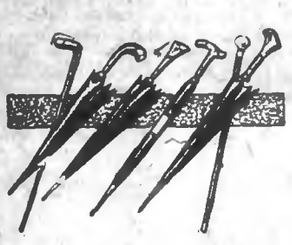

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LATEST NEWS FROM THE CAPITAL

Parliamentary Opening—New Speaker Selected—The Deputy-Speaker Will be From Ontario—Divorce Problem in the Senate—The Canadian Northern to Enter Ottawa—Three County Court Judges Appointed—Important Trade Statistics—Unique Militia Order—A Neighbourhood Divorce Case—Return of Minister of Interior.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Ottawa, Dec, 14.—The announcement sent you on Saturday that Parliament would be called together for the despatch of business on Wednesday, January 20th, has revived political interest at the capital. The meeting on Wednesday will be merely to enable the members-elect to take the oath of qualification before the Clerk of the House of Commons, and to formally organize by the election of a Speaker. It is agreed that Mr. Charles Marcil, the member for Bonaventure, will be the Speaker of the new Parliament, and in all probability that sterling Ontario Liberal, Mr. Hugh Guthrie, of Guelph, will be chosen for the Deputy Speakership.

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The real opening of Parliament will be, as has always been the case, on Thursday, when the commoners will repair to the Senate Chamber to hear the sessional programme of the Government disclosed in the "Speech from the Throne," which is in reality but a declaration of the intentions of the responsible Ministers, through the mouth of the Governor-General.

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Saturday to three vacant county court judgeships in the province of Ontario, as follows:—Simcoe, O J Mickle, of Chesley; Essex, E A Wismer, of Barrie; Manitoulin, C E Hewson, K.C., of Barrie.

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During the six months ended Sept. 30, Canada's domestic exports totalled $110,102,051, of which $60,618,671 worth have been taken by Great Britain and countries of the British Empire, and $42,429,231 worth by the United States. On the other hand Canada imported $40,505,585 worth from the British Empire, and $87,963,657 from the United States, of which $44,260,246, or more than half, represented goods admitted free of duty. Imports of free goods from the British Empire into Canada totalled $11,855,018, or less than 28 per cent. of the total import from countries not under the flag.

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A proclamation has been issued declaring the Proprietary or Patent Medicine Act in force from April 1st, next.

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An unique feature of a militia general order is that the cab tariffs of the leading cities and towns in Canada are published, and officers travelling on militia business are enjoined that cab claims beyond the regulation tariffs will be disallowed.

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Mrs. Laura McQuoid, of Toronto, will ask Parliament for a divorce from her husband, Wm. McQuoid, of Colborne.

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Frank Oliver is back in Ottawa after an absence of two months, it being his first appearance in the Capital since before the general elections. Mr. Ralph Smith, M.P., for Nanaimo, is also here, and Mr. Wm. Sloan, M.P., the only other Liberal member elected in British Columbia, is expected today.

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CHURCH SERVICES AND NOTICES

Knox Church.

Monday, 8 p.m.—Managers' meeting; Young People's Guild social special evening.

Tuesday—Knox Church concert.

Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Boys' Club.

Friday — Preparatory service by Rev. D A Thomson; Teachers' Training Class; Choir practice.

St. Paul's Church.

Tuesday—Regular monthly meeting Fraser Mission Band at 3 o'clock.

Wednesday—Regular Mid Week service at 8 o'clock.

Friday—Young People's Guild Monthly Literary meeting. Subject—"Milton's Poem of the Nativity" at eight o'clock.

The music at St. Paul's next Sunday will be of a special character in view of the approach of Christmas.

St. Luke's Church.

The Senior chapter of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew will meet on Tuesday evening for the election of officers. The Junior chapter will meet on Friday evening at Eight o'clock.

The weekly service will be held on Wednesday at 8 o'clock.

Dr. Langfeldt appealed yesterday for Canadian and Foreign Missions requesting the members of the congregation to send their contributions to either the rector or wardens.

An appeal was also made for contributions of Christmas cheer for the poor of the parish.

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G.N.	123⅜	124
Mo. Pac.	65⅞	65⅜
Northern Pacific	142¼	142¼
N.Y.C.	121⅜	120⅜
Penns	130¼	130⅜
R.I.	23¾	24¼
Rdg.	142¼	141⅜
Smelters	69	68⅞
Soo	131⅛	131⅜
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S.P.	121	120⅛
U.P.	183⅜	182⅜
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U.S. pfd.	112⅞	112⅛
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OBITUARY.

MR. JOHN FRANCIS.

After a few days' illness John Francis, who resided at the corner of Thomas and Bolivar streets, died Saturday evening at ten o'clock. He was taken ill a week ago Friday night but at first nothing serious was anticipated until during the week he became worse. He was in his 40th year, and leaves a wife and three small children to mourn his loss and to these is extended the sympathy of the community. The deceased came to Peterborough from Hastings about two years ago and engaged in the moulding shop of Green's foundry, where he proved to be a capable employe. He was a prominent member of the Hastings lodge of Oddfellows, and the Peterborough lodges will take charge of the funeral on Tuesday afternoon. Interment will take place at Little Lake Cemetery.

REV. DR. GALBRAITH

Rev. Dr. Galbraith, a retired Methodist minister, who is a brother of Mrs. Charles Crowe, East City, died in Toronto on Saturday. About four weeks ago Mr. Galbraith was seized with an attack of paralysis, from which he partially recovered, but he suffered a relapse some two weeks ago and did not rally till the end came. Mr. Galbraith entered the Methodist ministry as a young man in 1861, and was ordained in 1865. After supplying a number of country posts he was appointed first to Hamilton, then to a church in Montreal, and then to Stanstead, subsequently to Montreal and later to Kingston. Following this he went to Brockville, Orillia, Wesley Church (Toronto), Berkeley Street Church (Toronto) and later to Elm Street (Toronto), from which charge he retired owing to ill-health. On recovering his strength Mr. Galbraith embarked in private business in Toronto and in Belleville and the good practical ability that he brought to bear did much to establish the success of the ventures with which he was identified. Deceased was twice married. By his first family he left two children. His second wife was Miss Bredin, of Kingston, who died some years ago, and two children survive. A son, Bredin Galbraith, is the well known runner who represented Canada in the Olympic games in London. The remains will be interred at Belleville.

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President—C H Reid, re-elected.
Vice-Pres.—J I Thompson, re-elected
Fin. Sec.—J G Pegry, re-elected.
Rec. Sec.—G A Hamon, re-elected.
Treas.—Walter Peters, re-elected.
Sergt-at-Arms—Geo Paxman, re-elected
Scribe—Galbraith.
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Executive Committee—Slight, Dobbin and McGuire.
Delegates to Trades and Labour Council—Moore, Dobbin, Hamon.

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Members of Peterborough and Otonabee Lodges and visiting brothers are requested to meet in the lodge room to-night (Monday) for the purpose of making arrangements for the funeral of our late Brother John Francis.

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DESIROUS OF FORCING ELECTIONS

British Lords May Precipitate Appeal to People.

WILL MR. ASQUITH RETIRE?

Premier's Wife Is Quoted as Saying That Her Husband Will Accept a Peerage and Leave Leadership of Government to Chancellor Lloyd-George—Suffragettes May Gain Victory as College Graduates.

New York, Dec. 14.—A cable despatch to The Sun from London says that since Mr. Asquith has expressed his intention of clinging to office, despite the rebukes of the Lords, the upper House may endeavor to force an election in the spring in connection with the budget.

It is anticipated that some of the heavy burden of the new taxation, which is inevitable, may be of a Socialistic nature. The Lords, as is well known, always pass finance bills formally and without modification. Their power to amend or reject has not been exercised for generations, just as the Sovereign has never used his constitutional right of veto.

It is suggested that the Lords might refuse to approve some objectionable form of new taxation in the next budget and thus compel the Government to appeal to the country immediately. It would depend upon the nature of such interference as to whether the country would approve of such an exercise of long dormant power by the peers.

Peerage For Asquith.

London, Dec. 14.—A curious report is given currency by a usually well-informed correspondent of a provincial paper to the effect that Mrs. Asquith has expressed her confidence that her husband will accept a peerage at the general election, thus leaving the leadership of the House of Commons to David Lloyd-George.

In view of Mr. Asquith's declamation against the House of Lords on Friday, Mrs. Asquith would appear to have been talking somewhat at random if she really made such a statement. The Premier's program speech on Friday has not improved the Cabinet's position.

The House of Lords has given judgment in the appeal brought before it by Miss Chrystal Macmillan and a number of other women graduates of Scottish universities who claimed that their degrees conferred the franchise on them.

The Lord Chancellor's judgment, in which the other law lords concurred, was to the effect that from the earliest time to the present day women had been under disability in regard to voting in Parliamentary elections, and, if that legal disability were to be removed, it must be done by an act of Parliament.

"We'll live to fight another day," was Miss Macmillan's only comment when she heard the decision.

Meanwhile some of the opponents of woman suffrage are coming seriously to fear that the disability will be removed. As David Lloyd-George, President of the Board of Trade, stated at the Albert Hall meeting last Saturday, there is a majority in the present Cabinet in favor of women suffrage, and it is well known that A. J. Balfour's sympathies lie in the same direction.

Last week saw the formation of two new organizations, one in favor of, the other against, the movement to extend the vote to women, and it has further been marked by the acrimonious discussion of the scenes which disgraced the Albert Hall meeting.

Banquet to Rutherford.

Stockholm, Sweden, Dec. 14.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—Dr. Leffler, the well known mathematician, gave a luncheon on Saturday in honor of Profs. Lippmann of Paris and Rutherford of Manchester, two Nobel prize winners. Covers were laid for 120 guests, representing the scientific world.

M. Tolle, Minister of Foreign Affairs, welcomed the two guests of honor. Referring to Prof. Rutherford in a cordial speech, the Minister said he was a young explorer in the real of that new and marvellous science, which is neither physics nor chemistry, but a combination of both, and in view of this fact he ventured to hope they might again welcome Prof. Rutherford there as the winner of another Nobel prize. He drank to the welfare of French-British science.

Attorney Cleared by Jury.

San Francisco, Dec. 14.—A verdict of not guilty was returned by the jury Saturday at midnight in the case of Attorney Frank J. Murphy of counsel for Abraham Ruef, who was charged with attempting to bribe Juryman Kelly to vote for a verdict favorable to Ruef.

Fifty Millions For Education.

Chicago, Dec. 14.—The Record-Herald says that according to a professor of the University of Chicago, John D. Rockefeller will, as reported several months ago, devote $50,000,000 to the promotion of education in oriental nations.

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PLAYHOUSES HOLD SHOWS ON SUNDAY

Two Big Montreal Theatres Break the Law.

SEVENTY-FIVE KEEP OPEN

Large Number of Small Picture Shows Have Been Running on Sabbath and In Protest Academy and Francais Open Their Doors With Similar Entertainment—Police Secure Evidence For Prosecution.

Montreal, Dec. 14.—The proprietors of the Academy and Francais, two leading theatres of the city, carried out their threat yesterday of opening their doors for Sunday performances as a protest against the moving-picture shows running every Sunday.

The performances were of the nature of songs and moving picures, but the patronage accorded was not heavy. Two hundred were present at the first Academy show, and 300 were at the Francais.

The police were out in force at each theatre and collected evidence for the threatened action against the proprietors for violating the civic bylaw.

Seventy-five moving picture shows do a thriving business here every Sunday, in addition to Sohmer Park, which puts on a straight vaudeville show.

Venezuelan Ship Seized.

Willemstad, Dec. 14.—The Dutch cruiser Gelderland came into this port yesterday morning towing the Venezuelan coast guardship Alix, with the Dutch flag flying and a Dutch crew on board. The Gelderland captured the Alix off Puerto Cabello on Saturday. At the time the Alix was lying close inshore, and notwithstanding the threat which the Venezuelan Government had made to fire upon any of the Dutch warships committing a hostile act, the Gelderland steamed at speed towards the guardship and sent an officer and guard in a launch to seize her. This they did without resistance, and no shot came from the forts on land.

The crew of the Alix were put ashore and the Dutch officer and marines remained on board, the Gelderland finally taking the Alix in tow and steaming away with her prize.

Muzzle For Alarmists.

London, Dec. 14.—Lord Robert Cecil's public meeting bill aims a death blow at the policy of the militant suffragettes, as it provides, first, that any one at a lawful public meeting who acts in a disorderly manner for the purpose of preventing the transaction of the business for which the assembly was called shall be guilty of an offence and liable to a fine not exceeding $25 and imprisonment not exceeding one month; secondly, that any one offending under this section at a political meeting during the progress of a Parliamentary election shall be guilty of an illegal practice.

Heretofore the law did not provide any remedy against the breaking up of public meetings or the prevention of speakers being heard unless an actual assault occurred.

Panic In Theatre.

New York, Dec. 14.—An audience of 500 persons was thrown into a panic Saturday night and a score were injured, several, it is believed seriously, when the balcony in a moving picture show house on the Lower East Side collapsed.

Firemen and police reserves were rushed to the scene and a dozen of the victims who had been buried in the debris of the collapsed gallery were dug out and attended by ambulance surgeons.

Morgan Helps 'Frisco Churches.

New York, Dec. 14.—Bishop William Ford Nichols of the Protestant Episcopal Diocese of California, before leaving this city for the Pacific coast yesterday, announced that J. Pierpont Morgan had contributed $100,000 for the re-building of the Episcopal churches of San Francisco, destroyed by the earthquake three years ago.

Bishop Nichols has accumulated a fund, including Mr. Morgan's contribution, of nearly $200,000.

Woman Found Dead.

Chatham, Dec. 14.—The body of Mrs. Restume, a widow, who kept house for a man named John Cogan, was found dead in her bed at one o'clock yesterday morning, when Cogan returned from the country, where he had been since Friday.

The doors of the house were all locked and Cogan had to gain entrance by a window.

Jumps Bail.

Belleville, Dec. 14.—The grand jury at the County Court on Friday brought in a true bill against Ernest Prickett of Deseronto for seduction. The young man was allowed out on bail. Saturday when the case was called Prickett was missing, and his bail of $500 was estreated by Judge Fraleck.

Bonaparte Will Retire.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 14.—Attorney-General Charles J. Bonaparte on Saturday indicated that he would not be a member of President Taft's Cabinet, when, in response to an enquiry on the subject, he said that after March 4th next, he positively would retire from public life.

Disaster In the Black Sea.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 14.—A telegram received here from Sebastopol reports that a Turkish steamship bound from Constantinople foundered in a storm in the Black Sea. Details are lacking, but it is believed that the crew and 50 passengers were drowned.

Fred Cook's New Venture.

Ottawa, Dec. 14.—Fred Cook, Canadian correspondent of The London Times, leaves to-day for England with Lord Northcliffe, to discuss with the proprietors of that newspaper the establishment of an enlarged Canadian news service, of which he will be in charge.

KING IS WELL AGAIN.

Slight Touch of Influenza Has Passed Away.

Brighton, Eng., Dec. 14.—King Edward will return to London to-day to resume his social engagements. The King was not in the best of health when he came to Brighton, but he seems to have entirely recovered.

For some days there has been some of the usual wild talk in regard to the King's health, which the cancelling of a few of his engagements always lets loose. The truth is the King had a slight touch of influenza following a severe cold. For a short time it was feared that he had an attack of gout and throat trouble, but now all is well.

The King is an excellent patient so long as he is kept amused, though he is apt to get nervous about himself. It may be noted that not a single extra insurance on the King's life has been done by Lloyd's, where there are always a large number of policies of indemnity against loss which might be occasioned by his death. The bulk of these policies are held by hotel-keepers and theatrical managers.

Lady Laurier's Auto Burns.

Ottawa, Dec. 14.—Five automobiles, including the motor car presented to Lady Laurier by Lord Strathcona a year ago, were destroyed in a fire on the premises of the Canadian Cycle and Motor Co., on Sparks street, early yesterday. Lady Laurier's car was valued at $8,000. Another valuable car lost was one owned by T. L. Willson, the calcium carbide king. The damage to the building, which was constructed of stone, was slight, but the five automobiles destroyed were valued at $30,000. Lady Laurier's car was uninsured.

Creemore Man Killed.

Toronto, Dec. 14.—W. C. Perry, manager of the Parkdale branch of the Singer Sewing Machine Co., received word yesterday that his father-in-law, George Hines, had been killed in an explosion in Cobalt on Saturday. He received no further particulars, beyond the fact that arrangements were being made to ship the body to Creemore, where deceased formerly lived, on Monday. Mrs. Perry left the city yesterday for Creemore. Mr. Hines has been working in the silver fields for almost two years.

Scotch Folk For Canada.

London, Dec. 14.—A party of Scotch farm laborers and domestic servants sailed on the Empress of Britain on Saturday.

C. M. Hays sailed on the Baltic.

Hon. Rodolphe and Alphonse Lemieux were passengers on the Amerika, not as intended, on the Campania.

Rush Work on the U. S. Navy.

Norfolk, Va., Dec. 14.—Considerable interest and speculation was created Saturday by the posting of notices at the navy yard, engineering department, and which it is said will be followed by similar orders in the other departments, for work to be rushed without interruption for 24 hours each day.

There is no explanation of the order further than faster and better results can be secured.

Girls Sleep In Barns.

Kingston, Dec. 14.—Four wayward girls have been sleeping in barns the past few nights. They were discovered by the police after having been reported missing by their parents. They decided to transfer their trunks home. They quarrelled with their parents over going out at night.

No Arbitrary Settlement.

Washington, Dec. 14.—The House by a decisive vote Saturday refused to further consider the bill providing for arbitrary settlement of disputes between employers and employes.

The bill providing for the protection of all conditions in United States was passed by a slim majority.

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QUARTETTE OF CHILDREN CREMATED

Four Little Ones Perish in a Fire Near Ottawa.

PARENTS HELPLESS TO AID

While W. J. Scharfe and Wife Are Milking House Catches Fire From Stove-pipe and Babes, Ranging from Four Months to Four Years Lose Their Lives In Flames—Eldest Called For "Daddy."

Ottawa, Dec. 14.—The four children of W. J. Scharfe, a farmer of Hawthorne, a small place on the Russell road, ten miles from the city, were burned to death in a fire which destroyed the Scharfe House Sunday morning.

Scharfe rose at six o'clock, and having lit the fire proceeded to the barn, where he was joined by his wife shortly after. While they were engaged in milking the cows the house caught fire from the stove-pipe.

When discovered the upper portion of the building was in a mass of flame. Scharfe made frantic efforts to rescue the children, who were sleeping upstairs, but was driven back by the flames and smoke. He could hear Ruby, the eldest of the four children, aged 4 1-2 years, calling "Daddy, daddy," but he could not get to her. The other children who perished were Ethel, aged three; Willie, aged two, and Dorothy, a four-months-old infant.

CANAL WILL NOT HOLD.

French Expert Says Panama Project Is Unsafe.

Paris, Dec. 14.—M. Bunau-Varilla, an eminent French engineer, predicts disaster for the great Panama Canal unless the site of the Gatun Dam is changed. He says:

"It is doing a service to the United States to affirm that the plan being followed will almost infallibly end in the greatest disaster in the history of great public works ever recorded. The canal, as conceived, will exist or not according as the Gatun Dam holds or does not.

"Now, I, with all the French engineers who have studied the Panama Canal question, have the absolute conviction that the site of the Gatun Dam will result in certain destruction. I raised the first cry of alarm in a letter to President Roosevelt on March 5, 1906, and not only is my conviction not modified but it has just received an ominous confirmation in the accident which occurred at the end of November."

TWENTY BLOWN UP.

Many Are Buried Under Rock In Panama Canal Explosion.

Colon, Dec. 14.—A giant blast of dynamite, already prepared for firing, was prematurely exploded in the workings at Bascobispo on Saturday.

Thirteen bodies have been recovered, but it is believed a score or more are under the masses of rock and earth thrown up.

The charge consisted of fifty-one holes, sixty feet deep, and spread out over a large section of territory. The last hole was being charged by J. J. Reidy of Minneapolis, an experienced powderman, when it exploded. The others were exploded by the concussion Reidy was blown to pieces. The other American dead include J. J. Kope, Philipsburg, N.J., steam shovel engineer, and J. T. Hummer, Dunellen, N.J., steam shovel craneman.

Bascobispo cut is about thirty miles from Colon, and the shock of the explosion was distinctly felt here.

Tea For U. S. Fleet.

Colombo, Ceylon, Dec. 14.—The United States Atlantic fleet under command of Rear Admiral Sperry was sighted at seven o'clock yesterday morning. The fleet left Manilla December 1.

The sixteen vessels are to remain here for six days to take on coal and give the men and officers an opportunity for shore leave. Colombo is the first stop on the homeward stretch.

The Colonial Secretary of Ceylon has received instructions from London to extend such hospitality to the American visitors as King Edward would wish to have shown the United States. The Legislative Council has voted an appropriation for entertainments.

It is planned, among other things, to present five pounds of tea to each officer and one pound to each man in the fleet.

New Bells Blessed.

Montreal, Dec. 14.—The blessing of two bells in St. Patrick's Church yesterday constituted a very interesting function. La Charlotte, a bell weighing 2,260 pounds, cast in Whitechapel in 1774, for Notre Dame de Montreal, and removed to St. Patrick's in 1840, broken and recast and now to be replaced in the belfry, was blessed amid appropriate ceremonies. Then a second bell, the Holy Name, weighing 1,096 pounds, was also dedicated in the evening. Bishop Casey of St. John, N.B., and Dr. D. J. O'Sullivan of Vermont were the two chief figures at the ceremony.

Widow Stabbed.

Pottsville, Pa., Dec. 14.—Mrs. Father Brandt, widow of a former prominent physician of Lelellewn, near here, was found on the kitchen floor of her home Saturday stabbed to death with a butcher's knife.

The case is shrouded in mystery, as the home bears no evidence of having been robbed and the wound is of a character, the knife having entered the throat and emerged at the back of the neck, that it is not thought it could have been self-inflicted.

Not Protected Enough.

Montreal, Dec. 14.—The Montreal Woollen Mills Co., in business since 1879, on the canal bank, has decided to go into liquidation, claiming that they are not sufficiently protected.

A large number of hands are thrown out of work.

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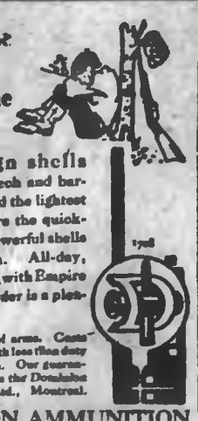

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RUGBY BASKETBALL WRESTLING

The Examiner's Sporting Page

RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

BOWLING LEAGUE RACE IS EXCITING; PACIFICS RIGHT ON BANKERS HEELS

McIlroy's Pacifics had an easy time taking three straight games from the Examiner B's on Saturday night at the P.B.C. alleys. The winners ran up a total score of 1368, McIlroy himself being high man with 505. He also had the high single of 184. This victory for the Pacifics places them in second place in the League with only the Bankers to overcome. Dela Fosse for the losers on Saturday night was high man with 401. His high single was 146. Craig is now tied with Chris. Graham of Hutch's Hams for the cellar championship.

The scores in detail are:

Pacific

McIlroy	165	156	184—	505
Connors...	141	122	114—	377
Lillie	150	176	160—	486
	456	454	458—	1368

Examiner B.

Dela Fosse...	120	135	146—	401
Clarke...	121	110	92—	323
Craig	127	85	102—	314
	368	330	340—	1038

League Standing

The standing of the League at present is as follows:—

	Won.	Lost	Per c't.
Bankers...	8	1	.888
Pacifics	7	2	.777
Iroquois	6	3	.666
Belmonts...	6	3	.666
Lee kWorks	5	4	.555
Midgets...	5	4	.555
Examiner, A.....	5	4	.555
Examiner, B	4	5	.444
Frontenac	3	6	.333
B. A. C....	3	6	.333
Hams	2	7	.222
Greys...	0	9	.000

Averages

Wareham .179.
Pollard .165.
McIlroy .168.
Martin .160.
Ford .157.
Lillie .155.
LaPlante .153.
Hay .152.
Huston .152.
Adams .150.

BOUT WAS RATTLING GOOD GO, SAYS STAR OF HURTUBISE-BURNS MATCH

Cyclone Burns, the English champion seemed to have "bitten off more than he could chew" at Riverdale Rink last night, when he tried to toss Gene Hurtubise, the Peterborough French-Canadian, three times in an hour or forfeit $100. The Peterborough giant replaced the injured Turk, Hassan Abdaliah, and the result was a great struggle. Hurtubise took no chances. He hugged the floor or his opponent like a leech the entire hour. He did not attempt to do any work himself, and as a result Burns was unable to get more than one tumble. He grabbed this after 28 minutes of the hardest sort of work, but got another he could not claim at the call of time. He had the Peterborough man in a position that meant a fall, but he couldn't pin him down. The crowd, which favoured Hurtubise against the far-famed Englishman, cheered mightily as the last ten seconds ticked away, while Burns threw his weight down upon Hurtubise's left shoulder and strove mightily to force it to the mat.—Toronto Star.

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE O.R.F.U. HELD ON SATURDAY

The annual meeting of the Ontario Rugby Union was held in Toronto on Saturday night when the officers for next season were elected. J C Sherry of Toronto and formerly of Norwood, was elected president and E Roy Clarke of the T A A C secretary treasurer. Dr. A. W. MacPherson, of Peterborough who was nominated for the president declined the honour.

The most important business was the consideration of the amendment to place an age limit of 21 on the junior series. This was thrown out by the the meeting the members present feeling that it would confer a hardship upon the teams in small towns. It was however to abolish permits allowing senior men to drop back into a lower series.

The entrance fee will henceforth be $2 instead of $1 and the annual subscription for each senior club $10 and for intermediate and junior clubs $5.

MATCHED RACE WILL BE EXTRA FEATURE OF MATINEE

A special event has been arranged for the Turf Club's matinee on Christmas Day in a matched race that should provide some excitement. The agreement was made on Saturday according to the report. It is a three cornered event with Queen's Barron against Prince Hal. Mr. Jas. Elmhirst's horse and Bourbon Brooks which is owned by Messrs Wm and Henry Elmhirst Dr. Johnston accepted the challenge of the Elmhirsts and will race them best three in five half mile heats. Bourbon Brooks was recently purchased from Dr. J U Simmons of Frankford and the three should make an interesting go. The purse is twenty-five dollars a corner.

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CITY HOCKEY LEAGUE TO MEET WEDNESDAY NIGHT

The next meeting of the Peterborough City Hockey League will be held on Wednesday evening of this week at 7.30 o'clock, at the Y. M. C. A. The executive and a representative from each club are requested to be on hand, as the schedule will be drawn up.

The Belmont Club to-day handed in their entry free and their application to enter will be considered on Wednesday night.

BOXING.

New York, Dec. 12.—Word comes from Sydney, Australia, that the betting on the Burns-Johnson heavyweight championship fight to be decided there on Dec. 26th, is at even money.

While Burns has a strong following in Australia, Johnson has made many friends since his arrival at Sydney, because of his hard training and general appearance.

In Austral a the opinion is prevalent that the fight will be on the level, and that each man has an equal chance of winning.

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The Burns-Johnston fight is to take place in Sydney, Australia, on the 26th of December at 11 o'clock in the forenoon. The result will be known in Peterborough on Christmas night, as we are between 14 and 16 hours ahead of Sydney in the matter of time. The fight will take place in a 16-foot ring, the referee not to break the men, who are to fight themselves free; they are to fight to a finish; either man can wear fingerless kid gloves or soft bandages next to the hands, but not both; Burns to receive $30,000, win, lose or draw; Johnston to receive $5,000 and expenses, win, lose or draw.

HOCKEY

Mr. Chas. A Barber has been appointed assistant secretary of the Peterborough Hockey Club, and has consented to accept the position, which he should fill with every satisfaction.

ATHLETICS

All Y.M.C.A. members interested in track athletics are requested to be at the meeting to-night at the Y.M.C.A. at 7.45 o'clock. The purpose of the meeting is to organize a track team and elect officers for the year. A good turnout is looked for.

STRIKES AND SPARES

Following are the games to be played this evening in the Y.M.C.A. Bowling League:

Staff vs. Happy Thoughts.
Friendly Bible Class vs. Leaders.
Chieftains vs. the M.A.S.

WRESTLING.

Pete Sanigan, the hustling manager of the Eurekas, drifted into The Star office yesterday, bewailing the loss of Andy Kyle, the Eurekas' great junior defence man. Cyclone Burns, the big wrestler, was there—a lithe, active-looking chap of 198 pounds.

"Mr. Sanigan, this is Cyclone Burns," said the sporting editor. "You are both sporting men, and will be interested in each other. Mr. Sanigan is manager of the Eureka hockey team, Mr. Burns, and—"

But the sporting editor got no further. The cyclone title caught Pete's ear.

"Say, have you signed up with any team yet?" he demanded, grasping Burns' hand. The fair-haired wrestler is a quiet fellow and slow-spoken. "If you haven't, don't overlook us; we're going to deliver the goods," continued Sanigan, and the sporting editor's morning class of runners, boxers, and hockey players made a noise like comedy, and Pete backed up.

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The following letter has been received from Charlie Kaiser, the Oswego, N.Y., welter weight wrestler, who defeated Gene Hurtubise some time ago, as Conkle's unknown:

Sporting Editor of the Examiner:

Dear Sir,—My challenge to Mr. Hurtubise which appeared in the Examiner has not been accepted and I don't think Mr. Hurtubise wants any of my game. If he doesn't, let him say so. If he does, I will agree to throw him twice in one hour, if there is at least $100, and will agree to weigh less then 160 pounds. Hoping that this challenge will make Mr. Hurtubise come to time.

Yours very truly,
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RUNNING.

Toronto, Dec. 13.—There is two thousand dollars of Dorando money at the King Edward Hotel. It is a little commission from New York. The man with the yellowbacks came to town yesterday and wants to bet that amount at even money. In New York the odds are 2 to 1 and 3 to 2 on Dorando, but this wise guy figured that in Toronto, the Indian's home town, even money or better could be secured.

Preparations are being made by some local sportsmen to cover this sum. There will be a lot of real Italian money to bet on Dorando too. An Italian wholesaler on York street has $750 subscribed by his countrymen men to wager on Dorando, and there will be more Monday.

Toronto will be represented in New York by a score or more well-known sportsmen. P J Mulqueen, president, D'Arcy Hinds, secretary, Tim O'Rourke, Pat O'Keefe, and several more of the Irish-Canadians are going down, and so are Lou Scholes, Jack Allison, Harry Rosenthal, and J B Reed. Bob Patterson and some more of the enthusiasts are talking of a jaunt. Those who are going leave Sunday night at 5.20 p.m. If Toronto sportsmen were confident that Longboat was right they would "bet their heads off," but Tom Flanagan's silence perturbs them. Not a line has come from Flanagan's pen since he left. If they only knew it Genial Tom were wagering his own greenbacks on the redskin, they would be satisfied. Until they do know, but little money will be bet. "If it were 15 miles I would bet everything but my birthday suit on Tom," remarked one man who likes his little wager. "He would eat the Italian, but at 26 miles—well, I don't know, if Longboat can last the route, that's all!"

At a meeting last night it was agreed that Tim Hurst would referee the race.

Hockey Sticks

Spaulding Hockey Sticks. Special prices to clubs, at the Peterborough Bookstore. We have a dandy line at 22 cents to clubs. A. H. Stratton & Co.

Homemade Ring Game.

With very little trouble you may construct this game from strong cardboard. Upon the top of the four cardboard posts should be fastened hooks,

READY TO PLAY.

each being of such a height that when the ring is permitted to swing forward upon the length of its cord it may be possible to encircle the hook with the ring.

The players swing the ring in turn. The object of the game is to encircle the four posts, which, by the way, should be numbered 1, 2, 3, 4. First No. 1 post must be encircled, then Nos. 2, 3 and 4 in order. The player gains another turn every time he swings the ring over a post, but if by chance the ring should encircle the wrong post he must begin over again with No. 1 post. He who first places the ring over the four posts in proper order wins the game. — Philadelphia North American.

Harry's Arithmetic.

I'm glad I have a good sized slate.
With lots of room to calculate.
Bring on your sums! I'm ready now.
My slate is clean, and I know how.
But don't you ask me to subtract.
I like to have my slate well packed,
And only two long rows, you know.
Make such a migerable show.
And please don't bring me sums to add.
Well, multiplying's just as bad.
And, say, I'd rather not divide—
Bring me something I haven't tried!

Able to Hear It.

Joseph Medill of the Chicago Tribune was somewhat deaf, although his ability at times to hear what was said in an ordinary tone of voice was frequently remarked. It is related of him that he dropped into the business department of the office one day to make an inquiry about something that had occurred to him, and a young man who had been in his employ only a few months undertook in a loud tone of voice to enlighten him.

"What did you say?" asked Mr. Medill, putting his hand to his ear.

The young man repeated the question in a still louder voice.

"I can't hear you," said the editor.

"Oh, chase yourself around the block, you old granny!" muttered the impatient employee just above his breath.

"I am not an old granny," said Mr. Medill, turning away, "and I shall not chase myself around the block."

The fresh young man made immediate arrangements to say goodby to his job, but the great editor probably thought that the lesson he had received was sufficient and did not disturb him.

A Famous London Tavern.

The Mermaid was the name of a famous London tavern frequented by noted literary men and actors during the reign of Queen Elizabeth. All the wit and talent of the time assembled there for convivial enjoyment. Authors have made it the scene of great mind combats between such men as Shakespeare, Ben Johnson, Beaumont, Fletcher, Selden, Carew, Donne and others of reverential memory. It was the gathering place of the celebrated Mermaid club, the origin of which is ascribed to Sir Walter Raleigh. The Mermaid tavern was located in Bread street and was handily reached from three thoroughfares, so that it has been often referred to in various ways. The Mermaid in Bread street, the Mermaid in Friday street and the Mermaid in Cheap street were, however, all one and the same. It was the nearest to Bread street. The Mermaid was destroyed in the great London fire. There were other Mermaid taverns, one in Cheapside and another in Cornhill, but they had no such associations as clung to that of Bread street.

Origin of the Word "Bogus."

The word "bogus" is said by Dr. Ogilvie to be derived from Boghese, the name of a notorious American swindler who about the year 1835 flooded the western and southwestern states with counterfeit bills, sham mortgages, etc. Others connect the word with "bogy," a scarecrow or goblin, and so applied to anything fictitious or chimerical.

Lowell in the "Biglow Papers" says: "I more than suspect the word to be a corruption of the French bogasse." This bogasse was the sugar cane as delivered in its dry, crushed state from the mill, also called can trash and fit only for burning, being synonymous with useless rubbish.

Again, according to Brewer, there is in French argot or thieves' slang a word "bogue," which signifies the rind of a green chestnut or the case of a watch, and this also brings us to the idea of an outward seeming without any solid or reputable foundation.—Kansas City Journal.

The Queerest Salad.

A gourmet as he mixed a salad of chicory said: "The world's queerest salad, and possibly its most delicious one, is eaten by the Inoits of northwest Greenland. It is a salad of undigested moss from the stomach of a fresh killed reindeer, a bitter, sharp, stimulating salad, as good for the digestion as an electrical massage. The Inoits live almost exclusively on fish; hence salads are a favorite dish with them. But no salad in their minds compares with that which they wrest from the slaughtered reindeer. They say this salad is crisper, tenderer and more appetizing than any other, and they say it wards off indigestion. They fight for it, they spend their last penny on it, quite as the Indians do with firewater."—Exchange.

Too Much For Him.

Smithson used to labor under the impression that he was a born humorist, but he has given up trying to be funny now.

He called one day on an old school friend and was shown into a room where his chum's sister was busy arranging a quantity of dried grass which she had collected.

"What a quantity of dried grass you have collected, Miss Ritchie!" he said. Then his humor burst forth. "Nice room for a donkey to get into"—

"Make yourself at home, Mr. Smithson," said the girl pleasantly.

When he arrived home all the humor was crushed out of him forever.—London Scraps.

In the Same Boat.

The stranger advanced toward the door. Mrs. O'Toole stood in the doorway with a rough stick in her left hand and a frown on her brow.

"Good morning," said the stranger politely. "I'm looking for Mr. O'Toole."

"So'm I," said Mrs. O'Toole, shifting her club over to her other hand.—Everybody's.

Matrimony.

Youngly—Did you ever notice that the matrimonial process is like that of making a call? You go to adore, you ring a belle and you give your name to a maid. Cynicus—Yes, and then you're taken in.—Boston Transcript.

The Extremes.

Lobster and champagne for supper—that's high jinks. Sawdust and near-coffee for breakfast—that's hygiene. Between these two eminences, however, there's room for some genuine living.—Life.

"The poet is born, not made," sayeth the proverb. In other words, it isn't his own fault.

A Precaution.

"Young man," said her father, "I don't want you to be too attentive to my daughter."

"Why—er—really," stammered the timid young man, "I had hoped to marry her some"—

"Exactly, and I'd like to have you marry her, but if you're too attentive to her you won't have money enough to do it."—Liverpool Mercury.

Almost Qualified.

"Help you!" scoffed the irate housewife. "Well, I guess not. I only assist invalids."

"Well, mum," responded Beefsteak Ben as he tried to remove the bulldog from his shins, "I'll be an invalid if I stay here much longer."

The Poor Milkman Again.

The milkman was boiling over with indignation.

"And you mean to say my milk don' look right?" he snapped. "Why, lady this can of milk is a picture!"

"Ah, yes," laughed the keen house wife; "a fine water color."—Exchange.

Restless.

Caller—So your cook has passed away to a better place? Hostess—Yes, but I don't know if she'll stay. Poor Bridget was very hard to suit.—Boston Traveler.

True Both Ways.

"The die is cast!" hissed the villain.

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	10.10 p.m.	11.55a.m.
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3 lbs. New Raisins for	20c
New Orange and Lemon Peel, lb.	15c
New Citron Peel, per lb.	25c
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Tomatoes, per tin	10c
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New Dates, per lb.	10c
New Figs, per lb.	10c
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TOWN TOPICS

PROBS—Moderate winds, mostly west and south, generally fair and mild to-day and on Tuesday.

Finished

—Your clothing will look finished if cleaned, dyed or repaired by "My Valet," 204 Charlotte street.

To Appear to-morrow

—A considerable quantity of news intended for to-day's issue is unavoidably left over until to-morrow.

Piano Tuning

—Piano tuning promptly attended to. Satisfaction guaranteed. A. F. Hoover, 222 McDonnel street. 'Phones—Bell 199k, Machine 199.

W. F. M. S. Meeting

—The annual meeting of the W. F. M. S. of St. Andrew's Church will be held to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. An address will be given by Rev. Robert Pogue.

Will Give Lecture.

—A meeting of special interest to the senior Epworth League of the George street Methodist church, will be held this evening when Mr. T. F. Matthews will give a lecture on his trip to the Holy Land.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

—The change of season affects pianos as well as everything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano-maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Winter Term

—It will pay any ambitious young person to read on page one, the new advertisement of the old established Commercial School, located in the city of Peterborough. The winter term opens January 4th. 6d108

Concert and Xmas Tree

—The Coldspring Union Sunday School, Otonabee, have made arrangements to hold their annual Christmas concert on December 23rd. A Christmas tree will be held in connection with it.

Women's Auxiliary

—The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Missionary Auxiliary of Charlotte street church will be held on Tuesday, to-morrow, at three o'clock p.m. in the Guild Room of the church. A full attendance is requested.

True Blue Lodge for Ladies

—The Royal True Blue Lodge for Ladies will be organized on Wednesday night of this week. Full arrangements have been completed and the members of Watch Tower, No. 217 will be present and will assist in the degree work and organization.

Sick Children's Hospital.

Dr. A W MacPherson will address the Boys' Guild of St. Andrew's church on Friday night, on the work of the Sick Children's Hospital in Toronto. The lecture will be illustrated with lime-light views. All the other Boys' Guilds in the city have been invited to attend.

A Subscription to a Magazine.

Makes a novel Christmas gift. We take subscriptions for any magazine in the world at the Peterborough Book Store. If you wish you can have a pretty post card to send to the person in whose favour you placed the subscription. Read the Peterborough Book Store advertisement in another part of this issue.

A Fight for the Home.

—Mrs. Owen Hitchcox, the well known temperance lecturer, will deliver her lecture, entitled "A Fight for the Home" in the Opera House, Havelock, this evening, 14th inst., at 8 o'clock p. m. Mrs. Hitchcox will lecture under the auspices of the Havelock Local Option Committee. Admission free.

Knox Church Concert.

—The second annual concert of Knox Church congregation will be held to-morrow evening, and arrangements are now complete for the affair. Last year's event was entirely successful and the committee who have charge of the arrangements are confident that it will be eclipsed by that which has been prepared for to-morrow night.

Flower Show at Cobb's Greenhouse

—Somebody is choosing flowers for you. We have plenty for all gift givers. Flowering plants, palms and ferns in good variety. Fresh cut bloom for bouquets. Fine collection of begonias, azaleas, cyclamens, carnations, primroses and geraniums; also wedding bouquets and table decorations. Order early. Greenhouses open till 10 o'clock every evening. Jos. H. Cobb, 561 Aylmer street. 'Phone 132. 2d102

Leather Goods as Gifts

—The best place in Peterborough to buy leather goods is A. H. Stratton & Co's. We have leather purses and card cases, leather jewel cases, military brush sets in leather, leather writing folio, leather travelling companions, poets and gift books bound in leather, burnt leather cushion tops, and burnt leather in endgoods at A. H. Stratton & Co's. Watch for our sensational announcement on Saturday. Every book in the store will take on new interest. Be with the crowd and come. Shop early. A. H. Stratton & Co.

CHRISTMAS NEAR

We mention a few of the Xmas necessities which we now have in stock. Table Raisins, Puffed Figs, Fresh Figs, Fresh Shelled Nuts, Golden Dates, Grape Fruit, California, Florida and Mexican Oranges, and the very best new Nuts. Also "Sealshipt" Oysters.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

THE EXAMINER welcomes all Items of Interest for this column. Phone 234 or send post card with name and address.

Miss Londreville, Lakefield, was in the city to-day.

Mrs. Fitzgerald, Lakefield, was in the city to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. T O'Elliott have gone to Toronto on business.

Mr. Roland Strickland, Lakefield, was in the city to-day.

Mrs. Wm. Leggott, Lakefield, was in the city this morning.

Miss M Kinnally, Lakefield, was visiting friends in the city on Sunday.

Misses Anna and Daisy Sproule, of Boston, Mass., who have just visited Lindsay on the sad mission of laying to rest in her girlhood home, the remains of their mother, the late Mrs. Geo. B Sproule, arrived in the city this morning on a brief visit to their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Haggart, 167 Brock street, before returning to their home at the Hub.

St. Andrew's Church.

Monday—Y. P. S. at 8.

Tuesday—Annual meeting of W. F. M. S. of St. Andrew's, at 3 o'clock. The address will be given by Rev. Robt. Pogue. All women of the congregation are invited. Young Men's Guild at 8 o'clock.

Friday—Address by Dr. A. W. MacPherson, under auspices of Boy's Guild subject, "Life in Sick Children's Hospital," Offering for the Sick Children's Hospital.

Humor

A BARGAIN SALE.

The Stocks Attracted Her, and She Bought Them While Cheap.

"I have done more or less speculating all my life," said Jones, "but I have made up my mind now to give it up. One speculator in the family is enough, and my wife seems to have a system that is a sure winner. Some time ago the general situation looked bearish to me. I hesitated a few days, but the more I thought it over the more I became convinced that the market was in for a big slump. Conditions were right, the trade was nervous, corn injured, the big steel trust was facing a strike, and I thought I saw certain signs that indicated that several of the big pools were getting tired of the load that they were carrying and were preparing to stand from under.

"Well, I put out a pretty stiff short line for me, and then the market, as if only waiting for me to get in, commenced booming. The result was that I got badly pinched before I could let go. Misery loves company, as the old saying goes. Besides, I had to account to my wife for the glum face that I was wearing, so I made a clean breast of the whole matter.

"'Mercy!' she cried. 'I don't see how you lost. Why, I made several hundred dollars!'

"'You did!' I almost yelled.

"'Why, yes,' she answered innocently. 'You said one morning at the breakfast table that stocks looked like a big sale, and you know I dearly love a bargain sale, so I bought some X. Y. Z. stock with the pin money that I had saved.'

"'I remember making the remark,' I said grimly, 'but I am not aware that I ever mentioned X. Y. Z. as being particularly desirable.'

"'Of course you didn't,' she answered. 'I looked over all the stock that they had for sale and found I could buy X. Y. Z. for 40 cents, so I took that. You'll let me know when they have another bargain sale, won't you, deary?'

"Now, in the face of that, how can a man sit calmly down and reason out which way the stock market is going?"—Detroit Free Press.

Dinner Sets for Christmas

Special Sale of Dinner Sets at China Hall

6 only 101 piece Dinner Sets, reg. $7.50, for	6.00
6 only 101 piece Dinner Sets, reg. 8.50, for	7.00
6 only 101 piece Dinner Sets, reg. 12.50, for	10.00
6 only 101 piece Dinner Sets, reg. 15.00, for	12.00

Special Sale for 3 Days for Early Christmas Buyers

Special Sale of Toilet Sets at China Hall

6 only 10 piece Toilet Sets, at	2.00
9 only 10 piece Toilet Sets, at	3.00
9 only 10 piece Toilet Sets, at	4.00
6 only 10 piece Toilet Sets, at	5.00

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Misplaced Sympathy.

A sympathetic Frenchman unluckily bought an almanac that gave the dates of the world's chief events. From that day on he lived a life of mourning. Thus on April 30 he had crape on his hat.

"Have you lost a relative?" a friend asked. "Not exactly," said he. "But today is a sad anniversary for the French people. On April 30, 1524, the Chevalier Bayard died." On May 2 he had crape on again. "Still mourning Bayard?" said the friend. "No," said he, "but don't you remember that on May 2 a great and charming poet, Alfred de Musset, breathed his last?" On the 6th of the same month, "Whom are you mourning for now?" "For an honest man, General Cavaignac." On the 30th, crying terribly, he said: "Ah, Joan of Arc! On this date, in 1431, a handful of Englishmen dead a miserable bishop put the gallant maid to death." On July 13 he took a bath in memory of the assassination of Marat. On the 16th Beranger's death gave him a fatal shock. On the 18th, having read of Napoleon's departure to St. Helena, he felt better, but on the 26d the bombardment of Dieppe by the English, in 1694, confined him again to his bed. He was taken with a fever and died on the 22d, muttering, "In a month the massacre of St. Bartholomew!"—New York Sun.

Eloquence of the Welsh.

Here is a little story of an Englishman in Wales: "On the comperative qualities of the English and Welsh tongues let me tell of the Welshman who saluted me in the Welsh. I was compelled to confess ignorance. 'Ah,' he said, turning fluently enough to English, 'you should learn the Welsh! My wife was English, and she can speak conversations now quite well.'

"I acknowledged my shortcomings and admitted that I had always understood the Welsh to be a remarkably eloquent tongue. 'Yes, yes, it iss so,' said the native. 'In Welsh a man can express exactly what he means. As for the English, I call it not a language at all—only a dialect.

"'You haf noted that an Englishman or a foreigner in speaking his language waves his hands and arms about to help out the meaning of the words, but a Welshman who can speak Welsh well he hass no need to move his hands. In the Welsh he can say all that he means.'"—Chicago News.

Fife Wheat.

Years ago, about a century, David Fife, a Scotchman of Otonabee, Ont., sent to a friend in Glasgow for a small bag of seed wheat to try in a cleared patch of the backwoods. The friend obtained some seed from a vessel just in from Dantzig. Unfortunately it was a fall wheat and reached David Fife in the spring. Nevertheless David Fife sowed it in spring. One can guess how feverishly the backwoods farmer watched for the growth of his experiment. Only three wheat heads survived till the fall, but those three wheat heads were entirely free of the rust that had ruined his neighbor's crops, and those three heads really represented a new variety of wheat, a fall wheat turned into a spring wheat. David Fife treasured the three heads and planted them in spring. Such was the beginning of Fife wheat in America.—Agnes C. Laut in Outing Magazine.

Vanity of the Peacock.

Our favorite and much petted peacock, says a correspondent of the London Spectator, can be kept happy any length of time looking at his reflection in the window pane or in a looking glass. He comes in daily to tea, making no mistake about the hour, and spends much time en route in gazing at himself as he appears in the glass of the French windows by which he enters the room. If I am sewing and do not speak to him when he comes into the room, he will gently put his head quite close, almost touching my ring or needle, for he likes bright things, till I have to give up working and talk to him as with a small child whom one is afraid of pricking.

The Language of Science.

"I must say," remarked the plain, everyday man, "that I feel as if I had a cold in the head, and I'm so hoarse I can hardly speak.

"I see," answered the scientist. "You are suffering from a slight coryza, causing congestion of the mucous membrane and suffusion of the optical organs and inducing a somewhat phlogistic condition of the epiglottis. Perhaps, however, you had better send for a physician."

"Send for a physician? No. I don't want a doctor. Send for an interpreter."—Minneapolis Journal.

Priority.

The wagons of "the greatest show on earth" passed up the avenue at daybreak. Their incessant rumble soon awakened ten-year-old Billie and his five-year-old brother Robert. Their mother feigned sleep as the two white robed figures crept past her bed into the hall on the way to investigate. Robert struggled manfully with the unaccustomed task of putting on his clothes. "Wait for me, Billie," his mother heard him beg. "You'll get ahead of me."

"Get mother to help you," counseled Billie, who was having troubles of his own.

Mother started to the rescue and then paused as she heard the voice of her younger, guarded, but anxious and insistent:

"You ask her, Billie. You've known her longer than I have."—Everybody's.

Her Luck.

By a strange coincidence a much married woman lost three husbands in succession through fatal accidents in the mine. Naturally her case excited much interest, and she had many sympathetic callers, to all of whom she made the same reply.

"Ah, yes, it's very hard," she said, "but in the midst of my sorrow I've always had somethin' to be thankful for. None o' my husbands lived long after I'd insured 'em, as some poor souls' husbands do!"—London Graphic.

Exclusive to the Last.

An instance of exclusiveness maintained under difficulties is reported from the ladies' cabin of an Atlantic liner. All were sick except one lady and a cat, which wandered uneasily about. The lady ventured to stroke the cat, remarking, "Poor pussy." The cat was inclined to respond and elevated its tail in token of good will, when from a neighboring berth came in choking tones the words, "Excuse me, that is a private cat!"—Argonaut.

That Family Skeleton.

Mrs. Whistler—Tell me, Mary, why it is that you always cry so when papa sends you to bed in the dark when you are naughty? There's no such things as ghosts, and the dark doesn't hurt you, does it? Little Mary—No, mamma, but I'm afraid of that skeleton Mrs. Jones says we got in our closet.—Baltimore American.

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PROBS.—Moderate westerly winds, fair and mild. Wednesday—fair, stationary, and a little lower temperature.

Wednesday Leaders

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3 large White Frills, regularly sold at 15c per frill, in fancy box.
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Our inch wide Dresden Ribbons for fancy work, regular 12½c per yard.
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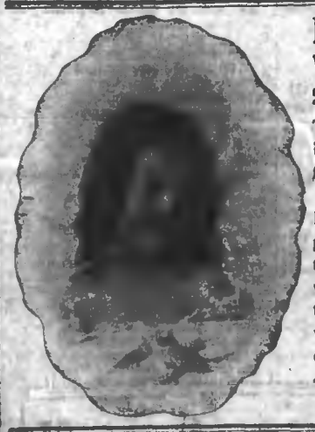

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LUMBERMAN WAS BADLY INJURED IN THE WOODS

Wind Blows Branch on His Head While He Was Sawing.

Examiner Special.

Lasswade, Dec. 12.—An accident which might have proved fatal, and ended in only a few bruises, happened to Mr. Alex. Ferguson, of Coe Hill, employed by Mr. E. Forbes, foreman of the Forbes camp, last Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Ferguson, being one of the sawyers, was working in a dangerous position. The wind was very high and caused a limb to fall which struck the unfortunate man on the head and shoulders rendering him unconscious for a few minutes. Mr. Ferguson was delayed from work for a couple of days, but is able to work again.

ADDRESS ON TRIP TO THE HOLY LAND

Mr. T. F. Matthews Entertains Large Crowd at George Street Church.

The Epworth League of the George Street Methodist Church enjoyed literary and historical treat last night when Mr. T. F. Matthews delivered his address on his trip to the Holy Land. There was a very large number present and the evening was thoroughly enjoyed.

FIRE SMOULDERING IN THE GROUND

Indian River Fires are Still Burning in the Earth.

The fires that were raging during the autumn in different parts of the county are still burning near Indian River. It is smouldering in the black earth. A large area in this section was devastated and fall of rain and snow has not completely extinguished it.

WINNERS IN CONTESTS AT THE A.Y.P.A. MEETING

Pleasant Evening Spent at St. John's Church Last Night.

The A.Y.P.A. of St. John's Church held a most successful meeting last evening in the school room. The entertainment took the form of a literary evening. Familiar quotations were matched and put together for one contest, which was won by Mr. S W Canitt, the consolation prize going to Mr N Armstrong. The advertisement contest was won by Miss Hazel Deane, and the consolation by Miss Linda Hall. In the book guessing contest, first prize was awarded to Miss R Crawford, and the consolation went to Miss Crowe.

Misses McCaw and McKee rendered a piano duet in a very pleasing manner. Mrs. R J Devey gave a very entertaining reading, and Messrs. McLaren and Redgrave presented a dialogue.

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The electric engine, which was fitted with motors, etc., at the C. G. E. Works, has left the shop and is being taken in easy stages to its destination, Shawenegan Falls, Que. The first idea was to load it on a flat car and a skidway was built up to one, which had a capacity of fifty tons, but the engine weighs about fifty-six tons, and as soon as the front wheels rolled on to the car they cut through the boards and it was evident that the load was too heavy. Yesterday the engine was run out on to one of the C. P. R. sidings, where it was run up and down by the yard engine to make sure that it was in good running order. The intention is to take behind a way freight, leaving it off at Havelock, Smith's Falls and other places at similar intervals, as an extra precaution to have all the parts in good order when delivered.

As stated before, it is the first electric engine constructed in Canada. It is learned that in Schenectady there are some fourteen hundred of them turned out in a year. It has two trolleys when in operation and there are four motores that provide the motive power. Two men are required to run it, and it is understood that its rate of speed, with thirty freight cars as a load, is about thirty miles an hour. There are two head lights, a bell and compressed air whistle, and many other intricate parts. Experts from Schenectady were brought here to do the wiring and assembling.

Counter Action In The West Peterborough Election

The Contested Case Comes Up at Osgoode Hall Before Justice Britton---Mr. Burnham's Attorney Says: "I Have Nothing."

The West Peterborough contested case came up yesterday at Osgoode Hall, Toronto, before Mr. Justice Britton, under the Summary Election Trials Act. Argument offered by Mr. Watson in behalf of Hon. Mr. Stratton showed that there had been no reasonable effort to serve notice upon Mr. Stratton within the time allowed by law, during which time he might easily and readily have been served. For some purpose of their own the pursuers failed to avail themselves of the opportunity for personal service and then had recourse to the substitutional process under an order of the court. This service, which was made upon the respondent's business manager, Roland M. Glover, was made within the ten days of limitation during which it was possible to reach the respondent himself, and was contrary to the express provision and intention of the statute, and hence illegal and of no effect, and the petition became consequently null and void.

Mr. Watson, K.C., desired to put Hon. Mr. Stratton in the witness box, but the petitioner's attorney objected.

The Toronto World gives the following relation of the proceedings:

G. H. Watson, K.C., and J. Grayson Smith appeared for Mr. Stratton, who was also present.

Mr. Watson stated that while he had filed ten preliminary objections to the protest he proposed to take up the eighth, which argued that no service in accordance with the act had been made. The order made on Dec. 2 by the court, authorising the service on a subatitute, was void, as the proper procedure in case there was legal difficulty in reaching Mr. Stratton, was to have applied for an extension of time for service. If reasonable efforts to reach the respondent then failed, an application for an order of substitution would have been regular. He had filed an affidavit by Mr. Stratton, which showed that no reasonable effort at personal service had been made.

Mr. Stratton had been at Toronto and Peterborough a great part of the time, and in Toronto at least half a dozen days, on which service could have been made. Under such circumstances the service must be personal or the writ becomes of no effect. The error was definite, clear cut and fatal. This was established in the Montmagny judgment by the supreme court.

Counsel set forth that this was the time to raise the legality of the alleged service. He asked that he be allowed to put Mr. Stratton in the witness-box, when E. Jones, counsel for the petitioner, J. H. Burnham, could cross-examine him.

Mr. Jones objected that such a proceeding was irregular and was not a proper suggestion from a litigant who was attempting to nullify proceedings on the ground of irregularity. Moreover, the affidavit and the proposed examination of Mr. Stratton were without notice to the petitioner.

"Perhaps you will concede there was no personal service?" suggested Justice Britton.

"I conceive it to be my duty to concede nothing," replied Mr. Jones. "If he intends to rely on sheer technicalities he must be met by them."

Mr. Watson closed by moving for an order quashing the protest. By failing to serve Mr. Stratton personally, the petitioners "for reasons best known to themselves, have," Mr. Watson continued, "allowed the case to fall."

J. E. Jones, for petitioners, said the respondent had abandoned six or seven of his preliminary objections, and now spring the plea of lack of personal service upon Mr. Stratton. This was insufficiently specified in their notice of objection. It was not covered by the mere mention of the term insufficiency of service. The specific nature of the insufficiency must be given. If they meant personal service it was necessary to say that, but they purposely refrained from stating that because they knew that Mr. Stratton would then have been personally served within 24 hours. Counsel for the respondent appeared before the court after serving them with a deceptive notice. Was the court going to encourage that sort of deception? It was dishonest with the court. It was an attempt to jolly from day to day.

The order granted for substitutional service on Dec. 2 was valid. Under this order service had been regularly made on Roland Glover. It had evidently reached Mr. Stratton, as he was present to answer it.

Under Sec. 19 of the act under which the respondent raised his objections there was no authority for the procedure of the respondent's counsel.

Judge Britton said that Mr. Jones was entitled to an adjournment to examine the affidavit. The latter declined to accept this on the ground that the affidavit could not be introduced under the notice of objections served upon them.

Justice Britton said: "I will look into the cases."

Mr. Watson made another application for permission to place Mr. Stratton in the box, but was not allowed to do so. He turned smilingly to Mr. Jones, and, holding out his hand, said: "Perhaps you have the order of Dec. 2 with you."

Mr. Jones snapped his hand bag with the words: "I have nothing."

"My learned friend has nothing," said Mr. Watson.

The court then adjourned.

Stay of Proceedings.

2:30 p.m. Special Despatch.

Toronto, Dec. 15.—Mr. Justice Britton this morning granted a stay of proceedings in the West Peterborough Election petition finding the final decision on the preliminary objection. He also extended the time for the taking of proceedings by either party including the filing of a cross-petition if the present petition be maintained.

Young Man To Be Blacklisted; Has Been Addicted To Use Of Liquor

A young man, who was found lying on the corner of George and Simcoe streets at 11:30 o'clock last night, in a helplessly intoxicated condition appeared before Magistrate Dumble at police court this morning.

When he appeared this morning, P. C. Meagher testified that he was addicted to the use of liquor and had been for some time. Magistrate Dumble considered that the best thing under the circumstances was to have the young man black-listed so that the hotel men could not sell him any more liquor.

Another Saturday Night Fray; End Of Nose Was Bitten Off

It looked like a big night to more one party last Saturday night, judging from the results that were chronicled in Monday's papers. The latest affair that has come to light was somewhat similar to that which occurred on the Chemong road within a mile of Bridgenorth. It took place somewhere on the same road so the report goes. Two neighbors had been in the city during the day and towards evening started to drive home. Apparently they had drunk not wisely but too well of that stuff which transforms memory to a fume and numbs the other sections of the brain. At any rate somewhere along the road a quarrel was started during which one of the men is said to have bitten a piece off his companion's nose. The affair has been kept quiet but it is vouched for by persons living in the vicinity of the section where the two men reside.

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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 15th.

THE ISOLATION HOSPITAL MATTER.

A school inspector buying disinfectant for use in the Queen Alexandra School means that scarlet fever is, what may be regarded as, epidemic in the northern part of the city, and that, unless the greatest precautions are taken there is danger of its invading the school and closing it and also closing or impairing the usefulness of the Normal School, affiliated with it for pedagogic purposes. The danger arises from the fact, that, in default of an isolation hospital, there is no properly recognized means of isolation, the only known safe way of dealing with infectious or contagious diseases. Such diseases cannot be cured in the ordinary sense of the word. The most that the most skilful physician can do is to steer the patient past the cemetery gates, if he can, in all cases, do even that. Fortunately the type of scarlet fever prevalent in the northern part of the town is of a mild type but, on that account, in one way all the more dangerous. The symptoms may be so obscure as to render identification difficult. An example of its dangerous character in regard to spreading infection is furnished locally. A case of unidentified character was admitted to a hospital. Scarlet fever developed, and the disease was communicated to a convalescent patient in the private ward adjoining. The nurse in attendance took the disease and by her it was communicated to another nurse. This indicates the danger of any hospital having anything to do directly or indirectly with the treatment of patients affected with contagious diseases. This is doubtless the reason why the law explicitly forbids the admission of such patients into general hospitals. And it also indicates the necessity for the provision of an isolation hospital. The city authorities have had the matter in hand for four or five years, and the project is still in the nebulous stage. The city council is simply wasting time in coquetting with the hospitals in order to effect some alternative arrangement. This cannot be done, and its failure can be no more strongly emphasized than by the fact that the hospital authorities refuse to even negotiate upon the subject.

An isolation hospital would, of course cost money. So does the treatment of patients in their homes cost money, and, besides, works hardships on the inmates. Private houses have to be quarantined for six weeks, at least, and, in case of another case developing, six more weeks, with the accompanying loss and inconvenience and above all, the danger of spreading infection. That the disease as it exists here at present is a mild type only adds to the danger. The milder the type, the greater the carelessness. With an isolation hospital the patient can be immediately segregated, the danger of the disease spreading reduced to a minimum and the chances of the patient's proper treatment and recovery, greatly enhanced. Dr. Fredericks in a recent letter to the press cites a case of real hardship. To quote his statement:

"Take concrete examples of recent date, an honest hard-working woman with a family of five children, two of them bread-winners. Each of the latter were taken from work to nurse others ill with scarlet fever, in order that the main bread-winner might stay away from the family for the public protection. Think what this would mean to you in the same circumstances.

"Away from her family for three months.

"Board to pay for three months.

"Two bread-winners less for three months."

If the city in such a case should, as it is morally, if not legally bound to do, make compensation, the cost of this haphazard and dangerous way of dealing with scarlet fever is much greater than the maintenance of an isolation hospital. If such a hospital were in existence a patient on being attacked, could at once be removed to it, the house disinfected and free from quarantine with twenty-four hours, all danger of infection practically removed, and the public perfectly protected. Last year there were forty-three cases of scarlet fever in the city. With proper isolation these might have been confined to half a dozen.

It would seem that the city authorities should take some decided stand upon the question of an isolation hospital. They should either definitely decide to go on with the work, or definitely decide to abandon it. In the latter we should know where we are; but the city could hardly know the extent of the responsibility it assumes. It assumes a great responsibility in paltering with the matter, much less abandoning it. It assumes the responsibility of permitting and courting conditions that facilitate the spread of disease with all its consequences; it assumes the responsibility morally, if not legally, of compensating citizens for loss of time under quarantine and for other expenses. More than that, it assumes the responsibility of paying heavy damages for death resulting from neglect of duty and failure to comply with the requirements of the law. The Examiner is informed that recently a municipal corporation in the west of this province, had to pay damages in a suit at law, on account of neglect. This shows that corporations are liable for damages for consequences of neglect ind ealing with infectious diseases as they are liable for damages on account of defective streets or pavements.

There is no use trying to negotiate with the hospitals, the law has closed that door of escape. The only way is to meet the responsibility face to face. If an isolation hospital is the only solution of the problem the city authorities know their duty.

The proverb says that an ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure.

THE CHRISTMAS STAMP.

The King's Daughters of Peterborough have received a supply of the Christmas stamp, whose sale is intended to help finance the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives, the only hospital that receives consumptive patients from every part of Canada. These stamps are a little larger than the ordinary stamp, printed in red, and bearing the "red cross" on a maple leaf with the legend "Merry Christmas" above and "Happy New Year" below, the whole framed by the words "Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives." The idea of this stamp originated in Denmark, from which it has spread to Canada among other countries. The Muskoka Hospital stamp serves the double purpose of providing funds and placing the name of this grand institution prominently before the public at a season when hearts are especially open to charitable influences and subject to generous impulses. Not that it requires much generosity to purchase a stamp for one cent and place it on every article of correspondence post card, letter or parcel. The Christmas Free Hospital stamps are sold at one cent each, put up in envelopes containing 10, 25, 50 or 100 stamps. These stamps do not pay postage, they do not carry any kind of mail but any kind of mail will carry them. By buying a stamp its price is added to the fund of a hospital which provides for the treatment of consumptive patients whom no other hospital will admit, and who have no means of payment for treatment, even if admitted. By helping the funds of the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives, one is helping to give treatment to some unfortunates we know, for we have them in every community, who from lack of such an institution are slowly dying, day by day. The King's Daughters will help you to put the Christmas stamp on all your Christmas correspondence.

Put this stamp with message bright,
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Every penny aids the fight,
The dread White Plague to end.

Do your Christmas buying promptly and be sure to include in your purchases a supply of the Muskoka Free Consumptive Hospital stamps.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The good old Globe has the "spelling reform" bee in its bonnet, One is not, therefore, surprised at its perpetrating this atrocity "The difference between Dorando and Longboat is that one is real dago and the other is only an Onondaga."

Whether or not Owen Sound will abolish local option at the January elections, it will certainly elect an anti-option mayor. Both candidates are "damp" on the temperance question, so that from the "dry" point of view the election of a mayor will be the choice between two evils.

The Toronto News ventures the statement that "in order to effect a thorough exposure of corruption all over Canada, the Opposition would need a fund of hardly less than half a million dollars." How much does the News allow for the exposure of the corruption of its own party? If it would as frankly confess the political sins of its own party, as it recklessly assumes the guilt of its opponents, the expense would be sensibly lessened—"but if Satan cast out Satan, he is divided against himself."

The Boston Herald, in discarding its so-called "comic" supplement, declares that "henceforth it will cease to issue its weekly array of illustrations and embalmed humour, and who may venture to say what it will lead to? . . . . The comic supplement has sown the seeds of idleness, duplicity, irresponsibility and dishonesty in many an impressionable child's mind, and the fond father or mother who purchased the Sunday supplement has alone been to blame. The influence of these sheets has been essentially immoral, for they have ever idealized the vapid, stupid, vulgar and demoralizing."

The Mail and Empire proposes an examination test for candidates for municipal office, with the Railway and Municipal Board, which recently turned over Toronto bound hand and foot to the Toronto Street Railway Company, as examiners. The proposition is impracticable and unconstitutional to boot. The principles of British liberty forbid the destruction of the time honoured right of the wrong man thrusting himself into the square hole in all walks of human activity—the pulpit, the bar, and parliamentary and municipal life. The privilege of making fools of ourselves, and of helping others to do the same, is our most cherished right.

The vagaries of the isothermal lines are the making of the Canadian West. Westerly of Winnipeg they take a sharp curve northward, and modify the climate of the northwest so that on the Peace River, within the same latitude as the southern part of Greenland, wheat and other cereals can be grown and ripened. We can hardly comprehend how we are widening out. Only a few years ago Edmonton, now a busy city of 20,000, was a solitary trading post, and it was some years less when it had only one newspaper. Hon. Mr. Oliver's Bulletin. Now Edmonton and vicinity have five live newspapers and recently a newspaper has been established in the further north, at Athabaska Landing, under the shadow of the 60th parallel of latitude, and on a level with the northern part of James' Bay. We have newspapers in the Yukon, almost within the Arctic Circle, and the time may not be far distant when a newspaper, say the Post, may be established at the North Pole.

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A well-known authority states that his mixture acts directly upon the eliminative tissues of the kidneys, cleanses these spongelike organs and gives them power to sift and strain the poisonous waste matter and uric acid from the blood which is the cause of rheumatism.

If your back or sides ache and you suspect kidney trouble, it would be wise to try this for a few days.

TEMPEST AND SUNSHINE

Tempest and Sunshine," a play from the book of the late Mary J. Holmes, has been read by thousands of people and which is dramatized by Miss Doran, for the Partello Stock Company, deals principally with rural life in Kentucky. The play shows a pretty picture of life in a small town in Kentucky. Such picturesque dress, manners, environment, cannot but be apart more than a little in book or upon the stage, portrayed by competent cast. The dialogue sparkles pleasantly. The character of Fannie, enacted by Alice Kennedy, the brightest star in repertoire. This play will be given to-night by the Partello Stock Company at the Grand Opera House. The author, Mary J. Holmes, passed away recently at the age of seventy-nine, at Brockport, N. Y. She wrote some interesting books during her life time and Tempest and Sunshine is considered the best of her writings. You have all read the book, now see the play.

Sealed Tenders adressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tenders for Quarters for Stable Establishment, Kinston, Ontario." will be received at this office until 4.00 p.m. on Monday, December 28th, 1908, for the construction of Quarters for Stable Establishment R. M. C., Kingston, Ont.

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Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with their actual signatures.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank made payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent., 10 p. c., of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

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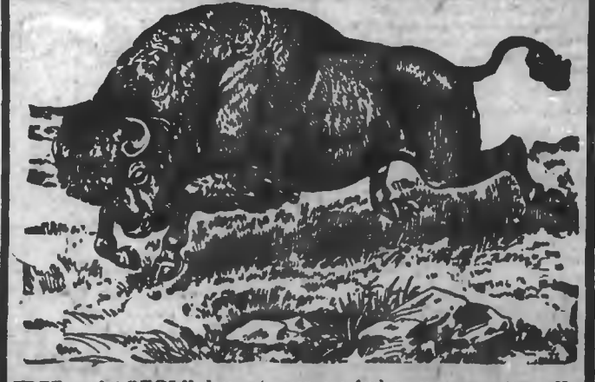

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Word Has Come to Canadian and U.S. Secret Service Men That Two Whites and Six Chinamen Were Almost Swept to Death Over the Falls Recently — Capture of Gang Is Expected in Few Days.

Niagara Falls, Dec. 15.—The secret service men in the employ of the Canadian and United States Governments are on the trail of a gang of Chinese smugglers who are said to be operating between Chippewa and La Salle.

The detectives have just discovered that a party of six Chinamen and two Americans narrowly escaped being swept over the Falls one night last week when the engine of a gasoline launch which was conveying them to the United States failed and the party were nearly carried to death.

Another smuggler on shore at Chippewa heard their cries and in another launch went out and towed the disable boat to the shore, where the Chinese shipped in the efficient launch and landed at La Salle. The authorities say they will make important arrests in the next few days.

Aid to Education.

Montreal, Dec. 15.—Lord Grey delivered quite an important speech last evening before the Montreal Technical Institute.

His Excellency regretted that the British North American Act prevented the Federal Government from coming in aid of higher education, as can be done under the English constitution.

He also said that a forward step would no doubt be made at the Imperial Educational Congress to be held in London during the summer of 1911, as he believed that some steps would then be taken so that the educationalists of the different states of the empire may be brought into closer touch the one with the other for the advancement of education generally, and especially higher education.

Defaulter Gets Respite.

North Bay, Dec. 15.—At the High Court of Justice, which opened here yesterday before Justice Teetzel, the case of William Martin, Jr., charged with embezzlement of funds belonging to the Town of North Bay, while acting as tax collector came up.

Justice Britton's decision was read in court yesterday afternoon, and was to the effect that Martin may be allowed his liberty under bail of $10,000 to appear at the autumn assizes in North Bay in 1909 for sentence.

Burns His Millions.

London, Dec. 15.—A special despatch from St. Petersburg to The Daily Mail relates that dying Moscow millionaire, name Petroff, has his whole fortune withdrawn from the banks and the bank notes brought to the sick room. They were then piled before him and set on fire.

Petroff summoned his relatives and showed them the ashes, congratulating them on having escaped the evil of wealth.

King at Buckingham.

London, Dec. 15.—King Edward arrived yesterday in London, greatly improved in health. He held an investiture at Buckingham Palace, during which he walked briskly about the rooms, and conversed freely and animatedly with those present.

Upon the advice of his physician, the King has given up his visit to Lord Burton in Derbyshire, because of the inclement weather, and returns to Brighton to-day.

Perjury Charged.

Brockville, Dec. 15.—Patrick Brady surrendered himself in the county judge's Criminal Court yesterday and pleaded not guilty to a charge of perjury, alleged to have been committed in taking the oath to vote at the Dominion election in Brockville on Oct. 26. He was admitted to bail.

Sent Up For Trial.

Kenora, Dec. 15.—Martin Schwieg, Samuel Farquhar and Geo. Archambault, Jr., were sent up for trial for defrauding a prominent citizen. Bail was fixed at $300 each.

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Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Dec. 15.—Three unknown men entered the post-office here Sunday night while Deputy Postmaster Frank Higgins was making out a pay-roll, knocked him senseless with a sandbag, and then escaped with $2,500. They are supposed to have gone to Canada.

Instructor Reinstated.

Kingston, Dec. 15.—Inspector Dawson has concluded his investigation of the opium smuggling operations at the penitentiary. No decision has been given, but it is understood that the instructor, who has been under suspension, will be reinstated.

Woman Evades Trial.

Belleville, Dec. 15.—The County Court broke up abruptly yesterday morning. Mrs. Annie J. Day, charged with aiding and abetting Wm. Day, her husband, did not appear, and the announcement was made that she had disappeared some days ago. Her bail, furnished by her father, Hubbard Perry, a wealthy farmer, was estreated. The jury brought in a verdict of not guilty against Fox.

Action on Arrears of Taxes.

Regina, Sask., Dec. 15.—Forfeiture proceedings are to be taken by the Government to-day against all land for which local improvement taxes have not been paid. Notice was issued to all secretary-treasurers yesterday, stating that they must not accept arrears of payment after to-day. A large amount of land in the country will be affected by this decision.

Power Bylaw Delayed.

Stratford, Dec. 15.—Contrary to expectations the City Council did not pass the bylaw providing for the signing of the Niagara power contract last night. The commission will be communicated with to-day relative to cost of publication of same, and another meeting will be held Thursday night.

At the regular meeting of the public school board last night the salary schedule for teachers was revised, giving the teachers a general increase.

Steamer Delayed by Storm.

Fort William, Dec. 15.—The Carleton, the last boat expected this year, wired from the Soo Sunday that she would arrive yesterday, weather permitting. A heavy snowstorm is prevailing over the lake and she is expected to make port to-day.

MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Close Higher, Chicago Lower—Live Stock —Latest Quotations.

Monday Evening, Dec. 14.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day ½d higher than Saturday, and corn remained unchanged.

At Chicago, December wheat closed 1c lower than Saturday; December corn closed ⅛c higher, and December oats ⅛c lower.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat, July $1.03 bid, December 97c asked, May $1.01⅛ bid.

Oats—December 37⅝c bid, May 42½c bid.

Toronto Grain Markets.

Wheat, fall, bush	$0 95	to $
Wheat, red, bush	0 95	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 91	....
Rye, bushel	0 80	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 55	....
Peas, bushel	0 80	....
Barley, bushel	0 53	0 53
Oats, bushel	0 43	0 44

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 29
Butter, store lots	0 22	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb rolls	0 29	0 30
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 40	....
Eggs, cold storage	0 25	....
Cheese, large, lb	0 13½	....
Cheese, twins, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11
Honey, combs, dozen	2 25	3 75

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Butter—Fancy table grades firm; other sorts slow; receipts, 4223. Creamery specials, 28c (official) price 28½c; extras 27c to 31½c; third to first, 23c to 26c; held, common to special, 22c to 29c; state dairy, common to special, 21c to 28c; process, common to special, 18c to 25c; western factory, first, 26c to 27½c; western imitation creamery, first, 22c to 23c.

Cheese, firm; receipts, 1639; state, full cream specials, 14½c to 15½c; do., Sept. large and small, colored or whitee fancy, 14c; do., October best, 13½c; late made, small, best, 13c; good to prime, 11¾c to 12¾c; common to fair, 10½c to 11½c; skims, full to specials, 7½c to 11½c.

Eggs—Firmer; receipts, 4226.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Steady—Cattle Lower, Hogs Steady at Buffalo.

LONDON, Dec. 14.—London cables for cattle are steady at 12½c to 13½c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10½c to 10¾c per lb.

Toronto Junction Live Stock.

TORONTO JUNCTION, Dec. 14.—Receipts of live stock at the Union Stock Yards were large—105 carloads, as follows: 2115 cattle, 22 hogs, 690 sheep and 17 calves.

Exporters.

There were a few loads of exporters reported as selling at $5.40 to $5.50 per cwt., but we are inclined to think they were bought for the Christmas market of the Dominion. Bulls sold at $3.75 to $4.25.

Butchers.

Choice Christmas cattle sold at from $5 to $5.60, with a few picked, prime lots at $5.75 to $6. Loads of good heifers and steers, $4.75 to $5; medium to good, $4 to $4.50; common, $3.50 to $3.75; cows, $2 to $4; canners, $1.50 to $2.60.

Milkers and Springers.

A few milkers and springers sold at $35 to $55 each.

Veal Calves.

A limited number of veal calves sold at $3 to $7 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs.

About 700 sheep and lambs were on sale. Lambs were firm, selling at $5.25 to $5.55 per cwt.; sheep, $3.25 to $3.40 per cwt.

Hogs.

Gunns, Limited, reported selects at $6, fed and watered at the market, and $5.75 to drovers, f.o.b. cars, at country points.

Montreal Live Stock.

MONTREAL, Dec. 14.—At the Montreal Stock Yards West End Market, the receipts of live stock for the week ending Dec. 12 were 3418 cattle, 1218 sheep and lambs, 2313 hogs and 267 calves. The offerings for local consumption this morning amounted to 1158 cattle, 800 sheep and lambs, 2000 hogs and 204 calves.

Altho the supply of cattle was much larger than a week ago yet the undertone to the market was strong and prices for the ordinary stock showed an advance of ¼c per lb. The quality of the stock of feed was all that could be desired by both local and out-of-town buyers for the Christmas trade, there being some extra choice beeves, which brought fancy prices. The demand was active for all top quality grades and a brisk trade was done in the morning, but the common and inferior cattle moved rather slowly, of which the offerings were smaller than usual. Messrs. Johnston and Bessner, one of ourleading wholesale butcher firms, bought two extra choice mast-fed cows, weighing 2370 pounds, at 6c per lb. Two others, weighing 2270 pounds, at 5¾c, and five heifers, weighing 2175 pounds, at 6c. Mr. William Masterman of the Masterman Packing Company, was on the market as usual, and operated freely in cattle and hogs. There was also a number of buyers from Ottawa and Quebec, who bought a number of carloads of choice cattle and lambs. On the whole the trade was very satisfactory to all concerned. Ordinary choice cattle sold at 5¼c to 5½c; good, at 5¼c to 5c; fair, at 5c to 4½c; common, at 3½c to 3¾c, and inferior, at 1½c to 3½c per pound.

A much stronger feeling prevailed in the market for lambs, on account of the continued small offerings and prices scored a further advance of ½c per lb. The demand was good from local and outside buyers and an active trade was done with sales of choice lots at 6½c to 6c, and good at 5½c to 5¾c per lb. There is no change in the condition of the market for sheep, prices being firmly maintained under a fair demand and small supply, and sales of choice stock were made at 4c, and culls, at 3½c to 3¾c per lb. The offerings of calves were not large, but the quality of the stock was something extra and in consequence the demand was good and higher prices than usual were paid. Some extra choice stock sold at 6½c to 6c and good at 4½c to 5c per lb.

There were no new developments in the live hog situation. Receipts were larger than they have been of late, for which the demand was good and prices ruled firm, with sales of selected lots at $6.60 to $6.75 per cwt., off cars. Cable advices received on Canadian bacon last week were weak and noted a further decline in prices of 1s to 2s per cwt., but this fact seems to have but little influence on the local market these days.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, N.Y., Dec. 14.—Cattle—Receipts, 2500 head; active and 15c to 25c lower; prime steers, $6.50 to $7; shipping, $6.50 to $6.25; butchers', $5 to $6; heifers, $4.50 to $5.50; cows, $3.50 to $5; bulls, $3 to $4.25.

Veals—Receipts, 400 head; active and steady, $7 to $10.

Hogs—Receipts, 17,000 head; fairly active and steady; heavy, $5.95 to $6; mixed, $5.35 to $5.90; yorkers, $5.40 to $5.90; pigs, $4 to $5.35; roughs, $5.25 to $5.50; stags, $4 to $4.75; dairies, $5.40 to $5.90.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 12,000 head; sheep, slow; lambs, active; lambs, $5 to $7.50; yearlings, $5.75 to $6; wethers, $4.50 to $4.75; ewes, $4 to $5.25; sheep, mixed, $2 to $4.25; Canada lambs, $7 to $7.25.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Beeves—Receipts, 4779; steers, slow and generally 10c to 15c lower; bulls, steady to strong; thin cows, 10c higher; others, firm; common to prime steers, $4 to $6.20; bulls, $2.75 to $4.50; cows, $1.75 to $4.30; few western cows, $4.50.

Calves—Receipts, 2573; veals, steady to slow; barnyard and western calves, weak to a shade lower. Veals, $5 to $10.50; culls, $5 to $6.50; barnyard calves, $3.75 to $4.25; western calves, $5.25.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 20,981. Sheep slow to 10c lower; lambs, dull and 25c off. Sheep, $2.50 to $4.25; few at $4.50; culls, $2 to $2.25; lambs, $5.75 to $7.50; two cars choice, $7.40; culls, $4.25 to $5; yearlings, $5.25 to $6.

WILL CANADA WITHDRAW?

J. H. Mackinder In London Sees a Real Danger of It.

London, Dec. 15.—H. J. Mackinder, addressing the Compatriots' Club yesterday, said the tendency of the younger generation in Canada was towards independence, though they hardly realized the fact at the moment. There was a strong feeling almost throughout the Dominion against annexation with the United States, but there existed also a standing temptation to give that power commercial terms which must end in political union. If such a coalition were formed it would arouse European hostility, a hostility not active, perhaps, but still real. In self-defence the coalition would be compelled to take over the command of the ocean, and the powers of the Far East, instead of looking to Britain, would look to America. Could Britain, in such circumstances, retain India and South Africa? As Lord Milner said, the Dutch would be loyal for reasons of policy, not sentiment. If Canada parted from Britain the empire would end, and the attraction for the Dutch would disappear.

PACKING COMBINE POSSIBLE.

Consolidation of Western Plants Is Object of Conference.

Chicago, Dec. 15.—Whether there will be a new corporation consolidating the packing plants of Western Canada, as reported from Winnipeg Sunday, could not be confirmed here yesterday, although it was ascertained that a secret meeting of men said to be interested in such an enterprise was being held.

Those participating in the conference were said to be R. M. MacLeod, a capitalist of Winnipeg; A. W. Anderson, and J. Herbert Anderson of Spokane, Wash.; E. C. McDonald, assistant Attorney-General of Washington; O. W. McConnell, Attorney-General of Montana, and Albert Galen of Helena, Mont. It was said that only one of the conferees is directly interested in the cattle industry. J. H. Anderson, said to be a promoter, said:

"It will be impossible to say anything of the proceedings as yet, and it is probable that nothing whatever will be made public. I cannot say, you know, what is the nature of the conference."

A Waterways Commission.

St. John, Dec. 15.—A. P. Barnhill, one of the best known lawyers in New Brunswick, and John Keefe, a prominent merchant, have been named by the Federal Government to represent Canada on an international commission, which will deal with the matters of obstructions on the St. John River. Their counsel will be Hon. H. A. McKeown, lately Attorney-General, and Hon. W. P. Jones, formerly solicitor-General of New Brunswick.

Hurrah For Eve!

Chicago, Dec. 15.—Mrs. Catherine Waugh McCullough of Evanston, the only woman justice of the peace in the United States, in a woman suffrage address Sunday denounced Adam as a loafer, painted Eve as the mother of all arts and science and declared that the history of the human race showed that woman was the originator of most of the good things of the world for which man now takes credit.

Ferry Suddenly Quits.

New York, Dec. 15.—Patrons and employes of the five lines of ferryboats running from Broadway, Brooklyn, to Manhattan Borough, found to their surprise yesterday morning that the system had suspended operations.

Victim of Explosion Dies.

Virden, Man., Dec. 15.—Mike Farrell, 16, a victim of Saturday's coal oil explosion, died yesterday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Schurman are improving, though the former is badly burned.

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ASKS ELECTORS TO BE LIBERAL

In Their Voting on the Exhibition Grounds By-law—The Example Toronto Has Set.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

Dear Sir—Would you kindly allow me a little space to reply to a letter in your daily of the 10th inst. re-"Exhibition Grounds" Now sir, that letter, (I hope it is not intentionally misleading, but from lack of knowledge of the proposition). The proposition is for the city to buy the Exhibition Grounds and Turf Club Grounds for a park for the South End of the city and allow the Industrial Fair Board to erect suitable buildings for fair purposes and only to be used by them for exhibition purposes one week in the year for their accommodation, and if something like this is not done, it will be very difficult for the Fair Board to make their exhibition the success they and all our best citizens wish it to be. As at present our buildings through age are becoming old and dilapedated, and as the present grounds are only under a short lease we do not feel justified in spending large amounts in repairing the old buildings or erecting new ones. Now sir, we have a precedent to show that it would be to advantage for the city to purchase the grounds. We will take the city of Toronto and their National Exhibition, acknowledged to be the greatest on the continent. The city owns the Exhibition Grounds and Buildings, erected at a very large expense, and in each and every year they are spending enormous sums on new and additional buildings as required. and Toronto people look on this as one of their best investments from a financial standpoint, as the city receives a large dividend every year from the profits of the exhibition directly, to say nothing of the immense business done by the business houses in all lines during the two weeks of the fair.

We hope the electors will take a broad and liberal view of the whole matter and by their votes for the by-law instruct the City Council to purchase this desirable property for a park and place of recreation for the citizens; at once while it can be obtained, and surely the south end citizens should be given some consideration, as at present they have no park, while all other parts of the city have been provided with splendid parks. At the present time no part of the city is building up as rapidly as the South End.

Yours,
WM. COLLINS.
(A Fair Director.)

FUNERAL OF THE LATE MR. WILLIAM SPILSBURY

Passed Away in North Dakota and Buried in Peterborough.

The remains of the late Wm. Spilsbury, who passed away in Hannaford, N. D., on Thursday, December 3rd, arrived in the city Friday evening at 5.30, G. T. R. The funeral took place from Comstock's undertaking establishment at 2.30 Saturday afternoon, Dec. 12th, 1908.

Rev. Canon Davidson, of St. John's Church, conducted the services. Those who acted as pall-bearers were, Messrs J. Patton, R. Lillico, C. Stinson, North Monaghan, and J. Foster, W. Fowler and J. Armstrong, city.

A great many sorrowing friends of the family gathered to pay their last respects to the memory of the deceased.

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Address Of Much Interest On Raising Profitable Horses

Given by W. F. Kydd at Meeting of Farmers' Institute at Ennismore—The Kind of Horse to Raise.

MEANING OF THOROUGHBRED

Mr. W. F. Kydd, of Simcoe, has an address which is modestly styled, "Am I raising the most profitable horse," and the lucid and explanatory way in which he treats the subject is a revelation. He spoke on it at the afternoon meeting of the West Peterborough Farmers' Institute at Ennismore on Wednesday and even to the layman let alone the farmers among whom the horse has a place of great importance his talk was absorbing and his explanations full and clear. Those who heard Mr. Kydd listened to a practical masterpiece for what he said was of real worth and the information imparted was of unmistakeable value. It was generally voted by by Mrs Kydd's auditors that the address was the best they had ever heard on the subject discussed. While some of the principal points are expressed below o fully appreciate the address one would have to hear as given by Mr Kydd, for many of the incidental details brought up during the questioning by the listeners were very instructive.

Mr J. N. Telford, president of the Institute, was in the chair.

The Horse to Raise

The question of the most profitable horse to raise was the first one that came up for consideration.

It costs $100, it would be safely safe to raise a colt until it was four years of age. Now, would the average horse of that age, the kind of animal generally reared on the farm, sell for that much money. Generally it would not.

Mr. Kydd is apparently no lover of bronchos as a horse, for agricultural purposes and he spoke of them as "rubbish" and deprecated the bringing of them to Eastern Canada.

It was admitted that the kind of horse which was spoken of above as being raised on the farm would not bring $100. Considering that it took that much to raise the horse from a foal until it was four years of age it would be disposed of at a loss.

"What can you sell a good draft horse for?" asked the speaker.

At a low average of $210. So it was affirmed that horse raising gone in for intelligently was a profitable business and paid just as well as any other department of farming.

As soon as a farmer gets a good mare, the first time he is offered a good price he takes the money and away it goes to the city. And what had he left at home? The poor broken down mare that was not fit to breed from.

Speaking of the stallion, Mr Kydd told of the great mistake of breeding to a cheap stallion as more money was lost in the stock than in what was saved in the service.

Be Wary of "Imported"

The speaker wished to warn young breeders against the word "imported." It only meant that the horse to which the term was applied was brought from another country into this, and the British breeders often disposed of "importeds" because they were too inferior to the those worked on the farm as geldings.

Mr. Kydd here gave his further reasons why he thought the draft horse, generally speaking, was the most profitable one to raise. If a lighter and higher class horse received a blemish when a colt, it practically clipped the selling price in two. This could not be said of the draft horse, which was for utility rather than mere show.

And then the draft horse was more docile and easier to break. But it was a good thing that there were lots of farmers who did not raise draft horses for the users of carriage horses must have their demands met.

"But for goodness' sake get off that general purpose horse."

The use to which the general purpose horse is put was described. No horse used in the field for hard work could be expected to be of any use for road purposes. But there was some object in raising a horse of medium weight that could be used in the cities for carriage or express purposes. Horses of this class brought a good figure when sold and the call for them was good.

What Thoroughbred Means

There was great stress put on the word "thoroughbred." But what did thoroughbred really mean? It simply meant a runner. That was the only horse that was entitledt o be called a thoroughbred.

Speaking of light horses, Mr Kydd gave very valuable information as to the breeding to get the most desirable carriage horse.

Too Many Draughtbreeds

There were five breeds of draught horses in this country; the Clyde, Shire, Suffolk, Punch and Belgium. And there were too many. There was too much breeding of a brood mare to different kinds of stallions.

Which is the most profitable draught horse to raise, the farmer would ask. The answer was the one that would be the most profitable to him, the one with the highest market value. Farmers were advised to stick to the breed and the type as much as possible. Suppose a mare was three parts Clydesdale such a mare should be bred to a pure bred Clydesdale. That would be improving the type.

Strong Points and Defects

To the young man who knew little of the defects of horses, the speaker had something to say. He brought out the different defects and strong points of a horse using a well outlined chart figure to do so.

The head noted the disposition of the animal. The horse with the big broad forehead and mild eyes was of a good disposition. The horse with the narrow forehead and eye sunk back in its head was of a mean disposition and had little intelligence. It was hard to break and hard to manage.

The Foot

After the head came the feet of a horse. In the first place the foot should not be too small in proportion to the body. A foot like that possessed by a mule was a drawback. A horse's foot should flare a little to allow for the weight to rest upon it. And a horse's foot does expand a little when the horse stands on it.

What does a blacksmith do with the frog of a horse's foot usually? Pares off a big chunk the first thing he does. The frog does not need paring except when it is diseased. It sheds itself naturally and if a superfluous piece is showing, it can be cut off with a jack knife. The speaker wished it to be understood that he did not want to be unnecessarily severe with the blacksmith. A separate chart was used to explain the function of the parts of the foot. The foot was the most important part of a horse's anatomy.

The blacksmith used the rasp too freely on the outside of a horse's foot. It was an easy matter to do too much paring for who could tell where the skin ceased and the hoof began.

W.F.M.S. COLLECT A LARGE SUM

Total Amount Gathered by St. Paul's Missionary Society is $624.36—Annual Meeting Held.

NEW OFFICERS ELECTED

The 33nd annual meeting of St. Paul's Women's Foreign Missionary Society was held on Friday afternoon last. After the opening exercises and prayer by Mrs. McPherson, Miss Dickson, the president, gave an interesting address on "Practical Enthusiasm for Mission Work." The secretary's and treasurer's reports, and reports from the Fraser Mission Band, and The Faithful Workers' Mission Band were read.

Mrs. Goforth, of Honan, China, gave a most interesting address, telling of the great change that has taken place in China during the twenty-one years since she and Mr. Goforth went there as pioneer missionaries. During their early work they were met with great suspicion and opposition, but to-day Mrs. Goforth with her children can travel alone to any part of their field in safety. They have accomplished wonderful work in China. Mr. Goforth is at present conducting great revivals in Manchuria.

Report of Secretary

Another year in the history of our auxiliary has closed, and in reviewing our work, we find much to encourage us to renewed effort.

Our meetings have been held regularly on the 2nd Friday of each month, with the exception of August. The regularity of our meetings we consider important, as our absent members may be with us in thought and prayer at this hour. Our average attendance for the year was 58.

The January meeting as usual, took the form of a united prayer meeting of the Home and Foreign Missionary societies. This year we again followed the United Study Course, and in the study of "Gloria Christi," we have seen a summing up of the marvellous progress made in non-Christian lands, through the inworking of the Gospel of Jesus Christ; not alone through the preaching of this gospel, but through its practice by means of educational, medical and industrial effort, have come a great upheaval of ancient superstition, and a revolution in social, moral and religious ideals. A study of the mighty works of God in His world through his own appointed plan of Christian Missions, has been our privilege this year.

Our society was asked to provide clothing for a boy and girl, aged 15 in the school at Ahousaht, B. C., and a bale of suitable clothing valued at $63.65 was forwarded.

On the 27th and 28th of May, the Peterborough Presbyterial held its annual meeting in St. Andrew's Church, and those of our members who attended these meetings were greatly profited especially in hearing Dr. Chone Oliver, and Rev. Dr. R. P. Mackay.

The repacking of the clothing from the Presbyterial of Peterborough, for Ahousaht was, this year, in charge of a committee from our auxiliary, and on Sept. 3rd a bale of clothing weighing 1,100 lbs. was sent forward. The society take this opportunity of expressing their gratitude to the ladies who undertook the laborious work.

In October our annual thank-offering meeting was held. Mrs. Burns, president of the Peterborough Presbyterial, gave a most helpful address. Our thank-offering amounted to $450.45, the largest in the history of our auxiliary.

This year we again subscribed for the "Interior," and the "Missionary Review." The Interior is sent to India, and is a paper much appreciated by our missionaries there. The Missionary Review comes to us every month, as well as the Foreign Tidings, and is for the use of the members of the auxiliary. This magazine is full of most interesting and helpful missionary news, and we would like more of the ladies to avail themselves of the privilege of reading it.

Death has once more visited our auxiliary, and a rare sweet spirit has been removed from us in the person of Mrs. D. H. Moore, who had always evidenced a very practical interest in the work of this society.

The year is past, and whatever has been done in His name, to Him we ascribe the Glory. We feel grateful that we are privileged to be co-workers with Him, and we would humbly ask for help and guidance in the coming year, that at its close it may be said truly of each member, "She hath done what she could."

Since writing this report sad news has come to us, and it is with deep sorrow, that we record the death of a former highly esteemed secretary, Mrs. McKay, of Harriston. To her sorrowing mother and husband, we extend our deepest sympathy, and our prayer is, that the God of all comfort may bind up their bleeding, broken hearts, and pour balm into their wounded Spirits.

The treasurer's report of the missionary accounts showed receipts to the extent of $624.36, and expenditures of $37.86, leaving a balance in the bank of $586.50.

Officers Elected

The officers for the ensuing year are as follows: President, Miss Dickson; Hon. Vice-President, Mrs. Innes; 1st Vice-President, Mrs. Rogers; 2nd Vice-President, Mrs. Pogue; Secretary, Mrs. A. P. MacLean; Literary Secretary, Miss Laidlaw; Treasurer. Mrs. McKee; Librarian, Miss N. Davidson; Organist, Miss Simpson.

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TWO PETERBOROUGH BOYS MEET AT PACIFIC COAST

Danny Simons as "Timothy D. McGee" Recognized by His Old Friend Fred Lynch.

A New Westminster despatch says: A pleasing feature of the appearance here of the "Little Johnny Jones" company which entertained so many of the citizens last night, was the recognition of the genial Irishman with the big laugh, "Timothy D McGee," by an old friend and fellow lacrosse player, Fred Lynch, of the Beaver cigar factory. The proper name of the comedian is Dan Simons, and he hails from Peterborough, Ont., and there learned and played the game that has made New Westminster famous. Fred Lynch played in the Peterborough team at the same time and was somewhat surprised when his old friend made his bow to the large audience of last night.

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MAY DIVERT GRAIN TRAFFIC TO PACIFIC

President Hays of Grand Trunk Pacific Says He Will Do It With His Low Grades---One Engine Over Rockies---Expects to Have Line Open to Prince Rupert in Autumn of 1911---Short Way to the Orient.

(Special to the New York Times.)

Montreal, Nov. 28th—In an interview here C. M. Hays, President of the Grand Trunk Pacific, which is financed by Messrs. Rothschild in London and Speyer Brothers in New York, gives an account of his observation during a tour of inspection which took him to Prince Rupert, the western terminal of the new Canadian line.

In answer to questions Mr. Hays said—

"We are doing very well, indeed. The various contractors are in good spirits and well abreast of their dates. Indeed, the financial disaster in New York a year ago was for us a blessing in disguise. Large numbers of men have come north seeking work. Labour is abundant and is more productive, at lower wages. Already our trains are running regularly over the whole section 600 miles west of Winnipeg into Alberta. The newly arrived settlers have harvested a great wheat-crop—great both in quantity and in quality, greater still for the price it is bringing. At our Pacific terminal, Prince Rupert, from which I returned this week, good progress is being made with the grading of the first hundred miles east, and I see no reason to doubt that by autumn of 1911 our first train will break through to Ridewater, passing from the Atlantic to the Pacific."

High Cost and Low Grades

Asked about alleged "generous expenditures" on the road, Mr. Hays replied:—

"A number of amiable and glib gentlemen hunting seats in the Dominion Parliament have been talking about the matter on the stump. The Canadian voter has replied to them. The Dominion Government is, as you know, our partner in the enterprise, and to denounce Ministers for reckless extravagance is all right and proper from the standpoint of an opposition. But our expenditures have not been excessive nor beyond the measure of our obligations to the Government and the community.

"Bear in mind, please, that railroads are not now built as the earlier transcontinental roads were built, up hill, down dale, on an unballasted roadbed of mud. Such uneconomic methods were permissible when there were a mere handful of ranchmen and trappers to serve, and when the promotors' objective was first of all to earn the land grant on which they issued their bonds. What we require to-day and what the travelling public means to have is a first-class roadbed with such low gradients and wide curvatures tha tour trains can be run at very high speeds with perfect safety.

"We carry our road from Winnipeg over the Rockies to Prince Rupert with a maximum gradient of 21 feet to the mile going west and 26 to the mile going east. The immense economy in hauling freights with gradients so remarkable, every railway man must recognize. We shall be able to put two thousand tons of freight into Prince Rupert from Winnipeg behind a single engine.

"Of the seven great railroad systems which to-day cross the Rockies and reach the Pacific, the Union Pacific with grades of 116 feet eastbound and 105 west-bound, comes nearest to us. I will tabulate for you the grades of our six competitors and the dynamics of an engine on each.

Railroad	Max. Grade	Tractive Gross Resistance in Pounds per ton	Capacity of Engine in tons
Grand Trunk P.	6	14	2,641
Great Northern	116	50	572
Northern Pacific	116	50	572
Union Pacific	116	50	572
Santa Fee	185	76	376
Canadian Pacific	127	86	293

"In other words, the same engine could haul up the maximum grade of the Grand Trunk Pacific nearly four times more freight in a train than either the Great Northern, Northern Pacific, or Union Pacific, over five times more than on the Santa Fee, and about seven times more than can be hauled up grade on the Canadian Pacific. These are very remarkable figures, I am aware, an dI accept the responsible for putting them on record. You can read in these figures the reason for our so-called 'generous expenditures.' The interest on the cost of such a line will be returned to us ten times over in the economy of our operations and in the increased safety of our passengers.

"We expect that our easy gradients, which are due not only, or chiefly to our 'generous expenditures', but to our possession of the Yellow Head Pass through the Rockies, will in a few years twist around a great portion of the wheat export trade of the Northwest, and with the opening of the Panama Canal in 1914 send wheat to Europe (let alone to Asia) by way of the Pacific."

Mr. Hays proceeded:—

Divert Wheat Traffic to Pacific

"At present the wheat crop is either hurried to the ports on the great lakes, Duluth, Fort William, and Chicago, during the few weeks between threshing and the closing of lake navigation in November, or it is held up for six months in elevators at a considerable cost, or again, if it is carried through to the Eastern seaboard in winter, when the St. Lawrence route is closed by ice, the long haul through heavy snows makes the operation difficult, costly, and even disastrous both for the railway and to the farmer. West-bound from Saskatchewan and Alberta to Prince Rupert, the grades are easy; there is very little snow in winter, so that when the Panama Canal opens in six years I look to see Prince Rupert one of the very great grain ports of the world. I have more than once ventured the prediction that in my lifetime we shall haul to the Pacific as much grain as we shall haul to the Atlantic."

Mr. Hays declared that this diversion of traffic would not seriously diminish the earnings of the Eastern Division of the Grand Trunk.

"The volume of traffic," said he, "coming out of the new Northwest, if we may judge from the way settlers are already swarming in, will throw far more business upon our existing lines than they can possibly handle. The present cultivated area is but six million acres, a mere patch this on a farm of three hundred million acres. As yet we have but scratched the surface. We shall require very shortly to do wha tthe Canadian Pacific is already doing in Manitoba, that is, double track our road to enable us to handle the traffic. Thus the diversion of a large portion of the far western wheat trade will advantage every section of our road; it will even enable us to give settlers much lower rates, because we shall even up our loads, sending full cars both east and west instead of only east. While we send cattle, grain and minerals west to Prince Rupert, we shall haul back east the coal and thel umber which the settlers on that three hundred million acre farm need.

"When Prince Rupert has been connected with Sydney across the Pacific by a good line of steamships— and that will come soon—the connection will have been completed of the two very finest harbours in the British Empire. So at least a friend of mine assures me, who has recently seen both. He even gives the palm to Prince Rupert. Our route cuts off to the Far East—say Yokohama — 1500 miles from New York, compared with the San Francisco route, and 500 miles over the Vancouver route, and the saving of two or three days will often decide the choice. The climate of the place is neither hot in summer nor cold in winter; the mercury rarely, if ever, goes to zero. We shall sell the site of Prince Rupert to the public next spring, probably in May. We own three-quarters and the Government of British Columbia one-quarter.

"Already there are a couple of very comfortable hotels, a weekly newspaper, The Empire, and some two thousand people. I believe that town will in its early and rapid growth outstrip anything thus far on the Pacific. It is a back door to a great continent. Vancouver to rock its cradle had some 50,000,000 of people, Prince Rupert has 100,000,000. To-day Canada's people instead of emigrating across the border are being recruited by daily additions from the south of the line."

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Music and Drama

New York Press—A young woman was dining recently at the Waldorf Astoria with a party of seven or eight friends. The orchestra played a tune which wa sfamiliar, but the name had escaped her. "What is it?" she asked. None knew. A waiter was summoned. "Garcon, what is the name of that tune?" Garcon didn't know but would find out. He was gone so long that all reference to the subject was completely forgotten. Near the end of the dinner he reappeared, and without any preliminary whatever walked up to the young woman and exclaimed: "Love Me and the World is Mine!" Everybody was startled. She nearly fainted at the declaration. But the humour of the situation quickly dawned upon the party, and the waiter escaped with his life and a fee.

TWO POPULAR SONGS

Two songs that have been published by the Cohan and Harris Company of New York and which are considered among the best in the popular line are "Love Days" and "Meet Me in Rose Time Rosie". The latter has met with particular favour in its presentation on the vaudeville stage and was also the hit of the Cohan Minstrel show. The other is a pretty waltz song something like "School Days", but with a much prettier melody. Some of the bars are especially tuneful and the whole number is one that is sure to appeal to popular fancy. It has already had a large sale.

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SHERWOOD FOREST CAMP ELECT OFFICERS

Ten New Members Were Initiated at the Annual Meeting Last Night.

The election of officers of Sherwood Forest Camp, No. 50, Woodmen of the World, took place last night, at a largely attended meeting in the Sons of England Hall. The interest that is being taken in the camp is shown by the fact that no less than ten new members were initiated last night.

The following officers were elected:

P. C. C.—Wm. Aitcheson.
C. C.—R. N. Jones.
Advisory Lieutenant—A. E. Bartley.
Banker—Jas. Kyle.
Clerk—A. A. Haskill.
Assistant Clerk—Geo. Armstrong.
Escort—P. D. Fitzgerald.
Watchman—T. Medd.
Sentry—Wm. Taylor.
Managers—F. C. Copperwaithe, W. J. Johnston and Jas. Belleghem.

The installation will take place on the second Monday in January.

Sherwood Forest Camp is in a very flourishing condition with a membership that shows a steady and healthy growth.

SOCIAL EVENING AT KNOX CHURCH

Was Spent Last Night—Programme and Refreshments.

The regular meeting of the Young People's Society of Knox church was held last night and as usual was largely attended. It was social evening, and after short Devotional exercises, the following programme was rendered:

Vocal solo—Miss Jessie Miller.
Gramaphone selections—Mrs. Sherwood.
Vocal solo—Mr. J. Mercier.

These numbers were all well received, and a very pleasant evening was brought to a close after refreshments were served. Miss Thompson looked after the arrangements in a most satisfactory manner. Next Monday Rev. Dr. McKay will speak on the "Uplifting forces of China."

"THE CRYSTAL"

To the Public of Peterborough City and County:

The management of "The Crystal," which, after a year and a half of operation, has just undergone enlargement and improvement, desires to thank the public for its kind and constant patronage.

We promised at the outset that this entertainment would be maintained under conditions that would invite the confidence of the most refined and scrupulous, and we are greatly gratified to realize that it has come to be recognized as a place of innocent recreation, where ladies can attend or send their children, for a half hour's amusement, which they know beforehand will be of a clean and wholesome character.

The patronage of the families of Peterborough, which has been constant and growing, as they have had experience of what "The Crystal" offers them, is a source of pride which we shall always endeavour to deserve.

We have taken pains to secure the best results attainable in the movable picture art from the capitals of Europe, and the public of Peterborough may always and confidently rely upon the best that is procurable in this kind of entertainment, conducted, as is our chief aim, upon lines that will instruct and amuse, and yet not offend the most fastidious taste.

With the enlarged seating capacity that has just been provided, and new daily attractions, we desire to wish our patrons, one and all, a "Merry Christmas" and "Happy New Year."

W. A. EDWARDS, Proprietor.

REMAINS OF MR. EDWARD O'BRIEN LAID TO REST

The funeral of Mr. Edward O'Brien, who died so suddenly on a Dourd road on Saturday night, was held on Monday from the residence of his sister, Mrs Lynch, 207 Perry street, at four o'clock, to St. Peter's Cemetery. It was very largely attended.

ASKED FOR FARES TO TORONTO

An unusual request for assistance was made to Mr. F. W. Miller yesterday. A young woman asked him for a ticket for her husband and herself to go to Toronto, stating that they had no money and her husband wished to return to work in Eaton's. She stated that he had not been working during the last six months, which was the time they had lived in Peterborough. She stated that they had lived with friends and had paid nothing for their board. As yet they are still in Peterborough, and as far as Mr. Miller is concerned, they are very likely to remain here.

A VERY ODD EFFECT IN JARDINIERES

A novelty in jardinieres may be seen in the window of Belleghem's furniture store, Hunter street. It was primarily an ordinary jardiniere obtained at the pottery by Mrs. Wm. Taylor and the work was done by her. Putty was placed on the outside and a conglomerate collection of things were placed all over it, with seemingly a haphazard plan, which resulted in a bizarre effect, but it is very unique and well done. On it there are military buttons, here and there a medal, strange coins, a little piece of mirror, brass bon ton tongs, bearing Long's and Hooper's names, and many other articles. The inside is painted in a tasty colour and the whole effect is a pleasing one.

OBITUARY.

JOHN R. COOLEDGE

The sad death occurred on the 7th inst., of Mr. John R. Cooledge in Chicago, Ill., where his remains were interred. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife and one daughter Elizabeth to Peterborough, two sisters Mrs. A E Davis, 34 Marguerite Ave., Toronto, Miss M. Cooledge, England, and Mr. Wm. Cooledge, 213 Wallace Ave., Toronto. The many friends of Mrs. Cooledge will sympathize with her in her bereavement particularly as she is just out of the hospital where she underwent an operation.

FASCINATING STORY OF SILVER

Three Months Makes Discouraged Prospector Half a Millionaire.

The man who told me the story of the discovery of silver at Gow Ganda is to-day half a millionaire. He was a discouraged prospector 120 days ago.

As he told me the story, says a newspaper correspondent, simple in detail but fascinating in interest, I stood within ten feet o' a slab of pure silver two inches wide, which seemed to blaze from the vein like a flame in the grate frozen solid by the frosts of winter. That vein meandered back through the rock for 150 feet, and one could walk for that distance along a seam of silver. The pay streak will be stripped farther, of course, as development goes on.

But this is not all that this young prospector has unearthed. He and his partner, on four claims, can point out four other veins which carry silver in the same phenomenal values.

With the glamour of wealth in its native hills casting its spell upon me, I listened to Alfred L. Reeve tell of the memorable Aug. 4, 1908, when Gow Ganda, rival of Cobalt, was revealed to the world.

Two prospectors were sleeping upon a little point of rock about half way up the west shore of Lake Gow Ganda on August 4. They were Alfred L. Reeve and Samuel L. Doble. Throwing their blankets aside they rose and replenished the camp fire. After eating a few beans which they had left and picking the spare bones of a "Whiskey Jack" they prepared to strike into the woods on their last chance.

About 300 feet distant was another little camp fire, over which Charles Mann and Wilfrid Ryan boiled their tea in a dinged and blackened pail.

Reeve shouted across to the Ryan party: "Hope you find silver galore to-day, fellows," and Mann saluted back: "Same luck to you."

Both parties were then swallowed up by the forest.

That afternoon both struck rich veins of silver over a mile apart.

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VENEZUELA SEEMS TO BE ABUSED

Acting President Will Uphold Country's Dignity.

FACTIONS DEMONSTRATIVE

Gomez Declares Country In a State of Defence and Says Capture by Holland of Vessel Alexis Is an Invasion and Act of Aggression—Castro's Friends Are Excited Over the Turn In Affairs.

Caracas, Venezuela, Dec. 13, via Port of Spain, Dec. 15.—The news of the capture of the Venezuelan coast guard ship Alexis by the Dutch cruiser Gelderland on Saturday reached Caracas yesterday morning. A big crowd at once assembled in the Plaza Bolivar and demonstrated in support of the Government. A decree issued by acting President Gomez places the republic in a state of defence. The acting President tells of the seizure of the Alexis and continues:

"I consider these acts a true invasion of Venezuelan territory and an aggression against the Venezuelan Government. They constitute a grave offence. The national sovereignty is threatened and the territorial integrity, honor and dignity of the fatherland is in danger.

"I decree the nation in a state of defence, and consequently the Executive assumes and will exercise the extraordinary faculties conferred upon him by the Venezuelan constitution."

The news that the republic had been placed in a state of national defence against Holland ran through the city like wildfire, and in a few moments there was an enormous crowd in front of the Yellow House, the executive mansion, to greet acting President Gomez. Gomez made his way across the plaza to the Yellow House and was received with enthusiasm. The Yellow House was crowded with a numerous assemblage of the most distinguished citizens of Caracas.

Speeches were made demanding that all political prisoners be set at liberty and that the existing Government monopolies be abolished. Threatened danger from without had a double effect on the people; they demanded measures of protection, but at the same time they insisted upon the termination of one of the most unpopular courses of the Castro Administration, the maintenance of Government monopolies in the necessities of life.

Foreign Minister Paul made a speech in reply for the acting President. He exhorted the people to trust Gomez to solve the difficult problems confronting Venezuela to-day and prayed them to help him carry his burden of tremendous responsibility.

Meanwhile a crowd of citizens, including a large number of students, went to the office of El Constitutional, the organ of President Castro, and indulged in a counter-demonstration. The feelings of this crowd were plainly hostile to Castro and to the steps taken by Gomez. A pitched battle ensued between the employes of the paper and the crowd on the streets. Many shots were exchanged, and the fighting lasted for five minutes. Several men were wounded and one has since died. The police were summoned and appeared on the scene armed with rifles. The crowd then dispersed.

Greater Toronto.

Toronto, Dec. 5.—East Toronto with a population of 7,000, Deer Park with 4,000, and East Wychwood join the greater city to-day.

The City Council yesterday consented to the annexation of West Toronto with 12,336 population, Bracondale, and Wychwood with about 7,000 population.

Of all the populous suburbs only North Toronto remains outside the limits.

Greater Toronto has 338,813 people, and is growing at the average rate of 14,000 yearly. In ten years it will be a city of half a million.

Mackenzie King Starts.

Ottawa, Dec. 15.—W. L. Mackenzie King left yesterday afternoon for New York, whence he sails on Wednesday for England by the Lusitania.

He is en route to Pekin to attend, as one of the British delegates, the international conference, which will consider means for the suppression of the opium traffic. He is accompanied by F. W. Giddens, his private secretary.

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Price 50 cents per box or 3 boxes for $1.25 at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

PARDON IS IMPROBABLE.

Dollman, Nolan and Walsh Will Stay In Prison.

Ottawa, Dec. 15.—The reports that a number of Irishmen in Chicago have started a movement to ask Sir Wilfrid Laurier to intercede with the Governor-General to pardon the three Irishmen, Karl Dollman, John Nolan and John Walsh, who were given life sentences in Kingston for conspiracy to blow up the Welland Canal at Thorold in 1900, were brought to the attention of the Canadian authorities yesterday.

No hope was held out that the appeal would be granted, if only on the ground that in the appeal opportunity is taken to argue that the three convicts were "victims of the secret service system of Great Britain," and to allege that the men in question were "pigeons" of British detectives. This is treason and felony.

Dollman, whose real name is kept a secret by the officers of the crown, was leader of the clan in St. Louis, Chicago and Kansas City, which was identified with the conspiracy. The attempt, as is well known, failed.

GOV. SWAYNE BAFFLED.

Realizes That Hindus Will Never Go With Him.

Vancouver, Dec. 15.—Col. Swayne, governor of British Honduras, came to the conclusion yesterday, that there is no chance of taking British Columbia Hindus to Honduras. He will leave for the east in a few days.

He is very strongly of opinion that even indigents should not be deported because of the bad effect the move would have on the unrest in India.

Col. Swayne will on his return to Ottawa enter into negotiations with the Dominion Government for an extension of the Elder-Dempster Steamship Co.'s service between St. John, N.B., south as far as Belize, capital of Honduras. Great quantities of fruit will be brought north as return cargoes. Flour and pork can be sent from Canada.

Three Treaties With U. S.

Ottawa, Dec. 15.—Before the present session of Congress expires the State Department will submit to the Senate for ratification three treaties affecting Canada.

One will provide for the submission of the treaty of 1812 to The Hague tribunal for the purpose of discovering the respective rights of Canada, Newfoundland and the United States in the Atlantic fisheries. A second treaty will provide for the delimitation of all water boundaries, and will determine all questions relative to the ownership of rivers common to Canada and the United States, and to the use of Niagara Falls for power purposes.

The third treaty provides for the settlement of certain outstanding claims.

Perils of Workingmen.

Washington, Dec. 15.—Between 30,000 and 35,000 deaths and 2,000,000 injured is the accident record in the United States during the past year among workingmen, according to the Bureau of Labor.

The most exposed factory class are the workers in iron and steel. Fatal accidents among electricians and electric linemen and coal miners are declared to be excessive, while railway trainmen were killed in the proportion of 7.46 deaths per 1,000 employes.

Prince Regent's Position.

Pekin, Dec. 15.—Statutes fixing the official status of Prince Chun the Regent were published yesterday. The prince is given an annual salary of 150,000 taels, about $165,000, and is made commander-in-chief of both the land and sea forces of the empire.

The edict provides also that a palace be built for him near the site of the late Dowager's winter residence.

Teddy, Jr., a Major.

Waterbury, Conn., Dec. 15.—Governor-elect George L. Lilley announced yesterday the appointment of Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., as an aide-de-camp on his staff, with the rank of major.

Theodore is now living at Thompsonville, where he is engaged in learning the carpet making business at a large manufactory in that village.

Port Arthur Power.

Port Arthur, Dec. 15.—Mayor Carrick, City Solicitor Keefer, President McKibbon of the Board of Trade, and Ald. Ruttan, leave on Tuesday for Toronto, where they will appear before the Ontario Hydro-Electric Commission on matters relative to local power and to confer with Mackenzie & Mann regarding points in the city agreement.

His Life For His Love.

Chicago, Dec. 15.—A devotion to his sweetheart that would not permit his leaving her bedside when she was ill of typhoid fever, cost the life of Frank Griffiths, 34 years old, a Northwestern University athlete of the early 90's, just on the eve of his wedding.

Monument to Bill Nye.

Greensboro, N.C., Dec. 15.—Dr. John M. Danzier of Hendersonville, N.C., a lifelong friend of the humorist, Bill Nye, has placed an order for a large block of rough granite to be placed as a monument at Nye's grave at "Buck Shoals."

Marine Enquiry Wednesday.

Ottawa, Dec. 15.—The Marine enquiry will not open here until Wednesday owing to the unprepared state of the Exchequer Court room.

THE SENSATIONAL HAINES TRIAL BEGINS

Six Jurors Are Selected to Try Brother of Murderer.

MEANT TO DEPEND PETER

Defence of Author Charged With Being Accessory to Crime Will Be That He Drew His Revolver In Fear That Violence Would Be Done His Brother by the Crowd at the Club House Wharf.

Flushing, N.Y., Dec. 15.—When court adjourned last night, after two long sessions consumed in wearisome examinations of talesmen, six jurors sat in the jury box competent to try Thornton J. Hains, a short story writer, on charges of being an accessory to the killing of Wm. F. Annis, an editor, shot down at the Bayside Yacht Club last summer by Captain Peter C. Hains, Jr., of the U. S. army.

Difficulties of securing a jury because of opinions formed of the case were apparent in the examination of talesmen, and Justice Crane last night directed a new panel of 100 talesmen to be drawn and a night session to be held. Justice Crane hopes that the trial may be concluded by the end of the week.

Interrogations of talesmen by Hains' counsel indicate that the defence will be based principally on the proposition that Thornton Hains, fearing that his brother's life was in jeopardy from the crowd at the clubhouse before the shooting of Annis, drew his revolver and held the crowd back. His act was one of defence and not of offence, according to his counsel.

John F. McIntyre, of counsel for Hains, announced last night that Hains would take the witness stand in his own defence. He will likely tell of those events at Fort Hamilton which led up to the separation of Capt. Hains and his wife, and to the tragedy at the Bayside Yacht Club. Mr. McIntyre will offer in evidence the alleged confession made by Mrs. Claudia Hains to her husband.

Thornton J. Hains took a lively interest in the examination of talesmen yesterday and frequently chatted and smiled with his counsel over some of the answers of prospective jurors.

After the adjournment of court he was manacled to a deputy sheriff and taken in an automobile to the Long Island jail. Gen. Peter Hains and Mrs. Hains, father and mother of the defendant, returned to New York following the afternoon session of court.

Police Save Healer.

Macomb, Ill., Dec. 15.—Declaring at a meeting Sunday night that the late President McKinley was an anarchist, that he had turned more people loose to prey upon society than any man in the world, and that the assassination of McKinley was all right except that it did not happen soon enough, the self-styled "Divine Healer" Schlatter, only escaped personal violence from a mob through intervention of the police.

The officers escorted Schlatter to an hotel and to the first train out of town, followed by citizens threatening to do him violence if he did not leave at once. Schlatter went to Quincy, Ill.

Stratford Church Dedicated.

Stratford, Dec. 15.—The magnificent new church of Zion Lutheran congregation, which was erected at a cost of $18,000 was formally dedicated Sunday. Rev. Mr. Hamfeldt and Rev. Mr. Stempfler of Toledo, Ohio; Rev. Mr. Conkle, Guelph; Rev. Mr. Gruhn, New Hamburg, and Rev. E. Hahn, Wellesley, assisted in the dedication. Rev. Dr. Gandier, principal of Knox College, preached the anniversary sermon at Knox Church.

Owe Ten Millions.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 15.—Declaring that David R. Francis, Murray Carleton, James Campbell, Judge Henry Priest, Brown Bros., of New York, and other stockholders of the St. Louis Transit Co. owe that corporation more than $10,000,000, as the result of the sale of the company's common stock in 1899, J. Brooks Johnson applies to the Circuit Court for a receiver for the company.

"Black Hand" Vengeance.

Johnstown, Pa., Dec. 15.—Following the receipt of threatening Black Hand letters, John Onelli and Antonia Rogers were attacked and terribly injured at Hastings, Pa., late Sunday night. Onelli was stabbed in the spine, causing paralysis, and Rodgers' eye was gouged out with a knife. Three Italians were arrested and identified.

Candidate In Ottawa.

Ottawa, Dec. 15.—It is now certain that James A. Ellis, city treasurer, will be an Independent Conservative candidate in the Ottawa bye-election. Mr. Ellis has been three times mayor of Ottawa, and won for himself some reputation as a campaigner during the fight for public ownership of lighting, which he won.

To Restrain Rates.

Buffalo, Dec. 15.—Arguments on a motion of the Independent Order of Foresters to vacate an injunction restraining the order from enforcing its increased assessment rates was begun before Justice Marcus in special term of Supreme Court yesterday.

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The Examiner's Sporting Page

RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

THREE WINS FOR THE PACIFICS PUTS THEM IN SECOND PLACE

As the result of last week's campaign in the Peterborough Bowling League, the race has tightened up considerably, and the contest is becoming exciting. The Pacifics, by taking three games from the Examiner B, gained on the Bankers. The Men of Money dropped one to the Frontenacs on Monday night, and the Pacifics are now in second place, just one game behind the leaders. The Belmonts also improved their position by taking three from the Midgets, who were thereby ousted from second position and sent down the line to a tie for fourth place with Lockworks and Examiner A. The Iroquois bumped the unlucky Grays thrice and moved up into their notch with the Belmonts, while the Lockworks took two out of three from the Hams and climbed a little. The B. A. C. slumped, losing three to the Examiner A, who were thereby enabled to climb over their team mates, the B's into fourth position. The Examiner B's, Frontenac, Hams, Grays, B. A. C., and Midgets were the losers of the week.

TURF CLUB MATINEE HAS BEEN CHANGED TO CHRISTMAS DAY

The Turf Club has decided to change the date of their matinee from the 24th to Christmas afternoon. When arrangements were being made for this affair it was thought that it would be better to hold the matinee on the day before Christmas, but when the members of the committee commenced to sell tickets they were told that they should have chosen Christmas afternoon. It was stated that the people would be too busy on the 24th to attend the matinee, whereas there would not be much doing on the holiday. The Turf Club felt that most of the people would not like the races being held on Christmas day, but they found that the fact was exactly the reverse, and naturally decided to hold the matinee on the day on which the citizens would be able to attend. The track is being put in good shape and it is expected that some rattling heats will be seen.

TRACK AND FIELD CLUB TO BE ORGANIZED AT LOCAL Y.M.C.A.

Last night a very enthusiastic meeting was held in the Y. M. C. A. for the purpose of forming a track and field club.

Mr. C. E. Sisson acted as chairman, and made a few remarks on the necessity of such a club. He pointed out, that in the past very little had been done to promote athletics in this city, and very little encouragement was given to men who showed signs of developing into good athletes. He also said there was plenty of material to work on, and there was no reason why the Peterborough Y. M. C. A. could not produce some champions on track and field. Some of the best athletes in the city are members of the Y. M. C. A., as was shown by the recent Harriers' meet and the Examiner Road Race, and, no doubt, a strong club could be formed.

It was unanimously decided to form a club in the interests of athletics, and the club would be called the Y. M. C. A. Track and Field Club.

On account of the short notice that was given of the meeting for last night, it was decided that another meeting would be held on Thursday evening of this week, at 7.30 p. m., for the election of officers for the year.

The Physical Committee wish it understood that every member of the Y. M. C. A. who is interested in athletics, is cordially invited to attend the organization meeting on Thursday, and help by their presence and interest to foster this particular branch of sport.

Mr. G. Evans was elected secretary pro tem.

The Northern District May Play Senior This Year

Joe Hay, proprietor of the Peterborough Bowling Academy, while in Toronto yesterday, was talking over the hockey prospects with Secretary Hewitt, of the O. H. A., and that official stated that it was altogether probable that at to-night's meeting of the O. H. A., the executive would use their prerogative to form a new senior district, composed of Midland, Barrie, Orillia and Collingswood. These teams had decided to play intermediate, but it is likely that the executive will place them in the senior series. The other senior group will consist of T. A. A. A., Simcoes, Osgoode Hall and Kingston—Stratford having dropped to intermediate rank.

Big Race Takes Place In New York To-night

The eyes of the athletic world will to-night be turned on little old New York, where Tom Longboat, the Indian racing machine, and Dorando, the Italian runner, who made Johnnie Hayes look smaller than a piece of Limburgher after a German picnic will chase each other around Madison Square Garden for a little over 26 miles—to be precise 26 miles 385 yards. On this side of the border they can see nothing but Longboat and he will go to the tape to-night a favourite in the betting, although why it is hard to see, in view of the defeat the Indian suffered recently, at the hands of Smallwood. It looks rather like knocking home industries, but the swarthy little Italian looks like bad medicine from here and it would not cause much surprise if he breezed home a winner, although Longboat, if in shape, and his backers say he is, will give the Dago something to speculate over.

PHILLIPS DECIDES TO JOIN WHITCROFT'S SEVEN

Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 14th—Tom Phillips, the highest-priced hockey player in Canada has accepted the terms of only play in the Stanley Cup matches against the Montreal Wanderers for the Stanley Cup.

Phillips, who leaves for the East to-day states positively that he will only play in the Stanley Cup matches returning to Vancouver again in January.

LAST NIGHT'S GAMES IN TOURNAMENT AT P.B.C. ALLEYS

That there is comparatively little difference when they are bowling in form between the tail-enders and the first division clubs in the ten pin league was evidenced in last night's fixture at the P.B.C. when the Grays and B.A.C. rolled three games that would have reflected credit upon any of the top clubs in the league ace. Both teams were in splendid form and furnished an exhibition that has seldom been excelled since the opening of the league. The work of the Grays was the real surprise of the night, the tailenders breaking their losing streak by capturing the second game by a five pin margin. They lost the first and final contests by a narrow margin and there was only a difference of 37 pins between the two in all three games.

The games were one and all of a close and exciting nature and the rooting was of a strenuous kind, the large number of enthusiasts present following the play with the keenest attention.

Bruce had the best score of the evening, but he had to extend himself to the limit to beat out Fred McFadden by seven pins, while Jack Sullivan was very close on the heels of the flying leaders.

To-night's programme will be a very attractive one and will bring together the Belmonts and Bankers in the first game of a double header. The Iroquois and Frontenacs will follow on the completion of the first game.

Last night's scores follow:

B. A. C.				
McCrea	137	140	161	438
Best	154	175	132	461
Bruce	187	165	154	489
	478	480	447	1385
Grays				
McFadden	169	163	147	479
Parker	122	140	139	401
Sullivan	134	162	141	437
	455	465	427	1347

Majority for B.A.C., 38 pins.

BASKET-BALL.

The local Y. M. C. A. are sending the following team to Lindsay to-night to play the senior aggregation of that place: Forwards, Henry Cressman, Max Dobbin; centre, P. Wallace, defence, George Martin, Norman Lees. The local boys are in good shape and expect to bring home the long end of the score.

TOM PHILLIPS TELLS A HOCKEY STORY OF WHITCROFT

The Edmonton Bulletin tells the following Tom Phillips story about Fred Whitcroft:—

Tommy Phillips, the noted hockey player who last season drew down the highest salary ever paid a hockey player in Canada when he got $1,000 for ten weeks' work with the Ottawa team, is probably the most sought after hockeyist in Canada to-day.

Phillips states now that he will not play hockey this year. If he adheres to this decision his retirement will be a distinct loss to the game. He was the best left wing that the great winter pastime ever saw. He is a marvellous stick-handler, a speedy skater and a remarkable shot, and it is no wonder that the most noted of that great Kenora Thistle team which once held the Stanley Cup should be so much in demand right now. Most of his old team-mates are still playing the game.

"Nibs," as Phillips was familiarly known, is a personal friend of Fred Whitcroft, who is captain of the Edmonton team on its Stanley cup invasion this winter, and last season, when the Ottawas were on the road, he used to relate some of Whitcroft's romances.

"Fred has his fellow Munchausen lashed to the third rail," ruminated Phillips. "He told us more hair-raising experiences than would fill a twenty-volume encyclopedia. Most of Whity's stories were of the Jesse James variety. Once he claimed he was playing for a team in Northern Ontario. The rink was about as big as a minute and there was a bundle of money as big as a hay stack on the game. Lots of blood was spilt, also some bad language and Whitty drove home the deciding game 10 seconds before full time. The crowd was so sore they went outside and shot half a ton of lead into the rink as well as being half shot themselves. Then the players thought it would be safer to slip out of the rink with as little noise as possible and used a snow chute for the purpose. The chute dropped them onto the frozen surface of a creek, and without waiting to get their clothes at the hotel all skated to the next town, ten miles away, and caught the train there. Fred was a dandy to make the time fly on long trips."

Draw Up Schedule To-morrow Night

There will be an important meeting to-morrow night, when the schedule for the season will be drawn up. Every club that intends to play in the League this season is asked to send representatives or else to arrange to be represented by proxy as no club will be included in the schedule unless it is represented.

At present it looks as if there will be seven teams in the League race—Fairfields, Belmonts, T.A.A.A., Y.M.C.A., Rough Riders, West Ends and Scratchonas.

Mercantile League Schedule For The Season

A meeting of the Mercantile League was held last night in the G. T. R. freight office, at which a large number were present. The following schedule was drawn up:

Jan. 4.—C. G. E. vs. Quakers.
Jan. 11.—Auburn vs. Ackermans.
Jan. 18.—G. T. R. vs. C. G. E.
Jan. 25.—Quakers vs. Auburns.
Feb. 1.—Ackermans vs. G. T. R.
Feb. 8.—C. G. E. vs. Auburns.
Feb. 15.—G. T. R. vs. Quakers.
Feb. 22.—Ackermans vs. C. G. E.
Mar. 1.—G. T. R. vs. Auburns.
Mar. 8.—Ackermans vs. Quakers.

HOCKEY

The Belmonts will have a strong team in the senior city league series and promise to make things lively for the rest of the outfit. The Belmonts have signed Rose, Myers and Thornton last year with the High Lifes; Harry Clarke, with Stratheonas last season; Wareham of the Rough Riders; Deyell, who has played the game in Port Hope, and who will be a candidate for goal, and other good men. They will take a lot of beating when they get into shape.

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The Chieftains had their first practice of the season last evening at the Brock street rink between six and seven o'clock, when a big bunch of players were out in uniform and a lively practice was indulged in. The Chieftains promise to cut a swath in the junior City League this season as they are going at a rapid clip and promise to be much faster than they were last year.

RUNNING.

The returns of the Dorando-Longboat race will be bulletined to-night at the Oriental.

BOWLING

The Happy Thoughts now lead in the Y.M.C.A. Bowling tournament by defeating the Staff last night. The Misses won from the Leadership by 47 pins. The scores were as follows:

Happy Thoughts				
W Campbell	134	135	120	379
R Best	134	107	101	322
E Bruce	188	139	127	454
				1156
Staff				
F G Hassard	102	130	127	359
G Evans	163	129	116	408
S Collings	99	140	137	376
				1143
M. A. S.				
Shirley	113	127	160	400
Armstrong	12	112	136	260
Millard	109	118	93	320
				1109
Leaders				
Elliott	100	137	149	386
Sutherland	114	148	85	347
Laing	105	107	117	329
				1062

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FAIR DIRECTORS TO HOLD MEETING

They Will Consider the By-law for Purchase of Exhibition Grounds.

The Peterborough Industrial Fair directors will hold a meeting in the City Council Chambers on Saturday night to discuss arrangements for placing before the public the exact nature of the bylaw to be voted upon at the municipal elections in January in connection with the purchase of exhibition grounds. Every director is urged to be present on Saturday night.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

THE EXAMINER welcomes all Items of Interest for this column. Phone 324 or send post card with name and address.

Mr. I. Jenkinson, Lakefield, was in the city this morning.

Mr. F. Brown, of Lakefield, was in the city this morning.

Mr. F. J. Lillicrap, of Lakefield, was in the city on Monday.

Miss Lottie Walsh, of Douro, is visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. R. H. Rous, 426 Park street, will not receive this season.

Mrs. Davidson and her mother, Mrs. Beasley, passed through the city to-day from Lakefield.

Miss Lula Bennett, of Montreal, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Bennett for the holidays.

Mr. Alison T. Hollingshead, who has been junior clerk in the local office of the Bank of Ottawa, has received notice of his transfer to Ottawa, where he will be attached to the head office staff. Pat has made a good many friends during his short stay in Peterborough, who will regret his departure.

PHILOMATHEAN SOCIETY HOLDS DEBATE

Conclusion is That South Africa Offers More Advantages Than Australia.

The regular meeting of the Collegiate Institute Philomathean Society took place yesterday evening. The first item was the reading of the minutes of the last meeting, and a small amount of business was transacted. The programme proper opened with a delightful piano solo by Mr A. Primeau. Then followed a very interesting debate—Resolved that Australia offers more advantage to colonists than South Africa. The speakers of the affirmative were Miss K Leary and Mr. K. Corkery, and those on the negative were Mr. P. Smythe and Miss M. Anderson. All the speakers acquitted themselves most creditably, the judges deciding in favour of the negative. The next numbers were a vocal solo by Miss E. Jayes and a reading by Mr. Armstrong, both of which were heartily appreciated. The concluding item was the criticism by Mr. Pettit, and the meeting was then brought to a close by the singing of the National Anthem.

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REPEATED THEIR CONCERT LAST EVENING

Children of Separate Schools Won New Laurels.

Last night the Separate school children repeated their concert which they first presented on Friday night, and to an audience that filled every available seat in St. Peter's school hall. It was again demonstrated that the children's effort was the most entertaining that has ever been seen in the hall, and their teachers and friends may well feel proud of their ability. In the cantata, which is one of the numbers in the second part, Miss Marie O'Dette played the part of "Trixy" and Miss A. Milloy was "Teddy." This was one of the best numbers of the whole concert. One of the other surprises was the hidden band which supplied the music which seemed to be played by the children in one of the choruses. Theirs, however, were toy instruments.

Make a man out of your boy by giving him a Y.M.C.A. membership ticket for a Christmas Present.

Si-te-Dee 10, 24

CLOSING OF THE NORTH WARD SCHOOL

Prevalence of Scarlet Fever Causes This Action of School Board.

On account of the continued prevalence of the scarlet fever in the northern part of the city, the Board of Education have deemed it advisable to close the Queen Alexandra school for the balance of the term. Through fear of contagion a large percentage of the pupils has been kept at home during the past few days, and, as the school is disorganised on this account, and as the term ends within a week, it was thought wise to be on the safe side and to close the school.

When school re-opens in January, it is hoped that the epidemic will have disappeared, since the fever is of a very mild type.

FLAGMAN AT AYLMER STREET

C. P. R. Crossing Provided With Protection for Citizens.

Yesterday morning a flagman was stationed at Aylmer street crossing of the C. P. R., and that protection which the council and citizens have been continually petitioning for is now provided. The arrangements made with the Company or rather ordered by the Railway Board was that the city was to pay one-quarter of the cost. To a reporter yesterday the flagman stated that he did not know how long he was to be engaged. The city clerk wrote the C. P. R. on the advice of the council asking why they had not carried out their part of the affair and demanding that the protection be provided.

Dinner Sets for Christmas

Special Sale of Dinner Sets at China Hall

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CHINA HALL, 394 George Street

Horse Thief Captured Near Hastings; Chief Bond Arrests Geo. Brown There; Disastrous Fire In Percy Township

Examiner Special.

Hastings, Dec. 16.—The community sympathizes with Mr. Bert Gillespie, of Percy, in his loss, by fire on Wednesday last, of his house, barns, implements, etc. The fire started in the house and had gained considerable headway before it was discovered. Mr. Gillespie, with the assistance of one of his neighbours, succeeded in saving his stock, but lost almost everything besides. The insurance, which amounted to $2,400 does not nearly cover the loss.

The first local concert of the season was held on Friday night in the town hall. The local talent was assisted by Miss Julia Choate, violinist of Peterborough. The proceeds went to the building committee for the purpose of defraying the expenses in connection with the erection of new sheds at the Presbyterian Church.

The snow storm of Sunday was just sufficient to make sleigh-riding a great pleasure, and the merry ring of the sleigh bells reminds us that Xmas will soon be here again.

Rev. D. A. Thomson attended the meeting of the Presbytery at Peterborough a week ago.

Miss Ina Baker visited for a few days in Toronto last week.

Mr. John Coughlan attended a sitting of the jury in Cobourg last week.

Mr. Andrew Cameron, of Peterborough, paid our town a short visit recently.

A new light has been put up at the corner of Front and New streets. This was in response to a petition largely signed by the citizens. The last meeting of the council for this year will take place on Tuesday evening of this week.

A bazaar under the auspices of the Anglican Church of this village, is to be held on Thursday, the 17th, in the town hall.

Clothes-line thieves have been operating in this vicinity and it is hoped they will soon be brought to justice.

A special preparatory service was held in the Presbyterian Church on Thursday last, at which Rev. D. A. Thomson preached.

Mr. George Buck and Miss Katie Buck, of Norwood, paid Hastings a flying visit on Tuesday of last week.

Mr. Benjamin Oakman spent a few days in Campbellford recently.

Mr. Carter has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. David McMillan, of Roseneath.

The many friends of Mr. J. A. Fife, of Edmonton, Alta., congratulate him on his appointment to the position of public school inspector of the Strathcona district. Mr. Fife is an old Asphodel boy, and is a brother of Mr. Duncan Fife here.

The regular meeting of the council was held on Friday, Dec. 4, at which several important items of business were transacted, and a number of accounts ordered to be paid.

Mr. Duncan Fife attended the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. W. Drummond, on Saturday, the 5th.

Several entertainments have recently been given in this vicinity under the leadership of Mr. and Mrs. May. The concerts have been fairly well patronized, and consisted of moving pictures, stereopticon views and illustrated songs. One set of pictures which were particularly admired were scenes from the "Life of Christ," representing His journey from the manger to the tomb.

The residence of Mr. J. Hore, which has been undergoing a complete renovation is again ready for occupation, and the family are getting comfortably settled in their new quarters.

Percy township has lost one of its oldest settlers in the person of Mr. John Brooks, who passed away at his home on Wednesday last, Dec. 9, at the ripe age of 76 years. Mr. Brooks is survived by a number of sons and daughters, who mourn the loss of a kind and loving father.

Miss Stella Burgess visited friends in town through the week.

Mrs. Victor German entertained a number of her most intimate friends at her home on Thursday evening of last week. Those present report a very enjoyable evening.

Mr. and Mrs. (Rev.) Barrett spent Thursday evening with friends in Bethany.

Mr. Percy Walsh has retired from the butcher business, and on Thursday last disposed of all his horses and vehicles at a public auction sale. One team of horses sold for $245, Mr. Alex. Wilson being auctioneer.

Some of our local sports report having sighted a black fox one day last week not far from the village, but "Sly Reynard" was too quick for them, and soon disappeared into the swamp.

Considerable excitement was created Thursday last, when a constable from Toronto, and the chief from Port Hope, came into town in search of a horse thief. The thief was traced to a farm-house nearby, where both he and the stolen animal were captured. The owner of the horse came on the scene and identified the animal as his property. The thief, who gave his name as George Brown, was arrested and placed in custody awaiting his trial.

The New York Stock Market

(Furnished by J. N. Barber.)

	Opening	Closing
A.C.P	82½	81½
Atch	98½	98
B.R.T.	59⅝	59⅜
C.P.R.	176½	175¾
Erie	34⅞	34¼
Great Northern	144½	144⅜
L.N.	128	128
Mo. Pac.	66¼	64
Northern Pacific	142¾	142¾
N.Y.C.	131¾	130⅝
Penna	130	129⅝
R.I.	22⅝	22⅜
Rdg.	141	139⅝
Southern	32⅝	34⅛
Soo	131	130½
St. Paul	150	149
S.P.	130½	129½
U.P.	183⅜	181⅛
U.S.	54	53⅜
U.S. pfd.	113½	111⅝
Twin City	94	94
Nipissing	10⅛	10⅜
May Wheat	104⅜	105½
" Corn	61½	61½
May Oats	52⅛	52⅛
" Pork	16.07	16.07

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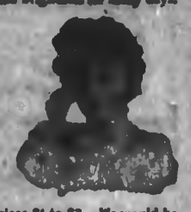

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Per yard, 6c

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AN ORANGEMAN FOR 72 YEARS

Death This Morning of Mr. Wm. Hiram Moore at Residence of His Son—Captain of Royal Engineers at One Time.

FUNERAL AT GANANOQUE

At the ripe old age of eighty-nine years, there passed away this morning at six o'clock, Mr. William Hiram Moore, at the residence of his son, 191 King street. The deceased was born at Clarendon, Que., on May 4th, 1819. He spent thirty years of his life at Gananoque, and has only been residing in Peterborough for the past year.

Mr. Moore belonged to a family prominent in the early history of Eastern Canada, and which at one time were the owners of four townships in Quebec, to the north-west of Hull. These four, which included the present town of Hull, were colonized by the Moores. About the time of the burning of the Parliament Buildings at Montreal, Mr. Wm. Moore went to that city and was drafted into the Royal Engineers, and later became their captain. His father was a Colonel in the British Army.

Surviving the deceased are two sons, N. A. Howard Moore, 191 King street, city; Wm. Howard Moore, Vancouver, B.C.; and two daughters: Mrs. James Darragh, Ottawa; and Mrs. Henry Hill, Lansdowne, B.C. His wife pre-deceased him 36 years ago, but he has one brother, George, now residing at New Orleans, La.

He was an Orangeman for 72 years having joined on July 12th, 1836.

The funeral was held this afternoon at 13.30 o'clock to the G.T.R. Station, the remains being sent to Gananoque for burial.

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—T. O. Rush, general insurance broker, represents the foremost companies in the world in their respective lines. In fire insurance the Liverpool, London and Globe and the Hartford of Connecticut; in the life department, the Sun Life of Canada, the most progressive, giving better returns to its policy holders than any other company on the American continent. In accident insurance, the Utopia of Perth, Scotland, the wealthiest company the world knows, issuing a policy that no other company assumes to issue. With the representation of this strong combination, Mr. Rush feels that with confidence, he can defy competition upon fair and just lines, without having to resort to misrepresentation to secure business.

ELECTED OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR

Meeting of Bricklayers' and Masons' Union Held Last Night.

At the regular meeting of the Brick Layers' and Masons' Union, No. 17, held last evening in the Foresters' Hall, George street, the officers for the coming year were elected and will be installed at the first meeting in the new year. The following officers were elected by the Union:

President: A. H. Webb (re-elected).
Vice-President: Herb Dicks.
Rec. Sec.: Wm. Stevens (re-elected).
Fin. Sec.: H. H. Hillier (re-elected).
Treasurer: J. J. Hartley (re-elected).
Tyler: George Smith.
Deputy: Wm. Moore.
Alternate: B. M. Frederick.
Auditors: J. J. Goodwin and Jas. Wilson.

The Union is in better shape to-day than it has ever been, and the outlook for the coming year is decidedly bright.

FIRE ON THE BESSIE BUTLER WAS SPEEDILY EXTINGUISHED

Fire broke out last night in the kitchen room of the government steamer "Bessie Butler," doing damage to the extent of from 950 to $100. The "Bessie Butler" just concluded her work of repairing booms between Lakefield and Young's Point and other upper lake work, and was to have been tied up to-day. About eight o'clock yesterday evening, two of the crew who were on board, noticed the fire and hastened to extinguish it. This was speedily done before any serious loss was sustained.

Forty Dollars And Costs For "Beating Up" His Companion

The aftermath of the fracas on Saturday night on the road in the long swamp this side of Bridgenorth, was a police court case this morning, in which Magistrate Edmison imposed a fine of forty dollars and costs, which was paid in court. The charge was laid by Mr. George Cochrane, who had been informed of the affair at a late hour Saturday night. The second party to the fight was present, bearing more than one memento of the fray through which he had passed. There was a cut under his right eye and the left was badly discoloured. There was also a scratch under one of his ears. It is stated that the scene of the scuffle had many blood spots, which were seen in the snow on Sunday morning.

Only the evidence of the two young men was heard. The wrangle was the outcome of the upsetting of the cutter in which they were driving home. It was stated that there was no evidence to show that the defendant had used a knife.

ANOTHER SECTION OF TRENT VALLEY CANAL UNDER CONTRACT

The Dominion Government's promise to push to completion the work on the Trent Canal is rapidly being fulfilled. During the past year tenders have been called for and contracts let for several sections, and the last to be let is Number 7, Ontario-Rice Lake Division. This section extends from Rice Lake to Healey Falls, a distance of about twenty miles. The contract is to Mr. Randolph MacDonald, Toronto who also has the Rosedale section to the north.

Section No. 7 includes the construction of a dam and lock at Hastings, new guide piers at the G. T. R. bridge above Hastings, a swing bridge and guide piers at the Narrows (Trent Bridge), and the dredging of the Trent River from Hastings to Healey Falls to produce a 9-foot draught. The work will likely begin in the near future and will give employment to a considerable number of men.

With the letting of this contract there remain only two—Numbers 4 and 6—on the Ontario-Rice Lake Division, that have yet to be tendered upon. The surveys have, of course, been made on these and plans are under preparation by the engineers. No 6 will be advertised in January, and it is expected that within the next six months the whole canal, from Rice Lake to Trenton, will be under contract.

Charivari Followed Nuptials At Otonabee Home Last Night

One of the consequences of a wedding in the country is a charivari. It is something not often heard of in the cities. Yesterday there was a wedding not far from the city in the township of Otonabee and last night some of the young blood determined on a charivari and equipped with tin pans, and other noise producers they gave an impromptu entertainment in front of the home of the newlyweds—at least they entertained themselves for the babal of sounds might be anything but pleasant to an audience. The young people were invited in and treated to good things and after the festivities returned to their homes.

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OPENING OF THE NEW CHURCH

First Service to be Held on Friday at Lakefield Methodist Church.

The new Methodist Church in Lakefield will be opened on Friday, December 18th. The service will commence at 3 p. m., and the Rev. S. D. Bartlett, of Toronto, will preach the sermon. In the evening tea will be served in the basement of the church, from five to seven, and there will be a meeting afterwards, at which the resident clergymen of the village will speak. On Sunday there will be the usual services, morning and evening, also meetings of the Sunday School and Epworth League. Rev. S. D. Bartlett will be the preacher at both services and the speaker at the meetings.

STARTS TO WORK AT EARLY HOUR

Canadian Cordage Co. Have Three Hours to Use Electric Power When Demand is Light.

The working hours for the employees of the Canadian Cordage Company still number ten, but a change has been made in order to use the electric power when the load is as light as possible. Work is begun these days at 5.30 in the morning and the day is over at four o'clock, the business man's hour. One half hour at dinner time instead of the usual hour and the regular day's work is completed. The half hour is from 11 to 11.30, as it has been learned, and from this arrangement it may be seen that the Cordage Works has three hours during the day when the demand for electric power is at a minimum.

DIRECTORS ELECTED FOR GOLF AND COUNTRY CLUB

Officers to Come Later—Reports of Officers Received.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Peterborough Golf and Country Club was held yesterday in the Bank of Montreal Chambers and was a most satisfactory one.

The reports of the different officers shew the affairs of the Company to be in good condition and a feeling of satisfaction at the result of the past season pervaded the gathering.

On the ballot for the election of Directors the following were declared elected: Messrs. Robt. Neill, W H Denham, S T Medd, F D Kerr and T F Matthews.

The shareholders' meeting then adjourned, and the directors decided to postpone the election of officers till their next meeting.

Grand Opera House to-night, Partello's Stock Company in "The Postmaster's Daughter." 1d

DESERVING FUND NOT YET ENTIRE

Generosity of Citizens Appealed to on Charitable Grounds.

During the last few days the donations to the fund which Mr. F W. Miller has charge of have been coming in rather slowly, and, it is hoped that any of those who intend to assist the family for whom it is being collected, will hand in their subscriptions at once. This fund was begun by a number of prominent ladies who have been frequently interested in charitable work, and it was at their request that Mr. Miller undertook to receive all contributions. Every one who is acquainted with the case has acknowledged that it is a most deserving one and it is for that reason that it should receive the support of the generous citizens of this city. There has already been received over $50, and about $40 is yet necessary in order to send this family back to their old home in England where the father expects to stave off the tubercular disease that is fast claiming him.

ENTERTAINS MEMBERS OF THE CLUB

Mr. E. Tisdall Was Host at Supper to the Fresh Air Club.

An enjoyable time was spent last night by the members of the Fresh Air Club, (F.A.C.) when they were entertained by Mr. Everett Tisdall, one of their number. The affair took the form of a supper at Tisdall's restaurant and all the members of the club were present. The spread was a delightful one and in every detail appealed to the young men. When all due justice had been done the delicacies a toast list was honoured, speeches being made by Messrs. Richardson, Newton Hopkins and Walter Godfrey. Before dispersing a hearty vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Tisdall for the enjoyable evening he had provided.

7 Days More to do Your Xmas Shopping

SHOES AS GIFTS

Diamond Shoes for women, **$2.50**

Goodyear welt shoes, with leather inside, back straps, leather box toes, all the latest American lasts, in patent leather and and vici kid bals. Value $3.50. Our popular price **$2.50**

Give shoes as suitable presents for Christmas.

Ask to hear the new two step "Red Cross."
(Music Department, Main Floor rear)

Cressman's
385-87-89 George St. Peterboro

RAISED THE RAILWAY GATES

Pedestrian Almost Caused Accident by His Act.

The danger of raising railway gates after they have been lowered by the gateman because a pedestrian may be in a hurry to continue on his way, was demonstrated on Simcoe street the other evening. A man was going down the street with two women and was stopped by the gates which were down while one train was going by. When they were not at once raised the man lifted them himself and passed over the tracks and though another was following close behind. A horse and sleigh passed under the gates as soon as they were lifted and narrowly escaped the second engine. The gateman had to quickly raise the other gates to let the driver pass through. The gateman states that this is an offence which the law deals with and wishes it understood that any further actions of this kind will mean trouble for the parties that do them.

A Few More Days — Then Christmas.

SIGNET RINGS

The ever increasing popularity of the Signet Ring for ladies and gentlemen has led us into devoting much time and attention to the gathering together of our Christmas assortment. It is now complete.

A few other Xmas hints for "Him" are:

Chains from....	$1.00 to $50.00
Lockets from	1.50 to 25.00
Umbrellas from	3.50 to 10.00
Shaving Sets "...	2.50 to 10.00
Fobs from.....	.50 to 27.00
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Our plain Cuff Links are all hand engraved. The only firm in town doing their own hand engraved monograms is

Milburn's
THE JEWELLER
PHONE 614. 349 GEORGE STREET

WANTED.

WANTED TO GET USE OF HORSE: for the winter will buy if price is right. Apply 643 Harvey st. 3d114

AGENTS—WANTED ABOUT 10 GOOD quick live and respectable canvassers to sell a household article, a necessity used in every home, sells easily, good money and permanent position to willing agent. Apply at the Y. M. C. A Room No. 5. Peterboro. 3d115

WANTED — ORGANIZER IN PETERborough for first-class social and beneficial order; good remuneration. Address R. E. A. Land, National Club, Toronto. 3od 113 4689

MEN WANTED AT ONCE ON SALARY and Expenses. One good man in each locality with rig or capable of handling horses to advertise and introduce our guaranteed Royal Purple Stock and Poultry Specifics. No experience necessary, we lay out your work for you. $25 a week and expenses. Position permanent. Write W. A. Jenkins Mfg. Co., London, Ont. 6tf eow wtf-48

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FURNISHED ROOM FOR ONE OR Two to let, modern conveniences 5 minutes walk from Post Office. Apply 276 Hunter street. 6d114

TO RENT — SUITE OF ROOMS OVER J. C. Turnbull & Company's store, Simcoe Street; the rooms have all modern conveniences. Rent $10.00 per month; immediate possession. Apply 437 George street. tf

TO RENT—OFFICE No. 19 IN BANK OF Commerce Building; heated, possession immediately. Apply at 437 George Street.

NEW HOUSES TO LET; RENT REduced. Apply to Jas. R. Bell, No. 161 Hunter street. 5m154

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Houses to Let at reasonable rent. Apply for particulars at **W. H. BRADBURN'S OFFICE** over Dominion Bank, corner George and Simcoe Streets. dtf

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FOR SALE — TEN SHARES FULLY paid up stock in the Peterborough Sandstone Brick Co., worth $50.00 per share; 65 per cent. will be given if sold at once. Apply Examiner office. 1m 115 4637

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FOR SALE—GROCERY BUSINESS with al ight stock. Apply Box 4630 Examiner office. 3d114

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Nice Frame House corner lot, nicely painted and papered, city water, size of lot 40 x 90, for $1,000. This property is a snap — party leaving city.

Beautiful Brick House double parlors, winter kitchen, summer kitchen and wood shed, 6 bed rooms, bath room, complete electric light fixtures, furnace, cement cellar floor and cement walks to front and side entrance. This can be bought for $38.0.

Snaps in Houses and Lots in all parts of the city. Send in your list of houses to rent or sell, we can handle them. Head Office of Northern Life Assurance Co; Ocean Accident and Guarantee Co; Peterborough Sandstone Brick Co., Ontario Coal Co.

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Real Estate Agent

FOR RENT

Double House corner of Harvey and London Sts—all conveniences—good Furnace—Rent Low. apply

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350 WATER STREET

Houses and Lots for sale on easy terms.

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in variety, size, location and price.
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high and low in price.
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Several near the city.
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HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

UPSTAIR GIRL WANTED AT ONCE — Apply to Geo. Lipsett, Maple Leaf Hotel, East City. 2d 115 4634

DINING ROOM GIRL WANTED AT once. Apply to Geo. Lipsett, Maple Leaf Hotel, East City. 2d 115 4633

WANTED AT ONCE — GOOD GIRL TO do general housework, no washing. References required; highest wages paid. Apply at the Examiner Office for address. 3ood 115 4636

WANTED — A GIRL FOR GENERAL Housework; one who can lodge at home preferred. Apply 268 Brock. 2d 115 4632

WANTED — WOMAN TO DO HOUSEwork two or three hours during the day. Apply 391 Reid street. 1d 115 4630

EXPERIENCED DINING ROOM GIRL Apply National Hotel. 3d113

WANTED—A CAPABLE LAUNDRESS— to take entire charge of a small laundry; must be a reliable Christian woman, accustomed to the management of girls. Good salary, board and residence offered. Apply between the hours of 11 and 12 or 7 and 8, To Matron, Barnardo Home, Peterborough, any day this week. 3d114

TEACHERS WANTED.

WANTED — A LADY TEACHER FOR School Section No. 12, Smith. For further particulars apply to Thomas H. Davis, Sec.-Treas., Young's Point P. O., Ontario, Can. 5w 51 4595

SITUATIONS WANTED.

SITUATION WANTED BY CAPABLE and respectable woman at housework where she can go home in the evening. Apply at this office. d dh

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The owner of 210 Reid St; who is now living in the West must have his money out of his property at once. New house with bath, furnace, and electric light Strictly up to date. Make use of this offer,

If you have some property that does not suit you, we will exchange it for something that will. Make it a point to see us, before doing anything in real estate.

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$1250 Solid Brick, well and centrally located, a bargain,

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Daily Examiner.

The Daily Examiner, published every lawful evening, at the Examiner Printing Office, 416 George street, Peterborough.

The Weekly Examiner, published every Thursday morning.

The subscription price of the Daily Examiner is $4.00 per annum; that of the Weekly, $1.00.

J. R. STRATTON,
Publisher.

Advertising rates on application.

UNION LABEL

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 16th, 1908.

TO STIMULATE EXPORT TRADE

The department of Trade and Commerce, Ottawa, with a view of extending the foreign trade of Canada, brings itself into relations with the public, in order to secure suggestions which will facilitate the attainment of the object aimed at. A circular is being issued, with a request for suggestions, in reply to the following questions:

(a) What would you advise should be done to increase the export trade of Canada?

(b) What improvement or change do you think desirable in the compilation of the trade statistics published by this Department?

(c) Can you suggest any improvement in the collection and publication of commerce at information received from the Trade Commissioners?

As far as possible the suggestions should be accompanied by statements showing the reasons therefor. Should there be any general information which it may be thought desirable to communicate to the Department and which is not covered by the above questions, the information will be welcomed.

Every new municipality annexed to Toronto adds to the servitude potentialities of the Street Railway Company.

"A FLAGRANT EVIL."

It is somewhat refreshing to find a newspaper that assumes not only to represent, but to dominate a great political party, both finding fault with the conduct of its party leaders and accusing them of methods which it does not hesitate to characterize as "wrong and disgusting."

The Globe is so greatly concerned about the maintenance of political morality that it even suggests a resort to the infamous system that once prevailed in France, the use of les agents provocateurs for the "detection and punishment of such crime." It is amazing that with the evidence that is in the hands of every reading man of the province, of the prostitution of a secret service paid by the public for the enforcement of law, but really used by a party organization for its own purposes, a newspaper that has really a regard for public morality should suggest that the system of spies, sneaks and informers now in the pay of the Government at Toronto, should be extended so as to introduce its objectionable and deteriorating influence into the conduct of Dominion elections.

When Parliament, disgusted at practices that for many years were the means of maintaining the Conservative party in power, placed upon the statute books the present law regarding the purity of elections, it acted simply from one point of view, and in its excess of zeal for a righteous purpose, did not take into fair consideration the interests of honest men and guiltless communities, who, under its sweeping and far-reaching definitions, are compelled to see innocent acts, wholly devoid of any corrupt or improper motive, distorted into what the Globe calls "electoral crime."

It is a fact, to any fair mind incontrovertible, and established by the precedents of courts, that a candidate for Parliament, having every desire to conduct his election not only with propriety, but within the limits of the law, finds himself at the mercy of any hypocritical rascal or of any injudiciously zealous friend, whose acts of ordinary hospitality in the course of common intercourse, when they come under the purview of the courts, are regarded as corrupt acts and the party in question is created by the court an "agent" of the respondent, without any possible warrant in fact.

The controverted election law needs an amendment so that in its practical operation it shall not be open to vexatious and frivolous use, by men who do not aim at justice, but seek to gratify a private malice or a political animosity.

Not only should those trivial acts that belong to ordinary intercourse between decent people, be written off the statute, for they do not and cannot either influence the results of an election, or by any possibility actually constitute any form of bribery, but the power should be taken out of the hands of perverse and unscrupulous persons, to abuse the intention of the law and impugn the integrity of an election and the good name of a constituency through an information under what is described as the "general terms of the act."

By the laws governing ordinary crimes and misdemeanours, no man can have his liberty or his reputation assailed by vague and indeterminate accusation or assertion before a magistrate, that some irresponsible or malicious person "is informed and believes" that he has been guilty of a breach of some of the laws on the statute books. A specific offence has to be charged in order to give any complainant, honest or dishonest, a standing in court.

Why should those who in the wisdom of their neighbours, or in the pursuit of a proper and laudable ambition, are chosen as representatives of the people in Parliament, be deprived of a safeguard that is extended to the meanest offender against the law?

Take the case of the protest against the return of Sir Wilfrid Laurier for the city of Ottawa. The Conservative leaders and the Conservative press not only accepted the situation gracefully, but were even pronounced in acknowledgment that the result was a fair expression of the will of the great majority, and for the best interests of the constituency. Yet an obscure individual, without responsibility in the public life of the Capital, is enabled, under the law as it stands, to challenge the seat of Canada's greatest statesman, and the fair fame of our capital city under "the general terms of the act." Sir Wilfrid Laurier's legal representative in responding to this petition, among other objections, presented this:

"The petitioner had no reason to believe, and did not, in fact, believe, that the several allegations, or any, contained in the petition were true when the petition was presented.

"The petition was not presented in good faith, is false and malicious, is an abuse of the process of this court, and is purely vexatious, intended solely to harass the respondent."

This description accurately and properly defines the character of nine out of ten of the election protests. They are not intended nor expected to promote purity, but to gratify disappointed ambition or personal malice. The credit of the country abroad and the standard of morality at home, are being hurt by these wholesale and, as we believe, unfounded accusations of political immorality, made for the most part by men who have made unsuccessful attempts to utilize the reprehensible weapon which in defeat they attempt to direct against opponents who have been honoured with public confidence.

What the country appears to need, to deal with the situation in an effective way, upholding electoral purity by every reasonable safeguard, is not, as the Globe suggests, a system of public spies as now exists under the misuse of the provincial license act, but an amelioration of the law, so that the acts of courtesy and civil communication between man and man shall not be falsely construed as corrupt acts, and the requirement that no member chosen by the vote of the people for any constituency, shall have his seat impugned or the reputation of his constituency assailed, upon any information that does not make specific and precise declaration in respect of any illegal acts alleged.

LATEST NEWS FROM THE CAPITAL

Campbellford Appeals to Ottawa—Prospects for Alberta Development—Fenian Conspiracy Experience Revived—London Times Apologizes for Libelling Canada

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Ottawa, December 16th—A deputation representing the Board of Trade the town Council and the manufacturing interests of Campbellford waited on the Minister and Deputy Minister of Railways and Canals yesterday afternoon with respect to the route of the Trent Valley Canal through the town. Their views as to the best location for the canal were laid before Hon Mr Graham and Mr Butler and a decision will be made in a few days.

Premier Rutherford and Attorney-General Cross of Alberta are in Ottawa on a private mission. In the course of an interview to-day Premier Rutherford declared the intention of his Government to urge a vigorous policy of railway construction to open up the vast areas of good agricultural lands north of Edmonton. During the past autumn, he said, over 2,300 homesteads had been taken in Alberta and Saskatchewan as a result of the Western Lands Act passed at the last session of Parliament.

The reports that a number of Irishmen in Chicago have started a movement to ask Sir Wilfrid Laurier to intercede with the governor-general to pardon the three Irishmen, Karl Dollman, John Nolan and John Walsh who were given life sentences in Kingston for conspiracy to blow up the Welland canal at Thorold in 1900, were brought to the attention of the Canadian authorities yesterday. No hope was held out that the appeal would be granted, if only on the ground that in the appeal opportunity is taken to argue that the three convicts were "victims of the secret service system of Great Britain", and to allege that the men in question were "pigeons" of British detectives This is treason and felony Dollman, whose real name is kept a secret by the officers of the Crown was leader of the clan in St. Louis, Chicago and Kansas City, which was identified with the conspiracy. The attempt, as is well known, failed.

Hon. S. N. Parent, chairman of National Transcontinental Railway Commission received this morning a cable from Sir Charles Russell, Canada's legal agent in London, stating that the London Times in response to complaints entered by the Commission through Sir Charles had published the following retraction under the heading, 'The Canadian Elections' 'Our attention has been called by Hon. Simon T Parent, K.C. the chairman of the Transcontinental Railway Commission of Canada, to a certain cable sent by one of our Canadian correspondents, and appearing in the Times of Oct. 24th, and the Mail of Oct. 26th, 1908. We desire to say that this message was not intended to convey the slightest reflection upon the Commissioners or on their integrity: we, ourselves, do not regard the despatch as containing any such reflection, and we regret that any body should put any such construction upon it."

Ladies and gentlemen who take Miller's Compound Iron Pills always grow younger in appearance and spirits. Sold by J. D. Tully, druggist, Peterborough.

HOW TO CURE A HEADACHE

To attempt to cure a headache by taking a "headache powder," is like trying to stop a leak in the roof by putting a pan under the dripping water. Chronic headaches are caused by poisoned blood. The blood is poisoned by tissue waste, undigested food and other impurities remaining too long in the system. These poisons are not promptly eliminated because of sick liver, bowels, skin or kidneys.

If the bowels do not move regularly—if there is pain in the back showing kidney trouble—if the skin is sallow or disfigured with pimples—it shows clearly what is causing the headache.

"Fruit-a-tives" cure headaches because they cure the cause of headaches. "Fruit-a-tives" act directly on the three great eliminating organs—bowels, kidneys and skin. "Fruit-a-tives" keep the system free of poisons. "Fruit-a-tives" come in two sizes—25c and 50c. If your dealer does not have them write to Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

Wardrobes, Ottoman Boxes, Bureaus

and any Special Furniture made to order Hardwood Floors Laid and Polished Apply—

E. COURTNEY
527 CONCESSION ST. PHONE 465k

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTHWEST LAND REGULATIONS

ANY PERSON who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother, or sister of intending homesteader.

DUTIES—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price $3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the three required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price $3.00 per acre Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth $300.00.

N.B.—Unauthorized publications of this advertisement will not be paid for.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy of the Minister of Interior

Sealed Tenders adressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tenders for Quarters for Stable Establishment, Kinston, Ontario," will be received at this office until 4.00 p.m. on Monday, December 28th, 1908, for the construction of Quarters for Stable Establishment R. M. C. Kingston, Ont.

Plans and specifications can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department and on application to H. P. Smith, Esq., Architect, Kingston, Ont.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with their actual signatures.

Each tender must be acompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank made payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent., 10 p. c., of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The department does not bind itself to accept the lowest of any tender.

By order,
NAPOLEON TESSIER,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, December 12, 1908.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.

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Assurances written for first eleven months of the present year—

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A Policy in this Company **WILL SUIT YOU** and is an **EXCELLENT HOLIDAY PROPOSITION**

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City Manager

Ladies, If You Want a Hat Get It Now During

The Millinery Sale of Misses Allan & Felion's

Sweeping price reductions among our choice displays of becoming and pattern hats.

No reserves on Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats, Feathers, Flowers, Ribbons, Veilings, Velvets, etc, for Xmas gifts.

A change of business at the new year compels that everything be sold regardless of cost.

All accounts due this firm are required to be paid before January 1st, 1909.

Building Lots For Sale

THE PETERBORO SUGAR CO. PROPERTY has been cut up into lots, which are now offered for sale: lots 50-ft. frontage by 120-ft. in depth.

These lots are most desirable for building purposes, and any person contemplating the purchase of a lot for this purpose will do well to look over this property before purchasing elsewhere.

Full particulars and all information can be had on application to

The Toronto Savings and Loan Company
437 George Street, City

THE word "OXOL" does not mean one food or one preparation. No "OXOL" is a name given to all goods for horses, cattle, swine and sheep, prepared by Messrs. S. A. and T. C. Windsor, of Australia, New Zealand, England and Canada.

The veterinary preparations as well as the compressed bales of fodder placed on the market of the world under the name of

"OXOL" for Cattle

are all of the greatest possible order of merit and may be used by farmers, graziers, dairymen and all owners of stock with the full assurance that these goods have the power in a very short time to double their incomes by feeding, fattening and curing all animals, which to them means money.

Scientific Meetings will be organized by Messrs. Windsor and held throughout the Dominion of Canada, when farmers desirous of improving their knowledge of stock will have an opportunity of doing so and to be instructed on the life of stock from birth to death, free of any charge.

One agent only to have sole control of the local trade.

FOR AGENT'S NAME SEE FUTURE ADVERTISEMENTS, &c

Advertising in the Evening Examiner Pays

CHRONIC CATARRH NOSE AND THROAT

"At the Advice of Friends I Tried Peruna and the Results Have Been Highly Satisfactory." — So Writes Mr. Pilon.

MR. RAOUL PILON, 116 Rue Notre Dame, Lachine, P. Q., Can., writes:

"I write you a few words to express to you my satisfaction at being cured. *I was afflicted with catarrh of the throat and nose and suffered much.* I was greatly discouraged. I had a bad breath and a bad taste in my mouth in the morning.

"I took treatment for some time without obtaining relief. At the advice of friends I tried the Peruna and the results have been highly satisfactory. *At the end of four months I was completely cured.*"

Neglected catarrh becomes chronic. Having developed into the chronic stage, a longer and more persistent treatment will be required to cure it than if the disease were treated at the onset.

However, Peruna generally brings relief, whether the catarrh is acute or chronic. If you are wise you will keep Peruna on hand and take a few doses at the first appearance of a cold or cough, and thus perhaps save yourself both suffering and expense.

Peruna is recognized the world over as a standard remedy for catarrh. A multitude of people have been benefited by it.

Ask Your Druggist for a Peruna Almanac for 1904

Unique Cooking Demonstration

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Ladies and Gentlemen are cordially invited to come and witness the wonderful new results in saving fuel, etc., by the Supreme Stove Company's New Stoves and Ranges. Do not miss the

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A full line of FANCY MEAT, CURED MEATS, SAUSAGE, POULTRY, etc.

When you want a nice Quarter of Lamb or Mutton call and see our stock. We can sell you Lamb or Mutton as cheap, or cheaper, than on Market.

Lamb 9c and 11c by Quarter
Mutton 8c and 10c "

These prices are good any time.

When you want a nice joint of Beef, Veal or Pork don't forget the number, or call us by phone. We have chopped suet in any quantity. Also bones for poultry.

R. COX
BOTH PHONES 39

OBJECTS OF SALE OF XMAS STAMPS

Many Patients Treated for Consumption at Muskoka Hospital Free of Cost —A Worthy Object.

STAMPS AT RICHARD HALL'S

Miss Halliday of the local branch of The King's Daughters has received a communication from Mrs. M. S. Savage, Toronto, the Provincial Secretary, referring to the sale of Christmas stamps in aid of the Muskoka Free Hospital, which was referred to editorially in yesterday's Examiner. The communication in part says—

The object of this Christmas Stamp Campaign is to raise money for the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives which has cared for a large number of patients from all parts of Canada, a large proportion of them being treated entirely free of cost. No patient has ever been refused admission to this Hospital because of his or her inability to pay, and because of this fact it is felt that a liberal response should be made from the various circles appealed to. There are no other Institutions in Canada except those conducted by the National Sanitarium Association where patients suffering from Tuberculosis are treated free, and perhaps you may be aware, the Hospitals in the various cities throughout Canada refuse to receive consumptives in the public wards.

The Muskoka Free Hospital has accommodation for 75 patients. Many more applications are received than there is accommodation for. What occurs in such a case is the applicant's name is put on the waiting list, and is admitted as soon as there is a vacant bed.

It is the intention to devote the money raised from the sale of the stamps to increase accommodation for needy patients, and thus admit applicants more promptly.

The stamps will be on sale at Messrs. Richard Hall & Sons, in charge of two of the King's Daughters on Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

AFRAID OF CARRIE.

English Temperance Movement Disapproves of Her Tactics.

London, Dec. 16.—The English prohibitionists have decided not to associate themselves with Carrie Nation, ostensibly because she confines her action to saloons, while they aim at the whole drink traffic, from the manufacture downwards, but actually because they fear the risks her tactics involve.

Mrs. Carrie Nation arrived at Glasgow Monday to carry on her usual campaign against intemperance, cigarette smoking and other things of which she does not approve. She was greeted by 3,000 persons, most of them hostile, whose hooting made the cheers of her supporters inaudible.

Her first assault was on a hotel adjoining the railway station, where, hurrying to the bar, she accosted a barmaid with, "You're going to hell." The barmaid's reply is not recorded.

As the crowd continued to increase and was evidently in a mischievous humor, Carrie went to her rooms at a temperance hotel and kept herself secluded from those she knew were not supporters of her antics. Her business was postponed until later.

EMMA IN CANADA.

Anarchist Leader Crosses Boundary Into British Columbia.

Spokane, Wash., Dec. 16.—Emma Goldman, recognized queen of the reds, who, with Ben. L. Reilman, self-styled "king of tramps," is making a tour of the world, could not obtain a hall, church or storeroom in Spokane to expounds the fiery doctrine, and left for Puget Sound.

Vancouver, Dec. 16.—At 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon federal immigration officials allowed Emma Goldman to cross the boundary line at Blaine, having first ascertained, however, that the American officials would take her back to Washington State at any time she wished to go.

Jail, Without Fine, If——

Montreal, Dec. 16.—Civic bylaw 108 is such that if the theatrical managers are convicted for last Sunday's performances they may have to go to jail. There is no option of fine provided for.

Boils and Pimples

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PIMPLES.

Mrs. W. J. Crandon, St. Mary's, Ont., writes:—"I was troubled with pimples on my face for a couple of years and tried a good deal of patent medicine, but they were not of much use. Finally I used four bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters and am now entirely cured."

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King In Cordial Mood.

London, Dec. 16.—King Edward left here for Brighton yesterday, his appearance indicating that he had practically recovered from his recent attack of influenza. He will remain at the seaside resort until about Dec. 21 when he goes to Sandringham for the holidays. By that time he expects to have fully regained his health.

As he boarded the train yesterday His Majesty chatted pleasantly with the railroad officials on the platform and cordially acknowledge the salutations of his fellow passengers.

His eye was bright, his step brisk, and he gave every indication of rapid convalescence.

Phonograph as Witness.

Pittsburg, Dec. 16.—Through the testimony of a phonograph record, C. A. Rumstay was yesterday held for trial on a charge of assault and battery. The complaint was made by John E. Hinds on behalf of his wife. Hinds declared that the screams of his wife were recorded on a blank record that had been placed in the machine to reproduce a piano solo which a lady friend of hers was playing. The record was admitted as evidence. It is remarkably clear and the voices can be easily distinguished.

Noise Fiend Still Free.

New York, Dec. 16.—Because the anti-noise ordinance bylaw adopted by the board of aldermen in response to persistent popular clamor does not contain sufficient stringent provisions for the curbing of the evil, Mayor McClellan vetoed it yesterday afternoon.

The ordinance contained provisions relating to flat wheels, loose trucks, and other evils, but did not mention other sources of constant annoyance, such as the carting of steel girders, etc., through the streets.

Perley Denies It.

Ottawa, Dec. 16.—George H. Perley, M.P. for Argenteuil, says he knows nothing about the story which comes from Montreal to the effect that he is one of the four Conservatives who have formed a pool to finance the protests filed in Toronto against certain Liberal members of Parliament, Sir Wilfrid Laurier included.

Huge Revenue From Tobacco.

Paris, Dec. 16.—The French nation last year consumed $100,000,000 worth of tobacco, upon which the Government made a profit of $75,000,000.

MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Close Lower, Chicago Higher—Live Stock —Latest Quotations.

Tuesday Evening, Dec. 15.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day ¾d to ⅞d lower than yesterday, and corn closed ¼d lower.

At Chicago December wheat closed ½c higher than yesterday, December corn closed unchanged, and December oats closed ¼c lower.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—July $1.03⅛ bid, December 97⅝c asked, May $1.01⅝ bid.

Oats—December 33c bid, May 40¼c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	0 95	to $
Wheat, red, bush	0 96	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 91	....
Rye, bushel	0 80	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 65	....
Peas, bushel	0 80	....
Barley, bushel	0 51	0 67
Oats, bushel	0 45	....

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 23
Butter, store lots	0 23	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb rolls	0 28	....
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 40	....
Eggs, cold storage	0 25	....
Cheese, large, lb	0 12½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11
Honey, combs, dozen	2 25	2 75

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 15.—(Closing)—Wheat.—Spot, dull; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 11¾d; futures, steady; Dec., 7s 11d; March, 7s 6¾d; May, 7s 5¾d.

Corn—Spot, quiet; new, American mixed (via Galveston), 5s 7d; futures, quiet; Jan., 5s 3¾d; March, 5s 3¾d.

Hams—Short cut, quiet, 44s 6d; bacon, Cumberland cut, easy, 43s; short rib, quiet, 45s; long clear middling light, dull, 42s; do., heavy, dull, 46s 6d; short clear backs, quiet, 43s 6d; shoulders, square, easy, 37s 6d.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Butter—Firm; receipts, 11,010; creamery specials, 32c to 32½c (official price 32c).

Cheese—Firm; unchanged; receipts, 5893.

Eggs—Firmer; receipts, 5962; state, Pennsylvania and near-by brown and mixed, fair to choice, 32c to 34c; western first, 31½c to 33c; second, 30c to 32c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Steady—Hogs Firmer at Chicago, But Lower at Buffalo.

LONDON, Dec. 15.—London cables for cattle are steady at 12½c to 13½c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10¼c to 10¾c per lb.

Toronto Live Stock.

TORONTO, Dec. 15.—Receipts of live stock at the City Market on Monday and Tuesday, as reported by the railways, were 144 carloads, consisting of 2495 cattle, 1200 hogs, 2362 sheep, 75 calves and two goats.

Exporters.

No sales of export steers were reported, but a few bulls sold from $3.90 to $4.20 per cwt.

Butchers.

The best loads of Christmas cattle sold from $4.75 to $5.25 per cwt.; loads of good, $4.50 to $4.75; medium, $4 to $4.30; common, $3.50 to $3.90; cows, $2.60 to $4; canners, $1.50 to $2.25.

Feeders and Stockers.

H. & W. Murby reported the stocker and feeder trade as being easier, with prices a little lower, as follows: Best feeders, 900 to 1050 lbs. each, at $3.60 to $4; best feeders, 800 to 900 lbs. each, at $3.40 to $3.65; best stockers, 600 to 800 lbs. each, at $3 to $3.40; common and medium, $2 to $2.90.

Milkers and Springers.

Receipts of milkers and springers were moderately large with a fairly good demand at prices ranging from $30 to $40 each, the bulk of the best selling at $45 to $55 each.

Veal Calves.

Good calves were in demand. Prices ranged from $3 to $6.75 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs.

Receipts were fairly large. Prices for lambs were firm, and sheep steady. Export ewes, $3.25 to $3.40; rams, $2.25 to $2.50; lambs, $5.25 to $5.50 per cwt.

Hogs.

Mr. Harris quoted prices unchanged at $6 for selects fed and watered and $5.75 for lights.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Dec. 15.—Cattle—Receipts, 275 head; slow; prime steers, $4.50 to $5.

Veals—Receipts, 25 head; active and steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 2600 head; fairly active and 5c to 10c higher; heavy and mixed, $5.90 to $6; yorkers, $5.50 to $6; pigs, $4 to $5.45; dairies, $5.50 to $5.55.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 2600 head; sheep slow and 10c to 25c lower; lambs, active and 15c higher; lambs, $5 to $7.75; yearlings, $5.50 to $5.75; wethers, $4.50 to $4.65; ewes, $3.75 to $4; sheep, mixed, $3 to $4; Canada lambs, $7 to $7.25.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Dec. 15.—Beeves—Receipts, 1117; nothing doing; feeling easy.

Calves—Receipts, 240; veals, 25c lower; westerns, steady; barnyard calves, weak; veals, $5 to $6.50; western calves, $5.25; barn-yard calves, $3.75.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 3263; sheep, barely steady; best lambs, steady; others slow; sheep, $3.50 to $4.15; culls, $2 to $3.25; lambs, $4 to $7.50; culls, $5.

Hogs—Receipts, 7044; steady; state hogs, $5.90 to $6; culls, $5.50.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Dec. 15.—Cattle—Receipts, 4500; market steady; steers, $4.60 to $7.25; cows, $2.50 to $4.25; heifers, $2.60 to $4.60; bulls, $2.75 to $4.50; calves, $3.50 to $6.25; stockers and feeders, $2.50 to $4.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 25,000; steady; choice heavy shipping, $6.70 to $6.85; butchers', $6.65 to $6.75; light mixed, $6.50 to $6.70; choice light, $6.35 to $6.45; packing, $6.40 to $6.75; pigs, $4 to $6.35; bulk of sales, $6.60 to $6.65.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 20,000; weak; sheep, $4 to $5; lambs, $5.50 to $7.60; yearlings, $4.25 to $5.50.

Substitute For Pulp.

Chicago, Dec. 16.—That material has been discovered by which print paper can be produced in competition with wood pulp was the purport of a report that Dr. B. T. Galloway of the bureau of plant enquiry of the Department of Agriculture, made to the House committee on agriculture yesterday, when he appeared before it to account for the disposition of the appropriation given to the Department for experiments along this line.

Petition In Bankruptcy.

New York, Dec. 16.—A petition in bankruptcy against Patrick J. Kieran, the missing president of the Fidelity Funding Co., was filed in the Federal Court here yesterday. The petition is based on three claims, aggregating about $3,500.

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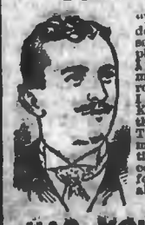

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Favor Australian Navy.

London, Dec. 16.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—At the annual meeting of the Empire League Council hope was expressed that negotiations between the British Government and Australia would result in the acceptance of Premier Deakin's proposals for the formation of an Australian navy. The Duke of Devonshire expressed satisfaction with the progress of the league, especially in Canada.

Cost of Making Steel.

Washington, D.C., Dec. 16.—A large fund of information regarding the cost of making steel was given the House ways and means committee yesterday by Charles M. Schwab of New York. He indicated that the present cost of manufactured pig iron is $14 a ton, as compared with $8 a ton in 1898; while the cost of steel rails to-day is $21.50 a ton, as compared with $12 a ton nine years ago.

Egg Famine In London.

London, Ont., Dec. 16.—Farmers on the local market yesterday morning asked 40 cents a dozen for eggs, and offered but a limited supply at that. This is the highest price that has ever been asked for eggs in the history of the city.

Ik Marvel Dead.

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 16.—Donald Grant Mitchell, 84 years old, the well-known author, who wrote under the nom de plume of "Ik Marvel," died at his home, "Marvel Wood," in Edgewood, a suburb of this city, last night. His illness dates to August last, when he suffered an attack of acute indigestion. At the bedside were seven of his children, including his daughter, Mrs. Walter Hart of Rye, New York.

Plea For Mining School.

Kingston, Dec. 16.—The School of Mining is to send a deputation to Toronto to ask the Government to add another building here for mining chemistry and mineralogy. The school has outgrown its present quarters.

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PRESIDENT EXPLAINS THE BY-LAW

What the City Obtains by Purchasing the Fair Grounds.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

Dear Sir, — Our municipal elections will soon be upon us, and the Peterborough Industrial Fair directors are very anxious that the electors should understand why they are asked to vote on a by-law to buy the exhibition grounds.

Now Mr. Editor, we don't ask the city to purchase those grounds for exhibition purposes alone, but what we ask is that the city purchase the grounds for recreation purposes and allow the fair directors a place to erect suitable buildings.

At the present time we have the fair grounds under a short lease, subject to three months' notice in case of sale.

We have now arrived at a time when the management of our fair must have good buildings to meet their requirements and worthy of the city of Peterborough, and I ask all fair-minded citizen, would the board be justified in spending any money on grounds which they don't own, and might never get using more than the present year.

We have had two successful years with our fair and have now a nice balance to our credit, and as a board we feel that if the city will purchase grounds where we will have a permanent place to erect on, that before our next fall fair, the directors will spend a large amount in suitable buildings to accommodate the stock and poultry, also to allow our merchants a place to make exhibits, as they are very anxious to do.

Now, Mr. Editor, what we want the citizens of Peterborough to do is to carry this by-law by their votes, to purchase the present grounds, as the investment is considered good. Mr. Morrow has already received an offer from a real estate dealer of twenty-six thousand dollars—$26,000.

By extending George street south across the property and holding the western portion, which is the cheapest part—for park purposes, and the eastern part, which is worth the most money, to be sold in building lots, then there would be a large amount of the purchase money returned from their sale.

If there is any information the citizens would like to have I will be pleased to give it to them.

Yours very truly,
R. H. LEARY,
President of Peterborough Industrial Fair.

A DIFFERENCE IN THE PRICE OF BEEF

A Considerable Overheard on the Market This Morning—Which Was the Best to Buy.

It was on the market this morning There were a number of sleighs of beef and purchasers were passing and repassing inquiring about the price. One man stopped in front of a load of fine looking beef and was told that it was six cents a pound. "Why I can get it for less than that" he remarked, and went on down the row. Finally he came back again saying "I told you you were too high. I got a quarter for five cents a pound." "You have, eh," the first butcher replied," and have you got meat worth taking home and are you sure that the weight is what is marked", and then he went on to show that often those who sell low are under weight sufficient to make up for the difference in price. "For" he said, "I can buy just as cheaply as the next, but I could not make a copper if I sold at five cents and give exact weight." The purchaser sort of pooh-hooed the idea but he was not sure that he got such a bargain after all.

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Peasant Dance—Baumfelder, Hugh Carmichael.
Duet—Waltz, Edna Cassidy, Gladys Fife.
In the Meadow — Lichner, Helen Stapleton.
The Gossip—Duvernoy, Gladys Fife.
Duet—Diabelli, Misses Hanna.
Sandmannchen—Hiens, Vera Peters.
Gavotte — Vandervell, Marguarita Sanderson.
Duet March—Lindsay M. Harston, C. Bradburn.
Rondfino—Giulia, Florence Howden.
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Duet—Diabelli Sonatina, P. Ruth, Eva Hartley.

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Peterborough Boy Appointed To Responsible Position Recently

Mr. Chas. Noyes has recently received a letter from his son, William, who was attending the meeting of the United Brotherhood of Maintenance of Waymen, which was held in New Orleans, stating that he had been appointed chairman of the Grand Executive Committee. Last year he held the position of Grand Auditor. Mr. A. B. Love, of Kingston, was elected Grand President. Both men are members of the Toronto Council. Mr. W. Noyes is a resident of West Toronto, and has been absent from home five weeks, most of which were spent in St. Louis, where he was engaged in auditing the Grand Council's books. This is one of the most important societies among the Waymen of North America, and has an extremely large enrolment. Mr. Noyes is well known in Peterborough, having been brough up here. His many friends will congratulate him upon this recognition of his abilities, which is evident from his new duties in connection with the Grand Council.

W.F.M.S. OFFICERS ARE ELECTED

St. Andrew's Ladies' Hold Annual Meeting Yesterday Afternoon.

Yesterday afternoon the annual meeting of the W. F. M. S. of St. Andrews church was held when officers were elected. Rev. R. J. Pogue gave an address and during the afternoon Mr Gordon Wright sang a solo. The following officers were elected—

President—Mrs (Rev.) Potter.
1st V Pres—Mrs Geo Kerr.
2nd V Pres—Mrs Wm Fowler
Sec—Mrs R Lees.
Asst Sec—Mrs Silla.
Treas—Miss L Rae.
Later Sec—Mrs Jas Gerrard
Asst Later Sec—Mrs F Atkinson
Organist—Miss B Lundy.
Ex Com—Mrs Thos Brightman, Mrs J Jamieson, Mrs J John, Mrs J Richardson, Mrs W G Rankin, Mrs W Stevens.
Clothing Com.—Mrs Geo. Laing

OBITUARY.

THOMAS JOHNSTON

The death occurred on Sunday evening of an old and very highly respected resident of Otonabee in the person of Mr. Thomas Johnston, who passed away at the residence of his son, Mr. W D Johnston, lot 28, concession 9.

The deceased was 83 years of age, and was born in the County of Fermanagh, Ireland. He came to this country at the age of twenty-one years. He did not settle in Otonabee until three years later, in 1854. Previous to that he resided a short while in New York State and then in Durham county. In 1854 he was married to Margaret Dundas. She predeceased him fifteen years ago. He was widely known and highly respected by all who knew him.

Two sons and one daughter are left to mourn his loss. The sons are Messrs. W D and T. J. Johnston, and the daughter is Mrs. Christopher, all residing in Otonabee.

The funeral took place on Tuesday afternoon from lot 26, concession 9, Otonabee, to the Little Lake Cemetery.

MR. ALEXANDER STEWART

The death took place in Otonabee this morning of Mr. Alexander Stewart, at the age of 61 years, after an illness of about a year. He was born in Ireland on Nov. 9th, 1847, and came to Canada a few years later. Since then he has always resided in Otonabee on lot 13, concession IV. He was married there twenty-seven years ago to Miss Fanny Matchett, daughter of the late Robert Matchett, who still survives him. There are three sons and two daughters all living at home. The sons are Melville, Livingstone, Dalton, and the daughters are Clara and Blanche. Mr. Stewart was a well-to-do farmer and very much respected by all who knew him.

The funeral will be held on Friday from the residence of the deceased, at 2 p.m. to Little Lake Cemetery.

MR. JOHN IRWIN

This morning at an early hour, Mr. John Irwin died at his rooms over the post office, at the age of 73 years. Mr. Irwin was a shoemaker by trade, in his early days, but has been the caretaker of the post office ever since it was built. It will be remembered that Mrs. Irwin died just seven months ago, and the sad occurrence this morning makes the second death within the year. He was one of the veterans of the Fenian Raid, in 1866. Three sons and two daughters survive him. The sons are, Fred, John and Robert, all living in the city, and the daughters are, Mrs. James Lillico, of North Monaghan, and Mrs. F. Derrick, of this city. Mr. Irwin was an old resident here and the family have the sympathy of the whole community in their sad bereavement. The funeral will be held on Friday at 2 p. m., from the post office to the Little Lake Cemetery.

ZAM-BUK AS A CURE FOR PILES

Impressive Cures of Women Sufferers—Our Readers Should Note These Cases.

Wherever there is suffering from piles, Zam-Buk should be applied! There are lots of reasons for this, but one of the best is that in practically all cases of piles where the use of Zam-Buk is persevered with complete cure—not mere relief—is the result.

Mrs. Wm. Hughes, of 253 Hochelaga street, Hochelaga, Montreal, says :—"I suffered from blind, itching and protruding piles for years. Sometimes they were so bad that I could hardly bear to move about. The inflammation, the burning smarting pain, the throbbing, the aching, the overpowering feeling of dullness and dark despair when this ailment brings, the shooting spasms of agony—all were so terrible that only sufferers from this awful ailment can understand!"

Bad as this case was, Zam-Buk triumphed, and Mrs. Hughes suffers no longer. It needed a little perseverance with Zam-Buk certainly, but in the end it cured!

Mrs. E. Boxall, of Scott street, St. Thomas, says :—"For months without cessation I endured great pain from bleeding piles. For as many months I tried everything which I thought would give me ease, but in the end, dispirited and still suffering, I gave in."

Then it was she heard of Zam-Buk, and she adds :—"Although I feared Zam-Buk would be like the ordinary remedies — useless! — I am glad it was not. It soon proved itself to be very different. It rapidly gave me relief, and after a time cured me completely. I would like to let all sufferers from piles know what a grand thing Zam-Buk is."

So one could go on quoting case after case, and it is by working such cures that Zam-Buk has earned for itself its great reputation.

Now if you suffer from this terribly painful ailment just be guided by the foregoing cases!

For internal piles melt a little Zam-Buk and thoroughly soak a wad, made of clean but old linen. Then apply to the part. If the piles are external, application of Zam-Buk is still more simple. Do it upon retiring. Next morning you will be satisfied!

Zam-Buk is a cure also for cold-sores and chapped, cracked hands, ulcers, festering sores, blood poisoning, eczema, bad leg, ringworm, scalp sores, burns, scalds, and all skin diseases and injuries.

All druggists and stores sell Zam-Buk at 50c a box, or may be obtained post free from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, for price; 3 boxes for $1.25. You are warned, however, against cheap and dangerous imitations sometimes offered as being "just as good."

A SPLENDID ANNUAL CONCERT

Held at Knox Church Last Night—Solos, Quartettes, Violin and Bagpipes.

GLEE CLUB'S SELECTIONS

The second annual concert held in Knox Church on Tuesday night was a great success, there being a large attendance. All the numbers on the programme were very good indeed. The Glee Club led by Mr. Common sang two excellent selections. The male quartette also, consisting of Messrs. Walton, Biggs, Zepp and Black, sang very well and received well deserved encores. The solos without exception were well rendered, the vocal selections by both ladies and gentlemen proving a great pleasure to the audience. Dr. Park on the violin and Mr. F. S. McKay on the bagpipes were the only instrumental numbers of the evening and great praise is due these gentlemen for the way they rendered Scotch, Irish and Yankee airs.

Mr Greenhalgh sang and gave a very humourous sketch on phrenology and Mr. Coleman sang a song in costume. The following was the programme—

PART I.
Chairman—Dr. Malcolm McCulloch
Glee Club—Tom, Tom the Piper's Son.
Solo—Mr Greenhalgh
Quartette—Messrs. Walton, Biggs, Zepp and Black.
Violin Solo—Dr. Park— Yankee Doodle.
Trio—Johny Schmoker—Messrs Common, Thompson and Common.
Solo—The Star of Bethlehem—Miss Lee
Solo—Tell Her I Love Her so—Mr J. Crave.
Quartette—Messrs Walton, Biggs, Zepp and Black.
Solo —Mr. Coleman.

PART II
Selection by the Glee Club.
"The Bells of St. Michael's Tower"
Bagpipe Solo—Mr F. S. McKay.
Humourous Sketch—Mr. Greenhalgh
Solo—Miss Helen Davies.
Violin Solo—The Last Rose of Summer—Dr. Park.
God Save the King.

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SPECIAL FEATURES

Of the Y. W. C. A. Domestic Science Closing, December 18, 1903.

Friday afternoon, from 4 to 4.30 there will be a demonstration of Pillow-lace making. From 4.30 to 5, an old-fashioned spinning wheel will be in operation. There will also be Banbury tart making, and ice cream making, in a toy ice cream freezer, by two junior pupils. A new Krisp Krust pie tin will be demonstrated, afternoon and evening.

The Queen's Prize Pudding will be a feature of the Christmas Pudding table. This pudding is made after a receipt which won for Mrs. Rorer, among 600 competitors, the Queen's Prize of 2 guineas. Receipts will be sold at 10c. each. Kind friends who are loaning exhibits, will please send them on Thursday, directed "Arts and Crafts" care of Miss McCalla, Y.W.C.A. Secretary.

A SUPERB SHOWING OF GLOVES for Christmas

Gloves of Distinctive Style for Women, Misses and Children—Gift Qualities at Low Hall Prices.

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Christmas shopping is a very trying time for women. Let us make a suggestion—an oft-repeated one—that will greatly aid in the comfort of Christmas buying .·. .·. .·.

Shop in the Mornings

It may mean an extra effort on your part, but you will be amply repaid by the comfort you will experience, and the better values you will see when you have the time to go around the store at your leisure and choose. You will find the morning shopping not so nerve racking and annoying. You will get better service. .·. .·. .·. Act To-morrow .·. .·. .·.

The Bargain Annex will be open TO-MORROW (Thursday), FRIDAY and SATURDAY, to allow all to purchase what they can of the "Gift Kind of Goods," dozens of which will be found there for your choosing. NOTE: The Annex being open the four days this week will do away with the intense crowding that is often experienced, and will allow you to shop in comfort .·. .·. .·. .·. .·.

MUSIC! MUSIC! MUSIC!

Come and hear the New March Two Step just received "RED CROSS"

—New Music Dept., Main Floor Rear—

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BUSINESS BRISK ON THE MARKET THIS WEEK

Long Row of Wood, Hay and Straw—Accounted for by Good Sleighing.

To those who are interested in market affairs it may be stated that during the last week or ten days business has been very brisk. Every day in fact there is a long row of loads of wood, hay and straw, the farmers evidently taking advantage of the good sleighing to bring in their products. The prices are favourable and the result has been that the farmers have but little trouble in disposing of their wares.

TAKE NOTICE

Please take notice and don't forget the lecture to be given by Mr. J. R. Bengough, the nephew of Canada's greatest cartoonist, Mr. Elven Bengough, will deliver an instructive lecture on "The Symbol Life," that will be of interest to all, especially to young men.

The lecture will be given in the Park Street Baptist Church, Friday evening, December 18th, under the auspices of the South City A. A. A. Admission 15c. 2dwf

FUNERAL ON THURSDAY OF MRS. CHAS. W. FRY

Remains of Deceased Woman to be Buried With Salvation Army Honours.

The remains of the late Mrs. Agnes Rachael Fry, who passed away on Tuesday morning, December 15th, at her residence, 462 Elm street, will be laid to rest on Thursday, December 17th.

The funeral will leave the house at 2.15 and proceed to the Salvation Army Barracks, where a short service will be held and then proceed to the Little Lake Cemetery. The Army Band will be in attendance. Friends are asked to accept this as the only intimation.

POULTRYMEN TO MEET AGAIN TO-MORROW NIGHT

More Details Arranged at Last Night's Session—Many Prize Lists Mailed.

At a special meeting of the Poultry Association held in the Bank of Montreal Chambers last night it was finally decided that the show will be held in the Market Hall. The dates as previously announced will be Jan. 5th, 6th and 7th. Mr. Wm. Collins reported to the meeting that he had secured a speaker on "Poultry" for the afternoon of the final day of the show. Another special meeting will be held to-morrow night in the Association's hall, on Simcoe street, above Mr. C. N. Brown's store. All the members, who possibly can, are urgently requested to attend this meeting, as business of the greatest importance will be transacted.

Many inquiries have been made for prize lists and about 200 of these have already been mailed to Ontario poultrymen.

COCOA DEMONSTRATION.

—The free demonstration of Cowan's Cocoa, Chocolates and Icing at White & Gillespie's store, George street, is growing more interesting to the ladies every day. All this week Miss Shepherd, the expert from Toronto, will be in attendance. Call in and have a cup of cocoa and sample the toothsome delicacies on exhibition. Cowan's Icings are also very popular.

MOTHER OF MR. G. H. BARR DIES AT STRATFORD

The friends in Peterborough city and county, who are acquainted with Mr. Geo. H. Barr, who lectured here recently in connection with the Dairy meetings will regret to hear of the death of his mother in Stratford. While Mr. Barr was here his mother fell, breaking her leg and the injury has resulted in her death.

Let Your Children

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Your boys or girls can make good pictures with a Brownie Camera. There's nothing that will give them greater Christmas delight, nothing that will retain their interest longer. Simple, instructive, and good, clean, wholesome fun—and not expensive either. Brownies:

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Nothing makes a better Xmas Gift for your Boy or Girl than a Season Ticket for the Brock Street Rink.

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Little Daughter of Mrs. Hastings of Fitchburg Suffered for Years—Could Not Attend School Winters.

COMPLETELY CURED BY VINOL

"For many years my little daughter suffered from bronchitis. Every winter she was out of school more than she was in, until at last I had to take her out of school entirely. We had one of the best doctors in the city, and while he would bring her out of the acute attacks all right, they kept occurring. At last she got so very bad that it did not seem as though she could stand any more spells. Knowing that Vinol had cured my little nephew of congestion of the lungs I decided to try it for my daughter. I did so and could soon see a great difference. She took four bottles in all and it has completely cured her. That was a year ago and she has not had an attack of bronchitis since and seems strong and well." Mrs. J. E. Hastings, Fitchburg, Mass.

The reason Vinol is so successful in such cases is because it contains tonic iron together with all of the healing, medicinal and body-building elements of cod liver oil actually taken from fresh cods livers—but no oil to upset the stomach and retard its work. It does not taste of oil and children love it.

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SUGGESTS NEW SITE FOR THE EXHIBITION GROUNDS

A Communication From Pro Bono Publico on the Question.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

Dear Sir.—I beg of you a little of your space to write a few words commendatory of the city's proposal to buy grounds for a permanent Exhibition. But I must differ on the idea that the proposed grounds would ever be a permanent site for the exhibition. These grounds have continually been spoken of as a good speculation anyway. Well, this city is not looking for speculations but the ratepayers I believe would vote for a suitable permanent site.

The ideal site for these grounds is on the bank of the Otonabee and let us have them big enough for all park purposes, including the street railway and in keeping with our idea of the future greatness of our city. This location would give us four times the area for one-third of the cost of the site to be voted on. This would be proper foresight and money in our pocket. This Monaghan location on the river bank would be very convenient of access for all lines of rail and for boat, and would be a place of enjoyment for our people the whole year round which the present grounds could never be.

It has been said we must secure the present grounds because of the race track. The best asset of that track is its sandy foundation, and as the foundation is better further down, a good track can be built on it for a very small expenditure.

Should we not, just for the present, require a portion of the large park I have proposed, the unused portion would bring us in enough rents to carry the expenditure.

As to the distance—two miles or a little over, from the post office—this is nothing to anyone who has confidence in his city, and why should not we all have instead of letting this virtue be a monopoly of the West, with not half the advantages.

The Hilliard farm was a good investment, and this would be a better.

I urge the general public to write short letters on this matter and let us know the general opinion.

Yours sincerely,
PRO BONO PUBLICO.

Peterborough, Dec. 16.

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Hyomei (pronounced High-o-me) is medicated and antiseptic air. You breathe it into the lungs through a small pocket inhaler and its soothing influence as it passes over the inflamed membrane of the respiratory tract, stops the mucous discharge, allays the inflammation and the cold is cured. A complete Hyomei Outfit costs $1.00 and Wm. Madill will refund your money if it fails to cure.

LT.-COL. MILLER'S RETIREMENT RECOGNIZED BY DELIGHTFUL BANQUET OF THE OFFICERS

Was Presented With a Handsome Gold Watch by His Fellow-Militiamen—A Most Enjoyable Affair in the Armouries Last Night.

BRIGHT SPEECHES MADE

To honour Lieut.-Col. Miller on his retirement from active command of the 57th Regiment, after forty-three years' faithful service, was the meritorious purpose of a most enjoyable banquet held in honour of Lieut.-Col. Miller by the officers of the Peterborough Rangers in the Mess Rooms in the old armouries last evening. The event was a most delightful success and the retiring officer might well be excused for being proud as he listened to the eulogies that were abundantly poured out by his brother officers. The key-nots of the many excellent speeches was the affection and respect that is felt for Lt.-Col. Miller by those who have been associated with him in military life in Peterborough. This was evidenced by the presentation to him during the evening of a beautiful gold watch suitably inscribed, and was further borne out by the enthusiastic references to his good qualities and his faithful efforts on behalf of the 57th Regiment.

Lt.-Col. Halliday, the President of the Mess, made a most acceptable toast master, and gathered around the festive board which was artistically adorned for the occasion with candles and other decorations, were the following: Major (Rev.) J. C. Davidson, chaplain of the 57th; Major E. B. Clegg, Lieut. Wm. Langford, Jr., Capt. F. A. Clarke, Lieut. A. G. Carruthers, Lieut. W. R. G. Higgins, Capt. R. T. Hounsell, Lieut. J. M. Gemmell, Lieut. H. C. Fairweather, 74th Regiment, Capt. R. F. McWilliams, Capt. D. Walker, Adjutant; Capt. Joseph Mills, Major Wm. Langford, Sr., Capt. V. Eastwood, paymaster of the 57th, Lt.-Col. H. C. Greenwood, Major L. M. Hayes, Capt. W. Harold Cluxton, Lieut. R. N. Merritt, Hon. Capt. Rev. Dr. Langfeldt, chaplain of the 3rd Prince of Wales Dragoons; Lt.-Col. J. Z. Rogers, Lt.-Col. A. Stevenson, commanding the 57th Regiment, Lt.-Col. Miller, Lt.-Col. H. C. Rogers, Lieut. Jas. D. Clarke, Lieut. M. Comstock, Lieut. Dr. Cameron, Capt. A. P. McLean, Lieut. J. E. Hodgson, Lieut. Rackham, Capt. R. F. Watt and Mr. F. H. Dobbin.

Mr. T. H. Hooper was the caterer for the occasion, and the others attacked the many good things which he had provided with true military zeal. The menu was an extensive one but the courses gradually fell beneath the determined assaults of the attacking force.

The 57th Band was present and during the repast played a choice programme of music under the direction of Mr. Gliddon. It was an act of courtesy to Col. Miller on the part of the band and was much appreciated by that gentleman and his brother officers.

The Toast List

The toast list that followed was a most enjoyable one. The speeches were bright and interesting and were interspersed with vocal numbers and recitations that were much appreciated by the gathering.

The toast "The King" was enthusiastically honoured, the banquetters rising and heartily singing the National Anthem.

Lieut.-Col. Stevenson in proposing the toast to the guest of the evening explained that the banquet was more in the nature of the expression of the good will of the Regiment to Lt.-Col. Miller than it was in commemoration of the fact that he was retiring from active service. That was the reason that the banquet had been delayed, and not held until a year after Lt.-Col. Miller's retirement. He was sure that the officers of the 57th did not want to lose Lt.-Col. Miller from the mess, and the commanding officer of the 57th went on to pay a most hearty tribute to his predecessor with whom he had been connected for many years in the service. He referred to his military experience in connection with the American civil war, and at the time of the Fenian raid, and pointed out that Col. Miller had been involved in military matters ever since. In concluding his excellent speech Lt.-Col. Stevenson asked Lt.-Col. Miller to accept on behalf of the officers of the 57th, a go ld watch inscribed, "Presented by the officers of the 57th Regt., P. B., to Lt.-Col. Miller, Dec. 15th, 1908." The toast was honoured with the utmost enthusiasm, the officers singing "For He's a Jolly, Good Fellow," and giving three cheers and a tiger for the Colonel.

Col. Miller's Reply

Col. Miller replied to the toast in his usual eloquent manner. He thanked the officers for their kind words and gift, and assured them that as long as he could put on a uniform he wanted to come over and see the 57th drill. He referred to the past record of the Regiment, pointing out that the Peterborough Rangers had had a glorious career, and had never failed to respond when called upon for an extra effort. He had always had a kindly feeling for the officers of the service of the two corps, and during the five years during which he had been in command of the regiment he had received splendid support from them. They had kept their men excellently together, and had shown themselves to be officers and gentlemen. In conclusion he wished them every success.

Capt. W. H. Cluxton was heard to great advantage in a vocal solo, "O Canada," which was much appreciated by the gathering.

Capt. Walker, after referring in eulogistic terms to Col. Miller and his services on behalf of the regiment, gave a recitation that caused much merriment.

Toast to Sister Corps

The next toast honoured was that to "Sister Corps," with which were coupled the names of Lieut.-Col. H. C. Rogers and Hon. Capt. Dr. Langfeldt, of the 3rd Prince of Wales Dragoons. The toast was drunk with enthusiasm.

Lieut.-Col. Rogers, in replying to the toast, gave a brief historical review of military affairs in Peterborough County, from the organization of the first corps in 1837. His address was an interesting one, and contained many reminiscences that were listened to with appreciation by those present, especially the older members of the regiment. Incidentally Lieut.-Col. Rogers paid a hearty tribute to the guest of the evening.

Hon. Capt. Langfeldt, after expressing his pleasure at being present, passed on to refer to Lieut.-Col. Miller, whom he had known for seven years. He was, he said, one of God's noblemen. It was sufficient to say that he was a man. Dr. Langfeldt referred to his pleasant associations with the members of the 57th Regiment, which he had enjoyed while acting as their chaplain. In conclusion, he pointed out that the old generation was passing away and that the great need of every walk of life was to get men to properly fill the places of those who had gone. His eloquent speech made a deep impression upon the gathering.

Capt. Cluxton rendered another song "Girls, Girls, Girls," which was taken as a toast to the ladies and received with enthusiasm.

The Composite Regiment

The toast to the Composite Regiment was next honoured, and in responding Major E. B. Clegg, after paying a tribute to the guest of the evening, stated that the objects to be obtained from the Composite Regiment were undoubtedly of advantage to the city corps. The 57th Regiment had nothing to be ashamed of in connection with the Composite Regiment, inasmuch as at the camp this year, the composite regiment for the Eastern Ontario District was composed entirely of members of the Rangers. He again expressed great regret at Col. Miller's retirement from active service.

Capt. Watt's voice was displayed advantageously in the vocal solo, "The Minstrel Boy," which was well received.

Col. Stevenson proposed an impromptu toast to Lieut.-Col. Greenwood, formerly of the 3rd Prince of Wales Dragoons and an old resident of Peterborough, who has recently returned to Canada from South Africa where he went at the time of the war. In doing so Col. Stevenson referred to Lieut.-Col. Greenwood as one of the best representatives that Canada had ever sent to South Africa.

A South African Veteran

The toast was heartily honoured by the gathering, and in response Lieut.-Col. Greenwood, after thanking the officers of the 57th for their kindness, expressed himself as being glad to be back in Canada again and to visit Peterborough, which he had grown to look upon as his home. He gave a short description of the Engineers' Corps of 900 men, which he had commanded while in South Africa, and his remarks were most interesting.

Col. Miller was heard to advantage in the stirring recitation Glencoe, based on an incident in the South African War, and his effort was loudly applauded.

The toast to the Press was next honoured and was responded to by the representatives present, Messrs. F. H. Dobbin, on behalf of the Review, and F. D. Craig, for the Examiner.

Major Hayes added variety with a comic song that caused much amusement, and Col. H. C. Rogers followed with the song, "Molly Malone," which was received with much applause, the company joining in the chorus.

The toast "The Babies of the Regiment," was received with enthusiasm, and Lieuts. Cameron, Rackham and Carruthers in reply made eloquent speeches, referring to their pleasant associations with the 57th Regiment and with Col. Miller.

Major Hayes proposed a toast to the past and present pay masters of the regiment, and it was heartily honoured.

In reply Major Wm. Langford thanked the officers of the 57th for the honour and referred to the conditions in earlier days, when things were not so pleasant. He also added a tribute to Lieut.-Col. Miller.

Capt. Eastwood, the present paymaster of the regiment, also praised Col. Miller for his services, and referred to the work done by Major Langford, as paymaster. He hoped that he would be enabled to live up to the example set him by his predecessor.

This concluded the toast list and a most enjoyable affair was brought to a close with the singing of "The Bold McIntyre," Auld Lang Syne and the National Anthem.

Last night's affair is probably the last of its kind that will take place in the old drill shed, and this fact was referred to by several of the speakers, who pointed out that they had enjoyed many good times in the old building.

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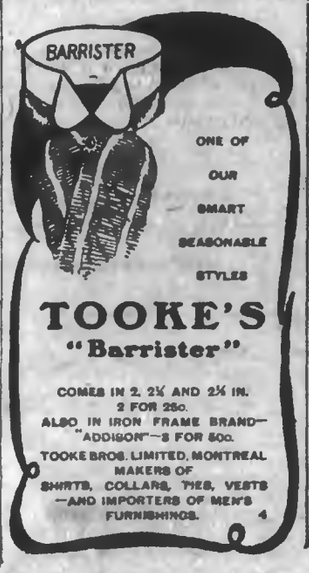

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A DISASTROUS FIRE IN MONTREAL

The Henry Birks Building Suffers Hundred Thousand Loss.

SEVEN PERSONS RESCUED

Six Girls and a Baby Are Taken From Burning Building When Birks' Jewelry Co.'s Headquarters Is Swept by Flames—Many Small Firms Are Heavy Losers by Catastrophe—Loss Is Covered.

Montreal, Dec. 16.—A disastrous fire broke out yesterday afternoon in the Birks' building at the corner of St. Catherine street and Phillips square, the estimated damage being in the vicinity of $100,000.

The building occupies a whole block in the heart of the uptown retail section, and is one of the largest and finest buildings in Montreal. Henry Birks & Sons, the well-known jewelers, occupied the ground floor, and the top story, while Notman, the photographers, occupy a portion of the building.

The fight with the flames was a spectacular one, six employees, all girls, having to be removed from the windows by the firemen, while the little baby of the janitor was carried through the dense smoke.

The fire started in Birks' mail order room and considerable damage was done to the stock by water and smoke.

The insurance, including the building, machinery, stock, etc., was over half a million dollars. This amount is insured in all the companies doing business all over the Dominion. The Royal Insurance Co. carries $50,000, which is the largest amount carried by any one company. The Queen carries $30,000 and the Phoenix of London $45,000. In fact the balance is spread over in amounts of from $5,000 to $40,000 amongst the London and Lancashire, the Northern Union, and Union Assurance Co., the North British Mercantile, the Liverpool, London and Globe, the British America, the Globe, the Alliance, the Phoenix of Brooklyn and the Guardian.

Mr. Notman, when seen last evening, estimates his loss at about $20,000, all of which is covered by insurance.

The history of the firm of H. Birks & Sons is the history of the last half century of Montreal's mercantile life. From a very small beginning the Messrs. Birks opened the present store, which is the finest in Canada and the largest jewelry establishment in America, the floor space being considerably in excess of the famous Tiffany store which is the pride of New York. It is 90 by 200 or 18,000 square feet in all.

The firm has branches in Ottawa, Winnipeg, Vancouver, the Montreal establishment employing 900 hands.

The tenants of the Birks' building were: W. Notman & Sons, Dr. J. M. Jack, Dr. A. D. Amos, the White Dental Manufacturing Co., Ernest A. Cleveland, Waring & Gillies, Limited; Drs. Hamilton and Mathewson, the Carter Crume Co., Limited; Miss E. Christie, dressmaker; J. C. Nichol, J. K. Ferguson, C. M. Morgan, dentist; J. B. Morrison, dentist; H. Ross Matews, dentist; Peter Brown, dentist; A. W. Robinson, civil engineer; W. J. and A. E. Giles, dentists; Wm. Lamb, caretaker, and X. Stutz, tailor.

Bishop's Sermon Causes Trouble.

North Bay, Dec. 16.—French-Canadian members of the Church of St. Mary-on-the-Lake at North Bay, are declared indignant over remarks made by Bishop Scollard in the course of his sermon Sunday morning, when he rebuked several prominent French-Canadian members of the congregation and, it is alleged, made statements which, they declare, might have a tendency to injure their business. One man is said to contemplate action for $25,000 damages.

Castro in Berlin.

Berlin, Dec. 16.—President Castro of Venezuela, who arrived in this city Monday night from Paris, called yesterday morning on Chancellor Von Buelow and Foreign Secretary Von Richoun, leaving his cards.

To Drill For Oil at Welland.

Welland, Ont., Dec. 16.—The Provincial National Gas and Fuel Co. has paid $10,000 for a lease of 5,000 acres of marsh land south of here, and will prospect for oil and gas. They are preparing to drill a well to a depth of 3,300 feet.

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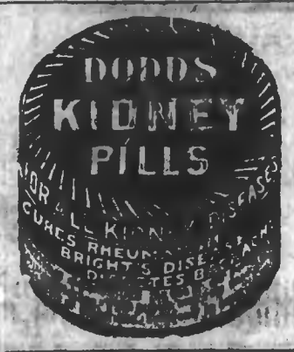

TANK IN COURT.

Hains' Trial Will Be Illustrated by Complete Model.

Flushing, N.Y., Dec. 16.—Completion of a jury to try Thornton J. Hains as a principal in the killing of William E. Annis by Capt. Peter Hains, at the Bayside Yacht Club last summer, was effected yesterday and to-day the state will present its case. Six jurors were chosen Monday, the 12th juror taking his seat shortly before six o'clock last night, when adjournment was taken until to-day.

A feature of the trial will be a tank of water and a model float and catboat in miniature replica of the scene of the shooting, which will be placed on a table in front of the witness stand and iron manikens, representing the principals in the affair, will be moved about in the marine theatre to illustrate actions and positions taken in the tragedy by Hains and the witnesses.

BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

Navigation has closed for the season at the Soo.

R. L. Borden called on Premier Whitney yesterday.

Ald. Daniel Cowper will be a candidate for the Kingston mayoralty.

The body of Chief of Police Biggy of San Francisco, drowned Nov. 30, was found yesterday.

The city of Kingston will open a quarry to provide work for the unemployed during the winter.

A water tank for 100,000 gallons on the roof of the I.C.R. roundhouse at St. John, N.B., collapsed on Sunday night.

The Italian bark Merimett, Captain Branch, reached St. John, N.B., yesterday, after a voyage of a hundred and twenty days from Genoa.

Scotland Yard knows nothing of A. W. Malone, chief of police at Simcoe, who claims to have had service with the Metropolitan Police, London.

The Croziers, father and son, were taken to Toronto yesterday, the son going to the Central Prison and the father continuing east to Kingston. Their parting was most pitiful.

Frontenac County may now go ahead with its good roads scheme. The Government has approved the plans for 104 miles, to cost $160,000, of which the Government pays one-third.

Temperance People Get Set-Back.

Winnipeg, Dec. 16.—So far as evident at midnight last night the local option campaign gives the temperance people a set back relatively three to two. Kildonan reverted to the "wets," the severity of the provisions permitting search for liquor undoubtedly influencing the electors.

Louise, the late Hon. Thos. Greenway's county, which retained local option through years of hard campaigning, has also gone over to the enemy, and in Winchester the result is open to doubt, but favoring the dispensers.

In Emerson option carried by one.

Another Montreal Jewel Robbery.

Montreal, Dec. 16.—A robbery even more daring than that perpetrated opposite the central police station last Friday night, when $1,400 worth of diamonds were stolen, was pulled off last night when, right under the nose of a policeman standing at the busy corner of Craig and Bleury streets, three young fellows smashed the window of Cohen & Co. and made off with a pair of diamond ear-rings valued at $300.

One of the men was captured. The other two got away with the jewels.

Law Fields Toronto Men.

Port Huron, Mich., Dec. 16.—Thos. Oleson, one of the owners of the Canadian Packing Co. of Toronto, which has a branch in this city, known as the Huron Packing Co., was arrested here by immigration officers, charged with having brought eleven men here from Toronto to work in the local plant. He is charged with bringing contract labor into the country.

The local plant has been shut down for some time. The laborers are detained.

Earl Grey, Patron.

Montreal, Dec. 16.—Earl Grey notified the winter carnival committee last night that he would give his patronage to the winter carnival to be held in February, and would attend with his suite in person. This practically assures the success of the carnival. Half the necessary money has been subscribed. The event is to be the largest ever held in Canada.

Killed Felling Tree.

Clinton, Dec. 16.—While felling a tree Donald McKenzie, on the Lake Shore road, was instantly killed yesterday afternoon. The tree split and bounded back, killing him instantly. He was a married man, about 45 years of age, and has a family of three children.

Doctor Gets Life Sentence.

Jackson, Miss., Dec. 16.—Dr. Thos. Binning, slayer last week of Dr. A. B. Pitts, a prominent physician of Hazelhurst, yesterday entered a plea of guilty in accordance with an agreement between counsel and was given a life sentence in the penitentiary.

London Times Apologizes.

Ottawa, Dec. 16.—Hon. S. N. Parent, chairman of the National Transcontinental Railway Commission, received yesterday morning a cable stating that The London Times in response to complaints entered by the commission, has published a retraction of published reports reflecting on the integrity of the commission.

THE CANADIAN NORTHERN BUYING LINE

Canadian Road Said to Be Absorbing Wisconsin Central.

WANT CHICAGO ENTRANCE

Milwaukee Dispatch Says Purchase of Duluth, Rainy River and Winnipeg Railway by Canadian Northern Means That Latter Wants to Gain Access to Chicago to Feed Northwestern Lines.

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 16.—The sale on Monday of the Duluth, Rainy River, and Winnipeg Railway to the Canadian Northern, the deal being closed at Toronto, is believed to be the first step toward the acquisition of the Wisconsin Central Railway by the Canadian Northern.

For the last several months it has been generally reported in Milwaukee, where the Wisconsin Central had its home until lately, that the Wisconsin road was wanted by two railroads and also by the Steel Trust. The Canadian Pacific was said to be after the road, but to have changed its plans to provide for the taking over of the Chicago Great Western. The Canadian Northern, the rival road, which frequently acts through Fernald & Co. of Boston, who swung the purchase of the Wisconsin Central to the Bradford interests of Cincinnati, was said to be negotiating for control of the trans-Wisconsin.

The Chicago terminal contract of the Wisconsin Central was said to be one of the objects of the Canadian lines, which needed a Chicago entrance to feed their northwestern lines. The Canadian Northern report, however, was discredited by the fact that the Canadian road had no inlet to Duluth. The purchase of the Duluth-Winnipeg road, however, gives the Canadian Northern connection with the Wisconsin Central at Duluth and by the purchase of the Wisconsin almost an air line to Chicago.

George J. Gould, at the last Wisconsin Central meeting, became a director of the line, and it is said here, though without definite knowledge, that in him the men controlling the Canadian Northern have already a friend on the Wisconsin Central directorate. The purchase of the Wisconsin Central by the Canadian Northern, however, is rather a Wall Street deal than an outright purchase.

Coal Won't Last Long.

New York, Dec. 16.—That the entire coal supply of the Pennsylvania coal fields will be exhausted in 84 years was a prediction yesterday by Prof. William Griffith, a mining expert of Scranton, Pa., at the hearing of the Government suit against the anthracite coal-carrying roads for alleged illegal combination in restraint of trade.

Prof. Griffith estimated the total available supply of anthracite for shipment in 1908 at 2,229,201,650 tons, and said that at the present rate of consumption the supply would be used up in 1932.

Ontario Power Pipe Line.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Dec. 16.—The Ontario Power Co. is preparing plans for the construction of a new pipe line to increase its capacity of electric power by 65,000 horse-power. Work will be commenced early in the spring.

The work is made necessary to handle the contract with the Hydro-Electric Commission. The tunnel will be of steel, lined with concrete and be 30 feet in diameter and three-quarters of a million dollars. With the new line the company will be able to develop 180,000 horse-power.

Rockefeller's Huge Gift.

Cleveland, Dec. 16.—John D. Rockefeller says he is unable to understand why the newspapers are directing attention to his proposed establishment of a $50,000,000 fund for the education of orientals in the Far East.

"It will take years to obtain the necessary legislation to accomplish the ends attributed to me, and it is much too early to make a public announcement at this time," he said.

Jealous Republics.

Rio Janiero, Dec. 16.—The relations existing between Brazil and the Argentine are distinctly strained as a result of the jealousy over the alleged activities of each country in the matter of increasing its naval force.

The incident of the official telegrams said to have been intercepted and published by an ex-Cabinet Minister of the Argentine's adds to the ill-feeling, which shows no signs of decreasing.

France Buys Railways.

Montreal, Dec. 16.—Lt. Col. Frank Meighen, who has just returned from Europe, declares that state ownership of railways is fast becoming a reality in France, as the Government of the republic, believing in the policy of state-owned roads, is rapidly buying up all the railways in the country.

No Reduction In Brockville.

Brockville, Dec. 16.—At the last meeting of the Town Council last night the Brockville Ministerial Association asked for a reduction in the number of liquor licenses from 9 to 6.

It was deemed advisable to pass the matter on to the incoming council.

Last Boat of Season.

Port Dalhousie, Dec. 16.—Word was received yesterday that the steamer Rosedale would arrive at the canal about Thursday evening with a part cargo of wheat for Hamilton. She is discharging part of her load at Sarnia. She will be the last boat to come through the canal this season.

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Cage the Dangerous Ones.

Kingston, Dec. 16.—The coroner's inquest, sitting to enquire into the death of Samuel Stevenson, the asylum keeper struck on the head with a hammer in the hands of Albert Benn, a patient, recommended that the Government should provide a suitable place for the care of patients with marked homicidal tendencies, and that in the meantime they should not be allowed to mingle with other classes of patients, as is now permitted.

Port Arthur Still Open.

Port Arthur, Dec. 16.—The steamer Moore arrived yesterday afternoon from Duluth with passengers and freight and will clear at daylight. She is scheduled to make three more trips to the end of December.

The tug Whalen leaves to-day to pick up light house keepers along the north shore.

Russia's Oil Supply.

New York, Dec. 16.—Vice-President John D. Archbold, active head of the Standard Oil Co., testifying yesterday in the Government suit for the dissolution of that corporation, said that the supply of oil in this country was steadily decreasing, while it was steadily increasing in Russia.

Indian Team For Bisley.

Ottawa, Dec. 16.—The secretary of the Dominion Rifle Association has a letter from India asking how much it cost Canada to send a team to Bisley. The Indian Government want to send a team from the various presidencies and states. The information is being forwarded.

Fire at the Falls.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Dec. 16.—Fire yesterday morning did $1,000 damage to the house of Joshua Johnson, on Peer street. Mr. Johnson claims it was of incendiary origin.

Sixteen Hunters Killed.

Augusta, Me., Dec. 16.—Sixteen accidental deaths may fairly be charged to the big game hunting season in Maine, which closed last night.

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The transfer books will be closed from the 20th to the 31st. day of Dec. 1908, both days inclusive.
By order of the board,
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THE EXAMINER'S SPORTING PAGE

Running Athletics Hockey

DORANDO RUN OFF HIS FEET; COLLAPSES NEAR THE FINISH OF RACE WITH TOM LONGBOAT

Italian Runner Leads at Start of the Matched Marathon in New York, But Canadian Indian Proves to Be the Better Runner and Finishes Strong—Dorando Goes Twenty-Five Miles and Three Laps.

New York, Dec. 16.—As on that memorable occasion of his first Olympic, Dorando Pietri collapsed within sight of the goal last night, and Tom Longboat, the Canadian Indian runner, who had been led by a yard or more nearly all the way, won the Marathon race at Madison Square Garden last night.

The race was hard-fought from start to finish, and kept the thousands of spectators in wild excitement. At twenty-five miles Dorando was leading by two yards. A moment before Longboat had made a remarkable spurt and put *himself* on an even footing with the little Italian. Dorando immediately regained first position, and the men were fighting it out in the twenty-sixth mile, with Dorando in the lead, but visibly weaker. The chances of Longboat appeared to improve in the second and third laps. In the fourth lap, while the crowd was crying itself hoarse, both men slackened perceptibly. Then suddenly Dorando staggered and dropped, Longboat finishing alone. His time for the distance of twenty-six miles 385 yards was 2.45.05 2-5.

The Marathon fever drew a gathering of over 11,000 persons to the Garden, and many men and women were fighting for admission at 9 o'clock, when the race was scheduled to begin.

By order of the fire department, the doors of the Garden were closed as the race started. The four or five thousand persons who had been unable to obtain admission, though many of them were ticket-holders, created so much disturbance that police reserves were sent to the scene. These finally restored order.

The race started at 9.11 o'clock. Longboat won the toss and took the pole position. Dorando jumped into the lead and set a steady pace, with the Indian a few feet back. Both were running easily, but at a good clip.

The first mile was made in 5.14 1-2, Dorando leading by two yards.

Longboat took the lead early in the third mile, but held it for three laps only. Dorando letting out a link in his speed and running around the Canadian. Dorando then continued in the lead, and at the finish of the tenth mile was running at a steady, fast gait, two yards ahead of his opponent. The time for the ten miles was 58 minutes 57 seconds, which is 1 minute 9 2-5 seconds faster than the time made in the Hayes-Dorando race for the distance.

THE WINNER.

Longboat showed signs of fatigue in the seventeenth mile, but kept on doggedly within striking distance of the Indian. In the twentieth mile Longboat shot ahead and dropped into a natural lope, which kept him in the lead for five yards. Then Dorando, amid wild cheers, forged ahead. In the second lap of the twenty-fourth mile Dorando regained his advantage. Both men moved more slowly and showed weariness. In the beginning of the twenty-sixth mile Longboat sprinted, and the Italian went to the rear. In the middle of the mile, and when a quarter of a lap behind, Dorando fell to the track, and it was necessary to pick him up and carry him to his dressing-room.

DORANDO BLAMES LONGBOAT FOR TRIPPING; TOM SINGS "MARCHING THROUGH GEORGIA"

Examiner Special.

New York, N.Y., Dec. 16. — Tom Longboat says: "Dorando is a great runner and ran a good game race, but collapsed the same way he did in England. I knew I had him after the sixteenth mile. I passed Dorando when and where I liked. He never passed me till I let him. When Flanagan thought I needed encouragement he brought my sweetheart to the trackside." Longboat entered the dressing room singing "Marching through Georgia," without a patch of skin on either foot from the toe to heel.

Dorando says: "Longboat threw out his leg and tripped me when I tried to pass him. I fell on my hip on the rail and could not get up. I wasn't tired at all and I watched Longboat and saw he was very tired. I will run him again to-morrow or any time. He won by fouling me."

Y.M.C.A. TRACK AND FIELD CLUB— C.A.A.U. CHAMPIONS MAY BE HERE

The year the Y. M. C. A. intends putting more time to the promotion of good clean athletics in this city, and on thursday night a meeting will be held in the Y. M. C. A. parlours at 7.30 sharp for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year. It is likely that a constitution will be drawn up and every member who is interested in Athletics is asked to attend this meeting.

Some of the boys are already looking forward to the Canadian track and field spring championship and also the Dunlop Trophy for the long distance men. A suggestion was made by one present that an endeavour should be made to have the championship meet held in this city. There is no doubt that if the Canadian championships were held here it would do a lot to increase interest in athletics and would give the people of Peterborough an opportunity to see Canadian Champions in action.

Come to this meeting prepared to offer any suggestions and be ready to help in the work of the club and make it an organization worthy of the name.

BANKERS HAVE INCREASED LEAD IN THE P.B.C. BOWLING LEAGUE

The Bankers sprung a sensation on the bowling fraternity last night, when they wrested three straight games from the Belmonts in the league series of the P. B. C. The winners greatly strengthened their hold on first place, having a record of eleven wins and only one loss. Two of the three games were of the closest and most exciting nature, but the second contest was an easy one for the bankers, who beat out their opponents in this event by 86 pins. In the other two games fourteen and fifteen pins, respectively, separated the rivals at the finish.

The Belmonts showed little of their real form, their scores being exceptionally small throughout. Ferguson, of the Bankers, was in exceptionally good form, and put in a big 505 as his portion, Barber being second, 31 pins behind, just one pin below Wareham, who had second high score of the evening.

In the second game of the double-header, the Iroquois took two from the Frontenacs, after losing the opening game of the series. Gutterson and Berrette made their debut with the Frontenacs, and they fought it out for high score for their team, Berrette having a four pin advantage at the finish, with a score of 442, which just tied Martin, who was high man for the Iroquois.

There will be no league game to-night, but to-morrow night the Midgets and Pacifics will meet while Friday evening will see a meeting of the Examiner B and Lock Works. On Saturday Hutch will attempt to lower the colours of the Examiner A championship aspirants.

The scores follow:

Iroquois.			
Adams	117	177	139—433
Stroud	129	151	148—428
Martin	121	148	173—442
Totals	367	476	450—1293
Frontenacs.			
Berrette	134	145	163—442
Gutterson	132	149	157—438
Lang	118	121	111—350
Totals	384	415	431—1230
Belmonts.			
Pollard	142	136	140—418
Tanney	138	110	137—385
Wareham	151	136	138—425
Totals	431	382	415—1228
Bankers.			
Ferguson	150	194	161—505
Barber	148	139	137—424
Ford	142	235	132—409
Totals	440	468	430—1338

PETERBORO' INTERMEDIATES GROUPED WITH THREE OLD RIVAL TEAMS

The grouping of all three series in the O.H.A. was done last night at a meeting of the executive held in Toronto at which Dr. A W MacPherson, of Peterborough was present.

Peterborough has been placed in a splendid group in the intermediate series and will fight it out this season with Cobourg, Belleville and Lindsay. The convener of the group is T J Turpin, Cobourg, and the delegates will meet in Port Hope to draw up the schedule, the meeting to be held as soon as possible. It should be a great race between the four clubs for the championship of this district.

The junior group is not by any means as satisfactory inasmuch as the local kids are grouped with the four Lakeshore towns, Port Hope, Cobourg, Oshawa and Whitby. The train connections between Peterborough and those places is very bad, especially in the case of the last two, but it was apparently the only course that the O.H.A. could have done, unless they had given Peterborough a bye for the first round and allowed the other four teams to fight it out.

O. McMillan, of Port Hope is the convener of the district which will meet at Port Hope.

LONGBOAT DEMONSTRATES THAT HE SHOULD HAVE WON OLYMPIC MARATHON

It's hats off to Tom Longboat today.

The speedy redskin brought home the bacon last night in his race with Dorando in New York City, and thereby demonstrated to the world that had he been right in England the Olympic Marathon championship would have rested in Canada and not in the land of Uncle Sam, where the last two professional races in New York have shown that it does not properly belong. Hayes, awarded the first place in the Olympic Marathon, is easily beaten by Dorando, and then Tom Longboat comes along and takes the Italian into camp. If Jas. E. Sullivan can explain that dope he is a good one. Longboat's victory last night will be gladly acclaimed all over Canada, for he has once more won laurels for the athletic life of this country.

Dorando has nothing to be ashamed in his showing. The time was not as fast as in this recent race with Hayes, and it would look as if the Italian pastry cook had been attending too many banquets since that event. Otherwise his collapsing in slower time than he negotiated the distance before, is hard to explain, unless it was that he was forced along at too rapid a pace in the early stages.

PRACTICE HOURS AT THE RINK WHEN THE TEAMS HAVE WORKOUT

Below will be found a list of the practices of the local hockey clubs for the coming season. It will be noticed that there are a number of hours still open which may be secured by clubs who have not yet arranged for practice hours.

Monday:
6-6, Peterborough Collegiate Institute.
6-7, George street Sunday School.
7-8, Peterborough O.H.A. Teams.
9.30-10.30, Mercantile League.

Tuesday:
6-6, Rough Riders.
6-7, Cressman's Counter Hoppers.
7-8, Strathcona's City League team.
10-11 (open).

Wednesday:
5-6 (open).
6-7, Belmont's City League team.
7-8, Peterborough O.H.A. teams.
10-11 (Open).

Thursday:
7-8, City League Juniors.
8-10, City League Seniors.

Friday:
5-6 (open).
6-7 (Open).
7-8, T.A.S. Athletic Club's City League Team.
10-11, (Open).

Saturday:
5-6, Rough Riders.
6-7, Chieftains.
7-8 (Open).
10-11 (Open).

A CITY HOCKEY LEAGUE MEETING TO-NIGHT

A meeting of the City Hockey League will be held this evening at the Y.M.C.A. at 7.30 o'clock. A representative from each club is requested to be on hand, as business of importance, including two or three amendments, will be considered. A deputation from the Junior City League will be present to submit a proposition regarding playing their games and financing their league.

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HOCKEY

Fred Whiterott is evidently bound to give Edmonton the strongest team that money can produce. A despatch from Edmonton to-day states that Lester Patrick, the former star Montreal hockey player, has been signed, and will join the team at Winnipeg. Steve Vair, the Barrie player, has been released and the team will consist of Lindsay, Hugh Ross, Patrick, Pitre, McNamara, Tom Phillips and Whiterott.

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"Go out and buy a team and get the Minto Cup," was evidently the order issued to Manager Whiterott at Edmonton this fall. And Whit. has "went and bought. He has gathered them in from Montreal to Vancouver, and the only reason he didn't go further is that those are the limits of first-class hockey. Look at the bunch he has bought: Phillips, Vancouver; Pitre, Montreal; Vair, Barrie; Lindsay, Toronto; Hall, Winnipeg. He comes from Peterborough himself, so the only thing on the team that belongs to Edmonton are the sticks and uniforms—and come to think of it, they were imported too.—Toronto Telegram.

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The Fort Williams, the newly organized senior hockey team, held a practice at the Arena rink last night. About fifteen players were out in uniform.

Lightfoot, of last year's Wanderers, showed his usual good form, and Renton, of Peterborough, did good work. He is a good stick handler.

Wilson, McDonald, Marshall and Montgomery Russell, of the city league teams, were among the number practising.—Fort Williams Times.

Sporting Comment

The Italians' battle cry "On! on! Dago." did not prevent the Onondaga winning.

WRESTLING.

Youssuff Mahmout, the big Bigarian, who put it over Yankee Rogers at Montreal some weeks ago, is evidently some wrestler. Last week at Chicago he beat Fred Beell in straight falls, and never was in any danger while doing it.

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For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	12.35 a.m.
Going West	**Leave Peterborough**
For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	8.55 a.m.
For Burketon, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	7.50 a.m.
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points	4.35 p.m.

GRAND TRUNK.

	Arrive Depot
Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Georgian Bay, Smith's Falls, Brockville and Toronto	11.00 a.m., 8.40 a.m.; 3.55 p.m., 11.25 a.m.
Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	3.55 p.m., 9.05 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago, Niagara Falls, Wingham, Palmerston, Parry Sound, Montreal and East	8.40 p.m. 10.05 a.m.
Toronto, Lindsay, Bracebridge, Orillia and Midland	11.00 a.m., 7.10 a.m.; 3.55 p.m., 11.25 a.m.; 10.10 p.m., 12.05 p.m.
Lindsay Local	9.05 a.m., 9.05 p.m.
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	3.55 a.m., 8.40 a.m.; 3.55 p.m., 11.25 a.m.
Lakefield and Stony Lake	10.00 a.m., 8.40 a.m.; 6.10 p.m., 12.05 p.m.

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Maccabees' Meeting

Peterborough Tent, No. 89, K.O.T.M., will meet to-night in the Foresters' Hall, George street, when the election of officers will take place.

At St. Andrew's

—Prayer meeting will be held to-night at eight o'clock at St. Andrew's Church, and a Communicant's class from 7.15 to 8 in the manse.

Literary Society

—The regular fortnightly meeting of the Ladies' Literary society of St. Peter's T.A.S., will be held on Friday evening, when a paper will be read by Miss Alice Maloney. 3d

Maccabees' to-night

—The regular meeting, which takes place to-night, will be of more than ordinary interest, as the election of officers will take place, besides other important business.

Old Fire Brigade

—A meeting of the members of the old Fire Brigade will be held to-night at 8 o'clock in their hall on Simcoe street. Every member is earnestly requested to be present.

City and Country Life

—The Y.M.U.A. Debating Club will hold its meeting to-night. The debate is entitled, "Resolved that city life has advantages over country life." The leaders are Messrs. Norman Laing and Bruce Hunter.

Is Your Piano in Tune?

—The change of season affects pianos as well as everything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano-maker and tuner, with 26 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Factory Sold

—It was learned to-day that the Beaubert cheese factory had been purchased by Mr. Abbott of the Mining Link Factory. This is one of the best on the Peterborough Board and a good price is mentioned in connection with the sale.

A Valuable Team

—Mr. John Jonston, of Peterborough, has purchased a valuable team of horses from Mr. W. J. Scollard, of Ennismore, the price being paid the very handsome one of $350. Mr. Johnston has sent the team back to his lumber camp, and states that there is no load too heavy for them. 1dlw

Christmas Cards and Calendars

—This season's collection of artistic Christmas calendars, gem leaflets and cards are in large display at the Peterborough Bookstore. They embody the charm of novelty and superiority of production, and excel all successful efforts of previous years. Many of the series of reproductions of famous masterpieces, are from Raphael Tuck & Co., of New York.

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WEDDING BELLS

ANDERSON—JARVIS

A quiet wedding was solemnized by Rev. J. G. Potter, at St. Andrew's manse, on Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 15th, 1908, when Miss Ruby Jarvis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jarvis, of Lakefield, became the wife of Mr. Daniel James Anderson, of Otonabee. The bride was attended by Miss Pearl Anderson, sister of the groom, while Mr. Andrew Brotherson supported the groom. The happy young couple will reside on Concession street.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

THE EXAMINER welcomes all items of interest for this column. Phone 366 or send post card with name and address.

Mr. John Hull, of Lakefield, was in the city this morning.

Miss Grace Shindon, of Lakefield, is visiting friends in the city.

Mr. C Atwood, of Lakefield, was in the city this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Bissell, of Lakefield, were in the city to-day.

Mr. B Church, of Lakefield, was a visitor here to-day.

Miss Nellie Riley left this morning for Buffalo, N.Y.

Mrs. J. W. Mally, 372 Bownle street, will not receive again until after New Year.

Mr and Mrs. Henry Boulter celebrated their golden wedding last night, at the fireplace of their daughter, Mrs. Bernard Saunders, Jr., 53 Walmer Road. There were present besides their three sons, Mr. John H. Boulton, of Brampton; Mr. George Boulter and Mr. Henry C. Boulter, of Toronto, with their wives and twenty-one grandchildren. Others present included Mrs. W. Meldrum and Miss Meldrum, of Peterborough; Mrs. W Tanner, of Guelph; Mr. and Mrs. B Maxwell, and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Saunders, Sr., the parents of their daughter's husband, who celebrated their golden wedding four years ago. The rooms were beautifully decorated with golden chrysanthemums, roses and ferns, and thirty sat down to a late supper, where the table decorations were in gold with yellow chrysanthemums.—Toronto News.

Grand Opera House, to-night, Partello Stock Company in the "Postmaster's Daughter."

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CELEBRATED ITS BIRTHDAY

The Lethbridge Daily Herald is a lusty, well nourished yearling, with the brand of enterprise on its flank. "Billy"—in the directing and at the foot of a cheque, W. A. Buchanan, a former Peterborough boy and newspaper man, is managing director and editor of the Daily Herald, is making it go. It is a bright, newsy sheet, well filled with live advertising, and in its make up and general character vividly reflects the breezy progressiveness of the west. On Friday last the Herald celebrated its first birth day. It began life as a weekly three years ago, with a staff of two; to-day it has sixteen employees on its payroll of $1,200 per month, or $15,000 per year. Those who know Mr. Buchanan, his enterprise and ability, are not surprised at the Herald growing and thriving under his management. The first birth day was celebrated on Friday, December 11th, the management giving the employees a banquet. The book of the banquet is quite a triumph of the typographical art, illustrated with a pa ;icture of the staff, and a cut of the Herald building. It, as the Herald itself, bears the stamp of prosperity. The Examiner congratulates the Herald on the auspicious occasion, and includes Mr. Buchanan, who is another example of Peterborough boys "making good."

See Renolds, the Electric Fire Dancer, with the Partello Stock Co., Grand Opera House to-night. 1d

LIFT LOCK TENT K.O.T.M. HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

Officers Elected on Monday Night for Coming Year.

At the regular meeting of Lift Lock Tent, No. 16, Knights of the Maccabees of the World, which was held on Monday night, the following officers were elected:

Com.—W. M. Mitchell.
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R. K. and F. K.—J. J. Titterson.
M. at Arms—A. Temple.
Chap.—P. King.
Serg.—A. M. Fletcher.
Phys.—Dr. Leach.
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2nd Guard—R. Walton.
Sent.—F. Coates.
Pick.—G. Stewart.

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(a) Authorized Capital $2,000,000 in $1.00 shares; Treasury 500,000 shares

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(e) Shaft down 80 feet and development work being pushed vigorously.

(f) Five favourable reports in prospectus—three from reliable mining engineers.

(g) Directors: President, J. W. Garvin, B. A., of Peterboro' and Toronto; Vice-President, E. S. Edmondson, Esq., General Manager of West Toronto and Oshawa Electric Power Companies; Sec-Treas., D. A. McPherson, M.D. Toronto; J. H. McKnight, Esq., President of J.H. McKnight Construction Company, Ltd., Toronto; Charles Salkeld, Esq., Cobalt, and Charles Holt, Esq., Solicitor, London, England.

(h) No promotion stock. Original owners amalgamated their properties into a joint stock company.

(i) Directors own 884,500 shares; two Directors were among the original owners of the claims; the other four purchased their stock.

(j) First 100,000 shares of Treasury stock offered at the nominal price of 20c. a share.

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(Furnished by J. N. Barber.)

	Opening	Closing
A.C.P.	88⅞	88⅞
Atch	97⅞	97⅞
B.R.T.	56⅛	57⅛
C.P.R.	176	177
Erie	34⅞	34⅞
Great Northern	145	145⅛
L.N.	—	—
Mo. Pac.	64	65⅛
Northern Pacific	142	142⅞
N.Y.C.	131	131⅛
Penna	130	130
R.I.	139⅛	140⅞
Rdg.	85⅞	86⅛
Southern	34⅛	35
Soo	130⅛	132⅛
St. Paul	148⅛	149⅛
S.P.	119⅞	121⅛
U.P.	182⅛	183
U.S.	53⅞	54⅛
U.S. p.fd.	114⅛	117⅞
Twin City	94⅛	94⅛
Nipissing	10⅛	10⅛
May Wheat	106⅛	108⅛
" Corn	61⅛	61⅞
May Oats	53⅞	55⅛
" Pork	16.05	16.02

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PROGRESS OF THE KEENE CHEESE FACTORY

Annual Meeting Held—$400,000 Worth of Cheese in 28 Years.

The first annual meeting of the Keene Dairy Company and the 28th annual meeting of the Keene cheese factory, was held on December 8th, at Mather's Corners.

In reviewing the work of the past 28 years it was found that the sales of cheese amounted to over $400,000, and that the business was increasing to the individual patron. Nine years ago 93 patrons produced some $300 less cheese than 69 did during the present year.

The following statement shows the excellent results obained during the past year:

Milk received, lbs., 1,587,798.
Milk received, standards, 530.
Cheese, lbs., 144,603
Value of cheese, $17,187,.18.
Value of whey, $365.00.
Interest, $89.70.
Total value, $17,541.88.
Expenses, mfg., etc., $2,892.06.
Net to patrons, $14,649.82.
Average patron's standard, 27.67.
Av. patron's lbs. butter fat, 26.96.
Av. lbs. milk to 1 lb of cheese, 10.98.
Av. lbs. cheese 1 lb. butter fat, 2.66.
Average price cheese, 11.88.
Average test, 3.42.
Dec. 1, balance in bank, $9,678.96.

Messrs. Peter Drummond, president, and John McFarlane, secretary, were re-elected.

Grand Opera House, to-night, Partello Stock Company, in the "Postmaster's Daughter."

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PROBS—Strong easterly winds, snow or rain to-day and for a part of Friday.

Christmas Leaders

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3 large White Frills, regularly sold at 15c per frill, in fancy box.
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Our 10ch wide Dresden Ribbons for fancy work, regular 12½c per yard.
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LATEST NEWS FROM THE CAPITAL

Seeking a Senatorship—The Immense Grain Movement of the Season—The Old International Boundary Dispute Revived—British Columbia's Cabinet Representation.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Ottawa, Dec. 17.—Senator Wm. Gibson and Mr. W. O. Seeley, M.P., waited on Sir Wilfrid Laurier yesterday to urge the appointment of Mr. Adam Zimmerman, ex-M.P. of Hamilton, to the Senate vacancy caused by the death of the late Senator Merner of Berlin.

The close of navigation brings the interesting information that over 48,000,000 bushels of wheat of the crop of 1908 passed Winnipeg before the last boats went out. Shipments for the last week of open water reached the enormous total of 5,103,007 bushels. The entire movement of wheat for this season leaves all other years many miles behind.

A. P. Barnhill and John Keefe have been appointed Canadian Commissioners to deal with the Intercolonial question of observations in the St. John River, where it forms the boundary between New Brunswick and Maine. Hon. H. A. McKeown and Hon W. H. Jones, members of the late provincial government, have been appointed counsel for Canada.

The representation of British Columbia in the Cabinet is the principal political topic in the ante-sessional period. It is undoubtedly the desire of the Premier to retain the services of his colleague, Hon. Mr. Templeman, but the difficulty is that he cannot retain his portfolio without being provided with a seat. Mr. Ralph Smith, Liberal member for Nanaimo, is anxious for Cabinet preference, but the rank and file of the party in the province want Mr. Templeman retained. He was beaten by only a narrow majority, and the election is contested. In a by-election Mr Templeman will undoubtedly be returned. How to bridge over the interim, so that his services may be retained for the government, is a somewhat puzzling problem.

Hear Musical Eddie Paul at the "Grand" to-night with the Partello Stock Company. Prices 10-20-30-50c

INQUEST TO RESUME TO-NIGHT

Evidence Will be Heard Touching the Sudden Death of Edward O'Brien.

The inquest into the causes of the death of Edward O'Brien, of Douro, who died on his way home from the city on Saturday night last will be resumed to-night at 7.30 o'clock in the city council chambers, when the evidence will be heard. The report of the autopsy which was performed on Monday by Dr. Young will be given. Evidence will be heard from the two men who were with the deceased on Saturday night.

Grand Opera House to-night, the Partello Stock Company, in "The Girl of Eagle Ranch" Prices 10-20-30-50c

THE POST OFFICE STAFF INCREASED

Two Men Have Been Added to Handle Christmas Mail.

Foreseeing a heavy Christmas mail the post office staff has been augmented by the addition of two extra men, who will help in the handling of the large amount of mail that is expected within the next ten days or two weeks. It may be that one of them will be put on outside work if necessary. Hundreds of pounds of mail will pass through the post office, and during the Christmas days the office will be overburdened with work. It is to give the citizens a prompt service that the staff has been enlarged.

Keep Warm This Winter

Now that the cold days are here you should provide yourself with a Chamois Vest.
This is the most comfortable thing you can wear, especially driving, as it keeps out the wind and protects the lungs.
All sizes for ladies and gentlemen.

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WAR DECLARED AGAINST HOLLAND BY VENEZUELA IN VIEW OF A VESSEL CAPTURE

J. N. Barber, (Special)

Washington, D.C., Dec. 17.—(United Press Despatch).—Venezuela has declared war against Holland, according to advices received at the State Department to-day. This news is contained in a despatch from Secretary Paxton Hibbin, Secretary of the Legation at Bogota, Colombia. He states that the Colombian Minister of Foreign Affairs has received the following telegram from Caracas, dated December 14th, 1908: "In view of the blockage established and the capture of the blockade of a Venezuelan vessel, the head of the government at Venezuela, after assuming extraordinary powers for the defence of the country, has declared a estate of war."

PARENTS OF ARTHUR HANNING SEND THANKS TO THOSE WHO ARRANGED FOR HIS INTERMENT

Mr. Jas. Skippen Receives Letter After Considerable Delay—The Young Man Was Drowned in the River Below St. Railway Wharf.

GRATEFUL TO THE S. O. E.

Mr. James Skippen has received a letter from Mr. W. M. Hanning, of Manchester, the father of Arthur Hanning the young man who was drowned about six weeks ago, a short distance below the street railway wharf. Mr. Skippen met with considerable delay in trying to find the address of the parents of the unfortunate boy and it was only after many letters to people who had known him, that he at last received the desired information.

A few days ago the following reply came to him:

76 Cromwell Avenue, Whalley Range, Manchester, Nov. 30, 1908.

Dear Sir,—I hope you will pardon me for not answering before this, but it was owing to your letter and newspaper clippings having been sent to a relative for perusal, and not returned to me until to-day, that a delay was caused. It came as a great shock to my wife and I, on receiving from you the confirmation of my son's accident.

I thank you for your kind sympathy and thoroughly appreciate your great kindness for what you have done. I am also grateful to Mr. Bailey and the Sons of England for their kind and generous help. If you succeed in getting any money that was due to Arthur, you might hand it to the Sons of England Society.

If there are any letters left by Arthur I should esteem it a favour if you will forward them to me.

My wife unites with me in thanking you for all the trouble you have taken.

Yours sincerely,
WM. A. HANNING.

WM. RATTRAY, BASEBALL CATCHER, ARRESTED IN TORONTO FOR THEFT OF $683 FROM LOCAL HOTELMAN

Wm. Rattray who will be remembered by local baseball fans as the catcher of the Athletics Midland League team and who has played for the Peterborough team for several years was arrested yesterday in his home in Dovercourt Road, Toronto, by Detective Geo. Guthrie on a charge of of stealing over $683 from Ms. Martin Connors proprietor of the City Hotel and will be brought to Peterborough to-day for trial. P. C. Newhall went up to Toronto this morning and will bring his man down this afternoon.

The theft occurred some months ago and the police have been after Rattray ever since. Mr. Connors had drawn a sum of money from the bank for the purpose of cashing some of the C G E pay checks. The money was left in a drawer in the bar and next morning it was gone. Rattray who had been seen in the city the day before and who was not to be found next morning was at once suspected and the local police were notified. He had left the city by that time and Chief Rossel at once wired the Toronto authorities giving them a description of Rattray but he seemed to have mysteriously disappeared and the police were unable to find him. There was a humour that he had gone to Chicago and Chief Rossel notified the authorities in that city, but they were unable to find any trace of the missing man, of whom nothing was heard until his arrest in Toronto yesterday. He will likely appear before the Magistrate to-morrow morning for a preliminary hearing.

Scarltaina Cases Concealed
A Menace To Public Health

One of the evils which the authorities cannot deal with and which is largely responsible for the spreading of scarlet fever is the concealing of it when it appears in a mild form. A medical man, speaking to a reporter this morning, said that this fever is found in three forms. There is scarlatine simplex, the mildest form and the most malignant type, with another that is intermediate between these two. The first is commonly called scarlatina and it is known that there are people who, when this breaks out in the family, conceal it, saying thatt if a physician is called in he will order the house placarded. They go about their daily work just the same as usual, and very likely will carry the fever to another in whom it may rage in the most malignant form, with the chance of recovery very small.

The doctor said that persons such as these do not realize the danger they are carrying around with them when they try to evade calling in a doctor to treat scarlatina. Because he may order the house quarantined as a protection to those who are not immune to the disease.

Young Man Convicted Of Beating His Mother Is Fined By Magistrate

At police court this morning a young man was charged with the somewhat unusual offence of assaulting his mother and as a result was fined $5 by City Clerk Armstrong, who occupied the bench in the absence of Magistrate Dumble. The young man pleaded not guilty.

His mother, however, swore that he came home in a state of intoxication yesterday and when she had reproached him about it he had denied that he had been drinking. She had called him a drunken beast whereupon he had struck her, knocking her back against the wall and beating her in the face. "I believe he would have killed me if the neighbours had not come to my rescue" said the poor woman to the Magistrate.

A woman who lives near the complainant testified that she had heard the young man using bad language and had then heard his mother scream and she had gone to the rescue. She had seized the defendant's arm and separated the two.

"I don't know why you pleaded not guilty in the face of such facts," remarked the Magistrate, "Unless you were ashamed to admit that you had been beating your own mother."

He inflicted a fine of $5 to be paid in ten days with the alternative of ten days in gaol, and at the request of Chief Rossel put the young man on the black list.

Herman Zack, one of the local Jewish colony, was charged with peddling without a license and was called into the box by the Chief to give evidence. He denied that he had been peddling. He simply delivered goods for which orders had been sent to his place of business. His brother who had a license was a peddler, but he had not done anything of the kind.

The case was dismissed.

JUST RECEIVED

A large consignment of Ebony Hair Brushes, Bonnet Brushes, Mirrors, etc., direct from the manufacturer. This enables us to sell these goods at greatly reduced prices. Come—price them and be convinced.

We have a large assortment of Xmas goods, too numerous to mention.

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Brush and Comb Cases.
Shaving Outfits.
Manicure Outfits.
Perfume in Cut Glass Bottles.
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Ebony Mirrors.
Ebony Cloth Brushes.
Military Brushes.
Smokers Sets.
Hot Water Bottles.
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THE SAFE, SATISFACTORY DRUGGISTS
The Corner Where the Street Car Turns
COR. GEORGE AND CHARLOTTE STS.

THE Y.M.C.A. DIRECTORS MAKE PREPARATIONS

Annual Meeting to be Held on Jan. 12—A Nominating Committee.

At a meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Board of Directors held on Tuesday night a nominating committee consisting of Mr. J J Hewden, Dr. Middleton and Mr. W D Campbell was appointed to nominate directors to fill the vacancies on the Board at the annual meeting on Tuesday, Jan. 12th. The terms of six directors expire at that time but of course any or all of these may be re-elected.

A committee consisting of Messrs. J O Shook, J J Hewden and C E Stinson was appointed to prepare the annual reports and to make arrangements for the annual meeting. Messrs. G M Roger and B F Ackerman were chosen a committee to look into the constitution with a view to submitting amendments, if any be deemed necessary, at the annual meeting.

Good skating at Brook Street Rink to-night. Ice in excellent condition.

A Few More Days — Then Christmas.

SIGNET RINGS

The ever increasing popularity of the Signet Ring for ladies and gentlemen has led us into devoting much time and attention to the gathering together of our Christmas assortment. It is now complete.

A few other Xmas hints for "Him" are:

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Lockets from	1.50 to	25.00
Umbrellas from	3.50 to	10.00
Shaving Sets "	2.50 to	10.00
Fobs from	.50 to	27.00
Wallets from	1.00 to	6.00

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TO RENT — STORE ON GEORGE ST., very reasonable. Apply at Examiner Office. 3d 116 4643

TO RENT—HOUSE WITH ALL MODern conveniences. Centrally located. Apply Frank Dawson, 433 Donegal st. t,t,s,118

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TO RENT — SUITE OF ROOMS OVER J. C. Turnbull & Company's store, Simcoe street; the rooms have all modern conveniences. Rent $10.00 per month; immediate possession. Apply 437 George street. tf

TO RENT—OFFICE No. 12 IN BANK OF Commerce Building; heated, possession immediately. Apply at 437 George Street.

NEW HOUSES TO LET; RENT REduced. Apply to Jas. R. Ball, No. 161 Hunter street. 3m154

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The present propaganda in the interest of the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives, through the medium of the "Christmas stamp," suggests some consideration of one of the most fatal of diseases, and the ravages it makes in the ranks of the population of the province and Dominion. According to the report of the Provincial Health Officer there were during the month of October last 157 deaths in Ontario from tuberculosis, or consumption, 63 more than from all known contagious diseases combined. The total number of deaths from measles, smallpox, scarlet fever, diphtheria, whooping-cough and typhoid, was 94, to which typhoid contributed 50. The total number of deaths from these diseases, including consumption, was 251, so that tuberculosis was responsible for 62 1-2 per cent. of the deaths resulting from the diseases mentioned. Fatal as is tuberculosis, the advances of medical science, or rather scientific hygiene—for medication plays an insignificant part in the successful treatment of consumption—provide a curative treatment for consumption, if taken in its earlier stages, and, where cure is not possible, a great amelioration of suffering and, comparatively, comfortable prolongation of life. At the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives the only effective treatment for consumptives is applied on gospel terms—free. Not a single patient has ever been refused admission to this institution on account of inability to pay. Hundreds of homes, some of which are known to ourselves, have consumptive patients, many of whom from lack of means cannot take a change of climate or adopt other palliative measures within the reach of persons of means. To assist the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives is open. To provide free treatment money is needed, and to provide some of this need, the Christmas stamp is provided. These stamps are being sold all over Canada, and the season when the spirit of good will is in the ascendant, is a happy time to make an appeal whose spirit is so divinely in accord with the spirit of the Divine Lord of the Christmas. These stamps are for sale in various places, a list of which will be found in our news column. Buy and use these stamps on your holiday correspondence, and you will be a help in spreading the knowledge and aiding the work of one of the grandest secular agencies of beneficence in Canada.

The sale of a million "Christmas stamps" will enable the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives to double its capacity, and place 150 beds at the disposal of needy patients —whom all other hospitals reject.

FORESTRY IN DETAIL.

The axe laid to the root of the tree is the real root of the water shortage which has resulted in so much loss, and inconvenience to every class of citizens, farmers, industrialists and others. All this is due to the extensive and general removal of our forests, the natural reservoirs of water. When we had the forests, the rainfall was largely taken up by the leafy floors and absorbent surface soil. It was permitted to filter out slowly and was a perpetual source of supply to streams, rivers, lakes and underground springs. Now the water of spring-time rushes off in tumultuary freshets, with the consequence that during summer and autumn there is a deficiency of water and, sometimes, as this season, a disastrous water famine. Added to these conditions is the fact that the removal of forest growth affects the rainfall, rendering it less regular, less seasonable and less favourable to growing crops and pastures. Rather late in the day attention is being earnestly directed to forest conservation and reforestry. Years ago the Government of Ontario set apart large forest reserves, millions of acres and now attention is being given to reforestry operations. But the scheme and the activity are too restricted. To have appreciable results reforestry must be made more general. There are hundreds of thousands of spaces on Ontario farms unfit for cultivation. We see farmers laboriously tilling hillsides for scanty crops. The removal of the trees exposes these hillsides to the full force of the torrential rains of summer, with the result that the humus, the natural mould, is washed away and the hillsides made more or less barren. If these precipitous slopes were planted with trees, in a few years they would constitute reservoirs; the fallen leaves would absorb the rains so the water would be slowly filtered into the valleys.

Besides, the tree growth rightly managed, would in time furnish a fuel supply. This also suggests the planting of rocky or stony field corners and spaces which cannot be tilled. These might, better than not, be growing trees for fuel and for the forestry benefits which such planting universally adopted would create. If every farm in every part of settled Ontario were thus treated, the farm-community and the people at large would derive indirect benefits from the very considerable restoration of forest growth and individual farmers would benefit from direct results in the way of shelter and fuel supply. This latter is important. On many farms there is no fuel and many farmers are compelled to use coal or buy fire wood. Nearly every farmer could grow his own fuel, for on nearly every farm there are waste spaces of more or less area where fuel timber could be grown. An excellent tree for this purpose is the common locust (Robina Pseudacacoia.) It grows readily and rapidly in almost any soil. It grows to a fairly large size. There are locust trees on Mr. LeBrun's property on Simcoe street with trunks nearly two feet in diametre and sixty feet in height. The wood of the locust is firm and dense and makes excellent fuel. A gentleman who this year cleared a neglected plot, overgrown with locust, used the wood and declares that it is as good as hard maple for fuel. Once planted a locust grove would be everlasting. If the trees are cut late in the winter or in early spring they will throw out new shoots from the roots, and in time new trees are the result. Thus on a comparatively small plot a farmer can grow a perpetual supply of first-class fuel. In addition to being a good fuel wood the locust is as lasting as cedar for fence posts, railway ties, etc. If railways would plant their right of way (except at sharp curves) with locust trees and properly trim them and care for them, they would do much to supplement the rapidly vanishing supply of timber for ties, if not, in the course of a few years, grow all the sleepers required for their lines. The plantations could be so treated in the time and manner of cutting, as to furnish a perpetual supply. The advantage of cutting ties at the spot where they are needed would same transportation.

The idea seems worthy of consideration not only for its essential value but for the forester'atic values which the planting of railway rights of way and waste places on our farms would represent. There are millions in a wide-spread and practical popular appreciation of the value of forest growth, both for its climatic and economic value.

The country that recklessly removes its forest growth is like the foolish man who lives by spending his capital.

A RATHER COOL PROPOSITION.

Under the above heading the Weekly Sun deals with the question of the duties on woollens, from the viewpoint of the interest of the farming community which it speaks for:

The attention of Sun readers is particularly directed to the statement contained in the report of lectures given at the Winter Fair, of what is asked for in the way of increased protection by the woollen industry.

That industry is not satisfied with a tariff based on the value of finished imports; it demands, as stated by Mr Wardlaw at Guelph, a specific tax based on weight—twelve cents per pound on all woollen clothing imported. Such a form of taxation is, as Henry Glendinning pointed out during the discussions which occurred on the presentation of the demand, open to exceptional objections; it bears more heavily on the poor than on the rich. With taxation based on value the expensive suit, made of fine material, will pay more in Customs duties than the cheap suit manufactured from coarse material. With specific duties, levied on the weight of the article, the cheap suit which would probably weigh more than the expensive one, might have to bear the higher rate.

The spokesman for the woollen manufacturers contended that in any case the duty would be a small affair—merely a matter of some seventy-three cents on a winter suit. Even if we admit that the tax would not amount to more than the figure stated, this seventy-three cents would not represent all the cost to the purchaser. To the duty a wholesale and retail profit on handling would have to be added, and this would bring the total up to at least a dollar per suit. There are about a million and a quarter families in Canada, and these will purchase the equivalent of at least four suits of woollens per family annually. Four suits of woollens, at a dollar in duty per suit, will figure out for a million and a quarter families at five million dollars a year. That is the extent of the burden the people of Canada are asked to assume for an industry paying one and a half million dollars a year in wages.

The rate of duty on all the woollen goods imported into Canada in the short fiscal year of 1907 averaged almost the even 30 per cent. In making up this average there is included a quarter of a million pounds of shoddy, imported as raw material for Canadian woollen manufacturers on which the duty worked out about 15 per cent., a quarter of a million yards of women's unfinished dress goods, imported for the purpose of being finished in Canada, on which the duty was 20 per cent.; nearly 600,000 lbs., of felt, to be covered in Canada, on which the duty was a little over 20 per cent. and various other similar articles at varying rates. If we exclude from the calculation the partially finished goods imported by woollen manufacturers to be finished in their factories, we will find that their average of protection on finished products was considerably in excess of 30 per cent. Furthermore, although nearly 4,000,000 lbs. of raw wool was imported by these manufacturers in the nine months ending with March, 1907, the total duty collected amounted to only 60 cents. It was admitted at Guelph by the spokesman of the manufacturers, who appeared there that much of this wool was similar to that produced by Canadian farmers, and so subject under the law to a duty of 3 cents per lb., but that the Customs authorities allowed it to be entered as not similar to Canadian wool, thereby exempting it from Customs taxation, as a favour to woollen manufacturers.

By becoming parties, to put it mildly, to a misrepresentation of the Customs law, woollen manufacturers are allowed to import their wool duty free; they are legally allowed to import shoddy and other partially manufactured goods at a low rate; they are protected to the extent of over 30 per cent. on their finished product, and still they asked those present at the Winter Fair to endorse a demand for more. It was a fairly cool proposition to lay before a farmers' meeting—quite as cool, indeed, as the surrounding temperature even with the thermometer several degrees below freezing.

Reading is to the mind what exercise is to the body.—Addison.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The British prohibitionists refuse to adopt Carrie Nation. When the "dry" forsake her surely the suffragettes will take her up. Hatchet hysterics should appeal to the parliament-pummelling sisterhood.

The Chatham Planet, Conservative, is opposed to protesting Mr. McCoig's election. It claims that money was illegally spent by both parties in West Kent, and argues that "the first duty of Conservatives is to wash their own hands clean and leave Liberals the condemnation of public opinion if they refuse to do likewise."

RECENT HOLIDAY AND OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Contemporaries That Come Dressed in Their Christmas Garb.

The Examiner has received from the Delmar Music Company, Montreal, a copy of the song "O Canada." The melody of Mr. C Lavallee, harmonized by Mr. G A Grant-Schaefer, is fitted with English words by His Hon. R Stanley Weir, Recorder of Montreal. The words have a virile ring of patriotism and the musical arrangement—for solo, mixed voices or unison chorus, with four part chorus—combines to give a most effective ensemble of spirit and statelineas, dignity and fervour. The new setting of "O Canada" in musical value, literary merit and patriotic inspiration should meet with wide popular favour. It is copyrighted in Canada and the United States.

The Christmas number of the Farmers' Advocate is quite out of its class, and, in its elaborate beauty of illustration and apt quality of letter press, looks more like the edition de luxe of an art journal than the holiday aftermath of a year's staid, sober catering to the wants and interests of an agricultural constituency. The Farmers' Advocate is, almost if not, the foremost of publications of its kind produced in any country. Following up its progressively progressive methods has produced a Christmas number unique in its elegance and acceptability.

Nearly all our "esteemed contemporaries" have or are issuing special holiday editions, and all of them, thanks to improvements in illustration methods and syndicating facilities, are in every way creditable, and worthy in spirit of the season they commemorate.

Sealed Tenders adressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tenders for Quarters for Stable Establishment, Clinton, Ontario," will be received at this office until 4.00 p.m. on Monday, December 28th, 1908, for the construction of Quarters for Stable Establishment R. M. C., Kingston, Ont.

Plans and specifications can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department and on application to H. P. Smith, Esq., Architect, Kingston, Ont.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with their actual signatures.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank made payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent., 10 p. c., of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The department does not bind itself to accept the lowest of any tender.

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Turkey's Parliament Opens To-Day With Great Rejoicing.

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People Eagerly Await Result of Constitutional Government—Sultan Will Ride Through the Streets While Children Sing Liberty Hymn—Constantinople Is In Holiday Attire For the Big Event.

Constantinople, Dec. 17.—Turkey makes her bow as a full-fledged constitutional monarchy to-day, when the new Ottoman Parliament holds its first session.

This assembly was provided for in the constitution granted by Sultan Abdul Hamid last July, and is the first body of its kind to meet in the empire for over thirty years. The life of its only predecessor was brief, but hopes are entertained for the success of the new-comer.

To-day has been proclaimed a general holiday in honor of the Parliament, and the city is doing its best to observe the occasion fittingly. The decorations are quite unprecedented, and most of the population is in the streets eagerly discussing the prospects of the new regime. Practically every regiment in the Constantinople garrison will line the route under arms, when the Sultan drives to open the assembly, while school children, stationed at vantage points along the way, will sing the hymn of liberty as the imperial cortege passes.

Congratulatory addresses have been received by the new Parliament from both the British Parliament and the Russian Douma.

Gordon Gibson Dead.

Toronto, Dec. 17.—Major Macdonald, secretary to the Lieutenant-Governor, Hon. J. M. Gibson, yesterday morning received a message from his honor saying that his son, Gordon Gibson, had died Tuesday evening at Colorado Springs after a prolonged illness. Hon. Mr. Gibson and Mrs. Gibson left last week for Colorado. The deceased was 28 years of age, and was one of four sons, there being also two daughters. The remains will probably be taken to Hamilton for interment.

Nearly Fifty Millions.

Winnipeg, Dec. 17.—Navigation has closed and over 48,000,000 bushels of wheat of the crop of 1908 passed Winnipeg before the last boats went out. Shipments for the last week of open water reached the enormous total of 5,103,097 bushels. The entire movement of wheat for this season leaves all other years many miles behind. The situation, so far as the outlook for the future is concerned, is much more bearish than it was a week ago.

Agreement Not a Treaty.

Washington, Dec. 17.—Secretary of State Root before the Senate committee on foreign relations yesterday explained that the only obligation upon either party to the entente between United States and Japan relating to the maintenance of Chinese integrity is that they shall consult with each other before undertaking any action concerning Chinese affairs. The agreement does not assume the character of a treaty.

Suggests a Cure.

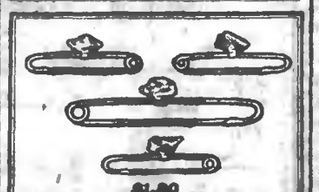
New York, Dec. 17.—W. L. M. King, M.P., sailed for England yesterday to attend the international conference on opium to be held at Shanghai, China, beginning on Feb. 1. Mr. King said:

"It is my opinion that the use of opium in a harmful way can only be checked by striking direct at the very root — the raising of poppies to so great an extent as to make possible the spread of their produce as other than a mere medicine."

Blizzard In Newfoundland.

St. John's, Nfld., Dec. 17.—The worst blizzard experienced in Newfoundland for many years has been raging for 48 hours, and heavy damage has been done to fishing vessels, a number of which have been blown ashore at various points.

No loss of life has yet been reported, but it is feared that several schooners have been blown to sea or sunk. Traffic on land is at a standstill.



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BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

The G.A.R. will meet in Salt Lake City next year.

Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, Postmaster-General, will arrive in New York on Saturday from Great Britain, and is expected to proceed at once to the capital.

John Bruce Woodward, a student at the state university, died at his home at Maysville, Ky., as the result of the bursting of a blood vessel in his lung while he was blowing into a lung-testing machine.

The monument to the Irish dead, the immigrants buried at Grosse Isle, will be erected there about the end of July or August next. It will take the form of a Celtic Cross suitably inscribed to the nameless dead. The A.O.H. will hold big ceremonies in connection with the event.

Runs With Throat Cut.

Montreal, Dec. 17.—The spectacle was witnessed last night on a crowded thoroughfare, of an Italian running among the Christmas shoppers with his throat cut. He was gashed by a razor in the hands of an unknown assailant. The blood left a trail in the snow and the injured man collapsed within sight of his home.

Robbery or revenge was thought to be the motive. The man was taken to a hospital, and it is thought he will probably die. His assailant has not yet been arrested.

Loss to Pembroke.

Brockville, Dec. 17.—Delahay Bros., proprietors of the National Manufacturing Co. of Pembroke, have come into possession of the plant of the Cossitt Co. of this town, makers of agricultural implements. The Delahay people were burned out quite recently in Pembroke.

The works will be greatly enlarged, and the removal of the Pembroke staff to Brockville means a large addition to the population at an early date.

Father Hand Appointed Bishop.

London, Ont., Dec. 17.—A report was current yesterday that Rev. Father Hand of Toronto had been appointed to the bishopric of London, in succession to Archbishop McEvay.

The report was stated in authoritative Roman Catholic quarters to be premature. At St. Paul's rectory, Toronto, it was stated that Rev. Father Hand would be back next week for Christmas. Until his return no definite information was available.

BOTH CLAIM VICTORY.

Local Option Results In Manitoba Were Close.

Winnipeg, Dec. 17.—Both the temperance and the liquor forces are claiming a victory as a result of the vote on local option on Tuesday. Local option carried in five places; was sustained in six, repealed in one and defeated in 70, as follows:

Carried, with following majorities: Emerson 1, Roblin 11, Winchester 60, Hamiota 123, Minitonas 20.

Repealed: In Kildonan by a majority of 66.

Defeated, majorities: Morris 27, Selkirk 6, Carberry 35, Russell 3, Municipality of Louise 35, Westbourne 28, Franklin 56.

Sustained, majorities: North Norfolk 6, Edward (large majority), Pipestone 250, Odanah 19, Swan River 18, South Norfolk 16.

In Selkirk the temperance people claim there was wholesale impersonation, there being a large resident vote there. In Emerson, on the other hand, the liquor people assert two Americans voted for local option which gave the law its majority of one. They will demand a recount.

A great many more contests that had been planned by the temperance people were knocked out by the court on a technicality.

SEVENTEEN WILL VOTE.

Back is Busy Rounding Up Towns That Want Power.

Toronto, Dec. 17.—Seventeen municipalities will vote on the electric power bylaw—on Jan. 4. These are situated in western Ontario.

Hon. Adam Beck and A. F. Lobb have been touring in this district and pointing out the facts which render the present an opportune moment for the adoption in the west of a cheap power policy. An option on the construction of an additional 193 miles of transmission line at the contract rates submitted by F. M. McGuigan, is chief of these.

At least 5,000 horse-power will be required if the 17 centres vote in the affirmative.

Windsor, Walkerville, Chatham, Kingsville and Leamington are some of the principal places.

In Chatham there is some opposition from those interested in the natural gas plant but it is not generally considered that the gas interests would suffer.

Woman Shoots Assailant.

Hamilton, Dec. 17.—There was another shooting affray yesterday afternoon amongst foreigners, and Kata Kataranin, an Austrian woman, who keeps a boarding-house at 406 North Hughson street, was locked up on the charge of shooting at Hurnash Gaskbasvitch, a boarder, with intent to kill. The boarder secured the warrant. When he appeared at police headquarters he displayed two bullet holes in his clothing. One bullet grazed his shoulder and another his side. The side of his face was blackened with powder. The woman cannot speak English, but when an interpreter was secured she told him that the boarder had attempted to assault her in the absence of her husband and the shooting was done in self-defence while she was struggling with her assailant.

High Pressure Didn't Work.

New York, Dec. 17.—The lives of 150 persons were endangered, hundreds of others were temporarily driven from their homes, and property valued at $200,000 was destroyed by fire in a factory building at 213-217 Grand street yesterday.

Failure of the new high pressure water service made unusually difficult the task of the firemen.

Mail Clerk Sentenced.

Ottawa, Dec. 17.—George Mark Lett, employed in the registered letter department of the postoffice, was sentenced to three years in Kingston Penitentiary. He pleaded guilty to eight charges of theft of money letters during a period of 18 months. There are some 32 other cases yet unaccounted for.

Extensive Transfer Thefts.

New York, Dec. 17.—Two office boys of the Metropolitan Street Railway Co. have uncovered a system of wholesale transfer stealing. Two conductors and two boys have been arrested. The company has lost thousands of dollars through the system. Dishonest conductors disposed of transfers by the pad to boy agents, who in turn sold them at two cents or three cents each.

Daughter's Loyalty.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 16.—With a painting valued at more than $1,000 in her possession, Carlotta Rodrigues, the young daughter of one of California's most noted artists, lived in poverty and actual want for several years, and finally died through privation rather than sell the picture, because it was the last production of her father's genius that remained to her.

Fifteen Killed.

Limoges, France, Dec. 17.—A collision in the Pouch Tunnel between a freight and a passenger train near here yesterday resulted in the death of fifteen persons and the injury of thirty others. Fire broke out after the accident and most of the victims, including the engineer of the passenger train, were pinned beneath the wreckage and burned to death.

Sikhs Stick.

Vancouver, Dec. 17.—Col. Swayne, governor of Honduras, left yesterday for Ottawa. He was unable even to hire a dozen Sikhs for police work at fairly high wages, and is convinced that all the Hindus now in British Columbia will refuse to go anywhere else.

Bridge Collapses, Kills Four.

Hagerstown, Md., Dec. 17.—Four men were instantly killed and four others seriously injured by a portion of a concrete pier of the new bridge erected over the Potomac River at Willemsport collapsing yesterday.

New Magistrate For Windsor.

Windsor, Dec. 17.—Gordon J. Leggatt has been appointed police magistrate from Jan. 1, succeeding Alexander Bartlett.

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London, Dec. 17.—Among the functions with which it is proposed to entertain the press representatives attending the Empire Press Congress will be a visit to Portsmouth, Aldershot camp, both the House of Commons and the House of Lords, banquets by the Government, banquet at Grafton galleries, reception by the Duchess of Sutherland at Stafford House and a visit to Hatfield, the residence of Lord Salisbury.

Sir Thomas Lipton offers a cruise on the yacht Erin and several other functions have been suggested, but are as yet undecided.

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Constable Shot Butcher.

Ottawa, Dec. 17.—A Gatineau Point constable, Alexis Gravelle, has been arrested and charged at Hull with shooting a butcher named Alphonse Nantel with intent to kill, in a Gatineau Point hotel. A clerk named Alphonse Leggault is also in custody. The affair was the outcome of a quarrel between rival municipal factions.

Brockville Growing.

Brockville, Dec. 17—Brockville's population is 9,132, 206 more than last year. There has been also an increase in the assessment of $83,750. The total assessment is now $3,860,046.

"My youngest boy, 3 years old, was sick with fever last June, and when he got better the doctor prescribed *Scott's Emulsion*, and he liked it so well that he drank it out of the bottle, and is now just as plump and strong as any child of his age anywhere . . . two bottles fixed him O.K."—MR. JOHN F. TEDDER, Box 263, Teague-Freestone Co., Texas.

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In order to relieve the intense situation of the unemployed of this province, who seem to gather in the larger centres during the early winter months, it has been decided by the Associated Charities to open a free employment bureau in Toronto. This appeal is being sent broadcast through the province to the manufacturers, farmers and all people who employ labour to co-operate in this work; and it is earnestly hoped that anyone needing help of any kind, skilled or unskilled, will apply direct to the "Toronto Free Employment Bureau," 71 Victoria street.

The bureau already has hundreds of capable men willing to undertake work of any kind that may be offered them, who prefer work rather than charity.

The help of the people in this district will considerably lessen the necessity of appeals being made for large sums of money to be used for charity.

A LARGE BOAT FOR NEW ONTARIO

Being Built for the G. T. R. in the Peterborough Factory.

The Peterborough Canoe Company is building a large boat to be used for passengers and freight traffic by the Grand Trunk Pacific on their line in New Ontario. This boat is 40 feet long by 11 feet wide, and it is fitted with a 6x6 steam engine. It will take one of the largest flat cars made to carry it to the end of the line; from there it will be put in a cradle, placed on rollers and hauled to its destination. It is large enough to take an upper deck, but will only be fitted with canopies at present. This is the third boat that the company will have sent into the wilds of Canada beyond the reach of the railways. The company is also building a considerable number of special launches for the summer trade. The launches are 20 feet long by four feet wide and will hold seven people comfortably. They are fitted with a 4 h.p. 2 cylinder engine and will have a speed of 12 miles an hour. About the middle of January they will have their show rooms open where they will show canoes, launches and also their supply of motor accessories which they are going to handle.

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AN INDIAN LEGEND FROM COBALT SILVER DISTRICT

Indian Chief Used Silver Tipped Arrowheads Against His Foes.

J. S. Crate, special commissioner for The Toronto World, who is travelling through the Montreal River District, tells in a realistic fashion of the Indian story of the first finding of silver on Montreal river.

It seems that a chief of an Indian tribe became supreme in power through the using of silver for bullets and also silver to tip arrows of his warriors with. The glistening white metal cast fear into the suspicious hearts of the red men who were opposed to this chief. Finally, however, a warrior who had been trusted, gave the secret away, through his love for a squaw of another tribe which was threatened with annihilation. He saved the tribe, but it was the ruination ultimately, of his own people. Skeletons have been found with silver arrowheads and bullets imbedded in the bone, to corroborate this legend.

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The Rural Schools Threatened With A Scarcity Of Teachers

Closing of Model Schools Has Cut Off Supply—Will Have to Wait Until Normal Schools Turn Out Higher Priced Pedagogues.

CERTIFICATES ARE LIMITED

A scarcity of teachers is being reported fro many parts of the Province and inquiries in Peterborough County point to the same fact. Particularly is this true of the schools in the rural districts owing to the change of the students from Model to Normal schools. When the former were done away with it left a whole year or more before the latter schools were turning out their embryo teachers. These have to spend a year in training in the Normal schools with the result that a better class of teachers should be occupying the schools of the Province in a few years.

There are many resignations at the Christmas term and in this county for example the model school was relied upon to fill the vacancies. This year this is out of the question for the Norwood school has been done away with. The Normal school will have its students ready next summer and in the meantime it is feared that some school sections will find it difficult to secure teachers.

The names of those who have been awarded teachers' limited third-class certificates were made public by the Education Department yesterday, the students being graduates of the Provincial Model Schools. The certificates correspond to the professional district certificates, and are valid for five years, and only for such schools as the Minister of Education may approve. To obtain such approval the school Board must make application through the inspector and with the latter's approval. The certificates have been mailed to the individual addresses. Among the names were Miss Mary Costello of Ennismore; Margaret O'Neil of Hastings and Florence Hubble of Stirling.

Visit Of The Sheffield Choir Told By London Musical Herald

Well Pleased With the Result of Their Musical Pilgrimage To Canada.

In the London Musical Herald received to-day, Mr. J. Kenneth Curwen, as its special correspondent travelling with the Choir of the Sheffield Musical Union, gives an interesting story of the visit of the choir to Canada. He prefaces the description of the tour with the remark that the choir is not composed of professional musicians, and indicates the magnitude of the task of finding two hundred amateur singers able and willing "to sacrifice a month of their time and to bear a substantial proportion of their own expenses on a trip of some 6,000 miles." The correspondent summarises the impressions of the Choir regarding the trip in the following paragraph:—

"One is still too close to this great fortnight to form a just conception of what it has meant. Our reception throughout has been most gratifying. We have been welcomed by the municipality of almost every city, even the smallest, at which we halted. And private members of the community have been most kind in every way to us. We are returning profoundly impressed with the possibilities of this huge country, only the fringe of which we have been able to see. The choir, although working under considerable difficulties, rehearsing in mid-ocean, tired with constant travelling, and frequently worried by inadequate hotel arrangements, still sang magnificently, and gave what we hope will be a considerable impetus to musical life in Canada, while incidentally strengthening the cordial feelings between the Dominion and the Mother Country. The spirit in which the choristers went and were received was a splendid one. There was no thought of jealousy. The members of the choir and the Canadian musicians were fellow worshippers at the shrine of the art of Choral Music.

High Grade Oranges Will Be Scarce For Christmas Supply

While there is no reason to fear that this will be an orangeless Christmas, still the citizens of Peterborough will have to pay more for the fruit and be satisfied generally with a poorer quality.

The partial failure of the California crop is the reason. Not that the trees in the Sunny State did not produce as much as other years, but it takes cool nights to ripen the fruit, and these have been lacking. This was followed by weeks of rain which prevented the oranges from being picked. The result is the California or seedless Navels are smaller this year and the owners of the groves are waiting for them to grow.

Prices Will go up

According to local brokers there will be enough California stock to supply the demand at increased prices. They are retailing to-day for 40 to 50 cents a dozen, and the price is apt to go up.

As a consequence people will have to fall back upon the cheaper grades of which the supply is up to the mark. There are lots of Florida and Mexican oranges, but these are not seedless and are not packed with the same care, and are poorer generally than the California, though often sweeter.

RUMOUR OF DEPARTMENTAL STORE FOR PETERBOROUGH

A rumour is current on the street that a branch of a large departmental store will be opened up shortly in a portion of the ground floor of a George street store. No information can be had that will state positively that arrangements have been completed. It is felt in Peterborough by those with whom the Examiner reporter comes in contact that the business can be very well handled by the stores at present situated here, and that the matter should be carefully considered before a lease is given for the introduction of a business of this kind.

California Fruits Do Not Compare With Those Grown In Canada

A few days ago a well known local citizen had a letter from Pasadena, Cal., from a friend of his who has many friends here. The writer, one of Chicago's leading lawyers and capitalists, some years ago was a regular visitor with friends here. A few weeks ago the writer with his family and servants went from Chicago to Pasadena to spend the winter—that much advertised winter resort. In his letter recently received by a friend here, the writer noticed that whilst the climate was beautiful the fruits raised there bore no comparison with those raised in Canada. Among other remarks in his letter the writer said: "Here we get cucumbers 3 to 4 feet long but very thin and absolutely no good. The apricots and peaches look good but are quite tasteless. The apples are small, hard and with no flavour. Grapes are large but have no taste. We get melons of great size, but they taste exactly like squashes. The recent drought has made the air so full of dust that leaves on the trees are brown with dust. One sees hedges of our regular house pot geraniums that grow to a great height. Still the flowers have no smell. Roses grow to a prodigious size. In fact they kill themselves by over growth unless constantly cut down and back." Taking it, "big and large" Canada's winter is more than counterbalanced by our scentful flowers and tasteful fruits.

ROSES BLOOMING BY THE FENCES IN THE EMERALD ISLE

Mr. Samuel Anglesey, who has just returned from spending a few weeks in Ireland, says he has never seen a more beautiful country. When he left the roses were all in bloom along the fences, and he has brought some of the roots home with him to try and grow them here. He has also roots of the shamrock, and the heather which he is going to cultivate if possible for a hedge. The heather grows to about four and a half feet high and is very fine and slender. It would make a very graceful hedge if it can be got to grow.

Among the curiosities that he has brought out with him are a bundle of blackthorn walking sticks, a large piece of peat and six Irish potatoes, which he says are the most highly flavoured he has ever tasted.

He had a splendid voyage to the Old Country, but it was very rough returning. When the vessel arrived at Halifax harbour, it had to shut off steam and drift in.

VISITS OLD HOME AFTER LAPSE OF ELEVEN YEARS

Mr. James McIntosh of Milwaukee Revisits Scenes of Earlier Days.

Mr. Jas. McIntosh, of Milwaukee, Wis., visited in the city last week after an absence of eleven years. He was in Lindsay attending the funeral of his brother the late Mr. Lachlan McIntosh and came down from there to visit his friends in Peterborough. The lapse of eleven years he finds has made a vast advance in the growth of the city.

OFFICERS OF MINING COMPANIES IN TROUBLE

Alleged to Have Committed Breaches of Mining Act.

The campaign against officers of mining companies, who, it is alleged, have not complied with the requirements of the companies act, is being pushed vigorously. Yesterday summonses were served on three officers of the Titan Montreal River Mining Co., Mr J W Garvin, President, Mr E S Edmonson, Vice President, and Mr J H McKnight, a director. The parties named are ordered to appear at the Police Court on Friday, Dec. 18, at 2 o'clock.—Globe.

AN APT COMPARISON

"Sealshipt" Oysters which are now on sale by S. A. Oke, are a recent development in improved methods of oyster shipment. They are packed by the National Oyster Carrier Company, a concern whose aim may be likened to that of the modern up-to-date newspaper of the Examiner class, inasmuch as both are serving the public, the one in furnishing fresh clean news the other in providing oysters of the same quality.

The National Oyster Carrier Company pack "Sealshipt" Oysters in steel containers with ice around the container. No ice or water comes in contact with the oysters, so the consumer gets solid meats, natural in size and colour—not bleached and bloated or washed by ice.

"Sealshipt" Oysters are sold from a porcelain lined display case with the "Sealshipt" trade-mark in blue and white on the outside. This is a guarantee that you are getting the finest oysters produced and that they have the real, piquant, delicate oyster flavour. They are entirely different from the common tub oysters.

EX-MAYOR MAKES REPLY TO THE PRESENT MAYOR

To the Editor of The Examiner:

Dear Sir:—In your issue of the 14th, there appears a letter purporting to be written by Mayor Rush in reply to my letter re the management of the City finances. The Mayor undertakes to say that my statements are "misleading" and that I misrepresent the conditions. Let us see who is trying to mislead.

I said there would be a deficit on the Current Account of $15,000, which would require an additional taxation next year of two mills to get square. The Mayor says there are uncollected taxes and other items which will wipe out this deficit. But if the Mayor wants credit for the amounts which came in after the close of the year, he must take out the similar receipts at the beginning of this year, and this he has not done. Who is trying to mislead? If the adjustments at the end of this year are equal to those of last year, and surely the Mayor will not lay claim to having left dragging behind a greater amount than that most incapable Mayor of 1907, the figures I have given will be exactly correct. If they are less, so much the worse for the present Mayor. If we are $7,000.00 ahead at the beginning of the year, and $8,000.00 behind when all accounts are closed after the year, are we not $15,000.00 behind on the year's business?

But the Mayor says that this year's Council has spent so much more on the streets to give employment. Has anyone seen any improvement in the care of the streets? Is there anything to show for 50 per cent. increase in the expenditures? True there has been more work done with the road roller, but that is the very work which gives least employment for the money spent. True the Mayor, who, because of the false cries upon which he was elected, began with a policy of economy, has found that sewers and sidewalks and crossings and drains have to be built, but the Mayor knows perfectly well that the cost of these works is not charged to the Current Account at all, and has nothing whatever to do with the question of deficit. Who is trying to mislead? What really happened was that the Board of Works, finding the work to do, went ahead to do it, while the Mayor, whose duties surely include the oversight of the relations of the departments of the City's work, fell asleep till the Board was jerked up in August with the notice that their appropriation for the whole year was practically exhausted. Perhaps the Mayor would like to take credit for reducing the wages of the men, while maintaining or increasing the salaries. Probably he would say that the men's cost of living has decreased—but they haven't heard of it yet.

I have had to trespass so much on your space to explain the Mayor's "misleading" statements that I shall have to deal with the sale of the debentures to-morrow. I shall mention but one other thing: there appeared in the Review a letter signed "Critic." I have only to say that I do not answer a cad who writes a personal attack anonymously.

Yours faithfully,
R. F. McWILLIAMS.

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MONEY BY-LAWS TO BE DISCUSSED

Special Meeting of the Board of Trade for Monday Night.

The Board of Trade will call a special meeting in the City Council chambers on Monday night next, December 21st at eight o'clock. The business to be transacted will be the consideration of the money by-laws to be submitted to the people at the next municipal election. Free discussion is wanted.

COCOA DEMONSTRATION.

—The free demonstration of Cowan's Cocoa, Chocolates and Icing at White & Gillespie's store, George street, is growing more interesting to the ladies every day. All this week Miss Shepherd, the expert from Toronto, will be in attendance. Call in and have a cup of cocoa and sample the toothsome delicacies on exhibition. Cowan's Icings are also very popular.

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Just 20 Coats in this lot, all high class garments, swell designed and tailored Coats, in colours and blacks. Some New York Novelty Coats, (sample garments) all worth 18.00, 20.00 and 25.00 Friday and Saturday

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We have just 33 Suits left in stock to-day— all but three are this year's. The entire lot must be sold, as we refuse to carry these lines over. For 2 days, Friday and Saturday, you can pick and choose for very little money. Look these suits over and see the reduced prices.

Friday and Saturday

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VISIT THE NEW MUSIC DEPARTMENT—MAIN FLOOR REAR

LILLIAN RUSSELL

Appears Here Next Wednesday in "Wildfire."

Lillian Russell comes to the Grand next Wednesday in her racing comedy "Wildfire," almost directly from her remarkable run at the Liberty Theatre, New York. It is the same clever play from the pen of George Broadhurst and George V. Hobart, in which Mr. Joseph Brooks presented Miss Russell last season. Whatever change in the cast will be noticeable are for bettter and the third act has been re-written and greatly improved; otherwise the production and the story, as well as the company, are identically the same as figured in the memorable hit made last season by Lillian Russell in "Wildfire."

The famous American beauty is seen in the character of a young widow, who has inherited a racing stable from her husband. In life he had operated the plant secretly, under the name of John Dutro and as it is the only asset left the widow, she undertakes to continue the game until she can dispose of her property to the best advantage. The plot develops in the effort to have her favourite mare, "Wildfire," beaten in a race which it is essential she should win. How the widow surmounts these difficulties and carries her fight to a successful finish against the scheming bookmakers and race track people, is the theme in the story that appeals directly to all lovers of fair play and clean sport.

The play is presented in three acts, one showing an exterior at Hempstead, Long Island, the second the interior of a racing stable at one of the big tracks near New York, and the third, the drawing room of the widow's home. The decided contrasts in these environments are a delightful part of the story, and the successful manner in which Miss Russell handles the various scenes makes possible the span. Ordinarily, to mingle the home atmosphere with the tense excitement of the race track would seem impossible, but the subject is handled so cleverly in 'Wildfire," that one never realizes the difficulty.

Aside from her exquisite presentment of the central character in this story, Miss Russell completes the picture by dressing the part faultlessly, and she will wear during as many acts three of the newest creations in the Directtoire model. These stunning gowns will be a treat to the feminine portion of her audience. In her support will be found such well known favourites as Thurston Hall, Sydney Booth, Fred. Sheridan, Will Archie, Joseph Tuohy, Gilbert Douglas, Franklin Roberts, J. Hayes Hunter, Ernest Truex, Adolphe Lestina, Ellen Mortimer, Annie Buckley and Mary Elizabeth Forbes.

BLUE AND WHITE DEGREES IN NEW TRUE BLUE LODGE

Sister E. Bell the Worshipful Mistress—The Watch Tower Lodge No. 7.

The Royal True Blue Association added another Lodge to their number last evening when the new Ladies' Lodge was organised. Bro. M. E. Ketcheson, District Organizer, presided over the meeting. The ladies are taking a deep interest in the matter, and the new Lodge has every reason to expect a rapid growth. They also chose a suitable name as it will be known as Search Light Lodge, No. 7. The nights of meeting will be decided later, owing to the hall being occupied by other societies. Watch Tower Lodge, No. 277, had several members present and assisted in the different parts of the organisation programme.

During the intermission following the Blue Degree the members enjoyed a pleasant repast. The White Degree was conferred on the new members and the election of officers was taken up. Quite an interest centred in the choice of a Worshipful Mistress and several nominations were offered. The ballot proved favourable to Sister E. Bell. There was also a great interest shown in the election of Deputy Mistress and Sister M. Pickens had the honour of this office conferred on her. The choice of the lodge for Recording Secretary was Sister Carr.

An adjournment was made to meet again at an early date when the election and installation of officers will be completed and the Scarlet Degree conferred. The full list of officers will be published after the next meeting.—Com.

The Partello Stock Company at the Grand to-night, in "The Girl of Eagle Ranch" Prices 10-20-30-50c.

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THE DEBATE DECIDED IN FAVOUR OF CITY LIFE

"Should the Wife Carry the Purse," To be Subject of Next:

City life has greater advantages than the country life. The Debating Club of the Boys' department at the Y.M.C.A. last night argued the point for some time and such was their decision. This was the first debate of the season and it proved very interesting. The affirmative was taken by Messrs. N Laing and C Miller, while Messrs. Hunter and W Hastie upheld the negative.

The officers for the year were elected as follows:

President—N Laing.
Secretary—B Hunter.
Treasurer—W Hastie.
Programme Committee—C Dean, H Portsmouth and C Miller.

It was decided to meet every second Wednesday, and the next meeting will be on Dec. 30th, when the subject will be "Resolved that the wife should carry the purse." The programme committee will prepare other entertainment for the evening. All the boys are invited to attend.

Good skating at Brock Street Rink to-night. Ice in excellent condition.

PETERBORO' TENT NO. 69 K.O.T.M. NEW OFFICERS

Sir Knight O. S. Matchett Commander and Sir Knight R. Morrison Record and Finance Keeper.

At the regular meeting of Peterborough Tent, No. 69, K. O. T. M., last night, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Past Commander—Sir Knight A. E. Morrison.
Commander—Sir Knight O. S. Matchett.
Lieut. Commander—Sir Knight J. Dodds.
Sergeant—Sir Knight W. Price.
Recording and Financial Secretary—Sir Knight R. Morrison.
Chaplain—Sir Knight W. Noftall.
Physician—Sir Knight Dr. J. A. Morgan
Master-at-Arms—Sir Knight E. A. Wicker
1st M. of G.—Sir Knight F. Dowling.
2nd M. of G.—Sir Knight J. H. Price.
Sentinel—Sir Knight F. Drake.
Picket—Sir Knight H. Hinchliffe.
Trustees—Sir Knights F. Darling, F. Drake, J. A. Dodds, R. Morrison and H. Hinchliffe.

These officers will be duly installed at the first meeting, which will be held in January.

OBITUARY.

WM HARRY LOVEKIN

At 547 Water street, the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Graham, the death of Mr. Harry Lovekin took place this morning, due to heart trouble. He has been ill for some time. Last October he went out hunting and caught a severe cold, which gradually grew worse until the end. He was twenty-six years old. He was a member of the Eko Club, and is president of the cricket club. He was employed by the Peterborough Light and Power Company for a number of years, and was highly respected by all who knew him. One sister, Miss Mildred, resides in the city with her grandmother. His father, step-mother and half-brother, Hubert, all live in Ottawa.

The funeral will be held on Saturday, from the home of Mrs. Graham, 547 Water street, at three o'clock, and proceed to the Little Lake Cemetery for interment.

MISS GLADYS HEWIE.

On Wednesday night at the home of her mother, Mrs. Sarah E. Hewie, 190 Auburn street, the death of Gladys E. Hewie took place after an illness of a few weeks, at the age of 14 years. She is survived by her mother who lives in the city; one sister, Mrs. Latimer, of Toronto; and a brother of Vancouver, B.C. The funeral will be held on Saturday at two o'clock from the house 190 Auburn street, and proceed to Little Lake Cemetery for interment.

Good Specialties between acts Partello Stock Company, at the Grand to-night. Prices 10-20-30-50c.

THE PLACES WHERE "CHRISTMAS STAMPS" ARE FOUND ON SALE

The "Christmas stamp" is to be used on holiday correspondence. Its sale is to provide funds for extending the work of the "Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives." This is an institution where persons afflicted with consumption, and unable to bear expense, are treated free. The persons selling these stamps receive no profit—the entire proceeds of sales are net gain to the funds of the hospital. These stamps will not carry any mail, but any mail will carry them. One of them placed on letter, post card or parcel alongside the government postal stamp, advertises the hospital and adds one cent to its funds. These, as the issue of Christmas stamps is a million, in case of all being sold, will give $10,000. The Christmas stamp is on sale at the following places:

King's Daughters Tea Room, Bank of Montreal building.
A. H. Stratton's book store.
Richard Hall & Son's store.
Toronto Bank.

THE QUEEN ALEXANDRA CIRCLE

Officers are Elected for the Season at Regular Meeting Last Evening.

There was a large attendance of members at the regular meeting of Queen Alexandria Circle, A. O. F. held last night in S. O. E. hall. C. C. Mrs Scott presided. One application was read for membership. After considerable business had been concluded, Chief Companion called on Mrs. Head, District Deputy to take the chair, and the following officers were elected for the coming year—

C C—Bro T Hendry
P C C—Mrs J Scott.
S C C—Miss M Rose.
Treas—Miss E Record.
Sec—Miss E Martin
R G—Mrs J McLean
L G—Mrs R G Record
I G—Mrs S Adlam
O G—Mr S Adlam
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PRESIDENT CASTRO'S SUN SETTING

The Venezuelans Rise Against Him in Caracas.

HIS OVERTHROW PROBABLE

Infuriated Mob Sweeps Through City Destroying Property of His Friends and Tearing Down His Pictures and Statues—President's Deposition May Come Now at Any Moment — Martial Law.

Caracas, Venezuela, Dec. 14, via Willemstad, Curacao, Dec. 17.—The people of Caracas arose yesterday against President Castro.

An infuriated mob, unhindered by the police, swept through the city, wrecking the property of his closest friends. The people rounded up all the statues and pictures of President Castro from the clubs and other public buildings and burnt them with rejoicing on the Plaza Bolivar.

No official act deposing Castro from the Presidency of Venezuela has yet been taken, but such a step is expected any moment.

The first building to be attacked and looted was that of the lottery monopoly. The offices of the state enterprise that has enriched itself at the expense of the people were ransacked and pillaged.

The crowd then moved to the printing office of El Constitutional, the organ of President Castro, of which Gumersindo Rivas is editor, and pillaged it completely.

It was after one o'clock by the time the crowd had gotten thus far in its depredations. It lacked leadership, and paused in default of other fields for its destruction energies. It was then that a detachment of troops was called out for duty on the city's streets, and acting President Gomez issued a manifesto prohibiting further manifestations. These measures had the desired end, for the mob quieted down and dispersed, while the city was placed under martial law. Today the city is quiet and business is normal, but further disorders and rioting are expected to-morrow at the funeral of Maracano Rojas, one of the men killed in yesterday's fighting. There have been no demonstrations against the Netherlands, in spite of that country's warlike attitude. They have all been directed against President Castro and acting President Gomez.

An Imperial Cable Dream.

London, Dec. 17.—Sir Sandford Fleming, writing to a London friend, expresses delight at the attitude of Mr. Lemieux regarding the proposed state-owned Atlantic cable, which Sir Sandford thinks is a "first step, the rest to follow, step by step. Sir Sandford says he has a "very sanguine dream" about The Times having a branch in Canada and to full use being made of the state cable across the Atlantic.

"We must ever look forward," he says, "antiquarians, archaeologists and geologists will look after the past; their minds [illegible]

Fifteen-Year-Old Boy Shot.

Dauphin, Man., Dec. 17.—Gordon Galbraith, a fifteen-year-old boy, was shot and fatally wounded while practicing a dialogue for a school entertainment at Gilbert Plains Tuesday night. The bullet passed through his stomach.

Alice Neilsen Bankrupt.

New York, Dec. 17.—Alice Neilsen, an actress long prominent on the comic opera stage, filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy yesterday. She gave her liabilities as $2,900 and her assets as $75.

Georgian Bay Canal.

London, Dec. 17.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—It is understood a syndicate of London and Canadian financiers have the Georgian Bay Canal scheme in hand and work will be started shortly.

Wilbur Wright's Flight.

Lemans, Dec. 17.—Wilbur Wright, the American aeroplanist, of Dayton, Ohio, attained a height of 240 feet here yesterday on his famous flying machine.

City of Prince Rupert.

Vancouver, Dec. 17.—Prince Rupert will apply at the next session of the Legislature for incorporation as a city.

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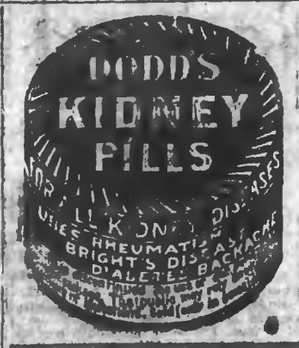

EXCITEMENT IN DOUMA.

Rightists and Socialists Clash and the President Resigns.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 17.—During the course of an exciting session of the Douma yesterday afternoon Nikolai A. Khomyakoff, the president of the Douma, quitted the chamber and wrote his resignation.

Scenes of excitement arose over the discussion in the House of the Government bill to grant a credit of $500,000 for the benefit of the employes of the prison administration, who were victims of outrages while on duty or their families if the employes were killed. The Socialists and Laborites hotly denounced the administration and the inquisitorial torturing methods applied to political prisoners.

Deputy Bosanoff, in a specially violent speech, asserted that as a result of the rigorous rule 60 per cent. of these prisoners developed consumption.

The Rightest deputies angrily protested against this, whereupon M. Bosanoff declared that the Rightists possessed less honor than Russian convicts on the eve of execution.

President Khomyakoff in response to a stampede on the part of the offended deputies, called upon M. Bosanoff to withdraw this expression. M. Bosanoff did so to the satisfaction of the president of the Douma, but the Rightists quitted the House in a body and went to the president's room, where they insisted that M. Bosanoff must apologize. Thereupon M. Khomyakom wrote his resignation and left a chairman, Prince Volkonsky, in charge of the Douma. The credit was finally adopted.

BRITAIN MUST HURRY.

Standard Correspondent Warns England Against Delaying Preference.

London, Dec. 17.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—A writer described as "One of the Captains of Canadian Industry" wrote The Standard as follows:

"There has been enough delay; Canada has had enough of Little England temporizing. If Britain has not within a year a Government-prepared reciprocity or preferential tariff, my firm belief is that Canada will decide to play her own business game. Once that is started, alas for poor sentiment and the prospect of a really solid united empire."

The Standard says it is only a partner, the leading overseas nation within the empire that Canada can reap the full harvest she has laboriously sewn to retain her individuality and develop on national lines.

Harry Symons, K. C., Toronto, writes the press suggesting that the Barbadoes, and possibly the whole West Indies, should unite with Canada. The suggestion is viewed with considerable interest.

Lunatic's Victim Dies.

Toronto, Dec. 17.—William Bolton, the aged foreman of the Mimico Asylum farm, who was attacked with a pitchfork by a lunatic on Wednesday, died at 6 o'clock last night.

Mr. Bolton was 80 years of age, and had been employed in connection with the institution for twenty years. He is survived by a daughter.

Shannon, the crazed man who assaulted deceased, has been moved from the farm cottage to the refractory cottage of the main institution, and will be transferred to the criminal ward of the Hamilton Asylum.

Chinamen Accused of Graft.

Montreal, Dec. 17.—In the Police Court yesterday morning Lee Wah pleaded guilty to evading the Chinese Immigration Act. He said that while he was in New York he received from Lee Hing, one of two special Chinese constables on the city force, a letter telling him how he could evade the law, and enclosing the certificate of one Lee Chun Sang. Lee Wah was to pay the Montreal Chinaman $85 if he succeeded in getting into the country. Lee Wah was fined $500 or one year in the penitentiary.

Aeroplane Line an Actuality.

Berlin, Dec. 17.—The German Aerostations Co., which was founded three months ago by three groups of financiers and sportsmen of Berlin, Frankfort and Cassel respectively, has now ordered seven of the Zeppelin airships. Three routes are scheduled, all beginning at Friedrichshafen, and taking in, among other places, Nuremburg, Leipzig, Berlin, Dresden, Strasburg and Hamburg. It is contemplated extending the route to Copenhagen.

Suffocated In Fire.

Quebec, Dec. 17.—C. E. A. Langlois was suffocated by smoke in a fire which damaged his store last evening to the extent of $12,000.

George Johnson, 98 Geneva avenue, was arrested Tuesday, charged with the theft of a sack of coal from M. Green, 160 York street.

Operation on General Booth's Eye.

London, Dec. 17.—General William Booth, commander-in-chief of the Salvation Army, was operated upon yesterday afternoon for cataracts and the doctors are hopeful that he will completely recover his sight.

Last Boats For Canal.

Port Colborne, Dec. 17.—The Rosedale, bound from Port Arthur to Hamilton with grain, and the Beaverton, from Fort William to Thorold, entered the canal yesterday. They are the last of the season.

Chicago's Crimes.

Chicago, Dec. 17.—One hundred and fifty-six persons were murdered in Chicago in 1908 and 24 remain unsolved.

ENQUIRY GOES ON AT OTTAWA

Marine Investigation is Resumed at the Capital.

ONE OFFICIAL RECEIVED $500

Late Frank Polson of Polson Iron Works Gave Commander Spain $500 to Invest and It Has Never Come Back, According to Witness—Big Job Done Without Making Contract With Department.

Ottawa, Dec. 17.—While there was no conclusive evidence of wrong-doing brought out in evidence at the Marine Department enquiry by Judge Cassels here yesterday, counsel for the commission seemed to regard some of the statements made with considerable suspicion.

Much of the attention of the commission was devoted to a payment of $500 to Commander Spain by the late Frank Polson of the Polson Iron Works, Toronto. Mr. Spain said that he had received this money for the purpose of investment in real estate in British Columbia, but not having so invested it he returned it in bills to Mr. Polson.

J. B. Miller, principal owner of the Polson Iron Works, swore that there was nothing in the books of the company to show that this money had been refunded.

Mr. Watson, K.C., got witness to say that he always tried to be careful in business matters, and then asked him if that were so why he could not explain various entries in the books of several checks drawn chargeable to cash. Mr. Miller said that was Mr. Polson's end of the business. He trusted him in such matters. If the money was returned to Mr. Polson he might have used it for expenses without entering it.

The examination then switched to the tender for the construction of the Government protective boat Vigilant, which was built to replace the Petrel in Lake Erie waters. The tender was for $124,000 as against $86,000 put in by the Bertram Engine Co. Mr. Miller declared that the Bertram tender was for a smaller boat, and the specifications were different. A search through the records of the Department revealed the fact that the Bertram Co.'s specifications had been returned after the Polson tender had been accepted.

Mr. Watson thereupon got the permission of the commissioner to telegraph to the manager of the Bertram Iron Works to come to Ottawa and bring the specifications with him.

Mr. Watson elicited the fact that repairs by the Polson Iron Works to the Petrel had been executed without contract. These ran to about $20,000.

"Would you care to say what profits were charged on the labor of the men employed?" asked Mr. Watson.

"No."

"Outside of good work, what gratuities were given?" interrogated the judge.

"It may be that some were given, but not many."

"You could shorten matters by saying what gratuities were given the employes of the Marine Department," pursued the judge.

"I don't know that they got a cent. If anything of that kind was done, it was done by Mr. Polson," declared Mr. Miller.

The charges for repairs to the steamer Aberdeen were then taken up. Mr. Watson wanted to know why the original tenders called for an expenditure of only $17,000, while the accounts showed that $45,423 had been paid. Mr. Miller explained that the original tenders did not include everything, and there was some confusion in the orders. The company during the last three years had done business with the Department to the extent of $296,000. It had lost money on a good deal of the work, and would not average a fair profit.

R. O. MacKay of Hamilton, whose steamer Golspie had been chartered to take supplies to the lighthouses, was asked why $7,500 was paid for the service when he had offered the boat for $5,800.

Mr. MacKay said the tender had referred to a smaller boat. The work had been got for him by Mr. Zimmerman, M.P.

Several others were examined, but owing to the lack of books there was nothing conclusive.

Treatment Successful.

Albany, Dec. 17.—Three patients died and 301 were discharged out of a total of 477 treated during the fiscal year just closed at the New York State Hospital for Treatment of Incipient Pulmonary Tuberculosis.

Of the 301 patients discharged, many were reported as cured and others as greatly benefited by the treatment.

The average number of patients treated during the year was 158, at a cost of $9.47 per week per capita, and a total for all purposes of $109,017.

Birks' Fire Loss.

Montreal, Dec. 17.—The Birks' fire losses are estimated as follows: Building and fixtures, $50,000; Birks' stock, $10,000; Notman & Sons, $4,000; Miss E. Christie, dressmaker, $2,500; Waring & Gillow, $1,500; Dr. J. B. Morrison, $500; Dr. C. F. Morrison, $250; Montreal Dental Supply Co., $400; Dr. Hamilton, $1,000; Manufacturers' Supply Co., $200; F. X. Stutz, $2,000. Total, $86,350.

Kent Farmers Plowing.

Chatham, Dec. 17.—The farmers of Dover Township, adjoining this city, are nearly all busily engaged in plowing. The ground is in perfect shape, and entirely free from frost.

This is the first time in many years that the farmers of Kent have been able to indulge in plowing one week before Christmas.

Zimmerman For the Senate.

Ottawa, Dec. 17.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier was waited on yesterday by Senator Gibson and W. O. Seeley, Liberal M.P. for Wentworth, who urged the early appointment of Adam Zimmerman, the defeated Liberal candidate in Hamilton West, to the Senate.

MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool and Chicago Wheat Futures Close Higher—Live Stock—Latest Quotations.

Wednesday Evening, Dec. 16.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day ½d higher than yesterday, and corn closed unchanged.

At Chicago, December wheat closed 1⅛c higher than yesterday; December corn closed ⅛c lower and December oats closed unchanged.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—July $1.04 bid, December 98⅛c bid, May $1.03 bid.

Oats—December 39c bid, May 45¼c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	$0 94 to	$0 95
Wheat, red, bush	0 94	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 90	0 91
Rye, bushel	0 60	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 55	....
Peas, bushel	0 [illegible]	....
Barley, bush	0 [illegible]	0 53
Oats, bushel	0 [illegible]	0 43

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 25
Butter, store lots	0 26	0 26
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb rolls	0 28	0 29
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 40	....
Eggs, cold storage	0 25	....
Cheese, large, lb	0 13½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11
Honey, combs, dozen	2 25	2 75

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 16.—Closing—Wheat—Spot, dull; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 11¼d; futures, steady; Dec., 7s 11¾d; March, 7s 7¾d; May, 7s 6¾d. Corn, spot quiet; new American, mixed, via Galveston, 5s 6d; futures, quiet; Jan., 5s 6d; March, 5s 5¾d. Bacon, Cumberland cut, weak, 42s; short clear backs, dull, 43s; clear bellies, steady, 40s. Turpentine spirits, quiet, 28s.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Steady—Hogs Are Weak at the Buffalo Market.

LONDON, Dec. 16.—London cables for cattle are steady at 12½c to 13½c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10½c to 10½c per lb.

Montreal Live Stock.

MONTREAL, Dec. 16.—(Special.)—At the Canadian Pacific Live Stock Market the receipts were 3000 cattle, 40 milch cows, 200 sheep and lambs, 1700 hogs and 200 calves.

Trade was rather dull and prices had a downward tendency. A carload of extra steers were sold at 5c per lb., and a few were sold singly at 5¼c, while the general prices of prime beeves were 4¾c per lb.; pretty good animals sold at 3½c to 4¼c; the common stock at 2½c to 3¼c per lb. There were some extra large milch cows on the market, which sold at $65 to $80 each; the other cows sold at $30 to $50 each. Calves sold at 3c to 5c per lb. Sheep sold at 3¼c to 4c, and the lambs at 5¼c to 6c per lb. Demand for live hogs was good and prices ruled steady at $6.60 to $6.75 per 100 lbs. for selected lots, weighed off cars.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, N.Y., Dec. 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 200 head; steady; prime steers, $6.50 to $7.

Veals—Receipts, 325 head; active and steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 6000 head; slow; heavy, 10c to 20c lower; light, 25c to 35c lower; heavy and mixed, $5.75 to $5.85; yorkers, $5.20 to $5.75; pigs, $4 to $5.10; roughs, $5 to $5.30; dairies, $5.40 to $5.75.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 5400 head; slow; sheep, steady; lambs, opened strong, closing lower; lambs, $5 to $7.65; a few $7.75, closing $7.50; Canada lambs, $7 to $7.25; a few, $7.35.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Dec. 16.—Beeves—Receipts, 2040; steers, slow and 10c lower; bulls and cows, steady; steers, $4.90 to $6.90; oxen and stags, $3.75 to $5.40; bulls, $2.25 to $4.65; cows, $1.25 to $4.25. Cables for top, [illegible] Exports to-day, 4800 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 1438 head. Veals, $5c lower; barnyard and western calves, dull, but about steady. Veals, $5 to $10; culls, $4; barnyard calves, $2.75 to $4.25; common western, do., $3.50; Indiana do., $4 to $5.25.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 5539; sheep, weak; lambs, slow, but firmly held; choice stock, 10c higher. Sheep, $2.50 to $4.12½; culls, $2 to $2.25; lambs, $6 to $7.62½; culls, $5.50 to $4.75; yearlings, $5.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 7353; nominally steady at $5.90 to $6; heavy hogs, might exceed quotations.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Dec. 16.—Cattle—Receipts, about 14,000; market weak to 10c lower; steers, $4.60 to $7.80; cows, $3 to $5.25; heifers, $2.50 to $4.90; bulls, $2.75 to $4.50; calves, $2.50 to $8.25; stockers and feeders, $2.50 to $4.85.

Hogs—Receipts, 46,000; market 5c to 10c lower; choice heavy shipping, $5.70 to $5.75; butchers, $5.65 to $5.75; light mixed, $5 to $5.25; choice light, $5.30 to $5.45; packing, $5.40 to $5.65; pigs, $4 to $5.15; bulk of sales, $5.40 to $5.60.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts estimated at 30,000; market 15c to 25c lower; sheep, $4 to $4.75; lambs, $5.25 to $7.20; yearlings, $4.25 to $6.50.

Public School For Mutes.

New York, Dec. 17.—Many city officials yesterday witnessed the dedication of the first public day school for deaf children to be opened in this city, and also many impressive demonstrations of lip reading methods which the school has adopted to the utter exclusion of the old finger-sign system.

Collision on C.P.R.

Richmond, Vt., Dec. 17.—In a head on collision of freight trains near East Richford, on the Canadian Pacific Railroad late yesterday, Orrin Pickle, a fireman, was killed and four other train hands injured. The locomotives were demolished and six cars burned.

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IMPORTANT MOTION ADDED TO CONSTITUTION OF CITY HOCKEY LEAGUE LAST NIGHT

Lively Meeting Held—Six Clubs for the League—Mr. F. A. Clarke, a Life Member of Executive—Assistance to Junior City League

SCHEDULE AT NEXT MEETING

That the interest in the Peterborough City Hockey League has reached fever heat was well illustrated last night at the meeting in the Y. M. C. A. parlours. Representatives from the Strathconas, West Ends, Rough Riders, T. A. S. and Lakefields were present and the application for entrance by the Belmonts represented by Harry Clarke was accepted. The Y. M. C. A. who had entered have decided not to play this season and on motion it was arranged to refund them their entrance fee of two dollars. This leaves six teams in the league which should this year be a better success than ever.

The meeting was presided over by President C G Graham. Among those present were Messrs. McNorn and Butcher of the West Ends; Wilson and Weatherston of the Strathconas Harry Clarke of the Belmonts; Quinn and Hurl of the Lakefields; Giroux of the Rough Riders; Denneard and Derocher of the T. A. S. and Messrs. E. N. McWilliams and F. A. Clarke.

Discussion was begun early during the meeting on an amendment to the present constitution respecting the playing of the players in the City League this year and the effect in their standing should they play in the Intermediate O. H. A. and finally on motion of Messrs. Derocher and Wilson it was decided that those players who have never played intermediate or senior O. H. A prior to the season of 1907-08 would be elegible to play in the City Hockey League this season. The various representatives with the exception of Lakefields voted in favour of the motion.

Time for Amendments

Mr E N McWilliams introduced a motion to the effect that any amendments to be added to the constitution must be considered at the annual meetings and that notices of these amendments be given to the secretary at least two weeks prior to the annual meetings. This was seconded by Mr. Quinn and carried.

On motion of Messrs. McWilliams and Denneard it was decided that in the consideration of protests representatives of the clubs interested be not allowed to vote.

Life Member of the Executive

In view of the interest and progressiveness shown by ex-president F. A. Clarke it was unanimously agreed that right to make him a life member of the executive.

A motion governing this was made by Messrs. Wilson and Harry Clarke and met with universal favour from those present. Mr. Graham referred to his excellent services of the past and no doubt this honour will be appreciated by any who have any connection with the league.

Mr. Denneard, secretary of the Junior City Hockey League submitted a proposition by which the junior teams could play their games on Thursday nights prior to the senior games. Mr. H. Clarke moved that each team in the Junior League be given twenty tickets to sell on order to help them pay for the ice for their respective games and also that each team pay $5 from the sale of these tickets to the Senior City League for the privelege. This was seconded by Mr. Denneard and carried.

The present secretary B. F. Huston, gave notice of his resignation and the appointment of a successor was left with the executive.

The next meeting of the league will be held on Monday, Dec. 28th, when the schedule will be drawn up, and when each team will require to have its guarantee of $20 ready to be handed over to the secretary.

THE FIRST HOCKEY OF THE SEASON; BILL MILBURN TRAINER OF TEAM

The first hockey practice of the season for the intermediate O.H.A. team will be held to-night at Brock street rink between 7 and 8 o'clock. All candidates for the senior team are asked to be out in uniform, as the players should take every opportunity to get into shape as soon as possible. A good sheet of ice is available to-night, and there should be a big squad of players on hand for the initial work-out of the season.

"Bill" Milburn, who assisted Dick Baker in looking after the Strathconas last season, and who succeeded him as trainer for the T.M.C.A. Harriers, has been secured by the Club as trainer for the two teams, and will be on hand to-night to look after the players for whom everything is ready at the rink. He guarantees to have the squad in good condition for the opening game.

LONGBOAT AND SHRUBB MAY COME TOGETHER IN NEW YORK ON JAN. 9

New York, Dec. 16 — Two more Marathon races are being arranged for Madison Square Garden. The first is scheduled for the night of Jan. 9, between Tom Longboat, the Canadian Indian and vanquisher of Dorando Pietri, and Alfred, the English professional champion.

The closing event of the series will be the Marathon Derby, with Tom Longboat, Johnny Hayes, Dorando Pietri, and Alfred Shrubb as the contestants.

After winning last night's race, Longboat challenged Shrubb to run over the Marathon distance, and under the same conditions that governed the two races held at the Garden. Shrubb wishes a shorter race — not more than fifteen miles—but it is thought that if sufficient inducements are offered the Englishman will accept. Shrubb is a more scientific runner than even Hayes or Dorando.

Dorando rested to-day. He is under contract to run at Buffalo in about ten days, and he will later run at Chicago, St. Louis and San Francisco.

Longboat was around to-day feeling little effects of the race. He said there was never a moment from the start to the finish that he could not have come out and beat his opponent and would have smashed the record had Dorando not slowed up during the last five miles. He ran according to the instructions of his manager.

MEETING TO-NIGHT OF THE Y.M.C.A. TRACK AND FIELD CLUB

To-night at 7.30 the Y.M.C.A. Track and Field Club will meet in the Y. M.C.A. parlours for the election of officers for the coming year. A club of this kind is what is needed at the "Y" to promote and control athletic track and field events. From present indications, there will be a large attendance at the meeting to-night, and the club will get away to a good start.

Every member of the Y.M.C.A. who is interested in athletics is cordially invited to attend this meeting and offer any suggestions that will help make this club a success.

LONGBOAT SHOULD GIVE SHRUBB A RACE; CANADIAN PEOPLE WANT THE CONTEST

It's up to Tom Longboat to give Alf Shrubb a race now. The redskin by defeating Dorando on Tuesday night has gained many laurels for himself and for Canada but a victory over Shrubb would be a much more notable achievement. The little Englishman is a real champion, there is no getting around that fact, and after all what has Dorando or Hayes done in comparison to the feats of the 115 pounder who has made the name of Shrubb known from one end of the world to the other. The controversy between the two men on paper has been dragged out long enough and it is time it was settled one way or the other.

Shrubb seems to have made a most reasonable proposition to Flanagan in that he offered to run a series of three races with the Indian at 10, 15 and 20 miles. You might just as well ask Longboat for one race at ten miles as to ask Shrubb to meet the Onondaga at twenty. The last is Longboat's distance and the former is Shrubb's; therefore each would have a race at his favourite distance, while 15 miles is fair halfway house between the two distances for the third race. Not until Shrubb is disposed of can Longboat claim to be a world's champion and the Canadian people would like to see the matter settled. True the boasting of some of Shrubb's supporters has rather soured Canadians on the Englishman, but the fact remains that for eleven years he has been cleaning up all comers in both amateur and professional circles in the British Isles, France, Australia, United States and Canada.

There are many people who will not be satisfied until the question of which is the better man is settled.

INDIAN TOYED WITH THE ITALIAN; LAUGHED AT HIM ALL THE WAY

Lou Marsh's account in the Toronto Star of the Dorando-Longboat battle had the following:

New York, Dec. 16.—Tom Longboat is the world's long-distance champion. Beaten in England, in the great Marathon he came right back, and beat the game little Italian who won and lost the Olympic classic, and then came over here and trimmed J. J. Hayes, the official victor.

Tom Longboat's victory was remarkable. Only half in shape, and with his friends so fearful that he hadn't enough of the old reserve to stand such a gruelling grind that they refused to wager anything worth while on him, he beat Dorando, and beat him soundly.

He worried Dorando into collapse, and when the Italian lay writhing in agony on the ground, he galloped by, and won all alone. Collapse came when they were only eight laps, or four-fifths of a mile, to go.

Dorando, who was gamely trying to hold the Onondaga's wonderful spurt, suddenly pitched upon his face and rolled into the crowd.

It was dramatic in the extreme.

Longboat, the little son of Italy all the way, suddenly jumped him on the last mile. The Italian laid behind, and when the Indian was out in front gobbling up the sawdust trail in giant strides, the olive-hued champion's little sturdy legs were twinkling in and out.

The excitable Italians were waving national flags, and screaming in a half frenzy for their beloved champion to come again. Earlier in the race Longboat had yanked the Italian a couple of fast quarters half a dozen times, and then side-stepped, and let the little fellow by, on the rail. Only those on the side of the house where he did the Alphonse-Gaston act knew he was only toying with Dorando and when he came back in the lead they thought Dorando had out-speeded the lean, hungry wolf of the north.

LONGBOAT SAYS THAT SIMPSON COULD BEAT DORANDO WITHOUT DIFFICULTY

New York, Dec. 16.—"It was a circle all the way," said Tom Longboat after the race, "I was always running easily, and after the fifth mile I knew I had him. I wasn't in shape but when he made it an easy pace I knew it was all over. The next time I meet him I'll beat him a mile. There are better men in Canada than Dorando. Hulmer, Simpson, Wood, and Coley are all better men."

Flanagan Satisfied

"Say, Longboat has proven what I have always contended," said Tom Flanagan "that he was the world's best distance runner, and I am satisfied now to quit the game."

After Shrubb now

Longboat says he will run any man in the world now, any distance above fifteen miles.

"I am after Shrubb now," says Longboat.

EDMONTON PILES UP BIG SCORE AGAINST STRATHCONAS

The Edmonton Bulletin of Dec. 12th has the following:—

At the Thistle Rink last evening the Edmonton Stanley Cup challenge team clearly demonstrated their ability to play fast hockey and aroused the hope for winning the Stanley Cup in the 2,000 spectators who witnessed them play. The event was advertised as a match with Strathcona, but the Edmonton team was so much faster than their opponents that the latter were never in it at any stage of the game. Notwithstanding the obvious inequality of the teams the game was well worth seeing, for it gave the Edmonton sports a chance to see that they were getting good value for their money in the team that has been engaged to go east and take a fall out of the Montreal Wanderers.

The final score last evening was 21 to 0 in Edmonton's favour and just about indicates the relative strength of the two teams, Strathcona has a number of good players but they are not in the same class with the bunch of puck chasers which Manager Whitcroft and the Edmonton Hockey Club executive have got together. The Strathcona players were unable to make any head, however, against Edmonton, and as the score against them mounted upwards they gradually lost heart. Parr, the Strathcona goal keeper, worked overtime all through the game, and it was largely due to his efforts that the score was not 42 instead of 21. He is a splendid man in goal and stopped numerous hot ones. But when four forwards are raining shots on goal from every direction with two defence men taking occasional spurts down the ice to try their hand, it would need a stone wall in front of the nets to keep the puck out.

The following was the line-up:—

Edmonton		Strathcona
	Goal	
Lindsay		Parr
	Point	
Ross		Ellis
	Cover	
Pitrie		Lendrum
	Rover	
Whitcroft		Lynn
	Centre	
Hall		Bud Kent
	Right	
Miller		A. Kent
	Left	
McNamara		Graban

Referee: Harold Deeton.

ST. ANDREW'S GUILD READY FOR HOCKEY

Manager and Committee Selected—Going for Evergreens.

St. Andrews Young Men's Guild at their meeting this week made some arrangements regarding their hockey team for the season. Mr. Mortimer Johnson was selected manager and a committee composed of Messrs. Donaldson, Rae and McDonald was chosen. The Guild have entered a team in the Church League which meets on Friday night to draw up the schedule.

Every member of the Guild is requested to be present at the church to-morrow night at seven o'clock to go out after evergreens for Christmas decorations in the church.

BASKET-BALL.

The Lindsay Free Press says of Tuesday's basket ball game:

Longboat did the trick with Dorando last night, but on the same evening the local Y.M.C.A. intermediate basketball team was trimmed to the tune of 27—15 by the Y.M.C.A. senior team of Peterborough.

The locals were utterly outclassed in weight and height, the Porridge Town boys being young men, but nevertheless the local kids kept them hustling, and with a few more heavy practices with the pigskin will show the fast eastern town where they get off at.

The Peterborough team were a bunch of gentlemen, and of fine standing in the basketball circles, and certainly gave the locals a few pointers in the "com." question here last evening.

The game was, all the way through, quite exciting and enjoyable to the large gathering of townspeople, who almost filled the stand seats.

Mr. Eaddie refereed the game to the satisfaction of all, and to neither team was there any partiality shown by the local physical director.

The line-up of the teams was as follows:

Peterborough—G. Lees, G. Martin, defence P Wallace, centre; M. Dobbin, H Cressman, forward.

Lindsay—Wm. McMahon, D. Newton, defence, H. Newsome, centre; H. Higinbotham, I. Connell, forward; Mercer, spare.

Referee—Mr. Eaddie.

Time and tallykeeper—F. Chapman.

HOCKEY

Belleville Intelligencer: Trenton is touted to win the junior championship of this group. But they have to reckon with Picton first, and there is a bunch of youngsters in this city who will see the bells ringing a few before the championship is loaded up and taken away. Keep your eye on the Belleville kids.

The George street Sunday School Hockey Club will practise to-night at the Brock street rink from 6 to 7 o'clock and the O.H.A. team from 7 to 8. The latter will be an open practice and a large number is expected to turn out.

The T.A.S. have secured their practice hours for Saturday between the hours of 7 and 8, and Tuesday from 10 to 11, instead of on Friday from 7 to 8. The Rough Riders will practice from 5 to 6 on Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

A meeting of the church hockey league will be held to-morrow night at the Y. M. C. A. at 8 o'clock to draw up the schedule. Teams desiring to enter must be represented and must have their entrance fee and deposit guarantee.

A special meeting of the executive of the Peterborough Hockey Club will be held this evening at the Oriental, at 9 o'clock.

A meeting of the Belmont Club will be held to-night at their rooms at 8 o'clock to discuss the hockey situation.

ATHLETICS

A special meeting of the T. A. S. Athletic Club is called for Friday evening in the rooms, to which all those interested in hockey are invited. Those who have tickets out are requested to return them that evening. Besides general business there will be a discussion on the hockey practice and other affairs connected with the team.

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Lindsay Local	9.55 a.m. 9.05 p.m
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	9.55 a.m. 9.05 a.m 3.05 p.m. 11.45 a.m
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To Elect Officers
—Court Peterborough, C.O.F., No. 29, will elect their officers to-morrow evening in their hall Simcoe street. A large attendance is requested.

Literary Society
—The regular fortnightly meeting of the Ladies' Literary Society of St. Peter's T.A.S., will be held on Friday evening, when a paper will be read by Miss Alice Moloney. 3d

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—The change of season affects pianos as well as everything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano-maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

THE EXAMINER welcomes all Items of Interest for this column. Phone 234 or send post card with name and address.

Mrs. Quigley, of Lakefield, was in the city to-day.

Miss Cora Hunter of Lakefield was in the city yesterday.

Miss Myrtle Kline of Lakefield, was in the city this morning.

Miss Marguerit Webster, of Lakefield, was in the city this morning.

Mr and Mrs Theodore Crawford of Lakefield were in the city yesterday.

The Misses Lizzie and Eva Irwin left on Tuesday evening to spend a week in Toronto.

Miss Molly Young and Miss Irene Young, of Young's Point, were in the city this morning.

Mrs. Hitchcock, of Toronto, who has been spending a few days in Lakefield passed through the city on her way home to-day.

Messrs. Ralph Quinn and W K Hudson returned yesterday evening from the School of Pharmacy, Toronto, and will remain here for the holidays.

Rev. J E J Millyard, of Birr, London Conference, has accepted an invitation to Tweed, Bay of Quinte Conference; and Rev. J F Chapman, B.A., of Pontypool, Bay of Quinte Conference, an invitation to Barr.—Christian Guardian.

Mrs Jas. Sutherland, Sr., has returned from Boston, where she spent the last eight weeks visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. J. Renton. On her return journey Mrs. Sutherland visited her two daughters in Montreal and Havelock. She is very much improved in health, a fact her many friends will learn with pleasure.

Good skating at Brock Street Rink to-night. Ice in excellent condition.

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Examiner Special.

Bowmanville, Ont., Dec. 17.—Brakeman Reed, who is accused of throwing the switch open and thus causing the wreck of the C. P. R. at Sandbank, on November 23rd, which resulted in the death of three persons, appeared before Magistrate Hersey this morning, and was committed for trial at the next sessions. He was released on furnishing security of $2,000.

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Electric Lights Were Out of Commission for a Short Time Last Night.

Last night the electric power failed for a short time and many places waited hopefully for their return to a brilliant glow. Mid-weekly prayer meetings were to be held and for a short time and many places would have to be cancelled. In St. Peter's Cathedral the advent devotions had not yet commenced but the church was rapidly filling up. The incandescents all but went out and the dull glow encouraged the idea that it was not for good. In about ten minutes the power returned.

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ADDRESS ON LIFE IN SICK CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

To be Given at St. Andrew's Church To-morrow Night by Dr. McPherson

Dr. A W McPherson will give an address on "Life in the Sick Children's Hospital, Toronto," to-morrow night in St. Andrew's Lecture Room. address is given under the auspices of the St. Andrew's Boys' Guild, and all the Boys' Clubs and Guilds in the city are cordially invited. The meeting is open to the public, and an offering will be made to the Sick Children's Hospital.

REPAIRING THE ROOF OF THE NEW SHOP

Work has commenced in laying tin strips around the edge of the new transformer building at the C. G. E. Works. It is stated that the roof has leaked so much that this has been found necessary and the men have begun to lay along the edge where the leak was noticed.

The employees of the wire and lamp departments have resumed the regular ten hour a day work. Most of the other departments are still running eight hours.

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To-night another special meeting of the Peterborough Poultry Association will be held in their hall over D. N. Brown's store, Simcoe street. Every member, old and new, is urgently requested to be present as the time is drawing near when the show will be held.

Inquiries are still coming in to the secretary for prize lists and a large number of outside exhibitors are expected.

SCHOOL COOKERY CLASSES

Friday, Dec. 18, 1908; afternoon, 3 to 6, evening 8 to 10.

Princess Drawing Room: afternoon and evening — Domestic Arts and Crafts Exhibit, Amateur Photography, Pillow Lace making, 4 to 4.30; Spinning, 4.30 to 5.

Gymnasium, afternoon and evening—Christmas pudding table, Cake and Candy table. Afternoon tea 3.30 to 5.30; 3.30 to 4, Candy making. 4 to 4.30, Bunbury tart making; 4.30 to 5, Cake making; 5 to 5.30 Ice cream making.

Evening 8 to 8.30 Candy making; 8.30 to 9, Reveries of a Bachelor; 9 to 9.30 pastry making; 9.30 to 10, the setting of an Invalids' tray, Tea, ice cream and cake, 9 to 10 p.m. Admission 25 cents.

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Great Northern	145½	143⅝
L.N.	128½	121⅞
Mo. Pac.	65½	63½
Northern Pacific	140⅝	141
N.Y.C.	121½	119½
Penna	130½	129½
R.I.	28⅝	28⅝
Rdg.	140⅝	140⅝
Smelters	86	84½
Soo	132⅝	131
St. Paul	149½	148
S.P	121	119⅝
U.P.	182½	180⅞
U.S	54½	53
U.S. pf'd.	111⅝	110½
Twin City	94½	94½
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Please take notice and don't forget the lecture to be given by Mr. J. R. Bengough, the nephew of Canada's greatest cartoonist, Mr. Elven Bengough, will deliver an instructive lecture on "The Symbol Life," that will be of interest to all, especially to young men.

The lecture will be given in the Park Street Baptist Church, Friday evening, December 18th, under the auspices of the South City A. A. A. Admission 15c. 2dwf

LARGE MEETING HELD IN LAKEFIELD

Mrs. Hitchcock Speaks on the Subject of Temperance.

At Lakefield on Wednesday night one of the largest meetings that have ever been seen was held in the town hall. The hall was crowded and a large number had to stand. The subject was Local Option and the meeting was addressed by Mrs. Hitchcock, of Toronto.

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INQUIRY INTO MARINE AFFAIRS

An Ottawa Marine Official Took $3,000 Safe Witness.

ACCUSED CALLS IT A LIE

J. B. A. Boudreau Is Charged Before Marine Inquiry With Getting Three Checks From Holliday Bros. In Connection With Payment For Work on Steamer—J. U. Gregory's Nephew on the Stand.

Ottawa, Dec. 18.—A mass of contradictory evidence was presented at the Marine enquiry yesterday.

A sensational story that $3,000 had been given to J. B. A. Boudreau of the Marine Department in Ottawa in connection with payment for the services of the King Edward of the Holliday Brothers steamship line was the feature of the morning session. The story was told by James Holliday, second hand. Though he was the man alleged to have signed the checks he swore he had no recollection of doing it and simply repeated what Van Felsen, a Quebec bank manager, had told him, that he did.

A. B. Van Felsen, who is a nephew of J. U. Gregory, the Marine agent at Quebec, in the afternoon, swore positively that in his office Mr. Holliday had made out three checks for $1,000 each payable to bearer, which he had cashed in other banks and then handed the money over to J. B. A. Boudreau of the Department at Ottawa for himself and others. The money was alleged to be for the passing through of Holliday Bros'. accounts with the Department which amounted to over $30,000.

Mr. Van Felsen stated that in June, 1901, the overdraft of Holliday Bros'. of Halifax at the People's Bank was about $20,000, and the bank would make no further advances. Mr. Holliday had told him the accounts of the firm with the Department amounted to about $32,000, and J. V. Gregory confirmed the amount. This was eventually deposited with a reduction of $2,000 for the King Edward, Mr. Van Felsen said he took the three checks referred to above, between June 4 and June 10 to other banks to get them cashed, as there was not enough money in the People's Bank to Holliday's account to pay the checks. He has no idea where the checks were now. He could not trace them. After Mr. Holliday had gone the transaction seemed so peculiar that he discussed it with Mr. Boudreau. He knew him by sight. As Mr. Boudreau was going out he asked the accountant to mark him well as he might want to identify him later.

"Then you knew you were taking part in a transaction which was not straightforward?" asked G. H. Watson, K.C.

"Yes, sir. I was the go-between," replied Van Felsen.

"When did you see Mr. Boudreau first that day?"

Witness said Mr. Boudreau had called in the morning and introduced himself as an official of the Marine Department of Ottawa, calling about Holliday's account. Before setting it, however, he said certain little things would have to be done, certain sums would have to be paid over.

Mr. Van Felsen said to him this was a hold-up and a shame and asked Boudreau to go to Holliday himself, but Boudreau said that was impossible, as his name could not appear. It had to be done through a third party. After some discussion Boudreau agreed to take $3,000. He told Boudreau he would put the proposition before Holliday and so the official of the Department left to return in the afternoon. Mr. Holliday when approached was excited and indignant. He claimed it a hold-up. His money had been held up long enough. Finally he agreed that perhaps it would be better to pay over the money or his account would be delayed still longer. He wrote the three checks payable to bearer on Van Felsen's suggestion in order that the transaction could not be traced. The money was secured from the Banque Nationale, Quebec Bank, and the Bank of Hochelaga. He got the money without endorsing the checks. Boudreau on getting the money said: "Of course, you know I cannot give you a receipt for this."

Witness then declared that he had been threatened by Boudreau and others over this matter. In Senator Choquette's house Boudreau had called him a liar and a scoundrel. Another man told him he would have to be careful or go to jail.

Asked why he had not made known these things at Quebec, he said Mr. Holliday had asked him not to go to court unless they could find the checks as evidence of the story of the payment. They consulted Hon. Mr. Taschereau and his advice was to keep out of court.

Mr. Watson here remarked that the appearance book in the Department showed Mr. Boudreau to have been in attendance June 3 to June 11, 1905, while witness said he had been in Quebec between June 4 and June 10.

Van Felsen said these were the dates to the best of his knowledge.

J. B. A. Boudreau, assistant accountant of the Marine Department since 1904, said he had no knowledge of these checks signed in the Department for payment. He found, however, by reference that they were made out on June 2, and sent out on June 14 or 15. He denied ever having been in Quebec during June, 1905. He was there about July 10, but not in June. Mr. Van Felsen's statement of what had happened was false from beginning to end. He never got any money whatever from Van Felsen. He claimed the story to be a put up affair. He admitted that he had been in the People's Bank and met Van Felsen, but that was in August.

To this Mr. Van Felsen replied that the bank was closed up in August.

Mr. Boudreau then admitted that there was a possibility he had been mistaken. However, he was certain he had not been there in June.

PARLIAMENT IN TURKEY REOPENS

New Turkish Legislative Assembly Is Solemnly Inaugurated.

SULTAN AMONG HIS PEOPLE

Ruler Disarms Public Opinion by Driving Through the Streets of Constantinople Instead of Taking the Water Route—The Celebration Passes Off Without Slightest Trouble—Cheered by Crowds.

Constantinople, Dec. 18.—A new constitutional government was inaugurated yesterday with every sign of success. Brilliant weather favored the ceremonies attending the opening of the new Parliament, which was elected under the constitution promulgated by the Sultan last July and everything passed off without the slightest disorder.

Any fear that the Sultan may have had as to the temper of his subjects was dispelled by the ample display of whole-hearted enthusiasm. The fact that the Sultan came out openly to meet his people on this auspicious occasion has gone a long way towards removing the effects of past evils, which have been attributed to the palace rule while the grand vizier, Kiam II. Pasha, who insisted upon His Majesty coming by the road which passes through the European quarter of Pera and Stamboul, thus bringing the sovereign into contact with the masses, instead, as suggested by the timid-hearted, of proceeding by water, has shown his great wisdom and has by this move secured further success in the consolidation of the constitutional regime.

The opening of the Parliament was characterized by much solemnity. Two hundred deputies and senators, with the chiefs of various religious communities, a large number of other state dignitaries and ministers and the heads of the diplomatic missions, were present. With the exception of the Sultan's six sons, in the box adjoining the imperial box, no other princes were present.

From Congress to Parliament.

Washington, Dec. 18.—A resolution directing that best wishes and congratulations be sent to the newly-convened Parliament of Turkey was agreed to by both Houses of Congress.

Neighbors Donate Skin.

Windsor, Dec. 18.—John Delisle, a wealthy blacksmith of Anderson Township, was frightfully burned while working at his forge. He fell in a faint and a red-hot iron fell upon him burning the back of the leg from his hip to his foot.

Doctors have succeeded in grafting about 100 pieces of skin on Delisle's limb, and there are good chances of his recovery. The skin was obtained from the victim's family and neighbors, who volunteered the sacrifice.

Montreal Pool-Room Raided.

Montreal, Dec. 18.—The police were congratulating themselves on having closed up about all the pool-rooms in the city, when one was discovered in full blast and doing a rushing business in the rear of a saloon in St. Henri Ward.

When a visit was made by the police a blackboard and telegraph instrument were found and immediately confiscated, putting the proprietor out of business.

Cataract Will Fight Hard.

Brantford, Dec. 18.—The Cataract Power Co. has appointed an organizer here and will place canvassers in every ward next week in an endeavor to defeat the Hydro-Electric power by-law to raise $20,000, in addition to $55,000 voted last year.

The company makes the claim that its offer to the city has been misrepresented to the ratepayers.

Kingston's Deficit.

Kingston, Dec. 18.—Kingston will end the year with a deficit of $15,000. This is largely due to the extraordinary expenditure of the Board of Health in fighting smallpox, which cost about $12,000.

May Become Millionaires.

Madoc, Dec. 18.—R. Hugh Ross an uncle of Thomas Ross and Miss Ann Ross of this place, died recently in California, leaving an estate valued at $18,000,000. They may share in the distribution.

BIG SMELTING FIRM TO LOCATE IN CANADA

Anti-Trust Company Will Operate in Canada.

WILL ERECT MANY PLANTS

Corporation With Intention of Fighting Present Combine Will Operate in U. S., Canada and Mexico—Big Financiers Are In Conference Over the Scheme—Capital Is Twenty-Five Million Dollars.

New York, Dec. 18.—Official announcement is made that a large smelting and refining company is organizing, the object of which is to build smelters in this country, Canada and Mexico.

It will be backed by some of the strongest interests in the financial world, and among the directors, it is understood, will be men high up in the Amalgamated Copper Co. and the United States Steel Corporation. One of these will be William Rockefeller. Dr. L. D. Ricketts of the Greene Cananea Copper Co. and Mr. Matheson of the Anaconda Smelter have been in the city in connection with the organization of the company.

The new company will cater to the metal and mining trade of Canada, Mexico, Utah, Colorado, Michigan and Montana, and will build smelters in this territory, and possibly Arizona. Its capital will be $25,000,000. It will compete with the Smelters' trust.

A large number of mining experts and legal representatives of the Cole-Ryan properties have been in the city for the last few days, perfecting plans of organization. The names of the interests identified with the new company will be made public within a short time.

Hains Looked For Annis.

Flushing, N.Y., Dec. 18.—Frederick A. Storm, a real estate dealer, testified yesterday in the trial of Thornton J. Hains, as principal witness with his brother, Capt. Peter S. Hains, in the killing of William E. Annis, that the defendant had enquired as to the whereabouts of Annis shortly before the latter sailed up to the dock where he was shot.

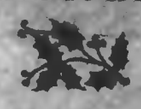
"Thornton Hains stopped talking about real estate and asked me where Annis was," said the witness. "I pointed out Annis' boat, then sailing toward the float." The shooting of Annis followed.

It is upon this statement of Storm the state hinges its contention that the Hains' brothers hunted up Annis for the purpose of killing him, and that the real estate enquiry at the yacht club was a blind.

Five Years For Hold Up.

North Bay, Dec. 18.—Joseph Varone, an Italian, was sentenced by Judge Valin to five years in Kingston Penitentiary for theft. Varone was implicated in the hold-up at Cobalt recently when several Italians coming from the mines were relieved of their savings by a gang of four Italians armed with knives.

HIS CHRISTMAS



In the hustle and the bustle of the Christmas Season after the hard trying summer months, one feels that it is all over on Christmas Morn, the happiest time of the whole year and is ready to take a new lease of life. Christmas day in the home is indeed a most joyous day, everyone making everyone else happy—perhaps only by a pleasant look, a kindness but usually by some token of remembrance—inexpensive it may be, yet the deed in itself reflects the good feeling that is imparted. How about father or big brother? have you thought of their neighbors? certainly you have! but have you decided yet on what you will give? Come and let us help you; we know the innermost feelings and wishes of the average man, the man of taste.

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To Help Children.

Kingston, Dec. 18.—The Children's Aid Society will ask for legislation by which the society can intervene when parents neglect to train their children in some useful calling, trade, or business, and allow them to grow up in idleness. Rev. Alex. Laird of the Royal Military College has been chosen president.

Stove Causes Serious Fire.

St. Thomas, Dec. 18.—Fire caused about $5,000 to $7,000 damage to G. W. Midgley's clothing store here early yesterday morning. The blaze was started by a stove in a lodge room in the second story setting fire to the floor and falling through on to the gas meter.

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ROSEMARY IN SEARCH OF A FATHER . . .

Continued from last Saturday

She had sat down on a bench between a French "nou-nou" with a wonderful headdress and a hawk visaged old lady with a golden wig and had fixed her eyes upon the Casino door when the throb-throb of a motor caught her attention.

Now, an automobile was a marvelous dragon for Rosemary, and she could never see too many for her pleasure. Above all things, she would have loved a spin on the back of such a dragon, and she liked choosing favorites from among the dragon brood.

A splendid dark blue one was panting and quivering before the door of the Hotel de Paris, having just been started by a slim chauffeur in a short fur coat. As Rosemary gazed, deciding that this was the noblest dragon of them all, a young man ran down the steps of the hotel and got into the car. He took his place in the driver's seat, laid his hand on the steering wheel as if he were caressing a baby's head, the chauffeur sprang up beside his master, and they were off. But with a cry Rosemary rushed across the road.

The nou-nou shrieked and hugged her muffled charge, the old lady screamed, and all the other old ladies and young ladies and pretty girls sitting on the benches or walking about screamed too.

The man who drove was pale under his coat of brown tan as with a crash of machinery he brought the big blue car to a stop so close to the child that its glittering bonnet touched her coat. He did not say a word for an instant, for his lips were pressed so tightly together that they were a white line.

That beautiful little golden haired, smiling thing, so full of life! But it was all right now. She was smiling still, as if she did not guess the deadly peril she had just escaped.

"Don't you know, little one," he asked gently, "that it's very dangerous to run in front of automobiles?"

"Oh, but I wanted so much to stop you!" said Rosemary.

"Why, do you know me?" and the young man smiled such a pleasant smile, with a gleam of white teeth, that the child was more than ever sure she had done right.

"Yes, I know you by 'eavensenthinstinct." She got out the long word with a gasp or two, but it was a great success. She had not mixed up a single syllable.

The young man burst out laughing. "Where's your nurse?" he asked.

"In London," said Rosemary. "She isn't my nurse any more."

"Well, your mother"—

"She isn't"—

"What! Are you going to tell me she isn't your mother any more? Are you out 'on your own,' little lady?"

"I don't know what that is, and my mother's my mother just as usual, thank you," said Rosemary, with dignity. "She's quite well, but she doesn't know I came out to look for you."

"Oh, doesn't she?" echoed the young man in the car. "Then don't you think the best thing you can do is to let me take you back to her?"

"She won't be home yet, not till it's dark, I expect," said the child.

"Oh, that's a long time yet! Well, since you know me wouldn't you like to climb in and have a little run?"

"May I, truly and really?" The little face grew pink with joy.

"Truly and really—if you're not afraid."

"What should I be afraid of?" Rosemary asked.

"I was talking nonsense. Get down, Paul, and put her into the tonneau. You'd better sit by her perhaps."

The chauffeur proceeded to obey, but when the child found herself being tucked into a back seat of the car she gave a little protesting cry. "Oh, can't I sit in front with you?"

"Of course you can if you like. Paul, wrap her up well in the rug. Now, little one, we're going to start. I won't take you too fast."

He turned the car and, passing the Casino, drove up the hill, taking the direction of Mentone when he had reached the top. He had not been over this road before, as he had arrived by way of Nice yesterday, but he had studied road maps and knew both how and where he wished to go.

"Now," said he, driving carefully, "how do you like it?"

"Oh, it's wonderful!" answered Rosemary, with a rapt smile on her rosy face.

"Have you ever motored before?"

She shook her head. "Never!"

"Brave baby."

"I don't usually care to be called a baby," she remarked, "but I don't mind from you."

"I'm especially favored, it seems," said the young man. "Tell me how you happen to know me. I can't think, I must confess, unless it was on shipboard"—

"There! I knew perfectly well it was you!" broke in Rosemary, with a look of rapture. "You were on a ship, and you were lost at sea. But you're found again now because it's Christmas eve."

"I wasn't lost at sea, though, or I shouldn't be here with you," said Hugh Egerton. He glanced rather wistfully in a puzzled way at the lovely little face framed with blowing golden hair. There was something in the child's eyes which stabbed his heart, yet there was sweetness in the pain. "I'm afraid we're playing at cross purposes, aren't we?" he went on. "Was it on a ship that you saw me?"

"Oh, I didn't see you on the ship!" said Rosemary. "I only knew you went away on one. I haven't seen you for ever and ever so long—not since I was a tiny baby."

"By Jove! And you've remembered me all this time?"

"Not exactly remembered. It was the feeling I had in my heart, just as Jane said I would the minute I saw you, that told me it was you. That was why I ran to keep you from going on in your motor car, because if you had I might have lost you again for ever and ever."

"So you might," said puzzled Hugh Egerton, pleased as well as puzzled. "And that would never have done for either of us."

"It would have been dreadful," replied Rosemary, "to have to wait for another Christmas eve."

"Christmas eve seems a day for adventures," said Hugh. "One finds new friends—and dear little girls, and—goodness knows what I shall find next!"

"We must find Angel next," Rosemary assured him. "She'll be so glad to see you."

"Do you really think so? By the way, who is Angel?"

"Mother. Didn't you know that?"

"I expect I'd forgotten," Hugh answered. She looked so reproachful that not for the world would he have denied all knowledge of Angel. The child evidently took him for some one she had known. Perhaps she had seen a photograph of some long lost friend of her family who resembled him and she had sprung to a conclusion, as children do. But she was an exquisitely pretty and engaging little thing, a grand little pal, and worth cultivating. Hugh liked children, especially girls, though he had always been rather shy with them, not knowing exactly how they liked best to be entertained and finding it difficult to think of things to say in keeping up a conversation. But there was no such difficulty with this child. It was really interesting to draw the little creature out and see what she would say next. As for finding Angel, however, when the time came to do that he thought he would prefer to bid Angel's daughter goodby at the door. He had no fancy for scraping up an acquaintance with strangers through their children.

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Chapter Six

ROSEMARY sat in silence for a few moments, taking in the full meaning of her companion's answer to her last question. He had forgotten that Angel was Angel! Though she was warmly wrapped in a soft rug of silvery fur, a chill crept into her heart. Could it be that nurse's words about father had been true, after all, and, if they were, was she doing harm rather than good in bringing him home?

Presently Hugh waked out of his own thoughts and noticed the little girl's silence. "You're not afraid?" he asked, blissfully unconscious of offense. "I'm not driving too fast to please you?"

"Oh, no!" said Rosemary.

"You're not cold?"

"No, thank you."

"Nor tired?"

"No, not tired."

"But something is the matter?"

"I'm worrying," confessed the child.

"What about, little one?"

"I'm not sure if I ought to have spoken to you or have come with you, after all."

To save his life Hugh could not have helped laughing, though it was evidently a matter of serious importance. "What—do you think we ought to have a chaperon?" he asked. "Paul's in the tonneau, you know, and he's a most discreet chap."

"I don't know what a chaperon is," said Rosemary, "but will you promise not to be angry if I ask you something, and will you promise to answer, honor bright?"

"Yes, to both your questions."

"Were you really unkind to Angel before you were lost?"

This was a hard nut to crack if his past were not to be ruthlessly severed from Angel's by a word. He thought for a moment and then said, "Honor bright, I can't remember anything unkind I ever did to her."

"Oh, I'm so glad! I was afraid when you said you'd forgotten. But maybe her name wasn't Angel then?"

"That was it, I'm sure," replied Hugh soothingly. "Maybe you named her Angel yourself?"

"I don't know," said Rosemary. "She seems to have been it always, ever since I can remember. And she does look just like one, you know, she's so beautiful."

"I expect you remember a lot more about angels than I do, because it isn't so long since you came from where they live. But here we are in the woods at Cap Martin. Have you ever been here before?"

"Angel and I had a picnic here once, all by ourselves, and there were lots of sheep under the olive trees and a funny old shepherd who made music to them. Oh, I do love picnics! Don't you? Angel said if she were rich she'd take me on the loveliest kind of a picnic for Christmas; but, you see, it would cost too much money to do it, for we've hardly got any, especially since the comtesse doesn't pay us back."

"What kind of a picnic would it have been?" asked Hugh, driving along the beautiful shore road, where the wind blown pines lean for-

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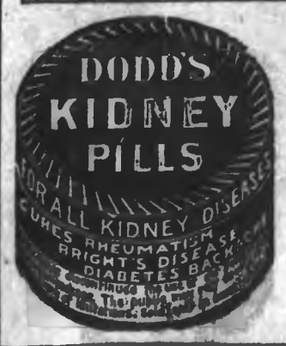

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Saturday, the 2nd Day of January, 1909

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ROSEMARY IN SEARCH OF A FATHER . .

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ward like transformed wood nymphs caught in a spell just as they spread out their arms to spring into the sea.

"Angel has told me lots of history stories about the strange rock villages in the mountains. There's one called Eze on top of a hill shaped almost like a horn. She showed me a picture of it. Children live up in the rock villages and never come down to the towns. They've never even seen any toys, like other children play with, Angel says. All the strangers who come here give presents to the poor in Monte Carlo and Mentone and big places like that, but they never think of the ones up in the mountains. Angel said how nice it would be, if we were rich, to buy toys—baskets and baskets full—and give them away to the children of Eze. Perhaps you are rich. Are you?"

"Richer than I thought, a few years ago, that I ever should be. I used to be poor until I dug and found some gold lying about in the ground."

"How splendid! I suppose the fairies showed you where to look. Jane says there are no fairies, but I do hope she's mistaken. I wish you would send up some presents to the little children at Eze."

"I will, lots, if you'll take them."

"Perhaps we could all go together."

"I'm afraid your mother wouldn't care for that."

"Yes, she would, because, if you were never unkind to her, like nurse said you were, she'll be most awfully glad to see you again. I shouldn't wonder if she'd cry for joy to have you with us always and take care of us. Oh, do let's go back now, and I'll take you to her! She will be surprised!"

"I should think she would," said Hugh. "But, look here, you said she wouldn't get back till dark. We've come to Mentone now. See how pretty the shops are for Christmas. Can't you stop and have some nice hot chocolate and cakes with me and afterward choose a doll for yourself as a Christmas present from your old friend?"

As he put this temptation before her he slowed down the car in front of a shop with big glass windows full of sparkling cakes and ribbon tied baskets of crystallized fruits. Through the windows Rosemary could see a great many well dressed people sitting at little marble tables, and it would have been delightful to go in, but she shook her head. The sun was setting over the sea. The sky was flooded with pink and gold, while all the air was rosy with a wonderful glow which painted the mountains, even the dappled gray plane trees, and the fronts of the gayly decorated shops.

The donkey women were leading their patient little animals away from the stand on the sea promenade up to Sorbio for the night, and their dark faces under the queer mushroom hats were ruddy and beautiful in the rose light.

"As soon as the sun goes down it gets dark here," said Rosemary regretfully. "Thank you very much, but I'd rather go home now. You see, I do so want you to be there already, waiting to surprise Angel when she comes in."

"No time even to buy a doll?"

"I'd rather go home, thank you. Besides, though I should like to have a new doll, perhaps darling Evie would be sad if I played with another."

Hugh was obediently turning the car's bonnet toward Monte Carlo, and for the fraction of a second he was foolish enough almost to lose control of it on account of a start he gave. "Evie!" he echoed.

It was years since he had spoken that name.

"She's my doll," explained Rosemary.

"Oh!" said Hugh.

"But I don't think she'd mind or be sad if you gave me a doll's house," went on the child, "if you should have time to get it for me by and by—that is, if you really want to give me something for Christmas, you know."

"Of course I do. But, tell me, why did you name your doll Evie?"

He put the question in a low voice, as if he were half ashamed of asking it, and as at that instant a tram boomed by Rosemary heard only the first words.

"I s'posed you would," she replied. "Fathers do like to give their little girls Christmas presents, Jane says. Maybe that's why they're obliged to come back always on Christmas eve if they've been lost. Do you know, even if there aren't any fairies, it's just like a fairy story having my father come back and take me to 'Angel in a motor car on Christmas eve."

"Good gracious!" exclaimed Hugh Egerton. "Did you say—father?"

"Yes," replied Rosemary. "You're almost like a fairy, father, I said."

So he was her father—her long lost father! Poor little lamb! He began to guess at the story now. There was a scamp of a father who had "not been very kind" to Angel and had been lost or had thoughtfully lost himself. For some extraordinary reason the child imagined that he—well, if it were not pathetic it would be funny. But somehow he did not feel much inclined to laugh. Poor little thing! His heart yearned over her, but the situation was becoming strained. Unless he could think of some good way out of it he might have a scene when he was obliged to rob the child of her father on reaching the door of her house.

"That's it," said he, calling all his tact to the rescue. "I am a fairy father, just as you thought. It's a mistake of Jane's about there being no fairies, only the trouble is fairies aren't so powerful as they used to be in the old days. Now, I should love to be able to stay with you for a long, long time, but because I'm only a poor fairy father I can't. We've been very happy together, and I'm tremendously glad you found me. I shall think of you and of this day often, but the cruel part is that when I bring you to your door I'm afraid I shall have to—vanish."

"Oh, how dreadful!" cried Rosemary, her voice quivering. "Must I lose you again?"

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Educated.

Mrs. S. was in a Richmond hospital, and she was lonely, so welcomed the advent of a very black and very languid maid who came in one morning to wipe up the floor. Some one new to talk to, so no time was lost.

"I have not seen you working around here before. Aren't you a new girl?"

Edmonia willingly let the cloth slip back into the bucket and sat flat upon the floor before answering.

"Yas'm, I's new. I's jest washin' up de floor. But I don't work. I's edjikated."

"And where were you educated?" was the next question.

"In a seminary." Then, with a burst of confidence: "There was me an' another girl workin' in a house. She was cook, an' I was chambermaid, an' we had great times about who would git de prize, but I beat." Then, after a pause, "She was easy to beat, 'cause she got smothered to death with gas de night before de 'zaminations come off."—Cleveland Leader.

A Pair of Poets.

Hearing a noise in the street before his house one morning, Robert Browning, the poet, went to his window and saw a great crowd gazing at some Chinamen in gorgeous costumes who were just leaving their carriages to mount his steps. Presently they were announced as the Chinese minister at the court of St. James and his suit. A solemn presentation having taken place, Browning said to the interpreter, "May I ask to what I am indebted for the honor of his excellency's visit?" The interpreter replied, "His excellency is a poet in his own country." Thereupon the two poets shook hands heartily. Browning then said, "May I ask to what branch of poetry his excellency devotes himself?" To which the interpreter answered, "His excellency devotes himself to poetical enigmas." At this Browning, recognizing fully the comic element in the situation, extended his hand most cordially, saying: "His excellency is thrice welcome. He is a brother indeed!"

When the Sun Grows Cold.

Dr. Fridjof Nansen predicts the fate of the earth in the far distant future, when the sun grows cold. The simple, low organisms, he says, will probably live longest, until even they disappear. Finally, he says, all water on the earth's surface will freeze and the oceans will be transformed into ice to the bottom. Some time later the carbonic acid of the atmosphere will begin to fall on the surface of the earth in the form of snow. Some time after that the temperature on the surface will have reached about 330 degrees below zero F. New oceans will then be formed by the atmosphere being turned into liquid, and the atmosphere of that future earth will be only hydrogen and helium. The sun will go through the same process. It will continue in its way as a dark star through space, accompanied by the planets.

Salt Lakes.

The Great Salt lake is gradually drying up, and the inhabitants of Salt Lake City seem quite surprised. They ought not to be. All salt lakes owe their salinity to the fact of their having no outlet, and a lake without an outlet is a dying lake.

Nor is death usually long delayed, speaking geologically. Lakes Koko Nor and Lob Nor were undoubtedly extensive inland seas not so very many decades ago, yet Sven Hedin found them reduced to mere acrid puddles set in the midst of well nigh limitless salt deserts that once were their beds.

The terrible Taklamakan depert, too, in which Hedin nearly died of thirst, was once the bed of just such a lake. So also were the salt deserts of Persia. Northern Tibet is studded with salt lakes in process of desiccation. The Aral and the Caspian seas were at one time far more extensive than is now the case, proving that they, too, are undergoing the inevitable process of desiccation to which all such bodies of water are sooner or later invariably subjected.—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

A Reassuring Truth.

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HOW TO DRESS AND CARE FOR THE PET DOG

EVERY girl who owns a dog is anxious that it shall be supplied with all the necessities, not to mention the luxuries, of a fashionable dog existence, and so much attention is now paid to the personal belongings of a pet dog, especially in the case of the small dogs, that there is almost as much to consider in relation to fitting out the pet dog as in supplying the wants of his mistress. Fashionable dogs have not only a most correct equipment of blankets, coats, collars, &c., but also an array of motor togs that might do credit to the wardrobe of a human being addicted to the sport of automobiling—a rainy day outfit, a complete assortment of boots and shoes, a special collection of plaything, an array of toilet articles in ivory and silver, a most elaborate travelling outfit, and last, but not least, a luxurious resting place for its idle hours at home.

At the present moment there are a number of new designs for motoring and other coats for dogs which have come from Paris and are being copied to order in this country also, which is the more satisfactory way, as the fit and color are then sure to be satisfactory. One of the most remarkable of the new designs has a full hood, which makes the dog look rather like the wolf who had eaten up Red Riding Hood's grandmother and was seeking to deceive the public by appearing in her hood. The arrangement is a most comfortable one, however, and in dogs' motor clothes, as in those for human beings, the style of the garment must sometimes be a little bit sacrificed to the comfort which it will afford. The hood has a ruffle around the face and a square bow like a stiff cravat bow at the neck. The coat which accompanies this hood folds well over the chest, so that the wind cannot creep in there, and is fastened with two substantial straps. It is considered most important that the protection across the chest should be ample. This coat and hood is made in leather, lined with fur, or of cloth with fur lining. The cravat is of leather. With a hood made of leather the ruffle would be omitted. When made of cloth the coat has one piece of cloth above another, and each layer of cloth is cut smaller than the lower layer, making a smart finish at the edges of the coat.

Another most remarkable new motor coat for dogs has a very large rolling collar, which is trimmed with metal ornaments like buttons, set on in groups of three at equal intervals around the collar. The same ornaments are used down the middle of the back of the coat and down each side of the front piece. This coat is made also of cloth, with a fur lining, or a cloth lined with cloth of another shade.

One of the most remarkable innovations in canine finery is the cape coat, which bears a strange resemblance to the cape overcoats which were once so fashionable for men's evening wear. Triple capes adorn the dog's coat, all of them turning back from the face in a most distinguished manner. In cold weather, however, it is possible to turn the innermost collar well up about the dog's ears. This coat buttons with four straps across the chest. Narrow braid is used to trim the coat, a pattern being worked around the borders of the collar and the coat itself. A narrow leather cord, or braid, is sometimes used for making this pattern instead of the braid. This coat is made of Melton, in tan, gray, &c., with the braiding in dark brown or black. It may also be made of a light weight leather.

MOTOR GOGGLES OF MANY SHAPES.

Motor goggles of various shapes are now on the market, and the important point in selecting one is to see that it is complete. The choice depends on the shape of the dog's head and nose and something can be found comfortable for every dog, so varied are the designs. Some of the goggles have a straight band of leather that goes up from the nose, while others have two bands that go up on each side of the head and connect with bands coming around the ears.

Collars are chosen, of course, with a view to their becomingness to the dog, and there is no rule laid down as to exactly what any breed of dog must wear. For the small, short haired dogs the collars with long hair ruches are very fashionable. Sometimes these are studded with jewels and sometimes with brass nails, the latter being a little newer, as the jewels have been used some time. The dog's name and the owner's monogram in gold or silver usually appears on the collar and any amount of ingenuity is expended upon the monogram.

Among the luxurious things for dogs recently imported are the most wonderful baskets, which have been devised in Paris. They are to be had only at fashionable milliners and modistes, where they seem a fitting addition to the chiffons and plumes which are provided for the dog's owners.

Some of these baskets are of gilded cane in the shape of a small peaked roof house. Pale blue and white brocade was used for the cushions of one of them, and there were tiny curtains of satin to match. An equally elaborate basket, which was open on the side, was fitted with rose colored brocade. The tiny brocade curtains, which were looped back from the top of the basket, were festooned with garlands of tiny artificial roses. A ball gown could not have been more delicate, nor more elaborate, nor would any ball gown, considering the relative size, have been so expensive.

Booties for rainy weather, mackintoshes, light weight, medium weight, heavy, and midwinter blankets, party collars, plain collars and collars to match special gowns of his mistress must all be included in a fashionable dog's trousseau. "Twelve blankets and a mackintosh" has been quoted as being the least possible equipment for a fashionable small dog. Besides this its handkerchiefs, monogrammed and made to fit its small pocket, must not be forgotten, nor his silver rattles and his solid rubber ball.

The most important thing to consider in taking care of a dog is its diet. Dogs should no more be allowed to eat what they wish than should children. Under ordinary circumstances the diet for a dog includes, besides the cod liver oil, biscuits and underdone mutton, underdone beef or a little scraped raw beef, occasionally a little fish, rice and milk or cream, crackers and milk and sponge cake and cream. Richer cakes and bon bons, although they may occasionally be given to a pet dog, are even more dangerous to its digestion than to that of a child. Dogs differ in constitution as do human beings, and it is necessary to watch them to see whether they are shy feeders or not. If they are too greedy they must be restrained: if they are shy feeders they must be helped along with a little cod liver oil, which they do not dislike. As a dog's digestive organs are not of the strongest it is necessary to give them a little highly nourishing food rather than a larger amount of food which is not so nourishing. When dogs are not strong they are given a tonic. For the small dog this may be one grain of saccharated iron mixed with their food at every meal.

All dogs, especially the toy dogs, have sluggish livers, more so than any human being. It is usually necessary to give them a dose of Rochelle salts every ten days in winter and every week in summer. This may be given in their food or put down their throats, using a cigarette paper as a funnel. Not quite one-half teaspoonful is given as a dose for a small dog. Vegetable pills are also used to stir up a sluggish liver, but there must not be a bit of mercury in the pills, as mercury is deadly to dogs.

A toy dog should never get a chicken bone, a turkey bone or any splintering bone, as the splinters are swallowed by the dog and are fatal. It is safe to give the dog a large bone that he can gnaw. The dog should never be permitted to take food at odd hours and from other places than home, as gastritis will result from irregular and improper feeding. Dogs are very prone to gastritis, and the disease is frequently fatal to them.

Fresh air and exercise are absolutely necessary to the wellbeing of dogs of all kinds. Every dog should be taken out at least twice a day, and the more hours spent out of doors the better, except in very bad weather, when precautions must be taken against pneumonia. It is better, however, that the precautions should be in the direction of warm wraps than in keeping the dogs housed. If a dog is allowed to stay indoors and not to take exercise it frequently falls a victim to yellow jaundice.

FRESH AIR NECESSARY.

When improperly exposed or changed from an overheated atmosphere to a cold one dogs frequently get pneumonia, which disease is quickly fatal to them. When a dog has pneumonia, to ease itself it sits up on its hind feet and hangs its head on one side. It cannot lie down. When it is found that a dog has pneumonia or any of the serious troubles cited a good doctor should be consulted without a moment's delay.

Indoors as well as out of doors fresh air is necessary to a dog, and if it is kept housed up in an overheated flat its blood will be affected and the ruin of its coat will inevitably follow. At night it should also have fresh air and should sleep in a place having a temperature of from 60 degrees to 65 degrees. The mat on which it sleeps should be changed at least twice a week.

In combing out the long hair of a dog the greatest care must be taken not to pull it. The motion to be employed is somewhat akin to kneading. A very open comb is used, which must get down to the skin to take out all the loose hairs. After this has been done a soft brush is used to give the coat the finishing touch. It is not correct for all dogs to have glossy coats. Good Pomeranians, for instance, have fluffy rather than glossy coats. In caring for toy spaniels a most important feature is the brushing out of the feathers on their ears and legs. To preserve these feathers and their coats as well the dogs should wear socks on their hind feet, so that they will not be able to scratch the feathers and destroy their fluffiness.

PRACTICAL TALKS BY THE APRIL GRANDMOTHER

"YOUR American young girls sit correctly is to hold the stomach in either pose or lounge whenever conscious that the gaze of the public is upon them.' That was Lady Critiquecliffe's comment as she directed her lorgnette across the diamond horseshoe the evening she sat in my opera box, and I had to admit the justice of her criticism. Self-conscious debutantes," continued the April Grandmother, "are apt to sit up like little ramrods throughout an entire act or—and it is infinitely more undignified—to half recline in a chair, leaning sidewise against an arm or resting one hand on the box rail. The girls who lounge in this manner are the most hopeless, as, unlike those of the ramrod type, they do not realize that neither at school nor at home have they been taught to sit correctly. While at school the average girl is permitted to sit on the edge of her chair and almost bend double as she curves her back above her desk when writing. Usually she rests her unoccupied hand on the paper, thus raising the left shoulder into an unnatural position and further rounding the back. Whereas, when not actually in use, the left hand should lie in the lap, and the practice of so placing it—palm upward—will help to keep the back straight. Meanwhile the head should be bent directly forward, instead of being slightly inclined to left or to right, and the chin held well away from the throat.

The kittenish pose of curling up on a chair, which so many young girls adopt when reading will do an immense amount of injury to the back as well as to the eyes. If a girl is really fatigued she should lie at full length, with lids closed, until thoroughly rested; but if she is inclined to stoutness she should be particularly wary about lounging, and as one means of remaining slender is to keep the spinal column erect, it is obvious that the back should be held straightly whenever its owner is in a sitting posture. An excellent way in which to acquire this vertical line is to practice balancing a small book on the crown of the head. This will force one to hold the head erectly and the spine will involuntarily imitate the good example. Another method of learning to sit correctly is to hold the stomach in and carry the head thrown backward, while an attitude that may conveniently be exercised three times daily is that of keeping the elbows as far as possible from the top of the table while at meals. To rest a cheek in the palm of a hand supported by a dining table is not only one of the etiquette laxities peculiar to the present decade, but it is a long stride toward habitual lounging.

"To sit correctly the soles of both feet should rest firmly upon the floor, the elbows should nearly touch the hips and the hands should lie on the lap. The shoulders will then assume their natural slope, and if the base of the spine nearly touches the rear of the chair seat it will be easy to lean backward in a restful and graceful posture. But the moment a girl sways against one side of her chair, grasps its arms with her hands, throws one arm across its back or props her chin on her knee-braced elbow she is in a fair way to contract the lounging habit which my English guest criticised.

"The remark of an old fashioned beau of ante-bellum days anent the inherent vulgarity of the feminine person who crosses her knees is quite as worthy of consideration to-day as when it was first uttered. Yet the number of refined young girls who habitually sit with crossed knees and with well developed feet plainly in evidence is astounding, particularly to those gentlewomen of an older day who, living in fear of exhibiting even their insteps, invariably sit with knees meeting and toe tips drawn beneath the skirt."

NOVELTIES IN DESK BOOKS.

DESK books are of such infinite variety and of such fascinatingly attractive appearance that they are charming gifts from one girl to another or to an older friend.

Engagement books are bound in embossed silk, in satin or moire and in walrus, pin seal, alligator, antique and grained leather. In the latter pelt are brought out shades like dull Indian red, with a darker tone of graining, verde grained upon green and tan on oiled brown.

Listed calling books are bound similarly to those used for registering engagements, and on their covers are inscribed the year and month dates in order that they may be conveniently consulted when necessary.

Diaries in all the fashionable light weight leathers, in taupe colored chamois and in corded silks are fitted with miniature padlocks, the key of which is attached to a chain worn about the owner's neck.

The baby's diary, in which admiring relatives eagerly inscribe all of his clever cooings and doings as well as the events of his daily life, is covered with fine white linen, silk or moire embroidered with forget-me-nots and stamped with his name in blue. Each satin smooth white page bears the day, month and year date, and at short intervals are casings for photographs taken at various stages of his career.

Birthday and autograph books are bound in fine soft leathers, rather elaborately lettered in embossed work and paged with thick satin surfaced paper. The covers, tied together with satin ribbon strings, delicately suggest that the merely curious are not expected to scan the contents.

Art needlework books containing rules and patterns for making an innumerable variety of knitting, crocheting, netting and embroidery are bound in taupe and tan colored heavy linen, decorated with hand painted floral designs, the edges of the cover joined with ribbon strings, bow knot tied.

Brides' books are the daintiest affairs of white satin or moire embroidered with silk or with ribbon work in pompadour designs. They carry silver lettering on the covers and contain special pages upon which the recipients may be pasted, a complete list of the attendants, guests, trousseau makers and domestic staff.

Magazine book covers are of flexible leather, silk or kid, equipped with strap handles which fold about the volume similarly to those on a hand bag.

Social Amenities for The School Girl.

GIRLS have a good deal of license these days in going about together, but they subject themselves to unpleasant criticism if they do not remember to be as well mannered in public as they are at home.

At matinees, for instance, where groups of young girls are frequently seen, and sometimes without a chaperon, there is great need of careful conduct, for persons, whether young or old, who are heedless of their manners in such a place make themselves not only disagreeable to those about them but conspicuous in a way not to be desired.

Jolly girls out for a good time sometimes forget that there are other persons in the world, and that these other persons, in a theatre, for example, are very near neighbors, with rights and privileges of their own, as well as their own way of taking their enjoyment. It is extremely trying to such people to be seated near girls who are heedless of every one but themselves.

These heedless girls laugh and talk in loud, unladylike tones between the acts and munch candy with avidity. During the play they often carry on conversation in whispers which can be plainly heard to the great annoyance of their neighbors, while many girls further disturb by being "wrigglers"—moving restlessly in their chairs, first an arm or a leg, or nervously fingering their programmes or their hats.

There is also the girl who, having seen the play before, cannot keep quiet through a second performance, but insists on whispering the development of the plot, as it goes along, to her companions. When the hero comes in she will tell what he is going to do and what the heroine will do, and whenever there is suspense in the plot she will explain exactly how it is all coming out. Not only her companions hear these things, but those sitting near are her victims, and as it spoils the play for them they do not feel very kindly toward the offender, who all the time is really quite unconscious of being objectionable.

Pray do not be this kind of girl. If you happen to know the play keep still and let others have the enjoyment of hearing it from the stage. Keep still in all circumstances while the play goes on—keep your tongue still and your body still. Between the acts chat all you like, provided you do it in quiet tones, but do not eat candy. It is as bad form to eat candy in a theatre as it would be in a street car.

Try not to be late to the play, for it is discourteous to disturb those who have taken the trouble to get there on time by your tardy arrival. The simplest way of disposing of your wraps is to check them, but should you not wish to do so remove them as soon as you get into your seat. If in spite of good intentions you are late slip off your wrap and hat before you go down the aisle, which will enable you to get seated with less disturbance to others. If you are sitting in a box it is not necessary to remove your hat, though you will wish to do so if you find it is obstructing the view of any one of your companions.

Inexpensive Christmas Gifts.

Work Bags.

"A STITCH in time saves nine" is a very good old proverb, and it would be well if many girls had taken it to heart and applied it to the work of making Christmas presents. No time like the present to start in, then there will not be the rush at the end to get things finished and off in time for them to reach their destination by Christmas morning. It is a very cheery feeling to wake up on Christmas and find our pile of presents neatly tied with ribbon and to know that our many friends have been thinking of us at this time of the year, when all troubles are put aside and good cheer and happiness ought to be in every home; but nothing goes so straight to the heart as home made presents, no matter how small, for what they lose in quantity is quite repaid by the loving thoughts and the time that has been spent on them by the busy girls and boys who offer them as the best evidence of their love and friendship. A bridge kit, or whatever one may choose to call it, is very easy and inexpensive to make. It requires about a yard and a half of flowered ribbon. Fold both ends deep enough to hold a bridge pad, then with the ribbon that is left in the centre make another pocket in which you put the cards. Run some ribbon around the top to draw it up, leaving enough to make ends to hang it on the arm or from the waist. These are very pretty and dainty when finished, and, as they are for bridge, of course most useful.

A work bag is useful for holding the different spools of silk, thus avoiding their getting all tangled up, an unfortunate occurrence that is so apt to happen: there is also a pocket for scissors and a thimble; thus the bag always looks neat. A powder case can be made of any little odd piece of silk and lined with chamois. Between the chamois and silk is put some good face powder, then little holes are cut in the chamois, which the powder can come out of when it is rubbed over the face. These cases are very easy to make and every girl is always delighted to receive one. The covering may be made as elaborate as one wishes. The male members of one's family are always the hardest to provide for, as there are so few things that one can make for a man. Of course, for the girl who has a brother at college nothing is more welcome than sofa cushions, the prettiest ones having the college crest stamped on the material and worked in outline, using the buttonhole stitch on the outer edge. Almost any shop will stamp the different crests. Then there is always the knitted or crocheted ties, which can be made in an infinite number of colors and stitches, and man has never yet owned more neckties than he could wear, so this gift is always acceptable. There are a great many more gifts that one can make, but it would take too much time and space to describe them all; but remember, girls, that the present that has had many loving stitches put in it is always more valued than the one that has cost twice as much but has come from a shop. So start in time and by doing a little each day, when Christmas comes there ought to be quite a little pile of presents to be distributed.

Needle Cases.

WHEN one wants to make a little gift for grandmother or any elderly friend or relative it is often difficult to know what to make that will be of any use to her. As women grow older they are not only apt to be pretty well supplied with all the dainty little trifles, but are also less inclined to use many of them. A very good solution of the question of what to make is a needle case with the needles all threaded. It is a great convenience not to have to thread a needle, especially when one's sight is not quite as clear and keen as it used to be.

This case is made of a piece of silk or brocade nine inches wide and fifteen inches long. It is lined with a piece of white flannel the same size. The two are held together by a binding of ribbon all around. One end of the case is turned over far enough to hold a spool of cotton and tacked at each end and in three other places, making four even spaces for the spools. In these are put a spool of coarse white cotton, one of fine white cotton, one of black cotton and one of black silk. Then a ribbon like the binding is run through all the spools and fastened at each end.

A whole paper of needles of the proper size is threaded on the silk or cotton of each spool, the thread pulled well through them, so there is no danger of its coming out, and the needles are quilted carefully into the flannel. The needles must be arranged in even rows running out from each spool across the case. As each needle is used the thread is pulled through all the others, so no new threading is needed until the whole row has been used. It is best to wind off at least one row of cotton from the spools before putting them in the case, as the cotton from full spools is apt to get tangled.

A piece of ribbon must be sewed to the middle of the end of the case opposite the spools; then the case is rolled around the spools and tied with this ribbon.

Christmas Cards.

PERSONAL Christmas cards are growing in favor. Many of the shops are making a specialty of having individual designs engraved or done in water colors with one's own verse added. Any size card can be ordered or a post card can be selected for conveying one's greetings of the season. Some of the cards are really quite elaborate, with the lettering done in gold and the design exquisitely handwrought.

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ROSEMARY IN SEARCH OF A FATHER . .

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"Perhaps I can write to you." Hugh tried to console her, feeling horribly guilty and helpless.

"That won't be the same. I do love you so much. Please don't vanish."

"I shall send you things—a doll's house for Evie. By the way, you didn't tell me why you named her that."

"After Angel, of course," returned the child absentmindedly. "But when you've vanished I"—

"Is your mother's name Evie?"

"Evelyn. But that's too long for a doll."

"Evelyn—what? You—you haven't told me your name yet."

"Rosemary Evelyn Clifford."

"Great heavens!"

"How strange your voice sounds!" said Rosemary. "Are you ill?"

"No—no! I feel a little odd; that's all."

"Oh, it isn't the vanishing coming on already! We're a long way from our hotel yet."

Hugh drove mechanically, though sky and sea and mountains seemed to be seething together, as if in the convulsions of an earthquake.

Her child! And her husband—what of him! The little one said he was lost; that he had not been kind. Hugh gritted his teeth together and heard only the singing of his blood in his ears. Was the man dead, or had he but disappeared! In any case she was here, alone in Monte Carlo, with her child, poor, unhappy, working by day, crying by night. He must see her at once—at once!

Yet—what if it were not she, after all, if the name were a coincidence! There might be other Evelyn Cliffords in the world. It must be that this was another. His Evelyn had married a rich and titled Englishman. She was Lady Clifford. The things that had happened to Rosemary's Angel could not have happened to her. Still, he must know, and know quickly.

"Where do you live, little Rosemary?" he asked, grimly schooling his voice, when he felt that he could trust himself to speak.

"The Hotel Pensior Beau Soleil, Rue Girasole, in the Condamine, Monte Carlo," answered the child, as if she were repeating a lesson she had been taught to rattle off by heart.

Lost as he was to most external things, Hugh roused himself to some surprise at the name of the hotel.

"Why, that is where Mlle. de Lavalette and her mother live!" he exclaimed.

"They're the ladies Angel lent the money to because she was so sorry for them," said Rosemary. "I've heard them talking about it with her and saying they can't pay it back. They're angry with her for asking, but she had to, you see. When they go past us in the dining room they turn their backs."

Hugh's attention was arrested now.

"Do they dine," he asked, "every night?"

"Oh, yes—always. Mademoiselle has lovely dresses. She is pretty, but the comtesse is such an ugly old lady—like Red Riding Hood's grandmother, I think. I'm afraid of her. Jane says her madame and monsieur don't believe she's really a comtesse. I had to knock at her door with a letter from Angel today, for Angel doesn't know I'm afraid. I couldn't help being glad madame wouldn't let me in, for it seemed as if she might eat me up. I knocked and knocked, and when I was going away I saw mademoiselle coming in in a pink dress with a rosy hat."

"I think she'll pay your mother back tomorrow," said Hugh, remembering the fatness of the pink bag.

"She didn't say she would. She was so cross with me that she called me a petit bete and snatched the letter out of my hand."

At this Hugh's face grew suddenly hot and red, and he muttered something under his breath. But it was not a word which Rosemary would have understood, even if she had heard.

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Chapter Seven

ROSEMARY had tears in her eyes and voice when the fairy father stopped his car at the door of the hotel. He had driven so very quickly since he'd broken it to her that they must part!

"Now, have you to vanish this very minute?" she asked, choking back a sob, as he lifted her to the ground.

Vanish! He had forgotten all about vanishing. To vanish now was the last thing he wished to do.

"Something tells me that I shan't have to—quite yet, anyhow," he said hastily. "I—want to see your mother. Has she a sitting room where I could call upon her or wait till she comes in?"

"We haven't one of our own," said Rosemary, "but there's a nice old lady who lives next door to us on the top floor and is very good to Angel and me. She writes stories and things for the papers, and Angel types them sometimes. When she's away she lets us use the sitting room where she writes, and she's away now. Angel and I are going to be there this evening till it's my bedtime, and you can come up with me if you will. Oh, I'm so thankful you don't need to vanish for a little while!"

His heart pounding as it had not pounded for six years and more—not since the days when he had gone up other stairs in another land to see an Evelyn—Hugh followed the flitting figure of the child.

The stairs and corridors were not lighted yet. One economizes with electric light and many other little things at a hotel pension, where the prices are "from 5 francs a day, vin compris."

Rosemary opened a door on the fourth floor, and for a moment

(To be continued Saturday.)

Von Bulow and Sarasate.

In one of his letters Von Bulow refers to Sarasate as follows: "He has enchanted me beyond measure, particularly in his concert of yesterday, when he played a splendid work, 'Symphonie Espagnole,' by Lalo—played in so genuinely artistic a manner that today I am still intoxicated with it. His playing also of the Saint-Saens concert piece for violin is as entrancing as interesting. It is a shame that he cannot come to see me. N. B.—I have purposely avoided his personal acquaintance. Perhaps he has tried to see me, for over my door stands the notice:

"Mornings—not to be seen.
Afternoons—not at home.

"But perhaps he did not ring the bell. (He never plays under 1,000 francs—he received this sum here at a private musicale.) For secretary he has Otto Goldschmidt, who sent me a pass, which I returned with the remark that for such an important concert I could certainly afford to buy my ticket. Six marks was in no way too much to pay."

Bulow did make his acquaintance, however, as he refers in a later letter to Sarasate coming, quite unexpectedly, to a "conference with Johannes" (Brahms), at which he himself was present.

He Preferred Mules.

One of the pet hobbies of Senator Christopher Magee was his newspaper, the Pittsburg Times. He kept the paper well to the front, and it was a credit to modern journalism. One morning the Times had been scooped on a railway wreck.

"Senator," asked an intimate acquaintance, "how do you console yourself on the loss of that wreck story this morning?"

"By congratulating ourselves," he answered quickly, "that we are among the number who missed that ill fated train."

On another occasion as the senator was approaching the Times building on Fourth avenue he noticed a crowd gathered about a wagon which was filled with huge rolls of newspaper. A wheel was caught in a deep rut in the pavement and could not be budged.

"Senator," laughed a friend, "they managed at last to get your paper into a fix."

"Yes," answered Mr. Magee, his eyes twinkling with good humor, "and I'm not trusting to men to get it out again, but to mules."—Philadelphia Press.

The Thumb Mark Fad.

Don't mark your stationery any longer with a monogram. That is out of date. The latest symbol is a thumb mark. It is engraved in gold or silver and has all the value of a Bertillon mark of identification. The stationers who have introduced this way of marking use the prints in the center of a correspondence card and about half an inch from the top to make them most effective. The thumb is sometimes printed in red or blue, although the metal colors are more popular.—New York Sun.

An Ancient Trust.

There is a trust corporation of immemorial antiquity at Cairo known as the Wakfs. It holds landed property which has been conveyed to it for pious uses. But this was frequently a device to secure to the family of the donor or testator a large share of the annual proceeds. Its net income last year, according to the Egyptian Standard, was $2,161,500, and it carried forward a balance of $581,070, to be expended in new enterprises, presumably of a religious or educational character.

Spoiled His Appetite.

"Every bit of food on this table," said the serving lady to Lamson as he sat down to eat at the church supper, "was cooked by your wife."

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ANY PERSON who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother, or sister of intending homesteader.

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W. W. CORY,
Deputy of the Minister of Interior

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New Citron Peel, per lb.	28c
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Peas, Beans and Corn, per tin	8c
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READ IS COMMITTED.

Brakeman Admits Negligence In C.P.R. Disaster at Sandbank.

Bowmanbille, . 18.—W. C. Read the brakeman w. opened the switch at Sandbank Nov. 23 on the C.P.R., was yesterday morning committed for trial in June on a charge of criminal negligence.

Conductor Knapp said he had not instructed Read to open the switch, and the latter had no right to open it without orders.

To J. G. O'Donoghue, counsel for Read, witness admitted that brakemen commonly opened and closed switches when they understand what they are doing. It was no breach of duty to open a switch to let 54 into siding. He did not reprove him for it; he admitted the conductor and engineer are responsible for the safety of the train on sidings, and the conductor is supposed to see that switches are right.

In reply to the question, "If you had been watching the east switch, would this accident have occurred?" he said "No."

BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

Fire did $35,000 damage at the Canada Iron Foundry Works, Three Rivers, Que.

The steamer Beaverton, grain laden, is aground between the piers at Port Colborne.

Eddie Haveling, aged six, of Stratford, had his leg broken while "hooking" a ride.

A man named Slack of St. Catharines has worried himself insane because of lack of employment. He has a wife and five children.

Collision In Tunnel.

Constantine, Algeria, Dec. 18.—In a rear-end collision between a passenger and a freight train in the El-Achir Tunnel yesterday, several persons were killed and injured. Details are lacking.

In Family Fifty Years.

Thorold, Dec. 18.—Miss Mina Dougan, town treasurer, has tendered her resignation. The treasurership has been in the Dougan family for half a century.

Killed by Fall of Ice.

Ottawa, Dec. 18.—Rene Gosselin, a six-year-old boy, was injured by a fall of ice from a house on Tuesday. He died of a fractured skull yesterday.

REFORMS IN INDIA.

Councils Will Be Enlarged and Natives Will Help to Rule.

London, Dec. 18.—Lord Morley, Secretary of State for India, speaking in the House of Lords yesterday afternoon, unfolded a plan for the reform of the governmental administration of India, opening what he described as "a very important chapter in the history of the relations between Great Britain and India."

The Government's proposals were first to increase the membership of both the judicial and the Viceroy's Councils by nomination and election, giving the different classes of the community each its representative; secondly, to repeal the prohibition against the Legislative Council discussing matters of general importance; third, to increase the Executive Councils of Bombay and Madras from two to four members each; fourth, to give the Lieutenant-Governor an Executive Council of two members, and, fifth, to adopt a device to secure an official majority in the Legislative Council.

Lord Morley said he anticipated criticism of this fifth proposal, but he explained that he made no pretension of inaugurating a Parliamentary system in India. What he wanted to do was simply to assign the Indians a greater share in the government of India without divesting the central authority of any of its power.

Checking Indian Unrest.

Calcutta, Dec. 18.—The course adopted recently by the Indian authorities to cause the arrest, swiftly and mysteriously, of all natives suspected of revolutionary activity, is having a good effect on the unrest of the population.

Instead of being deported, the leaders taken into custody are being distributed to the various jails in India. It is reported that the powerful native secret societies are dissolving as a result of the energy displayed by the Government. A delegation of prominent natives supposed to be implicated in the revolutionary movement called on the local commissioner yesterday and were assured of his support.

Another result of the campaign is that the native newspapers are becoming extremely cautious in their comments on the Government.

Victory For Scott Act.

St. John, N.B., Dec. 18.—The plebiscite in Westmoreland County yesterday resulted in a victory for the Scott Act by 1,100 majority, 350 greater than the Scott Act majority of last year.

The campaign was the hardest fought ever known in the Maritime Provinces, ministers from all over the country flocking into Moncton and immediate towns to carry on the struggle against the liquor men.

Last Sunday special prayers for the cause were offered in most of the churches in the provinces, and the result yesterday is hailed with great delight by the temperance people.

The vote polled was surprisingly large.

Attempted Arson and Murder.

Vancouver, B.C., Dec. 18.—A daring attempt at wholesale murder and arson is reported from Chilliwack.

On Sunday night an attempt was made to wipe out the entire family of Mr. and Mrs. B. Morden of that town and to destroy their home. A huge pile of hay saturated with coal oil was placed in front of the house and a match touched to it. The flames were discovered within a few moments after the fire was started.

Hops Bill Withdrawn.

London, Dec. 18.—The bill introduced by David Lloyd-George, Chancellor of the Exchequer, prohibiting the use of hops substitutes in the manufacture of beer, was withdrawn from the House of Commons yesterday afternoon.

This step was a result of the opposition of the ultra free trade Liberals to what they consider the protective character of the measure.

To Double Taft's Salary.

Washington, Dec. 18.—Senator Bourne yesterday introduced a bill providing for an increase in the salary of the President of the United States from $50,000 to $100,000, and in the salary of the vice-president from $12,000 to $25,000.

The bill is intended to take effect at the beginning of the next administration.

Laborer Gives to Charity.

Ottawa, Dec. 18.—Without any relatives as far as can be learned, John Dancey, a German laborer living latterly in Hull, has left $12,000 to charity. Among his belongings was found a will bequeathing $12,000, which was in his Hull bank, to Rev. Father Provost of Montreal, to be disbursed for charity purposes under his direction.

Woman Goes Free.

Hamilton, Dec. 18.—Mrs. Kata Kataranin, the Austrian woman who was arrested Wednesday evening on the charge of shooting with intent at Harrish Gaskparovitch, a boarder, was acquitted in the Police Court yesterday morning, and the boarder was arrested on the charge of aggravated assault.

Seventy-Five Millions for Armament.

Buenos Ayres, Dec. 18.—The Chamber of Deputies has sanctioned a bill authorizing the Government to spend not exceeding $75,000,000 for armaments. The bill provides for the construction of two large battleships, and authorizes a third if necessary.

Costs of Fleet's Tour.

Chicago, Dec. 18.—The combined salaries of 17,000 ministers for one year would be needed to pay the expenses of the present cruise around the world of the United States fleet, according to Charles H. Beals of the American Peace Society.

Auto Plunges Into River.

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 18.—An automobile containing three men dashed into the open draw of the Oneida street bridge early yesterday and went to the bottom of the river, carrying two of the occupants to death.

Hayti's New President.

Port au Prince, Hayti, Dec. 18.—Gen. Antoine was yesterday unanimously elected President of the republic by the Haytian Congress.

Christmas Goods at China Hall

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MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Close Higher, Chicago Lower—Live Stock —Latest Quotations.

Thursday Evening, Dec. 17.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day ½d higher and corn closed ¼d lower than yesterday.

At Chicago, December wheat closed 1⅛c lower than yesterday. December corn closed unchanged and December oats closed ⅛c lower.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—July $1.03½ bid, December 97⅝c bid, May $1.02⅝ bid.
Oats—December 57c bid, May 42⅛c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	0 94 to $....	
Wheat, red, bush	0 94	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 90	0 91
Rye, bushel	0 59	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 65	....
Peas, bushel	0 90	....
Barley, bush	0 48	0 53
Oats, bushel	0 42	....

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 29
Butter, store lots	0 23	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 28	0 30
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 40	....
Eggs, cold storage	0 25	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11
Honey, combs, dozen	2 25	2 75

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 17.—Wheat—Spot, No. 2 red western winter, dull, 7s 11½d; futures, quiet; Dec., 7s 11¾d; March, 7s 7½d; May, 7s 6⅝d. Corn—Spot, steady; New American mixed, via Galveston, 5s 8d; futures, quiet; Jan., 5s 3¾d; March, 5s 2¼d. Hams, short cut, easy, 44s. Bacon, Cumberland cut, easy, 41s; long clear middles, light, easy, 43s; short clear backs, easy, 47s; clear bellies, quiet, 50s. Shoulders, square, easy, 37s. Lard, prime western, in tierces, dull, 47s; American refined, in pails, easy, 48s.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Butter, steady; receipts, 6118; creamery, third to first, 23c to 30c.

Cheese—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 1423.

Eggs—Steady at the decline; receipts, 6564. State, Pennsylvania and near-by fancy, selected white, 43c to 45c; do., fair to choice, 42c to 46c; brown and mixed, fancy, 35c to 36c; do., fair to choice, 30c to 33c; western first, 30c; western seconds, 28c to 29c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Unchanged—American Markets Quiet and Steady.

LONDON, Dec. 17.—London cables for cattle are steady at 12¼c to 12¾c per lb. dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10¼c to 10½c per lb.

Toronto Live Stock.

TORONTO, Dec. 17.—Receipts of live stock at the City Market, as reported by the railways for Wednesday and Thursday, were 118 carloads, consisting of 1660 cattle, 2430 hogs, 1678 sheep and lambs, 67 calves and 2 horses.

Exporters.

A few export steers were reported at $4.80 to $5.10; export bulls, $3.50 to $4.50, and $4.75 was paid for something very choice, of which there were few.

Butchers.

A few picked Xmas cattle sold at $5.25 and we heard of one at $5.50; loads of Xmas cattle sold at $4.90 to $5; loads of fair to good, $4.40 to $4.85; medium, $4 to $4.35; common, $3.25 to $3.75; cows, $2.50 to $3.75; canners, $1.50 to $2.

Feeders and Stockers.

H. & W. Murby report a steady trade in feeders and stockers, prices about holding their own with last week. There was quite a sprinkling of farmers present and the market got a clean sweep.

Messrs. Murby bought 200 head at the following quotations: Best feeders, 900 to 1050 lbs. each, at $3.60 to $4; best feeders, 800 to 950 lbs. each, at $3.30 to $3.70; best stockers, 600 to 800 lbs. each, at $3 to $3.35; common and medium, 500 to 700 lbs. each, at $2 to $2.75 per cwt.

Milkers and Springers.

There was a moderate supply of milkers and springers, which met a little better demand, but no higher prices, which ranged from $30 to $60, the bulk of the best selling from $45 to $55 each.

Veal Calves.

Receipts moderate, with prices steady at $3 to $6.75 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs.

Receipts, 1678 sheep and lambs, sold at about the same quotations as on Tuesday. Lambs, $5.25 to $5.60; sheep, $3.25 to $3.60 for ewes, and $2 to $2.50 for bucks, per cwt.

Hogs.

Receipts from all sources were 2430. Mr. Harris reported prices unchanged, at $6 for selects, fed and watered at market, and $5.75 for lights.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Dec. 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 250 head; slow and easy.

Veals—Receipts, 80 head; active and 50c lower, $7 to $9.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 5300 head; slow and steady; heavy, $5.80 to $5.90; mixed, $5.70 to $5.85.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2600 head; sheep, slow; lambs, active; lambs, $5 to $7.30; Canada lambs, $7 to $7.10.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17.—Beeves—Receipts, 1463; no trading; feeling steady. No exports. Calves—Receipts, 235. Feeling weak; veals sold at $5 to $9.75 per cwt; barnyard calves, $4.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 4712; sheep, in poor demand and weak; lambs, slow and barely steady; sheep, $3 to $4.25; a few $4.75; culls, $2.25; lambs, $5 to $7.37½.

Hogs—Receipts, 3900. No sales; feeling weak.

Dublin University.

Dublin, Dec. 18.—At a meeting yesterday of the senate of the new university, Very Rev. James H. Walsh, Lord Archbishop of Dublin, was elected chancellor.

Spout of Kettle Through Mouth.

Kingston, Dec. 18.—A child named Wilson, of Arden, fell and jammed the spout of a kettle through the top of its month, coming out below the right eye.

Crown Attorney Takes Action.

Windsor, Dec. 18.—Following the publication of certain statements to which he took exception, J. H. Rodd, crown attorney and law partner of Mayor Wigle, has issued a writ against Ald. Foster, and threatens to enter two other actions.

Ald. Foster is chairman of the finance committee, and alleged that certain debentures had been sold by Mr. Rodd, acting for Wood, Gundy & Co., to Toronto brokerage firms without tenders being asked, and without the matter coming before the finance committee. The debentures were sold at a premium, and Mr. Rodd thinks the city should be congratulated.

Hanna In Kingston.

Kingston, Dec. 18.—Hon. W. J. Hanna was the guest of honor last night at Queen's medical banquet. Interviewed by J. B. Walkem, K.C., acting for the widow of Samuel Stevenson, guard killed at Rockwood Asylum by a patient, and several prominent citizens, and asked that the Government do something for the support of the wife and nine children, Stevenson having met death while on duty. Mr. Hanna promised to take the matter up. He inspected the asylum and was entertained by the Frontenac Club.

Oil Ship Burning.

Singapore, Dec. 18.—The first attempt to scuttle the British steamer Kalamee has not been entirely successful. The Kalamee arrived here on Wednesday from New York with fire in her cargo of case oil. The engine-room, the reserve and the reserve holds were flooded yesterday, and No. 2 hold was pierced with a cannon shot to make it possible to flood it.

The oil is burning furiously, and the situation is serious. It is impossible to go close in to the Kalamee because of the danger of an explosion.

Yanks Get Submerged Timber.

Washington, Dec. 18.—Five hundred cords of sunken pine piling, submerged for 80 years in the Rideau River and in the lakes some miles back of Kingston, Canada, has been bought by an American concern, which will raise the timber and take it by boat down the St. Lawrence to Ogdensburg, where it will be made into bleached soda pulp.

British Torpedo Boat Lost.

Cowes, Isle of Wight, Dec. 18.—Torpedo boat 059 ran ashore on the rocks while manoeuvring off Bembridge ledge, Isle of Wight, Wednesday night. The crew of 14 had a narrow escape. Two feet of water was in the hold when the Bembridge lifeboat arrived in response to signals. The vessel is a complete wreck.

Rigs Coal Fire.

Fort William, Dec. 18.—The most destructive coal fire ever known at the head of the lakes has been in progress for several weeks at the Canadian Pacific coal docks. To save thousands of tons of soft coal the company has resorted to almost every known means without avail. More than a hundred thousand tons are in the pile, and a big gang of shovellers has failed to get at the fire. In a final effort, the company is preparing to put in operation a steam shovel, but it will be weeks, if at all, before the heart of the fire is reached. Spontaneous combustion is responsible.

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Youths 16 to 18, $2
Boys under 16, 1.50
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AN IRRITATING NUDGE

Cause of Quarrel in Bobcaygeon Hotel----Three Men Fined by the Magistrate And Had to Pay Costs.

HARRY KURLEY WAS HURT

Bobcaygeon, Dec. 18.—Special.—Mr. F. D. Moore, County Magistrate, held court on Thursday. The evidence in the assault case showed that Harry Kurley, who had been working for the last year or more with Millar Johns, was taking a glass of beer at the Rockland bar. As he was raising the glass to his mouth Arthur McGregor nudged his side. A second time McGregor did this and Kurley told him he had better be careful. With that McGregor struck him. Miller Johns started over to see what the trouble was about, and was knocked down, receiving a split nose. He could not swear positively who struck him, but Percy Nichols admitted trying to stop him going to Kurley. G. Nichols, the bartender, parted the men. The court imposed fines of $5 on McGregor, $2 on P. Nichols and $1 on M. Johns, each with costs.

Hot Meals served, for 15c. Mrs King. 87 Hunter St. 2d-117

$8.000 FOR FARM IN SMITH WAS PAID RECENTLY

A successful sale of farm implements, stock and other goods was held in Smith yesterday at the residence of Mr. Wm. Telford of the fifth line. There was a large attendance of farmers and some people from the city and high prices were reported received for the various articles. Mr. William Middleton was the purchaser of the house and farm of 100 acres at a price said to be $8,000. Mr. John Haggart was auctioneer, securing good prices throughout.

IS APPOINTED CARETAKER OF THE POST-OFFICE

Mr. George Stenton has been appointed as curator of the post office, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late John Irwin. Mr. Stenton possesses all the necessary qualities for the satisfactory performance of the duties of the position.

BARGAIN ANNEX OPEN EVERY DAY TILL XMAS

Owing to the usual crowds that prevail during the last few days before Xmas, we have decided to keep the Bargain Annex open every day to relieve the crush and exhalize the business throughout the store. A big special every day, watch the daily papers.

10c LINENS, THE BIG LEADER FOR TO-MORROW.

A CHIMNEY ON FIRE MADE RUN FOR THE BRIGADE

About half past eleven this morning the fire brigade received a telephone call from the corner of Bethune and Antrim streets. A chimney fire started in a house owned by Mr D. O'Connell at 258 Antrim street, occupied by Mr. Newton Taft. The blaze was soon extinguished with chemicals but not before the pipes had been destroyed.

MAY HELP SALVATION ARMY

By Sending Articles For Annual Christmas Tree For Sunday School.

Mr. R. C. Braund, Superintendent of the Salvation Army Sunday School, would like any friends or merchants having presents, toys, oranges, candies or the like as a gift for the Salvation Army Sunday School Children's Christmas Tree, to kindly send them to the Barracks, and they will be arranged and given out at Xmas tree meeting on Christmas night. We have a large number of children to care for and anything sent will be much appreciated.

R. C. BRAUND,
Superintendant.

"DEATH WAS DUE ONLY TO NATURAL CAUSES"

Jury Empanelled to Inquire Into the Death of Edward O'Brien Bring in the Above Verdict---Dr. Gray Was Coroner----Entire Absence of Foul Play Was Shown.

ARTERY IN THE HEAD BURST

"That the said Edward O'Brien came to his death from natural causes."

(Signed) A. E. Micks, foreman; Jas. R Bell, Archie Campbell, Jas. Head, John Hulpin, Fred Cook, Joseph Hickey, Jas. Murty, Jas. T. C. Lang, K. G. Leeb, J. D. Craig, Wm. Hudson, J. W. Carey and Dr. W. J. Gray, coroner.

The above verdict was brought in last night by the jury empanelled to inquire into the death of the late Edward O'Brien, who died suddenly last Saturday evening, on the road leading from the city to Indian River, at a point three and a half miles from Peterborough. John Smith and James Guerin, the young men who were with him, were entirely exonerated from all censure with which idle rumour had connected their names, because of their being present at the time the sad affair occurred.

The last sentence in the report read by Dr. Young, of the post mortem examination, was the most important, as far as the cause of the death was concerned. It was as follows: "After cutting through the brain substance we found a blood clot caused by a rupture of the posterior cerebral artery, which, in our opinion, was sufficient to cause death. the artery being in an atheromatous condition; therefore, in our opinion, death was due to natural causes." Dr. Boucher and Dr. Young performed the post mortem examination at Lane & Bono's undertaking establishment.

In his evidence Dr. Young explained that there was no sign of a blow on the exterior of the head, which would have been visible had the blood clot been the result of an exterior cause.

The Story of the Affair

O'Brien had left Peterborough, in company with James O'Brien and John Smith, on a sleigh owned by the latter, on which he had brought a load of hay into the city and sold during the day.

In the afternoon Smith had traded one of the team of horses for one which Mr. John McCormick had owned. About three miles of the city the horse secured in the trade dropped in the road and died almost instantly. O'Brien had been driving and the other two men got out, and when they discovered that the animal had expired, they hitched up the other horse and went to get in the sleigh, when they found O'Brien lying on his hands and face in the bottom of the sleigh. They sat him up on the seat but his head fell back inanimate. Guerin, alarmed at bi condition, and fearing the worst, said, "The man is dead."

The latter held the lifeless body on the seat while Smith led the single horse along the lonely road for a mile or more, until they came to the farm house of Mr. J. Corkery, who told them to come in. He thought that the heat from the stove and other attentions might revive him, although he admitted that O'Brien seemed dead when the body was brought into the yard.

These were the most important parts of the evidence. The jury was not long out when they returned the verdict given above. The witnesses were examined by County Crown Attorney R E Wood, as follows: John McCormick. Dr. T. W. H. Young, John Smith, James Guerin, J. Corkery and James Collins.

LAKEFIELD MAN FALLS THIRTY FEET FROM TOP OF AN ELECTRIC LIGHT POLE TO THE GROUND BELOW

In Lakefield on Thursday afternoon Mr Wm Leggott met with a bad accident while working on an electric light pole. He was fixing some wires in front of the new Methodist church when a wire broke throing him to the ground, from a height of about thirty feet. He fell on his back on the frozen road. He was picked up and taken to his home, where it was found that no bones were broken, but that he was badly shaken up. He will have to remain quiet for a few days.

Mr. Leggott's escape from serious injury was a most fortunate one, as he fell directly on his back.

Dr. Marsh In Hamilton At Meeting Of Astronomers

Upon the invitation of Hamilton astronomers, Rev. Dr. Marsh, President of the R. A. S., Peterborough centre, gave a lecture in Hamilton on Tuesday night, and also assisted in the organization of a branch there. He was given a hearty welcome by Mr. G. Parry Jenkins, F. R. A. S, who was elected president of the new branch which will be affiliated with the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada.

Dr. Marsh was the father of astronomy in Hamilton. He presented the advantages to those present of belonging to teh society, of dropping the old charter and casting in their lot with R. A. S. of anCada. His opinions were accepted and an application through Dr. Marsh will be made to teh council at its meeting in Toronto next Tuesday. Among those belonging to the society in Hamilton are Senator Gibson, Mayor Stewart, Ald. Bailey, Ald. Stewart, and Mr Sheppard, American Consul.

After the election of officers, Dr. Marsh gave a lecture on the "Phenomena of the Solar Surface" explaining the Faculae, sun spots, floculous clouds, etc.

Rattray Before Magistrate To-day; Was Remanded Until Thursday Next

Wm Rattray was arraigned before City Clerk Armstrong at the police court this morning, on a charge of breaking into the dwelling house of Martin Connors and stealing therefrom $683.12. The court room was crowded with a throng of curious spectators, but they were doomed to disappointment as the case was not proceeded with this morning.

"I would like a remand for one week," said the chief, when the charge against the prisoner was read

Mr. Armstrong remandfed Rattray until next Thursday, in order to give the Crown a chance to prepare their case.

Rattray was brought down from Toronto last night by P. C. Newhall, who went up for his man yesterday morning.

No Smoking In Brock Street Rink; Directors To Put Stop To Practice

The Board of Directors in connection with the Brock street rink have drawn up a list of new rules for the management of the popular winter resort, which they intend to see are strictly observed. The most important rule is in regard to smoking. Henceforth the worshippers of Lady Nicotine will find that they will not be permitted to smoke in the rink with the exception of in the room upstairs on the east side of the building which will be fitted up as a smoking and check room, the latter department being in charge of Mr. Larone who conducted the check room at Jackson Park last winter. Smoking in any other part of the building will not be tolerated. There are also some rules in connection with skating which will be carried out this winter. Any disorderly or boisterous conduct is liable to result in the suspension of the offender and games of tag, crack the whip lash, etc., which are dangerous and liable to cause accidents will it persisted in, result in the cancelling of the offender's ticket. The new rules have been printed on neat cards which are hung up in conspicuous places in the rink, so that the public will have no excuse for failure to observe them.

By-law On Village Statute Books Entitled Assessor To Sum Of Twenty-five Dollars Only

Interesting Legal Case at Lakefield Yesterday at Which Local Lawyers Were Present---Plaintiff Had No Knowledge of Existence of By-law.

PAYS COSTS OF THE COURT

One case came up for trial before Judge Weller at the Town Hall, Lakefield, on Thursday. Mr. John Hull sued the Village of Lakefield for $50 services as assessor. It appeared that the Village had passed a by-law appointing Mr Hull and had fixed the salary at $25. Mr. Hull swore that he did not know that any salary had been fixed or even that a by-law had been passed. He however accepted the task of assessing and made the usual declaration before the clerk. After he had completed his work he was tendered $25 which he refused, claiming $50. His Honour decided that Mr Hull was only entitled to the $25 named in the by-law, that in making the declaration he accepted the office in the terms of the by-law. Judgment was given Mr. Hull for the $25. but as this amount had been tendered him and was now paid into court he must pay his own costs as well as the costs of the village. Mr. W H Moore, Peterborough, acted for the plaintiff and Mr. G M Reget, of Peterborough for defendent.

Is your Wife Jealous? If so, let her see "A Jealous Wife" Grand to-night

PETERBORO' MAN WINS HIS SUIT IN HAMILTON

Hamilton, Dec. 18.—Special.—A decision was given out in the case of W. J. Overend, of Peterborough, against the firm of Millen, Stewart & Burrows, in which the plaintiff won. Some time ago a writ for damages was issued by Mr. Overend against the above named firm, who were accused of infringing upon a patent which he had secured on a new model of curry comb. The now for some time, but the favourable decision for Mr. Overend to-day will likely terminate the case.

57TH REGIMENTAL BAND AT BROCK STREET RINK

It will be learned with pleasure by those who skate at Brock street rink, that arrangements are being made for plenty of music during skating hours in the evening. This was learned today, but the exact details were not to hand. It is likely that special numbers will be played for changes, such as were given at the Roller Rink. The management are aiming at providing as interesting a programme as possible. Certain selections will be played when others will be played for reverse skating. Features of this character will be introduced and it is thought will be much appreciated by the skaters. The ice is in excellent condition just now, and to-night the first band of the season will be present.

PRIME CHRISTMAS CHEER AT GOSELIN'S MEAT MART

Get busy, now, everybody and lay in a supply of choicest Xmas meats the country can produce at the closest prices in the city. Order at Goselin's Meat Market, 241 George street and save money. Read the low prices for Saturday.

My beef is all heifer and steer beef.
Beef — Sirloin roasts, 11c; porterhouse roast, 11c; rib roasts 9c; shoulder roasts, 9c; boiling beef 5c to 7c; 3 lbs. steak for 25c.
Fresh pork sausages, 10c; 3 lbs for 24c.
Head cheese, our own make, 4 lbs. for 25c.
Blind quarter beef, 6c.
Fore quarter beef, 5c.
Loin of beef, 8c.
Round of beef, 7c.
Hind quarter lamb, 11c,
Fore quarter lamb, 9c.
Loi nof Lamb 12 1-2c.
Leg of lamb, 12 1-2c.
Fresh Pork 12 1-2c.
Hind quarter pork, 11c.
Fore quarter pork, 10c.
Hind quarter mutton, 9c.
Fore quarter mutton, 8c.
Loin of mutton, 10c.
Leg of Mutton 12c
With every dollar's worth of meat I will give one pound suet 5c; or 4 lbs. head cheese 25c or 3 lbs. sausage, for 25c
P. J Goselin, 241 George street, 'Phone. Bell 316k. These prices are strictly cash.

RIGHT ARM WAS CAUGHT AND BROKEN YESTERDAY MORNING WHILE WORKING NEAR MACHINE

Mr. Thomas J McManus, son of Mr. T Frances McManus, 516 Park street, met with a painful accident yesterday while engaged at work in the preparation department of the Cordage Works, in which his right arm was broken. He was doing some cleaning work when in some manner his arm caught and before he could extricate it, it was broken. He was taken to the Nicholls Hospital where the arm was set and to-day he was reported resting favourably. His many friends will regret to learn of this accident which will keep him inactive for a considerable time.

Special Grants For Rural Public School Libraries

The County Treasurer has received from the Department of Education, notice of grants to rural public schools, on account of libraries purchased between July 1st, 1907 and September 30th, 1908. The grant this year amounts to 34 per cent. of the amount expended. That is sections spending $10 receive a grant of $3.40, sections making an expenditure of $20 get $6.80, and others in proportion. The largest grant is $10 and goes to No. 3, Harvey. In addition to this special grant for libraries there is an annual grant of ten per cent. of the total value of the library, which is paid as a part of the grant for equipment. The schools receiving grants for libraries are: Asphodel, Nos. 1, 5, 6, 7 and 9; Belmont and Methuen, Nos. 2, 3, 4, 8 and 10; Burleigh and Anstruther, Nos. 1B, 2B, 1A and 2A; Chandos, Nos. 2, 4, 5, 7 and 8; Douro, Nos. 1, 3, 5, 11 and 12; Dummer, Nos. 2, 4 and 5; Ennismore, Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4; Galway, Nos. 4 and 6; Harvey, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8; North Monaghan, Nos. 2 and 3; Otonabee, No. 5; Smith, Nos. 2, 5, 7, 8 and 9.

The Normal School Students Began Their Holidays To-day

The Christmas vacations of the Normal School students began today and will continue until the 6th of January. During the last week or more the examinations have been under way, the results of which will count at the finals next summer, at the end of the term. There are 27 subjects taight at the Normal School and on 14 of these papers were set for their examinations, which have just been concluded. Some of them were as follows: Grammar, Psychology, Art and Writing, History, Geography, Elementary Science, Algebra, Literature, Composition, School Management and Household Science. The course for the Normalites is a comprehensive one, and it means constant study to make a good showing in the one year.

His Arm Concealed--This Man Is Said To Have Claimed To Be Crippled

Two roughly-dressed young men, who gave their names as Fred Kane and Jos. Kerr, and who were arrested by P. C. Adams, appeared before City Clerk Armstrong to-day on a charge of vagrancy and pleaded not guilty.

"We have been working for the Westinghouse people in Hamilton," said one of the prisoners, "and came down here, thinking we could get work in the Canadian General Electric Works."

There have been complaints to the effect that a man who represented himself as being crippled to the extent of having had one arm cut off, but who in reality was an imposter, having his arm concealed beneath the coat, leaving the sleeve empty, has been securing alms from charitably inclined citizens, and it is said that one of the men arraigned this morning was the individual in question.

Splendid Camera Exhibit To Be Seen At The Y. W. C. A.

The camera section of the arts and crafts exhibit in the Green room at the Y.W.C.A. is attracting considerable attention. There are 100 entries all of which are worthy of inspection. The prizes for this department were allotted to-day by the judges, Mrs. D Hughes Charles, Miss Hatton and Mr. Fred Roy. The successful exhibitors for the first two prizes were first, Mr. N A Howard-Moore, who won a 1A folding pocket kodak valued at $12, presented by the Eastman Kodak Company. The second prize was won by Mr. R Picard, it being a set of scales valued at $6. presented by the Tate-Taylor Optical Company. The other prize winners will be announced later. The exhibit will be open to-night when it is expected that many will avail themselves of the opportunity of examining the exhibit

Large Crate At Rear Of George Street Store Probably The Bed Of Two Small Boys

Had Been Unpacked and Seaweed Packing Put Into It—Impressions of Small Bodies Plainly Evident.

IT WAS FOUND RECENTLY

A George street merchant discovered in an empty crate behind his store an improved bed which from its appearance suggests that two boys have sought the sweets of youthful slumber on the dry sea weed which had formed the packing of the articles which the crate had contained. The lane behind the store is that which leads from Hunter street on the south side between LeBrun's store and the Times building. The crate is at the rear of one of the stores nearly half way down the block. It came from Europe and the soft packing was replaced. It presents a rather appealing bed in one sense, but the occupants would need some extra warm covering, on nights such as have been experienced recently. The impressions of the two small bodies are plainly evident, and in all probability the merchant's conjecture is correct.

WANTS INCREASE IN PEDDLER LICENSE FEE

Mr. E M Trowern, secretary of the Retail Merchants' Association, appeared before the Board of Control recently in Toronto, to ask that the peddlers' licenses be increased from $10 to $30 a year, and that there be no half-yearly licenses issued at $5. The half-yearly license was allowed to accommodate a poor man who had a family and wanted to make a living, said the Mayor.

"But a small business man would not be allowed a reduction in business assessment if he was poor,' remarked Mr. Trowern.

"All we want is a square deal."

The Mayor assured Mr. Trowern that the Board would give the request their careful consideration.

LOST

LOST — A CHILD'S GREEN LEATHER Handbag, on Simcoe or Hunter streets West. Finder will kindly leave at this office or phone 873. 1d 117

A CHRISTMAS TREAT

The Examiner is Prescribing for Jealous People----Do You Want to Reform?

READ THE CONDITIONS BELOW

Are you jealous and do you want to be cured? If so the Examiner is going to help you to reform. Here is the proposition.

"East Lynne" will be presented at the Grand Opera House Christmas Day, matinee and night. A more powerful sermon against jealousy was never preached from any pulpit. We believe that any jealous man or woman who will go and see this play will have at least some portion of the "green eyed monster" eliminated.

We are so impressed with this that we have bought thirty tickets for this play and to the first thirty jealous, men or women, who will come to the Daily Examiner and say to

us, "I am jealous and really want to reform," we will give these tickets. These tickets will be at the free disposal of jealous men and women at 2.30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

This is to be the Daily Examiner's missionary work against jealousy.

King's East Lynne is based upon jealousy. The heroine is one of the most jealous women that ever existed. Her jealousy is not of the mild type, but she is cursed with that cankering, blighting sort, the kind that eats into one's heart and brain until everything good and elevating is destroyed.

The only stipulation placed on the receipt of this ticket is that you must have a copy of the DAILY EXAMINER with you at the time. We want our readers to have the benefit of this opportunity of getting absolutely free a 75c. ticket to this most beautiful play, for either the matinee or night.

SCHEDULES TO BE DRAWN UP TO-NIGHT

Meeting of the Representatives of Teams in This District at Port Hope.

The schedule for the junior and intermediate groups of the O H A in which Peterborough are represented are being drawn up to-night at a meeting to be held in Port Hope. The locals were unable to send a representative but have arranged for Mr. G L Galley, now of Port Hope and formerly of Peterborough, to look after their interests.

The executive of the club held a meeting last night in the Oriental Hotel, at which there were present—Dr A W MacPherson; C G Graham, vice president; Chas A Barber, asst. secretary; Treasurer H P Morgan, and F A Clarke. Satisfactory arrangements were made with the rink company for the use of Brock st. rink this season.

COCOA DEMONSTRATION.

—The free demonstration of Cowan's Cocoa, Chocolates and Icing at White & Gillespie's store, George street, is growing more interesting to the ladies every day. All this week Miss Shepherd, the expert from Toronto, will be in attendance. Call in and have a cup of cocoa and sample the toothsome delicacies on exhibition. Cowan's Icings are also very popular.

WANTED.

WANTED — WORK OF ANY KIND, sawing wood, taking out ashes or any odd job by respectable man. Apply at this office. dh 3d

WANTED — LIVE PIGEONS, ANY quantity. Geo. Manning, Main and Hughson, Hamilton. 3d 116 4643

WANTED — TWO APPRENTICES FOR Test Department; must have High School Education. Apply Canadian General Electric Co., Limited". 3d 116 4641

WANTED — ORGANIZER IN PETERborough for first-class social and beneficial order; good remuneration. Address R. H. A. Land. National Club, Toronto. 30d 112 4593

MEN WANTED AT ONCE ON SALARY and Expenses. One good man in each locality with rig or capable of handling horses to advertise and introduce our guaranteed Royal Purple Stock and Poultry Specifics. No experience necessary, we lay out your work for you. $25 a week and expenses. Position permanent. Write W. A. Jenkins Manfg. Co., London, Ont. dtf eow wtf-45

HOUSES AND ROOMS TO LET

TO RENT — STORE ON GEORGE ST., very reasonable. Apply at Examiner Office. 3d 116 4643

FURNISHED ROOM FOR ONE OR Two to let, modern conveniences 5 minutes walk from Post Office. Apply 276 Hunter street. 6d114

TO RENT — SUITE OF ROOMS OVER J. C. Turnbull & Company's store, Simcoe Street; the rooms have all modern conveniences. Rent $10.00 per month; immediate possession. Apply 457 George street. tf

TO RENT—OFFICE No. 12 IN BANK OF Commerce Building; heated, possession immediately. Apply at 457 George Street.

NEW HOUSES TO LET; RENT REduced. Apply to Jas. R. Bell, No. 161 Hunter street. 3m154

TO RENT — HOUSE No. 342 RUBIDGE street; hot water heating and all modern conveniences; immediate possession. Apply 417 George street. d-tf

HOUSES TO RENT

Houses to Let at reasonable rent. Apply for particulars at **W. H. BRADBURN'S OFFICE** over Dominion Bank, corner George and Simcoe Streets. dtf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE — LARGE TENT, 26 FEEET square, with 8-foot side wall. Apply at Examiner office. 3d 117 4662

FOR SALE — TEN SHARES FULLY paid up stock in the Peterborough Sandstone Brick Co., worth $50.00 per share; 45 per cent. will be given if sold at once. Apply Examiner office. 1m 115 4637

FOR SALE — FOUR OR FIVE ACRES of good hardwood timber; Lot 4, Con. 2, Smith, about four miles from Peterborough, on good road. Apply Box 4636, Examiner office. 3d 115

GROCERY BUSINESS FOR SALE, stock of about $900.00; good locality. Address Box 4596, Examiner Office. 6d 113 4596

FOR SALE — 320 ACRES RAW WHEAT Land, Moose Jaw, Sask., district, twelve hundred dollars cash. Owner: R. J. Healy, 134 Shuter street, Toronto. 1m-99-4444

ALL KINDS OF ADVERTISING NOVelties, Pocket Mirrors, Tape-Measures Hand Mirrors, Paper Weights, Match Holders, etc. Samples at the Examiner office.

FOR SALE—ALL KINDS OF RUBBER Stamps. Apply at Examiner office.

WE ARE SOLE AGENTS FOR PETERborough and the territory between Toronto and Kingston for the Parisian Novelty Co., and have samples of all kinds of advertising novelties on hand. Call and see them at the Examiner office.

FOR SALE

Nice Frame House corner location, nicely painted & papered, city water, size of lot 40 x 90, for $1,000. This property is a snap — party leaving city.

Beautiful Brick House double parlors, winter kitchen, summer kitchen and wood shed, 4 bed rooms, bath room, complete electric light fixtures, furnace, cement cellar floor and cement walks to front and side entrance. This can be bought for $2870.

Snaps in Houses and Lots in all parts of the city. Send in your list of houses to rent or sell, we can handle them. Head Office of Northern Life Assurance Co; Ocean Accident and Guarantee Co; Peterborough Sandstone Brick Co., Ontario Coal Co.

R. A. ELLIOTT & CO.
Real Estate Agent

FOR RENT

Double House corner of Harvey and London Sts—all conveniences—good Furnace—Rent Low. apply

H. C. STABLER & CO.
350 WATER STREET
Houses and Lots for sale on easy terms.

FOR SALE

HOUSES
in variety, size, location and price.
LOTS
high and low in price.
FARMS
Several near the city.
INSURANCE
Good and Honourable Companies.

W. MIGHT. 326 George Street Both Phones

Children's Aid Society

FOR THE CARE OF NEGLECTED AND ILL-TREATED CHILDREN.

Incorporated by Act of Legislature. Information required. Informant's name kept strictly private.

CHILDREN FOR ADOPTION

GEO. COOMBE
Agent and Asst. Sec.
BELL PHONE 28. - - 168 George st

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED AT ONCE — GOOD GIRL TO do general housework, no washing. References required; highest wages paid. Apply at the Examiner Office for address. 3sod 116 4635

WANTED — KITCHEN GIRL, UPSTAIR Girl and Bell Boy. Apply National Hotel. 3d 116 4650

UPSTAIR GIRL WANTED AT ONCE — Apply to Geo. Lipsett, Maple Leaf Hotel, East City. 3d 115 4634

DINING ROOM GIRL WANTED AT once. Apply to Geo. Lipsett, Maple Leaf Hotel, East City. 3d 115 4633

SITUATIONS WANTED.

WANTED — SEWING TO DO BY THE day. Apply 149 Rubidge street. 3d 116 4652

SITUATION WANTED BY CAPABLE and respectable woman at housework where she can go home in the evening. Apply at this office. d dh

FOUND.

FOUND, ON SATURDAY, DOG. OWNER can have same by proving property and paying expenses. Apply S. A. Oke, George street. 3d 115 4629

LOST.

LOST — ON SATURDAY, A PAIR OF Glasses in A. A. Fowler case, T. J. C. on the inside of case. Finder will kindly leave at this office. 2d 117

LOST — ABOUT THREE WEEKS AGO a fox terrier Puppy Dog, three months old, white with black and tan on head. Reward for information left at Examiner office or Oriental Barber Shop. 2d 117 4661

Stop and Consider

We are offering splendid opportunity to buy and own a house and home. We have property at remarkably reasonable prices and in the very best parts of the city —well built and up-to-date houses.

The Key to Success

In life for many a man is a real estate investment. There is nothing safer than investments in Peterborough Real Estate, either vacant land or houses.

Are You Looking for Real Estate?

If so, consult us. We handle all classes of property such as Dwellings, building lots, business places, Commercial Sites, Factory and Mill Property, Market Gardens and Farms. As this is the holiday season we invite attention to some of the real bargains we have to offer.

J. T. O'CONNELL & CO.
136 Hunter St. Phone 376

A SNAP FOR SOMEONE

The owner of 210 Reid St; who is now living in the West must have his money out of his property at once. New house with bath, furnace, and electric light. Strictly up to date. Make use of this offer.

If you have some property that does not suit you, we will exchange it for something that will. Make it a point to see us, before doing anything in real estate.

A. Brown & Co.
396 Water St.
Phones: Office 126., House 474 L
Office open Saturday evening only.

BELL & TAYLOR

Fire Insurance Real Estate

$1250 Solid Brick, well and centrally located, a bargain.

$1700 New Brick, Light, Water and Sewer Connection, O. G. E. Dist.

$0000 Very superior residential property which circumstances have placed on the market. If you want the best, see us for this.

Some good Farms for sale. Houses and Rooms cheap.

Office 376 Water, Phones 498L, 547L.

NOW AND THEN a merchant gets it into his head that "one advertising medium is as good as another." He then proceeds to buy his advertising in a way to discredit his business judgment.

People will be pretty sure to infer that a merchant who buys his advertising unwisely will buy his store-stocks unwisely—and of course this may not always be true. But it is always a good plan to show the same discrimination in buying advertising space that you show in buying the stocks which you are advertising. At all events you will act wisely if you advertise in the EXAMINER.

TELEPHONE 57K

Daily Examiner.

The Daily Examiner, published every lawful evening, at the Examiner Printing Office, 416 George street, Peterborough.

The Weekly Examiner, published every Thursday morning.

The subscription price of the Daily Examiner is $4.00 per annum; that of the Weekly, $1.00.

J. R. STRATTON, Publisher.

Advertising rates on application.

UNION LABEL

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1908

HOW TO DO IT.

In this age of industrial activity enterprising promotors and directors of industrial concerns are constantly seeking places to establish themselves —new sites where can be obtained, improved facilities, conveniences and other desirable conditions. A case in point is the Otis-Fensom Elevator Company with headquarters at Yonkers, N.Y. A branch is established in Hamilton and negotiations are going forward for the establishment of another in Toronto. The company wants the city to sell it twenty-two acres of land of which five acres is land and the remainder Don Flats marsh. It seems, therefore, that this company is not asking favours that will cost the city much, but, on the contrary only offers the advantages springing from the operation of an industry paying out wages to between 200 and 300 hands.

Peterborough could accommodate such and establishment, as well as Toronto, and even go them one better. We can offer cheaper power, better inducements as to real estate and with the completion of the Trent Canal to Lake Ontario, equally good transportation facilities. By parenthesis, the fact that the Trent Canal will equalize the transportation advantages of Toronto and Peterborough, accounts for the hostility or armed neutrality of the former to the canal and this city.

Do our Manufacturers' Committee of the City Council and our Board of Trade know that the industrial Noah's dove in question has been on the wing seeking a place to rest the sole of its foot? Is our Board of Trade seized of the fact that this important industry is looking for a good place to locate? Have any steps been taken by either to secure its location in Peterborough? If not, why not? If not, simply because the machinery is too complicated, the responsibility too indirect and dispersed. Both bodies have too many other duties to attend to to concentrate the attention and take the initiative with sufficient directness and promptitude, to meet the conditions that insure success. In this connection the proposal under discussion by the Board of Trade to create and employ some such official as an Industrial Commissioner, becomes a very pertinent matter. The Examiner has repeatedly quoted the town of Welland, whose phenomenal and almost romantic success in securing industries is proverbial. This is done because effective machinery is employed in the form of a commissioner whose duty it is to keep on the alert, to have the whole industrial field under his eye and who is empowered to take resolute and immediate action. The town of Welland does not capture new industries by red tape diplomatic negotiations. It goes after an industry and brings it back on the return journey. Such a commissioner as that suggested, might be worthy of consideration for Peterborough. His duties might include in addition to industrial acquisition, a general oversight and employment of expedients to keep the city advertised, to entice excursions and conventions to the city and thus secure us the substantial advantages that would accrue from large concourses of outsiders. Such a man, assuming that he be a live man, would find abundance of employment, and if he did his duty faithfully would bring ample returns for whatever expenditure his employment might involve.

One form of an old proverb is to the effect that, if you want your business done, do it; if not, send.

THE WHEREFORE OF FAILURE.

A writer in the University Magazine, for December, Mr. Andrew McPhail, its editor, gives, what he considers, reasons why the Conservatives failed in the last Dominion elections. The writer's argument converges to the conclusion that the Conservative party did not succeed because it did not deserve to succeed. Mr. Borden's Halifax platform in the different phases of its presentation was not only so theoretical that it could not be translated into action, but it was so obscure that both the sophisticated and the simple were forced to alternative conclusions—that "he (Mr. Borden) meant nothing or did not know what he meant." Arising from these conditions the writer achieves a second reason in Mr. Borden's Halifax nomination day manifesto. It is written:

"In it he told the people what he proposed to do, but he neglected to tell them how he was going to do it. He promised them a Cabinet worthy of their highest ideals, but he neglected to mention the names of those ideal Ministers whom he proposed should sit with him. It would have been just as useful to the Conservatives if Mr. Borden had issued the Decalogue as a manifesto."

In a word, the Conservatives hungry for office, asked bread of Mr. Borden and he gave them a stone. The scandal plan in the House and out of it—during the session and after it—suggests to Mr. McPhail another reason for the failure of the Conservative battle at the polls. In regard to this he says:

"The Conservatives endeavoured to fasten the charge of flagrant breach of public morality upon their opponents, but the people did not believe they were telling the truth. When a person cries 'stop thief,' and the person who is addressed stops and demands that the charge be proven, the situation is embarrassing for him and no great commotion is likely to ensue. If he does not prove the charge, he is apt to be regarded as a traducer or a disturber of the peace. In these days the people are interested not in what a man says, but in what he can prove. At any rate, the Conservatives did not prove up to the limit of their assertions, certainly not in the way in which the Liberals proved it in 1873, and again in 1891."

The writer fails to detail sequential reasons for failure. Whatever merits the campaign of slander had in the eyes of Conservatives, in addition to the demerit mentioned above, there was no method in their madness. They began the campaign of slander too soon. When they began making charges they knew they could not prove, they should have so timed the charges that they could not be disproved before the time of the voting they were sought to influence. Additionally, the hypocritical assumption of immunity from political irregularities created disgust in the minds of fair men. A party which appeals for support on grounds of political purity should be sure that its own skirts are clear—and clean. Briefly, the Conservative party in the last appeal to the country as a ground of claim to support, stood for an exaction of political virtues in respect of its opponents which it did not itself possess, and exploited nebulous abstractions entirely unrelated to prospect of practical application. This attitude maintained towards a party which, with all the faults imputed, (impossibly greater than those of their accusers) had the merit of a definite and practical programme of policy of government and administration, the concrete expression of a hopeful outlook and faith in national possibilities

If a certain party would amend its own life, more real moral and political reform would result than from a hypocritical assumption of unpossessed virtue, used as a cover for assaults on the faults of others.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Long distance running seems to be a soul-stirring sport.

The reasons submitted for dismissing the protest against Mr. Wm. Thorburn, the Conservative member-elect for North Lanark, are practically identical in form and substance with those submitted for the dismissal of the protest in the West Peterborough election.

General sympathy will be extended Lieutenant-Governor Gibson on the occasion of the death of his eldest son on the threshold of a professional career which promised a distinction equalled by that attained by the father. Death sad, at any time, becomes doubly so when it comes in the season of general rejoicing. The surrounding brightness deepens the gloom that falls on the bereaved home, whether it be palace or cottage.

LATEST NEWS FROM THE CAPITAL

The Grand Trunk Continental's Great Achievement—Battle River Bridge is Completed — New Angle in Marine Inquiry—Accused Official Claims He is Being "Jobbed" by False Statements.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Ottawa, Dec. 17.—The authorities here are rejoicing over news that the great Battle River Bridge, which has been in course of construction during the entire season, is now completed and was put in actual use yesterday. The bridge is nearly four thousand feet long, and is very high, so that the construction has been slow, on account of night winds interfering with the handling of aerial steel work. On the west side of the bridge the grading has been practically completed to Edmonton for a long time. Steel is now being laid towards that city, and the work will be prosecuted as fast as the weather will permit. There are still nearly 125 miles of track to be laid before Edmonton is reached, and the shortest railway line from Winnipeg to the Alberta capital will be complete.

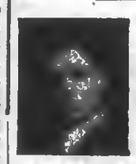
An astounding development of the marine inquiry yesterday was the evidence of A B Van Felsen, ex-banker, who swore that to obtain the payment of $30,000, owing to Mr. James Holliday, of Quebec by the Marine Department, he on the authority of Mr. Holliday paid J B A Beaudreau of the accountant's branch of the Marine Department $3,000 in June, 1905. Mr. Holliday took the stand and swore that he had no recollection of the transaction, that his books did not show a shortage of $3,000, and he could find no record of it in the bank. Mr. Beaudreau followed and swore that Mr. Van Felsen's story was false and that he was not in Quebec during June, 1905. A carefully-kept attendance book of the Marine Department was produced, and showed the signature of Mr. Beaudreau on every day covered by the period when Mr. Van Felsen swore he saw him in Quebec and paid him the money. Many officials claim that fictitious sensational evidence is being offered in the investigation to "even-up" grudges for alleged ill-treatment, or the refusal of favours, and that in pursuit of an excess of zeal to overtake and punish irregularities, injustice is done innocent parties.

OPENING OF ROYAL THEATRE

Curiosity of Citizens to be Appeased To-morrow—A Beautiful Moving Picture Establishment.

LARGE CROWDS EXPECTED

The curiosity that has for some weeks been aroused in our citizens will to-morrow be allayed. The boarding that has so long surrounded the front of the former Times office, 346 George street, will be removed, and a vision of splendid architectural perfection and beautiful illumination will attract the attention of passers by. Mr. M Pappas, who has so successfully operated a cigar and billiard business for the past three years has completely torn out the ground floor interior, extended the rear of the premises some sixteen feet and has replaced the former building by one of the most artistic and modern places of amusement in the Dominion. This handsome home of the muse and moving pictures will open its doors to the public at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning. A visit to the Royal Theatre, as Mr. Pappas has christened his latest venture, is well repaid by the sight of the unique combination of the carpenters' and electricians' best work. Over the entrance is a sign "Royal Theatre" illuminated by two hundred electric lamps. The entrance proper is protected from the rude gales of winter by a plate glass front, which, whilst protecting ticket buyers from the cold, still allows the arched entrance to be seen and admired by passers by as well as patrons. In the entrance arch are scores of varied coloured electric lamps whilst the walls are splendid specimens of the glaziers' doors of diamond shaped plate glass mirrors on either side of the ticket office, affords ingress and egress to the crowds that will throng the theatre. The walls of the theatre are divided into framed panels with hand painted devices. The electric lighting is all that money can procure or good taste suggest. A wide stage will allow of vaudeville performances being given when wanted. MacGregor & Reid, who have had the contract for the work, have completed a job in keeping with the old reputation of that firm. Mr. James Graham, who was in charge of the carpenter work, has also accomplished good work. This latest addition to Peterborough's places of amusement whilst not fully completed, will open its doors to the public to-morrow morning, and remain open all day with a good display of moving pictures. Whilst a good show will be given to-morrow, the real show with high class singers and grand pictures, will be inaugurated on Monday. Even when the best pictures and talent procurable are presented, the admission price will only be a nickle.



TAKE NOTICE!

Please take notice and don't forget the lecture to be given by Mr. J. R. Bengough, the nephew of Canada's greatest cartoonist, Mr. Elven Bengough, will deliver an instructive lecture on "The Symbol Life," that will be of interest to all, especially to young men.

The lecture will be given in the Park Street Baptist Church, Friday evening, December 18th, under the auspices of the South City A. A. A. Admission 15c. 2dwf

CHRISTMAS NUMBER IS ARTISTIC

Prospectus of the American Horse Breeders' Magazine is at Hand.

The prospectus of the forth coming Christmas number of the American Horse Breeder, published in Boston, Mass., is full of promise of good things for horse lovers. The covers are in colours, the first page figure being that of an Indian and his pony, and entitled "A Primitive American Horseman." It is a striking design and is executed in Artist Duntley's best style. Indian figures and symbols are used in the embellishment of the reading and pictorial pages of the magazine, giving it an unique and artistic effect.

The number contains 20 full-page engravures, including a double page insert entitled "When Horses Were Money," showing a young buck in the act of negotiating for the purchase of a chief's daughter. The page illustrations include the notable trotters of the year, both in the aged and colt classes.

The literary contents will afford entertainment and instructive reading for many a winter's evening, for there are many solid and instructive articles, containing historical facts of interest and discussions of fascinating phases of the breeding problem and these are balanced with contributions in a lighter vein in the shape of illustrated stories and poems; in short, fact and fiction are harmoniously blended.

The number will also contain many other meatures not mentioned here.

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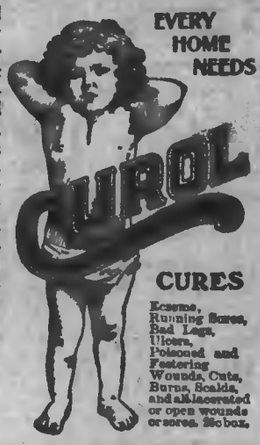
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EDWARDS—FIFE

The wedding took place on Wednesday evening, December 16th, of Mr Chas. Edwards, Jr., of Lang to Miss Maggie Malvina, the daughter of Mr. John Fife, Otonabee. The ceremony was performed by Mr. Gilchrist, Evangelist, of Bancroft, at the residence of the groom's sister, Mrs. F. Doughty, 508 Bolivar street. The bride was charmingly attaired in a dress of white silk mull trimmed with Valenciennes lace and insertion and was given away by her brother, Mr. J. O. Fife, of East City. They were unattended. The wedding march was played by Miss Lillie Edwards, sister of the groom. An elaborate supper was served at the conclusion of the ceremony, which took place at 5.30, and at which 35 guests, all close relatives of the bride and groom, participated.

The presents were numerous and handsome, including several cheeks. The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome check. The happy couple left for eastern points on a trip and on returning will reside at Lang.

BABCOCK—WOODLEY

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Woodley, Lindsay street, Lindsay was Wednesday afternoon the scene of a very pretty wedding, when their daughter, Miss May, was united in marriage to Mr. Fred S. Babcock, of Toronto. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Real, of Queen street Methodist church. The young couple left on the 8 o'clock train for Peterborough. They will reside in Omemee.

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THE EXAMINER'S SPORTING PAGE

Running Athletics Hockey

Y.M.C.A. TRACK AND FIELD CLUB ELECTS OFFICERS AT ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING OF MEMBERS LAST NIGHT

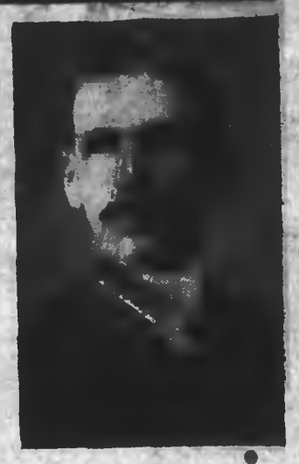
At a largely attended and enthusiastic meeting at the Y. M. C. A. Track and Field Club was completed the election of officers for the coming season. Much enthusiasm was show by the members and the club should have a most successful existence with the following list of able officers at the helm:

Hon. Pres.—J J Howden.
Hon. Vice-Pres.—V Eastwood.
Pres.—C E Simon.
Vice-Pres.—J H Adams.
Sec.-Treas.—E A Wilson.
Executive Committee—S W Collings, P Wallace and Geo. Fowler.

The officers and executive committee will meet in the near future for the purpose of drafting a constitution for the new organization. It was decided to have one track and one field event every Wednesday night at 9 p.m., during the winter, commencing on Wednesday, Jan 6. This will keep the men in shape during the winter so that they will be ready for the campaign next spring and will be in good shape for the Hexalon competition and other events.

It was decided that the Club's colours should be blue and white, and the committee was empowered to select a monogram for the jerseys which will likely be white with blue trimmings. The members of the team will start outdoor training just as soon as the weather permits and a big effort will be made next season to have the Canadian championships fought out here.

MR. E. N. McWILLIAMS,
President of the Church League and its leading spirit. He has been instrumental in providing a splendid constitution for the League.



MR. V. EASTWOOD,
Hon. Vice-President of the newly organized Y. M. C. A. Track and Field Club.

CHURCH LEAGUE SCHEDULE WAS ARRANGED AT MEETING LAST NIGHT

A meeting of the executive of the Church Hockey League was held last night when the Senior schedule was drawn up. The teams represented were St. Andrew's, George Street, Park Street and Knox.

President E N McWilliams was in the chair and piloted matters safely and rapidly. He has been chiefly responsible for the capable and comprehensive rules that have been formed and under which the league should have a highly successful season.

Senior Schedule

The senior schedule was arranged as follows:

Jan. 5—George Street vs. Knox, 7—8, Knox.
Jan. 7—Park Street vs. St. Andrew's, 8—9, Park.
Jan. 12—Park Street vs. Knox, 7—8, Knox.
Jan. 14—St. Andrew's vs. George Street, 8—9, Park.
Jan. 19—St. Andrew's vs. Knox, 7—8, Knox.
Jan. 21—George street vs. Park Street, 8—9, Park.
Jan. 26—Knox vs. George Street, 7—8, Park.
Jan. 28—St. Andrew's vs. Park Street, 8—9, Knox.
Feb. 2—Knox vs. Park Street, 7—8, Park.
Feb. 4—George Street vs. St. Andrew's, 8—9, Knox.
Feb. 9—Knox vs. St. Andrew's, 7—8, Park.
Feb. 11—Park Street vs. George Street, 8—9, Knox.

In the above the date is given, the two teams, the time they play and on what rink. All the games will be played on Knox and Park Street Rinks.

A few changes were made in the constitution as follows: The representative of any club is not allowed a vote if that club is under protest. Another important change was, "All players are ineligible to compete in church league games after playing two games in the O.H.A. or City League." This allows all church leaguers to play in the Mercantile League. Amendments to the constitution can only be made at the annual meeting and notice of the same must be given in writing two weeks before the date of the annual meeting.

The question of referees will receive careful attention, it being desired that only capable men handle the gong in the church league games.

O. H. A. TEAM HAD FAST WORKOUT; CITY LEAGUE PLAYERS OUT IN FORCE

The first practice of the Peterborough O. H. A. team was held last night and a good squad of available intermediate material were out in uniform taking advantage of the good ice to indulge in a lively workout for an hour. Most of the men out were city league men, the Strathconas being represented by Ray, Dusty, Weatherstone, Dobson and Seymour while Crough and Derocher of the T A S A C and Wallie Parnell were also on hand. Considering that it was the first workout of the season the boys showed good form and the practice was a lively one. Derocher was in the nets and he cannot be overlooked in selecting the line up this year as he was picking them out all ways last night. Seymour who played for the Straths two seasons ago, and who has not been out in uniform since owing to his absence from the city showed out well last night boring them in from right wing in a manner that kept the goal keeper on the jump. Ray, Dusty, Dobson and Weatherstone were travelling at mid winter speed and got away with a lot of nice work while Parnell and Crough also did some nice work.

With the addition of the older players no difficulty should be experienced in getting together a seven that should give all the teams in the district a hard contest for the honours. The team will be out again tonight and all candidates for the intermediates are invited to be out in uniform. Trainer Milburn was on hand and the boys were given a good rub down after the practice.

J. H. ADAMS,
Vice-President of the Y. M. C. A. Track and Field Club.

PETER WALLACE,
Member of the Executive of Y. M. C. A. Track and Field Club.

THE BENEFICIAL EFFECTS OF SKATING; A MOST HEALTHFUL CANADIAN PASTIME

A writer to the Toronto News says with a good deal of truth:—

"As an antidote to many of the ills that flesh is heir to, I know of nothing to supersede ice skating, our own national winter pastime. The greatest physicians are agreed that the tendency of modern life with its cheap means of locomotion and transit, is that we do not take sufficient open air exercise to keep our bodies in good health, and in consequence the tendency of the race is to become less physically fit. Notice the faces of dwellers in country districts who are constantly exercising in the open air. Do they not tell their own story of sound good health? It is then an imperative necessity that city dwellers, employed in occupations which call for confinement in heated factories, workshops, rooms, or stores, during the day, should take sufficient exercise to build up the wasted tissues of the body.

"At this season of the year especially, does nature send us a clear bracing atmosphere, which, coming to us from the great north-west, is laden with health giving ozone. We owe it to ourselves to get out into the rejuvenating, life giving atmosphere as much as possible.

"Notice a car load of skaters returning from some rink after their evening's enjoyment. See the happy, ruddy faces they have to show; compare them with a party returning from some theatre where they have been confined for some hours in an impure atmosphere. The contrast at once declares which of the parties have followed the most health giving and pleasure inspiring pastime. Nature demands that fresh air and exercise be supplied with no niggardly hand, if we would live contented, healthful, happy lives.

"Skating should be liberally indulged in by every one who is physically fit for it. Its easy, gliding motion, especially when accompanied by good music, is most enjoyable, and while not unduly straining any set of muscles, it exercises every limb, artery and tissue of the body. New comers from the Old Country, where there is little skating to be obtained, should at once equip themselves with a good pair of skates and take full advantage of Canada's best pastime."

THE PACIFICS AND LOCK WORKS EACH TAKE TWO OF THREE GAMES

The Pacifics, by capturing two out of three games from the Midgets in the ten pin league series at the P.B.C. last night, improved their standing in the race for the leadership, and are now within easy striking distance of the Bankers, whose consistent work since the league opened has kept them well to the front. But there is a strong probability of their being supplanted, as the schedule calls for Pacifics to meet Hutch's team, which is struggling bravely to wrest the cellar honours from the Grays, while the Bankers will be called upon to meet the Lock Works, who are going strong.

In the second game of the double header last night, the Lock Works took two from Exam B, and the winners are now safely ensconced in fourth place in the league race. Dela Fosse was easily the best of the losers while LaPlante gave the best exhibition of the night, when he ran up a score of 255 in his three games. Lang, who played in the first two for the Lock Works and then gave way to Lacheur, did excellently, but Charlie Westbrooke was off colour, as was also Rishea of the Exam B's.

McIlroy was high man for the Pacifics, closely followed by Jack Connors, who showed flashes of his old time brilliance in the first and second game, falling a trifle in his final ten frames.

Carol Hayes was high man for the losers with 484.

The scores follow:—

Examiner B. Vs. Lockwoorks

EXAM B

Dela Fosse	160	147	135—	439
Rishea	99	114	82—	295
Craig	107	122	101—	340
	356	382	318—1057

LOCK WORKS

Westbrooke	108	79	108—	295
Lang	164	146	110—	420
LaPlante	185	160	200—	545
	457	385	418—1260

Pacifics Vs, Midgets

PACIFICS

McIlroy	156	189	163—	499
Connors	175	167	145—	487
Lillie	142	158	113—	412
	473	506	420—1398

MIDGETS

Giroux	113	165	134—	411
Brown	190	143	133—	380
Hayes	159	135	190—	484
	370	443	462—1275

The League Standing

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Bankers	11	1	.916
Pacifics	9	3	.750
Requois	8	4	.666
Lock Works	7	5	.583
Examiner A	5	4	.555
Belmonts	6	6	.500
Midgets	6	6	.500
Examiner B	5	7	.416
B.A.C.	5	7	.416
Frontenacs	4	8	.333
Hutch's Hams	2	7	.222
Grays	1	11	.083

DRIVER HELD SULKY TIRE ON WITH ONE HAND WHILE HE DROVE WITH OTHER

Toronto, Dec. 17—Visitors to the weekly light harness matinee at Dufferin Park yesterday afternoon saw one of the most sensational incidents ever recorded on any race track, and an occurrence that all of the regulars declare never before was recorded.

It happened in the second heat of the Class A race, in which there were four starters, Stroud, Walter S, William C. and Lady Belmont. They got away to a good break, and at the first turn the tire on the right hand wheel of Stroud's sulky slipped off. Ordinary drivers would have pulled up and not attempted to go on with the race. This was not Driver Jim Smith's way of doing business. He reached down and grabbed the loosened tire. Holding it tight for three-quarters of a mile and driving with his left hand holding whip and reins, he came on and won in a furious drive from Walter S. The big crowd gave Smith an ovation that is seldom heard at Dufferin Park.

LONGBOAT RAN BEAUTIFUL RACE WRITES OLD PETERBOROUGH BOY

Chris. Graham has received a delightfully breezy letter from an old Peterboroug hboy Mr. Bert Dolan of Smith, Grey and Co., New York giving his impressions of the Dorando—Longboat race on Tuesday night. Mr. Dolan who will be remembered as playing with the old Peterborough Baseball Club says of the race—"Just a few lines in my enthusiasm to tell you how your famous Indian runner put to grief Dorando several thousand fruit peddlars, boot blacks, Caruso et al, and had spaghetti and macaroni stretched from the bill of fare of all the reputable eating houses. Tammany to-day is stronger than ever and it is a good thing for the Republican powers that to-day is not election day, for the Indian sign is on everything.

Personally I did not think the Indian had a chance on account of lack of condition but he evidently has the constitution of John L Sullivan, for he was there under wraps with the race well in hand from the crack of pistol. He simply raced the little man from Sunny Italy off his feet, although the latter put up a game fight. He was simply outclassed last night. Longboat ran a beautiful race, and received a remarkable ovation from the largest crowd that was ever in Madison Square Garden."

Is your Wife Jealous? If so, let her see "A Jealous Wife" Grand to-night

OFFICERS OF HAVELOCK HOCKEY CLUB FOR 1909

The Havelock Hockey Club was organized at a meeting at the Armstrong House on Monday night, with the following officers.

Hon. President—D Carmichael.
Hon. Vice-Pres.—Thos. Bennett.
Pres.—E J Murphy.
1st Vice-Pres.—H Hoyle.
2nd Vice-Pres.—Jas E Fowler.
Secretary—Wm. Bryans.
Treasurer—John Beaver.
Manager—Geo. Mathison.
Executive Committee—J. Beaver, K MacKay, Ward Patterson, J. Dineen and the manager.

NO CURLING YET IN TORONTO

Ice is Soft on Account of the Mildness of Weather.

On account of the continued mild weather and consequent lack of ice, the Toronto Curling Club have found it necessary to postpone their bonspiel until Tuesday evening, December 29th. The initial games were to have been played last night. It is evident that Peterborough is as far advanced in the season's curling as any of the other teams along the line.

E. A. WILSON,
Secretary-Treasurer of the Y. M. C.A. Track and Field Club.

THE GLOOMIER SIDE OF RUGBY

Many Injuries Recorded During the Short Season of Two Months.

The American Rugby season must have overworked the hospitals connected with the institutions, or those near at hand, judging from the list of casualties, which have been listed as follows:—

Broken collar bones	43
Broken legs	39
Broken arms	14
Broken jaws	6
Broken noses	21
Broken ribs (players)	16
Concussions of the brain	12
Sprains	66
Torn ligaments	39
Dislocations	28
Lockjaw	1
Insanity	1
Miscellaneous — Teeth knocked out, scalp wounds, cuts etc.	99
Total	388

Records for Eight Years

Year	Deaths	Injured
1901	7	74
1902	15	106
1903	14	63
1904	14	200
1905	24	209
1906	14	100
1907	15	165
1908	15	388

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In Beef, we have carefully selected the primest animals from the best feeders in the country, well bred and well fed.

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In Canned Goods, Pickles and Table Delicacies we can sell as cheap as anyone in the trade.

Try our Home Made Mince Meat for your pies. 3 lbs. for 25c. Chopped Suet for your pudding.

Thanking all my patrons for past orders and soliciting a continuance of same. I wish all a Merry Christmas and a Prosperous New Year.

R. COX
BOTH PHONES 39

SOUTH END
REPAIR SHOP

Having opened a Boot and Shoe Repair Shop, at 248 George Street, I am prepared to give prompt and careful attention to the work you intrust me. My prices are moderate, and I solicit a call.

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CHARLOTTE ST. CHOIR BANQUET

Delightful Social Evening Spent at the Church—About Fifty in Attendance —Splendid Musical Programme.

WORK OF CHOIR LEADER

The members of the Charlotte Street Choir held a very successful banquet last night, in the Sunday School room, adjoining the church. The object was to spend a social evening together, to which the pastor, Rev. G. W. Henderson and his wife, and the Musical Committee of the church were invited.

The tables were very prettily decorated in red and white, with bouquets of carnations, and were loaded with roast turkey, goose and other delicacies, to which the choir and the guests sat down at 7.30 p. m.

The toast list after supper, with Mr. Downey as chairman, was as follows:

"The King," proposed by Mr. Bidyard, and responded to by Mr. W. Stocker.

"Canada," proposed by Mr. Lebar, and responded to by Mr. W. F. Skitch.

"Church," proposed by Mr. H. B. Collier, and responded to by Rev. G. W. Henderson.

"Choir Leader," by Chas. Harmer, and responded to by Miss Clarry.

"Ladies," Mr. Eccleston, and reply Mr. Armstrong.

"Gentlemen," Mrs. H. B. Collier, reply Miss Jackson.

"Guests," Mr., Cunningham and Rev. G. W. Henderson.

A splendid musical programme was rendered at intervals during the evening, as follows:

"The Boys of the Old Brigade," Mr. W. F. Skitch.

"O, Canada," Mr. W. Stocker.

"The Maid of Malabar," Mr. Jas. Browne.

"Daddy," Master Jno. Ridyard.

"On the Rolling Deep," Mr. W. F. Skitch.

Mr. A. B Cunningham, in his congratulatory remarks, said he was sure he voiced the spirit of the congregation, and spoke in glowing terms of the work of the leader, Miss Clarry and her splendid body of gifted singers, the music being always up to a very high standard, and was a real inspiration in the service.

He also stated that there always existed a spirit of harmony and good will in the choir, which is very rarely found in choir organizations. He also wished to congratulate Mrs. Hughes on her splendid work during her ion gengagement as soloist, and it was with extreme regret on the part of the congregation that she was about to retire. Congratulatory remarks were also made by the pastor.

C. G. E. REPRESENTATIVE IN EDMONTON

In Connection With Contract for Proposed Filtration System.

Edmonton Bulletin: The plans for the proposed filtration system are taking shape rapidly and will be ready for submission to the council in the course of a few days. Mr. Roberts, of Philadelphia, the filtration expert, will arrive in the city this afternoon and will take up the question with the commissioners tomorrow. Although representing a firm of manufacturers of filters and coming in response to the agitation for filtered water, Mr. Roberts is expected by the commissioners to give them much valuable information while in the city. It must be made clear that the filtration system to be installed next summer is not intended to be a permanent one, as it will be absolutely necessary before many years to move the pumping plant further up the river. It may even happen that next year's council will require that this be done in 1909. Among the men now in town in connection with the rumours of extensions to the electric and waterworks systems are Mr. Potter, of the Robb Engineering Co., Amherst, N.S.; Mr. McBurnie, of the Canadian General Electric Co., Peterborough; Mr. Ross, of Goldie-McCulloch Co., Galt, and Messrs Duff and Huffman, of the Canadian Westinghouse Co.

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Don't Miss This Saturday

Christmas Bargain Sale

On Saturday we present values which are better than those offered on any other day by this Store on any other day, or by any other store on any day---and, as always, we urge comparison of these items with those offered elsewhere.

The following list is full of enticements to everyone, since it covers such an abundant variety of Christmas Gift Needs.

We emphasize the fact that in no instance has cost of these goods been lessened at the expense of quality.

Tapestry Portieres

Heavy Tapestry Portieres, mercerized with heavy fringe top and bottom in a good range of colouring, regularly worth up to 7.50, Hall's Saturday Bargain, pair **4.50**

Axminster Rugs

Very fine Scotch Axminster Rugs in a big range of splendid colour combinations, regular 9.00 and 10.00, Hall's Saturday Bargain, each.. **6.85**

Swiss Curtains

Fine Swiss Curtains in a splendid assortment of good designs in Maceo, Venice, Irish Point and Ivory Duchess. Regular up to 12.50 pair, Hall's Saturday Bargain, pair **8.95**

Axminster Rugs

5 only fine Axminster Rugs, size 11 ft. 6 in. by 8 ft. 3 in., and 12 ft. by 9 ft., regular up to 45.00, Hall's Saturday Bargain, each **32.50**

Eiderdown Quilts

3 only fine eiderdown quilts covered with good quality of Sateen with Satin border and frill, size 5 ft. x 6 ft. Regular 10.00, Hall's Saturday Bargain.. **8.69**

Ladies' Net Waists

made of fine net, tucked fronts with panels of Oriental Lace, outlined with Val, silk lined, in white and paris shade, high collar and long sleeves. Hall's Saturday Bargain each **3.75**

Maids' Aprons

Good assortment of maids' plain and fancy Aprons. Hall's Saturday Bargain from 30c to..... **1.00**

Skirts

Made of fine Venetian and French Panama, strictly tailored black and navy. Hall's Saturday Bargain **5.50**

Ladies' Coats

50 inch Coats in double breasted style, semi-fitting back, button trimmings, body and sleeves lined in black, navy and myrtle kersey. Hall's Saturday Bargain, each **20.00**

Cream Stripe Wool Delaine

For waists and dresses, a rich satin stripe effect, 27 in. wide, 3 yards to a waist. Regular 35c a yard, Hall's Saturday Bargain, yard..... **.28**

Stripe and Check Silk

Pure French Dyed Fabrics, suitable for waists and dresses. A fine range of staple shadings, 20 inches wide. Regular 90c a yard, Hall's Saturday Bargain, yard..... **.62**

French Voile

For evening and afternoon gowns now is the time to effect a saving. We have them in all the new, up-to-date shades and are of French manufacture and pure wool, 42 in. wide, regular 75c and 85c yard, Hall's Saturday Bargain **.57**

Frilling

Fancy collar ruching of chiffon and net, all pretty, light colours, also Black and White. Regular 10, 12½, 15c per frill. Hall's Saturday Bargain, each **.5**

Kid Gloves

Hall's guaranteed French kid gloves with 2 domes, lock stitching, colours, Tan, Brown, Mode, Grey, Black and White. Hall's Saturday Bargain **.98**

Cream Panama

For children's and ladies' skirts, waists and dresses. This cloth is pure wool and its wearing qualities cannot be excelled, 42 inches wide, sold at 60c. Hall's Saturday Bargain, yard... **.42**

Blanketing Cloth

In extra heavy weight, all pure wool, 56 inches wide. Just the weight for lining robes and fur coats, this cloth sold up to 1.65 yard, a good assortment to choose from. Saturday Bargain.. **.98**

35c Towels 29c

10 dozen pure linen damask Towels, very neat patterns, knotted fringe ends, size 24 x 48. Regular 35c each, Hall's Saturday Bargain, each .. **.29**

15c Flannelette 12½c

34 inch, full bleached white flannelette, extra heavy quality, English make, regular 15c yard, Hall's Saturday Bargain yard ..... **.12½**

Best Quality Blankets $5.00

Finest quality, all wool Blankets, finished at both ends. Makes a useful and serviceable Xmas Gift, The best Blanket on the market at the price, white with blue or pink borders or red with black border. Hall's Saturday Bargain, pair..... **5.00**

$1.00 Table Linen 79c

Full bleached pure linen table Damask, extra fine quality, full 72 inches wide. Regular 1.00 yard, Hall's Saturday Bargain, yard..... **.79**

5 O'Clock Table Covers

25 only Hemstitched Linen Table Covers, size 36 x 36 inches, assorted patterns, very pretty designs of drawnwork and embroidery. Hall's Saturday Bargain ..... **.65**

10c Doilies 5c

10 dozen only Muslin Doilies, pretty patterns in cut work, size 9 x 9. Regular 10c each, Hall's Saturday Bargain, each..... **.5**

Pure Silk Taffeta Ribbon

5 inches wide in colours of pink, white, cream, sky, mauve, purple, yellow and Nile. Regular price 25c yard. Hall's Saturday Bargain, yard.... **.16**

New Stock Collars

In plain white, also in checks and stripes in colours of mauve, sky, black Nile, tan and pink, Hall's Saturday Bargain, each ..... **.25**

Dollar Umbrellas

Make good Christmas Gifts, especially when you can buy the best dollar Umbrella in Canada. Hall's Saturday Bargain, each..... **1.00**

Ladies', Here's Good Christmas Gift Collars

All new and right up to the minute in style, made of chiffon and Net trimmed with Val lace, deep Ruching, Beading sequine, silk and Satin Ribbon. Hall's Saturday Bargain, each.... **.50**

Chiffon Scarfs

In colours of Black, Brown, Navy, Green Taupe edged with Satin Border, extra large size. Hall's Saturday Bargain, each..... **1.75**

Handkerchiefs—35 Dozen

Plain Linen Hemstitched, Linen Hemstitched with Embroidered Corner, Fine Swiss Embroidered, Swiss Hemstitched Embroidered, Swiss Embroidered with Lace insertion, Fine Swiss with Lace edging. Hall's Saturday Bargain, each ..... **.25**

Handkerchiefs

45 doz. Ladies' fine Swiss Hdkfs, assorted patterns, Embroidered edge, Hemstitched Embroidered, Cross Bar with Lace edging etc. Hall's Saturday Bargain, each..... **.15**

Gloves

Ladies' fine Cashmere Gloves, extra good quality, with fleece lining, 2 dome fasteners, in colours, Brown, Tan, Grey, Mode, Navy, Red and Black. Hall's Saturday Bargain, each..... **.25**

Hose

Ladies' fine black Cashmere hose, with fancy silk Embroidered fronts, about ten different designs. Regular price 50c to 65c a pair. Hall's Saturday Bargain, pair..... **.42**

Hose Supporters

Ladie's fancy silk hose supporters, with C. M. C. clasps, trimmed with fancy buckles and satin ribbon bows. Regular price $1.25 pair. Hall's Saturday Bargain, pair..... **.98**

Ladies' Pompadour Hair Rolls

Suitable for all the latest style in Coiffures every shade to match your hair, 24 inches long. Regular price 25c each. Hall's Saturday Bargain, each.... **.19**

Ladies' Umbrellas

With steel frame and rod, a good assortment of Fancy Handles and natural wood with silver and gilt mountings, top of good quality Glory. Hall's Saturday Bargain, each..... **1.50**

Plaid Tweeds

Extra heavy weight, suitable for children's coats or dresses in colourings of red and green mixtures. This Cloth is pure wool and will resist all kinds of weather and wear, 42 inches wide, regular 75c a yard, Hall's Saturday Bargain, yard..... **.52**

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EXAMINER'S PAGES ARE WIDELY READ

First Applicant to Free Labour Bureau in Toronto Reads Examiner.

A few days ago the Examiner published an account of the opening of the free labour Bureau in Toronto by the Associated Charities of Toronto, and its purposes. The publication of this news in the Examiner has already brought results as the following letter received this morning from Mr. Samuel Arnold, the secretary, illustrates:

"Many thanks for your prompt reply to our request for the item in your paper regarding our free labour bureau. You were the first to respond to our 311 letters which we sent throughout the Province, and the first application we had came to hand this morning from Peterborough."

Band Concert To-night, at Roller Rink. 24 Selections. Ladies and Gents 15c for skating.

COLLIE RESCUED FROM STRYCHININE POISON

Narrow Escape of Mr. Haines' Dog on Wednesday Night.

On Wednesday evening an attempt Owas made to poison the valuable collie dog belonging to Mr. Haines, Brock street. Dr. Poole V.S., was summoned and it was found the animal had been given strychnina poison. An antidote was administered and the dog is all right again.

THREE NEW WESTMINSTER MURDERERS MEET THEIR DEATH TO-DAY AT THE HANGMAN'S HANDS

Two Negroes and One Chinaman Suffer for Their Misdeeds—The Crimes for Which They Are Punished.

RADCLIFFE THE HANGMAN

Examiner Special.

New Westminster, Dec. 18. -- The Cabinet-in-Council having decided not to commute the sentences in the cases of three murderers, these men were hanged here this morning. Radcliffe was the official executioner and the sentence was carried out in accordance with the law. One case was that of a negro named Jenkins, who was found guilty of the brutal murder of a woman near the International boundary line, south of New Westminster, last summer. The second was the case of a Chinaman, named Lee Chung, and the third that of a negro named John Pertilla, who were both under sentence to be hanged. In none of these cases was it thought advisable to interfere with the carrying out of the dire sentence of the law, and the result was the triple hanging that took place this morning. During the time that he was imprisoned, Pertilla made a desperate attempt on the life of Head Warder James Brymer, of the provincial jail at New Westminster. Brymer had just taken the man into the bath room and was entering the small apartment, when the negro seized a broken section of a fruit jar and rained blow after blow on the warder's head. His head, ears and face were badly cut, and it took two other warders' help before the desperate man could be cowed into submission. Warder Brymerr was confined to his bed for several days as a result of the injuries that he received. Lee Chung was sentenced for the murder of his partner, Yung Hing, in a quarrel in South Vancouver, last July. Both these men owned a pig ranch, and the evidence showed that they quarreled about the ownership of some pigs. Yung Hing's body was found in the bush terribly mutilated, and a trail of blood was found leading to Lee Chung's shack, where clothes were also found stained with blood.

NO MORE WAITING!

Don't be a last-minute. Do Xmas shopping now. Start in your selecting before the pell-mell rush. Crowd Stratton's Bookstore to the pavement. Let it be a "glad" brigade, day and night. Store open every evening next week. Gift-getting made easy, 'mid a downfall of prices. Magnificent stocks of magnificent holiday goods. A. E. Stratton & Co.

57th Band at Brock Street Rink to-night. Good ice.

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IN THE ANNEX
SATURDAY

The Bargain Annex will open Saturday morning, at 8:10 sharp, with these two b'g values as leaders. Scores more just as rare values will be found there all plainly priced and displayed for easy choosing.

Out of the whole Annex, full of bargains, not one is unseasonable and most of them are suggestive of Christmas gift-giving—gifts of the serviceable and handsome sort.

Real economy is the keynote of this Saturday's Annex. Don't miss it.

Christmas Linens In the Annex Saturday

A very fine range of Irish Linen Novelties and Staple Linens to choose from this Saturday in the Annex. This lot is large and includes plain hemstitched **Lunch Cloths,** 42 inches x 42 inches, regular 75c.

Pure Linen **Tray Covers,** hemstitched and with embroidery work, 18 inches x 27 inches, regular 90c.

Laundry Bags, Asbestos Covers, with Doylies attached, **Table Runners, Sideboard Scarfs,** hand embroidered **Pillow Shams** and English bag **Pillow Cases,** worth from 60c to $1.25.

Choice of any piece Saturday in the Annex (see window) **19c**

Russian Leatherette Squaw Bags
In the Annex Saturday

Black Leatherette Squaw Bags, large sizes, with two handles and end drawstring, a special bag at 25c. Just the idea for a Christmas gift. Saturday only in the Annex (see window)..... **10c**

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George St., Peterborough

HEAR THE LATEST MUSIC
Just arrived, 100 Sheets off the Press—the New Two-Step, "RED CROSS."

TOWN TOPICS

PROBS—Strong north to west winds gradually clearing, fair and moderately cold to-night and on Saturday

Santa Claus for the Shelter
—A Christmas tree will be held on Christmas night at the Children's Shelter.

Something Unique
its worth your while to go as far as J. M. Donovan's store to see the turtles in his window.

Finished
—Your clothing will look finished if cleaned dyed or repaired by "My Valet,' 204 Charlotte street.

Children's Aid Annual
—The annual meeting of the Children's Aid Society opened this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Regiment Representative
—The 57th Regiment was represented this afternoon at the funeral of Mr. John Irwin.

Piano Tuning
—Piano tuning promptly attended to. Satisfaction guaranteed. A. F. Hoover, 222 McDonel street. 'Phones —Bell 199k, Machine 199.

At Knox Church
—Preparatory service will be held at Knox Church this evening, when Rev. Mr. Thompson, Hastings, will be the preacher.

Night Classes Close
—The night classes at the Peterborough Business College have been terminated for the present year and will not begin until the 4th or 5th of January.

Literery Society
—The regular fortnightly meeting of the Ladies' Literary Society of St. Peter's T.A.S., will be held on Friday evening, when a paper will be read by Miss Alice Moloney. 3d

Supply of New Money
—The Dominion Bank has secured a supply of new silver, new bills and gold, and if any desire any of these for Christmas presents they may obtain them there.

Boys at Knox Church
—The boys of Knox Church Boys' Club are requested to meet at Knox Church this evening at 7.30, to attend in a body the lecture to the Boys' Club at St. Andrew's Church, by Dr MacPherson.

Is Your Piano in Tune?
—The change of season affects pianos as well as everything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano-maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. Macdonald's drug store.

Lecture to-night
—There will be a lecture to-night in St. Andrews school room under the auspices of the Boys' Guild by Dr. A. W. MacPherson on Life in the Sick Children's Hospital, Toronto. All the Boys' Clubs of the city are invited and the invitation has been extended to the public generally.

Indian's Xmas Tree
—A Christmas tree and concert has been arranged by the Indians at Chemong for the evening of the 26th. The affair will be carried out on a big scale and a large atttendance is expected. Those who are making the arrangements report encouraging assistance in providing a well stocked tree.

CHRISTMAS NEAR
We mention a few of the Xmas necessities which we now have in stock. Table Raisins, Pulled Figs, Fresh Figs, Fresh Shelled Nuts, Golden Dates, Grape Fruit, California, Florida and Mexican Oranges, and the very best new Nuts. Also "Sealshipt" Oysters. S. A. OKE
376 George St.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

THE EXAMINER welcomes all Items of Interest for this column. Phone 234 or send post card with name and address.

Miss Traill of Lakefiels was in the city yesterday.

Miss Barbara Traill who has been attending school in Lakefield for the past few months returned to her home at Prince Albert, Sask., on Thursday.

Mr G G Pope, of Peterborough, was in town yesterday in the interests of the Federal Life.....Mr and Mrs. Barney Frederick, of Peterborough, have returned to town to spend several weeks.—Campbellford Despatch.

Mr. Norman Brown, ledger keeper at the Bank of Montreal, has received notice of his transference to Toronto. He will leave about the end of the week and his departure will be greatly regretted by a large circle of friends.

A very successful concert in aid of the Presbyterian Church shed fund was held in the town hall last Friday evening, says the Hastings Star. The rendering of the numbers was far above the average of most local concerts, and all who attended received a decided treat. Miss Julia Choate, violiniste, and Miss Fife, pianist, of Peterborough, contributed some artistically rendered numbers, as also did Miss Jessie Anderson, Miss Fraser, Messrs. Plant, Pelton and the Male Quartette.

OBITUARY.

MISS ROSE HUARD

The death occurred on Thursday of Miss Rose Huard, daughter of Mr. Stephen Huard, at the age of fourteen years. The funeral will leave the family residence, number 423 Driscoll Terrace, on Saturday, December 19th, at nine a. m., and proceed to St. Peter's Cathedral and thence to the Roman Catholic Cemetery for interment.

MISS MAUD ETHEL WRIGHT

Maud Ethel Wright, daughter of the late George Wright, of Ashburnham, died this morning at the home of her sister, Mrs. T. Lucas, 335 Aylmer st., at the age of 20 years and 6 months. Miss Wright had been employed for the last five years at the Cereal Works. She leaves her mother, one sister and four brothers, all living in this city, to mourn her loss. They are Mrs. Wright, 394 Aylmer street; Mrs. T. Lucas, 335 Aylmer street; John, 499 Bethune street; Brock, of Ashburnham; Roy and Albert, who live with their mother. The funeral notice will be given later.

The New York Stock Market

(Furnished by J. N. Barber.)

	Opening	Closing
A.C.P	78⅝	78
Atch	96	96⅛
B.R.T.	56	56⅛
C.P.R.	175	175⅝
Erie	33½	33½
Great Northern	143½	144
L.N.	121⅝	121½
Mo. Pac.	68	68⅜
Northern Pacific	140	140⅝
N.Y.C.	118⅝	118⅝
Penna	128⅜	129
R.I.	22⅝	22⅝
Rdg.	138½	139
Smelters	80	79⅝
Soo	130½	130⅝
St. Paul	147½	148½
S.P	119	119⅛
U.P.	179⅝	180½
U.S	53	53
U.S. pfd.	111⅝	111½
Twin City	—	—
Nipissing	10	10⅛
May-Wheat	105⅛	105⅛
" Corn	60½	60⅛
May Oats	51⅝	51
" Pork	16.10	16.07

Sporting Comment

A Pittsburg humourist rises to remark that the Cubs ought to be called the Artisans, because there is an Archer a Tinker, a Butcher, a Marshall, and a Miller on the team. This habit of punning is very Klinging —Toronto Star.

This gives us a chance to show that we still have it Overall these home grown or foreign punsters, in fact we have them done up Browne in asking if Steinfeldt that one?

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The Park street skating rink will be open this evening for skating. Superintendent Haywood has secured a splendid sheet of ice.

Beautiful Ebony Goods

We are prepared to give you a reasonable discount on our already low prices on Ebony Mirrors, Ebony Brushes, Ebony Manicure Sets, etc., if purchased before the Xmas Rush

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Sale of Sample Xmas Fancy Collars and Belts

25 Dozen Sample Fancy Collars, Made to Sell for 50c, 75c and $1.00.

FRIDAY and SATURDAY Your Choice for **38c**

We have been fortunate in securing a manufacturer's set of Sample Collars (25 dozen), this season's newest styles, made especially for the Xmas trade. This is the greatest Collar snap of the season. 50c, 75c and $1.00 Collars, Friday and Saturday, for..... **38c**

15 DOZEN SAMPLE SILK BELTS

All this season's latest styles, worth regular 50c, 75c and $1.00.

FRIDAY and SATURDAY Your Choice for **38c**

See our south window and come early Friday, as well as Saturday, if you can. Store open in the evenings next week.

Harry Adams

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Diamond Calk Horseshoe

It saves time—it saves money—it saves your horse. The calk being adjustable, the shoe has not got to be removed to be re-sharpened.

The calk being made of case-hardened steel and being triangular, having three sharp edges, it has been tested out to more than equal 9 ordinary re-sharpened shoes.

Your horse always having perfectly sharp calks is thoroughly protected against slipping.

The Shoe, and all the parts are made of the best material. The fittings—that is the calks, clamps and cap screws—are renewable at very small cost, while the shoe itself is practically indestructible.

For full particulars apply to the Company's office, 340 George Street.

Let Your Children
Kodak

Your boys or girls can make good pictures with a Brownie Camera. There's nothing that will give them greater Christmas delight, nothing that will retain their interest longer. Simple, instructive, and good, clean, wholesome fun--and not expensive either. Brownies:

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Music and Drama

LILLIAN RUSSELL

When Joseph Brooks presents Lillian Russell at the Grand Operahouse next week, in teh racing comedy "Wildfire" a treat is in store for local theatre-goers, The play needs no further introduction here, for the stirring incidents and the delicious comedy will be immediately recalled by the mention of the engagement.

Since Canadians took so kindly to "Wildfire" last season, it has more than duplicated its early success by a run of several months in New York city, where it was voted the biggest hit of the season to date.

Miss Russell brings her play here direct from the New York and Boston runs. It will be seen exactly as originally offered, except tant the company has, if possible, been materially improved, and a new third act now brings the story to a very satisfactory termination.

Miss Russell's new Directoire gowns will also be a great for her feminine admirers.

The plan opens Monday and a big rush for seats may well be expected.

POTVIN'S DELICACIES FOR XMAS

You'll make no mistake if you select your fancy boxes of confectionery at Potvin's. Nothing nicer in the city than his fresh-made chocolates, creams, caramels and other delicious bon-bons. They are made of the best material and put up in beautiful boxes for dainty Xmas gifts. Don't buy any Christmas cakes until you have seen Potvin's, as well as his lovely buns, pastry and holiday tancies. 425 George street. 6d-117

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 25 cents each insertion in either the Daily or Weekly Examiner

DIED.

LOVEKIN — In Peterborough, on December 17, 1908, Edward Harold Lovekin, eldest son of Louis Lovekin, aged 26 years.

The funeral will take place from the residence of his grandmother, Mrs. R. Graham, 547 Water street, on Saturday December 19, 1908, at 3 o'clock. Interment at Little Lake Cemetry.

A Good Overcoat And Suit of Underwear

Is the very first thing to think about this cold weather.

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SCHOOL CHILDREN'S SPECIAL RATE TO ATTEND THE COMING POULTRY SHOW

About thirty energetic members of the Peterborough Poultry Association attended the special meeting last night and a most enthusiastic session was held. Everything points to a splendid show on the 5th, 6th and 7th of January. A large number of new members have been secured and the financial success of the affair is a certainty. It was finally decided last night to place the admission fee for school children at the small sum of five cents, for the hours between four and six o'clock.

Mr. Geo. Pexman, Vice-President, was unanimously elected Superintendent of the show and a committee to assist him will be appointed later.

Mr. Harry Lush reported on the poultry show in Guelph which he attended last week and stated that a large number of the exhibitors who were there will be coming to Peterough.

Mr. C. J. Hicks was elected secretary of the Association, upon the resignation of Mr. B. T. Huston.

NEW BOOKS

The following new books have been received at the Public Library:

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The Liberationist—Bindloss.
The Post Girl—Booth.
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CHATS ABOUT FAMOUS BOOKS AND THEIR AUTHORS

By F. M. D.

We have reached now a period in English literature, which ranks as the most brilliant, and the most marvellous in history.

Within the small compass of some seventy years, almost all the greatest authors that England has ever produced, played their destined parts on life's stage, and wrote their immortal work. As Lord Jeffrey expressed it, in the Edinburgh Review, "In point of real force and originality of genius, neither the age of Pericles nor the age of Augustus, nor the times of Leo. the Tenth, or of Louis the Fourteenth, can come at all into comparison. For in that short period we shall find the names of Shakspere, and Bacon, and Spenser, and Sidney, of Raleigh, and Hooker, and Taylor, of Napier, and Milton, and Cudworth, and Hobbes, an dmany others; men all of them not merely of great talents and accomplishments, but of vast compass, and reach of understanding, and of minds truly creative and original; not men who perfected art by the delicacy of their taste, or digested knowledge by the justness of their reasonings; but men who made vast and substantial additions to the materials upon which taste and reason must hereafter be employed, and who enlarged to an incredible and unparalleled extent, both the stores and the resources of the human faculties."

Edmund Spenser

Foremost in this wonderful array, in point of time, stands Edmund Spenser, "the poet's poet," who, born one year before Sidney, was destined by Providence to almost as brief a mortal career.

Spenser is the second of the four grand masters of poetical literature. He was born in 1553, in East Smithfield, near the Tower of London. Our knowledge of his early life is meagre. Little or nothing is known of his parents, or even of where he went to school. All that is known is that at sixteen he entered Pembroke Hall, Cambridge, as a sizar, and in 1576, took his degree of Master of Arts.

Friendship With Gabriel Harvey

At Cambridge he formed a friendship with Gabriel Harvey, the poet, who was some five years older than himself, and this friendship had a considerable influence in determining his future career, for by Harvey's kindness he was introduced to Sir Philip Sidney, and through Sidney to the Earl of Leicester. By the influence of this powerful nobleman he was appointed, in 1580, secretary to Lord Grey, of Wilton, the then newly-appointed Lord Lieutenant of Ireland. Spenser spent two years in Ireland. On his return he was rewarded for his services, by Elizabeth, with a grant of 3,000 acres in County Cork. This was part of the estates of the Desmonds, which had been confiscated to the Crown, and of which Raleigh had already obtained a large share.

Spenser Retires to his Irish Estate

On the death of Sidney, Spenser retired to his estate in Ireland, and there, in the Castle of Kilcolman, and with Raleigh to encourage him in his task, he penned the first three books of the "Faerie Queene." On the completion of the books, Raleigh and Spenser, crossed the channel together, and the poet was introduced to the Queen by his zealous friend. On the publication of the work it was received with great enthusiasm. Elizabeth rewarded the poet with a pension of £50, and he returned again to Ireland, there to indulge in further poetical labours, and to officiate as Clerk of the council for Munster, and at a later period as Sheriff of Cork.

Spenser's Marriage and Death

In 1594 he married a lady named Elizabeth, in whose honour he composed the Epithalamion termed "The sweetest marriage song our language boasts," and in 1595 he went to England and published the 4th, 5th and 6th books of the "Faerie Queene." It is perhaps needless to state that Ireland was not any more disposed in those days to be under the yoke of England than she was two decades ago. Spenser had scarcely settled down once more in his well-loved home ere rebellion was rampant in the land. Kilcolman was besieged by the peasantry and Spenser and his wife, in the haste of flight, left their new-born child (their fifth) behind to perish in the flames. Three months later, Spenser, probably broken-hearted, breathed his last, at an inn in Westminster.

Spenser occupies an altogether unique place in literature, for he belongs as much to the old world of mediaevalism, as to the new world of progressive thought and enlightenment. He was the last Minstrel of Chivalry, greater beyond comparison than the greatest of his forerunners, but he was no more than the modern poet of the remote past. His mind revelled in conjuring up phantasmagoria in which gallant knights, distressed maidens and elfs play their parts in wonderful adventures by flood and field, but his style is the style on which modern poets have based their own endeavours, and he may thus be regarded not only as the last of the old school, but also as the first of the new.

The following extract is from his Epithalamion:

"Now is my love all ready for to come;
Let all the virgins therefore well await;
And ye fresh boys that tend upon her groom,
Prepare yourselves, for he is coming straight.
Set all your things in seemly good array,
Fit for so joyful day;
The joyfullest day that ever sun did see.
Fair sun, show forth thy favourable ray,
And let thy life-full heat not fervent be,
For fear of burning her sunshiny face,
Her beauty to disgrace.
O fairest Phoebus, father of the Muse,
If ever I did honour thee aright,
Or sing the thing that mote thy mind delight,
Do not thy servant's simple boon refuse;
But let this day, let this one day be mine—
Let all the rest be thine.
Then I thy sovereign praises loud will sing,
That all the woods shall answer and their echo ring."

"Behold, whiles she before the altar stands,
Hearing the holy priest that to her speaks,
And blesseth her with his two happy hands
How the red roses flush up in her cheeks,
And the pure snow, with goodly vermeil stain
Like crimson dyed in grain,
That even the angels, which continually
About the sacred altar do remain,
Forget their service and about her fly,
Oft peeping in her face, that seems more fair
The more they on her stare.
But her sad eyes, still fastened on the ground,
Are governed with goodly modesty,
That suffers not one look to glance away,
Which may let in a little thought unsound.
Why blush ye, love, to give to me your hand,
The pledge of all our band?
Sing, ye sweet angels, Alleluia sing,
That all the woods may answer, and your echo ring."

The Epithalamion is composed of ten stanzas, and to those who relish the true music of poetry, nothing can be more pleasurable than the perusal of its mellifluous lines.

Spenser wrote besides the "Faerie Queene," and the "Epithalamion," a few other pieces, among them The Shepherd's Calender, a work brought forth by the sorrow of an early but unsuccessful love affair. "Colin Clouts Come Home Again," a pastoral describing his voyage with Raleigh across the channel, in which that nobleman figures as the "Shepherd of the Ocean," and a "View of the State of Ireland," in which the poet upholds the time-honoured fallacy of brute force to subdue the Irish, of which his chief, Lord Grey, and other "very wise governors and counsellors," had been untiring exponents. This belief in might quelling right was with Spenser to the end, for his last known writing was a paper urging the policy in regard to Ireland. It is said that Spenser wrote in all twelve books of the Faerie Queene, of which six were lost either by shipwreck or fire. His remains repose in Westminster Abbey, near the tomb of Chaucer, the grand old father of English poetry.

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Awful Nature Of The Foot And Mouth Disease That Is Ruining American Cattle

Epidemic Now Raging Across the Border Known as the Murrain —How it Spreads.

BURYING THE DEAD CATTLE

The foot and mouth disease, which is at present causing such a severe quarantine of animals from the States along the Canadian border, is a malignant epizootic fever. This sounds bad enough, as anyone will admit, but it is not very enlightening to the public. With the assistance of the dictionary it is open to anyone to ascertain that this description is somewhat of a sham, for it merely indicates that the disease is one which is epidemic among animals, and that they "get it bad."

AND AN APHTHOUS FEVER, TOO.

This entitles the public to another drink at the fountain of knowledge, when it learns to its horror that the disease which is making all the trouble across the line is an aphthous fever; this, in turn, being interpreted as a condition of affairs in which small round white ulcerous vehicles are present. At this stage of the game the public probably becomes tired of explanations which do not explain, and presents a modest request for something understandable.

WHAT THE DISEASE IS.

The ailment is not one distinctly new. The villain, indeed, who struts the stage, and declares "a murrain on you," is talking about the foot and mouth disease, for the murrain it is. It is dangerous chiefly because of its contagious nature, and its deadly effect upon the cattle which it attacks.

Though there has never been any of the foot and mouth trouble in Ontario its danger to the herds of the Dominion is fully appreciated here. The animal attacked by it is apt to feel in the initial stages, an irritation in its feet. Then the trouble breaks out in earnest. Just above the hoof small eruptions appear, "vesicular," so the veterinarians say. At any rate they are there, and the matter oozes out of them to the ground. The next cow that comes that way steps in the stuff, and if so, is taken sick in turn. A dog may step in it or even a human, and thus carry the disease to cattle in far distant parts of the country. So malignant is the plague that any part of a diseased animal is apt to carry infection with it.

THE MOUTH, TOO.

Thus is explained the relation of this murrain to the foot, and incidentally becomes apparent the reason for disinfecting the shoes of travellers entering Canada from the States. The mouth disease follows the foot sickness in the very natural course of things.

Animals instinctively lick their sores, a wise provision of nature having given healing powers to saliva. In the case of the foot and mouth disease, however, the licking only communicates the trouble to the mouth, where the virulent matter from the sores causes immediate eruptions similar to those upon the feet.

The afflicted animal shows many symptoms of its trouble. It loses appetite, has a fever, is lame, and has sores on its feet and mouth. Later, it dies.

BURYING THE DEAD

In order to prevent the spread of the terrible disease, herd after herd of cattle has been sacrificed in the States, the pistol being the weapon generally used to put an end to the lives of the animals in infected districts. Sometimes as many as eight shots are necessary to kill a cow, so thick are some of their skulls.

Pigs as well as cattle are being killed and even pigeons are slaughtered. Some valuable dogs have been saved by dipping them in a disinfecting solution. Dogs and birds are said to be the most dangerous agents in spreading the disease. Hay must not be shipped out of the infested districts but speculators are buying it up at low prices to hold it until the quarantine is raised.

On some of the farms where the plague has secured a hold huge trenches have been dug, and the slaughtered live stock buried deep therein, together with disinfectants. To the owners of such farms the loss is a bitter one, but it is recognized that the spread of the disease would be fatal to the cattle industry of the whole country.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON QUESTIONS

The Suggestive Questions on the Sunday School Lesson by Rev. Dr. Linscott for the International Bible Study Club for Dec. 20th, 1908, are as follows:—

Solomon's Downfall — I Kings xi: 4-13.

Golden Text — Thou shalt have no other gods before me.—Ex.xx: 3.

Verses 4-6 — Should a Christian man ever marry a worldly woman?

If a Christian marries a worldly woman, and really loves and respects her, delighting in her company, is it possible for him to be a holy man?

As a matter of fact, is it possible for two to be united into one, as marriage contemplates, if they are not one in God? (This question must be answered in writing by members of the Club).

Suppose Solomon had selected godly Hebrew women for his wives, what would have been the result upon his religious life?

Did Solomon sin in marrying more than one wife?

In what sense did David's heart remain true to God, seeing that he, too, had a number of wives?

If a strong man can keep from undue love of women, to what extent is that a guarantee of the favour of God, with health, long life and prosperity thrown in?

Why is one man for one wife God's ideal for the marriage relation?

Verses 4-8 — Apart from his polygamy in what other respects did Solomon so signally sin against God?

Why is it that a man's loyalty to the true God is such a factor in his happiness and to the continuity of his worldly success?

Hundreds of strong brainy men are serving long terms in penitentiaries; what proportion of them would be there if they had been true to the Christian's God?

The chief sin with which Solomon is charged here is not so much his polygamy, as that he allowed his heathen wives to turn his heart from the true God; now is it true that disloyalty to God is the very worst of moral crimes, as it is the foundation of every crime?

Is polygamy a social crime because the Bible says so, or does the Bible say so because it is so; that is, is it a crime in the nature of things?

A devout Mohammedan is necessarily a polygamist, how would you say that all such are under the ban of God?

Verses 9-10 — Can anything happen to disturb the natural complacence of the eternal God?

What is that operation in God, or in the law of God, which answers to anger in man?

How do you account for Solomon's apostasy, in view of God's marvellous appearances to him, and of God's wondrous dealings with him, giving him wisdom and riches and vast influence?

Verses 11-13 — On what conditions did God promise Solomon and his sons prosperity, and the establishment of his throne forever?

In how many respects did Solomon break his part in the covenant?

What is the only condition of every man's continuous prosperity?

Lesson for Sunday, Dec. 27, 1908—Review.

A CANADIAN CRITICISM

"I recall the time," said the Veteran Actor, "when I was with a show playing a piece called 'Nerve.' It was well and truly named. During the action of this fierce attempt, I had to sit upon a cake of ice and joke the audience. It was no joke to me.

"The first was what I consider the rottenest effort from a literary standpoint I had ever been connected with, but oatmeal and chops, you know, Beau, must have their call. So I hung.

"Time cures all ills, so after we had trisked about with the outfit all over New England and half-way through Canada, we finally reach Halifax on our trunks. By this I mean our trunks were held in bondage in fee simple for the unpaid railroad fare, Great Scot! We played Halifax.

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"'The comedian would doubtless have been funny if he had three square meals and some substance to work on. The title would be fine if she would cut out her raven locks and get hoarse. The dances are made baleens in a sepulchre, for he would wake the dead.

"'It would be criminal to speak of of the chorus, for it is defiling to cavil at old age. They did the best they could, though heavily handicapped by the principals. Of all the hard-looking bunch of grandmas that ever hit Halifax, they were the limit.'

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"And no reasons given!" It had sounded all right—before five years of intimacy and a life transformed. It sounded different now. Yet the agreement had been made between the strange lady and the eager girl. Nor were reasons hard to find. They stood out brutally plain. Having sent her prophet to the right about, Lady Meg wanted no more of her medium—her most disappointing medium. "They" would not speak through Sophy. Perhaps Lady Meg did not now want them to speak at all.

Sophy tore the envelope right across its breadth and shook out the flimsy paper within. It was folded in four. She did not trouble to open it. Lady Meg was a woman of her word, and here was the hundred pound note of the Bank of England—"Upon which you'll go, and no reasons given!" With a bitter smile she noticed that the note was soiled, the foldings old, the edges black where they were exposed. She had no doubt that all these years Lady Meg had carried it about, so as to be ready for the literal fulfillment of her bond.

"Upon which," said Sophy, "I go."

The bitter smile lasted perhaps a minute more, then the girl flung herself into a chair in a fit of tears as bitter. She had served—or failed to serve—Lady Meg's mad purpose, and she was flung aside. Very likely she had grown hateful—she, the witness of insane whims now past and out of favor. The dismissal might not be unnatural; but, for all their bargain, the manner was inhuman. They had lived and eaten and drunk together for so long. Had there been no touch of affection, no softening of the heart? It seemed not—it seemed not. Sophy wept and wondered. "Oh, that I had never left you, Julia!" she cries in her letter, and no doubt cried now, for Julia had given her a friend's love. If Lady Meg had given her only what one spares for a dog—a kind word before he is banished, a friendly lament at parting!

Suddenly through the window came a boy's shrill voice, "Vive la guerre!"

Flung herself into a chair in a fit of tears.

Sophy sprang to her feet, caught up the dirty note and thrust it inside her glove. Without delay, seeming without hesitation, she left the house, passed swiftly along the street and made for the Pont Royal. She was bound for the other bank and for the Boulevard des Italiens, where Casimir de Savres had his lodging.

The stream of traffic set with her. She heeded it not. The streets were full of excited groups, but there was no great tumult yet. Men were eagerly reading the latest editions of the papers. Sophy pushed on till she reached Casimir's house. She was known there. Her coming caused surprise to the concierge. It was not the proper thing, but he made no difficulty. He showed her to Casimir's sitting room, but of Casimir he could give no information save that he presumed he would return to sleep.

"I must wait—I must see him," she said, and, as the man left her, she went to the window, flung it wide open and stood there, looking down into the great street.

The lights blazed now. Every seat at every cafe was full. The newspapers did a great trade. A wave of infinite talk, infinite chaff, infinite laughter rose to her ears. A loud voiced fellow was selling pictures of the king of Prussia, as he looks now, and as he will look! The second sheet never failed of a great success. Bands of lads came by with flags and warlike shouts. Some cheered them, more laughed and chaffed. One broad faced old man she distinguished in the cafe opposite. He looked glum and sulky and kept arguing to his neighbor, wagging a fat forefinger at him repeatedly. The neighbor shrugged bored shoulders. After all, he had not made the war—it was the emperor and those gentlemen at St. Cloud! As she watched the stir grew greater, the bands of marching students more frequent and noisy. "A Berlin!" they cried now, amid the same mixture of applause and tolerant amusement. A party of girls paraded down the middle of the street, singing "J'aime les militaires!" The applause grew to thunder as they went by, and the laughter broke into one great crackle when the heroines had passed.

She turned away with a start, conscience of a presence in the room. Casimir came quickly across to her, throwing his helmet on the table as he passed. He took her hands. "I know, Lady Meg wrote to me," he said. "And you are here!"

"I have no other home now," she said.

With a light of joy in his eyes he kissed her lips.

"I come to you only when I'm in trouble!" she said softly.

A loud voiced fellow was selling pictures of the king of Prussia.

"It is well," he answered and drew her with him back to the window.

Together they stood, looking down.

"It is war, then?" she asked.

"Without doubt it's war—without doubt," he answered gravely. "And beyond that no man knows anything."

"And you?" she asked.

He took her hands again, both of hers in his. "My lady of the red star!" he murmured softly.

"And you?"

"You wouldn't have it otherwise?"

"I have an hour now—and all the campaign," said he.

"Heaven forbid! God go with you, as my heart goes! When do you go?"

"I take the road in an hour for Strassburg. We are to be of MacMahon's corps."

"In an hour?"

"Yes."

"Your preparations—are they made?"

"Yes."

"And you are free?"

"Yes."

"Then you've an hour to make me sure I love you!"

He answered as to a woman of his own stock:

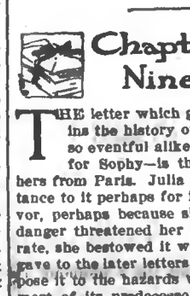
"I have an hour now—and all the campaign," said he.

Chapter Nine

THE letter which gives Julia Robbins the history of that Sunday—so eventful alike for France and for Sophy—is the last word of hers from Paris. Julia attached importance to it perhaps for its romantic flavor, perhaps because she fancied that danger threatened her friend. At any rate, she bestowed it with the care she gave to the later letters and did not expose it to the hazards which destroyed most of its predecessors. It is dated from Marie Zerkovitch's apartment in the Rue du Bac, and it ends, "I shall stay here, whatever happens, unless Casimir tells me to meet him in Berlin!"

The rash comprehensiveness of "whatever happens" was not for times like those, when neither man nor nation knew what fate an hour held, but for three weeks more she abode with Marie Zerkovitch. Marie was much disturbed in her mind. Zerkovitch had begun to send her ominous letters from the front—or as near thereto as he could get. The burden of them was that things looked bad for the French and that her hold on Paris should be a loose one. He urged her to go home, where he would join her, for a visit at all events, very likely to stay. Marie began to talk of going home in a week or so, but she lingered on for the sake of being nearer the news of war. So, amid the rumors of unreal victories and the tidings of reverses only too real, if not yet great, the two women waited.

Casimir had found time and opportunity to send Sophy some half dozen notes (assuming she preserved all she received). On the 5th of August, the eve of Worth, he wrote at somewhat greater length: "It is night. I am off duty for an hour. I have been in the saddle full twelve hours, and I believe that, except the sentries and the outposts, I am the only man awake. We need to sleep. The red star, which shines everywhere for me, shines for all of us over our bivouac tonight. It must be that we fight tomorrow. Fritz is in front of us, and tomorrow he will come on. The marshal must stop him and spoil his game. If we don't go forward now, we must go back, and we don't mean going back. It will be the first big clash, and a big one, I think, it will be. Other fellows are in fine heart—I wish their boots were as good! But those devils over there—well, they can fight, too, and Fritz can get every ounce out of them. I am thinking of glory and of you. Is it not one and the same thing, for in that hour I didn't make you sure? I know it. Sophie, I'm hardly sorry for it. It seems sweet to have something left to do. Ah, but you're hard, aren't you? Shall I ever be sure of you, even though I march into Berlin at the head of a regiment?

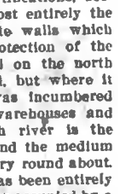


He wrote at somewhat greater length.

"I can say little more—the orderly waits for my letter. Yet I have so much, much more to say. All comes back to me in vivid snatches. I am with you in the old house or by the calvaire—you remember?—or again by the window or while we walked back that Sunday night. I hear your voice—the low, full charged voice. I see your eyes. The star glows anew for me. Adieu! I live for you always so long as I live. If I die it will be in the thought of you, and they will kill no prouder man than Sophie's lover. To have won your love (ah, by tomorrow night, yes!) and to die for France, would it be ill done for a short life? By my faith, no! I'll make my bow to my ancestors without shame. 'I, too, have done my part, messieurs!' say I as I sit down with my forefathers. Sophie, adieu! You won't forget? I don't think you can quite forget. Your picture rides with me, your star shines ahead. CASIMIR."

He was not wrong. They fought next day. The letter is indorsed "8th August," presumably the date of its receipt. That day came also the news of the disaster. On the 11th the casualty list revealed Casimir de Savres' name. A few lines from a brother officer a day later gave scanty details. In the great charge of French cavalry which marked the closing stages of the battle he had been the first man hit of all his regiment—shot through the heart—and through the picture of Sophy which lay over his heart.

No word comes from Sophy herself, and Mme. Zerkovitch is brief. "She showed me the picture. The bullet passed exactly through where that mark on her cheek is. It was fearful. I shuddered. I hoped she didn't see. She seemed quite stunned, but she insisted on coming with me to Kravonia, where I had now determined to go at once. I did not want her to come. I thought no good would come of it. But what could I do? She would not return to England. She could not stay alone in Paris. I was the only friend she had in the world. She asked no more than to travel with me. 'When once I am there I can look after myself,' she said."



"She showed me the picture."

The pair—a little fragment of a great throng, escaping or thrust forth—left Paris together on the 13th or 14th of August en route for Kravonia. With Sophy went the bullet pierced picture and the little bundle of letters. She did not forget. With a sore wound in her heart she turned to face a future, dark, uncertain, empty of all she had loved.

Chapter Ten

THE ancient city of Slavna, for a thousand years or more and under many dynasties the capital of Kravonia, is an island set in a plain. It lies in the broad valley of the Krath, which at this point flows due east. Immediately above the city the river divides into two branches, known as the North and South rivers Slavna is clasped in the embrace of these channels. Conditioned by their course, its form is not circular, but pear shaped, for they bend out in gradual broad curves to their greatest distance from one another, reapproaching quickly after that point is passed till they meet again at the end, or, rather, what was originally the end, of the city to the east. The single reunited river may stand for the stalk of the pear.

In old days the position was a strong one. Nowadays it is obviously much less defensible, and those in power had recognized this fact in two ways—first by allocating money for a new and scientific system of fortifications, second by destroying almost entirely the ancient and out of date walls which had once been the protection of the city. Part of the wall on the north side, indeed, still stood, but where it had escaped ruin it was incumbered and built over with warehouses and wharfs, for the North river is the channel of commerce and the medium of trade with the country round about. To the south the wall has been entirely demolished, its site being occupied by a boulevard, on to which faces a line of handsome modern residences, for as the North river is for trade, so the South is for pleasure, and this boulevard has been carried across the stream and on beyond the old limits of the city and runs for a mile or farther on the right bank of the reunited Krath, forming a delightful and well shaded promenade, where the citizens are accustomed to take their various forms of exercise.

Opposite to it, on the left bank, lies the park attached to the palace. That building itself, dating from 1820 and regrettably typical of the style of its period, faces the river on the left bank just where the stream takes a broad sweep to the south, giving a rounded margin to the king's pleasure grounds. Below the palace there soon comes open country on both banks. The boulevard merges in the main postroad to Volseni and to the mountains which form the eastern frontier of the kingdom. At this date and for a considerable number of years afterward the only railway line in Kravonia did not follow the course of the Krath, which itself afforded facilities for traffic and intercourse, but ran down from the north, having its terminus on the left bank of the North river, whence a carriage bridge gave access to the city.

To vote money is one thing, to raise it another, and to spend it on the designated objects a third. Not a stone nor a sod of the new forts was yet in place, and Slavna's solitary defense was the ancient castle which stood on the left of the bank just at the point of bisection, facing the casino and the botanical gardens on the opposite bank. Suleiman's tower, a relic of Turkish rule, is built on a simple plan—a square curtain, with a bastion at each corner, inclosed a massive circular tower. The gate faces the North river, and a bridge, which admits of being raised and lowered, connects this outwork with the north wall of the city, which at this point is in good preservation. The fort is roomy. Two or three hundred men could find quarters there, and, although it is under modern conditions of little use against an enemy from without, it occupies a position of considerable strength with regard to the city itself. It formed at this time the headquarters and residence of the commandant of the garrison, a post held by the heir to the throne, the Prince of Slavna.

In spite of the flatness of the surrounding country, the appearance of Slavna is not unpicturesque. Time and the hand of man (the people are a color loving race) have given many tints, soft and bright, to the roofs, gables and walls of the old quarter of the north town, over which Suleiman's tower broods with an antique impressiveness. Behind the pleasant residences which border on the southern boulevard lie handsome streets of commercial buildings and shops, these last again glowing with diversified and gaudy colors. In the center of the city, where, but for its bisection, we may imagine the Krath would have run, a pretty little canal has been made by abstracting water from the river and conducting it through the streets. On either side of this stream a broad road runs. Almost exactly midway through the city the roads broaden and open into the spacious square of St. Michael, containing the cathedral, the fine old city hall, several good town houses dating two or three hundred years back, barracks and the modern but not unsightly government offices. Through this square and the streets leading to it from west and east there now runs an excellent service of electric cars, but at the date with which we are concerned a crazy fincre or a crazier omnibus was the only public means of conveyance. Not a few good private equipages were, however, to be seen, for the Kravonians have been from of old lovers of horses. The city has a population bordering on a hundred thousand, and, besides being the principal depot and center of distribution for a rich pastoral and agricultural country, it transacts a respectable export trade in hides and timber. It was possible for a careful man to grow rich in Slavna, even though he were not a politician nor a government official.

Two or three years earlier an enterprising Frenchman of the name of Rousseau had determined to provide Slavna with a first rate modern hotel and cafe. Nothing could have consorted better with the views of King Alexis Stefanovitch, and M. Rousseau obtained on very favorable terms a large site at the southeast end of the city, just where the North and South rivers reunite. Here he built his hostelry and named it the Hotel de Paris. A fine terrace ran along the front of the house, abutting on the boulevard and affording a pleasant view of the royal park and the palace in the distance on the opposite bank.

On this terrace, it being a fine October morning, sat Sophy, drinking a cup of chocolate.

The scene before her, if not quite living up to the name of the hotel, was yet animated enough. A score of handsome carriages drove by, some containing gayly dressed ladies, some officers in smart uniforms. Other officers rode or walked by. Civil functionaries, journalists and a straggling line of onlookers swelled the stream which set toward the palace. Awakening from a reverie to mark the unwonted air, Sophy saw the leaders of the informal procession crossing the ornamental iron bridge which spanned the Krath, a quarter of a mile from where she sat, and gave access to the king's demesne on the left bank.

"Ah, I know why you remember that."

"Right bank—left bank! It sounds like home!" she thought to herself, smiling perhaps rather bitterly. "Home!" Her home now was a single room over a goldsmith's shop, whither she had removed to relieve Marie Zerkovitch from a hospitality too burdensome, as Sophy feared, for her existing resources to sustain.

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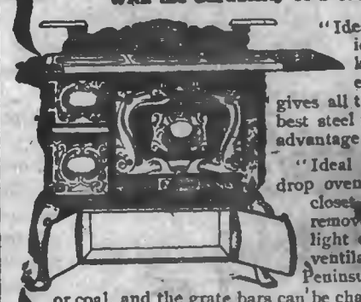

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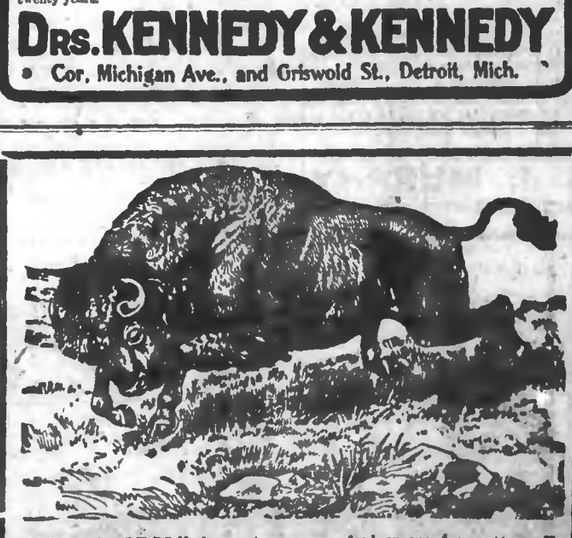

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the twilight on the other side was shot for Hugh with red and purple spots. But the colors faded when the childish voice said: "Angel isn't here. If you'll come in, I'll go and see if she's in our room."

"Don't tell her—don't say—anything about a fairy father," he stammered.

"Oh, no! That's to be the surprise," Rosemary reassured him as she pattered away.

It was deep twilight in the room and rather cold, for the eucalyptus and olive logs in the fireplace still awaited the match. Hugh could see the blurred outlines of a few pieces of cheap furniture—a sofa, three or four chairs, a table and a clumsy writing desk. But the window was still a square of pale bluish light, cut out of the violet dusk, and as the young man's eyes accustomed themselves to the dimness of the room the room did not seem dark.

He was not left alone for long. In two or three minutes Rosemary appeared once more, without her hat and coat, to say that Angel had not yet come back. "But she'll soon be here now," went on the child. "Do you mind waiting in the twilight, fairy father? The electric light doesn't come on till after 5, and I've just heard the clock downstairs strike 5."

"I shall like it," answered Hugh, glad that his face should be hidden by the dusk in these moments of waiting.

"Angel tells me stories in the twilight," said Rosemary as she sat down on the sofa by the cold fireplace, and she let him lift her light little body to his knee. "Would you tell me one about when you were lost?"

"I'll try," Hugh said. "Let me think—what story shall I tell?"

"I won't speak while you're remembering," Rosemary promised, leaning her head confidingly against his shoulder. "I always keep quiet while Angel puts on her thinking cap."

Hugh laughed and was silent. But his head was too hot to wear a thinking cap, and no story would come at his half hearted call.

Rosemary waited in patience for him to begin. "One, two three," she counted under her breath, for she had learned to count up to fifty, and it was good practice when one wished to make the time pass. She had just come to forty-nine and was wondering if she might remind the fairy father of his duty when the door opened.

It was Angel, of course. But Angel did not come in. She stopped on the threshold, talking to somebody, or, rather, somebody was talking to her. Rosemary could not see the person, but she recognized the voice. It was that of Mlle. de Lavalette.

"You are not to write my mother letters and trouble us about that money, madame," said the voice, as shrill now as it could be sweet. "Once for all, I will not have it. I have followed you to tell you this. You will be paid soon—that is enough. I am engaged to be married to a rich man, an American. He will be glad to pay all our debts by and by, but meantime, madame, you are to let us alone."

"I have done nothing except to write and say that I needed the money, which you promised to return weeks ago, or I couldn't possibly have spared it," protested a voice which Hugh had heard in dreams three nights out of every six in as many years.

"Well, if you write any more letters we shall burn them unread, so it is no use to trouble us, and we will pay when we choose."

With the last words the other voice died into distance. Mademoiselle had said what she came to say and was retreating with dignity down the corridor.

Now the figure of a slender woman was silhouetted in the doorway. Hugh heard a sigh and saw a hand that glimmered white in the dusk against the dark paper on the wall as it groped for the button of the electric light. Then suddenly the room was filled with a white radiance, and she stood in the midst of it, young and beautiful, the woman he had loved for seven years.

Putting Rosemary away, he sprang up, and her eyes, dazzled at first by the sudden flood of light, opened wide in startled recognition. "Hugh—Hugh Egerton!" she stammered, whispering as one whispers in a dream.

She was pale as a lily, but the whiteness of her face was like light, shining from within, and there was a light in her great eyes, too, such as had never shone for Hugh on sea or land. Once, a long time ago, he had hoped that she cared or would come to care, but she had chosen another man, and Hugh had gone away. That had been the end. Yet now—what stars her eyes were! One might almost think that she had not forgotten; that sometimes she had wished for him; that she was glad to see him now.

"Lady Clifford," he stammered, "I—will you forgive my being here—my frightening you like this?"

The brightness died out of her face. "Lady Clifford!" she echoed. "Don't call me that unless—I'm to call you Mr. Egerton! And, besides, I'm only Mme. Clifford here. It is better. The other would seem like ostentation in a woman who works."

"Evelyn," he said. "Thank you for letting it be Evelyn." Then, his voice breaking a little, "Oh, say you're a tiny bit glad to see me—just a tiny bit glad!"

She did not answer in words, but her eyes spoke as she held out both hands.

He crushed them in his, then bent his head and kissed them, first the girlish right hand, then the left. But she saw his face contract as he caught the gleam of her wedding ring. As he looked up their eyes met again, and each knew what was in the other's mind.

"Angel, dearest," said Rosemary, "do tell the fairy father you're glad to see him."

Evelyn started. "Why do you call him that?"

"Because he said he was a fairy and would have to vanish soon. But you'll beg him not to, won't you?"

"I—I should be sorry to lose him again. We haven't many friends in these days." The bright head was bowed over the child's as Rosemary clung to her mother's dress.

"You never lost me," said Hugh Egerton. "It was I who lost you. Evie, you don't know what black years these have been. I loved you so."

"But that—was—long ago."

"It was always!"

"Hugh! I thought you must have learned to hate me."

"Hate you because I couldn't make you care for me as—I hoped you would and because you cared for some one else? No; I"—

"But—I did care for you. It was for my father's sake that—that—ah, I can't talk of it, Hugh. You know we were so poor after father lost his money I tried with all my heart to forget and to do my best for—my husband. Perhaps it was my punishment that he—oh, Hugh, I was so miserable! And then—then he went away. He was tired of me. He was on a yacht, and there was a great storm! But you must have read in the papers"—

"Never. I never knew till this day."

"It was more than three years ago."

Hugh was very pale. Three years ago—three long years in which he had worked and tried not to think of her! And if he had known! "You see, I've had a queer life knocking about in strange places," he said, trying to speak calmly. "Often I didn't see any newspapers for weeks together. I thought of you always as rich and happy, living in England, the wife of Sir Edward Clifford"—

"Rich and happy!" she repeated bitterly. "How little one knows of another's life! After his death there was nothing. There had been some wild speculations, and the estates went with the title, of course, to his cousin. But, yes—in a way you were right. I was rich and happy because I had Rosemary."

"And Rosemary had you, Angel!" cried the child, who had been listening, puzzled and bewildered, not knowing that they had forgotten her presence until this moment. "Rosemary had you. And now we've all got each other—till the fairy father vanishes."

"But I shan't have to vanish after all," said Hugh.

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After that—it seemed they had been together but for a moment when a wild wail went moaning through the house—the first gong for the pensionnaires' dinner.

So loud it was that it hushed their voices for a long minute. And when cool silence came again Hugh begged that the two would have their Christmas eve dinner with him at his hotel. "There's so much to plan for tomorrow and all the days," he pleaded. "And just for once Rosemary shall have a late dinner like the grownups. Do say yes."

So Evelyn said yes. And it was not until they were all three seated in the restaurant of the Hotel de Paris that he remembered he had been engaged to dine at the Beau Soleil with mademoiselle and the comtesse, her mother.

But he did not even blush because he had forgotten.

Chapter Eight

MANY of Hugh Egerton's best moments during the last six years had been spent in dreams. In those dreams the past had lived again, for he had seen the future as once he had hoped it might be for him.

But all through this night of Christmas eve he lay awake, and no dreams had ever been half as sweet as the thoughts that came to him then. It would have been a hideous waste of time to sleep when he could lie there and live over again each moment of his evening, beginning at the beginning, when she had come into the room, and going on to the end, when he had brought her and Rosemary to the door of the Hotel Pension Beau Soleil to say "goodby until tomorrow." When he came to the end he went back to the beginning again with renewed zest, trying to call up some word, some look of hers which he might have neglected to count among his treasured jewels.

Then, when he was sure that he had each pearl and ruby and diamond duly polished and strung on the fine gold chain of loving memory, he would let his mind run ahead of time to the next day.

What a Christmas it was going to be! There never had been one like it before in the history of the world, but—the best of it was there was reason to hope that there would be many others to come just as exquisite, if not more perfect.

Evelyn Clifford had loved him even when she had let him go. She loved him now, and she had promised to make up for the long gray years of the past by marrying him almost at once.

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A Genius Who Went Wrong

BY A. L. DRUMMOND, FORMERLY CHIEF OF THE U. S. SECRET SERVICE

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FOR many years prior to 1880 the country had been flooded with counterfeit Treasury notes and spurious United States bonds. The Treasury notes were of large denominations; some for $100, some for $500, some for $1,000. All of the notes were splendidly engraved and perfectly printed, as were the bonds. The most dangerous of these notes, however, was one for $100 that purported to have been issued by the Pittsburg National Bank. A hundred sheets of silk thread fibre paper had been stolen from the mill at Media, Pa., which made bank note paper for the government, and the counterfeit Pittsburg note was printed on this stolen paper.

Whenever one of the spurious notes appeared it was traced back as far as possible by secret service operatives. Usually one bank had sent it to another, or a collector of customs had sent it to a bank. In no case did the trail lead to a person who might well be suspected.

In 1880, while I was chief of the New York district of the secret service, a counterfeiter who had often given to me information concerning members of his craft came into my office in the Post Office Building. In the course of a half hour's conversation he said he wished he could get into the Eastern Penitentiary of Pennsylvania to see old Jack Cannon, who was serving a ten years' term for forgery.

"Old Jack always promised me," said he, "that he would get me some $100 bills, but he never did. He had to get them from 'Long Bill,' and I guess Jack never happened to run on to him."

I made no comment, but I put the name "Long Bill" down in my mind and that night I went to Washington. The next morning I visited the chief of the secret service, repeated the remark, told him why I did not dare ask any questions of my informer and asked permission to go to the Eastern Penitentiary and visit Cannon.

Chief Brookes was sceptical. He did not believe Cannon would give me any information. I told him I thought I could get what I wanted without Cannon knowing he had given it to me. Mr. Brookes agreed with me that the plan was worth trying and let me go.

The next day I called on old Jack. For an hour or more I talked with him about everything that happened to come up—old friends, old times and so on—and just as I was about to go, I said:—

"You could never guess whom I saw the other day—an old friend of yours"—at the same time mentioning the name of the man who had spoken of him.

"He said he wished he could see you," I continued; "that you had promised to get him some $100 notes from 'Long Bill.'"

"Oh, from old Brockway," he said with a smile, as if piecing out my sentence.

I dropped the subject immediately, and in a few minutes went away. I had got what I went after. I now knew the identity of "Long Bill."

William E. Brockway sometimes travelled under his own name, but more frequently under the alias of Colonel E. W. Spencer. He was a remarkable man. In his youth he had been employed in a bank in New Haven, Conn. The bank, under federal law, printed and issued its own notes. The boy Brockway worked the press. One day, when the directors were not looking, he ran a sheet of lead through instead of a sheet of paper. Instantly he had an impression of the plate from which the notes were printed.

Brockway had a confederate in this, his first criminal undertaking. They had both looked forward a long while to this day. The confederate had paid Brockway's expenses while he was taking a course in electro-chemistry under Professor Silliman, at Yale. Brockway was an apt pupil. When he finished his studies he was an expert chemist.

The first use to which he put his new knowledge was to place a coating of copper on the sheet of lead that bore the impression of the bank note plate. This done, he had as good a plate as the bank had. And he and his confederate printed notes—plenty of them. The notes were sent out all over New England, and they looked so good that the bank that was supposed to have issued them accepted some. Brockway had forged the signatures of the bank officials and imitated them so well that they went unchallenged for some time.

This was in 1851. His success seemed to make him a monomaniac. He became convinced he could surpass even the government in making notes and bonds. In a way he succeeded. I have in my office now a facsimile of one of his counterfeit United States bonds upon which some of the engraving is better than any work of the same kind that appears on a genuine bond. He sold Jay Cooke $90,000 worth of counterfeit seven per cent thirty year bonds that the government unhesitatingly redeemed—and they recovered the money from Cooke by suit after it was learned that they were counterfeits. But when I had connected this man with the fraudulent one hundred dollar Pittsburg National Bank notes I couldn't find him. The government did not know where he was. I couldn't find any one who did. Nor did I dare ask those who might know—criminals like himself. A word might send him flying. All I could do was to make indirect inquiries and wait.

I was in a court room one day when a lawyer whom I knew came over to me and asked me why I didn't arrest old man Brockway. I told him I would be glad to do so, but didn't know where he was.

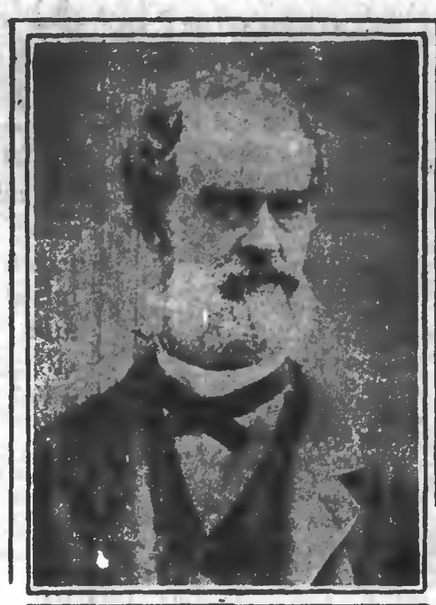
"Why, he is living over at Canarsie, Long Island," replied the attorney. "He goes by the name of Colonel E. W. Spencer. He has a boat, goes out fishing every day and lives in fine style. I know all about him, because I am the attorney for his wife, who is getting a divorce."

The next day I went to Canarsie, taking with me Dan McSweeney and James J. Scanlon, two of my men. Ostensibly we wanted to fish. We went to the only boathouse on the beach and tried to hire a boat. The proprietor showed us several, but none suited me. Finally I pointed to a boat that was swinging at anchor a little distance away and told him I would like that one. He said he was sorry, but the craft to which I pointed, as well as the others with round bottoms, all belonged to private individuals. We talked a while longer and then I spoke of another boat that pleased me, asking him who owned it. He said that was Colonel Spencer's boat.

We didn't haggle over boats any longer, but engaged one that was big enough to carry the three of us safely and started out. While we were pulling away from the shore I looked Spencer's boat over carefully so I could recognize it thereafter without trouble, and for the next hour we fished, first in one place and then in another. But wherever we went one of us always had his eyes on Spencer's boat.

A little after noon a man, whom I recognized as Spencer—or Brockway, to use his real name—came down to the beach, accompanied by a tall, big man, clambered into the boat and pulled away. We kept away from them. There was no warrant out for Brockway, nor had I any evidence upon which to ask one. What I wanted was to get some. So we went back to the boathouse, paid for our boat and went up to King's hotel, the only place of the sort in Canarsie. What I wanted was to establish McSweeney in the hotel where he could watch Brockway. On the way to the hotel I noticed that a view of the boats at anchor could be had only from the rooms on the west side.

So when we reached the hotel I told the proprietor I had with me a man whose physician had ordered him to go to some seaside place where he could have a sunny room. It was then midsummer and most resorters were in search of shady rooms, so the hotelkeeper had no difficulty in accommodating me. He said he had precisely the sort of room my friend wanted—a large, roomy parlor on the second floor, west. McSweeney looked about as much like an invalid then as Jim Jeffries does now, but he agreed that the room seemed to be of the sort that was necessary to improve his health, though he afterward told me in private that he almost roasted in it. Then McSweeney begged Scanlon to remain with him. Scanlon said he couldn't, but promised he would visit him as much as possible. The fact of the matter was, I didn't want to put two men on the job at first. I wanted to wait and see if more than one was required.



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McSweeney remained at the hotel fifty-nine days, during which time he saw Brockway and the big man go fishing many times, and traced Brockway to his home in the twelve hundred block in Broadway, Williamsburg. McSweeney knew the house in Broadway was Brockway's home, because the first time he entered it he saw him kiss a woman who was apparently his wife—a fact that was afterward definitely ascertained.

By this time it was autumn, and the fishing season being over, we could no longer watch Brockway at Canarsie. Nor was there more than one house in the vicinity of his home. This house was a big residence, set back in large grounds, and belonged to a wealthy New York hat manufacturer named Burr. I couldn't attempt to shadow a man like Brockway from the street, so I sought and obtained from Mr. Burr permission to station a man in his house.

The first day that my man took up the watch from this point he saw the big man who had fished with Brockway at Canarsie enter the house. He remained perhaps an hour and then went back to New York, my man trailing him to an apartment house in Thirty-third street, West. Then I moved McSweeney to a second floor room opposite the apartment house and provided him with a pair of opera glasses. He reported at once that Brockway had visited the house in the evening, and that, immediately following his arrival, the big man had fastened a piece of white muslin over the window.

Brockway made frequent visits at night to the house in West Thirty-third street, and on each occasion the white muslin was fastened over the front windows. One night shadows began to play on the muslin. McSweeney, sitting in the dark in his own room, watched them intently with his opera glasses. First somebody seemed to be writing. Then a shadow appeared that looked like a piece of paper perhaps ten inches long by eight inches wide. We figured that they were forging the signatures to bonds.

A day or two later the big man was followed to the general delivery window at the post office and heard to inquire for mail for James Brace. Another man followed Brockway to a house in Brooklyn that was found to be the home of Charles H. Smith. Smith also was seen to go to the home of Brockway.

At this point many things began to happen at once. McSweeney rushed into my office one day and reported that Brace at that moment was down stairs to get his mail, and, he believed, was about to leave the city. McSweeney and I hastened down to the post office. Brace was pointed out to me and I followed him to a ticket scalper's office. Brace said he wanted a sleeping car ticket to Chicago. Asked if he had his transportation he replied in the affirmative, saying he intended to go over the Erie at half-past seven the next night.

Before I saw him at the Post Office McSweeney had seen him buy an expensive travelling bag, and after he left the scalper's office I followed him to a clothing store, where he bought an expensive overcoat, paying for it with a big bill. As soon as he went out of the store I went to the proprietor, showed him my card, and asked him if the man who bought the coat had not paid for it with a one hundred dollar bill.

"Yes," he replied; "what's the matter, is it counterfeit?"

"Let me see it a moment and I will tell you," I said. He showed it to me. It was a genuine bill.

The next night McSweeney and I were at the Jersey City station of the Erie half an hour before train time. We had waited only a few minutes when McSweeney dug me with his elbow and said, "There's our man."

I looked and saw a chin whiskered man of Brace's build and size, 275 pounds, carrying a travelling bag and coming toward us. As he came nearer we both saw it was not Brace, though the resemblance was startling, considering his unusual bulk. We had hardly ceased the discussion of the peculiar fate that should send Brace's double to the place where he were looking for him when Brace himself appeared. We followed him into the train and learned that he was indeed bound for Chicago.

Then I sent a telegram to W. W. Hall, who was in charge of the Chicago office of the secret service, asking him to meet the train upon which Brace was travelling and arrest him on a charge of embezzlement. I didn't know that Brace had ever embezzled anything, but I did believe that he was a counterfeiter, and I wanted to see if a search of his person and effects would not reveal something that would justify his arrest on a charge of counterfeiting. Whether any such evidence would be found or not, I did not want Brace to know that I suspected him of counterfeiting, because if I did not get him in Chicago I expected to get him later.

Hall was at the train and promptly took Brace into custody on a charge of embezzlement. Brace, who was a big, fine looking fellow, played the grand and lofty. He told Hall he had made a mistake—that he was a business man, not an embezzler, and that the sooner he was released the better it would be for Hall.

But Hall told him he would have to be searched, and that, furthermore, he would have to go to jail. Nothing incriminating was found on his person. He had considerable money, but no more than a man of his appearance might be expected to have. Then Hall asked him for the key to his travelling bag.

At this Brace demurred. He could see no reason why a gentleman should be subjected to such an indignity. There had been a mistake, which Hall might better rectify than to search the effects of the victim. But Hall insisted upon having the key and got it.

In the travelling bag, besides the usual articles, Hall found $204,000 of United States six per cent bonds. Hall and the officer who accompanied him expressed surprise at the discovery of so large an amount of securities and said something that indicated their belief that the bonds were not genuine. Brace smiled at them.

"You gentlemen evidently are not accustomed to the sight of government bonds," he said. "If you don't know genuine bonds when you see them take them to the largest banker in Chicago and ask him to tell you whether they are all right or not."

That seemed to be a good way to test the bonds, so Hall adopted it. A banker whose name is known all over this country looked the bonds over carefully and said he would give one hundred cents on the dollar for them.

"You see," said Brace, triumphantly, "what I told you was true. Now let me go. I am James Brace Doyle. I am a man of means, as you see. I do not have to embezzle anybody else's money—I have enough of my own."

Things began to look bad for Hall, who did not know the real reason I had for wiring him to arrest Brace, or Doyle, as I shall henceforth call him, for that was his real name. But before letting him go Hall thought he would take one more precaution—he would wire to Washington and ask the chief of the secret service if he ever heard of James Brace Doyle. As quickly as an answer could come this message was delivered:—

"Yes. Big counterfeiter. Hold him."

The chief knew I was on the trail of Brockway and Smith, who, I had learned, was an engraver, so the same day he sent me a telegram to this effect:—

"Doyle's bonds were altered, not counterfeited, so it is a case for the police, not for us. Turn it over to Inspector Byrnes."

Nevertheless I called upon the Superintendent of the Brooklyn police force for an officer and the next night went to the home of Charles H. Smith. As the door opened and the policeman became visible to those inside a man jumped out of a side window, taking the sash with him. The man who jumped was Smith's son, who was expecting a visit from the police on quite a different charge. The officer and I went inside, where we first encountered Mrs. Smith and her daughter, a fine girl of perhaps eighteen. A moment after we entered the old man came from an adjoining room, inquired what was the matter and I told him he was under arrest on a charge of counterfeiting.

"This is blackmail," shrieked Mrs. Smith, who seemed likely to become hysterical.

"Mrs. Smith," said I, "you have no reason to make such a remark. You and your daughter will now go into another room while I talk to your husband."

Gently guided by the policeman, the women left the room, and I had just begun to question the man when his wife started to make unpleasant remarks in a voice so loud that we could hear it.

"Mind the officer, mother, and don't talk," said Smith, and from that moment she was quiet.

Then, as rapidly as I could make accusations against Smith he denied them. He knew Brockway, but he had never made any plates for him, nor had any counterfeit bonds or notes been printed in his house. In short, he was guiltless of any crime.

"Smith," said I, "you are an old man. They tell me that you have lived twenty-six years in this house, next door to the home of the superintendent of police. And, while I know you have engraved counterfeit plates, your friends tell me you will not lie. Where are the plates you made for Brockway?"

Tears began to trickle down the old man's face and for a moment he did not speak.

"He's got them," he finally said.

The ice thus broken, Smith made a full confession, in which he told of making numerous sets of plates for Brockway, though he denied that any impressions except proofs had been taken in his house from them. He said Brockway once printed twenty notes in the house, but he destroyed them because they were imperfect.

"Now, go and tell your wife and daughter," I said, "that you have got to go with me down town and that you do not know when you will come back. Tell them you will have to appear in court to-morrow, at which time something may be learned regarding your future movements."

After a tearful parting between Smith and his wife and daughter, he accompanied me to the station house, where I reduced his confession to writing and he signed it. And while I was taking Smith into custody Detectives Scanlon and Blackwood were arresting Brockway, a performance that was accomplished without incident. Brockway simply insisting that he knew neither Doyle nor Smith and had done no counterfeiting.

The next day I visited Brockway in the prison in which he was confined and told him of Smith's confession. He said he supposed one man could lie about another if he felt so inclined, and Smith had evidently chosen to lie about him. At any rate, he had committed no crime and had nothing to say.

"All right, Brockway," said I. "If you have nothing to say to me, I have nothing to say to you except this—I know you are guilty, and I am going to prove it. If you feel disposed to do so you might say something that would lessen the severity of your sentence. You will never have so good an opportunity to speak as you have to-day. As soon as your arrest becomes known the people where you and Doyle have been staying will get rid of some of your belongings. They will get rid of them to protect themselves. These things you can turn over to me now, if you will, as you can turn over other things of which no one knows but yourself. However, it is for you to decide what you will do."

He said he had nothing to say, and I left him.

A few days later I met Brockway's attorney, an eminent lawyer whom I knew well.

"Well," he said, "I see you've got Brockway."

"Yes," I said. "It took a long while to land him, but we finally turned the trick."

"What kind of a case have you got against the old man?" he asked.

"I don't think that question is quite a fair one," said I, "but I don't mind telling you that I've got a strong one. If old Brockway has got money enough to buy twelve jurors he can get free. If he has only enough to buy eleven there will be a disagreement, because our case is so strong that the twelfth man will stand out forever for conviction."

"That's unfortunate for Brockway," said the lawyer. "However, I want to do the best I can for him. What kind of a recommendation would you feel disposed to make if he would tell everything he may know?"

"If Brockway will plead guilty," said I, "and agree to take a ten years' sentence, I should feel that he ought to be given it."

The lawyer thought such a sentence would be too severe, since Brockway then was fifty-eight years old. In his opinion, if Brockway would make a full confession and plead guilty to what was then known as a criminal information, he ought to be permitted to go on suspended sentence, provided he would surrender all the plates used in making the counterfeit notes and bonds that he had put into circulation.

"In any event," continued the lawyer, "will you meet Brockway if I make the necessary arrangements? And will you promise not to use against him anything he may tell you?"

I told him I would and the meeting was arranged for the next day.

Before going to see Brockway I had prepared a list of the various plates that I wanted him to turn over to me. As soon as I saw him he asked me what I wanted him to surrender.

"The things noted on this list," said I, handing it to him.

The old man read it over carefully.

"Will you be satisfied with just these?" he said.

"Not if there are others," I replied. "I want them all."

Then he talked for an hour about other things, during which time he was apparently sizing me up to determine whether he could trust me, and then made a full confession.

That night I went to Washington, where, the next morning, I told the whole story to the chief and asked him to ascertain from the Department of Justice what assurances, if any, would be given to Brockway, provided he would plead guilty to a criminal information. The department replied that if the plates were surrendered it would be glad to approve any recommendation I might make with regard to the disposition of Brockway. The government was extremely eager to get the plates and was disposed to be lenient, if necessary, to get them. Furthermore, as the chief said, we did not have enough evidence against Brockway to hold him over night. The situation was in his hands. We knew he was a counterfeiter, but we could prove nothing specific against him. And we couldn't get the plates unless he would tell where they were.

The next morning I saw Brockway and his attorney again and told them the result of my trip to Washington. Brockway said the plates were buried in lead caskets in a forest near Richmond Hill, Long Island.

The next day, which chanced to be the day prior to Thanksgiving, Brockway, his attorney, District Attorney Tenney, a deputy sheriff or two and myself went to Richmond Hill to unearth the plates. Brockway pointed to a spot beside a chestnut tree, and cautioned the man who swung the pick not to strike too hard. But the pick went deeper and deeper, and nothing was found. Brockway was plainly puzzled. He said one other man knew where the plates were, and visions of treachery evidently began to play across his mind. Then he suggested that he might be mistaken in the tree he had used as a landmark, and pointed to another spot. Almost the first blow of the pick brought a metallic sound. A few more blows and the caskets, made of six inch lead pipe flattened and soldered at the ends, were lying on the grass. We opened them, and found twenty-two sets of steel and copper plates that had been used to print the $100, $500 and $1,000 notes that had been troubling bankers for years, together with the plates used to print many kinds of bonds. We also found a set of half finished plates that were to be used to make $1,000 notes.

But this was not all. We found $350,000 in counterfeit $100 notes and a quantity of stolen fibre paper. The notes and the blank paper were in glass jars. The plates had been shellacked and wrapped in flannels. There was not a spot on them.

Doyle was tried in Chicago, convicted and sentenced to twelve years' imprisonment. Smith, although his uncorroborated confession would not have been sufficient to convict Brockway, was released because he nevertheless enabled me to force Brockway's hand. Brockway was let off on suspended sentence, according to agreement, and in 1883 was sentenced to Sing Sing for five years for counterfeiting the bonds of the Morris and Essex Street Railway Company. In 1806 he was sent up for ten years for counterfeiting a $1,000 United States bond.

Brockway made and sold hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of counterfeit notes and bonds. When he was arrested for selling the bonds to Jay Cooke that the government redeemed, his wife drew from her bosom forty $1,000 bills and handed them to the clerk of the court as bail.

"And that was the only time I ever had any money in my life," said Brockway—"the time I did business with Cooke."

Which was true; for it kept him broke to keep out of jail.

Making the Oyster Produce Pearls.

THE man who first persuaded the humble and lethargic oyster to work for him achieved a victory over the animal creation as worthy of our laurels—at least at the point of ingenuity—as the subject of the horse or the ox. Nothing but the keen desire of greed could have suggested such a feat, a determination to spur the mollusc to a greater industry in the production of a jewel that must have charmed its first discoverer by its soft and splendid beauty. We shall never know who it was that first persuaded the oyster to do what nothing but an oyster can do, who goaded and harrassed that torpid intelligence to minister to the vanity of men. But he deserves an immortality of fame that can never now be conferred upon him.

The problem was no doubt first suggested by the fact that even among pearl bearing oysters the number of shells containing pearls was very small. Scores might be opened without the sight of a single treasure to reward the seeker. If the oyster had any free will in the matter at all—and it is hard to associate the oyster with the idea of free will—why should a single specimen yield the shining jewel while its comrades for yards around were content to lie in unproductive sloth? The conditions of temperature, food and location were identical. Why, then, these differences in activity?

The Chinese had solved the problem even before it had presented itself to the Western mind. The guileless Celestial knew how the milk got into the cocoanut, or rather the pearl into the oyster shell, long before the Western mind had evolved the poetic but not very profound theory that pearls were congealed dewdrops, although how the dewdrop penetrated the bivalve was never clearly stated.

The dewdrop theory finally gave way to the more tolerable belief that pearls were the eggs of the oyster; but even then no one seems to have wondered why the number of pearl bearing oysters should be so small and at a time when race suicide had not become a human, much less than an animal, failing.

But to return to the Chinese, who was at work upon this problem many centuries ago, but who has never shown any great eagerness to share his knowledge with the "white devils" of the outside world. The Chinese speedily discovered that the pearl was due to nothing more than an attempt on the part of the oyster to protect himself from the irritation of a foreign intrusion, such as a grain of sand, into his shell.

The oyster, beneath a rough and forbidding exterior, conceals a tender and sensitive nature, and it will sometimes happen that a fragment of rock or an atom of shell is washed by the tide into his fortress and refuses to be dislodged. Making a virtue of necessity and annoyed by the asperities of the unwelcome guest, he proceeds to cover it smoothly with a secretion similar to the nacre with which he lines the interior of his own shell, and the result is a pearl. The process is simplicity itself when you know how it is done, and the ingenious Chinese proceeded at once to turn his discovery to his own advantage.

Dr. D. T. Macgowan, in the Journal of the Society of Arts, tells us something of a process that is now no longer secret. The shells are gently separated and the nucleus of the pearl is inserted under the fleshy mantle within. A small fragment of mud is used for the nucleus or else a tiny leaden image of some god. When these have been placed in position the shells are allowed to close and the animal is carefully placed in a stream of water and fed regularly with manure. When the shells are opened the inserted articles, finely coated with nacre, are removed. As a rule the original nucleus, grain of sand or leaden image is extracted from the pearl and the cavity left by it is filled with wax.

Since that time the manufacture of artificial pearls has become an extensive industry, in which the Japanese have especially excelled. A large area of sea bottom in the province of Shima is devoted wholly to the purpose; and it is said that a million oysters have been laid down, all of them containing the irritating nuclei, which the unfortunate animals are coating to their own destruction. Four years are allowed for the process, and the resulting pearls, while by no means perfect, are sufficiently attractive in appearance to have a market value.

That they are not equal to the pearls naturally produced is a proof that something still remains to be learned. Evidently the oyster himself is yet in tenacious possession of exclusive information. The artificial pearl is not so beautiful, it is not so well shaped, and its lower surface is usually without any lustre at all. Such pearls are therefore unsuitable for necklaces, but they can be readily adapted to those other forms of jewelry wherein only half the pearl is in sight, such as rings and brooches. It may be that the oyster, although he is notoriously uncommittal, can yet be persuaded to give up his secret. Time and continued experiment may show the mystery of his workshop.

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lonely and poor. Both were young and starving for happiness. In a week they would be married, for she had promised to begin the new year as his wife. Meanwhile there would be a great deal to do—so she said, though he could not see why—in getting ready. But Christmas was to be a holiday. They were going on that picnic to Eze—all three. That was already planned, but Hugh had mentally made an addition to the plan of which he had said not a word.

He was as excited over the thought of this plan as Rosemary would have been had she known. And, lest there should be a hitch or he should not have time to accomplish all, he was out of bed by half past 6, that mysterious hour of dawn when across the glimmering sea Corsica can be seen floating like a heaped basket of violets in waves of transparent gold.

Last night he had anxiously inquired of the concierge whether the Monte Carlo shops would be open on Christmas morning and had been informed that they would. Otherwise Hugh Egerton would have been capable of battering down the doors, helping himself to the things he wanted and leaving enough money to pay for damages as well as purchases.

After all, he was ready long before the shutters of those attractive plate glass windows were taken away, but he was not sorry for that. He had the joy of walking down to the Condamine and gazing up at other windows far more attractive and saying to the closed green blind, "Merry Christmas, merry Christmas, my darling—mine for always now!"

Then he darted back to rolls and coffee, beamed on the waiters, gave them fat five franc pieces merely for beaming in return and arrived in the Galerie Charles Trois just as the shop windows were opening radiant Christmas eyes.

The first visit he paid was to the florists, and to save time in choosing he simply said, "I'll take all those things you have in the window, please."

There were about 200 francs' worth of roses, the same of white lilies and enough lilies of the valley, nestling in baby leaves of yellow green, to clean out any save a well filled pocketbook, but that was all the better. The more he could spend today the more was Hugh Egerton pleased. He gave "Mme. Clifford's" address and wrote something in English on his visiting card. The flowers were to go at once—at once, mind; not in fifteen minutes, but now—this very now.

"How much in love is that handsome young monsieur!" thought the mademoiselle of the shop, with a little sigh for some of the wonders of the world which she had missed and must always miss. Her heels were appallingly high, and her waist was incredibly small, but she had a heart, and there was no heart which would not have softened to Hugh and wished him the best of good luck this day.

The next window which attracted the young man's eye was one which displayed just such a dress as he had vaguely pictured yesterday for a dear companion on the terrace. It was white, of course, and he was not sure, but he thought it was made of cloth. Anyway, there was a lot of embroidery on it full of little holes which somehow contrived to be extraordinarily fetching. It had a mantle which hung in soft folds, marvelously intricate, yet simple in effect, and he could have fallen upon the neck of the stout powdered lady in black silk who assured him that the costume could be worn without alteration by any dame de jolie taille.

He bought it instantly and then seized upon precisely such a "long white thing" of ermine as he had seen in his mind's eye. A "granny" muff went with it. Really the people of the shop must have had prophetic souls! And there was a white hat, with a gold buckle and a long white ostrich feather which looked as if it had been born to shade the face of Evelyn Clifford.

When these "confections" had been secured madame of the black satin and powdered nose assured monsieur that his Christmas purchases would be incomplete without a certain blouse which, to an untutored eye, appeared to be a combination of sea foam and rose leaves. There was a belt, too, crusted with seed pearls, and a hanging bag to match. Oh, certainly monsieur would take these and anything else which madame could conscientiously recommend! She could and did recommend several other things, and no doubt it was a mere coincidence that they happened to be among the most expensive in the shop. She also won Hugh's gratitude by being able to produce a coat and a frock in which a little girl of five, already beautiful, would be more akin to fairyhood than ordinary childhood and might become the "exception that would prove the rule" to an unbelieving Jane.

The cloak was pale blue, and another shop had to be searched for a hat to be worn with it, but madame was most kind in directing monsieur where to find one. Her sister would serve him; therefore he would be well served.

On the way he passed a jeweler's, and exactly the right string of pearls and the right "swallow brooch" stared him in the face in the window. It was odd how all the prettiest things in the world of whatever description looked as if they ought to belong to Evelyn and Rosemary Clifford. There was a gold bag, too, but that was a detail, for really the principal thing he had called for was a ring with a single diamond in it—and perhaps—well, yes, that little sapphire band to keep it on a slender finger.

The rings, in their delicate cases, he put into his pocket when he had paid, but the other purchases were to go in that very same now which had been impressed upon the florist—the sort of now to which Riviera shopkeepers are accustomed only when they deal with Americans.

Then madame's sister was found, and a blue hat, and there was just time left for a frantic rush to a toyshop round a corner and up a hill. Perhaps Doll Evie might be jealous of one rival, but there's safety in numbers, and Hugh thought that a dozen assorted sizes from life size down would keep a doll's house from echoing with loneliness.

As for the presents for the Eze children, Rosemary was to choose them herself by and by, but all these special things were to be served up, so to speak, at the Hotel Pension Beau Soleil with early breakfast.

When he had finished—which means when he had bought everything he could think of—Hugh looked at his watch. It was half an hour to the minute since he had left his hotel.

"I don't see why it should take women a long time to shop," said he to himself. "It seems to me the simplest thing in the world. You just see what you want, and then you buy it."

It was not until all the boxes and parcels must have arrived in the Condamine that an agonizing thought struck Hugh. What if Evie should be offended with him for buying her things to wear! What if she should imagine him capable of thinking that the things she already had were not good enough when she was coming out with him!

He suddenly felt a hundred years old. "Ass—worm—mene-ge-rie!" he anathematized himself.

It was now 9:30. At 10:45 he was to call at the Hotel Pension Beau Soleil to take Evelyn and Rosemary to the English church. How could he bear the suspense till then—how endure it not to know whether he had ruined the Christmas which was to have been so perfect!

He dashed into his hotel and wrote five notes one after the other, tearing up each one before it was finished. It was no good explaining. If she didn't understand, nothing would make her. But would she understand? He knew now why some women said that all men were fools. They were quite right.

If he had dared, he would have gone to her at once to be put out of his misery one way or the other. But he did not dare, so he waited until he had persuaded himself that not only his watch, but the hotel clock and the Casino clock, must be slow.

Then he started, and suffered five suffocating minutes in the public sitting room of the Beau Soleil. It was a hideous room, with abominable flowers sprawling over the wall paper and carpet, and all the windows were shut, but he did not notice these things, nor did he recognize the heavy scent that hung in the air as that which Mlle. de Lavalette affected. The lady of the roses had ceased to exist for him, but if he had thought of her at all he would have been glad that he had opened her pink leather bag when it was thin and shut it up when it was very fat.

At the end of the five minutes the door opened and gave to his eyes a vision—Evelyn and Rosemary in their new dresses and new hats.

It was all he could do to keep from crying "Thank heaven!" and to say a mere "Merry Christmas!" instead.

"Wicked, extravagant boy!" exclaimed Evelyn. "Do you know we are most unsuitably dressed? But we had to put the things on, hadn't we? It was wrong of you to buy them, but—don't look so terrified—it was sweet, too, and I know just the feeling that prompted you to do it. What a dream Christmas this is going to be!"

And then she and Rosemary thanked him separately for each individual thing he had given. It took some time, and they were nearly late for church, but not quite.

If Mlle. de Lavalette had been looking out of her window at a certain moment she would have been exceedingly surprised, not only by the transformation of Mme. Clifford and la petite bete from church mice into visions, but still more by the sight of their companion.

But hot rage and cold disappointment had given her a bad night.

She had expected a guest for dinner. She had put on her prettiest frock and had forbidden her mother the comtesse to paint. She had ordered champagne, an extra entree and a bunch of flowers for the table. Yet the guest had neither come nor sent an excuse. She had stopped in the house all the evening, thinking that he might have been detained by an accident to his automobile, but the hours had dragged on emptily. Nothing happened except a bad headache and a quarrel with her mother, who was ungratefully inclined to be sarcastic at her expense.

Half the night mademoiselle had lain awake wondering why the bird had not come hopping into the trap, and through the other half she had wondered anxiously if the bird would come tomorrow with excuses which she might graciously accept. At last she had fallen asleep and dreamed ecstatic dreams about diamond necklaces and thousand franc notes. When the procession of three left the Beau Soleil on its way to the English church strings of diamonds were still being drawn through mademoiselle's head, charming, though wreathed with patent curling pins.

It was half past 11 when she was waked by the comtesse ringing for petits pains and chocolate. A toilette was hastily made without too much time being wasted on water, and mademoiselle—all in black and white this morning, like a jeune fille in second mourning—hurried out to walk on the terrace at the fashionable hour. If she did not find the truant there, she said to herself, she would go into the Casino, for he was sure to be in one place or the other at this time of day, even though it was Christmas.

She walked a little, but not much, for her high heeled shoes were tight and made her feel even more annoyed with the world and every one in it, except herself, than she had been before she started. Presently she sat down on one of the green benches and arranged a "peace on earth, good will to men" expression which pinched her lips almost as painfully as her shoes pinched her toes. She wore it unremittingly, nevertheless, even though many of the women who passed her walking on the terrace were prettier and younger and better dressed than she and, more grievous still, were accompanied by agreeable look-

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ing man, while she sat alone, scarcely glanced at by the promenaders.

She had just begun to think that she had better try the Casino when down the steps from the upper terrace came three figures. There was something familiar about them all, but to see them together made them more than strange. Besides, the two she knew best were strange in another way. Their habit was to be shabby, though neat. Now there was no one on the terrace as beautifully dressed as this tall young woman and the slim little girl. No; it couldn't be Mme. Clifford and her petit choux! And yet—and yet—as they came nearer, near enough for mademoiselle to recognize the man with them, she felt a horrid sensation, as if something which she called her heart were dropping out of her bosom from sheer heaviness, leaving a vacuum.

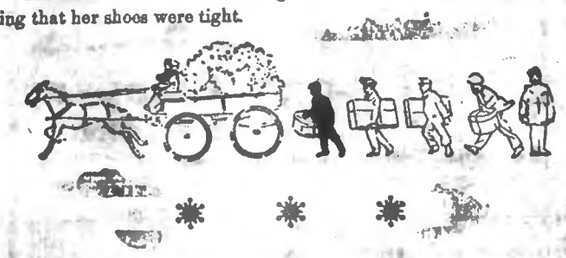
Hardly knowing what she did, she sprang up from her bench while they were still far off and began walking toward them. There was a queer singing noise in her head and a feeling as if the skin were too tightly stretched across her forehead. Still she smiled and winked her long lashes to keep her eyes moist and soft.

The sun was on Evelyn Clifford's hair, burnishing it to a halo of gold under the white hat. She looked radiantly beautiful and as happy as if her soul were singing a Christmas carol. On the face of Hugh Egerton was a look which no woman could mistake, least of all such a woman as Julia de Lavalette, and it was not for her—never would be for her.

Now she knew why her expected guest had not come last night or remembered to send an excuse. Sick with jealousy and spite, she bowed as she passed, trying to look eighteen and tenderly reproachful.

Her bow was returned indifferently by Evelyn, but by Hugh with eyes of steel and a mouth of bronze. If he had cut her, he would have shown less contempt than in that stiff raising of the hat.

Julie turned and walked straight down to the Condamine, forgetting that her shoes were tight.



Chapter Nine

ROSEMARY chose the toys for the children of the rock village, and then the "picnic" began.

The car whizzed them up the zigzag road to La Turbie while the noon sunshine still gilded Caesar's trophy. They lunched in the Moorish restaurant and then sped on along the upper Corniche, with a white sea of snow mountains billowing away to the right and a sea of sapphire spreading to the horizon on their left.

Out from orange groves and olives they saw the hill of Eze rising like a horn, while on its almost pointed apex the old town hung like some carved fetich to keep away the witches.

The car swooped down and up again, but half way up the rocky horn the wide white road turned into a stone paved mule path old as the Romans. Evelyn and Rosemary climbed hand in hand, singing a Christmas carol, while Hugh carried the two huge baskets filled with toys and sweets in little packets.

Some small sentinel perched on high, perhaps hidden among the ruins of that fortress castle where once the temple of Isis stood, must have spied the odd procession, for as the tall white girl and the little blue one, with the brown young man, reached the last step of the steep mule path a tidal wave of children swept down upon them out from the mystery of dark tunneled streets.

Such eyes were never seen as those that gleamed at the newcomers, great with surprise and wonder—eyes of brown velvet, with diamonds shining through; eyes like black wells, with mirrored stars in their unfathomed depths; eyes of wild deer, eyes of fierce Saracens, eyes of baby saints, all set in small bronze faces clear cut as the profiles on ancient Roman coins.

"Bella madonna, bella madonna!" piped a tiny voice, and forty other voices caught up the adoring cry.

The brown children of the old rock village had poured down from their high eyrie to bombard the strangers from the world below, to stare, to beg, to laugh, to lisp out strange epithets in their crude patois, but at sight of the wonderful white lady and her gold haired child

they crowded back upon each other, hushed, after their first cry, into awed admiration for visitants from another world.

Few tourists climbed to their dark fastness, and of those who came none had ever shone with such blinding radiance of white and gold.

It was certain that the lovely lady was none other than the Madonna herself, and the child she had brought was some baby angel. The man alone was mortal. He had perhaps been bidden to show la bella madonna the way to Eze.

Rosemary, shy, but happy, began giving out the toys, diving with both hands at once into the baskets which the fairy father held. Trumpets, bags of marbles, tops and furry animals for the boys, according to their age—oh, Rosemary was a good judge and never hesitated once!—dolls for the girls, dolls by the dozen, dolls by the legion, and sweets for all.

As the amazed children received their gifts they fell respectfully back, as if they had received an order to give place to their companions, and others came forward, open mouthed, large eyed, ready to fall upon their knees if but one of their number should set an example.

Still there were toys left, toys in abundance. The wondrous benefactors passed slowly on, always going up, up into the huddled village streets, tunneled in rock or arched with stone, where eager, astonished faces peered from the mystery of shadowed doorways and the hum of joy and admiration swelled to a sound like the murmur of the sea.

Of grown folk there were not many—a few mothers with brown babies in their arms, a few mumbling crones and bent old men, with faces like strange masks—but the flow of children never ceased.

As the children of Hamlin followed the pied piper to the sea, so the black browed children of Eze followed the Christmas visitors from crooked street to crooked street, up to the castle ruins and back again. They did not shout as they took their gifts, but still the murmur ran from mouth to mouth, "Bella madonna, bella madonna!"

At the end of an enchanted hour, when there was not a child in Eze who had not both hands full, the benefactors turned to go, with empty baskets. Massed on the plateau above the mule path, the whole population of the village stood to watch them down the steep descent. As they went the church bells of Eze boomed out, calling all pious souls, young and old, to vespers, and, as if the loosened tongues of the bells loosened also the tongues of the children, at last there arose a cry:

"Come again, bella madonna and little angel! Come again! We shall pray to see you next Christmas day, bella madonna and little angel! Don't forget—next Christmas day!"

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"I'm perfectly happy, dearest," said Rosemary when once more they sat in the car spinning back from the shaded eyrie to their fair world where the sunshine lay.

The others did not speak, but the same thought was in their hearts.

When you are positively bursting with happiness the best outlet for the surplus quantity is to benefit somebody else, and there is no time like Christmas for a successful experiment.

"What else can we do for somebody?" asked Hugh.

"There's Jane," suggested Rosemary. "I told her this morning how I went out and found a father, and she said pooh, he was all in my eye, and, besides, she'd never heard of fathers growing on blackberry bushes, but if we bought her a present and you gave it to her yourself she'd have to believe in you."

"I shan't feel I have a sure hold on existence until she does," said Hugh. "Let's buy her something without the loss of a moment."

So they bought Jane a ring, which Rosemary chose herself after mature deliberation and with due regard to the recipient's somewhat pronounced taste in colors.

"She admires red and green together more than anything," said the child, "and I want her to have what she really likes, because if it hadn't been for her I shouldn't have known Christmas eve was the time to search for fathers. Just supposing somebody else had gone out and snapped him up instead of me!"

As a matter of fact, somebody else had gone out and had come very near indeed to snapping him up, but there are things which do not bear thinking of. It was Hugh's firm conviction that destiny and not Jane had flung Rosemary in front of his motor, but destiny could not be rewarded, and Jane could.

Rosemary would be satisfied with nothing less than a formal presentation, and that the ceremony might be gone through with without delay the car was directed toward the Condamine. As they neared the street of the Hotel Pension Beau Soleil a cab came jingling round the corner.

It was occupied by two ladies who sat half buried in traveling bags, rugs, baskets and shawl straps, such as women who are not of the Anglo-Saxon races love. A tiny motorphobe in the shape of a black Pomeranian yapped viciously at the automobile as the vehicles passed each other, and, though the ladies, one stout, the other slim, were thickly veiled, Rosemary cried out: "Oh, it's the comtesse and mademoiselle! They must be going away!"

Hugh said nothing, but his silence was eloquent to Evelyn, who knew now the whole story of the girl with the soft eyes. Both were pleased that this was the last of her, but neither quite knew Mlle. de Lavalette. She had been busy with other matters besides her packing while la bella madonna and her suit were collecting adorers on the heights of Eze.

Evelyn and Rosemary disappeared to take off their hats before the grand presentation ceremony should begin, and Hugh had begun to occupy the time of their absence by lighting the fire with pine cones when a cry from the beloved voice called him to the room adjoining.

The door was open, and the woman and the child stood dumfounded and overwhelmed in a scene of incredible desolation.

The air was acrid with the smell of burning. Blouses, pink and green and cream and blue, were stirred into a seething mass in the fireplace as in a witch's caldron, their fluffy laces burnt and blackened. Chiffon fichus torn in ribbons strewed the carpet. An ivory fan had been trampled into fragments on the hearth rug, and a snowstorm of feathers from a white boa had drifted over the furniture. On the washstand a spangled white tulle hat lay drowning in a basin half full of water.

It was a sight to turn the brain of madame in the magasin of smart "confections," nor would the presiding genius of the toyshop have gone scathless, for Rosemary's possessions had not been spared by the cyclone.

Dolls had lost their wigs, their arms, their legs, and beautiful blue eyes had been poked into far recesses of porcelain heads with ruthless violence. Little dresses of silk and satin had been flung to feed the flames which devoured ill starred blouses, picture books had made fine kindlings, and that proud and stately mansion which might have afforded shelter to many dolls had collapsed as if shattered by a cyclone.

"Oh, Angel, is it some dreadful dream!" wailed Rosemary, and Evelyn found no answer. But Hugh had pounced upon a card pinned on the window curtain, and as he held it out in eloquent silence she read aloud over his shoulder, "Compliments of Mlle. de Lavalette."

At the end of the first shocked instant they both laughed wildly, desperately. It was the only thing to do.

"After all," gasped Evelyn, "she has paid me back—what she owed me—and Rosemary."

"She's given me the pleasure of making Christmas come all over again tomorrow, that's all," said Hugh. "Women are strange. Thank heaven, she has vanished!"

"But nothing matters—at least not much," said Rosemary, smiling through her tears, "since you're not going to vanish, fairy father."

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Examiner Special.

Havelock, December 15th.—The "missionary social," or "pink tea," given by the members of the Presbyterian choir at the residence of Mrs. John Howes on Friday evening, proved in every way to be a delightful success. The house was most tastefully decorated for the occasion in pink and white, as also was the table from which lunch was served, pink carnations being used in abundance. The female members of the choir were dressed in muslin dresses of pink and white, and pink carnations in the hair. All as they entered were measured and charged an admission of 15 cents and one cent for every inch in height over five feet. Games and music were the special amusements of the evening, the choir giving a number of selections. Misses Ida and Flo Howe of town, and Miss Lottie Chiles of Peterborough, gave a number of piano solos which were much appreciated.

Misses Emily Swain of Warsaw, and Laura Kelly of Victoria, spent Sunday in town, the guests of the Misses Bryans.

Miss LaRose left last week to visit with friends in Cornwall.

A number of those interested in hockey attended a meeting held at Marmora on Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Tucker of Chatterton, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Holcombe last week.

Mr. Wilmot Herrington of West Toronto, spent Sunday with his brother, Mr. Charles Herrington, town.

Mr. Fred Bennett, we are glad to report, is recovering nicely after his accident and will soon be able to resume his work.

Messrs. William Clarke of Preneveau, and Mr. Gus H. Cain of town, left last week for Cobalt, where they have secured positions firing stationary engines.

Mrs. Forsyth of Norwood, was the guest of friends in town on Saturday.

Miss Marie Dineen was in Peterborough Friday, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Macdonald.

Mr. Harry Falkner went to Peterborough on Saturday morning to attend the funeral of his father-in-law, Mr. Spilsbury.

Mr. Thomas Sheldon of Boston, Mass., Swift and Co.'s icing agent, is in town for a few days looking after the repairing of the galleries at Havelock icehouse, getting them in shape for the filling of the ice house, which usually takes place at Christmas time.

Mr. Wm. Denmark of Campbellford, spent Sunday with friends in town.

Messrs. Armstrong, Deegan and Jenner spent Sunday with friends at Norwood.

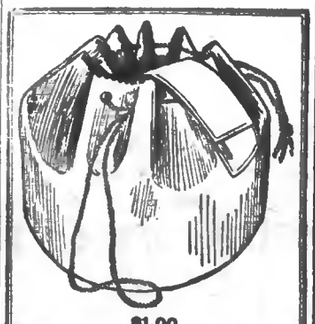
Miss Marie Dineen returned home on Monday after spending Saturday and Sunday with friends in Peterborough.

Mr. and Mrs. Falkner returned home on Saturday from Peterborough where they were attending the funeral of the latter's father, Mr. Wm. Spilsbury. The many Havelock friends extend their deepest sympathy to Mrs. Falkner in her sad bereavement.

The school children are busy practising for the concert to be held in the opera house on Tuesday night next. This will also be a farewell to the three teachers, Misses Jewell, Parks and Todd, who leave at Christmas.

Rev. Mr. Johnson of Cordova, occupied the pulpit in the Methodist church on Sunday evening.

Miss Mary Foley, teacher at Cordova, has been compelled to remain at her home in town during the last week, suffering from inflammation in the eyes.



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Number of lbs. of milk required to make a lb. of cheese 11.06.

The average price of cheese per lb. was 11 43-50c. per lb.

Total number of patrons, 64.

The largest quantity of milk sent by any one patron was sent by Wm. Kempt, viz., 52,225.

The average number of lbs. sent by each of the 64 patrons, was 23,330.

Total value per standard, $32.85.

Net value to patrons, $27.57.

Financial Statement.

Receipts.

Received from sales of cheese	$15,993 36
Received from interest	85 10
Received from whey	246 55
Total	$16,327 01

Payments.

Paid for manufacturing cheese	$ 2,696 06
Paid for expenses, testing and boarding	5 50
Paid interest to cheesemaker	12 43
Paid patrons by cheque	1,910 94
Cheese sold to patrons	254 87
Balance due patrons	11,428 21
Total	$16,327 01

Examined and found correct,
A SHEARER,
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Keene, Nov. 23rd, 1908.

More Particulars Of Accident In Which Engineer Wm. Ryan Met Death

Downeyville, Dec. 15th.—The weather for the past two weeks has been intensely cold, but owing to the recent snow storms the roads are in excellent condition.

Messrs O Rice and D Shutt spent the last two weeks in our neighbourhood and the farmers have kept them and their valuable machine, a well-drill and gasoline driver, busy having their wells sunk.

Mrs Paull fo Butte, Montana, who has been visiting her sisters and brother in Downeyville, started for home on Tuesday, Dec. 8th.

Mr. and Mrs Daniel Heenan, Lindsay, spent Sunday with friends here.

Mr. David Crowley of Enniskmore died in Peterborough Hospital of appendicitis on Wednesday, Dec. 9th.

The Owasso Press has the following in connection with the death of Engineer Wm. Ryan, a former resident of this place.

Hamburg, Mich., Dec. 8th—The coroners jury in the case of the Ann Arbor railway wreck which occurred one mile from this place on the morning of November 21st, causing the death of Engineer Wm. Ryan, and Fireman A. Gregan, returned a verdict placing the blame for the accident on Thomas Leahy, the train dispatcher.

Prosecutor James Green of Howell, would not state at the conclusion of the hearing as to what action he would take in the matter.

The Press also says —In the matter of the Hamburg wreck, the Ann Arbor Railroad has calmly ignored the verdict of the coroner's jury. The six men who sifted the evidence as presented by train men, operators and others, exonerated Mrs. Emma Bryant operator at Hamburg, and blamed dispatcher Thomas Leahy of Owasso for the wreck. The railway fired Mrs. Bryant soon after the wreck and Leahy is at work.

As damage suits will likely grow out of the wreck, it is necessary in the eyes of the officials to go carefully so that those who intend suing will not be given an advantage before the case gets into court.

A dispatcher is regarded as a sort of official of the company. He is higher up than an operator.

Mr Leahy is at his key nightly, handling the north end of the line. He is about 28 years of age and came here from the D. T. and I at Springfield, O., where he was a dispatcher about seven months ago. One of the causes alleged for the accident is that on the night of the wreck Leahy was handling the whole road alone his partner, Dispatcher Foltz being sick. This is not regarded as the whole cause for Leahy getting "balled up", if he did, as up to a year ago one dispatcher regularly handled the whole line during the quiet night trick. It was not considered too much for one experienced man.

Another point which may or may not have caused confusion between the dispatcher and the operator, Mrs. Bryant, was the fact that there were two engines No. 107 on the road that night both south bound, Ann Arbor 107 was ahead; then came D T & I 112, D T & I 110, and D T & I 107 in order. All had right of track over No. 15 north bound which was drawn by No. 45, Engineer Ryans engine to Hamburg. When No. 15 reached Hamburg on the way north, there was a misunderstanding of some sort either on the part of the operator, the dispatcher or both. The first three south bound trains had already passed No. 15; D T & I No. 107 had not yet reached Hamburg. Whatever the misunderstanding was No. 15 was allowed to pull out supposedly on a clear track, and the crash came.

Norwood Board of Education Holds Its Regular Meeting

Examiner Special

Norwood, Dec. 14.—The Board of Education met Monday evening, those present being Messrs. Squire, Waters, Doherty, Anderson, Harrison, Drain, Elliott and Cuffe.

Minutes of last meeting read and adopted.

Reply by Deputy Minister of Education, that on account of Cadet Corps not having sufficient number of members the grant should not be paid, only being 21 members instead of 26.

Mr. Doherty said that he had no report re metallic ceiling.

Mr. Bruder's agreement was laid before the Board.

Mr. Squire said he was sorry he had neglected bringing the Public School Inspector's report. Mr. Lees, being present, addressed the board and advised the procuring of some sets of supplementary readers, and providing some new black boards, and also recommended that provision be made in the Public School for proper ventilation.

Mr. Squire said that in view of a probable grant of $160 (Government), he thought that most of the improvements could be completed with this amount.

Moved by Messrs. Anderson and Drain, that the chairman of the Supply Committee procure the books recommended by the inspector.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Cuffe and Elliott, that the matter of ceilings and black boards be referred to the Special Committee, appointed at last meeting, to be attended to as soon as possible, and that the same committee report on the probable cost of ventilation, as recommended by the inspector.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Doherty and Waters, that the matter of closing the schools on Friday evening, December 18th, be left with the principals of the schools.—Carried.

The chairman of the Supply Committee brought before the Board the requirements of the High School to bring our school on the approved list.

Moved by Messrs. Anderson and Waters, that the Supply Committee procure the necessary equipment for the High School, to the amount of about $100, if necessary.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Waters and Elliott, that the Property Committee get the measurements and submit an estimate of the cost of black boards at the January meeting.

Accounts were presented as follows:

Corporation of Norwood to share of auditing and printing report	$ 11 00
Norwood Register, printing and advertising	9 00
C. J. Searight, 12 chairs at 60c	7 20
Secretary, postage	2 45
W. H. Tucker, supplies	37 50
T. J. Rahal, supplies	118 90

Moved by Messrs. Cuffe and Harrison, that the accounts of the secretary and the Register be paid and that the other accounts be referred to their respective committees, and if found correct, paid.—Carried.

Mrs. T. J. Dentt, of Carbury, Man., accompanied by her son Allan, are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S Patterson.

The death occurred on Saturday of Eliza Rork, wife of Mr. R. Francis Parker, of this place, Deceased had only been ill for a very short time and her sudden death was a shock to many friends. The funeral, which was largely attended, took place on Monday afternoon from her late residence, Hastings Road, and proceeded to the Norwood Cemetery for interment.

Mr. Wm. Shea, of Peterborough, was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. Thos. Rork, of Peterborough, was in town this week, attending the funeral of his sister, the late Mrs. Parker.

Miss Kathleen Graham, of Hastings, was in town on Tuesday.

Mr. John Marks spent a few days of last week in western Ontario.

Mrs. J. Stewart, of High Bluff, Man., is visiting her daughter, Miss Beatrice Stewart.

Mrs Walter Fowlds, of Hastings, was in town on Tuesday.

One of Norwood's oldest and much respected residents passed away early Monday morning in the person of Mr. W H Stephenson. Deceased had been in poor health for some time past, but was taken suddenly worse about a week ago. He leaves to mourn his loss besides his wife, three daughters and two sons, viz., Miss O L Stephenson and Mrs J S Mullen of Montreal; Mrs A N Squire, Norwood; William and Herbert of Chicago, Ill. The funeral which will be under Masonic orders, will take place on Wednesday afternoon from his late residence, Queen street to the Norwood Cemetery.

Mrs Valleau of Hastings was in town on Monday.

The Presbyterian congregation held their annual fowl supper in the basement of the church on Monday night Mrs. Jessie Quite, elocutionist of Belleville was the chief attraction.

Miss Phyllis Bonnycastle of the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal was the guest of Miss Rose Squire last week.

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An Ample Supply Of Food For All Classes Of Cattle Is Imperative

From the Canadian Dairyman

I am hoping that some of the suggestions offered some weeks ago have already been, or are being put into practice. As asserted then, too much importance cannot be attached to having the stable in good shape and getting the cattle well prepared for the long winter by getting their digestive organs in good shape, freeing them from lice, surplus hair, etc., and having bright airy quarters wherein to house them.

All these are very important, but cattle cannot produce milk or lay on flesh by means of these alone, although they count for much when the right foods are being fed. It is of course rather late to suggest what foods ought to be provided, but most farmers have a fair supply of the most acceptable feeds. Those who are not well supplied this year have my sympathy.

To begin with do not imagine that because it is autumn and not yet winter therefore the cattle should run on rather short rations and should be expected to spend a large part of each day roaming aimlessly over the fields, seeking shelter behind wire fences and lone trees. No more expensive mistake can be made at this time of year and none is more common. If you are at it, quit it, and see how much better off you will be. Of course advantage should be taken of every warm sunny day to let the stock out. A run out doors under such conditions will be of benefit to them.

For all classes an ample supply of food is imperative. Cattle that begin to lose now are hard to bring back, and show the effects of any neglect for long enough. What seems economical at the time is sure to be extravagant in the long run on account of extra supplies of feed required to start them on the up grade again or even to keep them running in uniform condition.

Young stock and dry stock can of course stand more of such usage than can the milkers and if the owner feels that some saving in feed must be effected, it should all be done by shortening up on the yearlings and dry stuff. The calves and milch cows resent bitterly any curtailment of rations, and resent it in a way to make itself noticeable.

Naturally all odds and ends of feed should now be utilized. Here a field of turnip tops and there a bit of corn stover, in this corner a bit of hay not quite so well made as it might have been, in that some rakings, a bit of millet or some other odd or end probably not in quite such good shape as the average run, and now is the time to feed it off. Spurred on by the bracing air heifers and dry stock make good use of such, of course the tit-bits ever being selected or reserved for the dairy cows in milk.

Before beginning the winter's feeding, stock should be taken of the supply of different kinds of feed on hand. As is well known cattle like a variety of feeds. Variety lends appetite, improves digestion and causes animals to make better use of the food received. By variety however one does not, or at least cattle do not mean a period of one kind of food followed by a few weeks of some other kind. What cattle mean by variety (judging by results, and that is what we are after) is a mixture of many kinds of feed on the same day rather than a succession of feeds for shorter or longer periods.

A mistake very commonly made is to reserve some choice lots of coarse feed for spring feeding or midwinter feeding, as the case may be. This is a practice based on a mistaken theory as to animal nutrition. The idea that cows or cattle should go out in the spring improving in flesh is not necessarily fallacious, but what is wrong is this, that cattle should be allowed to lose flesh till March or early April and then be rushed to get them into better shape for grass. Less food more evenly distributed throughout the feeding period would have left as good and most likely much better results. Cattle on the downhill road are hard to check in their tendency to lose flesh and are very much harder to start up grade than when in uniform fair condition. The best practice calls for a fairly uniform ration from the time normal winter conditions set in till cattle are once more on grass.

To do this may seem like scrapy feeding, but it is the kind of feeding that pays both as to economy of feeds and quality of results. Supposing the supply of feed to consist of 24 tons corn stover, 100 tons ensilage, 50 tons roots, 24 tons clover hay, 24 tons timothy hay, 18 tons oat straw, 6 tons wheat straw. Then this food should be divided so as to feed about two tons corn stover, 15 tons ensilage, 4 tons roots, 3 or 4 tons clover hay, 3 or 4 tons timothy hay, 3 tons oat straw, and a ton or so of wheat straw each month during the feeding period.

Where cows calve in the spring it might be found advisable to feed rather more freely of straw, timothy hay and silage during the early part of the season in order to have something extra for the new calving cows in April and May in the shape of roots and clover hay. Where year round milk production is followed then not much variation should be allowed save that a slight reserve of roots and clover hay is usually advisable for an emergency such as where a cow is desired to do her best in order to make a record.

Feed a uniform variety at practically all times to all classes of stock if it is wished to get the best results. —"After Results."

Spectacles Involving Risk Of Life Should Be Barred From Fairs

From the Canadian Dairyman.

The following news item appeared in a recent issue of a Toronto daily paper:

"Maria La Blonche, who was injured by falling from a wire at the "exhibition in September, died Sunday afternoon at the General Hospital. One of the stays of the post "to which the wire upon which she "was performing was fastened, gave "way and the wire sagged. Mlle. La "Blonche falling about 20 feet and "fracturing the ninth vertebra. "Since the accident, she was "paralyzed and no hope was held "out for her recovery."

Some time before the exhibition season opened, we drew attention in these columns to the unwise action of those directors of agricultural societies and exhibitions, who offer inducements to men and women to risk their lives at their exhibitions. At that time, we little thought that Marie La Blonche would be another victim of the demand for performances in which the chief feature is the jeopardising of human life. Occasional protests against such spectacles have been made but they have but little effect. It will be fortunate when a more reasonable public opinion makes such exhibitions fall flat and give place to others less closely related to the bull fights of Spain. We may assure ourselves, however, that so long as the public demands the risking of human life, men and women will be found willing to put their lives in temporary jeopardy.

The performance in this case was of no value to anybody. On the contrary, because it involved risk of life and limb, the effect on spectators was almost as demoralising as that produced by the cocking main or the bull fight. A few brutalized specimens of humanity may delight in them, but we are satisfied that the great majority of our people are anxious to see such performances eliminated. If such things are to be permitted, the effect is likely to be to create a taste which will demand more and more of the same sort of thing. Such a public sentiment is anything but desirable. Those who have to do with the management of our fairs and exhibitions should see to it that the event in which Marie La Blonche lost her life shall be the last event of the kind permitted at our fairs. Our readers should talk against them at every opportunity.

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Two Ways Of Cooling Milk Are Discussed By Dairy Commissioner

From The Canadian Dairyman.

From results of experiments carried on during the past summer with the care of milk, Mr. G. H. Barr, assistant dairy commissioner, Ottawa, addressed a dairy meeting at Warsaw, Peterboro Co., Ont., recently. He and another member of the staff at Ottawa, had personally taken care of the evening milk from two herds of cows throughout the summer. The next day they made it into cheese at the factory. The results of the experiments were illustrated by means of lantern views, with telling effect, on the audience.

"There are two ways of cooling down milk," said Mr. Barr. "By means of ice or water and by dipping or aerating it. There were 18 cows at each of these two farms. No charge was taken of the morning milk. We went out each evening at milking time to care for the milk. At both farms, what might be termed good milk stands in good locations were to be found. At one stand, however, when the milk was aerated, 38 per cent. of the curds showed gas. At the other stand, which appeared equally as good, in its surroundings, 61 per cent. of the curds were gassey when the milk had been aerated. Both looked all right and were much better than most stands. The best appearing stand proved to be in the worst location, when the curds were made. When the stand was located in a barn yard, gassey curds and often floaters were invariably the result.

"Better success was secured when the milk was cooled with water. The can was set into a tub in which was about 20 lbs. of water carried from the well. The cover was put on the can immediately and the milk got no agitation of any kind except what little was given when the thermometer was put in to take the temperature. From the milk cooled in this way only 6% per cent. of the curds showed any gas, and these were only very slight with the test. No gas was noticeable at all in the curds in the vat. A box or a tank would be better than the half-barrel, though somewhat more expensive. In one instance, the barrel had been arranged with the can in it near the pump. As the water was pumped for the cattle, it flowed through the tub on the way to the trough. In this way, the milk was thoroughly cooled and no more water was required than that which the cattle drank. With the can in this location in the barnyard, the cover was put on immediately. The same results were secured as in the case of the stand where the milk was cooled with water, only 6½ per cent. of the curds showed any signs of gas.

"It required practically no time to care for the milk when cooled, and it came out all right. It took time to aerate the milk and it was not so good. The conclusions to be drawn are, cool the milk down without exposure to the atmosphere. The system followed in the experiments was very inexpensive and required but little time to cool.

"Nearly as good results were obtained by ice and water set in the milk in a shotgun can. There is one danger, however, in this practice. The can might be set down on the ground and then there would be sure to be gas." They had proven it a dangerous thing to expose milk to air under any farm conditions one can get. Milk can be sent to the factory cool and sweet the same every day by cooling it down with water. No extra work was put on the cows or on the stables at the farms where these experiments were conducted. The milk was simply cooled down under average conditions. It would have been much better had the cows been cleaned up and the stables kept more sanitary. This would have made the experiment less valuable however, as what was wanted was some method by which milk could be properly cared for under average farm conditions.

The lantern slides showing the location of the stands, the aparatus used for cooling and the results of the curd test made were very entertaining as well as instructive, and they served to clinch the argument conclusively.

THE DISTRICT DAIRY MEETINGS

Banquet in Hotel Quinte Was One of the Features of the Belleville Meeting.

From The Canadian Dairyman.

The dairymen of the Belleville, Ont., district, turned out in large numbers last Wednesday to attend the district dairy meeting held in Belleville under the auspices of the Eastern Ontario Dairymen's Association in the afternoon, and the annual banquet of the cheese board held in the evening. At the afternoon meeting the principal speakers were Senator D. Derbyshire and Mr. R. G. Murphy, of Brockville, the honorary president, and the secretary of the Dairymen's Association.

Chief Dairy Instructor G. G. Publow, of Kingston, and Mr. H. Glendinning of Manilla, Dairy Instructor Hugh Howie of Belleville, and T. E. Whattam, of Picton, presented their annual reports which will be published separately. Mr. A. S. White, a dairy farmer of Sidney Crossing, and the president of the Belleville cheese board, was elected as the director for the district of the Dairymen's Association. Mr. White is the president of the Acme cheese factory.

The banquet in the Hotel Quinte in the evening was a great success. The principal speakers were W. B. Northrup, M.P., Senator D. Derbyshire; Hon. J. S. Duff, Minister of Agriculture; Dairy Commissioner J. A. Ruddick; H. A. Hodgson, of Montreal. Extracts from some of the speeches will be published separately. In spite of the protests of Senator Derbyshire, the leading speakers gave the Belleville and Quinte district credit for having made greater progress during the past few years than any other dairy district in Canada. One of the features of the banquet was a statement by J. A. Holagte, that his cheese factory had saved over $1000 discriminating among publishers, in in two years through the construction of a cool curing room. The factory manufactures 200,000 lbs. of milk in a season.

THERE ARE TOO MANY FAIR SOCIETIES

Mr. Wm. Collins Thinks That There is No Reason for Township Fairs in Central Districts.

From The Canadian Dairyman.

Ed., The Dairyman and Farming World:—As an old subscriber to your Paper, I read an editorial in the issue of October 21st, under the Caption "Too Many Societies." To my mind it so completely covers the ground, that I endorse it without hesitation. It is well known to all that we have too many shows, not too many of the larger ones, but too many small ones. These are not at all necessary now that we have such good facilities for reaching central points where the larger fairs are held.

If these smaller shows were abandoned and more united effort put forth to make the larger ones larger and better, more good to the whole agricultural community would result. As it is now these small exhibitions with the small prize lists and their smaller prizes, seem to be a waste of time to the whole community who patronize them, and we all know that to the farmer, time is money. If he goes to all the shows, within, say a radius of twenty miles, he will find he has lost too much time.

Of course in isolated districts there may be a reason for holding Township fairs, but none whatever in the old, well settled districts, of Ontario. It would be in the best interest of the farmers to have fewer and better shows, at which good prizes were offered. This would induce a better class of stock to be brought together, in larger numbers, thus making better competition in ring and greater choice for those who want to make purchases.

Now Sir, I am speaking as one who has had a long experience at our Exhibitions, as a Breeder, as an Exhibitor, as a Fair Director, and for some years as Secretary of the Peterborough Fair.—Wm. Collins, Peterborough Co., Ont.

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Articles That Would Now Have Heavy Black Headings are Written in the Form of Personal---What Would a Modern Paper Have Been Like if it Had Flourished in Those Days?

ONLY FOUR PAGES OF NEWS

An interesting copy of the Edmonton Bulletin has been shown the Examiner by Mr. Bert Hayes, Water street. It is dated Saturday, June 6th, 1885, and contains many accounts of events which occurred during the North West Rebellion which broke out in March of that year. In form it is simply one sheet of paper folded once, presenting four pages of readable matter. The dimensions of each of these pages is 9 inches by 12 in. There is not a single heading through out. The only heavy type used in the whole was the name of the paper, at the top of the first page.

Great News Values

But the news that it contains! To-day one page of this little sheet would supply enough "startlers" to keep any of the big dailies to-day provided for a week. The stories however are "boiled down" in almost every case to the very barest facts.

There are accounts of indian massacres, hold ups, the disappearance of small bodies of men who had started from one settlement to go to another, news regarding the war which was then practically over. These and many others are found recorded in a few lines whereas to-day they would have been given columns.

For instance under the little heading of "general locals" there is the following minor article. "The Ottawa Sun says Clemency to Riel would be injustice to ourselves" To-day there would be extras in black type, reporters would give even the most minute details as to his actions, his appearance, and in fact everything which the public of to-day would be looking for.

A Few Extracts

A few of the articles found in this primitive edition of a newspaper that is now one of the most flourishing in the west and even in Canada, are given herewith to show exactly how and what the paper printed. They are as follows—

"Mail leaves this morning. W. McInnes, driver."

"Rumoured that Nelson, courier, has been taken prisoner by Indians this side of Pitt."

"Rev. A. B. Baird arrived from Winnipeg on Tuesday evening, accompanied by an assistant missionary, Mr. Hamilton, of Toronto."

"Twenty-one teamsters, chiefly from Regina, were captured in the Eagle Hills, eight miles from Battleford."

"The report of Riel's capture was received in silence in the House of Commons. They are a noble band who represent the government for the support of which the volunteers have fought, bled, and died. Not a word of praise, not a cheer at the consummation of their efforts to crush the rebellion."

Frog Lake Massacre

"An item published elsewhere confirms the report of the Frog Lake massacre with all or even more than all the horrors generally attributed to it, if indeed the bodies found were not the victims of a second massacre which is only too probable. In the case of the bands under Big Bear, who committed these treasonous treacherous, cold blooded, cowardly, and fiendish to the last degree, there can be only one verdict, and that is that as the only adequate punishment for the crimes committed and the only proper and weighty caution that can be given to other Indians not to do likewise, the band or bands should be utterly destroyed, neither man, woman or child left alive. Humanity and justice not revenge demand this."

"Rev. Pere Maclin was found in his house after the battle of Batoche with a bullet wound from a rebel revolver in his legs."

In the advertisement columns there appears the business card of Miss Ross, milliner and dressmaker, bonnets, costumes, etc. There is no mention of the Merry Widow or the "Sheath."

There is no sporting column, and consequently nothing is said of the eastern trip for the Stanley Cup. No, these latter day affairs were probably never dreamed of.

An Idotic Act

One column is devoted to the engagements that lead up to the stand at Batoche, where Riel was captured. It is pithy and interesting. Another article is as follows: "At midnight on April 3rd, Alex Bremner, of Bresaylor Settlement, rode hastily into Battleford, stating that the settlement was in danger, and asking for an escort to bring in the people and their cattle. The answer made by the "hero" in command of the place, W. S. Morris, was, not to send an escort, not to let the man ride back as quickly as possible and inform his friends that help could not be given them—but to place him under arrest as a rebel and a sympathizer with the Indians. Further on, in the same issue the Herald (Saskatchewan), innocently remarks 'The Bremners and Sayers, in the upper settlement, refuse to come in, alleging that they are safer there than in the barracks.' Small wonder that they did not like to come in.

CHRISTMAS

Emmanuel, God with us, was the name the angel gave
To the Son of God, the Saviour, who then came the world to save,
And the star which God suspended low, there in the eastern sky,
As a token of His glory, of the Christ they'd crucify,
Was the light that led the wise men, over hill and dale until
They came unto a stable door, when lo! the star stood still,
And the men, who but the mandate of an earthly king obey,
Went in and found the Saviour in a manger where he lay.

And the angels up in heaven around the great white throne,
Praised God of the creation for the mercy he had shown;
And the wise men, bending lowly, at the feet of God on earth,
Then joined their praise with angels for the lowly Saviour's birth;
And the bells which rang so sweet and clear on this fair Christmas morn
But echoed great rejoicing on the day that Christ was born,
With a sweeter note of worship for the Christ who set us free,
Who bore our sins upon Him when He hung upon the tree.

And the music floating outward from the belfry in the tower,
Then spoke of love and pity, more than majesty and power,
And told once more the story of the love of God to me,
Of Jesus and the children whom He held upon His knee,
The story of the coming of the Christ once more to earth,
In a glory far surpassing that attending Him at birth,
Once more the welcome knowledge that to earth he'd come again,
Once more the loving words of peace, good will on earth to men.

J. R. McCREA.

The Illustrated Story Of Industrial Peterborough In Examiner's Souvenir Number

Comprehensive Review of the Natural and Provided Advantages of the City---Its Industrial and Commercial Equipment and Resources.

THE CITY'S BUSINESS HOUSES

The special industrial souvenir edition of the Evening Examiner was issued to-day and it is unique in the completness and inclusiveness of its review of the advantages and resources of the City of Peterborough in all respects. This splendid editon was compiled under the authority of the Peterborough Board of Trade by Mr. John H. Dyas and to his special skill in compilation, to his knowledge of industrial and commercial values are due a special number which gives in fair proportion a condensed and complete, conspectus of the wide range of interests dealt with in letter press and illustration.

The souvenir number consists of 60 quarto pages of matter, with 200 superb photo engravures, largely made from special photographs and new in this number. The illustrations include pictures of our industrial establishments, public buildings, banking offices, business houses, etc., and portraits of citizens prominent in every realm of civic activity. This feature brings to view and identifies the faces of many of our prominent business and professional citizens whose names are well known but of whose faces the public has no knowledge except through the medit is a worthy reflection.

The general typography, printing, paper and binding, is sufficiently indicated as to excellence and artistic effect, by the statement that it is the work of the Examiner Printing and Publishing establishment.

The special souvenir number will have a wide circulation throughout the province and will serve to make known in a striking manner, the advantages, enterprise and importance of the city of Peterborough, of which it is a worthy reflection.

From the tea bush in Ceylon to the sealed lead packets in which "Salada" reaches you, such methods of pure cleanliness are used as scarcely any other food manufacture can claim. 100

THE NEW PRESIDENT OF THE CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY

Sometimes by happy fortuity the square peg becomes fitted into the square hole, as is excellently illustrated by the choice of Mr. T. F. Matthews as president of the Children's Aid Society. Both the society and the new president are apt subjects for cordial congratulations—the right man has found the right place, for the exercise of those excellent qualities of mind and heart which have hetetofore distinguished his exercise of the duties of citizenship in all the important relations he has sustained.

OPENING OF CURLING SEASON WITH A MOST EXCITING CONTEST

MR. GEO. H. GIROUX,
Skip of the curling rink winning first game of the season.

LAW FALLS HEAVILY ON MEN AND WOMEN IN NORTHERN ONTARIO

Examiner Special.

Toronto, Dec. 19 — A sensational round-up of outlawry in Northern Ontario has been made, and one day's record of 47 convictions is established by magistrate O'Brien. Eight men were fined in all $750 for selling liquor without licence. Several women were fined $210 for keeping disorderly houses, 29 women inmates paid $550, and three frequenters, $40. In addition to that 25 women were sentenced to six months in the Mercer reformatory. The roundup covered Kenora, Vermilion and Jaffray townships, and was made on the complaints of clergymen.

SURGING CROWDS GAVE OLD GEORGE STREET APPEARANCE OF THE GAY WHITE WAY

"More like New York every day" was the remark heard on George street this morning. Like the Saturday prior to Christmas in other years, it was expected that there would be a crowd in the city to-day, and the anticipations were more than realised. One of the reasons was the fact that old Santa had been around during the week leaving a large stock of his manufactures for distribution through the country. It was a monied throng judging from the manner in which they crowded the stores. There was an unusually heavy market and the turkeys, butter, etc., were turned into money and then into dry goods, toys, presents and the general wares that the merchants were carrying. The trains this morning were well crowded and from an early hour the main highways from the surrounding townships were dotted with cutters and sleighs bringing in the country folk. In the hotels at noon the dining room accommodation was inadequate and from one of the leading hostelries a well know citizen was seen issuing without a hat. He was heard to remark, "Well, I got my dinner, but some one else got my hat." Probably it was used to pay a belated election bet.

MAN WANTED BY TORONTO POLICE MAY BE HARRY SCHRIEBER SAID TO BE LODGED IN JAIL AT STRATFORD

Toronto, Dec. 19.—Special.—Harry Schrieber, a man for whose arrest the local police hold a warrant charging false pretences, and who is alleged to have defrauded about fifty street railwaymen by representing himself as an insurance agent, is believed to be serving a term in Stratford jail. At the time the warrant was issued for Schrieber's arrest the man had disappeared, and although circulars were sent out by the local police to all the principall cities in the province and along the border no trace of him was secured. Yesterday a bank clerk, who had been in Stratford, gave the police information that the man they were looking for was in Stratford jail serving a four months' term. Inspector of Detectives Duncan will communicate with the Stratford officers this morning and make arrangements to have the man, if it is Schrieber, brought back to the city when he has served his term.

Schrieber, it is alleged, represented himself as an agent for the Insurance Specialties Company in the Board of Trade building, and induced about fifty street railwaymen to take out insurance policies. He received sums generally of $5 from the men, but none of them got their policies. Schrieber is also wanted by the Hamilton police on charges similar to those held against him locally.

FINE NEW GOVERNMENT WHARF BEING BUILT AT THE BEWDLEY LANDING

A new wharf is being constructed by the Dominion Government at Bewdley, Rice Lake. The work began under the foremanship of Mr. James Sidey, the postmaster, about the beginning of December, and is being rapidly pushed forward to completion. It is being constructed of piles and stout timbers, and will no doubt be a substantial stopping place for the steamers during open navigation. Six teams and about ten men are engaged in the construction work. The approach to the wharf is of stone.

BOYS SELL CHRISTMAS TREES FROM JACKSON'S PARK FOR TWENTY CENTS

Christmas trees at twenty cents a piece are snaps that are found only in small towns. In Toronto or New York they would sell for—well, almost any price, according to their size and beauty. But, coming back home, and to the twenty cent tree, a merchant told a reporter that a boy came to his house a few days ago with a pretty tree of just the right proportions for inside use. The lad wanted twenty cents for it, and this snap was picked up at once. He explained that a man was cutting them down near Jackson Park, and gave them to a number of boys to sell. The merchant discovered that there were three other boys with the one who had sold him the tree. Two of them were carrying another of the evergreens, and the two that had disposposed of theirs immediately started back on the run for another.

LITTLE GIRL ALLEGED TO HAVE BEEN BITTEN BY DOG WANTS CANINE KILLED

A young man appeared in the police court this morning on the charge of being the owner of a dog which had bitten a little girl residing in the southwest part of the city, and considerable evidence was heard in regard to the matter. The young man's interests were looked after by Mr. G. N. Gordon.

The little girl testified that she was running, while on her way to school, when the dog ran at her and bit her leg. She admitted that she had struck the dog on several occasions.

The girl's brother and mother also gave evidence in connection with the matter.

The defendant said that he was willing to destroy the dog if he thought that the injury was of a serious nature, and it was decided to adjourn the case until Monday morning, when Dr. Young, who was called in to attend the little girl, will give evidence.

THE DOMESTIC SCIENCE CLOSING EXHIBIT YESTERDAY ATTRACTS ADMIRING CROWDS TO THE Y. W. C. A.

The culmination of a most successful season in the teaching of Domestic Science at the Young Women's Christian Association, was reached yesterday afternoon and evening at the closing exercises and exhibits. The provisions spread on the handsomely decorated tables were eagerly sought by the visitors, their quality and arrangement being a splendid tribute to the success of the tutorship of Miss Florence Johnson, teacher, for the past year of Domestic Science.

The green drawing room of the Young Women's institution contained the beautiful domestic arts and crafts exhibits. Handsome cushions, laces, embroidery work and other specimens of the skill of the ladies were arrayed artistically about the tables of the room. Needless to say they were greatly admired, not only by the lady visitors, but by the members of the sterner sex, who attended the exhibit. During the afternoon an old fashioned spinning wheel was in motion. This served to revert the modern minds back to the times when grandmothers and great grandmothers made the yarn and clothing for the households. The pillow-lace making exhibition by Mrs. R. J. Dever was also a revelation to many. It showed how the hand made laces are knitted in the Old Country, which ecommand such high prices on this side of the water. The green room also contained an exhibit of amateur photography arranged by the Camera Club. Much interest was taken in this section.

The gymnasium was the scene of activity. The tables were spread with Christmas puddings, cake and candy. Each was attended by the young ladies of the Domestic Science Class and a considerable sum realized from sales to aid in the work of the Y.W.C.A. The exhibit of candy, cake, Banbury-tart and ice cream making was an interesting feature. "The setting of an invalid's Tray," by Miss Browett and its appetising appearance when completed was sufficient, one would think, to produce hunger in an invalid.

By way of Diversion

In the afternoon the piano numbers by Miss Gladman lent a pleasing charm to the function. Prior to the presentation in the evening of "The Reveries of a Bachelor" a delightful piano duet was given by Misses Sutton and Hawkey. The "pipe-dream" of the "bachelor" played by Mr. Chas. Barber, between 8.30 and 9 o'clock was greatly admired as were also the young ladies who occupied the central stage of the reveries. Mr. D Hughes Charles made an efficient chairman. The cast was as follows:

Misses Jessie Cressman, Lillian Dean, Effie Munroe, Helen Davidson, Marlie Hall, Elsie Anderson, Browett, Stinson, Waters, E. Aylmer, Gwen. Hall, S. Pearce, M. Meldrum, Ostrom, Johnson Reesor.

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THE CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY WORK DURING THE PAST YEAR HAS BEEN GREATEST IN ORGANIZATION'S HISTORY

ANNUAL MEETING OF THE CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY WAS HELD

MR. E. L. GOODWILL,
The Energetic Secretary of the Children's Aid Society.

Annual meeting Was Held Yesterday---Encouraging Reports Were Presented---Old Board of Officers Were Re-elected by the Members

PROBLEM OF THE UNEMPLOYED

That the Children's Aid Society's work during the past year was greater than ever before was shown by the report of Secretary E. L. Goodwill which was one of the features of the annual meeting of the society held yesterday afternoon in the city council chamber. The interest taken in the operations of the society was evidenced by the fact that there was a representative and fairly large attendance. The president, Mr. T. F. Matthews occupied the chair.

The most interesting feature in connection with the meeting was the reading of the officers' reports; the secretary's showing that during the year the society had dealt with 160 cases in addition to conducting a soup kitchen for the benefit of the unemployed and in many other ways had worked for the benefit of suffering humanity. The report of the treasurer, Mr. Peter Campbell, was a satisfactory one.

In calling the meeting to order Mr. Matthews paid a tribute to the efficient work done during the year by the secretary and treasurer and then called upon them to submit their reports.

The Secretary's Report

Secretary Goodwill's report was as follows—:

Peterborough, Dec. 17, 1908.

To the President, Officers and Members of the Children's Aid Society, Peterborough:

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I have the honour to present my second annual report as secretary of the Society, and am glad to be able to state that the past year has followed in the footsteps of those preceding, and will be placed on record as a year of splendid progress, more work having been accomplished in the past year than in any previous year of the Society's history.

The work has, of course, been similar in nature to that done in prior years, but by reason of our well-equipped Shelter we have been enabled to extend our work, and render assistance in numerous cases that formerly it would have been impossible for us to have dealt with at all.

In the first place, it is our duty to express warm and cordial thanks to the City Council and Commissioners of the City Trust for their liberal grant of the new Shelter property, and to Richard Hall, Esq., trustee of the Nicholls Estate, for the liberal grant which enabled us to place this building in shape for our purposes. I think that I am safe in saying that we have the finest Shelter property in Ontario, and of which the Society and the city may well feel proud. It is in an ideal location, roomy and very warm and comfortable, and has adequate accommodation for a large number of children. It is heated by a hot water heating system, installed by Mr. R. J. G. Sutherland, who performed the work in conection with the installation in a manner which reflects great credit upon him and his assistants.

We express our warm and cordial thanks to the City and County Councils for continued interest in the work and cheerful contributions to our finances, and it has been with pleasure that we have heard from time to time words of commendation in recognition of services which the Society has performed for the municipalities.

We are also indebted to the general public for the kind assistance which has been rendered in many ways. Subscriptions of money come from most unexpected sources, and much good has been accomplished and pleasure to helpless children from the kindness of these generous patrons.

To the ladies of the city, thanks are due. They freely contributed their aid and assistance in promoting the various entertainments and benefits for the Society, and have on several occasions gathered at the Shelter and held sewing meetings, at which new clothing has been made for the children without which the work of the Society could not have been properly carried on.

Several organizations and associations have applied to us to have various entertainments carried on for our aid, and have sent us money, which has been collected in an undenominational way, and we have a good deal of satisfaction in feeling that the Children's Aid Society of Peterborough is perhaps the only strictly undenominational work which is being carried on in the community, and appeals to all nationalities and creeds alike, and is able to offer splendid machinery for child-saving, which could not be reached through any other channel.

The thanks of the Society are also due to the committee of citizens who

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MIDNIGHT FIRE ALARM GIVES FIRE BRIGADE AN UNNECESSARY RUN

Some one last night thought the horses of the fire brigade were not having enough exercise, so he rang in an alarm about midnight from the corner of Concession and Hazlitt streets. This alarm box is situated at the north end of Ashburnham, and when the brigade got there they found nobody to tell them where the blaze was.

This morning at 7.40 an alarm came in calling them to a chimney fire at 483 McDonnel street, the home of Mr. William Richardson, and it was extinguished before any damage was done.

COMMENDABLE WORK ACCOMPLISHED AT SICK CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

Dr. A. W. McPherson gave a most interesting talk in St. Andrew's church hall last night on the history and work of the Sick Children's Hospital in Toronto. Knox church and Murray street church boys were represented by large delegations, and a bright song service was held first.

In opening, Dr. McPherson gave a brief history of the beginning of the work for sick children in Toronto. It originated in 1873 through the benevolence of Mr. J. Ross Robertson. He took up the building of the Lakeside Hospital, and later the present structure. He described the way in which the little patients put in their time with games and sports. The treatment offered them gave the boys many interesting instances of the bandaging treatment. He specialized on club feet and bow legs, paralysis, tuberculor troubles, spinal troubles, burns, frost bites, etc., and he closed by inviting the boys to assist in the work of this institution.

CATHOLIC CHURCH ALLOWS USE OF MEAT ON FRIDAY NEXT

Christmas day this year falls on Friday, as has been before mentioned, and there are many who refrain from eating meat on that day of the week. In the Catholic Church it is an ecclesiastical law that its members shall abstain from eating meat on that day. However, every time that Christmas falls on Friday a papal dispensation allows thhe use of meat for that occasion.

STOCK BROKER SHOT LEAVING HIS OFFICE

J. N. Barber, (Special)

New York, Dec. 19.—Shortly before the opening of the market this morning, Harry Suydam, a curb broker whose offices are at 30 Broadway street, was shot while about to leave the building, by a man whose identity is as yet unknown. Mr. Suydam was wounded in the stomach and it is feared fatally. His assailant was captured by the police.

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TO RENT—OFFICE No. 14 IN BANK OF Commerce Building; heated, possession immediately. Apply at 437 George Street.

NEW HOUSES TO LET; RENT REduced. Apply to Jas. R. Bell, No. 161 Hunter street. 3m164

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FOR SALE — ORGAN IN GOOD CONdition, at a bargain; Price $10.00. Apply 199 Charlotte street. 3d 117 4680

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LOST.

LOST — A PARCEL ON CORNER OF Bolivar and Park streets on Wednesday afternoon; parcel was labelled ready for stuffing. Finder will please leave at Examiner office. 3d 117 4674

WATCH LOST ON FRIDAY NEAR G. T. R. Station; gold filled hunting case, with black hair guard. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at Examiner office. 1d 117 4673

LOST — A WHITE FOX TERRIER with black and brown markings, on Thursday. Finder will please leave at Jas. Lynch's Drug Store, Hunter st. 3d 117 4633

LOST — ON SATURDAY, A PAIR OF Glasses in A. A .Fowler case, T. J. C. on the inside of case. Finder will kindly leave at this office. 3d 117

LOST — ABOUT THREE WEEKS AGO a fox terrier Puppy Dog, three months old, white with black and tan on head. Reward for information left at Examiner office or Oriental Barber Shop. 2d 117 4661

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1908

THE BY-LAW MEETING.

It is to be hoped that there will be a large attendance of the ratepayers at the Board of Trade meeting on Monday night, when the rather heavy contract will be undertaken of discussing three heavy money by-laws—that to authorize the expenditure of $30,000 to purchase grounds for exhibition and recreation purposes; $49,000 to build a new bridge across the river at Smith street, and $21,500 for street extensions, making a total of $100,500. The admitted desirability of any or all the interests involved in these bylaws, is subject to important modification arising out of the financial position of the city, and the needs of civic funds for other purposes. If these proposals are sensibly discussed, in many and necessarily brief speeches, those attending will receive information which will assist in determining their attitude towards them at the polls. With the merits and demerits frankly discussed, and the knowledge resulting generally distributed the electors will be in a position to vote intelligently and will not endorse what is unworthy of support or blindly oppose what may be regarded as in the public interests.

The more attention ratepayers pay to public questions, the more they know, the more intelligently they will vote in selecting aldermen; or deciding the fate of money and other by-laws.

THE ONLY TRUE MEANS.

A firm of Ohio grocers has distributed a circular, showing what could be bought in the course of a year by the amount spent in the same time by a man who takes three ten-cent drinks of whiskey per day—so many barrels of flour, so many bushels of potatoes, and other articles to cover an expenditure of $109.50. Naturally the grocers interested think this sum would be better invested in groceries. And they are right; but the same line of argument applies to other expenditures—to the amounts spent upon tobacco, hairpins, bridge stakes, bonnets, feathers, frills, laces, furs, carriages and ten thousand other things that are not necessaries and not in the common enjoyment of the people as are the articles in a list of groceries. Appeals to reform lose their force, as in the case of the Ohio grocers, if self interest is palpably behind them. Principle is the only basis upon which satisfactory reform can be established. We may adopt expedients by means of laws, necessarily imperfect, but well intentioned, to mitigate the appalling moral and material evils that flow from intemperance, to check political corruption, to minimise crime and curtail a host of minor moral evils, but in all these things we only scotch the snake, don't kill it. It is only when the conscience is aroused, the moral sense quickened, and the desire and resolve to do right for right's sake, awakened and taken, that satisfactory reform in any of the respects mentioned, will be attained. Law can never make man good; the best it can do is to make a man less bad than he would be if his evil inclinations were permitted full swing. Two thousand years ago the world passed under a divine regime which made a right spirit the sole condition of reform. We may employ palliatory measures as the best we can do, but they can never be considered as more than imperfect means to an end. They never can be an end in themselves.

Turkey, the "sick man of the East," is on the high road to health—he has got a new constitution.

THE COMING SESSION.

The Dominion Parliament will meet "for the despatch of business" on January 20th, 1909, when Sir Wilfrid Laurier will proceed to "finish his work." With an absence of the obstruction which served to so lamentably prolong the last session of the last Parliament, the coming session will be probably a comparatively short one; but it will be an important one in many respects. The provincial boundary bill will arouse much interest, but probably very little contentious discussion. The legislation dealing with the whole question of civil service reform and administration, having to do with venerable and long entrenched defects, may present some points of divergence of opinion or interest—convertible terms under some conditions—but the bona fides of the Government may be counted upon to insure satisfactory

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must be apparent to any discriminating writer, we should not advertise. Ink costs so little—it lasts so long—that it could not pay us to advertise if you bought only one bottle. We rely on retaining your life-long custom.

results. The Intercolonial Railway will doubtless come in for some practical consideration in the direction of management responsibility. The attitude Parliament may assume in the discussion of the questions mentioned, the spirit which the Opposition will bring to its discharge of its Parliamentary responsibility will probably determine whether Parliament will be called upon to consider changes in Parliamentary procedure so as to eliminate the power of members to obstructively prolong debate. Last session the Opposition provoked consideration of the necessity of such a measure and much will depend upon the attitude they assume this session whether or not action is taken. The freedom of Parliamentary debate is a too precious possession to be interfered with unless such action is forced upon it by intolerable obstruction.

And let him be sure to leave other men their turns to speak.—Bacon.

DATE OF MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

The Hamilton Herald deals with the question of why our municipal elections are held at the most inconvenient season of the year. It says:

"Our municipal campaigns are conducted in the last few weeks of the year, a time when Christmas and New Year activities make it hard for many citizens to devote much thought or work to civic duties. Ontario is alone among the provinces in adherence to this ancient folly. The Ottawa Journal points out that in Quebec the municipal elections are held on the third Monday in January; New Brunswick on the last Tuesday in October, Nova Scotia on the third Tuesday in November; Manitoba on the first Tuesday in December; in British Columbia on dates fixed by the different municipalities, and in Saskatchewan and Alberta on the second Monday in December."

The principal justification of the demand of the Herald would be found in the fact that a change of date would result in securing a larger share of popular attention to municipal matters. But would it do so? If we are badly governed in municipal matters it does not seem to greatly worry the general body of electors. The time to think of municipal matters is not only a few days before election time, but the year round. The public are not in the habit of watching the proceedings of the city council as generally as could be desired. As a rule the meetings and what they involve are a matter of indifference to the body of ratepayers. The latter only awake to a little spasmodic interest as the election season approaches. They enter into a discussion of these matters with necessarily a misty conception of what they are talking about, and necessarily they are thrown back upon the ex-parte arguments provided by interested candidates. This is only true, of course, of the general body of electors. There may be a few—a baker's dozen or so—who attend the meetings of the council and gain thereby more or less knowledge of municipal affairs, and of the mode in which the city's business is done or not done. Would a change in the date make any difference in the respect of enlisting more general electoral interest? If not, there is no sufficient reason for a change. The only valid reason is to secure improvement in our civic representation and this can be done only by the mass of the ratepayers taking an intelligent, continuous and active interest in the management of our civic affairs, whose character must be the chief element in deciding the question of aldermanic representation. There is one element in the holding of elections at the holiday season which should be taken into some consideration. The spirit of peace and good will especially in evidence at that time, may and doubtless does tend to soften the asperities of discussion, and so far as absence of passion and antagonistic animus influence calm judgment and unprejudiced consideration of civic questions so far is the reason for retaining the present date tenable. Of course, if countervailing reasons, arising out of the promotion of civic interests could be advanced, a change of dates would be advisable. The real question is what is best in the interests of the municipality.

The value of representative government is to be measured by the extent to which the representation expresses the knowledge and good faith of those who constitute representatives.

STILL GROWING.

Canada's growing time continues. The west is expanding in settlement, population, production and equipment. We shall soon have completed the third transcontinental railway, and even two additional cannot check the prosperity of the pioneer line, the C. P. R. It will have to keep in pace with its traditional enterprise to meet the traffic demands, which continuous growth creates. While the new lines will create their own traffic by development of the territories they serve, the C. P. R. will be kept busy in its own field. That its traffic is growing is evidenced in many ways, but one particular evidence is the fact that it has entered into an agreement with Fort William Council, to purchase a site for a mammoth new railway station, to be the second largest west of the great lakes, and to be a union station—in the words of the agreement, "suitable and sufficient for the joint use" of the Canadian Pacific and the Grand Trunk Pacific Railways. This action on the part of the C. P. R. shows that the shrewdest corporation on the continent, has a large faith in the future of the west and of the place where it is placing such an elaborate station and freight sheds.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier has well said that "the twentieth century belongs to Canada."

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The theory that Emperor William's erraticism is due to softening of the head is strengthened by the fact that he has taken to soft drinks.

Will the Hains' trial provide as much newspaper sewage as the Thaw trial did? Why should decent Canadian newspapers pay so much telegraph toll for such lurid filth?

The Mail and Empire condemns the employment of the word "liar," by President Roosevelt in a presidential message. Is the Mail's vocabulary of gentle terms devoted so generously to its political opponents, copyrighted in the United States?

The doubling of the salary of the president of the United States is a symmetrical proceeding. Taft is about double the size of Roosevelt—barring, perhaps, the head—and it seems fitting that his salary should be increased—from $50,000 to $100,000.

The Toronto Globe and the Toronto World seem slopping over with the conciliatory spirit of Christmas. They see with the same eye on the management of the Intercolonial Railway, and on the infinitely more momentous question of spelling reform. Such unanimity should appal suxes for both cones.

It is reported that Lord Minto is using the iron hand to repress sedition in India, and his plan is meeting with success. Moderate means and conciliatory measures having failed, such a course seems justified, both on its merits and as the adoption of a precedent established by the rule of the East India Company, under the administration of Warren Hastings.

Some few new arrivals among Englishmen, complain of the conditions in Canada. It is probable they are the exceptions, and their experience may be due to "hard luck," or their own indifference to exertion, their unwillingness to work. That many of the English immigrants do well here is shown by the remittances home. The number of registered letters sent from Canada to England has increased eighty per cent. within the past year.

La Patrie, Montreal is inclined to regard the action of the Montreal woollen mills in closing down, as premature. It thinks that action might have been postponed till the report of the special commission on the subject of the effects of the Preference, which he is now investigating in the Old Country, is presented. At the banquet of the Canadian Manufacturers, at the Windsor Hotel, Montreal, Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that if the report of the special commissioner established the fact that the complaints of the Canadian woollen manufacturers were well founded, an immediate remedy would be proposed to Parliament.

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City Manager

Old World Mail News Of The Week

INTERESTING ITEMS FROM ACROSS THE SEA.

ENGLAND

The National Union of Conservative Association met this week at Cardiff.

Mr Haldane will be the principal guest of the Birmingham Chamber of Commerce at their banquet in January.

Extensive damage has been done by a fire in the St. Petersburg oil mills of the British firm of William Miller & Co.

A motorist was summoned at Leeds for refusing to obey the police officer on point duty and ordered to pay the costs.

Scaling a ladder 45 feet high, Mrs W C Looseley laid the apex stone of a new Baptist church at High Wycombe.

Seventy-five boroughs with a population of less than 50,000 have applied for the appointment of a distress committee.

Swallows have been seen in Cumberland. For them to remain in the North late is an extraordinary occurrence.

Two children were thrown from the upper windows of a blazing Tottenham house and were caught unhurt in a blanket.

An outbreak of fire in a block of business premises in Woodhouse-lane Leeds, resulted in damage estimated at £5,000.

"Friends, kindly accept this, the only intimation," is the request at the end of a marriage announcement in the "Times".

The monthly report of the Boilermakers' Society shows 11,438 unemployed out of a membership of rather over 50,000.

A man—presumably a burglar—was found lying dead with a fractured skull in a licensed grocer's premises in Glasgow.

IRELAND

Armitage Kglantine Humphreys, J. P., was evicted from Lisagoan House Ballyhaise Co. Cavan, for non-payment of rent.

Lord Iveagh was elected Chancellor of Dublin University in succession to the late Earl of Rosse, at a meeting of the Senate held at Trinity College.

An Ennis telegram states that an extensive cattle-drive took place on the Fort Fergus demesne. Nearly 100 head of cattle belonging to different owners were cleared.

In Belfast, the linen business has been on a larger scale in nearly every department of late, and if not exactly active, it is nevertheless making decided progress in that direction.

Belfast and district were visited by a severe gale last week. The Bog Meadows and other low-lying districts were flooded and property was damaged, in many instances slates and chimneys being blown down.

The Ulster Association in London has never given a better concert than that which took place in the Prince's Hall, Piccadilly, last week. Much Irish talent was in evidence at the concert, both as regards the artists and the music.

The death occurred at his residence in Sydney, New South Wales of Joseph M'Cracken. Mr. M'Cracken who passed away at an advanced age was in the 'sixties and 'seventies a well-known and highly respected citizen of Belfast.

Considerable alarm has been caused in Ballymena Workhouse, by a sudden outbreak of illness amongst a number of the children who are inmates of the institution. Nine of the young people were seized about the same time with violent pains accompanied by vomiting.

At Kilbeggan, before two resident magistrates, 14 men were convicted at the instance of the police, of driving cattle, the property of Michael Kelly, off the lands of Mr Daniel, of New Forest, and were ordered to find bail, themselves in £20 and two sureties of £10 each.

SCOTLAND

A Vale of Leven octogenarian, Robert Warnock, is dead.

W A Wilson, publisher of the Roth[illegible]say "Buteman," is dead.

A pheasant was captured in Fraser street, Inverness, by D Matheson, plumber.

John M'Kelvie Farquhar, a prominent Greenock chemist, died suddenly in his shop.

The appearance of bats in the Orkneys is very rare, but seems to be on the increase.

A second crop of strawberries has been gathered in a garden at Wilton Green, Hawick.

The three United Colliery pits which were purchased by a private were restarted at Shoots.

John Kirkwood Cameron, a Crimean veteran, died at Aberdeen. The deceased was born in Paisley in 1826.

Mrs. John Stuart Blackie, widow of Professor Blackie, died the other day at the ripe age of 90, at Edinburgh.

In connection with Dalbeattie Boys' Brigade, a magazine has been started. It is also intended to have a pipe band.

The season of the North of Scotland Section of the Incorporated Society of Musicians was successfully opened at Aberdeen.

The workers in Ryeside mills have now been put on short time and some of them dismissed altogether as the result of dull trade.

Fire broke out on the whaler Eclipse, lying in the dock at Dundee. Before the firemen got the outbreak subdued, the damage was $800.

STOMACH COMFORT

When the Stomach Rebels, Headache, Indigestion and Nerve Pain Follows—Mi-o-na Brings Relief.

Just as soon as you are done eating the healthy stomach commences to churn the food around and mixes it thoroughly with the juices of the stomach.

If the food is not churned it lays heavily in your stomach, turns sour and causes all kinds of distressing symptoms, such as headache, indigestion, stomach pain and dyspepsia. Mi-o-na helps the stomach to properly mix the food.

John S. May, of Isabella street Belleville, Ont., says, "For over seven months I was in constan agony with a case of nervous dyspepsia and indigestion that medical skill could not relieve. I was weak and had lost much weight through loss of appetite and suffering. My meals would fill me with gas and a feeling of oppression across the stomach and all up the left side, left me in a miserable condition I was restless at night and as tired and unrefreshed in the morning as on going to bed. A smoking sensation in my throat was always constant when lying down, and my heart seemed to flutter and pound as though it were coming through my side. I was benefited from the first two days' use of Mi-o-na. I began to feel like myself again, my appetite returned and the depressive feeling left me. I can enjoy my meals without the least worry of after suffering. I have gained in weight and can sleep the night through in comfort.

Go to Wm Madill, the druggist and get a 50 cent box of Mi-o-na Tablets. Money back if Mi-o-na does not cure.

NOW AND THEN a merchant gets it into his head that "one advertising medium is as good as another." He then proceeds to buy his advertising in a way to discredit his business judgment.

People will be pretty sure to infer that a merchant who buys his advertising unwisely will buy his store-stocks unwisely—and of course this may not always be true. But it is always a good plan to show the same discrimination in buying advertising space that you show in buying the stocks which you are advertising. At all events you will act wisely if you advertise in the EXAMINER.

TELEPHONE 57K

A Grand Parade
OF
Christmas Jewelry
AT
MILBURN'S
THE JEWELLER

What shall it be—for "Her" or for "Him"

If your gifts are not bought yet, nor decided upon perhaps we can help you solve your problem.

Gifts in Watches

That appeal particularly for the occasion are our—

Ladies' size gold filled 25 year case with a full jewel Waltham movement for $9.50

Or a Gentlemen's size Watch, 20 year case, 17 jewel Waltham movement for $12.75

Time-keeping qualities are considered of first importance, and only watches of a high reputation find room in our selections.

MISSES' AND BOYS' WATCHES
WRIST AND BRACELET WATCHES
In varied new designs and movements

Gift Clocks

Beauty and exclusiveness find expression in the special stock we have prepared for Christmas in Gift Clocks from.... $2.00

Mantel Clocks from 6.75

Mission Clocks from 5.75

Our Jewelry is invariably smart and in exquisite taste. Our prices are very moderate.

Diamond Gifts

Only the really good things are imitated. Diamonds are imitated but every safeguard is afforded the buyers of diamonds here.

No charge for protection — little charge for the gems.

A first quality Solitaire for $22.50

SUNBURST BROOCHES with DIAMOND CENTRE
CRESCENT BROOCHES with PEARL CENTRE
Genuine Diamonds and Fine Pearls
SOLID GOLD PEARL BROOCHES and NECKLETS
LADIES' PEARL SET EXPANSION BRACELETS
GENTLEMEN'S SOLID GOLD SCARF PINS, with Pearls

Inexpensive Gifts

Although this store offers unusual attractions and price-advantages to the diamond gift seeker, it has, too, inducements for the spender of smaller sums.

DIAMOND CUFF LINKS or WITH PEARLS
STERLING SILVER GIFTS from $1 to $5
SOLID GOLD MOUNTED BACK COMBS
SILK UMBRELLAS WITH SILVER HANDLES
JEWEL BOXES and CUT GLASS TOILET BOTTLES
GENUINE PEARL OPERA GLASSES

Quaintness of design characterizes our exhibit of Brilliant Hat Pins, Scarf Pins, Belt Buckles, Bracelets and Signet Rings.

A gentleman's large size Signet Ring, in 10 karat solid gold, for $4.75

One plain Lockets and Cuff Links are all hand engraved with entwined monograms, free of charge.

Gold filled Lockets in good quality, from $1.75

Holiday Sale of Cut Glass

Very Special Values. Good judges will be quick to take advantage of our surprising values in Cut Glass.

RICHLY CUT SALTS and PEPPERS
BON-BON DISHES, CELERY JUGS
RICHLY CUT BOWLS, SUGARS and CREAMS

Put Yourself in Your Gift

To do this properly means early shopping—not leaving it to the last moment. Just think how near we are to Christmas. From now on Milburn's will be a grand Holiday Mecca.

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Many of the Orders

for Glasses this week are for Xmas gifts. They will give pleasure and brightness for many days.

In prominent cities of America the beautiful Automatic Eye Glass Holders and Chains which we are showing in our window are great favourites with both ladies and gentlemen. We have initials engraved on these for Xmas gifts. Prices $1 to $3. We would be pleased to show you these.

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY WORK FOR THE YEAR

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interested themselves so strongly on our behalf and were the means of bringing to the city the Sheffield choir and arranged such favourable terms as a result of which a large sum, the proceeds of the concert, was placed in our treasury.

Attached to this report is a reference to a few of the cases which have come under our notice since last annual meeting:

INFANTS. — During the year as usual we were requested to take control of a number of infant children, which we were obliged to decline, as the Society makes it a fixed rule not to take infants except in exceptional cases where we are obliged to take proceedings, and have them made wards of the Society in the regular way. Several small children, however, have been in the Shelter this year; one little boy, a ward of the C. A. S., Belleville, is now in the Shelter, and for whom we are desirous of obtaining a comfortable home.

A perusal of the cases attached furnishes some idea of the varied work of the Society. Over 100 children have passed through our hands during the year, of whom a large majority have been placed in comfortable homes. A number of others have unfortunately, and as a last resort, been placed in the Provincial Industrial Schools, the latter being, as a rule, boys and girls of more mature years. Twenty per cent. have been made wards of the Society by order of the Magistrates; 35 per cent. by the parents' voluntarily making the children wards, and of the remainder, a large number were children placed in the Shelter while their parents were undergoing medical treatment in the hospitals, and from various causes of like nature.

WILLS.—The officers of your Society note that some people when making their will kindly remember this Socieg with a small legacy. It is to be hoped that this practice will become universal. A small legacy in a man's will will not be missed by his family when his estate is being wound up, and will go a long way to care for some poor and needy children.

The treasurer's report shows we began the year with a substantial balance in the treasury, but we close the year with that reduced and the prospect of a deficit to face in the near future. The great increase of our work necessarily also means a correspondingly large expenditure of money; that taken with the amount expended on account of the permanent improvements placed in our Shelter, accounts for our present financial standing. We feel confident, however, that our many good friends will assist us as they have done in the past under similar circumstances.

All of which is respectfully presented.

E. L. GOODWILL,
Secretary.

Following are some of the cases referred to:

Cases 510-511.—Two boys under the age of 12, were several times brought before the Magistrate on charges of theft and burglary. The mother was unable to manage and control them, and they apeared to be rapidly travelling along the road to development into criminals. The mother, in delicate health, was the only one providing for a family of six children. She consented to an order being made by the Magistrate making the two boys wards of the Society. They are now reported as progressing favourably, and their education, which was for so long neglected, is receiving considerable attention.

Case 515.—This is a case similar to a large number of others which have come to our attention during the past year. A Barnardo girl, accustomed to living in a thickly populated district, married a native of a northern township, and went to reside there, some five or six years ago. The solitude, absence of neighbours, and want of care, food and kind treatment from her husband, soon resulted in a miserable household. The husband was brought before the Magistrate charged with non-support; and at the trial his wife wished to have a separation order, and to have the care and custody of her two infant children. The Society, however, persuaded her to wait six months before making up her mind and in the meantime were able to have the woman placed in the hospital and receive very needful medical treatment, and the children were placed in the Shelter. After a number of months, the mother, completely restored to health, and an entirely different looking person to what she had been a few months before, and her children, bright and healthy, went with her husband, who had formerly entertained great animosity to the Society, but upon having his wife and children restored to him, healthy and bright, expressed himself as unable to adequately express his gratitude to the Society. The family proceeded to a new home, where they are now living comfortably and happily together.

Cases 519-29-29.—These are cases of a similar nature to that last referred to, namely, where the Society cared for a number of small children while parents, through the aid of the Society, were placed in the hospitals or other institutions to receive medical attention; and upon their restoration to health their children were returned to them.

Cases 520-521.—Two young girls were placed in the Shelter, on complaint of the mother, who was unable to control them. They were placed in a number of homes but ran away on each occasion and acquired a considerable reputation as long distance walkers. They were subsequently returned to their mother and are now going to school regularly every day. Their conduct and behavious is now all that can be desired.

Case 522.—This is one of a number of cases of a boy of more mature years who had acquired a reputation for general badness, and although considerable pressure was placed upon us to have this boy placed in a reformatory, we succeeded in our plea of having him placed on a farm and obtained a home for him with a good-natured farmer, believing that his reputation was on a parallel with the saying, "Give a dog a bad name, and it will stick to him." The boy is living up, in every respect, to our expectations, and is working hard and industriously. His employer speaks of him in the highest terms.

Cases 530-31-32.—Three nice boys taken from the mother who was bringing them up under evil influences, and who on account of her life and surroundings, was an improper person to have the custody of these children of tender years.

Two of the boys are now adopted in foster homes, and foster parents say they wouldn't part with them for anything.

Case 540.—A particularly sad case of a young girl, who figured in the police court on many occasions. The Society was unable to procure a home for her on account of her bad reputation. She was ultimately placed in the Reformatory.

Case 543.—A young girl of 16, an orphan, residing with a relative, associating with evil companions, resulted in friction at home; and upon being checked for her conduct, ran away. The assistance of the Society was requested. We had the girl located, and investigated the matter, with the result that, with the assistance of Mr. Kelso, a new home in a distant part of the province, was secured for her among strangers. We received a letter from her a short time ago expressing her thanks and gratitude. She reported that her new home was so nice, and people were so good to her, she felt she didn't deserve it at all.

Case 544.—"Baby Roy," the Shelter baby—a ward of the Belleville Society, who is awaiting a good home.

In concluding his report Mr. Goodwill tendered his resignation as secretary of the Society. The work, especially of a clerical nature, was increasing so much that he would find it impossible to get time in which to attend to the duties, but he promised to assist the society by any means in his power.

Mr. J. H. Burnham remarked that the society could not afford to do without Mr. Goodwill and suggested that an assistant might be appointed who would take the clerical work off his hands.

The Treasurer's report was read by Mr. Peter Campbell as follows:

Receipts

Balance on hand..... ... .$	15 59
City Grant.....	300 00
County grant.....	250 00
Special donations for soup kitchen.....	189 10
Donations for general fund ...	812 84
Transferred from capital act.	1468 26
Total..... ... .$	3025 89

Disbursements

Salary of officer ... ...$	200 00
Board act.....	695 94
Expended on Shelter.....	859 65
Soup kitchen...	324 34
Sundry accounts.....	205 41
Cash on hand.....	312 65
Total..... ....$	3598 89
Balance at credit of capital account..... ....$	398 61
during 1907...	139 50
A during 1907...	135 50
Amount expended on Shelter during 1908.....	888 65
	$ 985 19
Hospital for Sick Children's Cot Fund..... ....$	100 00

Mr. Campbell also reported that the fund for upkeep in the Sick Children's Hospital amounted to $130.00. The fund had been started some years ago, but little had been done recently, and he suggested that some action should be taken.

Other members agreed with this and something will be done in the matter.

Secretary Goodwill reported that Messrs. R Glidden and Wm McIlroy had asked to be allowed to put on an opera in aid of the Children's Aid Society, the latter to be given the entire receipts provided that they would guarantee the expenses.

A committee composed of the President, secretary and Treasurer was appointed with power to add to its numbers to deal with the matter.

The election of officers was then proceeded with, and resulted in the old board being re-elected by acclamation throughout. Mr. Goodwill was persuaded to accept the secretaryship on condition that an assistant be appointed, and the matter of selecting the latter was left in the hands of the executive.

Officers for the Year

Following will be the officers for the ensuing year:

Hon. President—Mayor Rush.
President—T. J. Matthews.
1st Vice-President—Mrs. Birdsall.
2nd Vice-President—A. Montizambert.
Secretary—E. L. Goodwill.
Treasurer—Peter Campbell.
Board of Managers—Officers of the city and the clergymen of the city. Mesdames Best, Peck, Garvin, Davis, Wards, O'Sullivan, Montgomery, Potter, Hughes-Charles, Harding, Lloyd, Dr Jessie Birnie, Miss Gow, Mrs. R. F. McWilliams, Miss Halliday, Miss Dickson, Mrs. Hazen Ritchie, Dr. Geo. Burnham, D. Hughes-Charles, John Butcher, Magistrates Edmison and Dumble.
Agent—Geo. Cochrane.

Mrs. Garvin brought up the question of the unemployed poor and advocated the securing of employment for men who were able to work, in preference to giving them money, and there was some discussion over this point, after which a committee, composed of the president, treasurer, J. H. Burnham, and Agent Cochrane, was appointed to take up the matter with the city council.

Mr. Cochrane pointed out that in connection with the giving out of Christmas baskets, the work was to be done this year by the relief officer, to prevent over-lapping.

Mr Matthews, however, thought that Mr. Cochrane should supervise the cases in which the society was interested.

"I would rather see a home with two baskets than another without any," he remarked.

The meeting adjourned after this point had been settled.

What more appropriate Christmas present than 5 lbs., 10 lbs., 30 lbs. or 50 lbs. of "Salada" Tea in original cases? You can purchase this from your grocer in "Brown" Label at 30c. per lb., or "Blue" Label at 40c. per lb., or the very finest quality in "Gold" Label at 60c. per lb. Your gift will be appreciated three times a day as long as it lasts. 12,75,19

CHURCH SERVICES TO-MORROW IN THE DIFFERENT CHURCHES

ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL.— At St. Peter's Cathedral there will be three masses celebrated:—

At 8 a.m., Low Mass; at 9.15 a.m., Children's Mass; at 10.30 a.m., High Mass; at 7 p.m., Vespers with sermon.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH — Rev. J. C. Davidson, Rector.
4th Sunday in Advent.
8.30 a.m. Holy Communion.
11 a.m. Matins and Sermon.
Hymns 82, 88, 256, 263.
Venite, 23; Magnificat, ... Benedictus; Benedictus, 24b.
Sentences at Offertory: "While we have time," "Not Every One." (Rogers)
3 p.m. Sunday School, Bible Classes.
Junior Brotherhood of St. Andrew.
4 p.m.
7 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.
Hymns 81, 85, 86, 19.
Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis: Chants 166, 4b.
Anthem: "Hark! The Glad Sound." (E. V. Hall)

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH. — Rev. Mr. Langfeldt, M. A., Rector.
4th Sunday in Advent.
11 a.m. Matins and Holy Communion.
3 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Class.
7.00 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.
Weeknight Service, Wednesday, at 8 p.m.
Christmas Services: Holy Communion at 7 and 8 a.m., noon, and Morning Prayer at 10.30.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH.—Corner of Rubidge and Aberdeen Streets.
Rev. H. E. Trumpour, M.A., B.D., Rector.
4th Sunday in Advent.
11 a.m. Matins and Sermon.
3 p.m. Sunday School.
7 p.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon.
The Rector will preach at both services to-morrow.

CHARLOTTE STREET METHODIST Church—Rev G W Henderson, pastor
11 a.m. Subject: "God's Great Gift to His children." Music led by Junior Sunday School Choir.
2.30 p.m. Bible School and the Brotherhood. Xmas Lesson—Luke 2: 1-20.
7 p.m. Subject: "His Name 'Wonderful.'"
Monday, 8 p.m. Epworth League
Wednesday: The Xmas stories with prayer and praise.
No Guild Meeting on Friday night.

MARK STREET METHODIST CHURCH. — Rev. C. H. Coon, pastor.
Sunday School at 2.45.

GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH — Rev. Edgar A. Pearson, B.A., Pastor.
Sermons for the Christmas season.
11 a.m. Subject: "The Genealogy of Jesus."
2.30 p.m. Sabbath School. The following Bible Classes will meet:
Inthea (Men's). Teacher: the Pastor.
Onward (Ladies'). Teacher: Mr. Switzer.
Welcome (Young Ladies'). Teacher: Mrs. Stubbs.
Friendly (Young Men). Teacher: Mr. Robertson.
7 p.m. Subject: "What if there were no Christ."

ST. JAMES METHODIST — Rev. H. M. Manning, Pastor.
Regular Morning Church Service and Sunday School in the afternoon.
There will be no service at night.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH — Rev. Robt. Pogue, Pastor.
Mr Pogue will teach the "Mitto Adult Bible Class." Inspector Morgat will teach the Young Men's Class. The Guild will meet at 8.15 Sabbath evening.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH. — Presbyterian, corner of Rubidge and Brock streets, Rev. Jas. G. Potter, B.A., pastor
Usual Services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
The Pastor will conduct both services.
2 p.m. Adult Bible Classes and Sabbath School.

KNOX CHURCH — Rev. H. J. Keith, B.D., M.A.
Morning Subject: "A Divine Impossibility." Communion Service and Missionary Offering.
3.00 p. m. Young Men's Guild and Sunday School.
Rev. Dr. McKay will speak.
Evening Subject: "What it means to be a member of the Church."

THE MURRAY STREET BAPTIST CHURCH — Rev. J. R. Webb, pastor.

MORNING
Organ Prelude: "As with Gladness Men of Old." (Ashmall).
Carol: "Born in Bethlehem." (Matthews)
Anthem: "God from on High hath Heard (Turner).
Solo: "Christmas" (Shelly).
Miss Pilling.
Offertory: "Chant du Berger" (Lavigne).
Quartet: "Crown Him King" (Gabriel)
Mrs. Miller, Miss Kidd,
Mr. Raddon, Mr. Ferguson.
Postlude: "March of Magi" (Dubois)
Sunday School and Bible Classes, 3 p.m.

EVENING
Organ Voluntary: "Song of Thanksgiving" (M. B. Plant).
Carol: "In the Field" (Farmer).
Anthem: "Behold! I bring you Good Tidings" (Churchill).
Solo: "Babe of Bethlehem" Miss Kidd
Violin Obligato: Miss Hope Miller.
Offertory: "Christmas Reverie."
Quartet: "Since Jesus Came." (Gabriel).
Mrs. Miller, Mrs. Hunt.
Miss Pilling, Miss Jackson.
Postlude: "Toccatto in C minor" (E. Healey)

PARK STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. W. C. Riddiford, Pastor.
Special Christmas Services and music by choir.
11 a.m. Subject: "What is Christmas?"
Anthem: "Thee we Adore," by E. S. Lorenz.
Ladies' Trio: "Come! Thou Long Expected Jesus."
2 p.m. Bible school and Pastor's Bible class.
7 p.m. Subject: "The Birthday of Joy."
Anthem: "Calm on the Listening Ear of Night," by Carver B. Adams.
Male Quartette: "Bethlehem Star," by B. Wilson.
Mr. J. C. Miller, Choir leader.
All made welcome.
Annual Christmas Tree Entertainment on Wednesday evening the 23rd at 8.

BETHANY CHURCH—Regular services morning and evening, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Bible School at 3 p.m.

GOSPEL HALL — Corner of George and Brock Streets.
The Sunday School will be held at three o'clock. Any children not attending any school are heartily welcome.
Evangelist Gilchrist will speak again to-morrow night, his subject being: "Open Book and Closed Door." The Gospel Male Trio will assist in the service and Mr. G. W. Mulligan will sing.

ASSEMBLY HALL — W. P. Douglas will preach in the Assembly Hall under the old Opera House, George street, to-morrow night at 7. All welcome. No collection.

SALVATION ARMY CITADEL — 226 Simcoe street. Bell telephone 440. Staff Capt. and Mrs. Walton in charge.
1.30 a.m. Early Morning Prayer Service.
9.15 a.m. Bible Class
11.00 a.m. Holiness Address.

A Bicyclist Recommends Pe-ru-na.

He says: "I have been a bicyclist for over four years. Last spring I caught cold causing catarrh. I took Peruna, and am well. I often recommend Peruna to my friends."

Many Athletes Praise Pe-ru-na.

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MR. JOHN PERRAULT.

Mr. John Perrault, 339 Bordeaux street, Boulevard St. Paul, near Montreal, Canada, writes:

"I have been a bicyclist for over five years, and last spring I caught cold and did not take anything for it, for I thought it was not bad enough, but it came to catarrh. I was so discouraged that I didn't know what to do. I could not sleep; I always felt tired and troubled.

"Finally I began to take Peruna. After I had taken one bottle I felt better. I took another one, and now I am well. I would like to always feel as I do to-day. I often recommend Peruna to my friends."

Close Confinement.

Mr. G. W. Woodbury, Rogers, Ohio, formerly Captain and Center of the Hiram College Basket Ball Team, writes:

"There are times in the life of *every student* when excessive *study* and too *close confinement* and attention to the object in view will tell on your health.

"I have found that when body and mind alike are weary and refuse to work, a few doses of *Peruna restores lost strength* and invigorates one quicker and more permanently than anything I know.

"It gives one nerves of iron and muscles of steel, and assists the mental activities together with the physical to a wonderful degree."

The athlete knows the importance of being in fine form. Peruna is a valuable assistant to anyone who wishes to keep himself in vigorous health every day.

ASK YOUR DRUGGIST FOR A FREE PERUNA ALMANAC FOR 1909

HEARTY APPETITE BUT AFRAID TO EAT

Why Not Put an End to Your Stomach Trouble Forever?

Some people think they have indigestion, others Catarrh of the stomach, others Nervousness, Cancer or Dyspepsia, etc. Call it this if you will, but the real name for your trouble is Food Fermentation, with only partial digestion. Everything you eat turns to either Acid, Stomach gas or Stomach poison, which weaken the digestive organs, cannot make the gastric juice. Your food sours, is only half digested, and you become affected with loss of appetite, pressure and fullness after eating, burning sensation, a feeling of vomiting, heartburn, water brash and tenderness in the pit of the stomach, slimy tongue, bad taste in the mouth, constipation, nausea, rolling of gas, dizziness, sick headaches, mental depression and many other common symptoms.

You can cure all this by not eating, by not putting any food in your stomach to ferment; but how about the nourishment needed to sustain your bodily strength? If you are a stomach sufferer, either man or woman, young or old, whether you call it Indigestion or any other name, go now to your druggist and give 50 cents for a case of Pape's Diapepsin.

Every possible kind of stomach trouble is readily cured by Diapepsin, which takes right hold of the food in your stomach and digests it alone, without the help of the stomach, just as if your stomach wasn't there.

After a few day's use of Diapepsin your Stomach will again be in good working order, your meals will thoroughly digest and your intestines will be clean and fresh, and you will have no use for laxatives or liver regulators.

CHIPPING IN, FOR MOTHER.

In the old days, I remember, just about
this time of year,
Ere we scattered to the corners of this
good old hemisphere,
How we used to get together in a
corner and discuss
What we'd buy for mother, darling, as
a gift from all of us;
How we planned and talked it over,
and agreed it mustn't be
Any skimpy little present she'd get off
the Christmas tree,
But a set of furs or something that she
needed just as bad,
Maybe something she had wished for,
but somehow she'd never had.
We ordered Sis to buy the best there
was, an' take no other,
For we didn't care about expense when
chipping in for mother.

It was a custom in our house—we all
of us agreed
It wasn't right to make her gifts of
things she didn't need;
That she'd appreciate one thing with
all our love combined:
A Sunday dress, maybe, or else a coat
with sealskin lined.
More than she would a dozen things,
and, looking back to-day,
It really seems to me that that was
just the proper way;
We pooled our money with our love,
and then we gathered round
To see how she would take it when her
Christmas gift she found;
And then the tears would fill her eyes,
and soon as she could see,
She'd always say "My loved ones, you
have spent too much on me."

'Most every year at Christmas time it
all comes back to me,
And when I get to thinking, sometimes
I can hardly see;
For the mist that settles in my eyes,
I'm wishing, wishing then
For the days before we children grew
to women and to men,
And I'm wishing she was with us, and
I'm wishing I could hear
Her "Merry Christmas, children!" now
the day is drawing near.
I would like to get together in the way
we used to do,
And plan for mother's present. Those
were happy times, we knew;
O, I wish, my little sister, you would
come unto your brother,
For it doesn't seem like Christmas since
we don't chip in for mother.

THE PURCHASE OF FAIR GROUNDS

"Ratepayer" Suggests Site South of the Present Grounds.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

Dear Sir: Please allow me space in your columns for a few words in regard to the City purchasing the Fair Grounds. I think it would not be wise for the City to involve itself to the amount of fifteen hundred dollars yearly, in the purchase of the Fair Grounds. It was the intention of the late Mrs. Nichols that the south end of this City should have a good large park free of cost, and I would like to see her good intentions carried out.

There are fifty acres fronting the Street Railway on the west side, and south of Braidwood avenue, which if an option was taken by a real estate dealer upon these five ten acre lots, perhaps they might be bought for less than thirty thousand dollars, and at the south of these five ten acre lots, there are about twenty acres fronting the river, which would make a nice park in honour of the late Mrs. Nichols.

It is said that a real estate dealer has offered a price for the Fair Grounds; if so, he might as well go on and purchase the land at the south which I have mentioned, and the City should take the late Mrs. Nichols' endowment and buy the twenty acres on the river front for a park.

If a real estate dealer can see his way clear to speculate in the above lands and make the purchase satisfactory to himself, he would have to extend George and Aylmer streets to the south, and lap our park at the river. Then the City might give the Agricultural Directors a space for building as the case may be, on the riverbank.

I remain, yours,
A RATEPAYER.

Dec. 18th, 1908.

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Our Hockey Boots are now interesting Hockey players.

We've the best of Hockey Boots. The regulation sort—the only kind that fills the requirements.

We have different grades but every Shoe is a correct one.

$1.50, 1.75, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00, 3.50

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HOCKEY BOOTS for Boys and Girls.

FELT FOOTWEAR for outside wear.

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NOW IS THE TIME

To make your selections for Xmas and New Years Presents. We have an elegant stock of goods that are just suitable. Fine Perfumes in Bulk, Bottles or Fancy Cases — from the best makers. Toilet, Brush, Comb, Mirror Cases, a great variety at all prices. Ebony Goods, a fine assortment. Also Lowney's Chocolates in fancy boxes selected for the holiday trade.

We invite you to call and inspect.

J. D. TULLY
DRUGGIST
Corner George and Hunter Streets, Peterborough

LILLIAN RUSSELL,

Who comes to the Grand next Wednesday, December 23rd, in the successful Comedy Drama "Wildfire," direct from a long run at the Liberty Theatre New York. Plan opens Monday morning at 10 a.m.

MERRY CHATTER OF THE MANY CHRISTMAS SHOPPERS

Trade Brisk and Money Seems to be Rather Plentiful—A Happy Druggist.

LADIES ARE IN THE LEAD

A stout lady with her furs hanging limply and crookedly from her left shoulder was the centre scrimmage of one group, and she was saying to a smaller, but no less determined lady, who seemed to be playing quarter-back inasmuch as she stood behind and received the parcels the older lady handed back: "There's just mother and Uncle Harry left, and I have that toilet set for mother. What are we going to get Uncle Harry? I can't remember if he smokes or not."

In another group two sweet-faced girls stood before a counter piled high with men's things. One girl laughed in a low merry tone and the other's colour seemed to be a little higher than usual. "Oh," she was saying to the salesgirl, whose attention she had just attracted, " I wanted something for my—something simple but good, for my, my brother." The other girl gracefully placed the edge of her little kerchief in her mouth and tried to keep a straight face, while the salesgirl looked tired, but sympathetic.

They were Christmas shoppers, gentle reader, and mayhap you were among them. They over-ran the stores this week and they bought many hundred dollars' worth of goods. They are still buying, early though it be, and they will continue to buy until the merry peal of the Yule-tide bells announces the festival of festivals nigh.

Most of the shops had received their holiday goods in plenty of time and the demand was met. Of course the real old-fashioned rush will be deferred, but a decided tendeney to begin Christmas shopping two weeks and more in advance of the holiday week noticeable.

This tendency is the source of delight to both merchants and clerks, and it also gives the wise early-birds a distinct advantage over the sluggards in point of variety of goods to select from. There are just as good bargains offering now as there will be the day before Christmas and there are many more of them.

Money is Plentiful

"I haven't noticed any shortage of money among the shopping public," said one large merchant yesterday. "Of course there is not the same indiscriminate buying we had a couple of years ago at this time, when people would walk in and look over the stock, pick out what suited them best, have it wrapped up, give their address and then ask, as an after-thought, how much it cost. They are a little more careful about the price now than that, but we are selling expensive stuff right and left and having no trouble about the prices."

Pretty Good Old World

Late last night a George street druggist was found in his office at the back of his store with a cash book and a ledger at his elbow and a broad grin of satisfaction on his face.

"What's the joke?" asked the visitor. "Rich uncle left you a legacy or your mining stock panned out?"

"No," said the man of drugs, still smiling, "just general principles. Pretty good old world this we're living in!"

"'Tis for druggists as long as they don't take any of their own pills. But why the dimples?"

"Well, if you'll keep it strictly under your hat, I don't mind saying that this little old store is coining money just now. Best Christmas trade I've had and getting better all the time. I was just figuring whether I'd buy a six-cylinder limousine or three run-abouts. I suppose it wouldn't be just the thing to buy a flying machine yet."

"Behave, behave," said the visitor, reflecting the druggist's grin, "anchor your flying machine for a minute and whisper me this: What is the trade good in?"

"Why, in everything in the way of Christmas goods. People are buying already and nobody has his money riveted down. The only customer I've had so far who had trouble getting separated from the price was an old boy from down east, who came in to buy a gallon of perfume. What he really wanted was kerosene judging by the coin he was offering along this line of sueculation, but I finally sold him a cheap line at fifty cents and even he got the money loose without using a chisel.

One or two merchants were found who pretended to be having a hard time, but the majority of the dealers in all lines were smiling with the delighted druggist and if they delivered themselves of any comment at all it was in the tenor of the gentleman who said: "I vonder where these Ghristtians get all the money ve get from dem?"

Ladies to the Fore

It is noticeable that the early shoppers are largely women. The men do not seem to take much stock in the old adage about the early bird getting the worm. Perhaps some of them have found that once in a while the worm gets the early bird. However, this may be, the shoppers who are snapping up gifts just now are mainly women. The stores are full of beautiful suggestions and the variety is even greater and even more bewildering than it was last year. But the shoppers do not look as though they found it a matter for worry. Naturally there are the little debates as to whether a necktie or a box of cigars will tickle Percy the more. But this adds zest to the feminine shopping and doubtless it will be all the same to Percy unless his particular feminine friends have unusual feminine taste in turkey-cock scarfs and Cadobgeos di Havanas.

"Are you sure these are Havana cigars?" she will ask sweetly of the cigar salesman.

"No madam," he will assure her solemnly, "those are not exactly Havanas, but they came from a small place just outside Havana."

"Oh, really; well I suppose there can't be much difference then and I do so like the pretthy box." (Poor Percy).

Xmas Suggestions

for her

Diamond Ring, 25.00, 35.00, 50.00
Pearl Ring, ... 3.50 to 18.00
Gold Bracelet ..... 5.00 to 35.00
Gold Parasol, very fine 5.00

for him

Solid Gold Cuff Links 4.00
Solid Gold Tie Pin at 3.00 to 15.00
Gold Locket with his initials 6.00
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One thing you can be sure of when purchasing from us is that you receive the very best quality.

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Mr. E. J. Bengough Addresses The South City Athletic Club

"The Symbol Life" the Subject—Humorous Pictures Presented.

NEPHEW OF CARTOONIST

The lecture given by Mr. Elven J Bengough, B.A., Registrar of McMaster University, Toronto, in the Park Street Baptist Church, held last night, under the auspices of the South City Athletic Association, was in every respect a great success. Mr. Bengough, who is a nephew of the great cartoonist and entertainer, Mr. J W Bengough, of Toronto, took for his subject "The Symbol Life' which he illustrated with chalk work, executed ina remarkably facile and clever manner, reminidng one of the lightning-like work of the founder of "Grip."

The lecture was replete with humour from start to finish and showed Mr. Bengough as the possesor of no mean talent in this respect. He began with a drawing depicting a street, showingt he various signs of the different trades, such as a barber's pole and a shoe maker's sign to illustrate his point that symbols are still used in our modern industries. He gave a very interesting history of these signs which delighted the audience.

Humorous stories were interspersed throughout the lecture. One story in particular showing the lack of imagination in what he termed an English "dude," evoked peals of laughter. In contrast to this he told a story of a man fishing to illustrate exaggeration of imagination using three pictures. The first shows a man fishing who does not catch any fish, but goes nevertheless to the hotel and tells the landlord that he had hooked one and indicates how long it was. He tells his wife and it has grown considerably. The third picture shows him dreaming of it at night.

Master Harold Mather sang two excellent solos and Miss Pentland favoured the audience with a pathetic recitation entitled "Jim, the Troop horse.

Rev. W C Riddiford proved an acceptable chairman. The proceedings terminated with the singing of the National Anthem.

POLICE WILL ENDEAVOUR TO HAVE THIS MAN SENT BACK TO ENGLAND

Alf King who informed the police that he had come to Canada from the Old Country some eighteen months ago, appeared before Magistrate Dumble at the police court this morning on a charge of vagrancy and pleaded guilty.

Chief Roszel supplied the information that King had been coming to the police station frequently for a night's lodging.

He thought that it would be a good case for deporting, and the Magistrate agreed with him.

King said that he had been working for a farmer in Emily for seventeen months, and that he had received $120 for his services in that time.

The magistrate decided to send King to gaol, while efforts will be made to have him sent back to England.

A LOCAL FIRM GETS CONTRACT

To Install Hot Water Plant in Lakefield School—Grove School Football Supper.

LATEST PERSONAL NEWS

Examiner Special

Lakefield, Dec. 16th— Mr Frank Wagner of Eyebrow, Alta., formerly of Lakefield, is in the village visiting friends.

Mr. Alfred Marshall of London, England, who has been spending the past couple of months in Lakefield left on Wednesday last for Toronto where he intends spending the winter.

Rev C R Spencer of Youngs' Point was in the village on Monday last.

Dr Hodgetts of Toronto Provincial Health officer passed through the village on Tuesday of last week on his way to inspect the lumber camps in Cavendish Township.

Miss Traill spent a few days in Peterborough visiting friends.

The opening of the new Methodist Church will take place on Friday afternoon next at 3.00 o'clock The service will be conducted by Rev S T Bartlett assisted by Rev. J Bedford and other ministers. At the conclusion of the services tea will be served in the basement of the church from five to seven. In the evening a good programme will be given in the church. Special services will be held in Sunday which will also be conducted by Rev. S T Bartlett.

Miss Penny leaves this week for Toronto where she intends to reside for the winter. She will be much missed by her many friends in Lakefield.

Rev A W Mackenzie and Miss winifred Mackenzie returned home on Friday last after spending a few days in Guelph, Ont.

Mrs Beasley, Mrs Davidson and Miss Margaret Davidson left on Tuesday for Rochester, N.Y.

The Grove School breaks up for the Christmas holidays on Saturday next.

Mr J H Sherin spent a few days in Toronto last week.

The contract for placing the hot water heating plant in the new addition to the public school has been given to Messrs F. J. R. MacPherson and Co. The contract price being $1,175.00. A portion of the old building will also be heated by hot water.

Miss Barbara Traill who has been living with her aunt Miss Traill for the past two years leaves on Thursday next for her home in Meakinaw, Sask.

The Grove Football supper which has been eagerly looked forward to by the boys as one of the great events of the year took place on Saturday evening last. The prizes won in the various sporting events were presented on this occasion.

POTVIN'S XMAS DELICACIES

You'll make no mistake if you select your fancy boxes of confectionery at Potvin's. Nothing nicer in the city than his fresh-made chocolates, creams, caramels and other delicious bon-bons. They are made of the best material and put up in beautiful boxes for dainty Xmas gifts. Don't buy any Christmas cakes until you have seen Potvin's, as well as his lovely buns, pastry and holiday lancies. 425 George street. 6d-117

NO MORE WAITING

Don't be a last-minute Do your Xmas shopping now Start in selecting before the pell-mell rush. Crowd Stratton's Bookstore to the pavement. Let it be a charge of the "glad" brigade day and night. Store open every evening. Gift-getting made easy, 'mid a downfall of prices. Magnificent stock of magnetic holiday goods

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Peterboro' Man Wins His Case And Hamilton Firm Must Not Infringe

Mr. D. W. Dumble appeared for Mr. Wm. Overend, in his action against Burrow, Stewart and Milne, of Hamilton, which was won by Mr. Overend. The Spectator, in reporting the case, says:

The action of Wm. Overend, Peterborough, for an injunction to restrain Burrow, Stewart & Milne, this city, from manufacturing a curry comb, thereby infringing his patent, and for $2,000 damages, lasted all yesterday afternoon and for four hours to-day, the judgment not being given until one o'clock. Overend secured a patent on a curry comb, and claimed that the local firm infringed on it. The defence was that the comb was not patentable. His lordship gave judgment for the plaintiff for $20.80 damages, which amount represented the royalty Overend would have received from the sale of his combs to his agents if the infringement had not taken place, granted the injunction to restrain the defendant from further infringement and ordered that the defendants pay all costs.

Dainty, Useful Gifts---These Beautiful

Net and Muslin Waists

Style, that priceless part of woman's dress, is so inseparable a feature of the beautiful Waists in this special collection that no women would deny their appropriateness for Christmas presentation—they are a treat to look at, a delight to receive.

The styles picture the fashions of the minute—there is nothing newer, nothing more exclusive or dressier. Finest net in white, ecru and black—richly embroidered, and pretty dotted muslin in white and colours—trimmings in exquisite taste; all these and much more are blended in the beauty of these charming Waists.

The assortment is a broad one and affords an excellent selection from 1.50 to 15.00 in detail, as follows:—

BLACK SILK WAIST—Made of fine quality of Chiffon Taffeta, V front and high collar of narrow Val. Lace outlined on Taffeta with French knots, sleeves made of narrow Val Lace and Taffeta cap at shoulder, outlined with fancy straps and with French knots. Each..... **11.25**

Black Net Waist
Made of fine quality of Nett with pin tucked front and shaped piece of Val Insertion and Lace, silk lined and mousquetaire sleeve. Each **5.00**

Mull Waists
Made of French Spot and Cross-barred Mull with a Panel of Filet Embroidery down front, high collar made of Val. Lace and fancy shaped cuff. Each **5.00**

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Net Waist
Made of fine quality Brussels Net in Paris shade, trimmed with Guipure and Val. Lace, long sleeves and pointed cuff, silk lined, each **5.00**

French Mull Waist
Made of very fine quality of French Mull, yoke made of alternate squares of fine tucking and Swiss embroidery outlined with Val. insertion back and front, high pointed collar of Lace. **5.00**

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BENEFITS TO THE CITY

To the Editor of the Examiner:

Dear Sir,—As the time is drawing near when the vote will be taken by the people of Peterborough for the purchase of the present Exhibition Grounds, I hope that all good, true and loyal citizens will come out on January 1st., next, and vote for the purchase of the Exhibition Grounds, as I fully believe that it will prove one of the best assets the City will have and the property will be increasing in value every year. It is one of the best Exhibition Grounds in this part of the Province, and as it is quite necessary for an exhibition to be held in Peterborough, we must have grounds to hold that Exhibition on. At the present time the grounds are under lease, but that lease will soon expire and the Directors of the Exhibition do not feel like spending money on new buildings until the City buy the grounds. When the city owns the grounds the Directors are ready to go ahead and put up new buildings and improve the grounds and make Peterborough Exhibition the best in this part of the Province, and I believe in a few years that this Exhibition can be run for one week and you all know what that would mean to Peterborough. It would bring a great many people to our city and those people would spend a lot of money here, just as the National Exhibition at Toronto does, and we all benefit by it. Then, again, these grounds could be rented out for lacrosse matches, baseball, football and many other sports and when not in use could be used for a park. The grounds are very conveniently situated and the street cars running right to the gates. There is another matter to be thought of in the buying of these grounds, the stables, sheds and buildings are there and go with the grounds, if new grounds were bought in any other part of the city these would all have to be built and that would cost a lot of money. The President and Directors of the Peterborough Exhibition have worked hard without pay to make it a success for the benefit of the public generally, so go to the polls on January 1st and mark your ballot in favour of buying the present Exhibition Grounds and show the President and Directors that you appreciate their efforts and it will give them renewed energy to go ahead and put up buildings and present to you a first-class and up-to-date Exhibition.

Thanking you Mr. Editor for the use of your valuable space, I remain,

Yours truly,
J. J. TURNER, SR.

Peterborough, Dec. 18, 1908.

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GOOD-WILL-TO-MEN STAMPS BOVRIL AND TEA SALE

In Behalf of the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives, at Richard Hall & Son's Store, Under the Guidance of the King's Daughters.

With a commendable spirit, quite in harmony with this "Goodwill toward men" season of the year, the firm of Messrs. Richard Hall & Son have done a generous act worthy of endorsement.

It seems the King's Daughters, a local charitable organization, have secured the sale in Peterborough of the Good-Will-to-Men Stamps, in aid of the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives. They have also taken up the good work of providing additional revenue for the maintenance of this Hospital, by the sale of Bovril and Tea—every cent from the sale of which is to be applied to this benevolent object.

In order to have these articles placed on sale at some central place where a large number of generous buyers might always be counted upon, the King's Daughters secured the hearty co-operation of Richard Hll & Son, who gratuitously placed their store at their service in order to help on the good work. The firm has also, at its own expense, fitted up two booths in the store—one in the main isle near the door, for the sale of the Stamps and the other in the centre aisle, for the sale of Bovril and Tea. Both these booths have been tastefully furnished and decorated by the store's expert decorator, Mr. H C McDonald, who has made them very inviting and attractive quarters. The young ladies selling the stamps are in nurse's costume and those in the tea room are dressed in Japanese costume.

This is the Christmas season, when every hand is open for good deeds, and every contribution that can possibly be spared will be gladly applied in assisting to maintain this Free Hospital for Consumptives at Muskoka. The little Christmas stamps are sold for one cent each, and it is said that a million is to be sold before Christmas. The stamps are red and white and every penny from their sale as well as from the sale of the Bovril and Tea at Richard Hall & Son's store will be used in behalf of the poor patients at the Consumptive Hospital and for lighting the dread White Plague.

CAMERA CLUB MEETING ON MONDAY EVENING

To be Held at Home of Mrs. A. McCarthy, Concession Street.

The next meeting of the Camera Club will be on Monday evening at the residence of Mrs A McCarthy 612 Concession street and will take the form of a social evening. Rev. Dr Marsh, of Springville, will give a ganterm slide exhibition and the subject is 'A trip to the West Indies' All members are expected to take a friend with them. Refreshments will be served and the prizes won at the exhibit yesterday at the Y. W. C. A. will be presented.

"WILDFIRE" PRINCIPAL TRAVELS IN SECLUSION

Miss Lillian Russell Has Her Own Private Car and Cab.

Fre actresses of to-day travel in such a sumptuous manner as Miss Lillian Russell, who appears in the great racing comedy "Wildfire," at the Grand Opera House on Wednesday night, of next week. Miss Russell has her own private care for her own personal use. She has two maids and is surrounded by every luxury. She travels from her car to the theatre in a cab, Mr. Gibbs having the contract for this work in Peterborough. She will leave the car at 6.45 p. m., and return to it immediately after the performance.

MY OLD RICE LAKE CANOE.

'Twas strange to meet in a city street
With a banner exposed to view,
Extolling the fame of the dear old name,
Of an old Rice Lake canoe.

I'm afloat once more, as I've oft before,
And with stroke both deft and true,
In my heart a song I paddle along
In my old Rice Lake canoe.

With paddle adrip I make the trip
O'er the waters dark and blue;
I am here a king is the song I sing
In my old Rice Lake canoe.

But a jostle rude brings another mood,
And the paddle held fast as glue
Falls down and away till some other day,
In an old Rice Lake canoe.

J. R. McCREA

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Special round trip tourist rates in effect to principal Winter Resorts. For full information as to rates, routes, etc., apply to any Grand Trunk ticket agent. 6d-118

THE MISSION BAND WERE "AT HOME"

Enjoyable Time in George Street Sunday School Last Night.

The members of the Mission Band of the George Street Methodist Church were "at home" to their friends in the school room yesterday afternoon between 4 and 7 o'clock, and a large number took advantage of the opportunity to be present and had a very enjoyable time. The tea room was in charge of Mrs. M. A. Turner and Mrs. Cruikshanks, assisted by members of the band, and the refreshments served were much appreciated. A very enjoyable musical programme was given in which the following took part with much acceptance: Miss Maggie Weart, Miss Etta Kempt, the Misses Helen and Hannah Greaves, Miss Irene Mitchell, Miss Lillian Fife, and Miss Margery Mann.

A doll table in charge of members of the band was well patronized during the evening.

Annual Meeting of Peterborough Lodge No. 135 A.O.U.W. will be held next Tuesday Evening, Dec. 22, in Foresters' Hall, Simcoe Street, at 8 p.m. Business, Election of Officers. 2d-118

THE CANOPY IS VERY USEFUL AND DECORATIVE

Entrance to the Grand Has New Protection to Patrons.

One of George street's new adornments is the canopy over the entrance to the Grand Opera House. It greatly enhances the appearance of that block and gives the theatrre a decided metropolitan effect. Its purpose is, however, more than ornamental, for under its shelter on a stormy night patrons have a chance to enter their cabs, or if walking, to put up their umbrellas and button storm coats before they meet the gale.

A Pretty Woman Always Has Favourites

And her favourite 'Xmas Store for Holiday Gifts for Men is LEBRUN'S. All the young men acknowledge this.

In choosing Gifts for Men remember they are good judges of style, qualities, etc.

You can depend on "His" approval if bought at LEBRUN'S.

COLEMAN BROS. BEST DISPLAY

Christmas Dainties of the Most Artistic and Fascinating Character—New Illuminated Sign.

No person interested in the confectioner's art can afford to miss the meritorious display of cakes and confectionery shown by Coleman Bros. The two bewitching show wwindows of this enterprising firm's store, on George street, have been growing more and more Christmasy every day, until the exhibits of to-day is the finest they have ever made. The really artistic iced work on the cakes displayed has attracted crowds of admirers by and has been highly spoken of by good judges. The delicate confections, fancy candies and chocolates are also much admired. Beautifully designed bon bon boxes for Christmas giving are shown in a pretty decorated booth, and are in various assorted sizes and designs. In fact, all through the store is a sparkle and glow which tells Merry Christmas is near with its snow. Already the sleighs and its tiny reindeer, with Santa Claus shouting the road for to clear.

A new and attractive illuminated sign has just been placed over the store door, which has the intermittent dights that cannot fail to catch the eye.

ORDINATION AT ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL TO-MORROW MORNING

To-morrow at St. Peter's Cathedral at the 10.30 o'clock mass, Rev. Victor McFadden will be ordained priest. The ceremony will be performed by His Lordship Bishop O'Connor. It is two years since this last young man was received into the priesthood. Rev. Father O'Leary was then ordained. He is now located at North Bay.

The Royal Theatre Was Opened To Large Crowds This Morning

This morning the Royal Theatre Peterborough's most recent addition to its places of public amusement, opened under most auspicious conditions. At 10 o'clock the wide front doors were thrown open to admit the scores of people who hor fully an hour previous had crowded the pavement in front. The general opinion, as gathered from expressions passed by patrons on their way out was to the unanimous effect that the Royal was born to raise to a lusty career. The main portion of the morning's patrons was naturally gathered from the farming community as they left the market. As the good people entered the building looks of incredulour surprise were cast at the automatically operated electric piano. 'How does that instrument work" And others would remark, "Why look at those keys pounding away without anyone at the piano," Such remarks were frequent As the crowds that thronged the place made their exit, exclamations of delight over the splendid performance were heard on all sides. The pictures shown were of high class, in fact the best ever seen in Peterborough and fully equal, if not superior to those shown in the best theatres in Montreal and Toronto, and leading American cities. Mr. Pappas the enterprising proprietor of the Royal, is to be congratulated not only on the splendid place of amusement he has provided but on the generous and general appreciation displayed by the public of Peterborough. On Monday singers and other musicians will arrive from Detroit and Chicago and appear at the performances that day and on Tuesday. Mr. Pappas has been fortunate in his choice of employees at the theatre having given employment where possible to local citizens.

The Christmas Turkey Was Sold On The Market In Large Numbers

Turkeys were the top-liners at the market this morning. There were piles and piles of them all in a row, and behind this precious barricade were rows of farmers' wives with one eye on their money bags and the other on the prepared poultry. There were turkey carcasses that sold from $1.25 up to $2.50. The former were adapted to newlyweds, just making a meal for two, the others—well there were some mastodons that would gratify the appetites of a family of 12.

Butter was down to 26, and eggs sold at from 25 to 27 cents. Next to turkeys, geese were most plentiful. The price ranged between $1.00 and $1.25. Many a mother expended her strength carrying home the Christmas turkey or goose; the wiser housewives worked a graft on their grocer by having him send it with the regular week-end order.

Beef was plentiful at five and six cents, pork at ten and eleven. Altogether the market was well up to the Xmas standard.

Two Hounds Lost During Hunting Season Brought Back To The City

Mr. Hugh Cochrane came down to the city yesterday with two hounds, belonging to Mr. H. Winch. They had become lost during the deer hunting season and the party had come away without recovering them, fully expected that some of the farmers back in that country would find them and return them to the owner. Mr. Winch is a member of the Ketchecum Lake Hunt Club, and it was while they were back on the chase that the dogs were lost.

Deer Have Returned

Mr Cochrane states that the deer are now quite plentiful. It seems that just previous to the opening of the late autumn season they go back farther north, and are rather scarce when the hunters start out on their trails. They return again at this season and remain almost throughout the entire year.

ARGYLE L.O.L. NO. 494 ELECTS OFFICERS

Keene Orange Lodge Holds Regular Meeting—Other News Notes.

Examiner Special

Keene, Dec. 17.—Court Otonabee, No. 1319, I.O.F., will meet on Wednesday, Dec. 23rd. A full attendance is requested as there is important business to transact.

Argyle L.O.L. No. 494, held its regular meeting on Dec. 9th. The following officers were elected and installed:

Bro. Thos. McIntyre... ... . W.M.
" Wm Pue... ... ...D.M.
" Andrew Burnie... .....Rec.-Sec.
" Duncan McGregor... ...Fin. Sec.
" Wm. Wedlock, Sr. ..... Treas.
" Wm. Chapman... ... ... Chap.
" Harry Noyes... ... ... D of C
" Fred Burnham... ... .1st Lec.
" H P Mather... ... ...2nd Lec.
" Wm Wedlock, Jr... ... .1. T.
" H Mather... ... ...O. T.

Com.—Messrs. Hope, Stillman, Kempt, Brown and Drummond.

The Farmers' Institute on Saturday night was well attended as usual, the hall being full. A good programme was given apart from the addresses of the speakers which were much appreciated. The following took part —Misses Weir, Bryce and Harrison, Mr. Fred Weir and Master Jos McCarthy. Mrs. Colin Campbell, of Windsor was present and gave an address in the interest of Women's Institute work. After the meeting was over a meeting of the ladies was called, and a Women's Institute organized with the following officers:

President—Mrs. Colin McFarlane.
Vice-Pres.—Miss M Eason.
Sec.—Miss Mary Miller.

It was decided that the meetings would be held on the third Thursday in each month at 2.30 o'clock p.m., the first meeting to be held next Thursday, Dec. 17, at the home of Mrs. Wm. Campbell. About one dozen ladies joined.

The annual New Year's tea and concert will be held as usual at Zion on New Year's night.

Don't forget the Scotch concert on Dec. 30.

Mr. Robt. Dixon, of Bancroft, is visiting his brother Mr. John Dixon, of Drummond's Station.

Mrs. Fite, of Iowa, is visiting her brother, Mr. Andrew Robinson, of Villiers.

Mr Fred Dixon returned from the West last week.

Mr. Jimmie Lundy, of Peterborough, was in Keene to-day renewing acquaintances.

Miss Clarry and Miss Susie Campbell, of Peterborough, were in Keene Saturday.

Mr. Gus Bolin spent Sunday in Warsaw.

Mr. John Throop is having a sale of his farm stock and implements on Friday, Dec. 18, sale to commence at one o'clock. Mr. Throop has rented his farm and is moving to Peterborough.

A Good Overcoat And Suit of Underwear

Is the very first thing to think about this cold weather.

LEBRUN & CO. are just bubbling over with bargains in these two lines. No use shivering any longer.

Don't! Don't! Let this best opportunity slip by. Ask for any style or size at LEBRUN'S.

CHURCH SERVICES AND NOTICES

St. Andrew's Church.

Rev. J. G. Potter will officiate at St. Andrew's Church in the morning and Rev. Dr. McKay, F. M. Secretary will address the congregation at night. Miss Frances Manning will sing in the morning and Mr. J. E. Firth at night. Miss Manning and Mr. Gordon Wright will sing in the morning and a male quartette at night.

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PARALYSIS ATTACKS PONTYPOOL MAN WHO IS WELL KNOWN HERE

The friends of Mr. William Brisbin, who resides a short distance north of Pontypool, will regret to learn that he is suffering from a rather severe attack of paralysis, which has manifested itself in the entire left side of his body. Three doctors have been attending him, one of them a specialist from Toronto, and last night word was received in the city that he was showing a slight improvement. He is about fifty years of age and has been enjoying good health.

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All this season's latest styles, worth regular 50c, 75c and $1.00.

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See our south window and come early Friday, as well as Saturday, if you can.

Store open in the evenings next week.

Harry Adams

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It saves time—it saves money—it saves your horse. The calk being adjustable, the shoe has not got to be removed to be re-sharpened.

The calk being made of case-hardened steel and being triangular, having three sharp edges, it has been tested out to more than equal 9 ordinary re-sharpened shoes.

Your horse always having perfectly sharp calks is thoroughly protected against slipping.

The Shoe, and all the parts are made of the best material The fittings—that is the calks, clamps and cap screws—are renewable at very small cost, while the shoe itself is practically indestructible.

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Fine Young Porkers, pea fed for the occasion.

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In Canned Goods, Pickles and Table Delicacies we can sell as cheap as anyone in the trade.

Try our Home Made Mince Meat for your pies. 3 lbs for 25c. Chopped Suet for your pudding.

Thanking all my patrons for past orders and soliciting a continuance of same. I wish all a Merry Christmas and a Prosperous New Year.

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SOUTH END

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Having opened a Boot and Shoe Repair Shop, at 348 George Street, I am prepared to give prompt and careful attention to the work you intrust me. My prices are moderate, and I solicit a call.

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BOUDREAU DENIES THE ALLEGATION

Maintains His Denial of Receiving $3,000 Graft Money.

CHARGE IS CORROBORATED

Accountant Lawrence of People's Bank Declares That Boudreau Was In Quebec Bank at the Time When Latter Says He Was Not In That City—Holliday Has Forgotten —Some More Developments.

Ottawa, Dec. 19.—The sensational allegation that James Holliday of Quebec had paid $3,000 to J. B. A. Boudreau of the Marine Department, was not made any clearer at the Cassels' enquiry yesterday.

A. R. Lawrence, accountant of the People's Bank at the time, swore that he saw Boudreau in the bank at Quebec on two occasions at the end of May or beginning of June. He also saw Van Felsen, who made the allegation, go out and get some large bills, but saw no money paid.

Boudreau's reply to this later testimony in effect was a reiteration of the denial that he was in Quebec in May or June and that in making his statement Lawrence was influenced by Van Felsen.

Holliday, the man who is alleged to have signed the checks, persists in saying that "to the best of my knowledge, I did not do so at all."

E. G. Odell of Quebec, grandson of Agent Gregory, said he had a private arrangement in respect to the sale of contractors' supplies with Mr. Ritchie of Quebec. Witness sold Ritchie, who was on the patronage list, and the latter sold to the Government. His grandfather knew nothing of the arrangement.

Witness deposed that he often made 50 per cent. profit on his sales and Ritchie made as much, too. He also worked for J. J. Murphy and got a commission on orders secured, while Mr. Gregory got 5 per cent. on money advanced in paying of drafts.

There were some interesting developments at the afternoon session. John McKelvey of Kingston, continuing his evidence in respect to house fittings supplied to J. F. Fraser, the suspended superintendent of light and payments therefor. There was an entry in his book of "J. F. Fraser, $1,591, note." The witness said that it was a mistake. It should have read "check." It was a draft on the Bank of Montreal from either British Columbia or Winnipeg, which was received in October last.

R. O. Mackay of Hamilton was further examined in regard to the payment to him of $7,500 for the steamer Goldspie, which was used to deliver light house supplies in 1906. He said the first offer to the Department was $5,800, but it was for the steamer Myles, a smaller vessel. Witness admitted that he had the influence of friends. That was always the case when possible.

The Myles was placed in commission and subsequently the firm offered the Lake Michigan at $6,000, but the Department would not accept. Mr. Mackay then came to Ottawa, where he saw Mr. Zimmerman, Mr. Brodeur and Col. Gourdeau. He offered the Golspie for $10,000, but after some negotiations it was agreed that she would be hired for three years at $7,500.

This continued till the Golspie was lost.

"What contracts or arrangements did you make with officials of the Department?"

"We don't do business in that way."

Sinks Off Goodwin Sands.

Dover, Eng., Dec. 19.—The Swedish steamer Lindholman, 803 tons, went down off Goodwin Sands yesterday morning following a collision with the German steamer Friedricke-Muller, 1,790 tons, from Grimsby, for Stockholm. Eight of the crew of the Lindholman were drowned.

The Goodwin Sands are known to mariners as "The Sailors' Graveyard." They are a series of dangerous shoals about five miles east of Kent, from which they are separated by the Downs. Wrecks there are of more or less frequent occurrence.

Tacoma Steamer Captured.

Prince Rupert, B.C., Dec. 19.—Captain Newcomb, commander of the Dominion fisheries protection cruiser Kestrel, recently overhauled and captured the Tacoma fishing steamer Seapora for an alleged infraction of the Dominion fisheries regulations. The steamer was released on payment of a fine of $1,600.

Horseman Sent to Central.

Welland, Dec. 19.—Arthur Willis, who is a well-known horseman at Fort Erie, was yesterday convicted of having received stolen goods, and was sentenced by Judge Wells to one year in the Central Prison. Fort Erie, Kenilworth and Lexington horsemen testified as to his good character.

Skull Fractured.

Welland, Dec. 19.—William McLaughlin, a moulder for the Ontario Iron & Steel Co., was hit by a falling pulley Thursday night and suffered a severe fracture of the skull. He was removed to a Buffalo hospital, but it is not anticipated that he can recover.

Windsor Man Appointed.

Vancouver, Dec. 19.—G. S. Haines of Windsor, Ont., has been appointed city engineer of North Vancouver.

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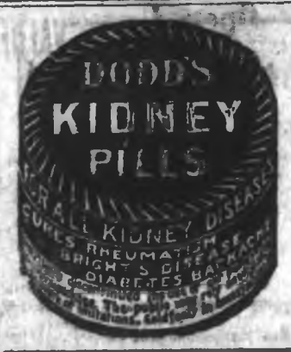

THREE MEN HANGED.

Triple Execution Takes Place in New Westminster.

New Westminster, B.C., Dec. 19.—Without assistance, James Jenkins, negro; Jack Pertella, negro; Lee Chung, Chinaman, walked to the gallows yesterday morning at 8 o'clock, and took the drop without a murmur. Only when Radcliffe tightened the rope about Jenkins' and Chung's neck did they commence to lose nerve, but Pertella never moved a muscle. They dropped together while a Salvation Army officer repeated prayers. Sheriff Armstrong giving the signal, and Radcliffe pulling the bolt.

The three men slept well Sunday night, Pertella remaining in bed till the guards roused him out to go to the gallows. He smiled at the crowd of seventy-five before the cap was pulled down.

Jenkins murdered Mrs. Morrison at Hazelmere, Pertella killed a mulatta woman in Vancouver, and Chung murdered another Chinaman. Chung and Pertella confessed; Jenkins did not.

Swindler at Brockville.

Brockville, Dec. 19.—A stranger going under the name of J. T. Jamieson, advertising for salesmen for whom he had good positions, operated a new and novel method of catching the unsuspecting in Brockville.

Several young men applied at his headquarters in a leading hotel. He had jobs for them all, but stipulated that each should accompany him to a bank for the purpose of identifying him so that he might cash checks, purporting that he had a bank account in Montreal.

Three victims nibbled, one of which he caught for a "ten spot." The other two checks were for sums of $25, but the bank managers became suspicious and refused to honor the paper.

It turns out that he has no bank account in Montreal, so a telegram to the police says. There is a warrant for his arrest, but Jamieson has jumped this town.

Kaiser Swears Off Liquor.

London, Dec. 19.—The Kaiser has gone one step further in his policy of personal reform by becoming a teetotaler. He has pledged himself to abstain from all alcoholic drinks for the remainder of his life.

This ascetic vow would, according to strict etiquette, banish drink from all dinners at which the Emperor is present, but His Majesty, desiring not to compel his courtiers to follow his example, has prepared a temperance drink, like champagne, which he drinks while the others enjoy the real champagne.

When the Emperor is invited to dinner this special non-alcoholic drink is supplied to the host in advance and is served to the Kaiser in champagne bottles.

Probing Cause of Six Deaths.

Somerville, Mass., Dec. 19.—Pending the result of an examination of Mrs. Mary Kelleher of this city, now in jail at Cambridge, as to sanity, District Attorney Higgins has ordered an investigation into the causes of the deaths of six members of Mrs. Kelleher's family during the past three years. The specific charge against Mrs. Kelleher is that of arson. It is said that the insurance on the lives of the deceased was paid to Mrs. Kelleher. The persons who have died were Mrs. Kelleher's husband, son, two daughters and two sisters-in-law.

Representative at Rome.

Montreal, Dec. 19.—It is announced here that Mgr. L. A. Paquet, apostolic prothonotary, will leave at once for Rome, where he will permanently reside as the official representative of the Ecclesiastical Province of Quebec. In fact, it is necessary since Canada was taken out of the mission list. We must have a representative at the pontifical court for every ecclesiastical province, and Mgr. Paquet, one of the oldest men of the French clergy, will go to represent this province.

Airship Fails as a Night Terror.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 19.—Roy Knabenshue on Thursday night attempted to demonstrate how an airship could sail over a city unobserved under cover of darkness and destroy the city by the use of powerful explosives. His airship was easily discernible, however, and the whir of the motor and propeller could be heard a great distance. Knabenshue dropped a harmless bomb on the City Hall.

Brakeman Held Up.

Woodstock, Dec. 19.—A G.T.R. brakeman on a through freight west bound was the victim of a hold-up at the station here at 4 o'clock yesterday morning. He was about to climb on to the engine to assist in taking water when a man confronted him and at the point of a revolver demanded his money. The brakeman closed with his assailant, who got away.

Japanese Budget Pleases.

Yokohama, Dec. 19.—The Tokio budget has been received with general satisfaction throughout Japan. It is accepted as an indication of Premier Katsura's determination to maintain his position as an economist. An explanatory note announces that there would be an avoidance of foreign loans.

Murderous Quarrel Over Dead Dog.

Goldsboro, N.C., Dec. 19.—Ira Hatch, a prominent resident of Dudley, was shot and killed by Badger J. Bowden, mayor of Dudley, as the result of a quarrel over a dead dog. Bowden was seriously wounded by his victim's son.

ROOSEVELT APPEARS TO BE NERVOUS

He and Taft Will Investigate Condition of Canal.

CORPS OF EXPERTS TO GO

President-Elect's Trip to Panama Will Be For the Purpose of Examining the Lock System—Sea-Level Aqueduct May Still Have to Be Built Gatun Dam May Be Unsafe—Engineers Will Make Tests.

Washington, Dec. 19.—William H. Taft will be accompanied by a corps of expert engineers when he goes to Panama late in January for the purpose of investigating the work on the canal and deciding whether it shall be continued under the present system or whether it would be advisable to call a halt and begin construction of a sea level canal.

There were many stories as to the meaning of the sudden meeting between the President and President-elect.

Mr. Taft, it was finally admitted, came here of his own initiative to consult with the President about the Panama Canal, as this question has become one of the greatest concern to both the outgoing and the incoming President.

It was learned that Mr. Taft, when he goes to Panama, accompanied by several eminent engineers, will test finally whether the lock canal plan, with the questionable Gatun Dam, is to be continued, or whether, while, there is time, the plan shall be changed. It will thus be plain that the visit of the President-elect to Panama is to be of the most momentous importance.

The President, it is said, realizes that if he insists on the lock plan being continued and it should prove to be a failure, it will greatly reflect on his fame. There have been many disquieting things about the Gatun Dam scheme and the entire lock canal plan, including the constantly mounting figures of the total probable cost.

Woodstock-Guelph Trolley.

Woodstock, Dec. 19.—A. N. Warfield of Toronto, consulting engineer, was in the city yesterday arranging the preliminary work in connection with the construction of the proposed electric road between Woodstock and Guelph.

The proposed route is by way of Innerkip, Bright, Plattsville, New Hamburg, Baden and Berlin to Guelph, and it is proposed to run an hourly passenger service. The promoters of the scheme are said to be Plattsville men. A charter has been applied for and Woodstock may be asked to subscribe about $50,000 worth of stock.

Railways Ask Extension.

Ottawa, Dec. 19.—The following railway companies have given notice of their intention to ask for legislation granting extension of time: Brandon Transfer Railway; Alcock and Yukon; Athabaska; Ontario and Western; Algoma Central and Hudson Bay; Crawford Bay and St. Mary's. The last named company wishes to change its name to the British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba Railway Co. The Victoria and Barclay Sound Railway Co. is seeking for incorporation. The Western Canadian Life Assurance Co. is applying for incorporation.

Riddell Temporary Judge.

Ottawa, Dec. 19.—Judge Riddell of the Ontario High Court will act as judge of the Exchequer Court in the case of the Berlin Gramaphone Co. v. the Columbia Phonograph Co., now pending.

The following appointments to the bench are gazetted: C. J. Mickle, junior judge of Essex, Ont.; C. E. Hewson, district judge, Manitoulin; E. A. Wismer, junior judge of Simcoe, Ont.

Enthusiasm For Simon.

Cape Haytien, Hayti, Dec. 19.—The election of Anione Simon was received with numerous manifestations of enthusiasm in his favor yesterday morning. The te deum was chanted at the cathedral, followed by a reception in the salons. The local delegates to the congress, which elected Gen. Simon on Thursday, was received everywhere with rejoicing. There is no prospect of any disorder.

Dr. Bell's Experiments.

Washington, Dec. 19.—Dr. Alexander Graham Bell, the inventor, left here yesterday for Hammondsport, N.Y., where he will witness experiments with the Silver Dart, the fourth machine of the Aeronautic Experiment Association. Dr. Bell has decided to continue experiments with his tetrahedren machine at Badeck, N.S., and will go to that place from Hammondsport.

British Ship Sunk.

New York, Dec. 19.—The steamship Catalene, bound from Boston, last night collided with and sunk the British steamship Daghestan south of Gedney Channel. The crew of the Daghestan was saved, and the Catalene anchored apparently not greatly damaged.

Knox, Secretary of State.

Augusta, Ga., Dec. 19.—W. H. Taft, President-elect of the United States last night announced the appointment of U. S. Senator Philander C. Knox of Pennsylvania as Secretary of State in his Cabinet.

The announcement followed the receipt by Mr. Taft of a telegram which came late yesterday afternoon conveying the information from Mr. Knox that he would accept the Premiership of the Taft Cabinet.

Appeal to Press.

New York, Dec. 19.—The Council of Jewish Women has issued an appeal to newspapers for the elimination of indecent details in the published evidence at murder and divorce trials.

Special request is made for a conservative dealing with the present Hains murder trial "in order to safeguard our homes and our children from the demoralizing influence of prurient details."

HIGHWAYMEN HOLD UP THE TRAIN

Robbers Turn Semaphore and Loot Freight Car.

TWO SUSPECTS ARRESTED

Daring Trio at Niagara Falls, Ont., Stop a Freight Train and Steal Champagne and Turkeys — Large Part of Booty Is Found in Culvert—Two Caught by Officers Pursuing in an Engine.

Niagara Falls, Dec. 19.—Setting the semaphore against an eastbound freight coming into this city, three men carried out a daring hold-up of Wabash train No. 82 in the early hours of yesterday morning at Stamford. Two men, W. Forbes and A. Scott, are under arrest on suspicion, and the capture of a third is expected shortly. The engineer seeing the signal against him stopped the train at the semaphore, and for an hour waited to receive the signal to enter the Grand Trunk freight yards. During this time the thieves secured from a refrigerator car 13 turkeys and 5 cases of Moet & Chandon extra dry champagne. While guarding the train the conductor discovered that a car had been pilfered, and secured instructions to pull into the yards and Chief Kinnmins was notified. An engine was placed at the disposal of the police, and Sergt. Welsh went to investigate. About two miles up the line he saw foot tracks, and in a culvert he found the turkeys and champagne. They were taken on the engine and Welsh remained and traced the footsteps. Following up the clues he made a visit to the home of Forbes, placing him under arrest. Officers Brown and Dart arrested Scott. They will come up for hearing to-day.

Bank Statement Issued.

Ottawa, Dec. 19.—According to the November bank statement issued yesterday demand deposits increased from 190 to 206 1-8 millions in October, while notice deposits ran up from slightly under 414 millions to almost 420 millions.

There was a slight decrease in deposits outside of Canada.

Call loans outside of Canada increased from $70,000,000 to $85,000,000, which indicates dearer money across the border. There was a shrinkage of three and a half million in current loans at home, as compared with October.

Total liabilities were $815,539,495, as against $791,972,683, and the total assets $994,885,648, as against $971,219,560.

Chops Off Fingers.

Cornwall, Dec. 19.—"These fingers will steal no more," said William Bero as he chopped the four fingers off his left hand in a local meat market at 10 a.m. yesterday.

Bero was on his way to the Police Court in charge of an official to receive sentence for stealing six hides and selling them. He asked the policeman to take him inside to speak to the proprietor, and, seizing the cleaver at the block, made himself a cripple for life.

Bero is a married man, about 40 years of age.

Wanted to Go to Hell.

Charlotte, N.C., Dec. 19.—Henry Harvey, a negro, was hanged at Rockingham, N.C., for murder. He refused spiritual comfort, telling the ministers that he desired to go to hell for a special purpose.

On the march to the gallows a chicken flew over the heads of the party, and the condemned man exclaimed laughingly: "Somebody catch that chicken."

To Prison For Defrauding State.

Harrisburg, Pa., Dec. 19.—Judge Kunkel yesterday morning imposed sentence upon the men convicted of conspiracy to defraud the state in contracts for supplying furniture to the new state capitol, as follows: J. H. Sanderson, W. P. Snyder, W. L. Mathues and J. M. Shumaker, $500 fine and two years' imprisonment, the maximum penalty.

Jury's Censure General.

Virden, Man., Dec. 19.—A coroner's jury found that Michael Farrell came to his death by burns from a coal oil explosion. The jury added a rider that this case shows a lack of supervision by both local and federal Governments, and much carelessness in the whole matter of handling oil.

Harty's Expenses.

Kingston, Dec. 19.—The financial agent of Hon. William Harty, the successful candidate for the Federal House of Kingston, reports his expenditure for the campaign as $2,411.52. For advertising and stationery $1,000 was spent, and for rent and clerical help $1,130.

Played Cards In Church.

Belleville, Dec. 19.—At Bancroft on Sunday last Rev. Mr. Spargo delivered a scathing rebuke to some young men who were playing cards in church during the service. The young men belonged to respectable families in the village.

Big School Burns.

Altoona, Pa., Dec. 19.—A fire which threatened the destruction of the magnificent Altoona High School building started yesterday while 600 pupils were at their studies. The fire drill worked perfectly. Loss $100,000.

Advertising Co. Incorporated.

Ottawa, Dec. 19.—The Canadian Advertising Co., Ltd., of Montreal, has been incorporated with a capital of $99,000.

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A piano ceases to be an instrument and becomes a thing of life under the hands of a master. It breathes every emotion—that is, if the piano is a great one, like the New Scale Williams. It is matchless for tone and volume. 3

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MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool and Chicago Wheat Futures Close Lower—Live Stock— Latest Quotations.

Friday Evening, Dec. 18.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day ½d to ¾d lower than yesterday, and corn closed ¼d lower.

At Chicago December wheat closed ½c lower than yesterday; December corn closed 1½c lower and December oats closed ½c lower.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—July $1.03½ bid, December 97¾c bid, May $1.02¾ bid.

Oats—December 37¾c bid, May 41¾c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	$0 94	to $0 95
Wheat, red, bush	0 94	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 90	....
Rye, bushel	0 69	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 65	....
Peas, bushel	0 80	....
Barley, bush	0 49	0 53
Oats, bushel	0 42	0 43

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 26
Butter, store lots	0 23	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb rolls	0 28	0 30
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 40	....
Eggs, cold storage	0 25	....
Cheese, large, lb	0 13½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11
Honey, combs, dozen	2 25	2 75

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 18.—Closing—Wheat, spot, easy; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 10½d; futures, quiet; Dec., 7s 11¼d; March, 7s 6¾d; May, 7s 6¾d. Corn, spot steady; new American mixed, via Galveston, 5s 5½d; futures, steady; Jan., 5s 3¼d; March, 5s 3¼d. Bacon, clear bellies, dull, 56s. Tallow, prime city, steady, 28s 6d.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Butter, steady and unchanged; receipts, 2263.

Cheese—Firm, unchanged; receipts 1145.

Eggs—Irregular; state, Pennsylvania and near-by brown and mixed fancy, 34c to 36c; do., fair to choice, 31c to 33c; western, first, 31c to 31½c; official price, 31½c; western seconds, 29c to 30c; receipts, 4540.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Steady—Hogs Firmer and 5c Higher at Buffalo.

LONDON, Dec. 18.—Landen cables for cattle are steady at 12½c to 13½c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10½c to 10½c per lb.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Dec. 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 250 head; slow; prime steers, $5.50 to $7.

Veals—Receipts, 125 head; active and 25c higher, $7 to $10.

Hogs—Receipts, 6000 head; fairly active and steady to 5c higher; heavy, $5.35 to $5.55; mixed, $5.25 to $5.35; yorkers, $5.25 to $5.75; roughs, $5.10 to $5.35.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2000 head; sheep, slow and steady; lambs, active and 25c higher; lambs, $5 to $7.35; a few $7.85; yearlings, $5.75 to $6; wethers, $4.50 to $4.65; ewes, $3.75 to $4; sheep, mixed, $2 to $4; Canada lambs, $7.25 to $7.60.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—Beeves—Receipts, 1469; steers, slow; top grades, steady; others, a shade lower; medium cows and bulls, easier; other grades steady; steers, $4.30 to $6.75; bulls, $2.25 to $4.50; cows, $1.60 to $4.50. Shipments to-morrow, 4725 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 423. Market, quiet, but steady; veals, $5 to $9.75, choice, $10; barn yard calves, $2.25 to $4; good westerners, $5; dressed calves, lower.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 6116; sheep, slow and easy; choice lambs, steady; others, slow and a shade lower; sheep, $3 to $4.25; culls, $1.50 to $2; lambs, $4.25 to $7.37½; few choice, $7.62½; culls, $4.50; yearlings, $5.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 2091; nominally steady.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Dec. 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 2000; market steady; steers, $4.60 to $7.20; cows, $3 to $5.25; heifers, $2.50 to $4.60; bulls, $2.75 to $4.50; calves, $3.50 to $8.25; stockers and feeders, $2.50 to $4.35.

Hogs—Receipts, 23,000; market, strong; choice heavy shipping, $5.75 to $5.80; butchers', $5.65 to $5.80; light mixed, $5.10 to $5.40; choice light, $5.40 to $5.55; packing, $5.60 to $5.70; pigs, $4 to $5.15; bulk of sales, $5.40 to $5.65.

Sheep—Receipts, estimated at 10,000; market, weak; sheep, $3 to $4.80; lambs, $5.25 to $7; yearlings, $4.25 to $6.

Judge Roasted Magistrate.

Brockville, Dec. 19.—At the trial of George Brown, ex-chief of police of Athens, charged with indecent assault on a young woman, Judge McDonald dismissed the case on hearing that the girl's family had offered to make a cash settlement. In doing so the judge denounced Magistrate Boddy for committing the accused for trial, after having knowledge that efforts had been made to settle a criminal case for money.

Robbers Battle With Citizens.

Gibbon, Neb., Dec. 19.—Six robbers, after dynamiting the safes of the Farmers' State Bank at Keene, 20 miles south of here, and the Commercial Bank of Gibbon, engaged in a pitched battle with a number of citizens here early yesterday, and escaped in an automobile with $5,500.

For Stealing Oats.

Welland, Dec. 19.—Arthur Willis and Harry Jones of Fort Erie appeared yesterday before Judge Wells for sentence in connection with the theft of chickens and oats. Willis received one year in the Central Prison, and Jones was released on suspended sentence.

Sealed Tenders addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Masonry, Concrete Pile Work, &c., at Kingston Military College," will be received at this office until 4.00 P.M., on Thursday, January 7, 1909, for the construction of Block and Mass Concrete, Dry Masonry Walls, Renewal of old foundation timbers of Pile Pier, in front of Royal Military College at Kingston, County of Frontenac, Ontario, according to a plan and specification to be seen at the offices of J. G. Sing, Esq., Resident Engineer, Confederation Life Building, Toronto, on application to the Postmaster at Kingston, Ont., and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, for twelve hundred dollars ($1,200.00), must accompany each tender. The cheque will be forfeited if the person tendering decline the contract or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,

NAPOLEON TESSIER, Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, Dec. 7, 1908.

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Sealed Tenders addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tenders for Quarters for Stable Establishment, Kinston, Ontario," will be received at this office until 4.00 p.m. on Monday, December 28th, 1908, for the construction of Quarters for Stable Establishment R. M. C., Kingston, Ont.

Plans and specifications can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department and on application to H. P. Smith, Esq., Architect, Kingston, Ont.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with their actual signatures.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank made payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent., 10 p. c., of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for, if the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The department does not bind itself to accept the lowest of any tender.

By order,

NAPOLEON TESSIER, Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, December 14, 1908.

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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS.

ANY PERSON who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother, or sister of intending homesteader.

DUTIES—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price $3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price $3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth $300.00.

N.B.—Unauthorized publications of this advertisement will not be paid for.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy of the Minister of Interior

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We have the biggest stock of Leather Goods in this city:—

SOLID LEATHER PURSES—$1.50, $1.00, 75c, and 50c. A clear Saving of 20 Per Cent.

SHOPPING BAGS—Solid Leather—$6.00, $5.00, $4.00, $3.00, down to $1.00 each. A clear saving of 20 Per Cent.

LEATHER WRITING DESKS, Writing Portfolios, Music Rolls, at prices for quick selling.

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8 INCH BERRY BOWL, lovely cutting, worth $4.50, for.....$3.50

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Exclusive patterns. A clear saving of 20 Per Cent. You will like our patterns. See.

XMAS CALENDARS

Splendid variety at 20 Per Cent. Reduction

XMAS POST CARDS

All our 5c Xmas Post Cards to clear at.....2 for 5c

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Our Wall Paper Department, down stairs, full of Pictures framed. See them. You Will save 20 Per Cent. for quick sale.

Remember, quantity of quick sales is what we are after, and the price tells.

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Development Of Christmas As Revealed By Pages Of History; The Holly And The Mistletoe

On Christmas eve the bells were rung;
On Christmas eve the mass was sung;
That only night of all the year,
Saw the stoled priest the chalice rear.
'Twas Christmas broach'd the mightiest ale,
'Twas Christmas told the merriest tale;
A Christmas gambol oft would cheer
A poor man's heart through half the year.

Christmas was first instituted by one of the Popes in the year 138, and it soon became the most important of all the festive days in the calendar. For 200 years it was movable like ower church days, but in the fourth century by order of Pope Julius I., a convention was called to make investigation regarding the day of Christ's nativity, and by common agreement the twenty-fifth of December was accepted, and Christmas then changed from a movable to a fixed festive day. It has always been celebrated in its double significance, both as a day of holy commemoration and of festive merriment.

EARLY CHRISTMAS REVELS

Among the early revels of the Christmas season were the so-called feasts of fools. The lower classes imitated the higher, and the higher for the time being laid aside their usual decorum. This reversing of the usual conditions of society was sometimes prearranged by the appointment of a "lord of misrule." It became his duty to provide all possible forms of amusement with the people of all grades and of all ages as the actors. Comic masks and fancy costumes were worn and everything was encouraged that would add to the mirth of the season. In later years the custom of decking the houses and churches during the Christmas season with evergreens became common. This had its origin in the forms of worship practised by the Druids, who believed that the sylvan spirits made their homes amid the groves that were never nipped by the frost. The holly, ivy, laurel, mistletoe and rosemary, served for these churches and home trimmings, and they were not removed till February 2nd, Feast of Candlemas.

This Christmas celebration in some parts of Europe, soon became to be regarded as the "children's festial," and Christmas Eve was the favourite period of the year for the giving of presents, especially in the family circle. A small yew tree was set up in the house and illuminated with small candles. The branches were decorated with trinkets and hung with nuts, fruit and all manner of gifts, each gift bearing the name of the party for whom it was intended.

CUSTOMS HAVE BEEN PRESERVED

The ways of the world and the customs of the people change more or less from century to century, but it is pleasing to know that for 1900 years December 25th has been observed as the most festive day of the year. We have preserved all the charming customs that had their origin many centuries ago. We decorate our churches and our homes with the same evergreens; we erect the Christmas tree, and every limb is illuminated and loaded with presents. The day is still the "children's day," and it is dedicated from morn till eve, to feasting and merry-making.

The evergreens are all intimately associated with our Christmas season. The holly is possibly the favourite; in fact, it seems to have but this one purpose of Christmas decoration in mind during its growth. The leaves are rigid and their arrangement is such as to produce the very best effects. The harmony in color between the green of the leaves and the red of the berries is perfect.

HOLLY AND MISTLETOE

We may be led to suppose that the holly is able to retain its coloring during the cold season because the leaves are so firm and rigid, being almost leather like in texture. Yet a charming fern included in our winter gathering for decorating purposes is not tough and rigid like the holly. On the contrary it appears quite delicate, like all of its fern associates, and it is wonderful that, even in midwinter, it retains its summer colouring. The upper leaflets of the frond are covered with spore cases. This evergreen is honoured with the name of Christmas fern.

The mistletoe rightfully finds a place in all Christmas decorations. The lycopodium is a long, creeping vine, with branchlets spreading themselves, fan shaped at frequent intervals. This is found in great abundance in the pine regions, and every year large quantities are brought to market for the purpose indicated by its appropriate name, the trailing Christmas green. It is admirably adapted for festoon effects.

OFFICERS ELECTED AT C.O.F. ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the C. O. F., No. 92, was held last night and the following officers were elected:—

William Whitcroft ....C. R.
Albert Long ....V. C. R.
Gordon Carter ....Chap.
Charles Stenson ....R. C.
H. Nesbitt ....F. S.
Frank Adams ....Treas.
Roy Menzies ....S. W.
Bro. Flanery ....J. W.
D. Menzies ....S. B.
Wm. Carter ....J. B.
Joe Metheral, Geo. Stenson, and Albert Carpenter ....Trustees
Dr. Eastwood ....C. P.
Bro. Coates ....Auditor

RUGBY BASKETBALL WRESTLING

The Examiner's Sporting Page

RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

THE SCHEDULE FOR JUNIOR SERIES; FIRST GAME HERE ON DEC. 29

Special to the Examiner.

Port Hope, Dec. 18.—At a meeting of the junior clubs of this district held here last night with Mr. O McMillan, of Port Hope, the convener of the district, in the chair, the schedule for the first round was drawn up. Delegates were present from Cobourg, Port Hope and Whitby, while Mr. W. F. Galley, of Port Hope, represented Peterborough, and Oshawa was represented by proxy.

Following is the schedule:

Dec. 29—Oshawa at Peterborough.
Jan. 1—Peterborough at Whitby.
Cobourg at Port Hope.
Jan. 4—Cobourg at Peterborough.
Jan. 5—Whitby at Oshawa.
Jan. 6—Port Hope at Peterborough.
Jan. 8—Oshawa at Whitby.
Jan. 9—Port Hope at Cobourg.
Jan. 12—Cobourg at Oshawa.
Whitby at Peterborough.
Jan. 15—Whitby at Port Hope.
Peterborough at Cobourg.
Jan. 18—Port Hope at Oshawa.
Jan. 19—Cobourg at Whitby.
Jan. 21—Oshawa at Port Hope.
Jan. 22—Whitby at Cobourg.
Jan. 25—Port Hope at Whitby.
Peterborough at Oshawa.
Jan. 28—Peterborough at Port Hope.
Jan. 29.—Oshawa at Cobourg.

Exciting Games At Curling Rink---Just Like Old Times

The first games at the curling rink were played last night, and if they are any criterion of what is to come the new building will be continually resounding with excitement and shouts of encouragement. A rink skipped by Mr. Geo. Giroux went the fourteen ends with that which M. C. N Brown was skipping, the score board showing 13 all. The tie was played off. Mr. Giroux's rink winning out by 14 to 13. According to all reports it was a game that draws the crowd around and everybody was interested in the outcome. The rinks were as follows:

Geo. Hill, ...F. Brownscomb
A. Webb, ... M. Lyle
Wm. Lang, ...Dr. Wightman
Geo. Giroux, ...C. N. Brown

That was not the only game that was played last night. There was another, a little more decisive, but still close enough to be exciting. Skip Archie Moore's rink went down before the quartette which Mr. J. H. Ferguson was skipping.

The rinks were as follows:

W. P. Adamson, ...L. F. Cross
Harry Evans, Dr. G. Stewart Cameron
A. Moore, (14)...J. H. Ferguson, (16)

With good ice from now on if the weather is of the zero variety the rink should be the meeting place of the lovers of the good old game. Everything is promising for a pleasant winter and there is nothing to suggest that every expectation will not be realized.

CRESSMAN'S HOCKEY TEAM ORGANIZES FOR SEASON

Red and white are at best very conspicuous but will be more so when Cressman's fast hockey seven will disport them on the crystal sheet this winter. A meeting was held last night on the third floor of the establishment when the following election of officers was made—

Hon Pres—A W Cressman
Pres—A Temple.
Sec Treas—Russell Patterson
Manager—John Titterson
Capt—J Duffie

A managing committee of the manager, captain and J. Petrie was also selected. The Brock street rink has been secured for an hour each week and a series of games between two teams from the store is being arranged

Y.M.C.A. STAFF WINS LAST NIGHT'S BOWLING GAME

In the bowling tournament at the Y. M. C. A. last night, the staff won another game from the M. A. S., by 148 pins. The staff now stands second in the competition. The scores were:

M. A. S.				
Shirley	123	121	102	
Armstrong	138	118	84	
Millard	109	106	95	
	370	345	281	996
Staff				
Hazard	92	111	160	
Collings	122	135	108	
Evans	143	144	129	
	357	390	397	1144

OLD PETERBOROUGH BOY WRITES TO PAINTERS' UNION

Gives Them Some Words of Encouragement in Their New Undertaking.

At the regular meeting of the Painters and Decorators Union held on Tuesday night, the following interesting letter from an old Peterborough boy was read to the members—

Toronto, Dec. 14th, 1908.

To Mr. Fred Cook, Pres. of the P. and D. Union, Peterborough:

Dear Sir—I, having read in the Examiner, the account of a meeting of the Master Painter and Decorators of Peterborough, was pleased to read that you had visitors of the standing of J. J. Obearn and S. N. Hughes, the latter person I only know by reputation. You have taken the right step to elevate the trade in Peterborough. You may find it hard and rough at first, but you will get it all right in a short time by sticking to the rules and constitution.

Peterborough has let the trade run down for years, the worst of any I know of. I speak as an old Peterborough painter and a native of the town.

I started to learn the trade in 1860 and worked at it ever since; I only know one other in Peterborough or county that has worked at it as steady or as long as I have and that is John Gibbs. He was in harness when I last saw him. I consider this the best move that ever was taken in the old town to make the trade respected, and put in the right place of standing where it ought to be one of the first crafts of the day. Stop all dissensions and pull together, there is work enough for all; you will never make a success by cutting prices or petty jealousy. Things are not now-a-days what they used to be, and we have to co-operate and pull together to make a success. So I wish the Master Painters of Peterborough all sorts of good luck.

Yours truly,
JOHN SIMONS,
50 Humberb st., Toronto

HERE'S THE CHAMPION HEIFER WITH 752 POUNDS OF BEEF

Splendid Showing of Christmas Meats at R. Dale's Meat Mart, Rubidge Street.

Who said there was no prime fat beef in this section? Let him go down to Mr. R. Dale's meat market on Rubidge street and size up the dressed beef on the hooks, and see if he won't "take it all back." Three heifers are displayed which were brought from Thompson Bros., of South Monaghan, and by good judges to be the best beef yet shown this season. One of the heifers produced 752 pounds of dressed beef, and only a three-year-old at that. And such beef! Rich, juicy, pink, and red meat, with a combination of creamy yellow fat that would set an epicure's teeth on edge. A roll of clear fat on the ribs of one hind quarter is over six inches in thickness. Such beef is a credit to the Thompson Bros' careful feeding and raising.

THE LINDSAY PEOPLE SHOWED THEMSELVES VERY CLEVER AMATEURS

Mr. Irving Beers, under whose direction "All the Comforts of Home" was presented here recently by a caste of local amateurs, is in the city for a few days, after putting on the clever comedy in Lindsay, under the auspices of the Rugby Club on Thursday night. Mr. Beers speaks on terms of highest praise of the treatment he has received at the hands of the Lindsay people, whom he reports were most hospitable in their attentions. He succeeded in securing a most clever caste, and was greatly pleased with their work which was most delightful throughout. Byron Green, well known here, made a hit in the role as Dr. Hastings, his acting being most acceptable.

COCOA DEMONSTRATION.

—The free demonstration of Cowan's Cocoa, Chocolates and Icing at White & Gillespie's store, George street, is growing more interesting to the ladies every day. All this week Miss Shepherd, the expert from Toronto, will be in attendance. Call in and have a cup of cocoa and sample the toothsome delicacies on exhibition. Cowan's Icings are also very popular.

Give Furs For Xmas

¶ No Gift would be more acceptable at this season of the year than one of our Fur articles. We have one of the largest and best assorted stocks of Furs in this district—in fact it's too large, and we have decided to inaugurate a Before Xmas Sale in order to reduce.

¶ Below we offer a few suggestions for Xmas Shoppers and prices—worth more than a passing notice.

¶ Alaska Sable Muffs, from 10.00 up, worth 13.50. Mink Muffs, from 33.00 to 55.00, worth 35.00 to 65.00, Rock Marten Sets for Girls and Misses. Original price 18.00, on sale now at 13.00.

¶ White Thibet Stole and Muff for Misses and Young Girls. On sale at from 13.50 to 18.00 per set.

¶ Ladies' Fur Lined Coats at greatly reduced prices.

¶ MEN'S COON COATS anywhere in Canada 75.00, we sell them for $65.00. We invite comparison of our Coon Coats with any other Coon Coat of the price on the market, in fact, we prefer probable purchasers to look around and compare prices and qualities with ours.

¶ MEN'S FUR LINED COATS—Nice dark natural Muskrat skins with Otter or Persian Lamb Collars from $65.00 to $100.00. The best value to be had anywhere.

¶ MEN'S PERSIAN GAUNTLETS—With rich, glossy curl for $20.00, worth 25.00.

¶ MEN'S PERSIAN LAMB CAPS, wedge and jockey shapes from $10.00 to $15.00. We have also a cheaper line of Men's Persian Lamb Caps that are exceptionally good value.

¶ CHILDREN'S FURS—Grey Lamb Caps, Gauntlets and Collars at greatly reduced prices.

¶ It's a pleasure to meet people who are stylishly and appropriately dressed for the season and this weather is giving the average man and woman an intense desire for the comfort of Furs.

Ours is the store to get the best at most reasonable prices. We have a select stock of Furs and the latest styles. Don't forget that it's Furs for Christmas.

E. N. McWILLIAMS
Clarke's Old Stand
374 GEORGE STREET, Peterboro

VALUE OF CHRISTMAS STAMPS

The World-Wide Fight Against the Great White Plague.

EXAMPLES FOR CANADIANS

What Is Being Done In New York—Where the Stamps Have been Tried—The Work That Is Being Done.

The sale of stamps in aid of the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives is by no means a new idea. Its success has been proven elsewhere just as it is being proven here. The New York Herald says:

On millions of letters and packages carrying messages and tokens of good will this holiday season there will appear a new stamp, the stamp of the Red Cross Society, now placed on the market at a cent each to raise funds to enable the society to extend its work against tuberculosis where organized effort is not now being made to stamp out the disease.

New in New York, the stamp idea has been tried with marked success in Europe and last year in the States of Delaware and Pennsylvania. Though the idea is essentially American, having first been used at a sanitary fair held in Boston in 1862 to raise funds for work on the battle fields of the South, it has not since been used for that purpose until the Portuguese and Danish Red Cross

adopted it as a means to raise funds. Its great success in these countries attracted the attention of Jacob A. Riis, himself a Dane, and led to its adoption by the American society.

Those who attended the sessions of the International Congress on Tuberculosis in Washington, in September and October, and heard the experts of the world describe the progress made in the study and control of the disease, and who saw the great exhibition connected with the Congress in the Museum of Natural History, were impressed by the new note of hope sounded. This crusade had its beginning in the work of the German Red Cross, following the discovery of Dr. Koch that tuberculosis is transmissible by the tubercle bacillus. One of the most interesting contributions presented at the Congress, to accompany the exhibit of the German Red Cross, was a book describing the latter's fight against tuberculosis.

Many Portable Houses.

The campaign of the German Red Cross began ten or eleven years ago, when it had on hand many hundred portable houses designed for use as hospital barracks in time of war. These were converted to use for the housing of tuberculous patients. From this beginning has grown the present highly developed work. The Russian Red Cross was not long in following the example set by Germany. Some tuberculosis work has been done by the Austrian Red Cross. Other Red Crosses have undertaken different kinds of "peace activity," the Japanese, for instance, campaigning against a native plague, the Italian Red Cross against malaria and the Congo Red Cross against the sleeping sickness.

The advent of the American Red Cross to the field was welcomed by the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis. After consultation, the Red Cross decided last January to concentrate its efforts at first upon establishing tuberculosis day camps, which are places, in or near cities, where tuberculous patients may find the conditions essential to improvement and cure—rest, air, light and proper food. The first Red Cross day camp in America was opened in Schenectady on June 29, and was conducted three months in co-operation with the Municipal Tuberculosis Dispensary and the local charities. The District of Columbia Red Cross soon after opened another camp. Camps will be opened next spring in several other cities.

The largest of all the Red Cross day camps was opened on December 1, on the roof of the Vanderbilt Clinic, which is the dispensary of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, the medical department of Columbia University. The clinic fitted the roof and furnishes physicians. The expense of nursing and feeding the forty patients is being met by the New York County Red Cross. Eventually there will be accommodation for more than one hundred patients, and the camp will become a night camp as well. Other camps will be opened by the county committee as soon as receipts warrant. It is hoped that the sale of the Christmas stamps will be so successful that camps may be opened in every district of the city.

The new stamps have been gotten out by the million. No one makes any profit on them, and practically every cent goes into the fight against tuberculosis. Where the Red Cross is not undertaking work of its own, it is helping other tuberculosis work. But the raising of money is not the sole purpose of the Christmas stamp. As Jacob Riis says:

"Every one who sees this stamp on a letter or post card wants to know what it means. And when people want to know the fight is won. It is because they do not know a few amazingly simple things that people die of tuberculosis."

A Word of Warning.

Remember that it is not necessary that one be a lavish spitter to infect his surroundings with tubercle germs. Experiments have demonstrated that these germs are sometimes to be found in large numbers in mere droplets of saliva thrown about when one is coughing, or talking, or laughing or singing.

SMALL BUT EFFECTIVE—A Want Ad. in the Examiner. Try it.

Playfair, Martens & Co.
Members Toronto Stock Exchange
Canadian Northern Ry. Bldg., Toronto, Canada
Special attention given
COBALT STOCKS
We have just issued a new map of the Cobalt Mining District, giving location, capitalisation, acreage, shipments and dividends.
Copies mailed to any address on receipt of 10c., or mounted ones for $1.00.

GENTLEMEN'S FULL DRESS

The changes each season in Evening Dress Styles, though slight, are all carefully noted, so that the most exacting dresser need not take one iota less than the "Correct Thing."

The Full Dress Suit, the Tuxedo Coat and Vest, the fashionable cut Trousers tailored with painstaking care.

ED. HUFF
TAILOR AND DRAPER
326 GEORGE STREET, Near Charlotte St.

'Automobile' and Cycle Skates

—SEE THE NEW MODELS—

Exclusive Agents for
EDUARD ENGEL'S SKATES

BANKS BICYCLE and SPORTING GOODS CO.
324 George Street
UNDER THE MARKET CLOCK

ROY CAVANAGH'S LIVERY
STABLES; 196 SIMCOE ST.

Having taken over the Livery Business formerly carried on by Lee & Cavanagh, the public may now depend on first-class service at all times Orders promptly attended to.

Hacks for pleasure driving, weddings and funerals. Swell rubber-tired Single Rigs and comfortable Busses with careful drivers. Commercial Driving given special attention. BOTH PHONES 286

Home, Sweet Home

is no mere sentiment if one of our Pianos has a place therein, and Christmas would be a suitable time to present the home with one.

The Reduced Prices

During our Holiday Sale affords a special inducement this month.

Organs and all small Musical Instruments suitably reduced in price.

SHEET MUSIC ALL REDUCED

J. P. CUNNINGHAM
The Peterborough Music Co.
404 GEORGE STREET

PHONE 57

Greeting For Xmas

The Examiner has in stock a large assortment of Xmas and New Year's Greeting Cards in fancy boxes which will be sold in lots of six cards up, with Envelopes to match.

These Cards were specially imported by us and are the best to be had in the city.

Order early if you want to secure these Cards before the season's rush commences.

CALL AND SEE THE SAMPLES

The EXAMINER Peterborough

PHONE 57

The Little Things Make Big Gifts Small But Appreciated

GLOVES—Black and White, long Kid Gloves 2.25 to..... 3.75
LONG KID GLOVES—In Green and Oxford, regular 3.00 for..... 1.48
WASH KID GLOVES—In Black and Colours, extra fine quality, pair..... 2.00
"VALLIERS" KID GLOVES—In Black and Colours. Reg. 1.65 for..... 1.50
UNDRESSED KID GLOVES—Finest French make, in Black and Colours. Reg. 1.75, very special..... 1.29
"PERRIN'S" GUARANTEED GLOVES—1.00 and..... 1.25
FANCY COLLARS—Everything that is new, prices 25c to..... 3.00
FANCY VELVET TIES—With jet tassels..... 35c
FANCY BELTS—In elastic, silk and fancy belting from 25c, 50c, 65c up to 2.50
FANCY RUCHINGS—From the very narrow to the extreme width, all the colour tints and white—popular prices.

—Main Floor, Centre—

A FINAL XMAS RUSH

—WE ARE READY—

Ready as never before for the final Christmas Rush — the finest assorted stock of suitable Christmas Gift Articles and Goods displayed for easy seeing and extra salespeople to give quick and efficient service. Many exclusive ideas in gift suggestions—articles of novelty and use. The Bargain Annex is open to-night and will be open every day before Christmas. This makes it possible to handle the usual large crowds that this store is noted for at this season of the year. Shop in the forenoons if convenient.

Suggestions from the Mantle Department

Silk Blouses—In exclusive styles and elegantly made. These are gifts of quality in a fine range to choose from, prices from 1.69 to..... 15.00

Children's Bearskin Coats—In plain and fancy trimmed, straight and curl hair, prices 1.65 to 7.00

Silk Petticoats—A very special line in good quality, $16.00 values, Xmas week price..... 4.40

Heatherbloom Skirts—In grey, green, brown, also black, special, (second floor)..... 2.25

Silk Crepe de Chene—A very handsome gown can be made from this exquisite French material. An appropriate gift to any women would be a dress length of this fabric in a dainty evening shade, prices right. (Second Floor)

Taffeta Silk Skirts—These make very fine gifts, they are beautifully trimmed and very serviceable. Special for the Xmas week, each for..... 4.45 (Second Floor)

Dressing Sacques—From $1.50 to 3.50, in printed flannel and elderdown.

Kimonas—Are useful and serviceable for the house-wife, prices $2.00 to..... 6.00

Furs—Scarfs and stoles in marmot, etc., prices 2.45 to 25.00
Muffs from $3.50 to..... 8.00

Golf Jackets and Sweaters—In the latest styles, $1.50 to (second floor)..... 3.75

Women's Coats and Suits
Our entire stock of Women's Coats and Suits must be lowered before stock taking—prices are attached that make an early inspection worth your while.
(Second Floor)

Lace Blouses—A splendid suggestion for a gift to any women. We have in our Xmas stock, 250 beautiful lace blouses in the newest styles, exclusively trimmed, prices up to $4.50. Many higher. (Second Floor)

Fancy Handkerchiefs, new styles from 10c to..... 3.00
Plain Linen Handkerchiefs, good quality hemstitched, in ladies and mens sizes, 10c to 35cc.
Boxed Fancies, 3 in a box for 49c, 6 plain in fancy box..... 69c
Silk Handkerchiefs, with initial 25, 50, 75c.
Plain Silk..... 50, 75c, 1.00
(Main Floor Centre)

Children's Purses, regular 50 and 75c, for 25c
Fancy Beaded Bags, from 50c to..... 3.75
Hand Satchels, from 29c to..... 4.50
Fancy Work Bags, regular 75c, for..... 25c
Fancy Handkerchief Cases, worth $1.00, for 65c
Fancy Pin Cushions, 25c and..... 35c
Back and Side Combs, from 25c to..... 3.25
Fancy Baskets with bottle of good Perfume..... 25c
(Main Floor Centre)

500 Doz. Handkerchiefs
Dozens of styles and in fine Swiss work, bought cheap for the last rush of the Christmas buying. Prices 5c, 10c and up.
(Main Floor, centre)

Phoenix Mufflers
Warm neck and chest protectors, for men, women and girls, the new thing, all the latest colourings, including evening shades, popular prices.
(Main Floor, centre)

From Our Men's Department
Everything that will make Christmas merrier for the man, rich Cravats, handsome Mufflers, Boxed Suspender sets, Overcoats and Suits, etc., in fact nothing is lacking in our fine Xmas Showing.
(Semi-ready Wardrobe)

Boxed Papers
Stationery is inexpensive yet much appreciated as a gift, easy to send through the mails and quite suggestive, a big showing at small prices.
(Main Floor, Centre)

Japanese Crepe
Filmy Japanese goods with beautiful Japanese hand work in embroidery. Very suitable for the Xmas gift. Table covers and Draperies, prices low.
(Main Floor, centre)

Fancy Ribbons 16½c
These are in Persian and Dresden effect, suitable for gift making, hair and sash ribbons, prices were up to 35 cents. Xmas Week Price..... 16½
(Main Floor Centre)

Ice Wool Shawls
A large range of silk and ice wool shawls for evening wear, etc., one line worth $2.75. Special for Xmas Week..... 1.98
(Main Floor, centre)

Lunch Cloths—Japanese Drawn work, Fillette Italian Drawn Work, also Irish Hand Embroidery, prices 1.50, 2.00 to 12.00.

Centre Pieces and Doilies—In hand made Tatting, the work that appeals to most women and makes exclusive, useful gifts. Prices are 15c to 1.50 each.

Towels—"Old Bleach" Huck, 75c, 1.00, 1.25, 1.35, 1.50 each.

Hand Drawn and Hand Embroidered Centrepieces—18 in. by 18 in., also Linen Tray Cloths, 18 in. by 27 in., price 50c.

Battenberg Scarfs—6 only handsome Scarfs, hand made, good value at 2.50. Xmas Week Price 1.50.

Table Linen Specials—These specials in handsome Damask designs, 2¼, 3, 3½ yares long by 2 yards wide. Prices 3.15, 3.35, 3.75. Napkins to match 2.35, 2.75 a dozen.

Round Table Cover (sample)—One only Double Damask Round Table Cover, 2½ x 2½ yards, in conventional Rose pattern, finished 44 inch button-hole scallops, reg. 22.00. Xmas Week Price..... 14.60
(Main Floor, right)

Home Furnishings Suggestions

Mohair Rugs, 6 only, 27 x 54 ins in red and rose. A very deep pile, worth $4.00, for..... 2.98
Lace Curtains, 8 handsome patterns in white and ecru. 50x54 inches wide, x 3½ yds. long. Regular 2.50 for..... 1.68
Wilton Rugs, 8 only, medallion or conventional patterned rugs in red and green combination and two tone effects, size 9x12 ft., 4000 rugs, Xmas week..... 29.75
Carpet Sweepers, Bissell's Nickel Plated Cyco Bearing Sweeper in oak or mahogany, 3.50 values for (Third Floor)..... 2.49

New Music
(Main Floor, Rear)
Assorted Music, including waltzes, Two Steps, three steps, songs etc. To clear at 15c a copy, or 2 for..... 25c

Cressman's

4 Days More To Do Your Xmas Shopping.

385, 387, 389 George Street

TOWN TOPICS

PROBS.—Strong southwest to northwest winds, a few light local snow falls, but mostly fair. Sunday, fair and colder than to-day.

Finished
—Your clothing will look finished if cleaned, dyed or repaired by "My Valet," 294 Charlotte street.

Sons of Scotland
—An open meeting will be held in the Knights of Pythias Hall, Simcoe street, on Monday evening, Dec. 21st, at 8 o'clock.

Piano Tuning
Piano tuning promptly attended to. Satisfaction guaranteed. A. F. Hoover, 222 McDonel street. 'Phones — Bell 199k, Mach. 199.

Is Your Piano in Tune
—The change of season effects pianos as well as everything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 22 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. MacDonald's drug stor

Temperance Meeting
—The regular Gospel Temperance meeting will be held on Sunday evening at 8.30 o'clock at the Crystal. Special speakers will give addresses. Appropriate music for the occasion has been arranged for. Everybody is welcome.

To the Front Again
—with something new at the Collegiate Grocery, and your Christmas dinner will not be completed without some corn on the cob, as nice as if fresh from the stalk. Will be a treat to try it. A Merry Xmas to all. J. M Donovan, corner of McDonel and Aylmer streets. t,f w 4679

Granted Letters
—The Trusts and Guarantee Company, Limited, Toronto, have been granted Letters Probate of the will of the late Thomas Yeomen, of the township of Huron, County of Bruce. The estate is inventoried at about $75,000 and consists of real estate, mortgages, book debts and stocks.

Christmas Cards and Calendars
—This season's collection of artistic Christmas calendars, gem leaflets and cards are in large display at the Peterborough Bookstore. They embody the charm of novelty and superiority of production, and excel all successful efforts of previous years. Many of the series of reproductions of famous masterpieces, are from Raphael Tuck & Co., of New York.

Make a man out of your boy by giving him a Y.M.C.A. membership ticket for a Christmas Present.
Ad-to-Dec. 22, 24

Beautiful Ebony Goods
We are prepared to give you a reasonable discount on our already low prices on Ebony Mirrors, Ebony Brushes, Ebony Manicure Sets, etc., if purchased before the Xmas Rush
E. L. PAYNE
CHEMIST AND DRUGGIST
Ormond & Walsh's Old Stand, Corner Georgo and Simcoe Streets

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

THE EXAMINER welcomes all Items of Interest for this column. Phone 24 or send post card with name and address.

Rev. A. W. Mackenzie, of Lakefield, was in the city to-day.

Mrs F. J. Tate and Miss G. Tate, of Lakefield, were in the city to-day.

Mr. W Sherin, of Lakefield, was in the city to-day.

Mr Robert Mober, Ottawa, is visiting his parents on Patterson street.

Mr Isaac Kennedy, Los Angeles, Cal., is in the city visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wasson, Wolsey street.

Mrs Josie Hawkey left to-day to spend her Christmas vacation at her home in Port Hope.

Mrs John Y. Reid, of Branchton, Ont., is visiting at the home of Mr. Wm Scott, Hunter street east.

Mrs S S Westgait, Russell, N. D., is visiting at her parents, Mr and Mrs T H Beates, 5 Hunter street East, City.

Miss Florence Johnson who has been the teacher in Domestic Science at the Y. W. C. A. during the past year leaves on Monday for her home in Rochester.

Mr. J. J. Turner, Jr., will return to-morrow morning, after a two months' business trip in the Eastern Provinces. He was as far east as Sydney, C. B.

Mr. Wm. Batten, the Massey-Harris agent for the north country, who has been spending the last few weeks in Brantford, passed through the city this morning on his way home, to Bath's Glen.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25 cents.

CHRISTMAS NEAR
We mention a few of the Xmas necessities which we now have in stock. Table Raisins, Pulled Figs, Fresh Figs, Fresh Shelled Nuts, Golden Dates, Grape Fruit, California, Florida and Mexican Oranges, and the very best new Nuts. Also "Sealshipt" Oysters. S. A. OKE
376 George St.

TO APPEAR BEFORE MAGISTRATE EDMISON ON TUESDAY MORNING

Summonses have been given to Messrs. Jas. Gourin and John Smith, of Otonabee to appear before County Magistrate Edmison on charges of cruelty to animals. The cases will come up for hearing on Tuesday morning at eleven o'clock.

LATEST NEWS FROM THE CAPITAL

Customs Revenues Show Improvement—A Danger Signal for Steamers—C.P.R. and G.T.P.R. on Joint Terminal Arrangement at Fort William—The Canadian Banks are Prosperous.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

Ottawa, Dec. 19.—An increase of $8,509,333 in exports, a decrease of $7,859,622 in imports, and a trade balance in Canada's favour of $6,965,875, are the outstanding features of the trade returns for the past month, as compared with November of last year. The excess of exports over imports for the month is the largest for any month in Canada's trade for years past. Exports of domestic goods for the month totalled $31,672,224. As compared with last year, agricultural products increased by $7,939,436, exports of animals and their produce increased by $1,291,580, exports of the forest increased by $135,047, exports of the mine decreased by $780,504. Total imports for the month were $24,706,349. For first eight months of present fiscal year the imports have totalled $194,827,463, a decrease of $64,867,721. Total exports of domestic products were $168,080,189, a decrease of $4,363,190.

An order in council has been passed amending the Canadian rules of the road for the great lakes, by making the danger signal at least five short and rapid blasts of the whistle, instead of four, as at present.

Notice is given in the Official Gazette that the Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Companies will apply at the coming session of Parliament for an act to ratify the agreement, dated the first of December, providing for joint terminal facilities at Fort William.

Deposits in Canadian banks at the end of November were of record proportions, being $694,470,000. Commercial loans amounted to $543,594,492.

Royal Theatre
348 George St.
Grand Opening TO-NIGHT
STARTLING SURPRISES
GORGEOUS DISPLAYS
AND
BRILLIANT ILLUMINATION
Come and See the Wonderful
Electrical Beauty Show
and the
MOVING PICTURES
WITH IMPORTED
PARISIAN FILMS
SPECTACULAR SINGING
Special engagement of Two of the most Popular American Singers—to arrive here Monday or Tuesday.
HEAR THE FINE SINGING TO-NIGHT
THE POWERFUL ELECTRIC PIANOS
THE ORCHESTRAL MUSIC.
ADMISSION ONLY 5c

OBITUARY.

MRS. S. WOOLMER

Late in the afternoon of Tuesday, Dec. 8th, there passed away one of the residents of Robinson street in the person of Mrs. Woolmer, wife of Samuel Woolmer and daughter of Matthew Henderson, at the early age of thirty-two years.

With indomitable hopefulness and strength of mind she battled with pneumonia and its complications for five weeks, but in spite of the summoning of the aid of everything known to medical skill, the spirit of her favourite hymn, Gathering Home, became true to her. Mrs. Woolmer was beloved by all who held her acquaintance. She was a member of the George street Methodist Church for many years, while before the cares of a growing family demanded her attention she was an active worker. An husband survives her and six children, the youngest of which is a little boy just four weeks old. The funeral service, which was held at the private residence on Friday at 2 p.m., was largely attended and the remains were interred in the Methodist cemetery. Many floral tributes were laid upon the coffin by sympathizing friends. The pall bearers were Messrs. Ignatius Sprouls, Allan McIntosh, Andrew Duncan, Harry Hill, Charles Harris and John Brown. Mr. Woolmer and his motherless boys and daughter have the heartfelt sympathy of all.

—Collingwood Bulletin.

Mr. Woolmer was a sister of Mrs. Wood. J Metheral, 140 Murray street, Peterborough.

THE DOMESTIC SCIENCE CLOSING EXHIBIT YESTERDAY

Continued from page 9

Miss Reesor led in the singing of "Auld Lang Syne," at the conclusion, accompanied by Mrs. Roger-Collins, pianiste.

The Prize Winners
The winners in the Camera Club competition and their prizes were:
1. Folding pocket camera, valued at $12, donated by Eastman Kodak Company.—N A Howard-Moore.
2. Scales donated by Tate-Taylor Optical Company.—R Picard.
3. Year's subscription to Camera Craft—R S Rose.
4. Photo, valued at $2.25—Mrs. A McCarthy.

Three prizes of membership to the Camera Club were won by: Rev. Dr. Marsh, O Primeau, and E Mitchell. The Y.W.C.A. presented red, green, yellow and white rosettes to the four winners first mentioned.

To the Domestic Science Committee much credit is due for the success of the whole affair and especially to the convener, Mrs. H D Burnett, whose energetic efforts assisted greatly towards the splendid results. The work of Miss Johnson was highly pleasing to the mothers of those who have taken courses in the Domestic Science classes of the past year.

SCIENCE PREVENTS BALDNESS.

The Fatal Germ and its Remedy Now Facts of Science.

It is the rarest thing in the world for a man to be necessarily bald. No man whose hair is not dead at the roots, need be bald if he will use Newbro's Herpicide, the new scalp antiseptic. Herpicide destroys the germ that cuts the hair off at the roots, and cleans the scalp of dandruff and leaves it in a perfectly healthy condition. Mr. Mannett, in the Maryland Block, Butte, Mont., was entirely bald. In less than a month Herpicide had removed the enemies of fair growth, and nature did its work by covering his head with thick hair an inch long, and in six weeks he had a normal suit of hair.

Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to the Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. Two sizes, 50c and $1. McDermid and Jury, and 3 boxes for $1.25.

BIG CROWD ENJOYED EXCELLENT SKATING AT BROCK STREET RINK

The biggest crowd of the season was present at the Brock Street rink last evening and enjoyed a delightful two hour's skating. The cold snap of the night before had enabled Caretaker Thirnbeck to provide a sheet of ice such as he delights in, and the crowd found it much to their liking. The 57th Band was on hand and rendered enjoyable music during the evening. The new rule in regard to smoking in the rink was carefully observed, and the management found little difficulty in enforcing once the patrons understood that they were not expected to smoke anywhere except in the rooms upstairs provided for the purpose.

DEATH OF MRS. WM. CONDON

Young's Point, Dec. 17.—Mr. Joseph Young is confined to the house through illness.

Mr. Andy Wilson is laid up with rheumatism, the past week.

The death of Nora A Kearney, wife of Mr. Wm. Condon, of Saginaw, Mich., occurred in that city on Tuesday, the 8th inst. The deceased was 65 years old, born in Young's Point, and was a sister of Mr. Alex. Kearney and J E Kearney (also Mrs. L G Poebert, of Bridgenorth. She was highly respected and a great favourite with both young and old, who knew her. The remains were to be buried here, but were held in Saginaw until her son, Frank, who was in Seattle at the time, came home; therefore the funeral took place in Saginaw.

A number of our boys are back in the lumber camps at present, therefore we don't expect to have a skating rink or hockey club this winter.

Mr. Geo. Hickey, of Peterborough, and a number of men are busy replanking the steamer Empress. They expect to have her completed in about six weeks.

The sleighing is excellent through the country here at present and a large quantity of wood is being handed to Peterborough and Lakefield.

Choice and Tender Meats
FOR THE HOLIDAYS
We are careful to carry only the best and cleanest Meats, which are sold as low as any of our competitors.
We invite inspection at all times. Those who know the difference between choice and ordinary grades say that our Steaks and Roasts are juicy, tender and very much to their liking.
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BEEF LAMB MUTTON PORK
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The very best the market can produce, at the very closest prices for good Meats.
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THE GOLDEN LION STORE

PROBS—Fresh to strong northwest winds, light local snow falls or flurries, but mostly fair and colder. Tuesday—Fair and colder.

The Golden Lion Store

The Last Few Days Before Christmas

Will be busy ones. Try shopping in the mornings and see how much more you can do in the same time.

Shop at this store and see how much farther the same amount of money will go here than elsewhere.

Read these suggestions, they may help you out of a dilemma:—

FUR LINED GLOVES, Per Pair, $2.00
Finest quality Mocha, lined with Gray Squirrel
BLACK SILK MITTS, Per Pair, $1.25 and $1.75
Ladies' sizes, pure spun silk
WOOL LINED GLOVES, Per Pair, $1.25
Superior quality Mocha Kid, wool-lined.
LONG WOOL MITTS, 25c to 50c Pair
Scarlet, Navy, Cream, Black—all wool.
LEATHER HAND BAGS, 25c to $5.00 Each
Imitation and Real Leathers—black and colours
LADIES' NECKWEAR, 25c to $2.50
Collars, Frills, Ruffs, Jabots, etc.
LADIES' BELTS, Each, 25c to $2.00
Silk, Tinsel, Kid, Leather, etc.
EMBROIDERED HANDKERCHIEFS, Each, 12½c to $1.50
Swiss and Irish Embroidered Lawn and Linen
REAL LACE EDGED HANDKERCHIEFS, each, 50c to $3.00
French and Flemish hand-made lace edged.
PLAIN LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS, Each, 5c to 50c
Pure Irish Linen, hemstitched, Ladies' and Gentlemen's
PHŒNIX & MAY'S MUFFLERS, Each, 50c
Colours—White, Gray, Cardinal, Navy and Black.
FANCY HOSE, Per Pair, 35c to $1.00
Silk, Lisle and Cashmere, open work and embroidered.
LADIES' AND GENTLEMEN'S UMBRELLAS, $2.00 to $6.50
Silk Coverings, Fancy Gilt Handles.
WARM WOOL BLANKETS, Per Pair, $2.50 to $8.00
English, Scotch and Canadian makes
DOWN-FILLED COMFORTERS, $5.50 to $12.00
Fine French Sateen and Satin Covered.
COTTON FILLED COMFORTERS, $1.25 to $3.50
Sateen and Silkoline Covered.
LINEN TABLE NAPKINS, Dozen, $1.00 to $6.00
Guaranteed Pure Irish Linen
LINEN TOWELS, Per Pair, 15c to $2.00
Embroidered, Hemstitched and Fringed.
FANCY LINEN PIECES, Each 10c to $2.50
Hand-drawn, Doylies, Tray Cloths, Centre Pieces, etc.
FIVE O'CLOCK TEA CLOTHS, Each 25c to $3.50
Hemstitched, Hand-drawn and Italian Fillet Work.
REAL BATTENBERG COVERS, 35c to $12.00
Round, Square and Oblong Centre Pieces, 5 o'clock Covers, Sideboard Scarfs, etc.

To enumerate all our lines it would be necessary to use the whole paper. Visit this store and inspect the hundreds of articles displayed for your benefit.

ROBERT FAIR & CO., Limited

THE GOLDEN LION STORE

Ladies, If You Want a Hat Get It Now During

The Millinery Sale of Misses Allan & Felion's

Sweeping price reductions among our choice displays of becoming and pattern hats.

No reserves on Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats, Feathers, Flowers, Ribbons, Veilings, Velvets, etc, for Xmas gifts.

A change of business at the new year compels that everything be sold regardless of cost.

All accounts due this firm are required to be paid before January 1st, 1909.

CHOICE SILVERWARE PIECES

Give the biggest appearance for the money outlay of anything in the Gift line. Our stock is the largest and finest in the city, giving a greater assortment to select from than can be found elsewhere.

We are headquarters for SKATES and carry all makes that have quality a special feature.

Don't forget that men and boys always need and appreciate a nice POCKET KNIFE. Look over our Special Holiday Stock of Pocket Cutlery.

Peterborough Hardware Co., Limited
368 GEORGE STREET

FOR XMAS

Fine Watches

If you are thinking of giving a Watch this Xmas, then our large stock will be of interest to you. Remember, in buying a Watch quality is what counts every time. Some Watches are dear at any price. We pay most particular attention in selecting our movements.

FOR LADIES—In Gold Filled Cases, hand engraved designs, not common patterns, but all entirely new, with fine movements guaranteed by us, from $10.00 up. For Solid Gold 14 Kt. Cases, the prices start from $25 up.

FOR MEN—In Gold Filled Cases they are priced from $10 up. In Solid Gold 14 Kt. Cases, from $25.

FOR BOYS—We have a good, strong Knock-about, in a Nickel Silver Case for $1, and a finer finished one for $2.25.

AT

SCHNEIDER'S

Marriage Licenses Issued

PIPES PIPES PIPES PIPES

Pipes in Cases, Pipes in Cabinets. High Grade Meerschaum and Briar Pipes. We buy in large quantities, and our Customers save our **discounts.**

Before buying Xmas Presents see our stock, and ask our prices.

M. PAPPAS
337 GEORGE STREET

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Also Scalp and Hair treatments. Correct Modes and Instructions for wearing the Hair. Approved Hair Preparations.

Day or Evening appointments made, or at the homes of ladies if desired.

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Over the Crystal, Phone 665k

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FRAMES THAT HARMONIZE

Almost any carpenter can cut wood moulding to make some old kind of a frame. We have made Art Pictures a study and have all the natty styles of mouldings to give you the very best effects.

Phes our Calendars and other Christmas oto Novelties.

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Makers of the Famous Roy Post Cards

Your Picture

Taken during the day or night, ready for Christmas delivery at

LENDRUM'S
Ground Floor Studio, - Charlotte Street

Sleighing is Coming

Your Cutter or Sleigh requires revarnishing or repainting. Work second to none. Phone 443 and get prices. Lettering neatly executed.

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SHOP:—173 Murray Street
B. Yelland's Carriage Works
Near Y.M.C.A.
REPAIRS ATTENDED TO

Keep Warm This Winter

Now that the cold days are here you should provide yourself with a Chamois Vest.

This is the most comfortable thing you can wear, especially driving, as it keeps out the wind and protects the lungs.

All sizes for ladies and gentlemen.

NUGENT DRUG CO., 386 George Street

Appointments may be made at any time to have your eyes examined by **A. A. FOWLER,** Eyesight Specialist.

OFFICE PHONE 332. : : HOME PHONE 636

Furniture Establishment Was Scene Of Exciting Saturday Night Blaze—Fire In Upholstering Room

J. D. Craig's Store Visited by the Fire Fiend—Cotton Took Fire From a Head of a Match—Fire Brigade Did Good Work.

LOSS WILL BE ABOUT $800

The head of a lighted match flying off and lighting in a bale of cotton was the cause of a fire on Saturday night in the upholstering department of J D Craig's furniture establishment at the corner of George and Brock streets that caused considerable excitement, coming as it did shortly after nine o'clock on the night of Christmas Saturday, when the streets were crowded with people. Mr. Craig with several other men was in the room at the time and the proprietor was lighting a match when the head came off and fell into the cotton, which burst into flames instantly and despite every effort spread so rapidly that those present were unable to check it and the fire brigade was called out by telephone.

Chief Howard and his men were on the scene in remarkably short time and found a nice little blaze awaiting them. A pile of tow and excelsior had caught fire from the cotton and the fire was spreading over the room when they arrived. Efforts were made to extinguish the blaze with the chemicals, but one of the Babcocks refused to work properly, and it became necessary to turn the water on. The fire was quickly extinguished by means of one stream and was confined to the upholstering room which is at the rear of the upstairs part of the building.

Mr. Craig estimates his damage at $500 which will be covered by insurance in the Norwich Union. The upholstering room and its contents were badly damaged, several lounges and chairs being burned, while in the room beneath there was considerable damage done by water. Fortunately the blaze did not reach either the upstairs or downstairs warerooms, and the business will not be interfered with in the least as the show rooms and their contents were not damaged.

An immense crowd gathered in the neighbourhood while the brigade was at work.

The Unexpected Death Of A Prominent Local Gentleman

Mr. Alfred Parker, for Years Proprietor of Laundry and Dye Works, Passes Away—Seriously Ill But a Few Hours.

MOST SUCCESSFUL CAREER

The deepest of sympathy has been occasioned in the city, among the friends and acquaintances of Mr. Alfred Parker, who passed away so suddenly yesterday morning, shortly after midnight, at his residence, 394 Park street.

The deceased was down street on two or three occasions on Saturday, and was feeling much better than usual. He was very cheerful and many of his friends were talking with him that evening, so that it was a great shock to them to learn of his demise.

The late Mr. Parker for some time has been in poor health, although it was not at all serious and did not interfere with him getting around. He had suffered one or two slight attack of weakness, but did not realize his condition. On Saturday evening he arrived at his home about 10.30 o'clock, in the best of sprits, but soon afterwards he experienced a sudden illness, and although medical assistance was summoned, he sank gradually, until he passed away at midnight, from heart failure.

He was one of the best known men in the city, and was one of the most highly respected. He entered into business here a quarter of a century ago, when he established the Parker's Laundry and Dye Works, and during his career he met with considerable success. About three years ago he retired from active life, handing the management of the business over to Mr. Robert Beach and Mr. Percey Hetherington. About that time the deceased established his son Robert in the dye business in Hamilton.

The late Alfred Parker was a prominent member of the A. F. & A. M., and also of the Methodist Church, in which he took a leading part, having been on the church board of the George Street Methodist Church and a class leader for some years. He was also a member of the Board of Health for several years. As a man he was honest and upright, a friend to every one and respected and liked by all.

He was born 49 years ago in Manchester, England, and coming to this country settled first in Ottawa.

Surviving him are his wife, four children—Robert, of Hamilton; Harold, Madeline and Ola, at home—two brothers, James and William, of Ottawa, and two sisters, Mrs. Allan, Ottawa, and Mrs. T. Gemmell, Guelph.

The funeral will be held on Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock, from his late residence on Park street, to the Little Lake Cemetery. Rev. W. G. Henderson and Rev. E. A. Pearsbon will officiate.

New Officers Of St. Peter's T. A. S. Were Elected Yesterday

The semi-annual election of officers of St. Peter's T. A. S was held yesterday afternoon at the regular meeting of the society. The attendance was large and the interest the members are showing in the affairs of the T. A. S. speaks well for its welfare. The officers for the next six months are as follows—

Spiritual Director—Rev Father O'Brien.
President—Mr Nicholas Bibby
1st Vice Pres—Mr John Deanrard
2nd Vice Pres—Mr Jas Duffus
Rec Sec—Mr Jas Picard jr
Fin Sec—Mr A Lahane
Treas—Mr Jos Primeau
Marshal;—Mr Thos McGinty
Ass. Mar—Mr H O'Rourke
Guard—Mr E Flaherty.
Trustees—Messrs. Geo Abearn, P. O'Donnell, W S Merrell, A Sharpe, Chas McDonald.

Mr. Bibby who has been elected to the presidency for the next six months is well acquainted with the society's requirements having served in many other offices.

Clothing Caught In Pulley And Was Torn From Employee's Back

This morning, at the Brinton Carpet Works, a rather bad accident happened to Mr. John Wheeler, an English labourer. He was enlarging a hole through a wall for a shaft, when in some manner his coat caught in a pully, tearing almost every stitch of clothing off his back. Dr. Greer was on the spot almost immediately and reported that no bones were broken, but that he was badly bruised and shaken up. The Dan Spence ambulance was called and he was conveyed to his home on McGill street.

THE WEDDING PRESENTS DISAPPEARED

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Fitzgerald Lose $250 Worth of Goods.

A letter received this morning from Mr. Clarence Fitzgerald, formerly of Peterborough, and now of Vancouver, B. C., tells of the theft of some valuables from his residence there, a few days ago. One evening he and Mrs. Fitzgerald went out for a three hour visit, and on their return found that the house had been broken into and that their wedding presents, including silverware, glassware, etc., to the value of about $250, had been stolen.

Mr. Fitzgerald is a son of Mr. G. W. Fitzgerald, London street.

A SPIRITED RUNAWAY ON SATURDAY EVENING

One of Mr. Marvin's Delivery Horses Gets Away—Driver Stays With the Sleigh.

On Saturday afternoon the horse attached to Marvin's delivery sleigh broke a hold back, at the corner of of Charlotte and Aylmer streets, and ran down Charlotte street to George street, up Simcoe to Water and along Water to Brock, where it was stopped. On Simcoe street a number of sleighs leaving the market got rather jarred, but the horse managed to get through without doing any damage to the sleigh behind it, but how many people had the paint rubbed off their sleighs is not known. The driver stayed with the outfit all through and never lost a thing out of the sleigh, which was a marvellous sight to any one watching the way it tried to find both sides of the road at once.

Auburn Sunday School Xmas Tree and Entertainment, Tuesday evening, Dec 22nd, admission 15c or 2 for 25c. A good Programme assured.

THE MUSIC AT MARK STREET CHURCH YESTERDAY

Splendid music was given yesterday at the Mark street Methodist Church. It was as follows:—

Morning.

Hymn 111.
Anthem: "Thee We Adore," by C. Lorenz. Solos by Mrs. Matchett, Miss Kennedy and Mr. Callander.
Hymn 144.
Duet and Chorus: "O, Little Town of Bethlehem." Duet by Mrs. Sargent and Miss Kennedy.
Offertory: Quartette: "Bethlehem Star," by J. B. Wilson; Messrs. Coon, Callander, Succee and Speer.
Hymn 146.

Evening.

Hymn 143.
Anthem: "Calm on the Listening Ear of Night," by Carrie B. Adams. Solo by Mrs. Sargent.
Hymn 145.
Solo: "Emmanuel," by Paul Rodney. Mr. T. Pratt.
Offertory Quartette: "Praise Him," by C. Austin Mills. Mrs. Matchett, Miss Coon, Messrs. Callander and Speer.

Mr. Pratt's solo was an especially interesting feature.

COCOA DEMONSTRATION.

—The free demonstration of Cowan's Cocoa, Chocolates and Icing at White & Gillespie's store, George street, is growing more interesting to the ladies every day. All this week Miss Shepherd, the expert from Toronto, will be in attendance. Call in and have a cup of cocoa and sample the toothsome delicacies on exhibition. Cowan's Icings are also very popular.

Crisp Christmas Gifts

You enter some stores and a feeling creeps over you that unaccountably you find yourself wishing you hadn't entered and you either go away without making your intended purchases or take something that you do not like. You also go into stores that appeal to your fine sense of taste, the atmosphere seems to give off a Crispness that charms you and you go away with a pleased feeling—It's not the store it's the goods and the general feeling of good will displayed by the salespeople.

We will not say that our Toggery Shop is the height of perfection but we claim to aim at it; we do know our Goods are the crisp new kind, the very breath of fashion. They appeal to others, why not you?

Three days more to do your Xmas shopping—Come to this exclusive shop for "Gifts for Him"

Cressman's
TOGGERY SHOP
389 GEORGE ST.

LOCAL MEN ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF WHITBY MAN

High County Constable of Ontario County Coming With Warrants To-night

Charged with false pretences and false misrepresentations in connection with the Cold Storage Company, two Peterborough men are to-day under arrest at the local police station, awaiting the arrival of High County Constable Wm. Calverley, of Whitby. Chief Rosser had the men arrested on the request of the constable, who will be in the city on the evening train with the warrants. The plaintiff is John Emmerson, residing near Whitby.

SOME X-MAS HINTS

A FEW MORE TRINKETS

and:

Fobs from 50c to $25.00
Necklets from $1.25 to $50.00
Stick Pins from 25c to $200.00
Cuff Links from 25c to $7.50
Beauty Pins from 25c to $3.50
Lockets from 50c to $15.00

We are making a leader of a

$4.25 Cut Glass Bowl

Until Christmas this will be only

$2.98

A Cut Glass Nappie

for $1.50, the regular price of which is

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MILBURN
The Jeweller
Phone 614 349 George St.

WANTED.

WANTED — REPRESENTATIVE FOR Peterborough, by the General Accident Assurance Co., Toronto, for its Industrial Sickness and Accident Insurance. First-class men only need apply. 3d 119 4655

WANTED — WORK OF ANY KIND, sawing wood, taking out ashes or any odd job by respectable man. Apply at this office. dh 3d

WANTED — ORGANIZER IN PETERborough for first-class social and beneficial order; good remuneration. Address R. E. A. Land, National Club, Toronto. 30d 112 4592

HOUSES AND ROOMS TO LET

TO LET — HOUSE, CORNER OF George and Perry streets; electric light, city water. Apply J .J. Turner & Sons, George street. 3d 117 4675

FURNISHED ROOM FOR ONE OR Two to let, modern conveniences 5 minutes walk from Post Office. Apply 276 Hunter street. 6d114

TO RENT — SUITE OF ROOMS OVER J. C. Turnbull & Company's store, Simcoe street; the rooms have all modern conveniences. Rent $10.00 per month; immediate possession. Apply 437 George street. tf

TO RENT—OFFICE No. 12 IN BANK OF Commerce Building; heated, possession immediately. Apply at 437 George street.

NEW HOUSES TO LET; RENT REduced. Apply to Jas. R. Bell, No. 161 Hunter street. 3m154

TO RENT — HOUSE No. 342 RUBIDGE street; hot water heating and all modern conveniences; immediate possession. Apply 437 George street. d-tf

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Houses to Let at reasonable rent. Apply for particulars at **W. H. BRADBURN'S OFFICE** over Dominion Bank, corner George and Simcoe Streets. dtf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE, CHEAP, A GOOD DRIVING Horse. Apply 704 George street. 1d 119 4697

FOR SALE — ORGAN IN GOOD CONdition, at a bargain; Price $10.00. Apply 199 Charlotte street. 3d 117 4680

FOR SALE — WELL ESTABLISHED Boarding House in excellent position Peterborough; good connection, 10 rooms, small garden, stabling and shed. Proprietor must leave, having another business. Price of furniture only; a snap! Office of Examiner. 6d 117 4673

FOR SALE — LARGE TENT, 26 FEEET square, with 8-foot side wall. Apply at Examiner office. 3d 117 4662

FOR SALE — TEN SHARES FULLY paid up stock in the Peterborough Sandstone Brick Co., worth $50.00 per share; 25 per cent. will be given if sold at once. Apply Examiner office. 1m 115 4637

FOR SALE — 320 ACRES RAW WHEAT Land, Moose Jaw, Sask., district, twelve hundred dollars cash. Owner: R. J. Healy, 134 Shuter street, Toronto.

ALL KINDS OF ADVERTISING NOVelties, Pocket Mirrors, Tape Measures Hand Mirrors, Paper Weights, Match Holders, etc. Samples at the Examiner office.

FOR SALE—ALL KINDS OF RUBBER Stamps. Apply at Examiner office.

WE ARE SOLE AGENTS FOR PETERborough and the territory between Toronto and Kingston for the Parisian Novelty Co., and have samples of all kinds of advertising novelties on hand. Call and see them at the Examiner office.

FOR SALE

Nice Frame House corner lot, nicely painted and papered, city water, size of lot 60 x 90, for $1,000. This property is a snap—party leaving city.

Beautiful Brick House double parlors, winter kitchen, summer kitchen and wood shed, 6 bed rooms, bath room, complete electric light fixtures, furnace, cement cellar floor and cement walks to front and side entrance. This can be bought for $35 d.

Snaps in Houses and Lots in all parts of the city. Send in your list of houses to rent or sell, we can handle them. Head Office of Northern Life Assurance Co; Ocean Accident and Guarantee Co; Peterborough Sandstone Brick Co., Ontario Coal Co.

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Real Estate Agent

FOR RENT

Double House corner of Harvey and London Sts—all conveniences—good Furnace—Rent Low. apply

H. C. STABLER & CO.
350 WATER STREET
Houses and Lots for sale on easy terms.

FOR SALE

HOUSES
in variety, size, location and price.
LOTS
high and low in price.
FARMS
Several near the city.
INSURANCE
Good and Honourable Companies.

W. MIGHT. 326 George Street Both Phones

A SNAP FOR SOMEONE

The owner of 210 Reid St; who is now living in the West must have his money out of his property at once. New house with bath, furnace, and electric lights. Strictly up to date Make use of this offer, If you have some property that does not suit you, we will exchange it for something that will. Make it a point to see us, before doing anything in real estate.

A. Brown & Co.
306 Water St.
Phones: Office 126., House 474 L
Office open Saturday evening only.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED AT ONCE — GOOD GIRL TO do general housework, no washing. References required; highest wages paid. Apply at the Examiner Office for address. 3ood 115 4635

WANTED IMMEDIATELY — FIRSTclass General Servant, highest wages paid. Apply Mrs. John Crane, 303 Brock street. 3d 113 4583

UPSTAIR GIRL WANTED AT ONCE — Apply to Geo. Lipsett, Maple Leaf Hotel, East City. 3d 115 4634

DINING ROOM GIRL WANTED AT once. Apply to Geo. Lipsett, Maple Leaf Hotel, East City. 3d 115 4632

SITUATIONS WANTED.

SITUATION WANTED BY CAPABLE and respectable woman at housework where she can go home in the evening. Apply at this office. 6 dh

LOST.

LOST — A PARCEL ON CORNER OF Bolivar and Park streets on Wednesday afternoon; parcel was labelled ready for mailing. Finder will please leave at Examiner office. 3d 117 4674

LOST — A WHITE FOX TERRIER with black and brown markings, on Thursday. Finder will please leave at Jas. Lynch's Drug Store, Hunter st. 3d 117 4683

LOST — ON SATURDAY, A PAIR OF Glasses in A. A. Fowler case, T. J. C. on the inside of case. Finder will kindly leave at this office. 2d 117

LOST — ABOUT THREE WEEKS AGO a fox terrier Puppy Dog, three months old, white with black and tan on head. Reward for information left at Examiner office or Oriental Barber Shop. 2d 117 4661

FOUND.

FOUND — ABOUT A WEEK AGO, A Yellow Collie Dog Pup; owner may have same on proving property and paying for this advertisement. Apply Alex Davis, 189 Dublin street. 2d 119 4689

FOUND — ON GEORGE STREET, ON Monday, Dec. 14, Ladys Hand Bag containing a sum of money and other articles; owner can secure same by calling at this office, proving property, and paying for this advertisement. 3d 119 4686

Stop and Consider

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If so, consult us. We handle all classes of property such as Dwellings, building lots, business places, Commercial Sites, Factory and Mill Property, Market Gardens and Farms. As this is the holiday season we invite attention to some of the real bargains we have to offer.

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HOUSES TO RENT

**Modern,
Easy Warmed,
Bath. Water, Light,
Rent is Reasonable.**

Apply 376 Water Street
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BIRDS, Animals, Fish and Snakes stuffed and mounted in the best lifelike style, at the lowest prices.

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FELT FOOTWEAR for outside wear.

COZY SLIPPERS for indoor wear.

DAINTY SHOES for the little ones.

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POOR LAND AND FOREST.

Prof Zavitz of the Ontario Agricultural College, has directed attention to an important fact as set forth in the following from the Toronto News:—"Prof. Zavitz has done a real service to the community in pointing out that some lands in Norfolk county after a century of tillage were producing only $3.75 per acre. A little while ago some misguided people in New Ontario were bombarding the Government to throw some very poor lands covered with timber open to settlement. Would it not be an immense saving both in money and men to allow these lands to remain producing continuous crops of valuable pine and spruce rather than to allow generation after generation to wear its heart out forcing this non-agricultural soil for the pittance of $3.75 per acre?" This strengthens the contention made by the Examiner in an article in a recent issue calling attention to the wisdom and value of reforestry. In this it was pointed out that, on every farm there were waste spots which could be very profitably and beneficially planted to trees. The conditions mentioned by Prof. Zavitz indicate the desirability of action on the part of the Ontario Government. Land that yields only $3.75 an acre, to force the figure, only cumbers the ground. It could be bought at a moderate price and if planted to white pine would, in time, exercise the normal climatic influence of forest growth, and, besides, yield a valuable crop of timber. The drifting sand stretches of Manvers and Cavan were at one time covered with magnificent growths of pine, worth a hundred times more per acre for the timber product than the land is for crops. The Ontario Government has a full treasury and a little of the surplus might well be devoted to purchasing such lands and covering them with forests. No money spent for any purpose can be more profitably employed than it would be in restoring the waste, desolation, capricious rainfall, and capricious and undesirable climatic conditions generally, resulting from destruction of our forests.

Christmas "shopping" should be made a capital offence. From this till Christmas "buying" should be the only rule.

PARTIZAN AND UNPATRIOTIC

The Mail and Empire carries the partial excusable venom of an election campaign into the discussion of public matters, even into Christmas week. To score a party point it seems willing to sacrifice any conceivable public interest. In a recent issue it has this to say:

It is noteworthy that Mr. Hays, who has been telling of the progress of the Grand Trunk Pacific, deals only with the business end of the road. The Laurier, or "fool" section, he passed without comment. It is also worth remembering that the business end of the line was projected by business men, and not by the Laurier Government, and was supported by all parties.

This refers to the interview of Mr. Charles M. Hays, President of the G. T. P., published in the Nineteenth Century. Compare the comments of the vitriolic organ with what Mr. Hays thinks of the line, as a whole, the government part as well as that under construction by the Grand Trunk Pacific Company. Both are of the same standard, and what applies to one applies to the other. Mr. Hays is to be quoted thus:

"Well," said Mr. Hays, "a number of amiable and glib gentlemen hunting seats in the Dominion Parliament, have been on the stump, and these accusations are but the echoes of the late general election. The Canadian voter has replied to them. The Dominion Government is, as you know, our partner in the enterprise and thus to denounce Ministers for reckless extravagance is, of course, all right and proper from the view-point of an Opposition. But I deprecate the allegation, and I denounce the alligator our expenditures have not been excessive, nor beyond the measure of our obligations to the Government and the community. Bear in mind, please, that railroads are not now built as the earlier trans-Continental roads were built, up hill, down dale, on an unballasted road-bed of mud. Such uneconomic methods were permissible when there were a mere handful of ranchmen and trappers to serve, and when the promoters' objective was, first of all, to earn the land grant on which they issued their bonds. But these methods are ancient history; what we require to-day, and what the travelling public means to have, is a first class road-bed with such low gradients and wide curvatures that our trains will run at very high speeds with perfect safety."

The voice of the Mail and Empire is the voice of the political partisan. It does not seek to set forth the facts as to the Grand Trunk Pacific, but to distort them and to get party gain through discrediting the Government to which it is opposed. The Mail and its party have placed themselves in a position of antagonism to a great scheme necessary to the fuller development and growth of Canada, and to logically maintain the position assumed, facts must be twisted and even the dictum of a man best qualified to judge, must be ignored and misrepresented in the unpatriotic game of partisan advantage. It may suit the book of the Mail and its confreres to call the government section of the G. T. P. the "fool" section. But it is simply beating the air. The Grand Trunk Pacific will live in history and help make history long after the maunderings of the Mail are forgotten prey, in lightless lumber rooms, to the mordant moth.

Even with a third trans-continental railway completed the great need of Canada will be transportation and its complement, population.

A LESSON FROM THE TRENT VALLEY.

The Ottawa Free Press is naturally alive to the conditions which obtain in the Ottawa Valley owing to the lack of rain, which has practically caused the Ottawa to go dry. It quotes as an example of the beneficial conservation of our waters, the statement recently published in the Examiner with comments as follows:

The transformation which has come over the Chaudiere Falls, largely because of the insufficient rainfall this autumn, affords the Peterborough Examiner an opportunity to point out that the condition which has caused much loss to Ottawa's industries this year is due not only to lack of rainfall but also to "waste of rainfall." It says:—

"If the upper reaches of the Ottawa and tributary streams had been put under control and the freshets of spring held in reserve, instead of having been allowed to rush away in wasteful magnificence in the springtime, there would have been an available supply of water for power and other purposes, even till the present and for some time to come."

"And then the Examiner proceeds to point out how Peterborough has overcome and met just such a situation as has existed in Ottawa this year":—

"The watershed of the Otonabee has been subjected to the same rain dearth which has made the Ottawa river an immense arroyo, and paralyzed millions of industrial capital. Yet, though the water in the Otonabee is somewhat below the normal level of this time of the year it is still of sufficient robust volume for all the demands made upon it for industrial and other purposes, and there is sufficient held in reserve in the north to insure a sufficient, if not plentiful, flow till rains or melted snow bring about about a normal equilibrium of precipitation and flow. These happy conditions, compared with Ottawa and other places, are entirely due to the system of retaining dams situated in the northern part of our watershed by which reservoirs are created, permitting of the water being stored and released so as to produce an equable flow throughout the year, instead of being allowed to rush wastefully in sweeping spring freshets. When it is remembered that the conservation of water which is, this year especially, the salvation of Peterborough, has been accomplished by the help of dams built long ago, by or under the Ontario Government, before the water passed under Dominion jurisdiction, largely through the initiative and co-operation of Mr. Stratton when he was a member of the Ontario Government, we can better appreciate the advantages resulting to navigation, industrial enterprises and civic conveniences dependent upon an adequate supply of water. Since the water came under the control of the Dominion Government the old dams, which were, many of them, dilapidated and leaky, have been strengthened, many of them have been replaced by new and substantial permanent structures, with the results of which we are to-day reaping the decided advantage. The unfortunate experience of Ottawa and other places this dry season and the contrastingly happy experience of Peterborough and other points on the Trent waters, not only justify but insistently call for an extension and elaboration of the conservation system in the Trent Valley district, and also its extension to other places. By extensive, if not reckless, removal of nature's reservoirs, the original forests, we have made artificial conservation necessary. The meteorological conditions this year have forced this subject into a position challenging attention. For the past six months or so the Atlantic Ocean has been thirstily drinking up the water supply of the province, with Jupiter Pluvius withholding a supply."

"Thus instead of putting something aside for a rainy day, Peterborough is able to say that it has stored up its rainy days for its time of need. And there is every hope that when the works now in progress on the Ottawa are completed this city will be able to say the same thing."

True statesmanship combines with foresight, the work to make foresight effective.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The whisper goes round the German Kaiser's bailiwick that he is getting into the same class as George III. of England.

All around Hamilton the forests are cut away but the city is still in the backwoods stage—it runs its municipal elections on party lines. Poor Hamilton!

The Montreal Herald calls attention to the fact that the members of the new Dominion Parliament are good looking. A proper pendent to such a statement is the homely old saying "handsome is as handsome does."

The advertising columns of the Examiner are an excellent guide to profitable Christmas buying and should be taken with the suggestion that the buys twice who buys quickly, that is buys to doubly good advantage—in the matter of selection and convenience to the shopper and others.

The Toronto Mail and Empire and the Toronto News use their columns and the Christmas season to sow the seeds of national discord, and keep alive contentious subjects, while the altruistic Toronto Star uses its space to shatter "combines" and exploit Christmas dinner funds for the poor.

We hear with a shudder the report that Hearst, of New York, has bought the Montreal Witness. The decent and staid files of the Witness would shrink and squirm in their covers if such an enormity were perpetrated. Mr. Dougall, of the Witness denies the report emphatically. The Witness, as we know it, would be Hearst in a double sense if such a profanation had been committed.

Mr. John Hoodless, of Hamilton, advocates the placing of a number of females on the Board of Education in that city. We are afraid Mr. Hoodless takes a prejudiced view of the matter. He is blessed with a wife, who has particularly sane ideas on education and on a good many other things, and is, perhaps, charitable enough to think that other women may be equally capable and sensible.

For the nine months ending with September the mines of Ontario produced minerals to the value of $12,205,795. The products were as follows:

	Tons.	Value.
Arsenic	404	$ 19,592
Cobalt	498	80,623
*Gold	1,738	40,796
*Silver	12,223,834	6,141,090
Copper	5,892	837,559
Nickel	7,760	1,494,693
Iron ore	166,088	448,532
Iron pyrites	13,417	43,918
Pig iron	189,287	3,098,661

*Ounces.

CHEERFULNESS IN THE HOME

Cheerfulness is the keynote of Christmas as it should be spent. If you wish to be a participant in the glad tidings remember that this is a holiday season, a time when everybody is more or less liable to step aside from the beaten track of commonplace, everyday actions.

The home as the centre of the family circle and the place for the celebration of the Christmas festival, must always be a place of sunshine and cheerfulness. There is nothing that detracts from the proper spirit of happiness like a cross look, a harsh word or an unwelcome attitude.

Your husband feels the happiness of the season and becomes, possibly, overexuberant in consequence. If he is generally a normal man who can be relied upon at all times, do not be cross with him—whether his offence consists in falling off the water wagon or spending too much money for presents for his friends.

Children have grown to look upon Christmas with its Santa Claus and its Christmas tree and its beautiful traditions as being especially their own property. They will, in the fulness of their own happiness sometimes overstep the line of prudence. Should they do so remember that it is your duty to be cheerful, even if you must correct them, for unto you is born a King."

The value of cheerfulness is not thoroughly understood by a certain type of woman. She will sigh and moan and rack her brain looking for some reason to find fault with something or somebody. Her life appears like a constant effort to make herself miserable. And she succeeds admirably not only in making herself miserable, but also makes herself old looking, hurts her nervous system and has many other effects that are not conducive to health and sanity. Those who come in contact with this woman feel her disposition and become equally unhappy. 'Tis a case of poor human nature which always accepts the unreal and the cheerless.

THE CHEERFUL WOMAN

A cheerful woman is one of the greatest blessings God can provide. It is a beautiful thing to meet one of these angels anywhere. Recently a so-called captain of industry, who employs thousands of men, got on a street car to go to his office. His mind was preoccupied with deals and a thousand and one things that make life burdensome and the hair prematurely gray. The conductor was possibly more gruff than the average of his kind and he did not want any time wasted. He wished to live up to the company's schedule without doing so cheerfully. A woman in the car attracted the attention of the millionaire she was good to look at, comfortably, but plainly dressed, and well along in years. But, oh, such a smile as adorned her countenance. She looked the whole world in the face with the smile of an optimist. The conductor approached her and gruffly demanded her fare. The woman gave it to him, and said something cheerful about the weather, while he punched the transfer. The financier recognized the woman as the wife of a hard-working day labourer employed by himself, and afterwards assured his brother that he could not help making a contrast between her and his own pampered women folk. On the morning in question his wife had developed a nervous headache, because the water in her bath was not the proper temperature. It need not be said that the man with money envied the poor employee's lot as the husband of a happy and contented woman.

At Christmas tide it behooves every woman to be cheerful. Though your blessings be few you can be grateful for them and happy and cheerful in their enjoyment. Make your cheerfulness in adversity lay its imprint on the hearts of your children so that when they grow up and have young ones of their own about them they may bless you for the lesson you taught and the happiness you made possible to them.

Wardrobes, Ottoman Boxes, Bureaus

and any Special Furniture made to order Hardwood Floors Laid and Polished Apply—

E. COURTNEY
527 CONCESSION ST. PHONE 465k

SNOWSHOES AND TOBOGGANS

Make a most seasonable and acceptable gift. We carry a very large assortment in all sizes and prices.

J. J. TURNER & SONS
George St., Peterborough, Ont.

NOW AND THEN a merchant gets it into his head that "one advertising medium is as good as another." He then proceeds to buy his advertising in a way to discredit his business judgment.

People will be pretty sure to infer that a merchant who buys his advertising unwisely will buy his store-stocks unwisely—and of course this may not always be true. But it is always a good plan to show the same discrimination in buying advertising space that you show in buying the stocks which you are advertising. At all events you will act wisely if you advertise in the EXAMINER.

TELEPHONE 57K

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH WEST LAND REGULATIONS

ANY PERSON who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother, or sister of intending homesteader.

DUTIES—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price $3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price $3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth $300.00.

N.B.—Unauthorised publications of this advertisement will not be paid for.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy of the Minister of Interior

Sealed Tenders adressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tenders for quarters for Stable Establishment, Kinston, Ontario," will be received at this office until 4.00 p.m. on Monday, December 28th, 1908, for the construction of Quarters for Stable Establishment R. M. C., Kingston, Ont.

Plans and specifications can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department and on application to H. P. Smith, Esq., Architect, Kingston, Ont.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with their actual signatures.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank made payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent., 10 p. c. of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The department does not bind itself to accept the lowest of any tender.

By order,
NAPOLEON TESSIER,
Secretary.
Department of Public Works.
Ottawa, December 12, 1908.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.

Sealed Tenders addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Masonry, Concrete Pile Work, &c., at Kingston Military College," will be received at this office until 4.00 P.M. on Thursday, January 7, 1909, for the construction of Block and Mass Concrete, Dry Masonry Walls, Renewal of old foundation timbers of Pile Pier, in front of Royal Military College at Kingston, County of Frontenac, Ontario, according to a plan and specification, to be seen at the offices of J. G. Sing, Esq., Resident Engineer, Confederation Life Building, Toronto, on application to the Postmaster at Kingston, Ont., and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, for twelve hundred dollars ($1,200.00), must accompany each tender. The cheque will be forfeited if the person tendering decline the contract or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
NAPOLEON TESSIER,
Secretary.
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, Dec. 7, 1908.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the department. 4s-113

How About this List?

It includes a lot of Gift Suggestions that ought to appeal to those who are looking for something that will be appreciated.

Electric Goods and Fixtures

In Portable Lamps, Toasters, Smoothing Irons, Radiators, etc.

Nickel Plated Tea and Coffee Pots, Crumb Trays and Brushes. Tea Trays, round and square, in genuine Carpathian ware.

Large assortment of Fireplace Furniture, including Screens, Fenders, Fire Irons, Dogs, Etc.

Call and look them over.

F. J. R. MacPherson & Co
LIMITED
341 GEORGE ST.

CENTRAL CANADA LOAN & SAVINGS COY.

BANKS ST. E. TORONTO

Notice is hereby given that a Quarterly Dividend for the three (3) months ending Dec. 31st, 1908, at the rate of eight per cent. (8%) per annum, has been declared upon the Capital Stock of this institution, and the same will be payable at the offices of the Company in this city on and after Jan. 1st, 1909.

The transfer books will be closed from the 20th to the 31st. day of Dec. 1908, both days inclusive. By order of the board.

E. H. WOOD, Man. Dir.

GET YOUR SKATES
SHARPENED

Good time now to get them in order for the first ice, before the rush of orders come in later on.

Repairs of all kinds done in an expert manner.

MURRAY MILLER
Opposite St. John's Church
Corner Queen and Hunter Sts.

EMPIRE NEWS AGENCY
and Book Exchange

Best line of Christmas Cards and Booklets (Track's) in the city; also Comb and Brush Sets, Fountain Pens, Dolls and Toys.

We have a full line of Cigars, Tobaccos, Books, Stationery and Magazines, Candies, Christmas Bells and all the English Christmas Annuals, with beautiful Pictures free of cost.

Papers Free of Cost to our customers.

S. J. MURPHY
306 CHARLOTTE STREET

A Sleigh Drive

When you want an up-to-date Hack, Victoria or Pleasure Sleigh, call up

R. GIBBS
LIVERY Water Street

Orders for Pleasure-Driving, Weddings and other events promptly attended to.

BOTH PHONES 50

Holiday Bill o' Fare

EVERYDAY AT

ALEX. GORDON'S MEAT MARKET

For your Holiday Bill of fare we have provided an abundance for all.

Prime Roasts of Beef and **Choice Steaks** from specially fattened cattle.

Well Fed Mutton, Lamb and Pork, guaranteed of finest quality.

Sausages and Fancy Meats.

We have laid in a large supply of **Fowl, Turkeys, Geese, Chickens** and **Ducks** gathered from selected flocks, and properly killed and plucked.

There is nothing in our store but what is most appetizing.

ALEX. GORDON
Market Butcher Shop, Market Arcade

MADE IN CANADA
GILLETT'S
CREAM
TARTAR
CHEMICALLY PURE
Canadian Government tests show we have the purest, and highest strength goods. Gillett's is used by the best Bakers and Caterers everywhere. Costs no more than the inferior adulterated kinds.
E. W. GILLETT CO., LTD.
Toronto, Ont.

Drink all the Porter you like. But drink the Porter that "likes you"—
O'Keefe's
Special Extra Mild PORTER
Never makes you bilious —because it's pure and old.
A. ROUNTREE, AGENT,
416 Water Street.

THANKS and THANKS AGAIN
For the orders you have given us during the past year
For COAL And WOOD
Rest assured we more than appreciate your favours, and will endeavour in the future to continue to serve you right and merit your future favours.
PETERBOROUGH FUEL AND CARTAGE COMPANY, Limited
162 CHARLOTTE ST.—Phones: Bell 270, 261; Mech. 270.
134 AYLMER ST.—Phone, Bell 263.

EAST CITY
Coal and Wood
YARD
MAIN OFFICE:—Corner Hunter and Mark Streets, East City. Phone 96
All sizes of Best Mined Coal delivered promptly to all parts of the city. Terms strictly cash.
Dry Hemlock Slabs $2.75 per cord,
Blacksmiths Coal $7.00 per ton
NOVEMBER PRICES:
COAL—Egg, Stove and Nut, per ton. $7.50
Pea, or No. 2 Nut, per ton....$6.50
WEIR & O'BRIEN
ARCH. WEIR JAMES O'BRIEN

Does Your Overcoat Look Shabby?
Better let us press it for you—perhaps it needs a new velvet collar. We make them look like new. Ladies' and Gents' Clothing cleaned repaired and pressed.
LEW. LeBAR
Clothing Renovator
203 SIMCOE ST. - PHONE 682

TORONTO SAVINGS AND LOAN CO.
437 GEORGE ST., PETERBOROUGH
NOTICE is hereby given that a Quarterly dividend for the three months ending December 31st, 1908, at the rate of
Six Per Cent (6%) Per Annum
has been declared upon the Capital Stock of this Institution, and the same will be payable at the offices of the Company in this City on and after
Saturday, the 2nd Day of January, 1909
The transfer books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st day of January, 1909, both days inclusive.
By order of the Board,
W. G. MORROW,
Managing Director
Peterborough, December 17th, 1908

SINGER SEWING MACHINE CO
J. W. STUART
Office—317 George Street. Peterboro.

PARLIAMENT IS OVER IN LONDON

British House Closes To-Day With Little Accomplished.

FIVE BILLS FELL THROUGH

Asquith's Most Important Measures Failed For Various Reasons, and of Ten Big Proposals Only Five Passed—Another Session Is Probable —Liberals Are Not United Under the Present Premier.

London, Dec. 21.—So far as practical work is concerned, the first session of Parliament under the Premiership of Herbert H. Asquith, came to an end Saturday. The two Houses will meet again on Monday, but only to receive the King's assent to bills already passed under, when they will be prorogued until Feb. 16.

Many minor laws were enacted during the year, but of the ten important measures foreshadowed in the King's speech, only five find a place in the statute book. Those are the old-age pension bill, the Irish universities bill, to which assent was given before adjournment for the summer vacation, and measures fixing eight hours as the time miners shall work underground, providing for the purchase of the London docks at $115,000,000, and placing them under a central authority, and a bill for the better protection of children. This last named bill for the better protection of children, prohibits juvenile smoking and aims at preventing minors from visiting saloons.

Of the other measures projected, the licensing bill was rejected by the House of Lords; two education bills were withdrawn because of the failure of the church party and the nonconformists to report a compromise; the bills that aimed at the better housing of the working classes was put off until the next session, while the promised measure for Irish land valuation never saw light and the Irish land purchase bill was dropped.

The session widened the break between the Liberals and the House of Lords. The rejection of the licensing bill, for which the Liberals claimed they had received a mandate at the election of 1906, augmented the bad feeling resulting last year from the rejection or mutilation by the Lords of the education, plural voting and Scottish land valuation bills.

There is still talk of the dissolution of Parliament and an appeal to the country against the action of the Lords, but it is more likely that Premier Asquith will try another session, the main feature of which will be the budget, introducing radical changes in taxation. These changes include the reform of the income tax, a high license for saloons and taxation on land values, which would chiefly affect brewers, land owners and the wealthier classes and which the Liberal leaders believe would prove popular with the masses. One difficulty arises in the fact that the bonds uniting the various factions of the Liberal party are not so close under Mr. Asquith as under Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, and the Liberals would not present such a united front as they did in the last election.

French Cardinal Dead.

Chambery, France, Dec. 21.—Cardinal Victor Lucian Sulpice Lecot, archbishop of Bordeaux, died at an hotel here yesterday from hemorrhage of the brain, while returning from a visit to Rome.

Cardinal Lecot was the leader of the movement among a group of French ecclesiastics to find a basis of settlement in the difference which has arisen between the Government and the church. He was the exponent of Liberalism in the College of Cardinals, and went to Rome to submit to the Pope a plan for the amelioration of the material condition of the French clergy.

Bitten By Snake.

Kissimmee, Fla., Dec. 21.—While hunting thirty miles down the Kissimmee river on Saturday afternoon, H. C. Fountain, a prominent contractor, aroused a big rattlesnake, and in a fight killed the reptile only after it had sunk its fangs in his flesh.

With his hunting-knife he cut away the poisoned flesh, digging out the wound, and when he was found by the two men who were hunting with him, was able to hobble with their aid. He reached his home here yesterday, but died despite all efforts to save him.

Fire In Halifax.

Halifax, Dec. 21.—Fire last night destroyed a large building on Argyle street used as a boarding-house in connection with the Carleton Hotel. The building was formerly occupied as a residence by Sir Charles Tupper, when he was city medical officer of Halifax. The occupants had a miraculous escape, many being rescued with ladders by firemen. No one was seriously hurt.

Suicides In Trunk.

Rochester, Minn., Dec. 21.—Mrs. Nellie C. Purcell, who was recently discharged as cured from the Rochester Hospital for the Insane, crowded herself into a large trunk Saturday at her sister's home, closed the lid, and then inhaled chloroform, which caused her death.

Sign New Wage Scale.

Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 21.—At the close of the first day of the strike of the National Window Glass Workers, inaugurated to enforce the adoption of the new wage scale with a 25 per cent. increase, President Faulkner announced that six plants had signed.

Chilian Minister Resigns.

Santiago, Dec. 21—The Chilian Ministry, of which Senor Solomayor was Premier and Minister of the Interior, resigned on Saturday.

Building Mover Killed.

North Sydney, N.S., Dec. 21.—John Ings, a building mover, slipped and fell from a staging Saturday and was killed.

STATUTORY MEETING OF THE OTONABEE COUNCIL

Many Small Accounts to be Paid—Changes in Assessment.

The statutory meeting of the Township Council was held in the Township Treasurer's office, in the City of Peterborough, on Tuesday, December 15th, 1908, at 2 p. m. All the members were present, the reeve, Mr. Brown, presiding. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

Mr. O LePlante appeared before the council and produced a plan of survey, showing a sub-division of parts 13, 14 and 15 in township lot 15 in the 11 concession, and requested the council to consent to the registration of the said plan.

Mr. G. Hatton appeared and produced a plan showing the sub-division of southwest quarter of township lot 12 in the 13 concession, and asked the council to consent to the registration of the plan.

Mr. W. H. Bradburn, the township treasurer, presented the financial statement of the township for the year. This was adopted and the clerk was instructed to have it printed and published, according to law.

The following accounts were handed in:

Thomas Brown, refund of dog tax	$ 1 00
Estate A McDonald & Co., materials for bridges, etc	58 59
B. Shortly, bag for township works	1 75
W. Taylor & Co., tile for culverts	2 10
Times Printing Co., account to date	51 61
G. W. Bennett, disbursements, etc	12 30
F Monerief, work on bridge	1 00
E Sanders, work on bridge	75
John McIntosh, making tile	15 50
Peterborough Hardware Co., cement, etc	19 68
J. Batten, spikes	3 18
J. Clarke, work at washout	13 24
G. Kinnie, work on washout	4 80
L. Fry, work on washout	1 20
B. Colin, work on washout	8 00
W. J Byers, goods	52
Dennistoun, Peck & Kerr, law costs	42 00
H. Brown, gravel, 112 loads	11 20
J. Madill gravel, 58 leads	5 30
R. Colin, culvert, road division No. 2	5 00

On motion of Messrs. May and Dobbin, the accounts as presented were passed and ordered to be paid.

The township treasurer drew the attention of the council to an error on the part of the Canadian Bank of Commerce in a deposit entry, in the township account, whereby the bank would lose the sum of $10.

On motion of Messrs. Howden and Forster, an order was authorized to be issued in favour of the Bank of Commerce the difference in the township account caused by the error.

On motion of Messrs. May and Forster the plan showing the sub-division of south west 1-4 of lot 12 in 14 concession, of the Township of North Monaghan, was approved and the reeve and clerk were authorized to sign the same and attach the corporate seal thereto for the purposes of registration thereof.

On motion of Messrs. Howden and May, the application made by Mr. LaPlante for the consent of the council to the registration of the plan of sub-division of parks 13, 14 and 15, in the 11 concession, was referred to the township solicitor.

Orders were issued in payment of the following county schools monies:

County Treasurer	$1,992 64
Jas. W Lillico, S. S. No. 1	578 00
G. H. May, S. S. No. 2	1,290 00
H. I. Adamson, S. S No. 3	475 00
J. Smythe, S. S. No. 4	275 00
J. Corkery, Separate School	80 00

Orders were also issued in payment of the following sessional allowances and salaries for 1908:

J. Brown, sessional allowance	330 00
G. H May, sessional allowance	25 00
R Dobbin, sessional allowance	25 00
H. J. Forster, sessional allowance	25 00
W. G Howden, sessional allowance	25 00
G. W Bennett, half salary	50 00
W. H Bradburn, half salary	50 00
H. Sanderson, half salary	7 50
E. A. Peck, half salary	30 00

Council then adjourned until December 19th inst., to meet in the same place at the same hour.

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ENNISMORE COUNCIL MEETING

The annual meeting of the 15th of December, 1908, was held in the Town Hall, Ennismore, on that day; all members being present.

S. Killen, Reeve, occupied the chair.

On motion of Messrs. Perdue and Harrington, By-law No. 326, for the purpose of buying a road across the second concession of the Township of Ennismore, off the east side of the north half of lot number four in said concession, be read a first time, carried.

On motion of Messrs. Harrington and Crough By-law No. 326 was read a second time.

On motion of Messrs. Perdue and Cavanagh By-law No. 326 was read a third time, and the corporate seal was attached thereon. Carried.

The above mentioned road shall be bought in lieu of the communication roads between lots five and six in the second concession of the Township of Ennismore, which was sold to James Gifford on the 10th of November, 1908.

On motion of the council the following accounts were drawn on the treasurer.

P. J.Scollard, postage and stationery	$ 2.08
Municipal World	1.00
John Moloney, balance of salary as township clerk and secretary of the board of health	25.00
Daniel Costello, for building a culvert	5.00
Cornelius O'Reilley for work performed on road between lots 10 and 11 in the 7th concession of Township of Ennismore,	25.00
John Brick for work on road	10.00
John Moloney for repairing sidewalk,	1.00
John O'Reilly, salary as treasurer,	30.00
Wm. Y. Scollard, over assessment,	1.00
Reeve and council one day's service in council,	10.00

Council adjourned till the call of the Reeve.

DOURO COUNCIL

The Douro council met on Tuesday December 15th, pursuant to adjournment. Members all present. On motion the minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

Moved by M. Walsh, seconded by W. J. Charlton, that P. Farley, be appointed commissioner to dispose of trees on line of road between concession 8 and 9 in front of lots 11 and 12. Carried.

Mover by P. Farley, seconded by B. Leahy that Commissioner Charlton be appointed to meet the Dummer commissioner with regard to putting pump in well on boundary between Douro and Dummer with power to act. Carried.

Moved by B. Leahy, seconded by P. Farley, that the treasurer be authorized to refund Daniel Moloney and James McCliggott their taxes less the School Tax and H. O. R. Tax on account of loss sustained by fire; and the clerk authorized to furnish the treasurer with said amounts from collector's roll. Carried.

Moved by M. Walsh, seconded by W. J. Charlton, that the treasurer's financial statement of receipts and expenses for year 1908, be received and adopted; and that the clerk get 150 copies printed for distribution among the ratepayers. Carried.

By-law No. 691 confirming an agreement between the City of Peterborough and Municipality of Douro re boundary roads, by which the city agrees to maintain from corner of Smith and Concession street north and the Municipality of Douro maintain from said corner of Smith and Concession street east; the city further agrees to pay $50.00 towards building culverts on Douro portion of boundary, received its several readings and was passed, signed and sealed.

Orders on treasurer were: To John Leahy $1.00, being overcharge of statute labour; Robert Campbell, secretary-treasurer S. S. No. 3, Douro for $5.50, being half-cost of wire for fence in front of school property in said section; John Whibbs $1.00, overcharge statute labour; Lachlan Nolan $3.00, overcharge of statute labour; Michael Torpey $3.00, overcharge statute labour; Fred Sedgwick $2.00; overcharge of statute labour; Michael Barry $1.55, for repairs to grader; Michael McCann $1.00, repairs to moulds; the Reeve, 45 cents being freight on spring for grader; John O'Grady $2.50 for gravel; Timothy Garvey $9.60, for building culvert; H. P. Crowley $4.00, for repairing culvert; T. E. Jory $5.90, building culvert; Robert Jory $3.50, for repairing two culverts; Henry Ingram $1.50, for repair culvert; John Buckley $1.50 for gravel; James Martin $50.25, for placing water-trough on Dummer road; Adamson & Dobbin $7.39, for piping for same; A. P. Poussette, $3.00, legal advice re. B. L. Drain; John F. Condon $7.50, for repairing culvert and bridge on Dummer road; and P. G. Towns, treasurer, 55c for use of telephone.

Moved by P. Farley, seconded by W. J. Charlton, that the treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to pay the following named persons the sums set opposite their respective names, viz.:

The Reeve, 1 day sessional allowance $2.50, and 5 days commission $10.00, $12.50; Coun. H. Leahy, 1 day sessional allowance $2.50; Coun. P. Farley, 1 day sessional allowance $2.50, and 3 days commission $6.00, $8.50; Coun. W. J. Charlton, 1 day sessional allowance $2.50, and 3 days commission $6.00, $8.50; Coun. M. Walsh, 1 day sessional allowance $2.50; Reeve, 2 days re. financial statement, $4.00; Treasurer, 2 days re. financial statement $4.00, postage $1.00; $5.00; Clerk, postage for 1908 $7.50.

Moved by M. Walsh, seconded by P. Farley that the council adjourn.

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ANOTHER OF PETERBORO'S YOUNG MEN ORDAINED TO PRIESTHOOD AT ST. PETER'S

Rev. Victor Gregory McFadden, Son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin McFadden, Elm Street, Received Sacrament of Holy Orders Yesterday — His Lordship Bishop O'Connor Performed Ceremony.

VERY LARGE CONGREGATION

At St. Peter's Cathedral yesterday morning another of Peterborough's young men was received into the priesthood of the Catholic Church, and invested with the sacerdotal powers to assist in carrying on the work which was instituted by Jesus Christ.

Victor McFadden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin McFadden, Elm street, was the candidate for the sacrament of Holy Orders, which was performed by His Lordship Bishop O'Connor, during Pontifical High Mass, which he celebrated instead of the regular high mass at 10.30 o'clock. The ordination of a young man to the holy office of the priesthood is one of the most important functions of the Catholic Church, and as such, the ceremony is impressive in its solemnity. The fact that the cathedral's capacity was overtaxed was an evidence that the whole congregation were interested in the important step which was taken by the candidate, who is widely known in the city, where he has a host of friends, by whom he is held in highest esteem.

Scholastic Career

Rev. Father McFadden is in his twenty-sixth year, His education was begun at the old Murray Street Separate School, from which he passed his entrance examinations when eleven years old. He attended the Collegiate Institute, securing in succession what was then known as the third, second and first class certificates. Deciding to study for the priesthood he spent one year at St. Michael's College, Toronto. Going from there he spent three years at the Grand Seminary, Montreal, where he won distinction in his advanced studies. He next attended Ottawa College for one year, taking the degree of Bachelor of Arts. During the last two years and a half he has been at St. Michael's College, where he took further studies in Theology, and was also for a time a member of the teaching staff. He was ready to enter the priesthood several years ago, but considered that he was rather young to then assume that office.

The Ceremony

The ordination was performed by His Lordship Bishop O'Connor, who was assisted by Rev. Father McColl, Rev. Father O'Brien and Rev. Father Roche, of Toronto. His Lordship celebrated mass, wearing full pontificals, emblematic of the sacred power he confers upon the supplicant for ordination. Having previously received the minor orders and also the sacred orders of sub-deaconship and deaconship after having been duly examined as to his conduct and morals, his knowledge of sacred Scripture, theology, etc., the candidate, arrayed in the vestments of a deacon, was presented to His Lordship, and it having been asserted, that as far as it was possible to judge, he was worthy of the sublime office, His Lordship spoke to the congregation, saying that if any one knew any reason why the candidate should not be promoted to the priesthood to come forward and speak what he knew.

The ceremony was then continued after the Litany of the Saints was sung, His Lordship blessed the candidate thrice, after which the Bishop and attending clergymen performed the ceremony of the imposition of hands. After the recitation of certain prescribed prayers, His Lordship, seated, removed the stole from the candidate's left shoulder, and crossing it over his heart, said:

"Receive thou the yoke of the Lord, for His yoke is easy and His burden light."

The Bishop then invested him with the chasuble, folded on the shoulders, with the following words:

"Receive the sacerdotal vestment by which charity is understood, for God is powerful to increase in thee charity and every perfect work.

The candidate next received the powers to bless and consecrate, to offer sacrifice to God and to forgive sins. Then the Bishop unfolded the chasuble and clothed the candidate entirely with it, saying—

"With the stole of innocence may the Lord clothe thee." After he had promised obedience to the Bishop and his successor, His Lordship gave him the kiss of peace and admonished him in the prescribed form, and after standing and blessing him, the newly ordained priest, kneeling, received a concluding injunction.

The Sermon

The sermon for the occasion was preached by Rev. Father Roach of St. Michael's College, Toronto. His text was from St. Paul to the Corinthians 4-1, "Brethren, let a man so account of us as of the ministers of Christ, and the dispensers of the mysteries of God.' Rev. Father Roach said that the congregation was witnessing the celebration of a sacrament that lies at the foundation of things religious. He asked that they go back with him to the eve when Christ sat with His disciples at the last supper just previous to His delivering Himself to the Jews. At that table He took bread, broke it and gave it to His apostles, saying "Take ye and eat; this is my body" And taking the chalice He said. "Drink ye all of this, for this is my blood of the New Testament, which shall be shed for many unto the remission of sins."

Rev. Father Roach said that the world had always been conscious that there is something better than the life we are now living. The pages of history have been ransacked to find some people that did not have a sacrifice. Invariably sacrifice has entailed the idea of sin. Long ago the sages spoke of a golden age, when there was peace among men. This was followed by another in which there was wrong-doing, combat, and sin, and contemporaneous with sin there was sacrifice.

Sacrifice Needed

The speaker gave a history of religious sacrifices from the earliest ages. Sin was everywhere and man felt impotent in its presence and unable to cope with it. He felt obliged to offer something to God as an atonement for what had been done. There had been sin amongst the very angels and afterwards by it man became a fallen and degenerate race.

Continuing Rev. Father Roach beautifully portrayed the coming of Christ. His life upon the earth and His death and sacrifice on Calvary for the redemption of mankind. It suffered for us as man, but as God that sacrifice was sufficient to appease the wrath of His Father in Heaven.

After Christ had given His command to His apostles at the last supper, they had gone into the world and continued His work and since that time men have done likewise pronouncing the efficacous words which He had ordered.

Some are Chosen

Rev. Father Roach dwelt upon the necessity of having priests. "They are chosen for you" he said, "because we are all sinners and we need a representative of Christ to perform the sacrifice of the mass to forgive sins and to consecrate bread and wine changing it into His body and blood. Christ wanted to be with His people and for that reason we have priests.

All men were redeemed the speaker said, when Christ died for us, and he showed how much worse off would we have been had the Saviour left us no sacraments to commemorate His death and passion. How frequently we are cognizant of the fact that we have sinned and that if death overtook us at that hour we would be lost irretrievably."

Rev. Father Roach concluded by dealing with some of the duties of the priest and congratulated the parish and the family of the candidate that they were giving to God a young man to labour in His cause.

The Bishop's Address

At the conclusion of the mass Bishop O'Connor stated that it was a matter of congratulation that the parish had given another of its young men to labour not for himself but for the people. The priest, he said, is the mediator between God and man applying the fruits of the death of Jesus Christ to the individual soul. His Lordship asked the people to pray for the young priest. He also asked for the prayers of the congregation that more young men be chosen from the parish for the religious life.

After mass the Rev. Father McFadden gave his first blessing to the people, his parents and brother and sister being the first to receive it. Last night he sang vespers displaying a strong musical voice in the parts in which he had to sing. This morning he said his first mass at eight o'clock and many of his friends and relatives assisted at it.

This morning Rev. Father McFadden left for Toronto for St. Michael's College, where he will say mass tomorrow, and give his friends of that institution his first blessing. He will return to the city on Wednesday. It is not known yet what parish Father McFadden will be assigned to by the Bishop, and in the meantime he will be connected with the Cathedral.

Rev. Father Lynch, one of the oldest of Peterborough's priests, was one of the most interested persons who attended the high mass yesterday. It was he, who twenty-six years years ago, baptized Rev. Father McFadden, and has since watched his progress towards the priesthood. Rev. Father Lynch assisted in the ceremony yesterday.

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DEDICATION OF CHURCH POSTPONED

Opening of the Basement of New Methodist Church in Lakefield.

The dedication of the new Methodist Church in Lakefield has been postponed until January 17, owing to the fact that it has not been finished inside, and no lights have been put in yet. On Friday last speeches in the basement of the church were given by the Rev. S .T. Bartlett, of Toronto, and the Rev. Mr. McGillicuddy, President of the Bay of Quinte Conference.

At five o'clock supper was served and a concert given by local talent afterwards. There was also a bazaar held the money to go to the building fund of the new church.

There were about 500 people present for the concert, and an enjoyable time was spent by all present.

POLICE COURT CASES THIS MORNING

Jacob Firman and Wife Charged With Being Keepers of House of ill-fame.

At Police Court this morning before Magistrate Dumble, Thomas Cleary was fined $3 for being drunk and was given ten days' time in which to produce the collateral. Jacob Firman and his wife were charged with being the keepers of a house of ill-fame at the corner of George and King streets. The pair pleaded not guilty and were remanded until Thursday morning when their case will be heard.

Interesting Essay On Mary Queen of Scots Was Given

Read at Ladies' T. A. S. Literary Meeting by Miss Alice Moloney —Struggle Between England and Scotland.

A MUSICAL PROGRAMME

On Friday evening the regular fortnightly meeting of the Ladies' Literary Society of St. Peter's T. A. S. was held, with Miss Mary O'Haron occupying the chair. The feature of the evening's entertainment was an essay on "Mary, Queen of Scots," read in a delightful manner by Miss Alice Moloney. The reading was marked by very choice English and purity of diction, and Miss Moloney's rendering of the essay gave every evidence of a great deal of time and study having been spent on it.

In introducing her subject, Miss Moloney sketched briefly the struggle between England and Scotland, during the reign of Henry VII., the desire of Henry to separate Scotland from France, and unite her to England, the struggle James IV. carried on to prevent this, his marriage with Mary of Lorraine, and finally his defeat by Henry at the Battle of Solway Moss. At this juncture James V. died, and 1542 his daughter, Mary Queen of Scots, was born. Scotland was overjoyed at having an heir to the throne, and the baby girl was crowned Queen of Scotland at Stirling, and a council was appointed to take care of the future administration of her kingdom. Henry VII. now proposed that Mary should wed his son, Edward, but the proposition was not met with any degree of favour by the Scots, and in a fit of fury Henry sent an army across the border, which left fire and destruction in its wake. Scotland once more turned to France for aid and proposed the hand of their young Queen to the Dauphin Francis. France hailed the proposition with delight, and her King at once sent an embassy to bring Mary to France.

The essayist drew a charming picture of Mary's departure, and of her girlhood days in sunny France. In due course Mary and the Dauphin were married, but during these years great changes had taken place in England. Henry VII. had died; his son, Edward, after a weak rule of six years, had also passed away and been succeeded by his half-sister Mary. Mary also had died, and at the time of the marriage of the Dauphin, and Mary, Queen of Scots, Elizabeth was ruling in England, and was experiencing great difficulty in keeping her throne and maintaining peace in her kingdom. A great many of her subjects considered her claim to the English throne invalid, because, they claimed, she was born out of lawful wedlock. This left Mary, Queen of Scots, the legitimate heir to the throne, and this claim was warmly supported by France and by all the Catholic population of England and Scotland. She was proclaimed Queen of England and was made to adopt that title in the official acts which issued from her chancery. Thus by an irresistible power of circumstances, Mary was forced into an apparent attitude of hostility to her cousin, which was forcibly resented by Elizabeth, and which gave rise to a bitter hate that wrought out a fiendish scheme. Mary Stuart was not long Dauphiness of France—she soon became its Queen, and from that moment until her tragic death her life was one continuous suffering. Every student of history is familiar with the story, and every fair minded one loves and admires the character and life history of Mary, Queen of Scots. Miss Moloney dwelt at great length on this phase of the subject, and in doing so explained thoroughly the religious struggles and political conspiracies of that time.

In conclusion, the essayist gave a splendid description of the eighteen long years Mary was Elizabeth's prisoner—the plotting of her friends to liberate her and at last her condemnation to death by Elizabeth's Parliament. "Never in the pomp of her youthful royalty, did she stand before the splendid chivalry of France, or amid the ancient nobles of her own kingdom with such stately dignity, such pride of innocence, as now, in hopelessness and hidden pain, she confronted the ministers of her rival's hatred. But she was already condemned and Mary had to put from the sentence passed. She listened with her usual calm, sweet dignity, and assured them that after such sufferings as hers, death would come as a welcome deliverer."

During the evening the following musical programme was rendered:

Chorus—T. A. S. Glee Club.
Vocal solo—Miss F. Carew.
Instrumental solo — Miss O. Letellier.
God Save the King.

The next meeting of the society will take place on the evening of January 15th, when a paper will be read by Miss Nora Fitzgerald.

GIRLS—AND PLENTY OF THEM

At the Grand Opera House Next Thursday Evening, Dec. 24.

"A Female Drummer" comes to the Grand next Thursday, December 24th, for one performance, bringing with them a well earned reputation, established in the principal eastern cities. A cast of unusual merit is include in this pleasing production for the management offer the English Ladies' Quartette, Helen Vahre, the ever popular Gibson girl, as mannish Hasa Bargain, Stella Luzon, as the model, a chorus of twenty visions of dainty show girls and the metropolitan favourites, the Webster Sisters. Among the masculine element in this noteworthy attraction are a host of the best comedians playing up-to-date musical comedy.

On account of the few days preceding the holiday, Manager Turner has, by special arrangement, contrasted to have this, the biggest and best of theatrical diversions, offered local play-goers at prices lower than the "Female Drummer" has ever before been presented at.

From the good reports that come down the line regarding this combination of good things, one would believe that Capt. Willie Brown and his bevy of military and drummer girls will be on hand to present all who attend with a smile that won't come off next Thursday evening.

COLD STORAGE CO. LOSES

Jury Finds That Fraud Was Practised at Whitby In Obtaining Notes From Farmers.

MANY ARE INTERESTED

Whitby, Dec. 21.—Special. — Considerable interest among farmers has been created by the action before the court here of the Cold Storage Company of Peterborough. V. Harris, the defendant, is a prosperous farmer of Whitby Township, who was being sued to recover the face of a promissory note given to the promoters of the joint stock company some year or so ago.

It seems that this clever promoter secured in Ontario County a large number of notes and much cash for shares in a company that was to locate at Peterborough and handle all farm products on something like the co-operative plan for sales. While several paid cash for their shares, some even to the extent of $400, the majority gave notes, thereby subscribing for two to five $50 shares of stock.

"The scheme was so plausible a one," said John Stevenson of Pickering, "and it was along the very lines that the farmers had been looking for, so that in conjunction with the government's cold storage grants, as we supposed, the proposition was a most taking one." It is thus that many, some say over 300, names were enrolled.

Now it seems that the company had not proceeded with their building operations in Peterborough and had not handled over a dozen hogs from the farmers. Apparently it looked like an unprofitable game from the farmers' standpoint and they objected to paying their notes.

The company had sold many of these notes to a third party in Peterborough, who won his case recently at the Peterborough Sessions. But all amounts less than $200 were being brought befor e the court at the county town, where the verdict was in favour of the farmers, the evidence being quite conclusive of fraud in obtaining the notes.

Charles Mackey of Kinsale, who has been acting as secrtary for the farmers, reports that this verdict gives some redress to those who have not paid their notes. All whose notes are held by the company, or third parties, who know of their fraudulent nature, will likely be guided by this judgment and refuse payment.

Nearly all of the farmers have different stories of the promoters' arguments which induced them to sign. Others who threatened suit against the company early got a return for the notes, so report goes from Brougham.

It is reported that some further action will likely be taken by the farmers.

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BOARD OF TRADE MEETING TO CONSIDER BY-LAWS

Citizens Interested Requested to be Present This Evening.

There promises to be a large representation of ratepayers at the meeting of the Board of Trade this evening. A special session is called to talk over the merits of the three money bylaws to be submitted to the people at the municipal elections in January. The total amount of money involved is $100,500 divided among the bylaw to purchase the Exhibition Grounds, that to erect a new Smith street bridge and a bylaw regarding street extensions.

STUDENTS SUCCESSFUL AT PHARMACY COLLEGE

Two Peterborough Boys Take First and Second Class Honours Respectively.

The results of the junior examinations of the Ontario School of Pharmacy at Toronto are out and among the names are a couple of successful Peterborough students and one from Hastings. Mr. Ralph H Quinn came fifteenth in the first-class honour list, and Mr. Wm K Huston, fourth in the second-class honour list, while Mr. Timothy A Coughlin of Hastings obtained tenth place in second-class honours. Mr. Quinn took second highest marks in botany. The lecture course for the senior term begins on Tuesday, Jan. 5th.

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DELAY EXPERIENCED IN THE MINING CASES

Owing to the Absence of Magistrate Kingsford.

In the absence of Police Magistrate Kingsford from Friday afternoon's Police Court, the cases against the mining men were not gone on with. They were adjourned till Monday.

The Titan Montreal River Mining Company was the first called. Of this company, Mr. J .W .Garvin, of Peterborough, is president; A. P. Poussette, K.C., of Peterborough, is the company's counsel.

The Monarch Mines Company, of which Inspector James L. Hughes is president, was represented by Mr. W. N. Ferguson.

It is the intention of these companies to fight their cases.

"We object to the interpretation of the law put on by the Provincial Secretary's Department," said Mr. Garvin. "We do not intend to plead guilty, and pay in $200 and costs without a fight."

The Aganuico Mines and Development Company was represented by D. H. Martin, a director, and Mr. James E. Day, counsel.—Toronto Star.

THE McQUINN FAMILY MEETING WITH SUCCESS

Tribute Paid to Their Performance by Colborne Express.

Mr. William J. McQuinn, manager of the McQuinn Family of Entertainers, has arrived after a successful trip embracing part of Prince Edward County. The Colborne Express, of Dec. 10th, in speaking of this family of artists, has the following to say regarding the C. O. F. concert held at Castleton, Ont.:

"The C. O. F. concert on Friday evening was a grand success. The concert was given by the McQuinn Family of Peterborough, and was the cleverest performance given in our Hall. Mr. and Mrs. McQuinn are first class and we hope to have them back again in the near future. The singing of Master McQuinn, the boy comedian, was a big feature to the programme."

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"East Lynn" is an old play, but it is one of the best. Joseph King's Company will appear in it at the Grand on Christmas Day, matinee and night, and a fine performance is assured. The story of "East Lynn" is so well known it seems almost superfluous to attempt any outline of attempt any outline of it, but a paragraph or two in that direction may not be amiss.

Lady Isabel is married to Archibald Carlyle and, though in love with her husband, is insanely and unjustly jealous of Barbara Hare, a family friend and life long acquaintance of Archibald. Her jealousy is fanned into hatred by a designing villian, Sir Francis Levison, and she, after several years of married life, is induced to leave her husband through the false representation of Levison. Deserted by the destroyer of her peace, she is left alone to the mercy of the world. Miserable and remorseful, she gains entrance into her former husband's home in the guise of a French governess and is enabled to see and be with her children, although unable to re-establish herself as his wife, for, on her desertion, Archibald had married Barbara Hare. She finds some solace and comfort, however, in the care of her children. The death of her eldest, however, undermines her own health and finding herself at death's door she calls for her former husband, discloses her identity, and with his forgiveness passes into the great Beyond.

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Mr. W. S. Wood, who has been manager of the local branch of the Scranton School of Correspondence, has resigned his position and will leave tomorrow with Mrs. Wood for Toronto, where he has joined a real estate firm. His successor will be Mr. McDonald, of Toronto.

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TWO MINERS MEET DEATH TOGETHER

Third Is Mortally Injured in Explosion Near Cobalt.

BODIES BLOWN TO PIECES

Five Men In Bottom of Shaft at Temagami Gold Reefs Mine Are Caught by Charge That Did Not Go Off and Only Two Escaped With Lives—Inquest Will Be Held—One Man Cannot Live.

Cobalt, Dec. 21.—Through the accidental explosion of a portion of a stick of dynamite, which had remained in a drill after the original discharge without its presence being suspected, two men weer killed outright in the Temagami Gold Reefs mine, and a third so terribly injured that he cannot recover.

The dead are: Michael Doherty, single, aged 21, North Bay; Alfred Rioux, single, aged 22, Sudbury. The injured are: William Brennan, married, aged about 45, Cache Bay; may die; Eli Lalonde, badly cut and bruised, but will recover; — Lavallee, slightly hurt.

Two other miners were at the bottom of the shaft, 75 feet below the surface, at the time, but escaped with their lives.

The explosion occurred several days ago, but information has just reached here. The accident is the most serious that has thus far occurred in Cobalt mining operations.

The remains of Doherty and Rioux have been sent to North Bay. The men were almost literally blown to pieces. The explosion shattered large sections of rock, which were hurled with terrific force upon the miners working in the shaft. One flying fragment struck Brennan on the forehead, inflicting terrible injuries.

When taken to the surface, it was found that a portion of the brain had exuded, but that he was still breathing. He was removed to the hospital at New Liskeard, and latest advices were that he was still living, although the surgeons in attendance pronounced his recovery impossible.

The mining inspector of the district will, it is said, request that an inquest be held at North Buy next Wednesday.

The accident is stated to have been caused by the failure of a stick of dynamite to explode more than partially when the fuse was first lighted, about one-quarter of the explosive remaining in the heel of the hole, unknown to the drillers. In what manner this undischarged section was touched off has not been discovered, but it is thought that one of the men accidentally brought a drill into contact with it.

The detonation was tremendous, stunning the survivors for a moment. There were only five men in the bottom of the shaft, one of them, Lalonde, being foreman. Recovering himself, he began a search for his companions. He found Lavalles, who was less hurt than himself, and they brought Brennan to the surface in the bucket, and afterwards the mutilated bodies of Doherty and Rioux.

The Temagami Gold Reefs mine is located about seven miles from Temagami, and is separated by a small lake from the Fairview mine.

Two Killed.

Phoenix, B.C., Dec. 21.—A fatal accident occurred at the Granby mines last Friday night, by which John A. Anderson and Charles Johnson were killed. They had just completed the charging of 19 holes with dynamite when a premature explosion resulted in some way. Johnson's body was blown beyond recognition.

Soap Combine In West.

Winnipeg, Dec. 21.—A huge amalgamation of soap manufacturers was officially proclaimed yesterday by The Manitoba Gazette. The capital invested is two million dollars, and the territory to be covered extends from the lakes to the Pacific coast and into the remote north. The combine includes the Royal Crown, the Standard and the Royal.

Three Years Sentence.

Woodstock, Dec. 21.—The young man, King, who was arrested a couple of weeks ago and pleaded guilty to stealing several articles of jewelry from the Royal Hotel, was sentenced by Magistrate Ball Saturday to three years in Kingston Penitentiary. King has many aliases, but just who he is the authorities have not been able to ascertain.

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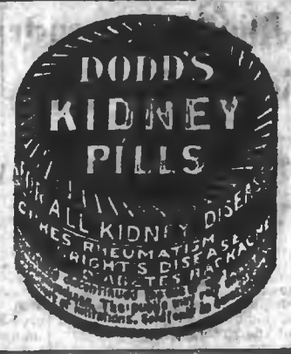

PEDLAR MURDERED.

Montreal Man Is Killed In G. T. P. Camp in British Columbia.

Plaster Rock, B.C., Dec. 21.—After several weeks of peace the Italians working on the G. T. P. construction broke out again yesterday, and a terrible murder was committed.

Patrick Breen, a pedlar, of Craig street, Montreal, was shot and instantly killed near here about 10 o'clock yesterday morning, by an Italian laborer. Last night the district for miles about was thoroughly searched.

Robbery was the motive of the murder, deceased having in his possession $4,300 and 30 gold watches. The murderer, who was accompanied by another Italian, took to the woods. They failed in their efforts to secure the money, for after rifling the top drawers of the old man's packet, they threw it away. It was found later by a search party with the money locked in the lower drawers.

LAUNDRYMEN KILLED.

Two Winnipeg Chinamen Are Murdered and Shop Looted.

Winnipeg, Dec. 3.—Yat Sun, Chinese laundryman of 214 Jarvis avenue, and his hired man were murdered some time Saturday evening, robbery apparently being the motive, as the store was rifled.

The crime was discovered by a man who called for his washing half an hour before midnight and found the Celestials in a welter of blood, the head of one being almost completely severed.

Last spring almost a similar crime was committed near the overhead bridge, when two Chinese laundrymen were murdered, but in that case the shack was fired in an attempt to destroy traces.

BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

The C.P.R. will erect a new roundhouse at Brockville.

"Tag Day" at Temiskaming, in aid of the hospital, added $500.

Rev. John Powell of Prescott was on Saturday ordained to the Catholic priesthood.

Rev. Mr. Nihn of Brooklyn, N. Y., has accepted the call to Benton street Baptist Church, Berlin, Ont.

The Canadian Heating & Ventilating Co. of Owen Sound have absorbed the Joy Manufacturing Co. of Toronto.

New York's board of underwriters announce the insurance companies will not be responsible for losses due to fires from Christmas tree illuminations.

Josie Carr Released.

Kingston, Dec. 21.—The removal of Josie Carr, who stole a child in its go-cart four years ago and was responsible for its death, from the penitentiary was carried out Saturday, but was kept very quiet by the authorities. It was only through the alertness of newspaper men that the fact was made known.

Josie left in company with three sisters from the House of Providence for Daysland, Alta., where a new hospital has been opened, and they will be responsible for her care.

It is believed that with new surroundings and the best of care she will be far better off than behind prison walls. She is in the best of health, and during her term has been a model prisoner.

Montreal "Joint" Raided.

Montreal, Dec. 21.—Three gambling houses were raided, twenty-two men arrested, gambling paraphernalia, valued at nearly $3,000, consisting of roulette wheels, faro and stud poker tables, cards and colored checks, were seized early this morning.

The raid were under the personal direction of Chief Campeau, and the houses visited were on East St. Catherine street and University street. Each man arrested had to furnish a $20-bond for his appearance in court this morning.

This is the biggest raid made in the city for years, and last night the lid is on tight.

Trial of Night Riders.

Union City, Tenn., Dec. 21.—When court adjourned Saturday afternoon until Monday, the state had nearly completed its case against the eight alleged night riders now on trial for the murder of Capt. Quentin Rankin. On Monday it will put Frank Fehringer on the stand. He says he was present when the murder was committed and knows the name of every man who was present.

Windsor For County Town.

Windsor, Dec. 21.—As a direct result of the steps that are now being taken by Essex County to centralize the county offices at Sandwich, members of the bar in Windsor have started a counter movement, which, if successful, will entirely undo the work of the county fathers and end in legislation by the Ontario Government to make Windsor, instead of Sandwich, the county town.

The Ottoman Parliament.

Constantinople, Dec. 21.—The Chamber of Deputies met on Saturday and went in to committee for the purpose of examining the mandates of the deputies. Ali Haida Bey, son of Midhat Pasha, author of the constitution, has been appointed a Senator. Said Pasha, ex-grand vizier, has been elected President of the Senate.

Newspaper Suffers by Fire.

St. Albans, Vt., Dec. 21.—The newspaper plant of The St. Alban's Messenger was completely destroyed by fire at a loss of $50,000.

FEMALE PRISONER TO GET AN OVATION

Huge Reception Awaits the Imprisoned Suffragette Leader.

EULOGIES FOR CHRISTABEL

Miss Pankhurst on Release From Holloway Jail on Tuesday Will Be Given Great Demonstration — Writer Calls Girl Orator Spirit of Dawn and Child of Destiny—Will Be Driven to Hotel and Dined.

London, Dec. 21.—When Miss Christabel Pankhurst is released from Holloway jail Tuesday morning on the completion of her sentence there will be a great demonstration by the members of the National Women's Social Political Union, who will assemble outside the jail.

Miss Pankhurst will find an open landau, which will be literally a bower of roses, awaiting her. The carriage will be drawn by four milk-white horses driven by suffragists, the driver, groom and two footmen being members of the union, attired in a uniform consisting of green skirt, a white jersey and a purple cap, the colors of the party. A breakfast will be held at a hotel.

Meanwhile Miss Pankhurst is being made the subject of some remarkable compliments. In the current number of "Votes for Women," the organ of the union, she is addressed as "the child of destiny," "the spirit of the dawn," "the maiden warrior," and compared with young Siegfried The address begins as follows:

"Christabel, Chrisabel as the dawn to the waiting earth upon whose breast have lain all night the chilling mists of tears, so are you dear to the hearts of women."

Mrs. Pethick Lawrence, who is responsible for the apostrophe, concludes with the following:

"Far away upon the fire-girt mountaintop sleeps womanhood, that is both human and divine. She will not awake nor give unto the world her lore of wisdom and of love until you and we have accomplished all that has been decreed."

BOY KILLS SISTER.

Youngster In Mahone Bay, N.S., Played With Loaded Gun.

Mahone Bay, N.S., Dec. 21.—Oberlin, the eight-year-old son of Capt. Benjamin Hamm, shot and killed his 12-year-old sister, Ruby, with a double-barrelled hammerless gun yesterday.

An elder brother had been using it Saturday, and the gun was left down stairs, instead of in its customary place. The young man who had it thought the barrels were empty, but one of them had a cartridge. This forenoon Mrs. Hamm asked Oberlin to take the gun upstairs. She, too, thought it was not loaded. The little fellow first pointed the gun at his sister Lottie and then at his sister Ruby. The mechanism was touched, the bullet striking the little girl below the cheek and lodging in the back of the head. Death was instantaneous.

Britain's Good Will.

Colombo, Ceylon, Dec. 21.—Rear-Admiral Sperry, on board the Connecticut, entertained the governor of Ceylon, Sir Henry Edward McCallum, and a small party at dinner Saturday evening.

Admiral Sperry said in his farewell message that the greatest benefit had been derived from the cruise. He expressed warm appreciation of the unvarying good-will of Great Britain, and declared that there was the happiest prospect of wedding together the English-speaking nations in friendship and common interests.

The American fleet sailed yesterday, and is expected to arrive at Suez on Jan. 5.

Takahira Pleased.

New York, Dec. 21.—Comparing the recent joint declaration by Japan and the United States in regard to their respective policies in the Pacific to "a transaction between trusted friends," Baron Takahira, Japanese ambassador to the United States, in an address last night at the Lotus Club, where he was the guest at a dinner given in his honor, expressed in an unmistakable way his gratification that so strong a bond of union between the two nations had been cemented.

Canadian Northern Spreads Out.

Duluth, Dec. 21.—Official announcement of the new $20,000,000 lumber merger, known as the Virginia & Rainy Lake Co., was made public on Saturday by Edward Hines, president of the corporation. The new company is the amalgamation of the Edward Hines Co., the Weyerhauser interests and the Virginia Lumber Co.

In the amalgamation what is known as the Duluth, Rainy Lake & Winnipeg Railway will become the property of the Canadian Northern Railroad.

Grand Master Resigns.

New York, Dec. 21.—John J. Hannahan, grand master of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers, will, on Jan. 1 next, sever his official connection with the organization to take the vice-presidency of the American Automatic Stoker Co., with offices in Chicago.

Prayers For King.

Montreal, Dec. 21.—A story of the King's serious illness was generally believed in Montreal last night, and prayers were offered up for His Majesty in the American Presbyterian Church.

C. P. R. Employe Run Over.

Winnipeg, Dec. 21.—William Whyte, a C.P.R. employe, was run over by an engine in the yards on Saturday afternoon, losing an arm. He is lying in the hospital in a critical condition.

Argentine Building Warships.

Buenos Ayres, Dec. 21.—Tenders will be invited immediately by the Argentine Government for the construction of two warships.

TEDDY ARRAIGNED.

London Globe Condemns His Recent Violent Controversies.

London, Dec. 21.—It is impossible to ignore altogether the complete change in the attitude which has taken place in the past year in the English press and among Englishmen at large towards President Roosevelt.

The developments of the past fortnight have been of such a nature that even friendly critics have been led to speak openly on this subject. It would be easy to quote manifold comments from the best exponents of public opinion of rebuke to President Roosevelt for his unrestraint and undignified language.

A single example from a leader in Saturday's Globe, however, will show the trend of English feelings. It says:

"Roosevelt is so great a man in many respects that it is a thousand pities that he cannot contrive to be greater. The office which he still holds is one of the highest to which any human being can aspire, and the enormous power for good which it confers has upon the whole been worthily exercised by its present occupant.

"It is, therefore, with feelings of regret and repulsion that we see the President of the United States descending into the gutters of controversy and endeavoring to outvie the very Bowery in New York in violence and coarseness of his abuse.

"Roosevelt talks of lying, of blackmail and of scurrilous libel. He declares that his Parliament is deeply concerned over the fact that secret service agents are investigating the conduct of its members, and recommends the criminal prosecution of a newspaper which has dared to attack his Government.

"Roosevelt had far better recommend the prosecution of himself for the heinous offence of degrading the Presidential office by mingling in sordid and disgusting disputes. The ginger which, to use his own words, he imparted into Taft's campaign, has evidently entered his own system, and the result is a very melancholy spectacle.

"It was a betrayal alike of the traditions of a great office and of the simplest canons of good taste even to throw himself into the campaign at all, but having done so and having succeeded, he might surely have spent the last few months of his occupancy of the White House in an atmosphere of personal dignity.

"To preserve to the end the manners and language of an angry fishwife is not the way to win the respect of his own country, or of any other."

Pulitzer Off For Panama.

Newport News, Va., Dec. 21.—Jos. Pulitzer, publisher of The New York World, accompanied by a party of friends and several staff writers, arrived off Old Point yesterday on Mr. Pulitzer's yacht Liberty. It is stated that he is on his way to Panama to investigate into the conditions prevailing in the canal zone, and probably to secure evidence in connection with the purchase of the canal property by the Government.

Mr. Pulitzer's trip is of especial interest on account of the attitude of President Roosevelt in demanding that Congress have Mr. Pulitzer and other publishers prosecuted for criminal libel for publishing articles attacking the administration in connection with the canal purchase.

Castro's Visit to Germany.

Berlin, Dec. 21.—Many of the newspapers in their weekly political reviews deal with President Castro's visit in connection with the Venezuelan situation. The Tageblatt says:

"The German Government cannot much longer show favor towards the President unless he gives us assurances that Venezuela will fulfill her international obligations."

A notable fact is that the semi-official Nord Deutsche Allgemaine Zeitung utterly ignores the presence of Castro. Such a course has never before been adopted when the chief of a foreign state was visiting Germany, even although in a private capacity.

Overwork Causes Suicides.

Omaha, Neb. 21.—Wm. R. Kelley, cashier of the Union Pacific Railroad at South Omaha, committed suicide at his home yesterday by sending a bullet through his brain. Kelley's office has been undergoing a periodical checkup by the auditor for the past week, but Union Pacific officials declare that so far as the auditor had gone Kelley's accounts were in perfect condition. Kelley left a letter to his wife, which indicated that overwork had perhaps unbalanced his mind.

Gen. Simon Is President.

Port au Prince, Dec. 21.—Gen. Antoine Simon, the newly-elected President of Hayti, took the oath of office at 10 o'clock yesterday morning at the palace, where a special sitting of the legislative bodies was held and in the presence of the foreign diplomats, the officers of the American and Italian warships and the Haytian officials of state.

Orlando Jay Smith Dead.

New York, Dec. 21.—Major Orlando Jay Smith, president and general manager of the American Press Association since 1882, died at his home in Dobbs' Ferry last night. Major Smith has been ill since September, at which time he was operated upon for cancer of the stomach.

Death of Father Breen.

Ottawa, Dec. 21.—Father John F. Breen, assistant priest of Egansville, and a native of Douglas, Ont., died at Water street hospital on Saturday after an attack of appendicitis, where he had undergone an operation.

Sunday Afternoon Paper.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 21.—The Sunday afternoon issue of The Baltimore News appeared yesterday and was the first regular Sunday afternoon edition of any newspaper to be printed in this city.

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Yours truly,

(Sgd.) THOMAS YOUNG.

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RUGBY BASKETBALL WRESTLING

The Examiner's Sporting Page

RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

WHITCROFT'S STARS REACHED MONTREAL TO-DAY---WILL GO IN TRAINING FOR STANLEY CUP GAMES

Manager Whitcroft Tells Examiner That the Team is in Good Shape and Supremely Confident of Winning the Silverware.

BILL CROWLEY IS TRAINER

Fred Whitcroft and his Edmonton Stanley Cup challengers passed through Peterborough last night on the way to Montreal where they next week will do battle with the Wanderers for the famous silverware Speaking to a member of the Examiner staff over the long distance phone from Toronto last evening, Whitty said that the bunch were in good shape and they one and all felt confident of carrying of the cup from the present holders. They will spend this week in solid practising at Montreal and will be in the pink of condition when they are called upon to go up against the Wanderers.

The team is in charge of Fred Whitcroft, who is manager, captain and rover of what out West they claim to be the greatest aggregation of professional hockey stars ever gathered together Whitcroft comes from Peterborough and played on the O H A. team of that city for years before he turned professional. The line-up is as follows—

Goal-Charlie Quinn or Bert Lindsay
Point—Lester Patrick
Cover Point—Dodger Petrie
Manager, captain and rover— Fred Whitcroft
Centre—Joe Hall or Jack Miller
Left Wing—Tom Phillips
Right Wing—Harold McNamara

This will be the team for the cup games in the arena, Montreal, a week from Monday and Wednesday, Dec. 28. After the cup games, win or lose, the team will make a tour of Ontario, playing at all of the pro. towns and cities. It is expected to be the greatest drawing card that ever appeared on the circuit.

Whitcroft, is evidently not taking any chances on an accident to a goal-keeper, as he is bringing two along. Lindsay, is an old Toronto League player, who has been playing in Renfrew for several seasons with great success. He is said to be one of the best goal-keepear in the business. Quinn is a Westerner with a good reputation.

Lester Patrick and Dodger Petrie will make a very fast defense. Both are wonderful rushers and dodgers as well as being strong on defensive work.

The forward line is nothing but a burst of speed. Phillips is a streak of lightning, and is admitted to be one of the best hockey players in the world to-day. Hall is a rough strenuous player, but is not as fast as Miller, who is a Westerner and not the Prantford man as has been reported. Miller is said to be a veritable cyclone. Whitcroft can hold his own with the most of them, and McNamara plays the right boards to perfection

The team, as a whole, has not had much practice, though five of them played together at Strathcona, when they won 22 goals to 0 a week ago last night This exhibition game nearly resulted in the loss of the main mover in the venture. Manager whitcroft being struck from behind by Kent of the Strathconas, and was unconscious for twelve hours. However, he is said to be all right again, though he had a very narrow escape

W. F. CROWLEY,
The well known Peterborough boy who is in Montreal as trainer with the Edmonton Stanley Cup Challengers.

WRESTLING.

"Cyclone" Burns is meeting with considerable success at the Theatre Royal this week, where he is meeting all comers on the mat. Last night Yankee Rogers met the challenger again, and 15 minutes of good fast wrestling was witnessed.

The match of the previous evening, between the challenger and Sam. Anderson, was witnessed by a full house.

"Bob" Wilson, the boxer, who meets Weller, next week, made a good referee.

It is expected that Karhakanoff, the Turk, will go on with Burns to-night. This should prove an exciting match.
—Montreal Star.

RUNNING.

New York, Dec. 19—It was on and off when Alfred Shrubb hit town yesterday. Tom Flanagan, the manager of Longboat, ducked as soon as the fleet footed Briton came to talk business about the race with the Marathon champion. Shrubb came down from Boston in good faith to try to reach an understanding with the Canadian.

He apprized Flanagan of his intentions, but when he arrived Flanagan had beaten it back to the land of snows. Shrubb tried to head off Flanagan with a wire to Albany. Late last night there was no response.

The question of a Marathon race between Shrubb and Longboat rests entirely with the backers of the Indian. Shrubb positively will not agree to race Longboat at his particular style of game unless the Indian gives him battle at Shrubb's distance. Shrubb insists if he is to meet Longboat, the Indian must post a forfeit of $2,000 to meet him later in a race either ten or fifteen miles or both.
—Montreal Star.

HOCKEY

The following letter explains itself

Toronto, Dec. 18

To the Sporting Editor

Dear Sir—Kindly place a challenge behalf of the Kew Beach Junior team of Toronto in your paper for a game with your Junior O H. A. team or any other junior one for New Years Day.

Kindly have them name terms about expenses, etc.

Yours truly,
W. Ross Robson.
65 Woodbine Ave.

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The Fresh Air Club challenge the Cressman Hockey Club to a game to be seen, as the Brock street rink can be secured

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that they were giving to God a

The schedule for this district of the O H. A series will be drawn up to-night at a meeting to be held at Port Hope at which the Peterborough Club will be represented by G L Galley, physical director of the Y M C A. Port Hope The convenor of the district is T J Turpin, Cobourg and clubs in the district are, Belleville, Lindsay Cobourg and Peterborough. The games will lasely commence next week.

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The T A S Athletic Club had their first hockey practice of the season on Saturday night when over a score of men were out in uniform, indulged in a lively practice. The Abstainers should have no difficulty in placing strong teams in the junior and senior city leagues.

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The teams of the Junior City Hockey League may obtain their tickets by calling upon the president, Jas. D. Clarke, at the Examiner Office, after paying their fees.

WALTER MILLER,
The clever local hockey player who left this morning for Brantford to report to the "Pro." team there.

BASKET-BALL.

The Tigers' Basketball team will practice in the Y Gym. between 7 and 8 o'clock to-night. The following are asked to be out: Loomis, Weatherstone, Wallace, Hall, Staunton and Laing. The Tigers play the Midland Unos here on New Year's night.

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WALTER MILLER LEAVES FOR BRANTFORD TO REPORT ON PROFESSIONAL TEAM

Walter Miller, the well known local hockey player, left on the 11.45 G.T.R. train this morning for Brantford, where he will play this season on the professional team of that place. He is in fine shape and should have no trouble in making good with the pros. this season, his experience last year with Brantford has done him a lot of good. He will make a bid of a centre or rover this season, as he feels that he can be of far more service to his team in centre ice than along the boards. Last year he was at left wing and did good work there, but his speed and stick handling should make him more valuable away from the boards.

Taylor and Browne, it is said, will not be with Brantford this season.

EXAMINER A'S BEAT THE POOR HAMS THRICE

The Examiner A Team made a clean sweep of the boards in their ten pin league game at the P.B.C. alleys on Saturday night, and they are now tied with the Iroquois for third place in the league race. Their opponents, Hutch's Hams, are also nearer the goal they are striving hard to attain, and have every hope of ousting the Grays from last place before Santa Claus comes around.

However, while they lost all three to the Exam, the Hams made a gallant fight for it, particularly in the second game, which they lost by a single pin. In the last game they were a little further behind at the finish, but the game was always in doubt, and the winners heaved a great sigh of relief when Chief Adams announced the official score.

Lacheur was high man for the winners with both his team mates very close behind. Hay, of the Hams, had the best score of the evening.

To-night a double header is scheduled, the Lock Works being billed to meet the Bankers, the league leaders, while the B. A. C. will try conclusions with the Midgets.

The scores follow:—

EXAMINER A

Huston	147	107	167—421
Lacheur	162	128	146—436
Cairns	145	140	144—429
	454	375	457—1286

HUTCH'S HAMS

Graham	120	84	97—301
Hutchinson	96	111	136—343
Hay	147	179	202—528
	363	374	436—1172

Majority for Exam A: 114 pins.

League Standing

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Bankers	11	1	.916
Pacifics	9	3	.750
Iroquois	8	4	.666
Exam A	8	4	.666
Lockworks	7	5	.583
Midgets	6	6	.500
Belmonts	6	6	.500
B. A. C.	5	7	.415
Exam B	5	7	.415
Frontenacs	4	8	.333
Hams	2	10	.166
Grays	1	11	.083

SCHEDULE: WEEK DEC. 21
Monday: Bankers vs. Lock Works; B.A.C. vs. Midgets.
Tuesday: Hams vs. Pacifics.
Wednesday: Frontenacs vs. Grays.
Thursday: Exam A vs. Exam B.
Friday: Belmonts vs. Iroquois.

League Averages

Player	Games Played	Total Pins	Aver.
Wareham	12	2026	.169
McIlroy	12	1968	.164
Hay	12	1921	.160
Pollard	12	1906	.159
LaPlante	12	1906	.159
Martin	12	1874	.156
Ford	12	1855	.155
Lillie	12	1827	.152
Ferguson	12	1825	.152
Barber	12	1804	.150
Hayes	12	1795	.148
Stroud	12	1790	.149
Adams	12	1790	.149
McFadden	9	1329	.148
Hustop	12	1775	.147
Connors	12	1762	.147
Gutterson	3	438	.147
Barrett	3	442	.147
Giroux	12	1756	.146
Hoolihan	9	1306	.146
Bruce	12	1734	.145
McCrea	12	1736	.145
Lacheur, H.	12	1729	.144
Glover	3	431	.143
Lanney	6	850	.141
Dela Fosse	12	1699	.141
Perry	9	1236	.137
Sullivan	9	1234	.137
Clancey	6	810	.135
Cairns	6	806	.134
Best	12	1565	.131
Lang, W.	9	1179	131
Wesley	6	788	.131
Westbrooke	12	1652	.129
Brown	12	1626	.127
Rishea	9	1123	.125
Lacheur, G.	9	1126	.125
Snyder	3	367	.122
Craig	9	1062	.118
Clarke	6	707	.117
Hutchinson	12	1396	.116
Graham	12	1277	.107

Fire Brigade Demonstrated Their Efficiency At Saturday Night's Fire

Saturday night's fire in Craig's furniture establishment gave the fire brigade the best opportunity they have had yet of demonstrating their efficiency to the people of Peterborough, and they rose to the occasion nobly. An enormous crowd had gathered and went away satisfied with the work of the brigade and Chief Howard. The alarm was responded to in lightning order and the fire was handled with the utmost speed and the greatest regard to prevent loss by either water or fire. The controlling nozzles were able to demonstrate their usefulness and where there would have been tons of water poured into the building with the ordinary nozzle, the amount used was reduced to a minimum. Chief Howard, too, by making use of the tarpaulins which he has recently had added to the equipment, was able to prevent further loss by spreading them over furniture which would otherwise have been badly damaged.

Most of the aldermen were in the crowd and were pleased with the manner in which the blaze was handled, and it was felt that the establishment of a permanent brigade was justified.

Strangers In A Cutter Send In False Alarm From East City

Another false alarm was sent in from box 57, East City, last night at seven o'clock, and, as usual the brigade had a run for nothing. A resident of that neighbourhood ran out of his house and asked the person who had sent in the alarm where the fire was located and he pointed up a hill, but there was not the slightest sign of a conflagration. The stranger jumped in a cutter which was waiting with another stranger, and both drove rapidly away up a hill where they awaited the coming of the brigade. Chief Howard afterwards gained an inkling of their identity and the matter is in the hands of the police.

Child Playing With Matches Started Fire In Bedroom

A child with matches started a fire yesterday morning, which called out the brigade to 328 Charlotte street, the residence of Mr. James Runnett, just east of Reid street. The little five year old boy got some matches downstairs, according to the report, and went up into one of the bed rooms where he lit one and in some manner started a fire. The brigade made a rapid response and the flames were confined to one room, which was rather badly burned.

PETERBORO' TEAMS TO PRACTISE TO-NIGHT

There will be a full practice of the Peterborough intermediate and junior O. H. A. teams at the Brock Street Rink to-night at seven o'clock, and every candidate for the two teams is asked to be out in uniform, as there is not much time left for the teams to get into shape. The juniors have their first O. H. A. game here a week from to-morrow night with the Oshawa team, so that they have little over a week to get into line. Every opportunity for a practice must be taken advantage of in the meantime. There should be a big turnout to-night.

CHURCH SERVICES AND NOTICES

MURRAY STREET CHURCH.

Large congregations were present yesterday at the Murray streeet Baptist church when the Christmas music was given. The subjects were:

Morning—Romans 8; 3.—"God sending His Own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh."

Evening—Luke 15; 3.—"What man of you having an hundred sheep, if he lose one of them doth not leave the ninety and nine in the wilderness and go after that which is lost."

St. Luke's Church.

The members of St. Luke's church are requested to help in decorating the church and to attend meeting every evening for that purpose.

The Holy Festival of Christmas will be observed by three celebrations of the Holy Sacrament, at 7 a.m., 8 a.m. and at noon. Morning Prayer at 10.30.

The rector appealed yesterday for contributions of Christmas cheer for the poor of the parish.

Generous contributions of money were made yesterday at St. Lukes for the cause of Missions.

Knox Church.

Monday.—Young People's Guild. China and its uplifting forces, by Rev. Dr. R P Mackay.

Tuesday—Boys' Club.

Wednesday—Public service; Teachers' Training Class; Executive meeting Ladies' Aid.

Mark Street Church.

The usual prayer meeting will be held on Tuesday night instead of Wednesday.

On Wednesday night, in the basement, the annual Christmas entertainment by the children will be given.

On Friday night a cottage meeting will be held at the home of Mr. Jos. Brown, Lahey's Lane.

St. John's.

Monday—4.15 p.m., Boys' choir practice; 7.30 p.m., King's Daughters.

Tuesday—3 p.m., senior girls' practice in Guild Room; 8 p.m., choir practice.

Wednesday—8 p.m., service in guild room; Brotherhood meeting at 8.30.

Thursday—Choir boys' practice, 10 a.m.

Friday—Christmas Day; 8 a. m., Holy Communion; 11 a.m., matins and sermon; 12 noon, choral celebration of Holy Communion.

Saturday—9 a.m., boys' practice for concert.

Sunday—8.30 a.m., Holy Communion; 11 a.m., matins and sermon; 3 p.m., special Christmas service for children in the church Parents cordially invited.

All members of the congregation interested in the decoration of our church for the great festival of Christmas, are asked to assemble at the church Monday afternoon and evening, and all day on Tuesday.

Hymn 595, for those at sea, was sung at the morning service, with special reference to Mr. Geo. Chandler and Mr. Horton, who are crossing the Atlantic at this season.

The distribution of Christmas cheer by the King's Daughters, will be made this year from the old Bank of Montreal building. Contributions will gladly be received there Monday afternoon and Tuesday morning.

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For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal, Kingston	11.35 a m
For Indian River, Norwood, Havelock, Tweed	7.51 p m
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	12.31 a m
Going West	Leave Peterborough
For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	5.35 a m
For Burketon, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	7.35 a m
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points	4.35 p m

GRAND TRUNK

	Arrive Depot	Leave Depot
Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Gravenhurst, North Bay, Stouffville and Toronto	11:40 a.m. 9:00 p.m.	9:20 a.m. 11.55 a.m.
Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	9:00 a.m. 5:30 p.m.	10:05 a.m. 5:30 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Rochester, Montreal and East	5:00 p.m	11:55 a.m 5:40 a.m.
Toronto, Lindsay, Stouffville, Uxbridge and Markham	11:40 a.m. 7:10 a.m. 9:00 p.m.	7:10 a.m. 11:55a.m 10:10 p.m.
Lindsay Local	9:15 a.m.	9:30 p.m
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	9:15 a.m. 5:05 p.m.	9:30 a.m. 1:40 p.m.
Lakefield and Stony Lake	10:00 a.m. 5:15 p.m.	8:00 a.m. 11:30 p.m.

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Tomatoes, per tin	10c
Peas, Beans and Corn, per tin	8c
3 bottles Pickles for	25c
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Dog Poisoned
—Mr. Michael O'Brien, Mark street, lost a valuable collie dog on Saturday, at the hands of the dog poisoner.

Women's Auxiliary Meets
—The All Saints' W. A. met on Thursday at the home of Mrs. Edward Cooney, Sherbrooke street. Refreshments were served and an enjoyable time was spent.

At the Post Office
—Miss Mowry will be in her office at the post office on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evening until 9 o'clock for the purpose of selling stamps for Christmas use.

Express Their Thanks
—Mrs Graham and Miss Lovekin desire to express their thanks for the kindness and sympathy of their friends during the illness and succeeding the death of Mr. Harry Lovekin.

Particular
—If you are particular about the way your clothes look, send them to "My Valet," 204 Charlotte street, and and have them cleaned, dyed, repaired an dpressed. All particular people do.

Committee Meetings
—There will be a meeting of the Board of Works Committee of the City Council this evening, while the Property Committee held a meeting this afternoon. The Court of Revision will meett o-morrow night.

Returns to Minden
—Mr. J Norrie arrived on Saturday evening. He has been engaged at his trade as stone mason, in Peterborough and other points during the whole season, while his family remained in Minden.—Minden Echo.

Is Your Piano in Tune
—The change of season effects pianos as well as everything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. MacDonald's drug stor

Christmas Service
—The Christmas services held in the Presbyterian church, Springville, yesterday, were well attended and were very interesting. The choir had prepared special music for the occasion and their efforts were most creditable.

Did not Strike the dog
—Miss Evelena Sherriren, the little girl, who stated in the police court on Saturday morning that she had been bitten by a dog, desires to correct the statement that she struck the dog on several occasions. She maintains that she merely made a threatening motion with her hand.

Christmas Tree and Concert
—A Christmas Cantata entitled "Santa's Surprise Party" will be given by the children of the Mark street Methodist Sunday School on Wednesday evening Dec. 23ed in the church school room. A gift tree will be a feature of the entertainment. Admission by silver collection at the door

To Organized Labour
—A special meeting of the Peterborough Trades and Labour Council will be held on Wednesday evening at 9 o'clock, Dec 23rd, in the Forester's Hall, George street. Every Local Union in the city whether affiliated or not is requested to have delegates present as business of importance will be discussed.

By order.
3d119 J. ALEXANDER, Pres.

CHRISTMAS NEAR

We mention a few of the Xmas necessities which we now have in stock. Table Raisins, Pulled Figs, Fresh Figs, Fresh Shelled Nuts, Golden Dates, Grape Fruit, California, Florida and Mexican Oranges, and the very best new Nuts. Also "Sealshipt" Oysters. S. A. OKE
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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

THE EXAMINER welcomes all Items of Interest for this column. Phone 36 or send post card with name and address.

Mr John Cooper, of Lakefield, was in the city this morning.

Mr. Jas Doris is home from Midland for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jory, of Lakefield were in the city this morning.

Miss B. Middleton, of Saskatoon, is visiting Mrs. J. Thirlbeck, 525 McDonel street.

Mr and Mrs A B Spellman of Hastings, were in the city over Sunday and returned home by the 1.45 G. T. R. train to-day.

Mr Fred Weir, an old Peterborough boy is home on a visit from Calgary, Alta. He is a son of Mr. Frank Weir of Otonabee.

Mrs. T. D. MacGregor has gone on an extended visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs Reid, "Chestnut Park Road" Rosedale, Toronto.

Mr. J R Collins, of Toronto, the secretary of the General Committee of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada, was the guest of Rev. Dr. Marsh at the Manse, Springville, over Sunday.

The engagement of Senator George A. Cox to Miss Irene Sterling, eldest daughter of Mr. Walter Sterling, of the City Treasurer's Department, will be announced shortly. It is understood that the marriage will take place in March next—Toronto Star.

The engagement is announced of Miss Florence Lancaster, daughter of Mr and Mrs. Thos. Lancaster, 198 Edinburgh street, to Mr. W. G. Perks, of Montreal, the wedding to take place the latter part of January.

Annual Meeting of Peterborough Lodge No. 128 A.O.U.W. will be held next Tuesday Evening, Dec. 22, in Foresters' Hall, Simcoe Street, at 8 p.m. Business, Election of Officers.
2d-119

The New York Stock Market

(Furnished by J. N. Barber.)

	Opening	Closing
A.C.P	76	77⅛
Atch	95⅝	95⅞
B.R.T.	59⅛	59⅛
C.P.R.	175⅜	174⅝
Erie	33	33⅜
Great Northern	144	143⅞
L.N.	128⅛	120⅞
Mo. Pac.	69⅛	69⅛
Northern Pacific	139⅝	137⅞
N.Y.C.	118⅛	116⅝
Penna	128⅛	128⅜
R.I.	22⅝	22⅛
Rdg.	138⅝	137⅛
Smelters	79⅝	80⅝
Soo	130	130
St. Paul	147⅛	146⅝
S.P	118⅝	116⅞
U.P.	170	170⅝
U.S	53	53
U.S. pfd.	111⅛	111⅛
Twin City		
Nipissing	10⅛	10⅛
May Wheat	105	105⅝
" Corn	59⅝	60⅛
May Oats	50⅛	51⅛
" Pork	16.25	16.30

CLERGY PRESENT AT THE HOME

Had Dinner at Residence of Mr. and Mrs. M. McFadden, Elm Street.

At the residence of Mr M McFadden, Elm street, yesterday afternoon those who assisted in yesterday's ordination at St. Peter's Cathedral were guests at a dinner which was served at five o'clock. His Lordship Bishop O'Connor was present also the clergy of the Cathedral and a number of friends of Rev Father McFadden from St Michael's College, including the President Rev Father Roach. The Rev. Father Lynch was also present. At the morning service at the Cathedral Mr and Mrs George Ball, uncle and aunt of the young priest, sang "Ecce Panis" in duet while he was giving his blessing. The members of the choir were guests of Mr and Mrs McFadden after the evening service.

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What could make a more acceptable Christmas remembrance for the older members of the family than a pair of our Fine Shoes, a pair of choice Slippers, a pair of good Winter Rubbers or Arctics?

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THE LYNX WAS READY TO JUMP

Shot by Mr. Fred Rentisch on Saturday in a Tree.

While hunting rabbits on Saturday afternoon in the swamp near Hall's Bridge, northwest of the city, Mr. Fred Reuteh, Dalhousie street, suddenly caught sight of a Canadian lynx set on its haunches ready to spring at him. It was in a tree at one side of him and quickly turning, he brought it down with a single shot, sent home with unerring aim.

It was a beautiful specimen of the lynx family, weighing fifty pounds, measuring thirty-eight inches in length and standing twenty-one inches high. The skin is a pretty one, being beautifully marked.

BANQUET OF TEXTILE WORKERS

Will be Held on January 22nd—Officers Elected Recently.

A meeting of the local association of the United Textile Workers was held recently, when it was decided to hold the annual banquet on Friday, January 22nd, in the Grand Hotel. Organizer C. A. Miles, of the United Textile Workers of America, will be present and will deliver an address. At the meeting the officers for the coming year were elected, as follows:

President—Mr. E. Coley.
Vice-President—Mr. A. Giles.
Recording-Secretary—W. Hall.
Financial Secretary—Mr. E. Yarrington.
Conductor—D. Ferguson.
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Brazil Nuts, Pecan Nuts, Jumbo Peanuts, Grenoble Walnuts, Taragona S. S. Almonds, each per lb.	17c
Table Raisins, per lb.	20c, 25c, 30c
Almeria Grapes, per lb.	20c
Cream Candy, regular 20c per lb. for	12 1-2c
Chocolate Drops, regular 20c per lb. for	15c
Oranges, Mexican, per dozen	15c, 20c, 25c, 30c
Oranges, Navel, large size, per doz.	30c, 40c, 50c
Cranberries, choice red, per quart	17c
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LIBRARY PLANS WERE DISCUSSED

Boston Architects Send Sketches to the Property Committee.

A meeting of the Property Committee of the City Council was held yesterday afternoon when the public library question was taken up but nothing particular decided upon. The Committee has received sketches and plans from Messrs. McLean & Wright of Boston, architects and the building as designed by that firm has been very favourably commented upon by those who have seen the sketches.

The primitive operations employed in China and Japan are in marked contrast with the cleanly machine method of preparing tea in Ceylon. The purity and cleanliness of "Salada" is absolute. Its delicious flavour will please you. 101

KICKED BY A HORSE ABOUT THE HEAD AND FACE—UNFORTUNATE SMITH YOUTH PASSES AWAY

With blood poisoning from several wounds in his face and head, little Arthur Hodder, aged seven years and six months, was brought from his father's home in Smith Township shortly after midday yesterday to the Nicholls Hospital, suffering from kicks from a horse. So severely had he been injured that a few hours later he passed away. The accident occurred yesterday shortly after midday, as the little fellow was playing with a handsleigh. He worked his way too closely to the heels of a young horse, which had been recently shod. The animal kicked viciously, striking the boy about the face and head. He emerged from the accident in a terribly mangled condition and was shortly afterwards removed to the Nicholls Hospital, where he was attended by three doctors.

Lost Right eye

It was found upon examination that the face bones had been broken, and that the right eye of the unfortunate youth had been kicked completely out. The base of the brain had also been fractured, and but for this the doctors could possibly have saved his life. Death came about eight o'clock.

Arthur Hodder was the son of Mr. Henry Stephen Hodder, poultry keeper, residing on the Chemong Road, just beyond the city limits. He was a bright youth and friends of the distressed family sympathize with him in their hour of trouble.

Mrs. McGrath's Painful Accident; Fractured Left Arm Last Night

The many friends of Mrs. McGrath, wife of City Assessor T B McGrath, will regret to learn that she was the victim of a most painful accident last evening, which resulted in a bad fracture of her left arm. The accident occurred about 8 o'clock when Mrs. McGrath was on her way up street. On reaching the corner of Simcoe and Aylmer streets at the Y.W.C.A. building she slipped on the icy pavement and fell heavily with her arm thrown beneath her to save herself with the result that her arm was broken just above the wrist. The accident happened only a short distance from her own home and she returned there at once and medical attention was summoned. Mrs. McGrath is doing as well to-day as could be expected under the circumstances.

The 17th Priest From This Parish Ordained By Bishop O'Connor

Rev. Victor McFadden is the seventeenth young man from this parish to have been ordained into the priesthood by his Lordship Bishop O'Connor. During the nineteen years of his charge over this diocese, those young men have been from time to time added to the clergy, the last being Rev. Father Michael O'Leary, who exactly two years ago was ordained priest. His Lordship also administered the Sacrament of Holy Orders to ten other young men who are now in care of parishes throughout the diocese.

JUSTICE BRITTON GIVES JUDGMENT

In the Matter of the West Peterborough Protest Objections.

Examiner Special

Toronto, Dec. 22,

Mr Justice Britton has given judgment in the action to have the petition in the West Peterborough protest set aside on the ground of insufficient service. He decides against the objection on two grounds. First—That it is too early in the proceedings to dismiss the petition. Second—Under a rule of the High Court of Justice there is power to order substituted service at any stage.

This decision is in direct opposition to the specific wording of the Statute which says that substituted service can only be ordered after the time ordered by the Court for personal service has expired. As this time had no elapsed Mr. Stratton's Counsel contended that no order for substituted service could be made, and that the Court has no jurisdiction to make any such order.

Mr. Stratton has given notice of the matter being taken to the Supreme Court.

TICKETS AT EXAMINER OFFICE FOR "EAST LYNNE"

If You are Jealous and Want to Reform You Can Be Cured.

To-morrow, Wednesday afternoon, after 2.30 o'clock, the Examiner will give away thirty 75c. tickets for the East Lynne performance on Christmas Day. The conditions upon which a person may secure a ticket are that he or she must have a copy of the Examiner and must introduce himself or herself with the words, "I am jealous and really want to reform." The first come will be first served.

RAPID TOOL COMPANY WORKING OVERTIME

Orders Coming in Rapidly and Business is Brisker.

That trade is on the upward incline is shown by the activity among the local manufacturers. The Rapid Tool Company's factory is compelled to work overtime to keep up with the many orders which have recently come in. The machines are in operation almost every night until ten o'clock, and shipments within the next few weeks will be heavy.

CROWN HOTEL CHANGES HANDS

Has Been Purchased by Messrs. J. J Cottingham and T. J. Parker.

The Crown Hotel which has been conducted for the past eighteen months by Mr. Frod A Clarke, has changed hands, having been purchased from Mr. Clarke by Messrs. J J Cottingham and T J Parker, of Peterborough. The new proprietors are in charge of the business to-day and an application has been made to the License Commissioners for a transfer of the license from Mr. Clarke to Messrs. Parker and Cottingham. Both the new proprietors are well and favourably known in Peterborough and as they have had long experience in catering to the public in this line, should have no difficulty in making a success of the new enterprise.

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WANTED — ORGANIZER IN PETERborough for first-class social and beneficial order; good remuneration. Address R. E. A. Land, National Club, Toronto. 3d 113 4682

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TO LET — HOUSE, CORNER OF George and Perry streets; electric light, city water. Apply J. J. Turner & Sons, George street. 3d 117 4675

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LOST — A PARCEL ON CORNER OF Bolivar and Park streets on Wednesday afternoon; parcel was labelled ready for mailing. Finder will please leave at Examiner office. 3d 117 4676

LOST — A WHITE FOX TERRIER with black and brown markings, on Thursday. Finder will please leave at Jas. Lynch's Drug Store, Hunter st. 3d 117 4653

LOST — ABOUT THREE WEEKS AGO a fox terrier Puppy Dog, three months old, white with black and tan on head. Reward for information left at Examiner office or Oriental Barber Shop. 2d 117 4661

FOUND.

FOUND — ABOUT A WEEK AGO, A Yellow Collie Dog Pup; owner may have same on proving property and paying for this advertisement. Apply Alex Davis, 139 Dublin street. 3d 119 4689

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STRAYED OR STOLEN — BULL TERrier Pup about six months old, white with gray spots; reward for information resulting in finding. Apply Examiner office. 3d 120

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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1908

THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT.

Every one who aspires to be the intelligent tenant of the "Christmas Spirit" should read the immortal "Christmas Carol" of Charles Dickens. Here is a pregnant passage from it:

"The Spirit stood by sick beds, and they were cheerful; on foreign lands, and they were close at home; by struggling men, and they were patient in their greater hope. In almshouses, hospital, and jail, in misery's every refuge, he left a blessing; in all his travels, joy."

But it must be remembered that the Christmas Spirit must be carried in human hearts to many of its beneficiaries, and not only in human hearts but in human hands. The Christmas spirit gives. It reaches its ideal and general exposition in the home. In every home where there are children, and in this happy season there are children great or small in every home, as the days draw nigh to the 25th of December, mysterious packages are stealthily brought home and secreted like stolen goods till the eve of the children's saint, who in childhood's heart is immortal. But the true Christmas spirit only sharpens itself by domestic exercise. It is not sent out or taken out in company with loving human hearts and kindly hands into homes where there is want, sickness, sorrow or any other adversity it is a spurious spirit, and the holy manger in Bethlehem never knew it. Selfishness and the Christmas spirit are sundered as the poles of the earth; it demands that we should bring Christmas joys, Christmas greetings, Christmas cheer to others within the sphere of our activities. He that eats his Christmas dinner in solitude without thought for the dinnerless, or the cold or the otherwise afflicted, is keeping a Barmecide feast, hollow and illusive. The subjoined sentiment is as true as if it were inspired writ and not the graceful imagery of Byron:

"All who joy would win,
Must share it; happiness was born a twin."

U. S. PULPWOOD INVESTIGATORS IN CANADA.

The report of the opinions formed by the visit to Canada last month of the three members of the special commission appointed by the United States Congress, last April, to enquire into the pulpwood and paper question will, says the Pulp and Paper Magazine, be waited for with great interest. The members were James R. Mann, of Chicago; W. H. Stafford of Milwaukee, and W. H. Ryan, of Buffalo, accompanied by C. C. Steinbeck, the secretary of the committee. The representatives had a talk with Sir James Whitney and Hon Frank Cochrane, and much of the Department's information regarding Ontario forests was placed at their disposal. In the afternoon Prof. Fernow, Dean of the Faculty of Forestry at the university, was seen, as well as a number of others.

The immediate object of the committee is to find out whether there is a sufficiency of raw material in the United States or on the continent to insure the supply of paper for all time to come; that is, provided proper forestation measures were adopted. They desire to gain first-hand knowledge of Canada's wealth in this regard. With this object in view they conducted personal enquiries in the woods of Northern and Northwestern Ontario. They will thus be able to report as to what they have seen instead of merely what they have heard. They have already made personal investigations in many States of the Union, spending many days in the woods, as well as taking a lot of evidence, so that they will be in a position to speak with some authority when their investigations are concluded. Their opinions will go a long way towards making any new tariff arrangements by the Washington Government affecting the pulp and paper industry.

If at any season, more than another, Christian charity should be at its highest glow, it should be at this season that commemorates the incarnation of Christian charity.

RELIGIOUS TOLERANCE.

The Toronto minister, who publicly denounced Hon. Sidney Fisher, for having called upon the Pope during his visit to Rome, should remember that he is called upon to preach the Gospel—of peace, not of cant and narrow mindedness. The Pope occupies a position of universally respected dignity and an audience with him is a greatly coveted privilege, independently of any religious consideration whatever. A red republican might have an audience with the most absolute and tyrannical of monarchs, without derogation of the levelling principle that republicanism theoretically involves. Paradoxical as it may appear, the narrow mind is not found in the "narrow path." The religion of the Gospel of the Lord of Christmas has a wide outlook, as wide as its sympathies. Our Lord was reproached by the scribes, Pharisees and hypocrites, for eating with publicans and sinners, and His answer to them comes home to their lineal descendants in this generation. The world is wide and the varieties of religious belief and thought, while, differing in minor details, are all one in the great central creed of the Redemption, involving the fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man. He has no real belief in these, who take advantage of his position to confine human salvation within the restricted circle of his little cult, and pronounces anathema upon all outside its pale. At this holy season there could be no more jarring discord imparted to the Christmas note than the bigotry that condemns simple acts of common and, more, Christian, courtesy, which even a comparatively ordinary and simple preacher like St Paul had the hardihood, in the eye of such bigotry, to especially enjoin. We have to live together. We should live in harmony. We can respect the creed and opinions of others, without derogation of our own or the sacrifice of one conscientious essential. By practising a large Christian tolerance, we not only dignify and sweeten our own belief—but practise the promotion of that harmony which not only hallows all human relations and brightens the joy of human intercourse, but is also essential to the conditions that must go with the highest attainment in material enterprise and national achievement and growth. Religious tolerance is an element in religion, an element in social relations, an element in citizenship, that cannot be spared.

Behold how good and pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity.—David.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

If Longboat could liquid-ate his extensive "smile" he would coin money in a local option district.

Yesterday was the "shortest" day of the year, according to the calendar, and the man whose wife bought her Christmas presents early feels that the almanac is right.

Edmonton, though only a few years old, has a septic tank system and other appurtenances of a great city. It is now "knocking" Winnipeg over its assurance in proposing a World's Fair.

Ottawa doesn't seem to be a very promising place to try local option. It is probable that it will be controlled next year by Champagne. Alderman Champagne is a candidate for the City Board of Control.

With a splendid new Collegiate Institute, and with six well built and well equipped ward schools, excepting the West Ward School, Peterborough can regard with complacency the appeals to the ratepayers of Brantford to vote for money for a Collegiate Institute for that city.

Winnipeg polled 17,500 votes in the Federal election and only 10,000 in the mayoralty contest. A possible explanation is that the city officials were more observant as to who voted and how often. Duplication of votes might help explain Conservative majorities in the Federal election, in the Western Metropolis.

Business is said to be picking up in the West. That will help Eastern Canada, for, outside of wheat, we produce much that the West wants, and if it has money will buy. The supreme folly that opposes the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, as a means of developing the far West of the country a trifle more than foolishness.

An astronomer has discovered vapor on Mars, from which he argues thus: Where there is vapor there is rainfall; where there is rainfall there is vegetation, where there is vegetation there is life. Therefore Mars is inhabited. An astronomer who can evolve man out of vapor is greater than Darwin, who began with a full-fledged monkey.

Peterborough has in one sense been liberally dealt with. Our beautiful parks with one or two exceptions are gifts, and our excellent General Hospital is a gift with liberal endowment to boot. The City of Brantford considers itself fortunate that in no year has it been called upon to contribute more than $5,000 for the maintenance of the Stratford hospital.

Sir William Macdonald by the help of "My Lady Nicotine" is putting a great swath as a philanthropist. He has endowed colleges and his name has become familiar in our mouth as household—domestic science — words. His latest bentaction is a royal one; he is sending a copy of the Letters of Queen Victoria" to each of a thousand schools in the Province of Quebec. He is credited with believing that "the inspiration and information" contained in that extraordinary work will act like a seed, sown first in the teacher's mind, passed on by the teacher in a form which children can receive."

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Mr. and Mrs. Milburn, Smith, Remembered for Their Work in Connection With Zion Church.

A PLEASANT PROGRAMME

Smith, Dec. 22 (Special)—A very pleasant and successful entertainment was held in Zion Church on December 16th. Standing room was at a premium, for the house was literally packed.

The programme lasted fully 3 hours and consisted of recitations, dialogues, solos, duets, instrumental music and choruses. The manner in which the scholars acquitted themselves spoke well for themselves as well as for those who trained them.

At the close of the entertainment the pastor, Rev. S. Crookshanks, asked Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Milburn to take seats on the platform, where they were presented with two beautiful chairs, while a member of the school read the following address:—

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Milburn:

We feel that we cannot let this opportunity pass without showing, in small measure, our appreciation of your work among us.

You have ever been energetic, earnest Christian workers, and have formed two of the strong pillars of our Sabbath School. By your Christian example you have been a great help to us, and though we cannot reward you, we know that God will.

As a slight token of our appreciation we would ask you to accept these chairs. In future days, as you sit in these by your own fireside, and "Fond Memory brings the light of other days around you," may one of the brightest and dearest memories be that of the work God gave you to do in Zion Sunday School, and which you both performed so nobly.

And now our earnest prayer is:—

May God be with you through all the years,
Your earthly lives may run
Share all your joys, soothe all your tears,
And, when your journey's done
Bring you at last to that bright shore,
Where ne'er we bid adieu;
Till we meet there to part no more,
We pray "God be with you."

ZION SUNDAY SCHOOL.
Zion, Dec. 16, 1908.

Although taken completely by surprise, Mr. Milburn thanked the school for their beautiful gift to Mrs. Milburn and himself, and expressed his great pleasure in being permitted to work for God and the benefit of the young in the neighbourhood, hoping that the few good seeds he may have scattered had fallen into good soil, and would bring forth an abundance of good fruit.

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Notice is hereby given that a Quarterly Dividend for the three (3) months ending Dec. 31st, 1908, at the rate of eight per cent. (8%) per annum, has been declared upon the Capital Stock of this institution, and the same will be payable at the offices of the Company in this city on and after Jan. 1st, 1909.

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Measures Were Discussed Last Night at a Largely Attended Meeting—Street Extension By-law Was Favourably Commented Upon.

COST TOO MUCH FOR BRIDGE

Moved by D. HughesCharles, seconded by W H Denham. "That this meeting approves of the by-law for street extension."

"That it approves of the by-law for building a new Smith st. bridge, but that the proposed bridge is too expensive.

"That it would approve of a by-law to purchase a park to be used for exhibition grounds in the south end of the city, but that the proposed grounds are too expensive for such purpose.

"And that a copy of the resolution be forwarded to the council.

Moved by W H Moore seconded by Wm. Langford "That the opinion of this meeting—better advertisement and the fullest information the subject is capable of, should be given in all cases of money by-laws submitted to the rate payers for approval. The meeting feels that this has been neglected in the past."

The above resolutions clearly indicate the nature of the discussion at the special meeting of the Board of Trade held last evening in the City Council Chambers for the purpose of discussing the three by-laws which are to be submitted to the people on January 4th. The interest taken in the measures was evidenced by the fact that there was a large attendance of members and of the citizens generally, that the by-laws were discussed at considerable length by the gathering. With regard to the by-law for the providing of $21500 for street extensions there was an unanimity of feeling. It was felt that as some of the money for this purpose had already been spent and that as the work was necessary there was no other course but to support the by-law.

The general feeling of the meeting seemed to be that $49000 was too big an expenditure for a new bridge at Smith street. It was granted that bridge was absolutely necessary but it was thought that a suitable structure could be erected at a much less expense.

There was also dissatisfaction expressed with the by-law to borrow $30000 for the purchase of the exhibition grounds. Many of the speakers were in favour of purchasing suitable grounds for the fair and park purposes, but they did not approve of the location or of the price and the result was that the meeting refused to endorse the by-law as it will be submitted to the people.

The president, Dr M A Morrison occupied the chair and among those who took part in the discussion were Messrs W H Moore, J H Larmonth, D Hughes-Charles, Wm Langford, R Sheehy, W H Meldrum, R H Leary W H Denham, Robt Fair, Dawson Kennedy, B F Ackerman, and Ald W J Johnston.

Dr. Morrison explained that the object of the meeting was to discuss the by-laws that were to come before the ratepayers on January 4th. He asked Mr W H Moore, Chairman of the City Trust Commissioners to open the discussion.

Mr. Moore's Opinions

Mr Moore said that in public affairs there should be as much open discussion upon the subject as there could be and the Board of Trade were to be commended upon the stand they had adopted in this connection. He did not think that the by-laws to be submitted were sufficiently advertised, they barely followed the law and that was all. The council should have considered it their duty to make it fully open to the people as possible before they submitted the by-laws. What they should have done was to give publicity to the by-laws in all the city papers. To the ordinary person who had not the opportunity of getting at the facts, the information was not sufficient and he would go to the polls unable to judge correctly as to the merits of the by-laws.

Speaking of the by-laws he had not the least hesitation in saying that a bridge was necessary at Smith st. but as to the cost he was not able to say. The engineer had figured out the cost approximately that much. He thought it was the duty of the rate payers to support that particular by-law.

In regard to the by-law for the extensions of streets Mr Moore said the great mistake was that these streets were not extended long ago and another mistake was of not having extended Peterborough south to the river which could have been done by an order in council. The streets in question had to be opened. They were necessary and he thought the council acted in public honesty upon the things that came before them. He for one would support the by-law.

Speaking of the by-law for the purchase of the fair grounds Mr Moore stated that he was not so clear as to its necessity. He thought at one time that the farmers were the people interested but now it seemed to be the idea that town which received the benefit should contribute to the cost. He thought that as the farmers received one-half of the profit the County Council should pay one-half of the cost.

$30,000 was a tidy sum and the cost of $1000 per acre was big when it was considered that the King Edward school grounds had been bought for $500 an acre. He was not sure that 50 acres were necessary for a fair or a place of Peterborough's size. There would be 15 or 20 acres of the land that would not be used for any purpose. To buy land just to have land was not the purpose of the city of Peterborough. He was not going to condemn the proposition outright but thought the farmers should pay their share of the cost.

Mr. Moore passed on to discuss the financial position of the city. On Jan. 1st 1909, the city would owe $1,063,520.32 in public debentures. The available assets were to be deducted from this sum were $600,000 and the financial condition of the city was excellent. He criticised the auditors report in terming the sewers, school buildings, fire hall, sidewalks, etc. as assets.

Mr. Larmonth's Views

Mr J H Larmonth spoke in favour of all the by-laws to a certain extent. The Smith street bridge was probably the most important of the three. The question was whether the citizens should be called upon to expend so much for a bridge, and he thought that in view of the quality and appearance of the bridge which was contemplated the council was making no mistake in asking for $49,000. It would be necessary practically to build two bridges as a wooden one would have to be erected before the cement one could be constructed. A concrete bridge would last a good many years.

He approved of the by-law for the extension of the streets and was entirely in sympathy with the idea of the city assisting the fair. He thought, however, that the city could get suitable grounds for far less than $30,000 and might get a location on the water front where it would be better. If the city could get a site for $15,000 he would be in favour of giving the fair directors $15,000 for new buildings.

Supported the By-laws

Mr P H Leary spoke in favour of all three by-laws. In regard to the by-law to buy the exhibition grounds he remarked that it was not the intention of spending $30,000 purely for exhibition grounds but for recreation grounds. What the directors asked was for the city to give them a place for their permanent buildings and use of the grounds one week in the year, the property could be used for recreation purposes the rest of the time. He strongly supported by-law pointing out that the fair advertised the city and brought many people to the city. It was important that there should be good ground and buildings and in the event of the directors not being able to secure grounds they would be forced to drop out in which case it would be impossible to renew the charter at any future date. The fair he showed had had a surplus of $800 last year.

Mr. D. Hughes Charles

Mr. D. Hughes-Charles said that there was nothing more necessary than a new bridge at Smith street, and he did not approve of the patching principle that had been used in connection with the bridge. He believed that the city, when it was building a bridge should build a good one.

It was important that the streets should be extended, when land could be secured cheaply, and, therefore, he was in favour of that by-law.

Mr. Hughes-Charles thought the exhibition project was too high to be secured for either park or fair purposes. The buildings on the grounds were of no use. He would favour a location on the river front where permanent buildings of cement could be erected and which could be used advantageously, as a park when not being called into service as a fair grounds.

Smith Street Bridge too Expensive

Mr. Wm Langford, after characterizing the proposition to buy the exhibition grounds as absurd, and after endorsing the by-law for the extension of streets, which, he said, would have to be supported, went on to deal with the by-law to provide $49,000 for the erection of the Smith bridge. There was no question of the necessity of a bridge at that point, but he did not think that $49,000 was needed for that purpose. He had looked over the plans of the proposed bridge and remarked that it would be a pretty structure, quite like the London bridge, but he felt that a concrete bridge was unnecessary, and further he did not think that a concrete bridge over a stream like the Otonabee was the proper thing. Mr. Langford read an estimate from Engineer Cooper, of New York, for a steel bridge across the river at Smith street, providing for an eighteen foot roadway with sidewalks on each side and strong enough to carry a street car, if necessary, which would cost $22,000 and which would last for years. He was strongly of the opinion that such a bridge as that was what was needed, instead of an experimental steel structure that would cost over twice as much. He showed the immense saving to the city that would result if the cheaper bridge was decided upon.

Mr. Meldrum's Views

Mr. W. H. Meldrum, speaking in regard to the extension of streets, remarked that it could never be done cheaper than at the present time, but asked if it was necessary. He thought that there would be no need of extending streets if some means were not taken to get more manufacturers here and provide them with facilities. In connection with the Smith street bridge, he was in favour of erecting a bridge. It was a necessity, but he did not feel inclined, after the information that he had received from listening to the other speakers, to support the erection of a bridge to cost $49,000. Similarly with the exhibition grounds proposition, he felt that cheaper grounds could be secured and could not see his way clear to support the by-law.

Mr. R. Sheehy said that it was out of the question to expect the people to vote $30,000 for the purchase of the exhibition grounds. He was not in favour of utilising the present grounds for fair purposes, as the land was too valuable. He asked why the Hilliard farm or some other property could not be utilized for fair purposes. Mr. Sheehy thought the Smith street bridge proposition was too expensive, but was prepared to vote for a reasonable amount for a bridge. However, he could not support the exhibition grounds by-law and would vote against it.

Mr. Dawson Kennedy supported all three by-laws, but more especially the exhibition by-law, in support of which he spoke at some length. He pointed out that a good fair was an asset and an advertisement for the city, which it could ill afford to drop and such would have to be the case if some provision were not made to secure grounds. He considered that the investment was a good one.

Mr. Denham's Opinion

Mr W. H. Denham, in speaking of the exhibition grounds by-law, expressed himself as being in favour of securing grounds further out on the river, where a suitable park could be secured. He felt that the people desired to get away from the city to attend the county fair, andd if such grounds were secured he was sure that the fair could be made a big sucess. If the present grounds were held they would soon be surrounded with residences, and the result would be that they would be holding a county fair in the midst of the city. Mr. B F. Ackerman expressed himself as being unable to vote for the Smith street by-law, because he felt that $49,000 was too big a price to pay for the structure, and his views on the exhibition grounds purchase were similar, inasmuch as he thought that the cost was too great.

Mr. Robt. Fair, speaking in regard to the Smith street bridge, said that the matter was worth considering, whether an expenditure of $49,000 was necessary for a bridge to meet the requirements, and that he was inclined to think that it was too expensive. He favoured the extension of the streets as provided for in the other by-law, and thought it was a step in the right direction. He did not approve of the purchase of the exhibition grounds, although he believed in assisting the exhibition.

Ald. Johnston explained the position of the council in regard to the Smith street bridge. In asking for $49,000 it did not necessarily imply that the amount would be expended, inasmuch as the council had felt that they should secure the consent of the people for the use of $40,000 in case that amount was required. It was considered that a bridge capable of carrying the street railway line across might be constructed, and in that case it would cost $49,000. This concluded the discussion and the above motions were carried without further comment, after which the meeting adjourned.

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Mr. H R H Kenner, who arranged the commencement and who for the best interests of the students, has in view other open meetings, performed the duties of chairman in his usual able and entertaining manner. A synopsis of the programme is given as follows:

Chorus, by the P.C.I. choristers, Miss Helen Davies conductor.

Presentation of the Nicholls Scholarships, by Dr. Park of the Normal School staff, Dr. Park being unavoidably absent Mr. Kenner made the presentation.

Presentation of the Inter-Form Relay Prize.

Presentation of writing prize, presented by Mr. J Crane, by Mr. Mowat.

Instrumental duet, by Miss Katie Leary and Miss Stella Shearer.

Presentation of staff cup, by Rev. E A Pearson.

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Vocal solo, by Miss Myra White.

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Violin solo, by Kathleen Wallis.

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Presentation Junior Cross Country Medal, by J H Adams.

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Miss Jean Harstone obtained third-class honours in English.

Faculty of Education—Miss Letitia Elliott and Miss Elsie Pollock passed in Part II. Miss Gertrude Yenney, Harold Brown and Stanley Pringle, passed in Part I.

Normal Entrance — The following passed the Normal Entrance examination: A E Rosborough, winner of the Nicholls Scholarship; Jean Kennedy, Agnes Holland, Mary Casey, Clara Adams, Eva Rae, Ethel Huttman, Ethel Garbutt, Vera Flynn, Flossie File, Lulu Bushnell, Sterling Waterman and Michael O'Brien. Twenty-one wrote, thirteen were successful and the first five of the above obtained honours.

Science Matriculation — Stewart Anderson, Walter Blackwell, Bruce Clegg, Donald Denham, and Herbert Johnston. Six wrote, five were successful, and the other has since passed a supplemental examination.

Arts Matriculation — Katheryn Burnett, winner of the Nicholls scholarship; Max Dobbin, Harold McGill, Eileen Coughlin, Annie Edgar, Percy Hooper, Stella Mains, Harold Wallis, Herbert Conroy. Eleven wrote and nine were successful.

Partial Examination—Alberta Udy, Jean Harstone, George Ingham, Ruby Fitzgerald, Harry Balfour, Arthur Rosborough, Funnie King and Agnes Holland.

Nicholls Scholarships—The winners of the three scholarships which were presented by the late Mrs. Nicholls, are: Honour Matriculation and Faculty of Educaton—Miss Gladys Crane.

Normal Entrance — Arthur Rosborough.

Junior Matriculation—Miss Katheryn Burnett.

Athletic Prizes

The prizes won at the annual field day were also presented, as much interest being taken in this part of the programme as in the former part. Above was mentioned who made the presentations and the winners are given as follows:

Winner of Staff Cup and Gibson Medal, senior champion—Harry Hall.

Winner of Macdonald Cup and Gibson Medal, junior champion—Bruce Lees.

Winner of Senior Road Race Medal Harold Lees.

Winner of Junior Road Race Medal —Bruce Lees.

Winner of writing prize—Miss Katie Skinner.

Winner of Inter-Form Relay prize, Form 2B—Ray Scott, W Gibson and G Rankin.

Winner of Girls' prize at annual sports—Needle-threading contest — 1, Phyllis Denne; 2, Elsie Mowat.

Diplomas Presented

During the past year Mr. W S Robinson was instrumental in securing for the pupils of the lower school, diplomas for the standing they obtain in the form below those in which the matriculation and departmental diplomas are secured. Mr. Robinson presented these diplomas to the following successful students:

Girls—Misses Anderson, Curtis, Edwards, Ellis, Gibson, Hinchliffe, Hurley, Leary, Lyle, Moore, Mitchell, McNamara, Read, Smith, Stone and Young—Sixteen.

Boys—Messrs. Adams, Adamson, Campbell, Edmison, Eyres, Fortye, Geale, Garvin, Giles, Hall, Kerr, Kirn, Matthews, Mowat, Moore, McIntyre, Pue, Richardson, Torrance, Wallis, Brown, Corkery, Dean — Twenty-three.

Commercial Diplomas

The diplomas which are presented every year to the successful students who took the commercial course were won by the following this year, who received them from Mr. D W Dumble:

Misses Irena Spicer, Estella Collinson, Ethel Pethick, Emily Horsfield, Mina Waldie.

General Noter

The valedictory address written by Miss Gladys Crane and read by Miss Lillian Dean, was one of the features of the evening. Miss Crane was unable to be present as she is writing on her examinations in Toronto. It was a cleverly written composition, Miss Crane being one of the brightest pupils that has ever attended the P.C.I. As delivered by Miss Dean it was charmingly read and was most entertaining.

The choruses by the class of pupils who have been instructed by Miss Helen Davies were pleasant surprises and considering that choristers have been practising but a short time their numbers were splendidly rendered. This feature is one which with further development will be a decided asset to the musical life of the P.C.I.

The addresses by those who made the presentations were interesting throughout. Mr. Mowat spoke briefly but pointedly on the value of a secondary education. Rev. E A Pearson and Rev. Father Kelly dwelt on the subject of physical development, emphasizing its value in equipping young men and women to enter life more perfect, and referring to its influence on the moral and intellectual sides of our nature.

The addresses by the other speakers were appropriate and with the instrumental and vocal numbers added in no small measure to the evening's enjoyment.

The initial commencement exercises may be entered in the records of the Collegiate Institute as an unqualified success and a high standard has been set for other years.

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Six Months In Central Prison For Men Charged With Vagrancy; Had Been Begging From Banks

Six months in Central Prison was the rude jolt that was handed out by Police Magistrate Dumble at the police court this morning to Fred. Kane and Jos. Kerr, the two men who were arrested last week on a charge of vagrancy. When asked to plead this morning the men admitted that they had no means of support, and had not been working, although they informed the magistrate that they had been diligently looking for employment.

Kane said that he came from near Hamilton, Ont., and that after looking around Toronto in vain for a job, he had gone to Barrie and other places, looking for work without success.

Will Cahill, of the Bank of Toronto staff; Carol Hayes, of the Bank of Ottawa and a member of the staff of the Bank of Nova Scotia, testified to the two men having been in their respective banks, seeking for financial assistance and representing themselves as being out of work.

P. C. Newbali testified that the men had come to the police station for several nights, looking for lodgings, and on two or three occasions they had been under the influence of liquor.

"What is that mark on the palm of your hand?" the magistrate inquired of Kane. "Not the mark of the pick and shovel, anyway."

"I don't work with the pick and shovel," replied the prisoner.

"I thought not," was the magistrate's answer.

Kane started to explain again that they were looking for work, but the magistrate cut him short. "I will find you work and provide for your board while you are doing it," he remarked. "Six months in the Central."

It cost a young man, who had gazed upon the wine when it was red, $5.85 to square himself with the court. He pleaded guilty to being drunk.

Board of Works Recommends The Reconstruction Of Romaine St. Sewer

The most important feature in connection with last night's meeting of the Board of Works, in addition to the reports given in another column, was the recommendation from the Board that the council should commence the reconstruction of the Romaine street sewer as early as possible next year. There were present Ald Phelan, chairman, Ald. Buller, McIntyre, Elliott, Bradburn and Morgan.

A letter was read from the city solicitor regarding the claim of Rev. W. J. Keilty, for an accident to his horse.

Moved by Ald, Elliott, seconded by Ald. McIntyre, that the Rev. Father Keilty be offered without prejudice $20 in settlement of his claim, and that if he accepts this offer that the city treasurer be authorized to issue a cheque for that amount.—Carried.

A letter was read from Wm. J. Martin, concerning the claim of Wm. Logan, for injury to his business while the Brock street bridge was being rebuilt.

On motion of Ald. McIntyre and Elliott, it was decided to offer Mr. Logan without prejudice $30 in settlement of his claim.

It was moved by Ald. Elliott, seconded by Ald. Bradburn, that the chairman be authorized to accept the offer of J. W. Fitzgerald for land to widen Benson street, for $500.—Carried.

A report was read from the city engineer regarding the rebuilding of the Romaine street sewer.

It was moved by Ald. Bradburn and Elliott that application be made to the Board of Railway Commissioners for the privilege of constructing a twelve inch sewer under the tracks of the Grand Trunk Railway on Romaine street, the part under the railway to be of cast iron pipe and that we recommend the council to take up the matter of reconstructing this sewer early in 1909.—Carried.

It was moved by Ald. Morgan and Bradburn, that Mrs. M. A. Davidson be permitted to connect No. 563 Park street to the sewer, provided she pays the cost of the work and what she would have to pay for a man sewer on Park street, in accordance with the city engineer's estimate, namely $51.71.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Morgan, seconded by Ald. McIntyre, that Mr. Willis Chipman be asked to appoint an engineer to take the levels required by him for the purpose of making his report and that he be informed that the Board would prefer to have him appoint a local engineer to do this work, if he can see his way to do so, and still be responsible for the whole work.—Carried.

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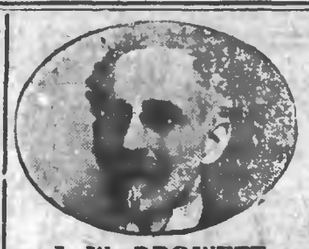

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LENGTHENING STEAMER RAINBOW

Capt. F. Burnett Making Some Changes —To be 15 Feet Longer.

It is stated that Mr. Frank Burnett, captain and owner of the steamer Rainbow is enlarging his boat this winter He has pulled her out on shore at Birdsall's Landing and she will be lengthened 15 feet.

HORSE FELL ILL ON JOURNEY

Unpleasant Experience of Local Gentleman on Sunday.

A gentleman of this city had an unpleasant experience with a horse on Sunday on the Lakefield road. He was driving towards Lakefield and when he got a little way past Nassau the horse took it into its head to go no further so it sat down by the road and refused to get up The gentleman secured the help of a farmer and got the horse up and housed in a stable then telephoned to the city for relief, which came in the shape of a veternary and an extra horse which was immediately hitched to the cutter and the journey to Lakefield was resumed. The horse was found to be suffering from a temperary ailment of a somewhat severe character.

POST CARD CORRESPONDENCE.

In this column will be published communications upon post cards only. It will remain open for the use of readers, who are invited to contribute suggestions, inquiries or replies. Anything of a scurrilous personal nature will be prohibited.

Editor Post Card Column.

Dear Sir—I noticed in the Toronto Star of a few days ago an article with the heading "Your Rubbers cost more, do you know the reason why?" Now, a great many people believe that the retail boot and shoe dealers are responsible for the prices but the Star points out that they are not the offenders It is not the retailers but the wholesale men who are to blame. The merchants are obliged to pay whatever price the wholesalers may choose to demand. The former seem to be simply selling agents, whose prices are fixed for them by their principals

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CHRISTMAS MARKET TO-MORROW

Farmers Expected In and Prices Should Be Favourable.

Like a departmental store that has been conducting a 10 days' sale, only to decide upon one more chance for the public to obtain their full share of "these unparalleled bargains," the market official announces that there will be a large market to-morrow. The farmers have stated that they will attend in large numbers, and it is altogether likely that the prices will be favourable to the citizens' purses.

COLLEGIATE REPORTS PREPARED

Staff Has Been Compiling Results of Examinations—To be Sent Through Mails.

The principal and staff of the Collegiate are busily engaged in preparing the Christmas reports of the pupils. They have been compiling the results of the examinations, and will send them through the mails to the parents of the pupils, probably during the present week

AN APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

Dr. Marsh in Toronto To-day in Interests of Hamilton Astronomical Society.

Dr Marsh is in Toronto to-day, attending the meeting of the general council of the Royal Astronomical Society. He is there to present the application of Hamilton Astronomical Society for organization, under the new charter of the R. A. S. of Canada. In Hamilton a few days ago Dr. Marsh assisted in the organization of the society.

GETTING READY FOR XMAS HOLIDAYS

Open Air Rink on Reid Street Nearing Completion.

The open air rink at Knox Church is very nearly ready for the winter sport. They have erected a large waiting room on Reid street, which will be heated and at night the rink will be lighted by thirty-two sixteen candlepower lights. They hope to have it open on Christmas Day.

SONS OF SCOTLAND HAVE PLEASANT SOCIAL TIME

The second monthly social meeting of the Sons of Scotland was held last night in the Knights of Pythias' Hall Simcoe street. Dr McKinnon, acting as chairman. The meeting was well attended and a pleasant evening was spent in song and story. Not the least pleasant feature was the playing of the pipes by Bro. Mackey. The meeting finished as usual with the singing of "Auld Lang Syne" and "God Save the King," by the company.

Generous Citizens Subscribe More Than Amount Required

Mr. F. W. Miller Receives Sum of $106.90 for Family Who Will Leave for England on Thursday —Tickets Have Been Procured.

ASSISTED A GOOD CAUSE

Mr. F W Miller, as is known has has been receiving donations towards a fund to help purchase tickets to send a deserving family back to the Old Country. The father as has been stated before, is troubled with a tubercular ailment, and has been of the opinion that if he were back in England he would be able to throw the disease off. He has been very industrious, working nearly all the time, and those who became interested in the case felt that the generosity of the people would be touched by this case. Their confidence was not misplaced for Mr. Miller reports that he has received $106.90. The tickets have been purchased, costing $102.90, leaving a slight surplus which will likely be given the family as a Christmas gift.

The last contributions were received from the following:

Mrs. Hazlitt	$ 5 00
Mrs. Walsh	3 00
Misses Dickson	4 00
A Friend	10 00
A Friend	1 00
A Friend	1 25
A Friend	2 00
A Friend	2 00
A Friend	1 00
A Friend	5 00
Mr Smithson	5 00

The family leaves on Thursday on the 11.16 a.m. C.P.R. train for Montreal, and will sail on the Empress of Ireland. Mr. Miller while merely receiving the donations was confident that the citizens would make up the full amount, although for a few days the contributions lagged.

Engineer Gives Report On The Proposed New Smith Street Bridge

City Engineer T A S Hay made the following report to the Board of Works Committee last night upon the proposed new bridge at Smith st.—Ald. Phelan, Chairman of the Board of Works

Dear Sir—In May 1905 I submitted a plan to the Board of Works for rebuilding Smith street bridge for a 2-span steel bridge truss of 150 feet each on concrete abutments and piers, at estimate as follows—18 ft. roadway and two walks $37,200 24 ft. roadway and two walks $46,200

I considered it advisable to allow for contingences and placed the cost at $46,000 and $49,000 respectively I now submit plan for reinforced concrete 3-arched span of 100 feet each, the net estimates as follows—For 18 ft. roadway and two walks, $37,500 24 ft roadway and two walks, $46,500; and allowing for contingencies the amounts would be $40,000 and $49,000

If the latest design is adopted I am of the opinion that by leaving out the north sidewalk there would be ample space if necessary, for one street railway track on the north side, still leaving a roadway 18 ft wide which would be sufficient for the traffic carried by that bridge and will save the cost of one sidewalk $225, and allow almost the total capacity of the higher priced bridge

St. Mary's Church, Lindsay, Was Visited By Fire Last Night

The interior of the vestry of St. Mary's Church, Lindsay, of which Ven. Archdeacon Casey is parish priest, was devastated by fire which broke out last night at eleven o'clock and threatened the entire building. The origin of the fire is not known for a certainty, but it is believed that defective wiring may have been the cause. The loss has not been ascertained this morning. Rev. Dr. O'Brien, who was in Lindsay last night, saw the blaze, which did considerable damage to the interior of the vestry. The main part of the church was practically untouched.

SALVATION ARMY XMAS TREE AND CONCERT

Entertainment Arranged at the Barracks For Christmas Night.

An entertainment will be given in the Salvation Army Barracks on Christmas evening, consisting of a Christmas tree for the young people preceeded by singing and music by the children. Everybody is welcome to attend; tickets can be obtained at the barracks or from any member of the Army.

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GOMEZ TAKES HOLD OF THE REINS

Forms New Venezuelan Government Minus Castro's Friends.

REPUBLIC IN A FERMENT

Country Has Had Fierce Ways of Incendiarism and Rioting, But Strict Censorship of News Kept State of Affairs From Leaking Out—Minister Who Quarrelled With Holland Is Out of Cabinet.

Port of Spain, Dec. 22.—Vice-President J. Vicente Gomez, to whom Gen. Cipriano Castro handed over the Presidency on his departure for Europe, has established a new Government in Venezuela.

He has replaced the old Ministry, the leader of which was Dr. Jose de Jesus Paul, the Minister of Foreign Affairs, who has been the one figure, outside of Castro himself, in the negotiations that culminated in the ousting of Minister De Reus and the severance of diplomatic relations with Holland, with a new body of men who represent various factions in the state and who have figured prominently in various ways in the political history of the country.

The new Cabinet is composed as follows: Minister of Interior, Linares Alcantara; Minister of Foreign Affairs, Gonzales Guinaud; Minister of Finance, Munoz Tebar; Minister of War, Gen. Regulo Olivares; Minister of Fomena (patronage), Rafael Carabano Obras; Minister of Public Works, Roberto Vargets; Minister of Public Instruction, Dr. Maldonado.

Secret advices received here from Caracas, where the strictest censorship is being observed, indicate that the whole of Venezuela has been in a ferment ever since President Castro sailed and that the crisis was reached a few days ago, when it became necessary for Acting President Gomez to take decisive steps, which he did by eliminating from his Cabinet those who were closely affiliated with the Castro rule and under the Castro domination.

The revolutionary factions, which gained strength with every hour of Castro's absence, played a prominent part in the demonstrations against the absent President, which took the form of rioting and incendiarism. These were temporarily checked by a show of force, and later the revolutionary influence that threatened to sweep the country was overcome in a measure by promises that could not be held long in abeyance.

TRIES TO ROAST BOY.

Drunken Father Makes Terrible Attempt on Child's Life.

St. John, N.B., Dec. 22.—John Perry, formerly living in Moncton, but now of Charlottetown, tried to roast his five-year-old son in a hot oven Sunday night. The boy was too big and although the father jammed him into the oven, he was unable to shut the doors. Then he pulled him out and threw him against the wall.

With his head covered with blood the little fellow made his way to a neighbor's house and told his story. Perry, who was crazed with drink, was arrested yesterday.

Call to Brantford Church.

Brantford, Dec. 22.—Rev. W. C. Rose, Yarmouth, N.S., has accepted a unanimous call to become pastor of Park Baptist Church at a salary of $1,800 per annum.

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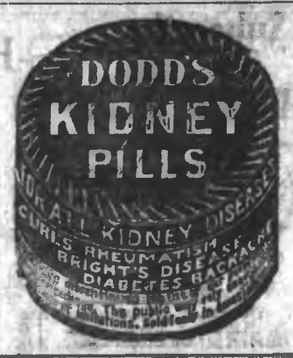

NO MORE ASSISTANCE IS NEEDED

Carnegie Says Steel Trust Can Now Stand Alone.

PROTECTION UNNECESSARY

Magnate Testifies Before Congress and Declares That Europe Cannot Now Compete With America In Steel Production—Says America's Ore Supply Will Not Last 40 Years and England's Only Seven.

Washington, D.C., Dec. 22.—That the steel industry of the United States has reached a point where it does not need protection but can stand alone in competition with the world was the feature of the testimony of Andrew Carnegie yesterday before the committee on ways and means of the House of Representatives.

He expressed the opinion that wages would not be reduced if the tariff was lowered or removed entirely. He was utterly opposed to an income tax, believing; as he said, with Mr. Gladstone, that such a tax produced a nation of liars.

Mr. Carnegie interspersed his testimony with humorous remarks. He suggested that Congress should extend a vote of thanks to Mr. Schwab for his work in improving the methods of steel making.

"I never met his equal," said Mr. Carnegie, "and when we were partners we were a great team."

Mr. Carnegie was not willing to deal in figures. He said: "The more figures

ANDREW CARNEGIE.

you get the more you will be befogged. I do not judge by figures given by interested parties." He said at another point in his testimony: "I judge by results."

The former steel magnate said that Judge Gary had issued an annual statement showing that the United States Steel Corporation had made a profit of $158,000,000, which, he said, equalled a profit of $15.50 a ton on all steel products.

Mr. Carnegie avoided direct replies to questions as to whether the cost of producing steel at the present time, as given by Judge Gary and Mr. Schwab, was correct.

"Mr. Schwab's estimate of the present cost is based on entirely different ideas than his estimate on the cost in 1899," was all that Mr. Carnegie would say.

Replying to a question, Mr. Carnegie declared that the removal of the duty on steel would not necessarily affect the price, because Europe could not successfully compete with the American product. He said also, that if the figures given by former witnesses were absolutely correct, steel stock would be selling far below par.

Mr. Carnegie spoke of the difficulties he experienced with directors ignorant of the steel business. "I gradually bought them out and got men like Schwab around me, and we made the cheapest steel that has ever been made."

"You have been out of steel some time," said Mr. Payne, "can you tell us where we can get the figures on the present cost of making steel?"

"I don't know whether you can get the figures," was his reply. "If a judge was interested in a cause, you would not respect his decision would you?" he asked, referring to the steel manufacturers who have appeared before the committee.

Mr. Carnegie asserted that at the rate at which iron ores are being extracted the supply would be exhausted in forty years. He based his statement on the best expert opinion he could obtain, he said. He also said that England would be in the same condition in seven years.

Mr. Carnegie insisted in reply to questions that the railways were not paying too much for steel rails. The steel railmakers, he thought, were making a fair profit.

Two Thousand Drivers on Strike.

New York, Dec. 22.—More than two thousand cab drivers and chauffeurs employed by liveries and cab concerns are on strike to-day, according to Edwin Gould, secretary of the Liberty Dawn Association.

Unless the actions of the employers are favorable, said Mr. Gould yesterday, the tie-up of the city's cab service will be practically complete today. Several of the affected companies sent out cabs and motor cars yesterday under police guard.

A MISTAKE IN SPAIN'S EXPENSES

Auditor-General Says Commander's Claims Are Wrong.

COULD NOT PASS ACCOUNTS

When Charged With Including Expenses of Trip to Fort William While Sitting In Montreal Commander Spain Says It Was an Error In Dates — Diaphone Prices Under the Probe.

Ottawa, Dec. 22.—The probing of the Marine Department affairs to-day revealed a few more dark places that will require the light of further evidence to disclose whether or not there has been actual wrong-doing. Commander Spain, whose accounts for traveling expenses were gone into during the sittings of the commission here last June, was again asked to explain some further discrepancies in his accounts, as challenged by the Auditor-General last year. The wreck commissioner had been asked to refund about $900 by the Auditor-General, and his explanation as made before Judge Cassels last June was that this refund was made at the end of the year, when his yearly account was made up, and he found that he had this sum of money unexpended from the total amount advanced to him. Auditor-General Fraser testified that the charges for traveling expenses made last year by Commander Spain were manifestly incorrect, since on the dates for which traveling expenses to Fort William and other points were charged the departmental records showed he was holding court as wreck commissioner in Montreal. The accounts as presented by Commander Spain were initialled as correct by Deputy Minister Gourdeau. The Auditor-General said he had refused to pass the commander's accounts, and, failing further explanation, must continue to withhold payment.

Commander Spain, in giving his version of the matter, said that there must have been a mistake in the dates, and that there had in reality been no overcharge made for his traveling expenses. He had, he said, gone to Fort William last year, and only one entry appeared for expenses on that trip during the year. The date must have been wrongly entered. He will be examined again to-day, after being given an opportunity to look over his accounts and produce the Departmental record as to his out-of-town trips. This record, however, appears to be incomplete and incorrect in several instances.

The charge that exorbitant prices were charged the Government by the Canadian Fog Signal Co. of Toronto for diaphones supplied at a cost of $4,600 each was further gone into, and officials of the company gave evidence to the effect that in view of all the circumstances the price charged was quite justifiable, that the Government got extra good value for the expenditure, that the contract had been obtained in open competition after a careful report by the Department's engineers, and that a net profit of 20 per cent. was not too much to demand on a patented article for which the sale was limited.

Examination of the records of the People's Bank in Quebec during May and June, 1905, and some further evidence of Mr. Van Felsen's gave little help in solving the mystery as to the truth of the charges made by the latter regarding an alleged payment of $3,000 as a rake-off to Mr. J. B. A. Beaudreau of the Marine Department, in connection with the settlement of Holliday Bros'. account.

The rest of the sitting was devoted to an enquiry into the conduct of Departmental business at the Prescott agency, and the evidence adduced was all of a negative character in respect to any revelation of graft by the officials or employes there.

Died at Station.

Winnipeg, Dec. 22.—Returning with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. McFarland, whom she had been visiting at Regina, Mrs. Ester Shaughnessy, aged 74, died of heart failure on the C.P.R. platform here while taking the train for Mount Forest, her home.

Land Open to Settlers.

Moose Jaw, Sask., Dec. 22.—Seventy townships south of Moose Jaw were thrown open for entry yesterday, and already over 300 land seekers, many from the United States, are in town waiting to make application.

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RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

LOCKWORKS SPRANG BIG SURPRISE BY TAKING TWO GAMES FROM LEADERS

The victorious ten pin career of the Bankers was temporarily terminated last night in the league series at the P.B.C. and to the Lock Work's goes the honour of stopping the mad rush of the flying leaders, who up to this engagement had lost but one game since the league opened. Now there are three defeats chalked up against them, and the race has reached a point where any one of five teams may assume the leadership before the opening of the New Year, the Bankers, Pacifics, Iroquois, Exam A and Lock Works being well bunched in the first division with only three or four games separating them.

Of the lot the Pacifics seem to have the best chance of reaching the leaders, as they meet Hutchinson's tail-end team to-night, when the Belmonts and Iroquois will also come together in a double header. The first game is scheduled for 7.45 and the second for 9 p.m.

Luck is one of the most attractive elements in ten pins, and must always be regarded as a factor to be reckoned with. The veriest tyro always has some chance with the expert and the tail-end teams in a league race are always dangerous. They never admit defeat until the last frame is rolled, and to-night the Hams expect to justify this confidence by making the Pacifics go every inch of the way to win. Certainly they will make every effort to surprise their opponents, and improve their own standing in the league.

Last night's scores follow:—

BANKERS

Ford	154	103	153—	410
Barber	152	136	152—	440
Ferguson	136	152	165—	453
	442	391	470—	1303

LOCK WORKS

Lacheur	106	152	163—	420
Lang	130	128	157—	415
LaPlante	163	145	186—	494
	398	426	506—	1329

Majority for Lock Works: 26 pins.

HOCKEY TEAMS HAD GOOD PRACTICE; MANY JUNIORS OUT LAST NIGHT

Over twenty players were out in uniform at the practice of the intermediate and junior O.H.A. teams at Brock street rink last night, and the workout was a lively one. There were too many players on hand to allow any one to play much hockey, but the practice served to unravel the kinks that have collected since last season. One feature of the practice was the number of junior men on the ice and it looks as if the only difficulty in securing a junior O.H.A. team will be in selecting the men from the great mass of material there is available. Among the senior men out last night were Chris Graham, Wallie Parnell, Ray, Dusty, Seymour, Dobson, Ross, Long, Gilman, Derochier and Brogan, while the juniors had out in uniform, Leo Giroux, Cyril Giroux, Pentland, Gorman, Elliott, Fox, Wade, Callaghan, and others. Another practice will be held to-morrow night.

INTERMEDIATE SCHEDULE DRAWN UP; BELLEVILLE HERE FOR FIRST GAME

At a meeting of the clubs of this district held in Port Hope yesterday with Mr. T J Turpin, of Cobourg, in the chair, the schedule for the intermediate series of the O.H.A. was drawn up. The Peterborough Club was represented by G L Galley. The games will be as follows:

Jan. 5—PETERBOROUGH at Cobourg.
Jan. 8—Lindsay at Belleville.
Jan. 12—Cobourg at Lindsay.
Jan. 15—Belleville at PETERBOROUGH.
Jan. 18—Lindsay at Cobourg.
Jan. 18 — PETERBOROUGH at Belleville.
Jan. 22—Cobourg at Belleville.
Jan. 22 — PETERBOROUGH at Lindsay.
Jan. 26—Belleville at Cobourg.
Jan. 26—Lindsay at PETERBOROUGH.
Jan. 29—Belleville at Lindsay.
Jan. 29—Cobourg at PETERBOROUGH.

GAME WITH OSHAWA POSTPONED UNTIL LAST OF DISTRICT SERIES

The local juniors will not open their Junior O H A season here next Tuesday with Oshawa after all. Mr H E Bradley, secretary of the Oshawa Club called up secretary Glover of locals this morning and asked that the game be postponed until Feb 2. The Oshawa Club has not had any ice yet and as they are starting with a new team they have had no opportunity of getting a team together.

The Peterboroughs were in much the same condition as they have had little practice and they were quite agreeable to the change in the schedule as it will give them a little more time to whip their team into line.

The local's first game will be on New Years Day at Whitby and the first home game will be on Monday, Jan 4th with Cobourg.

With a junior and senior City League Merchantile League, and Church League, in addition to Junior and senior O H A teams, Peterborough people will have plenty of hockey during the coming season. Following is a list of the home games of junior and Intermediate O H A teams—

Intermediates

Friday, Jan 15th with Belleville
Tuesday, Jan 26 with Lindsay.
Friday, Jan 29 with Cobourg

Juniors

Monday, Jan 4 with Cobourg
Wed., Jan 6 with Port Hope
Tuesday, Jan 12 with Whitby
Tuesday, Feb 2 with Oshawa

Away from home games—

Intermediates

Tuesday, Jan 5 at Cobourg
Monday, Jan 18 at Belleville.
Friday, Jan 22 at Lindsay.

Juniors

Friday, Jan 1 at Whitby
Friday, Jan 15 at Cobourg
Monday Jan 25 at Oshawa
Thursday, Jan 21 at Port Hope

TURF CLUB RACES AT DRIVING PARK ON CHRISTMAS AFTERNOON

On Christmas afternoon one of the chief attractions will be the Turf Club races at the Driving Park. The track is being put in good condition and some fast and interesting events are fully expected. The local turf men are all waiting for the day, and the horses from outside points that are sure to be here should provide an afternoon of good sport. There are two named races for fairly large purses, and these together with the rivalry that exists locally, should result in some fine finishes. The Turf Club has tried to fill in the blank of Christmas afternoon for those who have no other amusement and with fine weather there should be many avail themselves of this fine outdoor sport.

Two pins in three games, was the narrow margin by which the Happy Thoughts bowling team were defeated last night at the Y.M.C.A. by the M.A.S. The scores were:—

HAPPY THOUGHTS

Bruce	139	99	140—	378
Best	137	144	128—	409
Campbell	117	110	119—	346
				1133

M. A. S.

Millard	131	86	80—	297
Armstrong	146	115	150—	411
Shirley	159	131	137—	427
				1135

Standing of the Teams

	Won	Lost
Happy Thoughts	3	1
Staff	2	1
M.A.S.	1	2
Friendly Bible Class	0	3
Leaders	1	1

TRENT VALLEY LEAGUE HAVE UP TWO CUPS

Mr. J. W. Pearce, M.L.A., Hon. President of the Trent Valley Hockey League, has offered a cup to be awarded to the team winning the championship of the League for one year or two years in succession as the Executive of the League may decide. With a trophy of two cups to compete for there should be a very exciting contest in the League this season. Stirling and Madoc will both have very strong teams, but Marmora will also have the strongest team it has ever had and should be able to hold its own.—Marmora Herald.

STRATHCONAS PRACTISE TO-NIGHT

Full Turn Out of City Leaguers Expected at Brock Street Rink This Evening.

The Strathcona City League team, last year's champions, will hold their first practice of the season to-night at Brock street Rink, between 7 and 8 o'clock. The following players are expected to be out in uniform: Wilson, Barber, Dusty, Ray, Long, Dobson, Seymour, Weatherstone and McMillan.

HOCKEY

The Belmont hockey team will practise to-morrow evening from six to seven o'clock on Wednesday night, at the Brock street rink. All desiring to play are requested to be out on time.

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Manager Titterson informed the Examiner to-day that Cressman's Counter Hoppers accept the challenge of the Fresh Air club to a game of hockey.

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There are more cases of kidney trouble here now than ever before, while recent reports show that more people succumb each year to some form of kidney disease than any other cause.

When there is sickness, examine the urine. Rheumatism is only a symptom of kidney trouble. It is nothing more or less than excessive uric acid in the blood, which the sluggish, inactive kidneys have failed to sift out, leaving it to decompose and settle about the joints and muscles, causing intense suffering; frequently resulting in deformity; often reaching the heart, when death ensues.

Pains across the back, frequent painful and suppressed urination and other symptoms of weak bladder are not the only signs of kidney trouble; many cases of stomach disease, headache, pain in the heart, inactive liver, etc., are but symptoms; the cause of which can be traced to feeble, clogged kidneys.

A simple test of the urine is to void a small quantity in a bottle or glass and let it stand over night; next morning, if there is a reddish brick-dust sediment, or white fleecy substance present, either consult some reputable physician or take a good vegetable treatment. The following prescription is highly recommended in these cases, and the sufferer can mix it at home: Compound Kargon, one ounce; Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Shake well and use in teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime.

Where any of the symptoms enumerated above are present, good results are sure to follow immediately on the use of this simple prescription.

THEFTS REPORTED FROM SIMCOE AND MANVERS

Examiner Special

Toronto, Dec. 22.—Several hundred dollars worth of furs taken from Severen's drygoods store, Simcoe, are said to have been found in the home of Policeman Wilkins, who confessed that he had gone through the store with Chief Malone and they had taken the articles.

Omemee, Dec. 22.—Mr. T Davidson, Manvers township is in search of a farm hand, who decamped, taking with him, it is believed, a large sum of money.

CROP PRODUCTION IN PETERBOROUGH COUNTY

Some Statistics Given in Bulletin of Provincial Bureau of Industries.

The latest bulletin of the Provincial Bureau of Industries, gives the following particulars of crop production in the province for 1908. The figures relating to Peterborough county are as follows:

Mangel wurzels—1,371 acres, total yield, 387,933 bushels; yield per acre, 283 bushels.

Turnips—2,246 acres, yield, 809,560 bushels per acre, 360 bushels.

Mixed grains—4,215 acres, total yield, 116,334 bushels; per acre 27.6 bushels.

Hay and clover—53,069 acres, total yield, 77,475 tons; per acre 1.46 tons.

Sugar beets—96 acres, total yield 30,482 bushels; per acre 317 bushels.

Pasture—Cleared land, 54,196 acres.

Orchard and small fruits — 8,425 acres.

Vineyard—34 acres.

Horses—12,192.

Milch cows—21,497.

Other cattle—28,388.

Sheep and lambs—17,650.

Swine—25,65[illegible].

Poultry (all classes)—213,782.

A table showing the number of ll all kinds of live stock sold in Peterborough county in 1908 reveals the following:

Horses, 970.
Cattle, 13,805.
Swine, 20,623.
Poultry, 37,518.
Wool, lbs., 24,301.

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SPECIAL MEETING OF PRESBYTERY

Arrangements Made for Induction of Rev. Mr. Black at Rice Lake.

A special meeting of the Peterborough Presbytery was held this morning, with a good attendance of the members. The call of Rev. Mr. McFarlane, of Warkworth, to Omemee, was considered but not settled. Rev. M. McClennan, of Norwood, presided at the meeting. It was decided to call a special meeting of the Presbytery on New Year's Day, at Rice Lake, for the induction of Rev. Mr. Black, in charge of Roseneath and Bethseda. A report regarding home missions was also received.

The New York Stock Market

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	Opening	Closing
A.C.P	77⅛	79½
Atch	98⅝	97⅞
B.R.T.	59⅜	63½
C.P.R.	174½	175½
Erie	32⅝	33⅜
Great Northern	142½	144⅜
L.N.	130½	131⅝
Mo. Pac.	62⅛	64½
Northern Pacific	138⅛	140⅛
N.Y.C.	116½	119½
Penna	128½	129⅜
R.I.	22½	23
Rdg.	137½	138½
Smelters	80⅜	81⅜
Soo	129½	130½
St. Paul	145	147⅜
S.P	116⅝	119
U.P.	176½	174⅜
U.S	53	53½
U.S. pfd.	111½	113
Twin City		
Nipissing	10½	10½
May Wheat	105⅜	106½
" Corn	60⅜	60⅜
May Oats	51½	51⅜
" Pork	16.22	16.35

KEEP THE KIDNEYS WELL

Health Saving Explained by a Peterboro Citizen Who Knows From Experience

Many Peterborough people take their lives in their hands by neglecting the kidneys when they know these organs need help.

Sick kidneys are responsible for a great amount of suffering and ill health.

The reason so many use Booth's Kidney Pills is their quick relief for all Kidney weakness. Here is what a Peterborough citizen says:—

Mrs. Geo. Hawes of 857 Water street, Peterborough, Ontario, says: "I had suffered for some time with many painful and annoying symptoms of kidney trouble and although I had tried many remedies and doctors I found little or no relief. My back was weak and a dull, bearing-down pain settled across the small of it and extended into my shoulders and around my sides. I was weak and languid and the least exertion would tire me out. Dizzy spells were frequent and often I would awake with a severe headache. I tried Booth's Kidney Pills through an advertisement at McDermid & Jury's Pharmacy. I soon found them to benefit me and continued their use. In a comparatively short time I was as well and strong as ever and without a symptom of the painful and long standing disease."

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is no mere sentiment if one of our Pianos has a place therein, and Christmas would be a suitable time to present the home with one.

The Reduced Prices

During our Holiday Sale affords a special inducement this month.

Organs and all small Musical Instruments suitably reduced in price.

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NOTICE is hereby given that a Quarterly dividend for the three months ending December 31st, 1908, at the rate of

Six Per Cent. (6%) Per Annum

has been declared upon the Capital Stock of this Institution, and the same will be payable at the offices of the Company in this City on and after

Saturday, the 2nd Day of January, 1909

The transfer books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st day of January, 1909, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,

W. G. MORROW,
Managing Director

Peterborough, December 17th, 1908

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CANADIAN PACIFIC

Going East	Leave Peterborough
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal, Kingston	12.25 a m
For Indian River, Norwood, Havelock, Tweed	7.51 p m
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	12.31 a m
Going West	**Leave Peterborough**
For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	8.35 a m
For Burketon, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	7.05 a m
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points	4.25 p m

GRAND TRUNK

	Arrive	Depar
Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Gravenhurst, North Bay, Sturgeon Falls and Toronto	11:40 a.m. 9:00 p.m.	8:30 a.m. 11.45 a.m.
Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	9:00 a.m. 3:00 p.m.	9:05 a.m. 3:05 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo & points Montreal and East	8:10 a.m.	8:05 p.m. 11:45 a.m.
Toronto, Lindsay, Stouffville, Uxbridge and Markham	11:40 a.m. 2:40 p.m. 10:10 p.m.	7:10 a.m. 11:45a.m.
Lindsay Local	8:15 a.m.	9:15 p.m.
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	9:10 a.m. 3:00 p.m.	8:00 a.m. 1:45 p.m.
Lakefield and Stony Lake	10:00 a.m. 6:15 p.m.	8:30 a.m. 12:30 p.m.

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Between all stations in Canada.

AT SINGLE FARE

Good going Dec. 24 and 25, 1908, Returning until Dec. 28, 1908. Also good going Dec. 31, 1908, and Jan. 1st 1909 Returning until Jan. 4, 1909.

AT FARE and ONE THIRD

Good going Dec. 21 to Dec. 25, 1908. Also Dec. 28, 1908 to Jan. 1st, 1909. Returning until Jan. 5, 1809.

Full information from
W. BUNTON, City Agent. F. SANDY, Station Agent

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Reduced Rates Now In Effect

RETURN TICKETS at Fare-and-a Third are good going Dec. 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, also Dec. 28, 29, 30, 31 and Jan. all good returning until Jan. 5.

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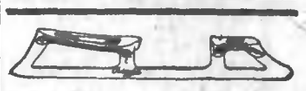
Ticket C.P.R. and Enjoy A Merry Xmas Journey

W. McILROY, Agent



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SNOW APPLES
COOKING APPLES
ORANGES, "sweet"
TURKEYS
DUCKS GEESE

To make sure of some of the above order at once and we will hold 'till wanted.

JAMES R. BELL
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BOTH PHONES

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DELICATESSEN

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3-lbs New Currants	24c
3 lbs. New Raisins for	20c
New Orange and Lemon Peel, lb.	15c
New Citron Peel, per lb.	25c
Shelled Almonds and Walnuts, lb.	35c
Tomatoes, per tin	10c
Peas, Beans and Corn, per tin	8c
3 bottles Pickles for	25c
New Dates, per lb.	10c
New Figs, per lb.	10c
Mince Meat, 3 lbs. for	25c

MEAT DEPARTMENT

A choice and complete stock of Fresh and Salt Meat, Bologna Sausage, Canned Goods, Pickles, Sauces, etc., can always be had from us.

JUST ARRIVED

Oysters, Turkeys, Geese, Chickens, Ducks, etc., for Christmas and New Year trade. A trial order will convince you that our stock is first class and that we will not be undersold by anyone. Our Motto—Goods delivered to all parts of the city without disappointment.

TALBOT'S
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Season 1908-9

Tickets for the season entitling the holder to all skating privileges, now now on sale at the Rink only.

Gentlemen.... $3.00
Ladies.....2.00
Youths 16 to 18, $2
Boys under 16, 1.50
Girls.....1.50

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We have the exclusive creations of the country's best Neckwear makers--handsome new models from the choicest silk and satins in new colorings. The new things in Shirts. The best styles in Gloves, Collars, Cuffs and Hosiery, New Bath Robes, House Coats, Mufflers, Suspenders, Handkerchiefs, Etc.

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TOWN TOPICS

PROBS—Northerly to easterly winds, fine and cold. Wednesday—Continued cold with some local snow.

Piano Tuning

Piano tuning promptly attended to. Satisfaction guaranteed. A. F. Hoover, 222 McDonel street 'Phones—Bell 198k, Mach. 199.

Christmas Concert

The annual Christmas entertainment of the Park street Baptist Sunday School, will be held to-morrow evening in the church at 8 o'clock. A good programme will be given.

Dry Goods Stores Open

—All the dry goods stores of the city will be open to-night to-morrow night and on Thursday night in view of the approach of Christmas.

St. John's Choir

—St. John's Choir will meet in the church to-night at eight o'clock, for special practice of Christmas music for Christmas Day and for Sunday next.

Particular

—If you are particular about the way your clothes look, send them to "My Valet," 204 Charlotte street, and and have them cleaned, dyed, repaired an dpressed. All particular people do.

Women of All Saints

—The members of the Women's Guild of All Saints' Church are requested to meet on Wednesday afternoon and evening, to help decorate the church.

Is Your Piano in Tune

—The change of season effects pianos as well as everything else Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 22 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. MacDonald's drug ator

Subscribed $10

The Sunday School pupils of the Presbyterian Church at Springville have contributed splendidly to the Sick Children's Hospital. A week ago booklets describing the work at the Hospital and the need for assistance were given out among the children, and on Sunday they handed over about $19 towards the Santa Claus Fund.

One Letter Wrong

—In yesterday's issue the new officers of St. Peter's T. A. S. was published but a typographical error was made in giving Mr. Joseph Duffus' name. It appeared Jas., the wrong letter appearing in the contraction.

Assisting the Children

The following contributions recently received are acknowledged by the Children's Aid Society:—

Friend				$5.00
Alex Dawson				$5.00
Friend				$5.00
Friend				$5.00
Armstrong	146	115	150	431

To Organized Labour

—A special meeting of the Peterborough Trades and Labour Council will be held on Wednesday evening at 9 o'clock, Dec. 23rd, in the Forester's Hall, George street. Every Local Union in the city whether affiliated or not is requested to have delegates present as business of importance will be discussed.

By order.
3d119 J. ALEXANDER, Pres.

Stratton's Open Evenings

For the convenience of those who cannot find it convenient to shop during the day. Gifts to charm the elders, to delight the children; something to please "him" as well as the feminine fancy. It's delightful to shop where the stocks are so full. We are ready to help you make a happy and joyous Christmas. Open evenings. A. H. Stratton & Co.

Ambitious Lillian Russell.

—Some idea of the ambitions of Lillian Russell, now meeting with great success in the racing comedy, "Wildfire," can be gathered by an experience she had in New York during her wonderful run there. A publisher, who is also a personal friend, approached the former prima donna and sought to urge her to give him the rights to her autobiography. "Bless your soul, but you are too early," she replied. "Why, I'm just beginning in twenty years it will be time to talk about autobiographies. All that I have done heretofore was just the primer grade exercises. The real work is beginning, and it feels fine to undertake something actually worth while."

All Saint's Church

—The rector, on behalf of the Women's Guild, wishes to thank those who sent in the Christmas cheer, nearly all of which was distributed at the church on Monday afternoon. He also wishes to express his thanks for several very generous cash contributions sent in for the same purpose. The usual services will be held at 8 and 11 Christmas Day. Every parishioner who can is expected to come to-night to the church to help decorate. A generous supply of greens has been sent in for which thanks are now given.

CHRISTMAS NEAR

We mention a few of the Xmas necessities which we now have in stock. Table Raisins, Pulled Figs, Fresh Figs, Fresh Shelled Nuts, Golden Dates, Grape Fruit, California, Florida and Mexican Oranges, and the very best new Nuts. Also "Seashipt" Oysters. S. A. OKE
376 George St.

ROLLER RINK
TO-NIGHT
SKATING 10 AND 15 CENTS

Next Friday—Xmas Day

Band Concert afternoon and evening. $5.00 Gold Piece will be given to the one who guesses the nearest number of attendance—morning, afternoon and evening.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

THE EXAMINER welcomes all Items of Interest for this column. Phone 24 or send post card with name and address.

Mrs. E. R. Tate, of Lakefield, was in the city this morning.

Mr. W. J. McBurney, Havelock, was in the city this morning.

Messrs Herb Conroy and Rich Sheehy, Jr., are home from Ottawa College for the holidays.

Miss Edith Clegg has returned from Canajoharie, N. Y., where she has been for the past three years.

Mr Garnet Greer of Queen's University, Kingston, is spending his holidays with his parents, Queen street.

Miss Josie Hawkey, of the Conservatory of Music Peterboro' is visiting her parents Mr and Mrs F. Hawkey, Ellen Street.—Port Hope Guide.

The engagement is announced of Hon. Senator Geo. A. Cox, to Miss Amy Gertrude Sterling, daughter of Mr. Walter Sterling, City Treasurer, Toronto.

Mr Jas. T. Lang was in Lindsay this morning, attending the funeral of the late Mrs. Jos. Maher, mother of Mr Jos. P. Maher, formerly of Peterborough.

Mr and Mrs T Archer of Uxbridge announce the engagement of their only daughter Eva V. Archer to Mr Everett Tisdall of Peterborough. The marriage will take place very quietly at the end of the month.

Mrs. Janet Huyck left to-day for Newburg, Lennox County, where she will for some time to come make her home. Mrs. Huyck's quiet and unostentatious goodness sought little prominence in social life, but her unassuming acts of kindness to her friends and to those to whom she was a friend—the poor and the needy—will for some time to come be much missed in Peterborough.

Make a man out of your boy by giving him a Y.M.C.A. membership ticket for a Christmas Present.
8d-ts-Dec. 22, 24

OBITUARY.

MR. EDWARD CHAMBERS

The death of Mr. Edward Chambers, sr., of this village, which took place at his residence on Bond street west last week, removes one of the oldest and most widely known residents of this community. Deceased had been in poor health for some time, but his condition was not considered serious until a few days before his death, when he suffered a paralytic stroke. Edward Chambers was born in Stromness, Orkney, Scotland, on May 13th, 1833, and came to Canada at the age of 13 years with his parents, who settled in the township of Monaghan. Forty-two years ago he came to Fenelon Falls, and some time later took up a farm in Verulam township, where he lived until eight years ago, when he returned to the village. He is survived by a widow, six sons and two daughters. The sons are Joseph, James, Edward and Frederick, of Fenelon Falls; David, of Bensfort, Monaghan; and Thomas, who lives on the old homestead in Verulam. The daughters are Mrs. John Thompson, of Verulam township, near Dunsford, and Mrs. Robert Brown, of Toronto.—Fenelon Falls Gazette.

MRS. JAMES MAHER

The death occurred suddenly on Sunday, in Lindsay, of a well known and respected lady, Mrs. James Maher, mother of Mr. M. J. Maher, of the firm of Lang & Maher, of Peterborough and Lindsay. The late Mrs. Maher, whose maiden name was Curtain, was born in County Limerick, Ireland, in 1833, and came to Canada with her parents when but four years of age. They settled in the township of Brock, where she resided until her marriage with Mr. Maher some forty-two years ago. A couple of years later the young couple removed to Lindsay.

The funeral was held to-day.

MANY DEER MEET DEATH AT HANDS OF HUNTERS

During the hunting season in Ontario for the year 1908, the Canadian Express Company carried 2,248 carcasses of deer with a total weight of 264,308 lbs. The season included a period of fifteen days between November 1st and 15th inclusive, and the figures show an increase of 181 carcasses over the year 1907. All of these shipments were from points on the Northern Division of the Grand Trunk Railway System, the heaviest shipments being made from Burks Falls, Haliburton, Huntsville, Kinmount, Powassan, Scotia Junction, South River and Trout Creek. This number does not give any idea of the number of deer killed during the opening season, and as each hunter is allowed two deer on his license and as from eight to nine thousand hunters were in the district, it is probable that 10,000 to 12,000 deer were killed during the season. This is estimated from the fact that a large number of deer are eaten in the hunters' camp and a great many are transported by the settlers by other means than through the railway.

To the Front Again

—with something new at the Colonial Grocery, and your Christmas dinner will not be completed without some corn on the cob, as nice as if fresh from the stalk. Will be a treat Try it. A Merry Xmas to all. J. M. Donovan, corner of McDonel and Aylmer streets. r t. w 4679

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Dinner Sets, Tea Sets, Toilet Sets, Fine China, Cut Glass, Hand Painted China, Glassware, Jardinieres, Gift Cups and Saucers, Sugar and Cream Sets, Lamps, etc. . .

We positively undersell all other dealers—Dinner and Tea Sets our specialty. An entire flat devoted to Dinner and Tea Sets. . . . . .

OPEN EVENINGS DURING DECEMBER

China Hall for Value in Dinner and Tea Sets

Make Christmas Happy

We will contribute our share by placing the following Bargains at your disposal

2,000 pounds only, Royal Mixed Candy, regular 10c per lb. While they last, and not more than three pounds to any purchaser. On sale Wednesday, per lb. 5c

2,800 pounds of Almonds and Walnuts, fine, sweet flavoured nuts. Shell on almonds medium soft. For sale while they last, at, per pound 12½c

Brazil Nuts, Pecan Nuts, Jumbo Peanuts, Grenoble Walnuts, Taragona S. S. Almonds, each per lb. .. 17c
Table Raisins, per lb. 20c, 25c, 30c
Almeria Grapes, per lb. 20c
Cream Candy, regular 30c per lb. for 12 1-2c
Chocolate Drops, regular 20c per lb. for 15c
Oranges, Mexican, per dozen 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c
Oranges, Navel, large size, per doz. 30c, 40c, 50c
Cranberries, choice red, per quart 17c
Christmas Tea, special at 50c per lb. for 40c
Christmas Coffee, special at 45c per lb. for 35c

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ANNUAL REPORT OF THE WORK PERFORMED ON THE CITY STREETS

The annual report of the City Engineer regarding the work accomplished on the city streets and the cost thereof, has been prepared and presented to the chairman of the Board of Works, Ald. Phelan. The report is as follows:

Ald. Phelan, Chairman Board of Works:

Dear Sir.—In accordance with your request I herewith submit a list of special work carried out during the season of 1908.

Concrete Walks, Contract No. 22

Inside tree line—

82,256.85 sq. ft. walk, cost $0.10 2-100 per sq. foot		$ 8,265 32
12,013.64 sq. ft. crossings, cost $0.14 1-2 per sq. ft.		1,741 99
94,270.49 sq. ft. Total		$10,107 31

Outside tree line—

56,023.13 sq. feet walk, cost $0.13 3-100 per sq. ft.		$ 7,140 09
7,750.68 sq. ft. crossings, cost $0.14 1-2 per sq. ft.		1,123 14
63,773.81		$ 8,263 23
158,044.30 sq. ft. Total		$18,370 54

Length of the Inside Work

Sidewalks	14,857.65 ft.
Crossings	2,376.81 ft.
	17,234.46 ft.

Outside Work

Sidewalks	10,958.49
Crossings	1,597.95
	12,556.44

Grand total, 29,790.90 ft.—5.64 miles.

Special Crossings—S. Kennedy

32 crossings, 7,316.71 sq. ft., cost $0.18 3-10 per sq. ft., (1,578 lin. ft.), total cost ..... $ 1,389 78

Sewer Contract No. 26

5,827.42 lin. ft. 1 1-10 miles, cost		$ 5,989 12
89 private connections		748 42
Total cost		$ 6,737 54

Normal School Sewer

Length 681.83 ft., total cost $496.15 or 71 3-10 cents per foot.

King street overflow—A 15-inch pipe overflow from the sewer at corner of King street and Water street to the river, total cost $263.08.

Division of Creeks

Mason's Creek—Via Argyle street to the river—900 ft. 36 inch pipe conduit, 100 ft., 5 ft. open ditch, total cost	$ 2,794 08
Aylmer street drain—1,097 1-2 ft., 18-inch pipe conduit	1,067 09
Total cost	$ 3,861 17

The diversion of creek in Ward 5 was carried out last year at a cost of ..... $ 4,318 70

Provided for by by-law voted in 1907 ..... $ 8,179 87

Bridges

The bridges over creek on King street, and at the intersection of Brock street and Aylmer street, were entirely rebuilt in re-inforced concrete.

King street bridge cost	$ 2,751 28
Brock street bridge cost	5,100 62
Provided for by by-law voted in 1907	$ 8,852 04

A foot bridge 6 ft. wide, was constructed across the deep cutting on the old Chemong Railway for the convenience of teachers and pupils of the Normal and Queen Alexandria Schools, at a cost of $111.12.

Otonabee bridge was painted three coats graphite paint, railing raised and main rods tightened. The floor was also relaid with elm plank at a total cost of $496.25.

Smith street bridge was repaired in March and October, 1908, at a total cost of $360.46.

Parapets were built on each side of the apron at outlet of Wilson street drain, and the open ditch east of Rogers street was curbed with timber reclaimed from Brock street bridge to prevent banks washing away, at a total cost of $55.25.

Wishing You All a Very MERRY XMAS and HAPPY NEW YEAR

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HEAD OFFICE and YARDS: 160 Aylmer, Cor. Wolfe
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For Half Price---At
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2 lbs. Cream Candies	25c
1 lb. Chocolates	15c
New Grenoble Walnuts, 2 lbs. for	35c
New Taragona Almonds, 2 lbs. for	35c
Malaga Grapes	20c
California Seedless Oranges, per doz.	35c, 40c, 50c
Mexican Oranges, per doz.	20c, 30c

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REAL, GENUINE ENGLISH PLUM PUDDING
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Largest Stock in Peterborough and Finest Quality CHRISTMAS CAKE.

All sorts of Delicious FRESH CHOCOLATES, FRUIT JELLIES, GLAZED FRUITS and other varieties.

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Your purchases here will embrace value, appropriateness and beauty—this list will help you out

Did You Ever Think of a Silk Underskirt as a Christmas Gift?

We have the best Skirt at **$8.00** in the trade to-day in black and colours. 8 special sample Underskirts in black, pink and black and white stripes— very elaborately trimmed, $15.00 value for **11.00.** $20.00 value for **15.00**

Boxed Frills Are very popular this season. We have them at three prices—large, new Frills in fancy boxes, 3 and 4 in a box.... **25, 35, 50c**

Wool Clouds Are a useful gift, black, white and cardinal at each.... .....**50c**

Fur Kid Gloves Our Kid Glove Stock embraces every thing new and nobby. The short lengths for street wear in white, black, tan, brown, grey, mode navy, green, red, etc., at per pair 1.00, 1.35, 1.50

ELBOW LENGTH in black and tan at per pair.....**2.50**

ELBOW and SHOULDER LENGTH for evening wear, white, per pair.....2.50, 3.00

Perrin's and Reyniers' Make

In Handkerchiefs You need not go further than our store— Everything necessary for Ladies Gentlemen or Children's use will be found here— MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS, pure linen at each.. .....**10 to 50c**

LADIES' plain hemstitched, pure linen at each.. .....**5 to 50c**

LADIES' embroidered and lace edged at each.....**12½c to 2.50**

CHILDREN'S in coloured borders at each from.....**3 to 8c**

And many other lines

Knitted Golf Jackets For Ladies and Children, splendid values at all prices, in black, navy, white and cardinal—

Children's, each... ....**50c to 1.35**

Ladies', each.....**1.50 to 4.50**

Neck Mufflers Wool Neck Mufflers, the Monarch reversible, all-wool—is the best made, white, navy, cardinal and black, each.....**50c**

Tuques These Wool Tuques are exceptional value at Fair's—in white, cardinal and navy, each..... ...**50c**

Satin Quilts White satin finished bed quilts in very handsome designs, crib, single bed and double bed sizes. Special values for Christmas selling at each..... ..**90c to 5.00**

Down Filled Comforters Covered with satin and fine French Sateen. Special values each.....**5.50 to 12.00**

Gift Towels Handsome fancy Huck Towels with hemstitched and embroidered ends....**50c to 1.25**

Wool Tuques In red, navy, and red and navy stripes, splendid value at, each.....**25c**

Lined Gloves Warm Lined Gloves in dog skin and mocha kid, wool and fur lined, pair **1.00 to 3.00**

Hand Bags Unusually good values in this department this season The staple styles and many novelties will be found here at little prices. Special values at each....25, 50, 1.00, 1.50 up to $5.00

Small Rugs and Mats Are becoming more popular every year as Christmas Gifts. Our showing cannot be excelled in the city— in Smyrnas, Wiltons, Dagdag, Axminster, etc, are some of the principal makes. Special values at each.... 2.00, 2.50, 3.00 up to 9.00

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It will probably surprise many readers to learn that a quarter of the output of coal in the United Kingdom is exported to foreign countries. France, for instance, during 1907 bought 10,750,000 tons from us, Germany 10,000,000, Italy 8,250,000, Netherlands and Sweden over 3,000,000 each, while Russia, Spain, Denmark, Egypt, and even the Argentine Republic purchased over 2,000,000 tons each from us. Even after supplying these demands, there was sufficient coal left for home consumption to allow for four tons for every person in the United Kingdom.

Coal represents about 82 per cent. of the minerals raised, and other minerals, such as clay and shale, limestone, salt, sandstone, and slate, were valued at over $40,000,000. Such are the values of products from the bowels of the earth.

BUTLER'S MARRIAGE.

Husband of Woman Who Painted "Roll Call" a Famous Soldier.

Sir William Butler, the distinguished soldier, who recently entered the ranks of the septuagenarians almost at the same time that he celebrated the jubilee of his entrance into the army, had his first taste of warfare in the Ashanti Campaign of the 'seventies, after eleven years of what he has so aptly termed "rusting routine." Sir William, who was a captain at the time, was mentioned on several occasions in the despatches of Lord Wolseley, and from that time onward, until the last Boer War, there was scarcely a campaign of importance that the British army was engaged in in which he did not play a prominent part. It was after the Ashanti Campaign and shortly before the Zulu War of '79 that Sir William married Miss Elizabeth Thompson, the well-known painter of "The Roll Call" and other famous pictures. The story goes that Sir William—he was then, of course, Capt. Butler—was lying ill at Haslar Hospital, when his friends almost bored him beyond endurance with descriptions of the famous picture which was the talk of London. Sceptical regarding the picture's merits, which he thought had been exaggerated, he went to London, saw it, and was conquered. Shortly after he met Miss Thompson, and they were married a few weeks later.

Value of Special Knowledge.

The remarkable botanical knowledge of Sir George Birdwood, one of the most erudite men in the Indian service, once enabled him to perform almost unconsciously a neat bit of detective work.

He was in Bombay when he was asked to investigate the case of a young nobleman who, in applying to the governor for an appointment, represented that he was just out from England, and his letters of introduction had been lost on the voyage.

A few days after Birdwood had undertaken the investigation he met the young nobleman at dinner at the governor's house. The table decorations of orchids suggested a conversational opening, and Birdwood's praise drew from the young nobleman sitting opposite:

"You should see the Amherstia nobilis in its native woods, sir."

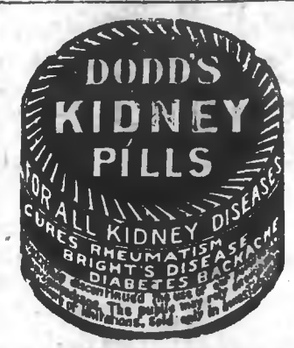
It was a fatal remark. "You come from Rangoon, then," instantly exclaimed Birdwood.

The pale face, the silence that followed the remark, the request of the young man that he might leave the table, all prepared the governor and the company for the subsequent discovery that the young man had absconded from Rangoon with public funds.

If Albani Were a Man.

The famous prima donna, who is announced to appear on the variety stage at a salary of $2,500 a week, unlike Mme. Melba—who has lately been expressing approval of the Suffragette movement—has a great opinion of the superiority of the sterner sex. "I am old-fashioned enough," she confessed a short time ago, "to still revere 'man' as of the superior sex. But how odd they are too! I suppose if I were a man I should be odd too; but how funny are some men, what real children, how lovable with all their big-heartedness, with all their experience of the world how trustful still, and—when a woman is concerned—how often too easily taken in!" And after thus qualifying her statement as to the superiority of man, Mme. Albani further confesses that if she were a man she would strive to see the world, and profit by all the good there is in every other country, in order to help to improve her own. She is devoted to England and to the English, as well as to her own native Canadian land. And "if I were a boy," to again quote her own words, "I am sure I should long to do something for and be something in my own country."

When a man likes to see how near the edge he can walk without falling over, there is only one thing that will cure him—falling over.—Atchison Globe.



An Awkward Player.

In 1608 King James published his famous "Book of Sports" and, thinking to render the Presbyterian form of worship less rigid, ordered that certain of the sports therein commended should be played in the several churchyards every Sunday at the close of divine service. John Ross, a minister of Blairgowrie, adopted a novel method of withstanding the royal ordinance. He was a strong, athletic man and seemed much interested in the recreations enjoined by the monarch. Football was selected by the parishioners of Blairgowrie from the list of "Sunday games." When the services of the church were completed Mr. Ross appeared among his people in the churchyard and joined them in their sport. None of the assemblage kicked more eagerly at the football than did the reverend incumbent. But constant misfortune seemed to attend him. Every kick missed the ball and fell heavily on the ankles of those who stood near. Apologies were promptly tendered and, of course, received, though every Sunday many of the parishioners returned home halting. Finally it was agreed that on account of the minister's awkwardness the games should be abandoned. Thus the ingenious divine gained his end and prevented compliance with the obnoxious order.

Where Greek Met Greek.

The marble clock in the dining room had just announced in mellow tones the hour of 3 a. m., when the wife of the plumber nudged him and whispered nervously:

"Horace, there's a burglar in the house!"

"There is, hey?" answered the husband, now thoroughly awake. "I'll see about him."

With cunning stealth he got out of bed and tiptoed out of the room. For ten minutes no sound broke the awful stillness. Then the house shook with a crash. There was a century of silence. Then a chair fell, the front door slammed and a heavy bundle thumped down the front stairs and into the street.

The terrified wife fainted, to be brought back to consciousness by the voice of her husband.

"It's all right, dear. I threw him out," he chuckled as he turned on the light. "But the scoundrel had only $4.30 in his clothes."—Judge.

How Mayne Reid Won His Bride.

It was through his novel, "The Scalp Hunters," that Captain Mayne Reid won a bride. He was thirty years old when he met a damsel of thirteen, with whom he at once fell in love. The child took no notice of him, but he gave her the story to read. Two years later the young lady was at a public meeting where Captain Reid spoke on behalf of the Polish refugees. "An electric thrill seemed to pass through me as he entered the room," she said afterward, and when the meeting was over she went up to him. "I leave for London on the next train," he said hurriedly. "Please send me your address." "I do not know where," she replied, with some embarrassment. He instantly handed out his card and was gone. A formal little note followed: "Dear Captain Reid—As you asked me to send you my address, I do so." By return of post came the answer, "Only say that you love me and I will be with you at once," and then the reply, "I think I do love you."

Whittier's Applause.

In his declining years the poet Whittier was extremely absentminded. He attended a church meeting where there were a large number of persons. As his presence was known, it was deemed fitting by one of the speakers to quote the poet's lines;

I know not where his islands lift
Their fronded palms in air;
I only know I cannot drift
Beyond his love and care.

Great applause greeted the quotation, and Whittier was noticed to join in the handclapping. "I suppose I must have had my mind on something else. I had no recollection of having written the verse," he said apologetically when his attention was called to the authorship.—Boston Post.

Legal Fiction.

Says Sir Henry Maine in his "Ancient Law:" "A legal fiction is the assumption which conceals or affects to conceal the fact that a rule of law has undergone alteration, its letter remaining unchanged while its operation has been modified. The fact is that the law has been changed; the fiction is that it remains what it always was."

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Tiny Community of British Subjects In Antarctic Regions Number One Hundred, of Whom Nearly All Are Men—Nova Scotian Skipper Pays Profitable Visit to the Ice-Bound Whale-Fishers.

The barquentine Stranger, of Lunenburg, N.S., came into port the other day carrying in her signal locker a house flag with a red ground and a white whale in the centre. This is the flag of the Argentine Fishing Co. It was a flag obtained on a trip to a British colony situated as far south as men live.

In the South Atlantic, just outside the Antarctic Circle, 1,700 miles to the southeast of Buenos Ayres, lies the island of South Georgia. It is 800 miles east southeast of the Falklands, contains about 1,100 square miles, and is a British crown colony belonging to the Falklands.

Capt. A. P. Strumm, a well built, fine-looking man, told how he happened to go to South Georgia on a voyage strewn with icebergs and field ice, fogs and whales, and succeeded in getting away with the charter safely and clearing $5,500 for his owners in two months. The Stranger, with nearly the last of her load of lumber from Bridgewater, N.S., out of her, lay at the Boca, Buenos Ayres, waiting for a cargo of hay or ballast to come north again.

His ship broker told Capt. Strumm that the Compania Argentina wanted to charter for South Georgia, and inside of an hour and a half the charter was the Stranger's, while three Norwegian barques, afraid of the ice, lay idle in the Platte. The barquentine took aboard 100 tons of coal as ballast, 840 empty barrels and a nine-ton boiler for the strangest and most distant whaling station. There ice and whales were found as plenty as stones in a Connecticut pasture.

Arrived at the island, the Nova Scotian found a colony of sixty men ashore and forty men afloat, manning a fleet of three small steamers engaged in whaling. The governor of South Georgia is Capt. C. A. Larsen, who was the commander of Dr. Otto Nordenskjold's exploring ship, the Antarctic, which was lost in 1902. In Capt. Larsen, whose commercial instinct has been aroused by the unlimited possibilities of profit in the whale industry in the near Antarctic seas during his adventures, Capt Strumm found a most fascinating host. It was by Capt. Larsen's persuasion that the Argentine Fishing Co. was organized.

There is only one woman on the island, the wife of Capt. Larsen's brother, with the exception of a few weeks in each year when the captain's wife comes to pay a visit. Mrs. Larsen has in her home a piano, an organ and a graphophone, besides books and plenty of fancy work. Nopotism among the employes prevails, and so far as Capt. Strumm could learn most of the men on the island and steamers are related in some way. In addition to his monthly wage every man receives a bonus of half a cent on every cask of oil.

Whales, whales! It is nothing but whales in these waters. There are narwhales, or unicorn whales; right whales and humpbacks, and while the Stranger lay in the bay one blue whale was taken that measured ninety-five feet. The oil is sent to Buenos Ayres, whence it is transshipped to Europe and to some extent to the United States. The plant on South Georgia has been established three years. It turns out 200 barrels a day. Whalebone from the right whale brings about $7,500 a ton, and from the narwhal $3,200. The product for this year will be 20,000 barrels. It sells for $20 a barrel.

The steamers are built in Norway and have three hawse pipes on each side for towing the whales to the island. Next year a floating station, consisting of a large steamer equipped with plenty of boats and a trying-out plant, will be run in connection with the land station. While Capt. Strumm was there a steamer came in, towing two right whales. "Here's your freight," said Capt. Larsen to Capt. Strumm. "Those two whales are worth just $5,500."

Right whales are the most rare. There are so many "nars" and humpbacks that only one steamer is sent after these, while the other two steamers go to the north end to shoot right whales, whose whalebone is always worth the cleaning. No steamer is allowed to bring in more than six whales at once. If a captain brings in more he is reprimanded. Sixteen right whales were shot the first year, twenty-six the second and seventy-eight the last year. Whale meat, if pickled in order to take out the taste of the oil, can hardly be distinguished from beef.

The Norwegians talked of annexing South Georgia, but this made the Argentines jealous, and Great Britain settled the question by sending a warship the first year and planting the British flag on a snow-covered mountain 2,800 feet high. The British Government made Capt. Larsen resident governor, with strict orders not to allow the seals, sea lions, sea leopards, sea elephants or other animals of their kind to be wantonly killed. A seal may be killed only for food.

The mean temperature of South Georgia is about 34 degrees, and on the whole island there is not enough grass to cover the deck of the Stranger. The wind blows at the rate of nearly seventy miles an hour.

Advance In the Price of Whisky.

London distillers of grain spirits gave notice recently of an advance of two pence per gallon in the price of whisky. The reason given for the advance is the great increase in the cost of production, owing to the higher prices of raw materials.

Few things are impossible in themselves. It is not so much means as perseverance that is wanting to bring them to a successful issue.—Rochefoucauld.

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Astronomy.

If there were any money to be made in astronomy everybody would be studying it. About all we can see is figures, and these are so big that they stagger the understanding. Every child in the United States knows how to find the north star (Old Polaris) from the pointers of the dipper, but no child can appreciate the statement that this star is distant from the earth 210,000,000,000,000 miles—two hundred and ten trillions! The Twentieth Century Limited, traveling at one mile a minute, would have to run without stopping for 479,000,000 years in order to traverse this distance. If light really travels 187,500 miles a second, a ray from the north star would be thirty-six years in reaching the earth.—New York Press.

Would Not Pay Charges.

He was an impecunious nobleman with air castles in sunny France. After much deliberation he sent the following note to the pretty heiress:

Dear Miss—I love you, but do not know how to express myself. How would you advise? COUNT DE BUST.

And the heiress penned the following:

Dear Count—Express yourself any way you wish except C. O. D., as you are not worth the charges.

—Chicago News.

More Worry.

"It used to be my ambition," said the business man, "to accumulate a fortune and then retire."

"Well," answered the friend, "haven't you realized it?"

"No. I've got the money, but I don't dare retire. I've got to stay awake night and day to keep somebody from taking it away from me."

A Safety Match.

"Papa, what is a safety match?"

Mr. Henpecked (looking carefully to see if his wife is within hearing)—A safety match, son, is when a baldheaded man marries an armless woman!—Short Stories.

Couldn't Lose.

"Things seem to be coming your way of late."

"Couldn't be any softer if I was the hero of a poker story."—Kansas City Journal.

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It would never hold a dollie,
To say nothing of the candy,
Nuts and toys and sprig of holly."

And so Mamma, to appease her,
Says that she'll just hang her own up,
And perhaps St. Nick—the teaser—
Won't discover it's a grownup

Yet, in Mamma's estimation
(Mothers sometimes are such sillies!)
All big stockings in creation
Are not worth that one of Lillie's.

—*William F. O'Donnell.*

HAVELOCK COUNCIL DINE

Death of Miss Edith Morrison—Hockey Club Holds Pleasant Dance—Many Personal Items.

THE FARMERS TO MEET

Examiner Special.

Havelock, Dec. 24.—The last meeting of the village council for 1908 was held in the council chamber, on Monday night, December 15th. Present Reeve Thompson, Councillors Wood Phillips, Campney and Knox.

Minutes of last meeting read.

The following accounts were ordered to be paid:

Wm Rose, electric fixtures	4 35
J. W Bryans, clerk and treasurer	110 00
J. W Bryans, selecting jurors	3 00
J. W Bryans, Board of Health	3 00
J. W Bryans, postage, etc	4 50
Jas. Thompson, selecting jurors	2 00
Jas. Thompson, Board of Health	2 00
Dr Crawford, medical health officer	5 00
S. S. Joyce	2 00
Wm Matheson	2 00
C. H Brewster	2 00
School Department, No. 19	217 90
School Department, No. 1	260 20
Town Hall, No. 9	280 84
County rate	416 23
One-half year's park debt	65 00
G. J Sherry	10 00
P. Lancaster	25 00
Dr. Crawford	12 00
Dr. Kindred	12 00
Dr. Holderoft	12 00
James Thompson	1 00
A. C. Denike	2 25
McMaster & Peeling	3 00

Bylaw No. 240, to hold an election and appointing deputy returning officers, poll clerks and polling booths, was read a first, second and third time, signed and sealed.

Moved by Mr. Campney, seconded by Mr Knox that Jas. Thompson be given an abatement on 1907 taxes of $6.07, and that Thos. Wood be refunded $6.07, on account of an error in addition on roll.

Mr E. Williams returned collector's roll for 1907, with taxes uncollected, $58.05, and that the following be handed over to Jas. Brill for collection.

Jas. Fowler, business tax	46 75
Mark Sing	6 75
Peter Cain, land tax	1 35

Moved by Mr. Campney, seconded by Mr Knox, that the collector's roll be accepted from Mr. Williams.

Meeting adjourned.

The following is the schedule arranged for Division No. 2, of the Trent Valley Hockey League, composed of Havelock, Marmora, Stirling and Madoc:

Jan. 4—Havelock at Marmora.
Jan. 6—Madoc at Stirling.
Jan 11—Marmora at Madoc.
Jan. 18—Stirling at Havelock.
Jan. 22—Havelock at Madoc.
Jan 25—Marmora at Stirling.
Feb 1—Madoc at Havelock.
Feb 3—Stirling at Marmora.
Feb 8—Madoc at Marmora.
Feb. 10—Havelock at Stirling.
Feb. 15—Marmora at Havelock.
Feb. 17—Stirling at Madoc.

The other districts will likewise arrange their schedule in a few days.

A very enthusiastic meeting of the supporters of hockey was held in the Armstrong House, on Monday evening, to form a hockey club to enter the Trent Valley League. The following officers for the ensuing season were elected:

Hon. Pres.—Mr. D. Carmichael.
Hon Vice-Pres.—Mr. Thos. Bennett.
Pres.—Mr. Ed. Murphy.
1st Vice-Pres.—Mr. H. Roche.
2nd Vice-Pres.—Mr. Jas. Fowler.
Secretary.—Wm. Bryans.
Treasurer—Jno. Beaver.
Executive Committee — The manager and T. Beaver, K. McKay, Ward Patterson and T. Dineen.
Manager—Mr. Geo. Matheson.

The membership fee was set at 50 cents, and the secretary instructed to have one hundred printed.

The managers of the rink agreed to allow the ice from 7 to 8 p. m. every evening except Saturday, for hockey practice.

In order to help out the finances of the club it was decided to hold a "Hockey Ball" on Friday evening, December 18th, and the following committee of management was appointed, T. P. Lancaster, H. Cameron, H. Matheson, T. Dineen, A. Armstrong, T. Beaver, N. Campbell, Wm. Green, Wm. Rose.

THE HUNT CLUB AT MR. J. J. LUNDY'S BIRTHDAY DINNER

Last night, at his residence, Burnham street, east city, Mr. J. J. Lundy entertained a party of gentlemen at dinner, to celebrate his birthday. The party was composed of about fifteen members of the Ketchecum Hunt Club. A delightful evening was spent in the enjoyment of Mr. Lundy's generous hospitality, and renewing the story of many happy days in the happy hunting grounds of the club. The enthusiasm with which Mr. Lundy's health was honoured, and the fervor of the wished for many happy returns showed how high a place he holds in the esteem and even affection of his fellow members of the Ketchecum Hunt Club. And to these wishes will be joined the hosts of his friends in Peterborough, city and county.

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For Burketon, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	7.56 a m
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Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Cobourg Montreal and East	8:10 a.m.	11:45 a.m 8:05 p.m
Toronto, Lindsay, Stouffville, Uxbridge and Markham	11:40 a.m. 2:00 p.m. 10:10 p.m.	7:10 a.m 11:45a.m 9:10 p.m
Lindsay Local	8:15 a.m.	9:10 p.m
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	8:10 a.m. 2:55 p.m.	8:30 a.m 1:40 p.m
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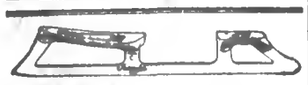

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DUKES WORTH MILLIONS.

Westminster and Bedford Have Nearly £9,000,000 Between Them.

Speculation was rife a few days ago concerning the identity of the two millionaires who are credited in the Statistical Abstract of the United Kingdom with possessing between them the enormous sum of £8,619,000. These two fortunate persons are probably the Dukes of Westminster and Bedford.

The Duke of Bedford, who is known among his intimates by the nickname of "Hatband," owns the larger portion of Bloomsbury and the whole of Covent Garden, including the market, which is reputed to bring him £50,000 a year. The Duke and Duchess of Bedford care little for society, and the only occasions on which they appear are at rare intervals in the Bedford box at Covent Garden Opera, and at Prince's Skating Rink in Knightsbridge. At Woburn Abbey, their principal palatial residence, there are private zoological gardens. The Duchess of Bedford is a Fellow of the Zoological Society. The earl is greatly taken up with all the varied interests of his property, and is the author of a book on "The Management of a Great Estate."

It is doubtful whether the Duke of Westminster realizes exactly what he is worth. He is probably the most wealthy territorial magnate in the kingdom, counting amongst his properties the valuable Grosvenor estate, which is situated in the heart of the West-end.

The Grosvenor family represents one of the few remaining sets in London society that may be described as strictly exclusive. They live in a world of their own. Outsiders for them do not exist, nor will they willingly tolerate the presence of anyone who by birth and breeding does not belong to the privileged elect. This exclusiveness is probably the result of the successful marriages made by the Grosvenor girls into exalted families.

An idea of the duke's colossal wealth can be gained by an inspection of his splendid town mansion, which is a treasure-house filled with objects of priceless value. Many people are content with a clock which costs a sovereign or two, but that which tells his Grace of Westminster the hour possesses a pendulum which in itself is worth £48,000, for it is set with forty-eight flawless diamonds, each valued at £1,000. The Duke of Westminster is a popular sportsman, and is known amongst his particular friends as "Bend Or," a nickname conferred on him to commemorate the famous racehorse of that name own by his grandfather, the late duke. Socialists and others may forgive him his great wealth when it is stated that fancy foods have no favor in the Westminster household. Simple dishes are always provided, such as mutton cutlets, milk puddings, fruit tarts, and so on. Much of his vast wealth is derived from groundrents. He grows rich because he can't help it.

Australia's New Ship.

Sydney is legitimately jubilant over the construction of the Endeavor, the ship designed for fishery investigation in the service of the Commonwealth Government. Her beat will include no fewer than eight thousand miles of coast line. She has been constructed in the New South Wales Government dockyard, and her completion is a notable event in the history of Australian shipbuilding. New South Wales is the fortunate possessor of excellent iron deposits, and is well supplied with the necessary facilities for the construction of ships. The Endeavor must be a good and stout craft if she is prepared to encounter the occasionally very rough weather off the Australian coasts, more especially in the Bight. The expense saved in taking ships out from Great Britain is expected to cover any increased cost of local construction, and the opinion has been expressed by a competent critic that in the near future it may even prove cheaper to build torpedo-destroyers "down under" for the requirements of Australia than to send them out from England.

Wanted His "Swag" Back.

Sir Edward Clarke, K.C., whom the King included in the list of birthday honors by appointing him a Privy Councillor, tells an amusing story of one of his early cases. He defended a young prisoner who had been found in illegal possession of a number of silver spoons and forks. When the man's term of imprisonment had expired, the barrister was astonished one day to see him walk into his chambers. "You didn't expect to see me again, did you?" said the man. "You see, it's like this. When they caught me I had a lot of the silver plate on me, but they took it away. Now I was thinking that, as you got me off so lightly, you could make the police give me back my swag." It is an interesting fact, by the way, that Sir Edward, who began life as an assistant in his father's jewellery shop in the city, only made £100 during the first three years at the Bar. In recent years his annual income is reported to have been about £30,000.

Not an Advertiser.

"Did you hang up any mistletoe las' Christmas?" asked Erastus Pinkley.

"'Deed I didn't," answered Miss Miami Brown. "I's got a little too much pride to advertise foh de ordinary courtesies dat a lady has a right to expect."—Exchange.

Suspicious.

Widow (at washtub)—Are you positive you love me?

Suitor—Of course I am.

Widow—What's the matter? You haven't lost your job, have you?—Pittsburg Press.

Too much is worse than want.—German Proverb.

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A Practical Joke.

He was a wag and was passing a large draper's shop in Manchester. There, drawn up, were three or four vehicles, and among them was a closed brougham with the driver fast asleep on the box. Evidently the mistress was inside the shop. Without a word the wag stole quickly up and, opening the carriage door, carefully slammed it to. In an instant the coachman straightened himself up and gazed up the street as if he had never seen anything more interesting to look at in his life. Then he stole a look over his shoulder and saw the wag standing, hat in hand, apparently conversing with some one inside the carriage.

"Thank you, yes. Good morning," said the practical joker and bowed himself graciously away from the door, turning as he did so to look at the coachman and say, "Home!"

"Yes, sir! Tch! Get up!" And away went the brougham home.

Where that home was, who the mistress of the carriage was or what she did or said when she came out of the shop or what the coachman did or said when he stopped at the door of "home" and found the carriage empty—all that only the coachman and the lady know. —London Tit-Bits.

A Beggar in a Basket.

Perhaps the most curious use to which Mexicans put their baskets is to hold gamecocks. Sometimes the cock's basket is woven for the purpose; oftener it is made from a sombrero, the wide, high crowned, straw hat of the country, into which the bird is put, a hole cut in the crown to give him air and the brim carefully tied down that he may not escape. The bullfight has been called the national sport of Mexico, but cockfighting is much more universal, for the humblest peasant may have his gamecock, which he keeps in a carefully made cage in his patio, watches with pride and tends with care.

One of the strangest uses to which a basket has probably ever been put was the daily appearance in the streets of a young man carrying in a huge bushel basket on his shoulders his great-grandmother, of unknown age, who held out a skinny hand to the passer-by for the centavo which was almost unfailingly given. Surely a trust in Providence could go no further.—Eleanor Hope Johnson in Outing Magazine.

Dreams of the Blind.

In my dreams I have sensations, odors, tastes and ideas which I do not remember to have had in reality. Perhaps they are the glimpses which my mind catches through the veil of sleep of my earliest babyhood. I have heard "the trampling of many waters." Sometimes a wonderful light visits me in sleep. Such a flash and glory as it is! I gaze and gaze until it vanishes. I smell and taste much as in my waking hours, but the sense of touch plays a less important part. In sleep I almost never grope. No one guides me. Even in a crowded street I am self sufficient, and I enjoy an independence quite foreign to my physical life. Now I seldom spell on my fingers, and it is still rarer for others to spell into my hand. My mind acts independent of my physical organs. I am delighted to be thus endowed, if only in sleep, for then my soul dons its winged sandals and joyfully joins the throng of happy beings who dwell beyond the reaches of bodily sense.—Helen Keller in Century.

The Cheerful Undertaker.

A most amusing thing occurred one evening upon our arrival at a small town in New Zealand. We found awaiting us at the station the local carriage and pair, with the local undertaker as footman. He was garbed in his usual funereal suit of black, but he had substituted a white tie in order to relieve the situation somewhat, and, evidently with a desire to dispel any morbid impressions he might otherwise have created, he commenced to whistle a selection of the most cheerful tunes he knew, while he held the door open for us and helped us into the carriage.—Clara Butt in Musical Home Journal.

Cooking With Sunlight.

Sun cooking—roasting and boiling by sunlight instead of coal or gas—has been going on for 300 years. There are sun stoves that roast a sirloin or boil a soup to perfection. They are only used, however, by scientists. A sun stove consists mainly of a mirror—a spherical mirror on a joint. There is also a reflector. The place for pot or plate is so situated that the mirror's rays can be focused on it accurately. A German, Baron Tchernhausen, was the first sun cook. He began in 1687 to boil water, and in 1688 he had very good success at baking eggs. Sir John Herschel and Buffon are other famous names associated with sun cooking. In California various sun cooks have boiled a gallon of water in twenty minutes, roasted meat in two hours and poached eggs in fifteen minutes—quite as good time as the ordinary fire makes. An odd thing about meat roasted by sun rays is that it has an unpleasant taste. This is avoided by the insertion of a plate of yellow glass between meat and mirror. In all solar stoves the sheet of yellow glass figures.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Queer English Laws.

"No statute law of England ever can be obsolete," a legal journal says. "Once enacted, it continues in binding force until repealed."

If such be really the case, there ought to be some lively times ahead for several classes of the community. For instance, what will builders have to say to the act which penalizes any person who erects a house without attaching to it at least four acres of land? This was one of "good Queen Bess'" laws, and it has most certainly never been repealed.

By another unrepealed statute, which dates back to the first year of King James I., it is enacted that not more than a penny may be charged for a quart of the best old ale nor more than a halfpenny for a like quantity of small beer. The penalty for each infraction of the act is 20 shillings, so that if it were rigidly enforced it would not need, apparently, a licensing bill to ruin the brewers. Then, again, a Catholic owning a horse is still legally obliged to sell it for £5 to anybody who chooses to offer that sum for it.—London Graphic.

The First Mourning Paper.

The oldest known letter written on black edged note paper as a sign of mourning appears to be one dated Jan. 5, 1683. In Addison's comedy of "The Drummer," 1715, reference is made to the fashion in the words, "My lady's mourning paper that is blacked at the edges." A few years later Allan Ramsay, who died in 1758, speaks in one of his poems of "the sable bordered sheet" as a messenger of sorrow. Mann, writing from Italy to Horace Walpole in 1745, says that it was universally used in Florence at that time. The superior elegance of this Italian note paper, with its narrow margin of black, explains its ready acceptance in this country, where it superseded the quarto sheet with a black border sometimes a quarter of an inch wide. In this way it probably gave an impetus to the fashion. But it is a mistake to suppose, as some have done, that the fashion was introduced from Italy.—London Answers.

Caught Alive.

A New Yorker, a big game hunter of many years' experience, was lion shooting in Uganda. He had excellent luck. Nearly every day he posed in a complacent attitude beside a freshly killed lion, and his photographer snapped him for the magazines.

One afternoon the photographer, who was taking a nap in the hut, was awakened by a loud noise. He rose and looked out. Sprinting toward him from the jungle, hat gone and coattails flying, came his chief, and, with terrible roars and growls, a huge lion bounded at his heels.

The photographer gazed spellbound at the strange and exciting picture. His chief, perceiving him, shouted:

"Quick, quick! Open the door, George! I'm bringing him home alive!"—Washington Star.

People Must Like It.

New Zealand's postal money order, postal savings and telegraph business is increasing fast; 6,750,000 more letters in 1907 than in 1906; parcels post increased by 1,250,000; $13,040,000 deposits in postal savings banks in three months; money orders increased by $510,000; 1,735,000 telegrams sent in three months, an increase of 15,000.

Razor as an Heirloom.

David Carter of Durham, England, by the death of his brother, has come into the possession of a razor, which has been in the family for more than 200 years. It has been handed down from father to son, and is still in good condition.

Cashing Up.

"Have you ever played poker with your son-in-law?"

"Only once," answered Mr. Cumrox. "It wasn't very satisfactory."

"Did he win?"

"No; he lost. But it merely resulted in my having to write him a check so that he could indorse it over to me."—Washington Star.

A Slander.

Member of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union—Did you write this notice of my lecture on "The Demon Rum?" Editor—Yes, madam. Member of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union—Then I would like to know what you mean by saying, "The lecturer was evidently full of her subject."—Judge.

Lucky.

Rustic—What's the matter? Motorist—Matter! I can't get this car to go. Rustic—Then it's the lucky man you are, for just yesterday a motorist got nearly smashed to bits here because he couldn't get his car to stop.

Her Dig.

Miss Antique—Just think of the nerve of that impecunious fellow to propose to me!

Miss Caustique—Nerve? Why, it was absolute recklessness.—Milwaukee News.

Considerate.

Jasper—Whenever a great man dies Longhair writes a poem about him. Rasper—Well, I must commend his consideration in not writing it before the great man dies.—Boston Globe.

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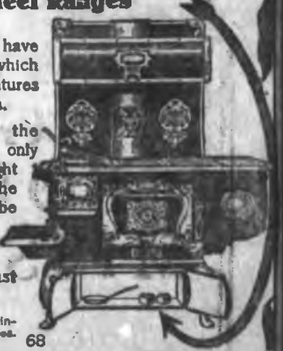

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DANCING FROM THE PHYSICAL CULTURE POINT OF VIEW

A PAGE FOR MISSES

The Waltz Develops Grace and Suppleness

To Strengthen the Ankles

A Quick Step for Acquiring Balance

IF dancing exercises will do all that instructors in this graceful art claim for them *then future débutantes* will be strong and sure of ankle, supple and possessed of far more than the average amount of grace, for society mothers are laying great stress on the accomplishment of dancing, quite as much for the sake of the strength and physical balance that result from the practice of the gentle art as for the pleasure young girls derive from going to dancing classes and parties. Dance and grow strong might well be the motto of the schoolgirl. Children are being taught literally to waltz and two-step down the road to health and happiness, and when they have become fairly proficient in these fundamental steps they are promoted to the more intricate and interesting manœuvres of fancy dances.

Certain classes pay particular attention to exercises and steps which strengthen weak ankles. "It is astonishing how many young girls are handicapped having ankles that turn and twist at the least unusual exertion," said a dancing teacher in whose classes are found hundreds of little girls who come to him after school for an hour or two of graceful physical culture lessons. "It is easy to correct this fault when the pupils begin taking lessons early, but after they have matured we can work less rapidly and with less success—that is, results do not show with all the speed we could wish.

"FIRST we teach the ordinary dancing steps. Nearly all children now learn to dance when quite young, but there are many classes which meet one or two afternoons a week merely for the purpose of learning how to dance the waltz, two step and other fashionable figures, neglecting to some extent the physical culture benefits to be derived from the movements. At least this feature is not made as much of as it should be, either in individual cases or in classes. There is a great deal of good in dancing this way, and so is there an immense amount of benefit to be gained from practising the popular 'folk dances,' but even the simplest steps, when done in the correct manner, are excellent for physical development. There is nothing like a hop and a skip to brace up weak ankles and to give poise to the body. In fact, you cannot do these *simple steps day after day without* achieving both results. Grace and rhythm will follow, but first of all we insist upon girls mastering this fundamental step of physical culture dancing."

There are scores of women to-day who walk badly and strain their ankles simply because they did not learn how to poise themselves when they were children. A few are born with a weakness of the ankles and these can be helped wonderfully by resorting to dancing steps for exercise and strengthening. It must be admitted that the present generation of women has improved vastly in carriage and walk, but the low shoe and high heel fashion necessitates a greater strengthening of the ankles in order to avoid strains and ungraceful movements. The low shoe demands much of the wearer and not all girls and women are equal to the demand.

"THE Spanish dance has in it all the movements that make for grace and strength. It is one of *the first of the fancy steps I teach*," continued the instructor, "and it is a sure test of a pupil's control, poise and endurance. The movements are quick and varied enough to exercise practically all the muscles of the body, while the bending and the toe movements are particularly adapted to the needs of those afflicted with weak ankles."

Exercising the ankles does not mean enlarging them. On the contrary, well regulated exercises develop their strength without in the least increasing their size. The movement really helps to counteract any thickening tendencies which may be the direct result of wearing low shoes. *Physicians declare that too much* cannot be said against this fad among women, a fad which is being taken up by schoolgirls who love to imitate the fashions of their elders where possible and who are dooming themselves to many future ills all on account of wearing summer styles of shoes in winter, when it is as important to protect the ankles from the cold as it is to wrap up the throat. Not only do pumps find their way into the schoolgirls' winter outfit, but the thinnest meshed hosiery is there, a combination of wearing apparel which physicians are most emphatic in condemning. Keep your ankles warm, they say, and your circulation, your health and your disposition *will be perfect, and, notwithstanding* this simple method of attaining health and happiness, we see the pump and the cobwebbike stocking flaunting themselves on the street even when the sidewalks are covered with snow and sleet.

MUCH can be said for and against the wearing of high heels by girls. There are physicians in good standing, physicians who specialize on the treatment of the foot and its ills, who maintain that the high French heel is better adapted to the modern foot than the low, common sense one is. They claim that the arch of the foot requires the support provided by a shoe which has a French or Cuban heel, and that the only way, or at least one of the best ways, to avoid broken arches and flat feet is to wear shoes with this essential brace for the arch.

THEN there are physicians who take an entirely opposite view of the flat-footed tendencies, and who declare that the American girl's feet need the most careful study and dressing, and that above all her shoes, at least those she wears during the daytime, should be made with flat or moderately low heels, never with French ones. The followers of this belief say that girls should wear heelless slippers in the house, and that the most healthful poise as well as the most graceful one comes from knowing how to stand in flat shoes. They also prescribe plenty of exercising of the feet in either a bare condition or with soft slippers on. The arch will grow strong enough to support itself after this treatment, so they claim, and there will be no future fear of its breaking or the ankle showing weak tendencies.

Dancing teachers are divided in the same way as to the merits of the high heeled slipper or the heelless one. In some schools the instructor has the girls wear perfectly flat soles which have a stiffening in them like that used for regular toe dancing slippers, and then the ankles are supported by winding ribbons, about an inch in width being recommended, as it does not cut through the flesh and braces the ankle. When girls once learn to dance in these shoes they find it easy to do the steps, easier, perhaps, than when wearing French heels, although the body is given an entirely different balance.

THERE is still another theory about *supporting weak ankles* and giving the body the correct balance, and that is that the heel is placed in the wrong position, that it should be nearer the centre of the foot than it is, that it should come almost directly under the arch, and that in this case walking on any height of heel would be not only comfortable and easy, but that the body would then assume its proper balance.

Where ankles are extremely unstable physicians recommend special braces and specially constructed shoes. It is always a good plan for a growing girl to have her arches examined by one of these specialists before learning to dance or take violent exercises with her feet, for then she will know which to avoid in the way of steps and movements, and which to practice for the purpose of gaining strength. While the dancing teacher can get a general idea of individual needs he cannot take the time during class work to give special attention to any one pupil, and for this reason he has to make many of his dancing exercises rather general in their effect. Knowing the recommendation of the physician, however, he could do wonders in corrective work. It is thus that dancing classes supplement medical treatment where such is necessary, and always they assist toward the acquiring of strength and grace, which mean, in the end, beauty and charm.

BEAUTY HINTS FOR YOUNG GIRLS BY THE APRIL GRANDMOTHER

"CULTIVATE *the habit of* frequently consulting your mirror," advised the April Grandmother in all seriousness. 'If you seek its counsel in the true spirit of meekness, humility and self-abasement it will reflect your faults of manner as well as of dress. And it will do this quite as frankly as any kinswoman, whose rebukes are only too liable to be flavored with the aloes of exaggeration.

"Even at the risk of being wrongfully accused of undue vanity, girls should take advantage of an opportunity to glance into a mirror whenever they are in a room with several intimate friends so that if they are unconsciously talking too emphatically they may observe the unbecomingly set expression of their lips and realise the necessity of preventing themselves from forming that obnoxious habit of expressing an opinion on every imaginable subject which makes so many women deservedly unpopular. These casual glances into a mirror will also prevent a girl from contracting the head tossing habit. This is usually the distinguishing mark of the self-assertive and underbred, but it is also one which too many inexperienced school girls mistake for an expression of independence of spirit.

"Be sure to study your face in a mirror whenever you are angry, sad or glad. It will tell you precisely how repellent is the feminine face when the brows are frowning and the lips drawn downward and how charming when the eyes shine and the mouth curves like a Cupid's. The knowledge that she is prettiest when laughing has helped many a girl to make a [illegible] of imagined grievances, and it has made all her friends happier to observe how cheerfully [illegible] care to limbo.

"A clear, truthful mirror will prevent a goody-goody girl from cultivating that [illegible] of countenance which is the outward reflection of the consciousness of being superhumanly virtuous—and an unconscious bore. It will do this just as frankly as it will reflect the look in your eyes when you have secretly done something of which you are heartily ashamed.

"Scales make mistakes about the weight, but the mirror never does. When you are getting too fat the mirror will promptly announce the fact, just as it will frankly state that you are losing flesh and becoming haggard for lack of exercise, from overstudy or from indigestion.

"The girl who wishes to cultivate or to retain a clearly defined chin should daily scrutinize her face in a three sided mirror. An overplump jaw lends a coarse expression to the facial outline and adds several years to the apparent age—a condition which will be a distinct disadvantage to a débutante whose face is not backed by an independent fortune. The same friendly threefold looking glass will also notify a girl that she is acquiring the sharp facial outline which is popularly supposed to accompany a sarcastic tongue.

"Make a point of scanning your figure in a full length mirror whenever you are prepared to go out of doors and take heed when it assures you that your hat brim is too broad, your hair roughened or your skirt uneven.

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Denim, nun's cloth, domestic, Russian and antique English crashes make the most serviceable pillow tops, and any of them may readily be stamped with patterns for outlining or embroidering. Many of the crash pillow tops come all ready stained in two shades of brown, green, blue or red, or in combinations of those colors, frequently stamped in attractive designs to be worked with harmonizing mercerized floss or in rope embroidery.

Disk patterns are the favorite of the moment. The circles are from a nickel to fifty cent piece dimensions, usually worked in darning stitch in one or two colors, or in iridescent effect, the same tints being repeated in the cushion bordering.

Cotton novelty fabrics, such as are used for children's frocks, make attractive looking as well as practical tops for pillows likely to receive hard service. Among these materials are the cheviots and percales, printed in dots of various sizes and in figures and stripes of dark, light and medium tones, as well as in Roman bars, blocks, diamond and disk patterns. For plain colored cushion tops the satin finished mercerized poplins in all the fashionable shades are excellent.

Jacquard woven cottons and silks make up into the daintiest of delicately tinted pillow tops, to be embroidered, outlined or initialled with silk floss. The Japonika silks, which imitate moire veiling, rough pongee, tussahs, mirror stripes and marcelline effects most cleverly, are similarly treated, while the two toned checks and striped Egyptian tissues and Japanese silks are in themselves so ornamental that they do not require further decoration.

Startling color liberties may safely be taken with silk pillow tops. Even alternate stripes of yellow and pink may be used if Egyptian embroidery of gold and silver thread, black velvet ribbon or Oriental bands be placed between them.

Satin finished broadcloths in wistaria, London smoke, taupe, pale dull blue, amethyst, soft light green, cloudy violet, mode and tan make up into attractive winter pillow tops if their edges be finished with heavy gold tinsel or silk cord age. Many of these cloth covered cushions are of oblong shape, open at both ends and laced together with cords run through embroidered eyelets. In some instances they are laced on all four sides, the cording parting over brilliantly colored interlinings.

Dainty Coat Hangers.

COVERED coat hangers are a matter of economy as well as of daintiness, as not only are the sharp wooden edges liable to chafe satin linings, but their rusty hook bases sometimes leave unsightly lines upon collars.

Hangers for ordinary street coats are cotton padded and covered smoothly with black satin, while those intended to support riding jackets have hunters' pink tops and those for motor coats have coverins of clan plaid taffetas.

Boudoir coat hangers are thickly wadded and covered with liberty satin shirred at both upper and lower edges to form a narrow frill. At each end are placed rosettes of baby ribbon, from which depend two narrow streamers finished with wide ribbon bow tassels. The hook is similarly covered and its stem is trimmed with baby ribbon fringe.

Padded evening cloak hangers are almost straight bars covered with deeply plaited soft satin and trimmed at the sides with a box plaited [illegible] ch ribbon frill. At each end are ribbon loop rosettes, from which depend streamers, terminating with bows. The matching hood hanger is of baby coat size, covered with wadding and twisted wide ribbon. Attached to the under side of its [illegible]der bar is an oblong soft cushion covered with a shirred satin case having frilled ends faced deeply with a contrasting shade of satin and inclosing a cluster of ribbon flower petals, from which extend short streamers, finished with flower rosettes.

Boxes for Picture Cards.

WITH the present craze for picture postals and the large number of *them that most girls collect*, it has become an important question how to keep them in a convenient way for showing them. Of course the ordinary way is the postal card album, and when one wants to keep a special record of a pleasant trip this is perhaps the best way. But the albums are rather bulky, and sometimes one wants to keep postals that have been sent by travelling friends and have no connection with one another.

A particularly convenient and compact way to take care of these is to have a pretty box on one's table, just deep enough for the postals to stand on edge. Any box of the right size can be used, but the best are divided into compartments so that part of the cards can be taken out without having the others fall over. In these divided boxes the cards can also be arranged according to some system, which will make it easy to take out just the ones that are wanted.

In this way a very large number of postals can be kept in a small space and the owner can enjoy them herself and also let her friends share the pleasure. And the box itself *may be a most charming* ornament for the table, for there are many kinds of beautiful boxes made, carved or inlaid wood, brass, silver or carved ivory ones.

Wall Pin Holders.

WALL pin holders made of half yard strips of four inch wide satin ribbon are lined with broadcloth and weighted with four-inch lead oblongs. The upper end of the ribbon is gathered under a huge butterfly bow, from which depend two-inch wide ribbon streamers of even length, terminating with satin wound rings through which safety pins may be thrust. A third and shorter streamer terminates with a small circular toilet pin cushion. At the back of the butterfly bow is a substantial hanger, and as this little affair may readily be rolled and tucked away in any corner of a bag it is an ideal travelling convenience.

Some Novel Favors.

FAVORS are of infinite variety. For *girls' luncheons there are all sorts of* attractive bonbon boxes, including brown silk witch hats stuck through with brooms and papier maché dogs of every fashionable breed—the squat dachshund, the aggressive Bostoc bull, the trim, aristocratic little papillon, the shaggy Scotch terrier, the languid Pomeranian and the alert looking pointer.

Satin slippers are fitted with inside bags to hold bonbons, bridal bells when *lifted disclose candy filled boxes*, miniature bridal coaches have ribbon hinged doors which swing back to reveal comfits, and dolls in full bridal attire stand on the lids of boxes decorated in imitation of a wedding cake.

Crêpe paper topings are employed to cover all sizes and shapes of bonbon favor boxes. One box looks like a wicker basket filled with vegetables, and another representing a jardinière decorated with poinsettia, honeysuckle sprays, tiny *azalias, poppies, button chrysanthemums*, cherry blossoms, natural smilax or ferns is set upon a round or oblong red, tan, white or green crêpe paper rope mat.

Crêpe paper canoes have bow and stern decorated with autumn foliage, and stiff paper centre bonbon boxes and miniature *lanterns in mission* brown cardboard have colored tissue paper panels concealing candy candles.

Social Amenities for The School Girl.

UNTIL a girl is presented to society little is expected from her in the matter of formal calls, yet she does a certain amount of calling among her own set, and has her own cards for that purpose.

If she is still a schoolgirl her card is engraved with her full name and without a prefix. After she is out, of course, her cards bear the customary "Miss" before her name, and she assumes it, too, in any case after she has left school. Unless she has entered society, however, her card must not read simply "Miss Blank," for until she has made her bow to the world etiquette requires her to use her full name, and her card should read, for instance, "Miss Belinda Beal Blank." When there are sisters in a family it is the privilege of the elder, on leaving school, to have "Miss Blank" on her cards. The younger sister uses her full name, with the prefix "Miss" on her cards until the older girl marries.

When young girls go to parties given by their chums they should always call on their hostess within a week after the entertainment, and they should ask for and leave a card for the mother as well as their girl friend. The mother comes down to see the caller or not, at her discretion, but she should always receive the compliment of being asked for. Sometimes girls go to parties at houses where the mothers are known to one another only by name, and in this case, when the girl goes later to make her party call, it is most gracious of her mother to send her own card to the other mother, and thus express appreciation of the hospitality to the daughter.

When girls are visiting in a house they must never invite any one to call without first asking permission of the hostess. One of Madame Grundy's inexorable rules is that guests shall not take the initiative. If you are visiting in a strange city and constantly meeting at other houses new persons whom you like, consult your hostess about them and see if they are on her visiting list or are persons whom she wishes to place there. If you stop to think you will see for yourself that it would be most awkward if you were to happen to invite to her house some one whose acquaintance she did not care to cultivate, and you must not put her in that position.

Usually when a girl goes to visit her hostess gives a tea for her at once, and in this way summons all her friends to meet her. Such a tea is the accepted way of calling on a stranger, and these calls should be returned within the week. Young men, of course, rarely have the leisure to attend such teas, and so are not often invited. It is the custom to ask them to call on a visitor informally on Sunday afternoons. Evening calling is obsolete, which is rather a pity, for it was a sociable fashion and a pleasant way of becoming better acquainted.

Folding Umbrellas.

COLLEGE girls who dislike to be baggage encumbered will thoroughly appreciate the new folding umbrella which will go cornerwise into the popular sixteen-inch travelling bag. When raised, the umbrella is of the conventional twenty-six inch diameter, while it measures only seventeen and one-half inches in length when folded. To make it collapse it is only necessary to unscrew a steel shank at the centre of the umbrella, where it is so fitted with double joints that the handle will fold back against the ferrule tip. As each of the eight ribs which compose the frame is hinged at the point where it connects with the spreader, one-half of the rib, with its section of silk covering attached, folds backward upon itself so that the eight tips encircle the ferrule to its extreme point.

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LEMIEUX RETURNED TO AMERICA

The Postmaster-General Reaches New York on Way Home.

PROPHESIES CHEAP CABLES

He Says That a Proposal, Probably For Division of Messages Into Classes at Lower Rate, Will Be Made to Existing Lines and If It Is Not Accepted Publicly-Owned Cable Will Be Laid.

New York, Dec. 23.—That not only cheaper, but very much cheaper, rates for cablegrams across the Atlantic are near at hand, was the confident assertion of Rodolphe Lemieux, the Postmaster-General of Canada, yesterday afternoon on the eve of his departure for Canada after a day spent in this city following his arrival from Europe Monday night.

"The reform has been accomplished on the Pacific," declared Mr. Lemieux, "and it will soon come about on the Atlantic."

Mr. Lemieux said the movement had recommended itself to influential interests in the United States also, but he declined to be questioned as to whether or not the United States Government had been or would be approached by Canada or Great Britain in the matter.

If the cable companies would make the reductions that would satisfy the Governments, according to Mr. Lemieux, then there would be no new cable laid across the Atlantic, and he believed that that was what was likely to happen. In any event, he added he had received such assurances in London that he felt almost certain that the day of very much cheaper cabling between Europe and America was not distant.

Mr. Lemieux said the demand on the Atlantic cable companies, which was expected to come to a conclusion this spring, was not for an ordinary rate of two pence, namely, four cents a word, as he said was erroneously supposed in many quarters. It had been proposed, instead, that messages be divided into several classes, such as urgent, semi-urgent and deferred, for instance, and charged for accordingly, but in any event the rate to be considerably lower than the prevailing shilling or 25 cent rate. Mr. Henniker Heaton, known in England as the father of penny postages, who has taken an active part in the movement for lower cable rates, wanted an even lower charge, namely a penny or two cents a word, he said. If a state-owned cable is to be laid, it is the belief of Mr. Lemieux that it would eventually admit of a charge of five cents a word.

Boy's Long Trip.

Toronto, Dec. 23.—Rex Colville, five years old, arrived at the Union station from Winnipeg, last night, having made the journey alone.

His father got off the train a few minutes before it started, and not getting back in time, missed it and came down on the next train.

Rex had to wait in the station for three hours as the second section of the Winnipeg train was late.

An elderly couple took care of the boy on the train and Policeman Reburn, on duty at the station, fed him. Depot Master Mitchell received a telegram from the boy's father and helped console the little fellow.

Unfair Rates.

Washington, Dec. 23.—Forty-two flour milling concerns filed a complaint against the Great Northern Railway Co., and 27 other interstate carriers, alleging that the rates—all rail and rail and water—from Minneapolis to the Atlantic seaboard on flour are excessive, unreasonable and discriminatory, in that it costs them more to ship their flour from Minnesota points to the Atlantic seaboard than it costs Buffalo millers to ship spring wheat from Duluth points to Buffalo and the ground flour from Buffalo to Atlantic seaboard points.

MUSKOKA FREE HOSPITAL.

The Daily Routine and Diet of the Patients.

As the work done by the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives is largely of an educative character so that the patient after being treated will know how to continue the treatment until a cure has been effected, it will doubtless be of interest to many to learn what the routine of the hospital is.

Dr. Kendall, the physician in chief, has condensed his method to three words, Doctor, Diet and Discipline. Of these the chief is Discipline.

As the great curative remedy for consumption is unlimited fresh air, the patients sleep in wards with their windows open, or in shacks that are practically as open to the air as all out of doors.

The first step in the daily routine at the Free Hospital begins at 5.30 a.m., when the night watchman closes the windows, turns on the heat and attends to the fires in the shacks. This is so that the patients may be able to dress in warmth and comfort.

7.00 A.M.—At this hour the rising bell is rung and all patients are expected to bestir themselves at once. As part of their treatment, they sponge their chests with cold water and then dress for breakfast.

8.00 A.M.—Breakfast bell. Patients assemble in the dining room. The food provided is simple and wholesome, consisting of fruit, a cereal, cream and sugar, meat and eggs, chops, bacon, etc., bread and butter, and unlimited milk. Twenty-five minutes is spent at breakfast.

8.30 A.M.—The patients dress for out doors. At this time of the year they wear fur coats, and when reclining on the cots on the verandah tuck themselves in Klondike bags made of brown duck which may be laced up to the neck, though many of the patients only lace them to the waist so that their arms may be free. From 9 o'clock to 12 o'clock everyone must stay in the open air. At 10 o'clock a light lunch—hot milk or hot cocoa, is served.

12.00 A.M.—Wash for dinner.

12.30 P.M.—Dinner is served with soup, a joint, an entree, at least two vegetables, pie or pudding, and once more unlimited milk. After dinner the patients dress for out doors, where they must remain until 6 o'clock.

4.00 P.M.—A lunch of hot milk or

hot cocoa and sometimes of raw eggs when especially ordered. At this hour exercise is taken which always consists of walking, beginning with perhaps three or four minutes a day at first, increasing at the rate of one minute per day until the patient is strong enough to take extended walks. At this point it is of interest to note that all the exercises and amusements of the patients are prescribed by the medical staff. Although such amusements as rifle shooting, croquet, music, reading, card playing, etc., are permitted, no patient is allowed to indulge without permission from the medical staff. This is to avoid the evil effects of excitement.

6.00 P.M.—Tea is served of meat, potatoes, bread and butter, fruit, tea and coffee, and plenty of milk. After the meal the patients are expected to rest if possible out of doors, if not, in well ventilated rooms.

8.00 P.M.—A light lunch of hot milk or hot cocoa is served. General intercourse among the patients is then allowed until 9 o'clock when the electric light are flashed three times as a signal and all must retire to their rooms.

9.30 P. M.—All lights are put out, and orderlies open the windows for the night.

There is no reason why afflicted persons where ever they may be should not receive this simple form of treatment. Fresh air is to be had practically everywhere. If sufferers will only keep in the open, warmly clothed, eat plenty of wholesome food, avoid excitement, and give themselves up entirely to rest, they can do much to help themselves.

To help support this free and educative charity the trustees of the Muskoka Hospital have issued Christmas stamps retailing at one cent each, the proceeds from which will go to the care of patients at the institution.

How to Enter the Free Hospital for Consumptives.

Applications for admission to the Free Hospital for Consumptives at Gravenhurst should be made through the Head Office, 347 King St. West, Toronto. All information will be furnished by the Secretary, and the necessary forms to be filled out forwarded promptly.

It is worth while to emphasize this matter. Confusion and disappointment sometimes arise because patients themselves, and in other cases medical men, throughout the Dominion, send their patients direct to the Hospital at Gravenhurst without having first obtained any particulars as to the method of admission.

Applicants will arrive sometimes in a very advanced stage of consumption, where at the Gravenhurst institutions only those in the earlier stages of the disease are admitted. For this reason a medical examination—blank forms furnished by the Secretary—must be sent to the Head Office. It has happened at times, too, that patients will come on to Gravenhurst, traveling often a long distance, only to find on arrival that there are no vacant beds and they must either remain in the town of Gravenhurst or return to their home until accommodation is provided.

All these difficulties are avoided if those concerned will write the Head Office, Toronto, where a special record is kept of every applicant, the particulars of application, and where it is always known what vacant beds exist.

Domestic Politics.

"Whom did you support during the last campaign?"

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FLASHLIGHT REVEALS BRIBE.

Crooked Pittsburg Alderman Photographed in Act of Taking Money.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 23.—A flashlight photograph of a member of the council in the act of accepting money from a decoy "promoter," it is said, will be one of the strongest features of the evidence to be presented to-day, when seven members of the council and two former bank officials are to be given a preliminary hearing on charges of bribery, corrupt solicitation and other illegal acts brought by the Voters' League.

This picture, it is said, was taken in a private room in a down-town hotel Monday night, immediately before the councilman was arrested.

Besides the councilman, the flashlight photograph is said to show an agent of the Huffing Detective Agency of Scranton, Pa., which worked up the cases. This man is reported to have posed as a member of a firm anxious to sell wooden paving blocks to the city and to have become very intimate with the councilman. With other detectives concealed within hearing distance the councilman is alleged to have been induced to tell of the negotiations to secure the passage of the legislation, to name the other members who were to share in the bribe and to say that the members were tired of promises and wanted to see his real money.

Taking $100 and $500 bills from a large roll of bills, and just as the councilman reached for his allotment, the flash was ignited. The councilman, it is said, broke down and wept, and when he accused his companion of trapping him there was no denial. Then the officer appeared and made the arrest.

HANGING OR WHIPPING.

Witness Against Night Riders, Given a Choice, Prefers Latter.

Union City, Tenn., Dec. 23.—The eight defendants in the night riders trial were brought into court yesterday handcuffed in pairs with a detail of two soldiers for each pair. The soldiers with rifles halted at the court room door, and other soldiers armed with revolvers met the prisoners at the threshold and escorted them to the bar.

Judge Shaw was the first witness. He said the riders forced him to give them oil to pour on the fish docks when they were burned and later whipped him when he tried to go before the grand jury.

They gave him his choice of a switching or hanging. He told them he was not anxious to endorse either, but that if he had to make a choice he would prefer the whipping.

Martin Leonard, another farmer near Reelfot Lake, was visited by the riders and was given five days to move under penalty of being hanged. His home was burned.

City Wants Legislation to Save Coin.

Kingston, Dec. 23.—The City Council Monday evening passed a resolution asking the Ontario Government to change the law whereby Kingston's magistrate requires to be given a salary of $2,000 a year and cease the practice of law.

The lawyers of Kingston are all agreeable to Police Magistrate Farrell being allowed to continue as at present to receive a salary of $1,400 from the city and continue his law practice.

War on Social Clubs.

Winnipeg, Man., Dec. 23.—The liquor department is busy conducting an unostentatious law effective campaign on social clubs in this city where liquor is dispensed to members, although so quietly that the general public is not aware of the movement.

Hotelmen are credited with the temperance movement, as the clubs infringe on their prerogatives.

WILL PAY FOR ITSELF.

Extra Low Grades Secured, Says Hays, Justify G.T.P. Expenditure.

Montreal, Dec. 23.—General Manager Hays of the Grand Trunk, who returned from London yesterday, says he called particular attention while abroad to the fact that the grades of the Grand Trunk Pacific lines are exceptionally low.

Over 2,000 tons can be put into Prince Rupert behind a single engine, while the nearest to this that can be done by any transcontinental line in North America is 572 tons, which is accomplished by some of the United States railways.

It is in getting these low grades and the huge benefits resulting from them that the "generous expenditures" which opponents make so much talk about are being made, declared Mr. Hays. When it is realized that the easy grades mean a hauling capacity per engine vastly greater than that of any other transcontinental road, Mr. Hays thinks the expenditure is fully justified.

Wrote While Children Starved.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 23.—In a little cottage in Pasadena, the rooms of which are bare of furniture, but heaped with books and typewritten manuscripts one child is dead and physicians are fighting for the lives of two others, who are critically ill from starvation.

The father of the babes, Warren Edward Brokaw, admits that while he and his wife busied themselves in writing books the children went hungry.

Brokaw was once editor of The Single Tax Courier of St. Louis, and was an intimate associate of Henry George. He says that he got down to his last dregs of poverty in an attempt to work out a theory of balanced land tenure.

Fire In New York Theatre.

New York, Dec. 23.—Fire broke out in the Herald Square Theatre at Broadway and Thirty-Fifth street just after the audience left the theatre last night.

The fire was under control within a half hour, comparatively little damage having been done to the building.

Some time after the fire was practically out, the theatre gallery fell and a moment later 35 feet of the roof on the Broadway end of the building came down. The loss is estimated at between $50,000 and $60,000. Lee Shuber and Lew Fields are the lessees of the theatre.

Forty-Five Stables Crippled.

New York, Dec. 23.—Strike leaders yesterday ordered out 1,000 men still at work in 15 stables. This means that 2,600 men will be on strike and 45 stables badly crippled or idle.

Disorders broke out last night, when stone-throwing at cabs in operation were reported to the police.

Suicides In Cell.

North Bay, Dec. 23.—Heteaphore Boileau, aged 25, with a wife and two children in Matheson, committed suicide in the police station last night by hanging, tearing a blanket into strips for the purpose. Boileau had been drinking for several days.

Windsor's City Engineer.

Windsor, Dec. 23.—Edward Brian, son of M. A. Brian of the plumbing firm of Pennington & Brian, has been appointed city engineer, to succeed George Hanes, who has accepted a position in Vancouver.

Sues Fowler For Share.

St. John, N.B., Dec. 23.—A. B. Pugsley of Sussex, cousin of Hon. Dr. Pugsley, is suing George W. Fowler, ex-M.P., for one-thirtieth share of the profits in the famous Fowler-Pope-Lounsey land deal.

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ARE MAKING GOOD

Peterborough Families That Went West Last Winter Had a Successful Summer—Speak Highly of the Country and Climate.

MR. R. HOLLAND ON VISIT

Mr. Richard Holland, formerly a resident of Sherbrooke street west, but who left for Alberta towards the end of last winter, has been visiting his Peterborough friends here during the last few days. He has settled with his family, including two sons, Messrs. Fred and Bert Holland, and together they have nearly one thousand acres of good land near Didsberry, Alta. Their first summer has been a profitable one and as their acres become entirely under cultivation, they will have a splendid farm. The family is enjoying excellent health, Mr. Holland himself looking exceedingly well.

The various members of the family are so delighted with the country and the climate, that they would be averse to returning east to live. Mr. John Cuncannon, who went to Alberta at the same time, has met with similar success and is settled with his family.

CHRISTMAS FOWL WAS SCARCE AND PRICE WAS HIGH

A local live stock dealer who has recently attended the Montreal market states that scarcity of Christmas fowl and especially turkeys was a noticeable feature of the trade in the St. Lawrence town. The demand was so heavy that tons of birds could have been disposed of during the last few days. The price in consequence was much above the average.

Band will be at Brock Street Rink on Christmas afternoon.

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In renewing their subscription to the Weekly Examiner, Dixon Bros., general merchants, of Maple Creek, Sask., and formerly of Peterborough, have written:

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LOCAL HORSES WIN PRIZES AT LINDSAY FAIR

At the Lindsay Winter Fair yesterday, Mr. R. H. Leary's handsome team took first prize. They were shown against all comers in the team and pole class and won easily. Mr. A. Jas. Storey captured first in the best single outfit and second in the single roadster class.

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If you wish to send any of your out of town friends a pleasing Christmas remembrance, mail a copy of the special Board of Trade, Review of the Examiner, just issued. Fifty two pages of illustrated reading matter. The finest souvenir of the city yet gotten out. Call and see it at the Examiner Office. In tube ready for mailing 25c. 24-121

TEAMSTER WHO IS NOT AFRAID OF LONG TRIPS

Lindsay, Dec. 23. — Special — Mr. John Hutchinson, carter, left yesterday morning for Bobcaygeon with an organ. On his return last night he secured another load, and after changing teams, left in the early hours of this morning with a load of household furniture for Peterborough.

CREAM CANDIES

Star Cream, 2 lbs., 25c

Chocolate Drops, per lb., 15c

Extra Choice New Nuts, all kinds.

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The Mysterious Suicide Of Mr. John T. Fay, Husband Of The Famous Thought Reader

A special despatch from Oakland, Cal., to the New York Morning Telegraph, of Monday, tells of the suicide of John T. Fay, whom Peterborough citizens will remember having been here about two and a half years ago. He and Annie Eva Fay occupied the Grand for a week and their mysterious performances collected crowded houses every night. The Telegraph says in its despatch from Oakland: "No reason has yet developed for the suicide here last night of John T. Fay, husband and manager of Miss Eva Fay, known on the stage as a "wonder worker" and 'thought reader," and whose act has been one of the most noted in vaudeville.

The Fays completed Sunday their engagement at a theatre in this city and were ready to take a train to Denver, where they were next booked. Their baggage had been checked and Fay had eaten dinner with his wife. Leaving her at the table he excused himself, went to his room and shot himself. He died soon after.

The Fays were well known to patrons of vaudeville theatres in the United States, through their so-called mystic, or mind-reading act. John T. Fay was a tall, lean man, who wore a Vandyke beard. His wife, Eva, is a woman of rather striking appearance, with a wealth of hair which is said to have been very useful to her in the act which she gave.

Christmas Cakes And Plum Puddings From Old Country

There are a few families in the city that will be able to dispense with considerable of the cooking which is otherwise necessary to provide a bountiful board for the Christmas dinner, and in fact the whole season. A man was seen coming out of the customs office to-day with two packages under his arms. They had come from over the broad Atlantic, from Old England where plum pudding and Christmas cake is made as it should be. In one of the parcels a substantial pudding was securely tied and a cake was contained in the other. They had come through the Customs Office duty free, and it was learned that quite a number are received by Peterborough people every year.

Unity Of Effort An Essential Factor To Intelligent Growth

At a meeting of the Ellicott Club in Buffalo a few days ago, Mr. Ryerson Ritchie, Boston, well known in Peterborough, gave the principal address on unity of effort among citizens to boost their city. During his address he stated that new industries were more valuable than conventions to a city. The Buffalo Courier reporting the meeting credits Mr. Ritchie with saying:

"Organization is an essential factor to intelligent growth. What the city needs is an organization that is the city's brain, an organization that shall grasp the situation as a whole and develop it in every particular. A municipal combination, a patriotic federation, a citizen's trust; there is no influence as potent nor as practical in the building of the modern metropolis as an association of public-spirited men. As in private, so in public, combination must take the place of the individual. Cities have competitors and rivals. If you intend to pass your rivals and competitors get together—be a united corporation, a city with a mind.

Jackson Park Slide Opens To-night; Some Improvements Have Been Made

It will be welcome news to the athletically inclined young people of the city who delight in an abundance of exercise in the open air that the street railway toboggan slide at Jackson Park will open for the season this evening. A number of men have been at work upon the chutes and they are in splendid condition for to-nights opening. The weather conditions are splendid and no doubt a big crowd will take advantage of the opportunity to have the first slide of the season. The Radial Railway company will provide a good car service and patrons will find every convenience for enjoyment available.

Jackson Park always has been a favourite as a winter resort and promises to be more popular than ever this season; and realizing this the Radial Railway company have made some improvements that will be appreciated. The long room in the music building used formerly as a box ball alley has been converted into checking room and there will be a capable man in charge of this department so that the patrons will be able to place their superfluous wrappings in safety. A restaurant will also be conducted at the park where hot drinks may be secured. The rink will open on Christmas morning and the band will be present in the afternoon of the holiday. The ice is in excellent condition and the Park promises to be a popular attraction on Christmas Day.

Last Chance For Christmas Turkeys Came This Morning

Judging from the amount of fowl that has been sold on the market for Christmas, the alleged hard times that the pessimistic speak of are not as prevalent as they would have us believe. Turkeys and geese were carried in all directions from the rendezvous of the farmers and the price generally paid was a fair one. There was also a large quantity of beef sold this morning. The attendance on the market was large and not a small number of farmers were in the city. Butter and eggs were offered at the price that was asked last Saturday.

Foreman Was Presented With Clock As A Christmas Gift

A pleasant affair took place in the Peterborough Light and Power Company's office last night after work, when Mr. Herbert Fife was presented with a handsome clock, as a Christmas present from the linemen of whom he is foreman. Mr. Jas. Grigdale made the presentation which although informal, conveyed the best wishes of the men and the compliments of the season. Mr. Fife was taken entirely by surprise, but in a few words thanked the men for their kindness and in turn expressed the hope that they would all enjoy a happy Christmas and a prosperous New Year.

Old Man Falls On Slippery Sidewalk, Breaking His Leg

Last night Mr Michael Murphy of 304 Lewis street, met with a very painful accident. He was returning home on Charlotte street, when he slipped and fell in front of Parkers' Dye Works, breaking his leg. Mr. Murphy was wearing a pair of new shoes without rubbers and the sidewalk was very slippery just there, and this accounts for the fall. He was picked up by two of the employees of the laundry and taken home in one of their rigs and Dr Young was called to attend him. This morning he was removed to St Joseph's Hospital in the Dan Spence Ambulance.

FRED SIMPSON,
The Peterborough Indian who will be picked up by Tim O'Rourke of the Irish Canadians.

TO BECOME A "PRO"

Hiawatha Indian Wants to Get Scalps of Dorando and Hayes and Then He Will Go After Longboat Next Year.

WORKING IN THE WOODS

Fred Simpson will turn pro. Fred was in the city to-day from Hiawatha and such was the information he imparted to the Examiner. He expects to-night to have a letter from Tim O'Rourke, the right hand man of Tom Flanagan offering to match him with Dorando and Hays at Madison Square Gardens if possible. The Mississauga is now engaged int he lumbering operations at Cambellton in Otonabee and is feeling in the finest of condition. He gets plenty of fresh air and wholesome exercise and is training a little at present.

"I'm going to make them all go year," remarked Fred, "you see me climb to the top of the ladder"

Street Railway Toboggan Slide opens for the season to-night.

A PRESENTATION TO MEMBER OF THE BELMONT CLUB

Prior to his departure for Toronto Mr. Norman Brown, familiarly known to his numerous young friends as "Buster," was made the recipient of a handsome gift accompanied by an address from the members of the Belmont Club. Mr. Brown was on the staff of the local branch of the Bank of Montreal, and joined the Belmont Club at the time of its inception.

To be strong you must have good appetite good digestion and good assimilation. Miller's Compound Iron Pills bring all these. Sold by J. D. Tully, druggist, Peterborough.

GROCER MEETS WITH ACCIDENT IN ELEVATOR

Mr. Absolom Peters, grocer, at the corner of Townsend and Aylmer streets, met with a painful accident the other day. While ordering some goods at one of the wholesale grocery establishments he accidentally fell down the elevator, sustaining some severe injuries, his head being badly cut.

NEW OFFICERS ELECTED OF THE A.O.U.W.

Annual Meeting Held—Mr. James Mulholland, M. W.

The annual meeting of Peterboro Lodge No. 135 A. O. U. W was held last night in Foresters' Hall, Simcoe street when the following officers were elected for the year 1909—

Bro J J Turner—P M W
Bro Jas Mulholland—M W.
Bro G W Powell—Fireman
T G Gillespie—Recorder
F J Jamieson—Financier
W C Barrie—Treasurer
Adam C Gould.—Guide
Wm Bell—I Watchman
Bro G Grey—O Watchman
James Mulholland— Representative Grand Lodge.
F J Jamieson—Alternate
F J Jamieson and T G Gillespie—auditors.

Eight Children At The Shelter Await Arrival Of Good Old Santa Claus

In almost every Peterborough home great preparations are being made for Christmas Day, and thousands of happy children are waiting anxiously for that wonderful mythical creature, Santa Claus. These children will not be disappointed, for fond parents are making sure that the benevolent gentleman will call. There are at least eight children in Peterborough, however, who will not have an opportunity of observing the characteristics of Santa Claus, unless the people of Peterborough find a way of inducing Father Christmas to open his bundle for them. In the Children's Aid Society's Shelter there are at present eight children who will find Christmas a dull one unless something is done for them. It is proposed to have a Christmas tree for the little ones on Christmas night, but so far there is nothing to put on the tree and the society is making an appeal to the people of Peterborough to see that they are not disappointed. They ask for toys, fruit, books, candy, anything that will please a juvenile taste, and it is hoped that there will be enough of those articles forthcoming to ensure a merry holiday time for the parentless little one who, like children everywhere, are expecting Santa Claus. Persons who have any contributions to offer are asked to send them to the Shelter as soon as possible, or notify the society by calling up 103L. Think of your own little ones and then see if you cannot do something for those who have no parents to look after them.

Was A Starter At Local Races; Kills Girl, Shoots Himself

Detroit, Dec. 23—In full view of several girls, inmates of the place Frank Smith, aged 39 years, trotting horse judge and race track follower, shot his mistress, Mary Kuzasky a handsome girl of 22 through the heart in a Macomb street resort at 10 o'clock last night and then shot a bullet through his own brain from the effects of which he will probably die before morning.

Smith, who resides at 951 Michigan street, Buffalo, came to Detroit yesterday with the avowed intention of compelling the woman to return to Buffalo with him or killing her in case she refused. Witnesses of the tragedy are confusing in their statements but it seems clear that Smith exhausted every argument with the woman before resorting to violence.

The whole affair was over in less than a minute. The woman died instantly No arrests were made.

Smith was well known among Peterborough turfmen having been a starter at more than one of the meets of the local club. Not only was he capable in this respect, but he was a prominent writer in the "Horse World" of Buffalo.

Two Accidents Happen On Charlotte Street This Afternoon

Two accidents occurred this afternoon on Charlotte street. Near Aylmer street a man was leading a horse along when in some manner, a small boy on a sleigh got under its hoofs, with the result that his head was cut severely. At the George street crossing an elderly man and woman, driving in a cutter, were struck by a street car and the lady thrown out. She was uninjured.

Prominent Labour Leaders Sentenced To Imprisonment

J. N. Barber, (Special)

Washington, D.C.—Samuel J. Gompers, the labour leader, was sentenced to 12 months in jail to-day. John Mitchell received 9 months and Morrison 6 months.

They were sentenced for disobeying a court injunction

Some Treacherous Ice Yet To Be Found On Rice Lake

A 'bus load, representing Harwood, Rice Lake, in charge of Capt. Chas. Calcutt, of the steamer Beaver, arrived in the City this morning bent on buying Christmas presents for their families. Capt. Calcutt states that the ice on Rice Lake is treacherous, and liable to spring up at any time. The ice was bad on the way up, and a sharp lookout will be kept on the trip down.

Mr. F. J. Farthing Thanks The Public For Many Kindnesses

Mr. F. W. Miller has received the following letter from Mr. F. J. Farthing, for whom the recent subscription was taken up, and who leaves to-morrow for the old country:

Dear Sir,—Allow me to thank the generous and open-hearted friends who so readily contributed to the fund raised on my behalf; also to the local press for the assistance which they rendered, and yourself for the interest you have taken. I fully appreciate every effort made on my behalf and deeply regret that my health forces me to leave the city, where I have met with so much kindness.

Yours thankfully,
FRED J FARTHING.

P. S.—Received from Mr. Miller tickets costing $102.90 and $10 in cash.

FRED J. FARTHING.

This extra amount is explained by the fact that Mr. Miller further received contributions yesterday amounting to $6.00.

STARTLING REDUCTION IN PRICES AT MEAT MARKET TO-MORROW

The following prices will prevail at Mr Jas. Goselin's meat market to-morrow, and in a perusal of them there will be found welcome news for the householder.

Beef — Sirloin roasts, 10; porterhouse roast, 10c; rib roasts, 8c; shoulder roasts, 8c; boiling beef, 5c to 7c 3 lbs. steak for 25c.

My beef is all heifer and steer beef.

Head cheese, our own make, 4 lbs. for 25c.

Fresh pork sausages, 10; 3 lbs. for 25c.

Hind quarter beef, 6c.
Fore quarter beef, 5c.
Loin of beef, 8c.
Round of beef, 7c.
Hind quarter lamb, 11c.
Fore quarter lamb, 10c.
Loin of lamb, 12 1-2c.
Leg of lamb, 12 1-2c.
Fresh pork, 12 1-2c.
Hind quarter pork, 11c.
Fore quarter pork, 10c.
Hind quarter mutton, 9c.
Fore quarter mutton, 8c.
Loin of mutton, 10c.
Leg of mutton, 10c.

F J Goselin, 241 George street, 'Phone Bell 316K. These prices are strictly cash.

The South City Athletic Club's rink on Chamberlain street, will open for the season to-morrow night and a big crowd will no doubt take advantage of the opportunity to enjoy a skate on this excellent sheet of ice, which is 160 by 85 feet.

Miss M. Fenlon left yesterday evening by the midnight rain for her home in Almonte, where she will spend Christmas and New Year's with her parents.

XMAS MAIL ON FRIDAY

One Delivery in the Morning—General Delivery Open From Twelve to One O'clock—Mail is Heavy.

THE POSTMEN REMEMBERED

Postmaster Rogers' staff are beginning to feel the stress of the Christmas season, the mail piling up heavier every day. It has hardly reached the maximum yet, but in a day or so the high tide of the rush should be experienced. The post man generally have boxes or sleighs to handle the extra parcels and packages, and they themselves know what happiness they are bringing to most of the homes of this city.

On Christmas Day there will be one delivery in the morning, between 7.30 and 8 o'clock. The general delivery will be open from 12 to 1 o'clock, and the lobby will be open all day. The post men are coming in for little remembrances from their friends along their routes.

HOTELS VACATED BY HOME GOING "COM." TRAVELLERS

This is home week for drummers or commercial travellers as they are more familiar known. They are missed from the leading hotels where they are generally found in large numbers. They are not all off the road as there are a few stragglers finishing up before the holiday, but for the most part the hotels are deserted by the wandering travellers who will enjoy the opportunity of a holiday at home.

All Barber Shops will be closed Friday. H. GAINEY, Secy, Union 2d—121

THREE OIL COMPANIES FINED $50,000

Supreme Court Forbids Them Ever Again To Do Business in Missouri.

J. N. Barber, (Special)

Jefferson City, Mo., Dec. 23.—The Supreme Court of Missouri handed down a decision to-day ousting the Standard Oil Company, of Indiana, and the Republic Oil Company, from the state, and forbidding them every again to do business in Missouri. The Court also dissolves the Waters-Pierce Oil Company of St. Louis. In addition each of the three companies are fined $50,000.

Well people do not worry. Take Miller's Compound Iron Pills and be well. 50 doses for a quarter. Sold by J. D. Tully, druggist, Peterborough.

FUNERAL OF THE LATE MR. PARKER

Interment Took Place at Little Lake Cemetery Yesterday Afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The funeral of the late Alfred Parker was held yesterday afternoon at three o'clock, from his late residence on Park street. Interment took place at Little Lake Cemetery. The services at the house were conducted by the Rev. Mr. Pearson, of the George Street Methodist Church, and the Rev. Mr. Henderson, of the Charlotte Street Methodist Church. The pall bearers were Messrs. E. F. Ackerman, R. Winch, R. Neill, Dr. Morrison, B. Shortly and Mayor Robb. A large number of friends called at the house and paid their last respects to the memory of the deceased, who was one of the best known and most respected men in the city.

Band will be at Brock Street Rink on Christmas Afternoon.

2d—121

THE WEATHER

ANOTHER decided drop in temperature occurred last night, and ten degrees below zero was registered. The weather has again moderated considerably, and more snow is likely. Lowest yesterday, six below zero.

WANTED.

WANTED — TO RENT, A COMFORTably furnished house for the winter. W. R. Morris, Hotel National. 2d dh 121

WANTED — REPRESENTATIVE FOR Peterborough, by the General Accident Assurance Co., Toronto, for its Industrial Sickness and Accident Insurance. First-class men only need apply. 3d 119 4655

WANTED — WORK OF ANY KIND, sawing wood, taking out ashes or any odd job by respectable man. Apply at this office. dh 3d

WANTED — ORGANIZER IN PETERborough for first-class social and beneficial order; good remuneration. Address R. E. A. Land, National Club, Toronto. 30d 112 4589

HOUSES AND ROOMS TO LET

TO RENT — SUITE OF ROOMS OVER J. C. Turnbull & Company's store, Simcoe Street; the rooms have all modern conveniences. Rent $10.00 per month; immediate possession. Apply 427 George street. tf

TO RENT—OFFICE No. 19 IN BANK OF Commerce Building; heated, possession immediately. Apply at 427 George Street.

HOUSES TO RENT — MODERN, EASY Warmed, bath, water, light; rent low. Apply 376 Water street. Phones; House 547 L. Office 493 L. dtf

TO RENT — HOUSE No. 242 RUBIDGE street; hot water heating and all modern conveniences; immediate possession. Apply 427 George street. d-tf

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Houses to Let at reasonable rent. Apply for particulars at **W. H. BRADBURN'S OFFICE** over Dominion Bank, corner George and Simcoe Streets. dtf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE — WELL ESTABLISHED Boarding House in excellent position Peterborough; good connection, 10 rooms, small garden, stabling and shed. Proprietor must leave, having another business. Price of furniture only; a snap! Office of Examiner. 4d 117 4672

FOR SALE — TEN SHARES FULLY paid up stock in the Peterborough Sandstone Brick Co., worth $50.00 per share; 75 per cent. will be given if sold at once. Apply Examiner office. 1m 115 4637

FOR SALE — 320 ACRES RAW WHEAT Land. Moose Jaw, Sask., district, twelve hundred dollars cash. Owner: R. J. Healy, 134 Shuter street, Toronto. 1m-30-4444

ALL KINDS OF ADVERTISING NOVelties, Pocket Mirrors, Tape-Measures Hand Mirrors, Paper Weights, Match Holders, etc. Samples at the Examiner office.

FOR SALE—ALL KINDS OF RUBBER Stamps. Apply at Examiner office.

WE ARE SOLE AGENTS FOR PETERborough and the territory between Toronto and Kingston for the Parisian Novelty Co., and have samples of all kinds of advertising novelties on hand. Call and see them at the Examiner office.

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Nice Frame House corner lot, nicely painted and papered, city water, size of lot 60 x 90, for $1,000. This property is a snap—party leaving city.

Beautiful Brick House double parlors, winter kitchen, summer kitchen and wood shed, 4 bed rooms, bath room, complete electric light fixtures, furnace, cement cellar floor and cement walks to front and side entrance. This can be bought for $3?.0.

Snaps in Houses and Lots in all parts of the city. Send in your list of houses to rent or sell, we can handle them. Head Office of Northern Life Assurance Co; Ocean Accident and Guarantee Co; Peterborough Sandstone Brick Co., Ontario Coal Co.

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Double House corner of Harvey and London Sts—all conveniences—good Furnace—Rent Low. apply

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Houses and Lots for sale on easy terms.

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high and low in price.
FARMS
Several near the city.
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Phones: Office 126., House 474 L
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CLOTHING, BOOTS, ETC.,
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East before Hunter. Come and see us.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED — A COMPETENT NURSE Maid. Apply Mrs. W. R. Morris, Hotel National. 3d dh 121

WANTED — TWO GOOD GIRLS, APply White House. 3d 121 4705

UPSTAIR GIRL WANTED AT ONCE — Apply to Geo. Lipsett, Maple Leaf Hotel, East City. 3d 115 4634

DINING ROOM GIRL WANTED AT once. Apply to Geo. Lipsett, Maple Leaf Hotel, East City. 3d 115 4633

SITUATIONS WANTED.

SITUATION WANTED BY CAPABLE and respectable woman at housework where she can go home in the evening. Apply at this office. d dh

FOUND.

FOUND — ON GEORGE STREET, ON Monday, Dec. 14, Lady's Hand Bag containing a sum of money and other articles; owner can secure same by calling at this office, proving property, and paying for this advertisement. 3d 119 4634

STRAYED.

STRAYED OR STOLEN — BULL TERrier Pup about six months old, white with gray spots; reward for information resulting in finding. Apply Examiner office. 3d 120

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R. M. GLOVER, Managing Director.

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UNION LABEL

Wednesday, December 23

A "TIP" TO NEW-COMERS.

At this season of universal goodwill it is worth while to try to help one's fellow men. So many new comers to Canada make shipwreck of their chances of success that the following letter from an Englishman who came to Canada two or three years ago, but who has made a success of his venture, despite the financial depression, writes to the press: "When I came out I took a tour around the country, studied the ways and methods that were in vogue here, and did not, to everyone I met, say that I was an Englishman, and that we did things this way and that way, and had got this and that in England. I simply sat tight, kept my eyes open and mouth shut, and was open to be taught. Several times I thought I did not get a fair shake but every disappointment only made me the stronger for the next effort." This is the spirit which, allied to willingness to work, will bring to every new comer a success, comfort and competence from which he is absolutely barred by conditions in the old land.

In Canada the man who lacks the will to work and the wisdom to take the bitter with the sweet will always see success at a distance.

BRITISH INFLUENCE.

Great Britain is only a pin point on the map, yet it smashes the scientific theory of the superior attractive force of large bodies. Small as it is it is the world's centre of gravity. It is the centre of civilization, of civil liberty, and religious enlightenment, and also the centre of financial strength. Its money is invested in every part of the world. Under free trade it has become wealthy, and it is estimated that the amount of British money invested abroad reaches the great total of fourteen thousand millions of dollars. All this comes about from there having been a Christmas day. With all its faults Britain has been for centuries the centre and radiating point of the light of Christian civilization. Her fidelity to the principles underlying Christianity may well be regarded as an explanation of the manner in which the Divine favour has been vouchsafed in her mission of spreading broadcast, by fleet and flag, the regenerating influences that have so greatly helped to make this old world as good as it it.

Whatever jaundiced pessimists may say, the good and true, is a predominant factor in the economy of the world.

TYPHOID WORSE THAN SMALLPOX.

That typhoid is a greater cause for alarm than smallpox was the expression of Dr. Hodgetts, provincial health officer, in handing out a tabulation of the deaths in Ontario for the month of October.

There were 123 deaths from typhoid reported in the province, as against 50 in the corresponding month last year.

"It is evident that people are prepared to drink water flavoured with sewage rather than take adequate precautions for the protection of their water supply," he said. "The public go wild over a scare of smallpox, yet there was an average of four deaths a day from typhoid and not a single death from smallpox, though 50 cases were reported."

Returns from 718 division registrars show an increase in smallpox, scarlet fever, diphtheria and typhoid over the corresponding month last year. The 50 cases of smallpox were in the counties of Elgin, Bruce, Frontenac, Grey, Simcoe, Waterloo, York and Peterborough.

Fifteen municipalities were visited with the disease, and Dr. Hodgetts says these municipalities are losing money through the loss of trade to their merchants on account of laxity in employing the only real safeguard, "vaccination." He admitted that anti-vaccination was gaining ground, and he deplored this. In his opinion the city of Kingston had been subjected to a loss of $50,000 in the last few weeks on this account.

While scarlet fever returns show an increase of over 100 cases over October, 1907, there was only one death more. Of the 318 cases of diphtheria, 44 deaths occurred. The total deaths from all causes were 2328, making a death rate of 13.8 per cent. in 1000, representing a population of 2,012,000.

1907.—

Diseases.	Cases.	Deaths.
Measles	39	2
Smallpox	34	
Scarlet fever	210	
Diphtheria	226	25
Whooping cough	56	11
Typhoid	234	50
Tuberculosis	163	157

1908.—

Diseases.	Cases.	Deaths.
Measles	13	1
Smallpox	50	0
Scarlet fever	315	7
Diphtheria	318	44

MORE POWER.

The Stratford Beacon says the Niagara power by-law, if adopted, will lay a heavy burden on that city for 30 years and it doubts whether a single manufacturer would take power at the cheapest price at which the municipality could afford to sell it. It adds that "the fact is that the power project is a huge speculation. It may turn out all right, and it may not. In the municipalities irrevocably committed to it, citizens may well hope for its success, and help it along from self-interest, if nothing else."

Exact figures of the average price at which western municipalities will be able to secure and supply power, under the Hydro-Electric Commission arrangement are not available, but the presumptive fact that Toronto will not be able to furnish electric power at less than $32 per horse power, makes it probable that the average price at all points—other cities and towns—will not be less than something between $25 and $30. If this be the case the places supplied by the Commission, will not, to any serious extent, come into competition with Peterborough in the matter of price, which is about $15 per horse power. In this respect Peterborough is still in a position to offer inducements to manufacturers desiring location with the advantages of cheap power. But this point seems to have struck some of our thinking citizens. With any considerable increase of damand, our capacity for supply will be overtaken. This should induce serious consideration, for it is to be assumed that our authorities, the city council and the Board of Trade, will not abandon efforts to add to the number of our manufacturing establishments. The possibility of the time coming—and the sooner the better—when we cannot supply the power for additional industries, should be an incentive to look for the provision of another source of supply. A prominent citizen holds strong views in this matter. He advocates the acquirement by the city, or in the interests of the city, of the power available at Burleigh Falls, which, under existing conditions, he estimates at between 2,000 and 2,500 horse power, which could be largely increased by raising the dam, as is said to be in contemplation.

This potential energy is, under present conditions, going to waste; but its development and possession by Peterborough, or its being made available for Peterborough's use at reasonable figures, would place the city in the running on equal terms with any place in Ontario, in the race for new industries, even in the event of the available power in the city being in use or pre-empted. The matter seems important enough to receive the earnest consideration of the city authorities.

The spirit of the motto, "in time of peace prepare for war," has a significance beyond military matters.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Examiner is in receipt of the Christmas number of the "Canadian Scotsman," a journal devoted to the interests of Scottish life in Canada. It has the characteristic holiday features, and also brief reports of how St. Andrew's day was observed in Canada, beginning with Halifax and ending with Vancouver; but Peterborough is not represented in these records, probably for the simple reason that St. Andrew's day was allowed to pass here without formal recognition. But doubtless the hearts of the local Scots were stirred to a livelier pulse by the return of the national day. Display of sentiment is not essential to strong and healthy feelings. As Burns says:

Nae treasures nor pleasures
Could make us happy lang;
The heart's aye, the part aye
That makes right or wrang.

New York affords an exemplification of the failure of public ownership and operation. It was disclosed in the investigation the other day that the city lost on its municipal ferry from 39th street to Staten Island a trifle of $1,026,272 in 1907, and that one ferry house under way will cost over $2,000,000 beyond the estimate. The departmental auditor testified that "the balance was decidedly in favour of private operation compared with municipal ownership in the matter of expenditures." The Examiner has always contended that efficient administration of public utilities is the only true test of the relative merits of public and private ownership and operation. Given the application of the same business principles which insure the success of private enterprises and public ownership and operation have much to commend them.

The Bishop of London in his recent speech in the House of Lords on the Licensing Bill paid Canada a compliment for its sobriety. He said, according to "Canada," that "all Canadians were horrified at the amount of the old country's drink bill, which worked out at an average of no less than 7s. 3d. per family a week. The Bishop went on to say that, in proportion to population, Canada drank only one-fourth of what the mother country did, and Canada is growing more temperate every day." Doubtless drink has much to do with poverty and suffering in the old land, and doubtless the drink habit brought into Canada by many of our new arrivals, largely accounts for the failure of some of them to make good in Canada. A man or a family that practises the drink habit would not be happy or successful in the Garden of Eden.

ACTING PRESIDENT GOMEZ BREAKS PLOT

New Venezuelan Ruler Pluckily Arrests Castro's Assassins.

REORGANIZATION HAS BEGUN

Government of Republic Is Being Renovated and International Difficulties Will Be Patched Up—Castro's Letter of Credit Stopped—Plotters Against Gomez's Life Are Safely Put In Prison.

Caracas, Venezuela, Dec. 21, via Willemstad, Curacoa, Dec. 23.—The downfall of President Castro in Venezuela was completed Saturday last with the frustration of a desperate plot to assassinate Juan Vincente Gomez, the acting President of the republic.

A prominent lawyer has filed an accusation in the High Federal Court charging President Castro with complicity in the attempted assassination and proposing his impeachment.

There was a meeting Friday night of the plotters in the residence of Barbinas Guzman, who was Secretary-General in the last Castro Cabinet, and who was placed in charge of President Castro's personal business in Venezuela when the President left for Germany.

The conspirators decided upon a coup d'etat. They determined to assassinate Acting President Gomez, Jose De Jesus Paul, the Foreign Minister; Gen. Leopoldo Baptiste and other prominent men; seize the administration of the country and with the army terrorize and overcome the population.

Torres-Cardenas, who was at one time Minister of the Interior under President Castro and later his personal secretary, was the active leader of the conspiracy. He was entrusted with the carrying out of the plot. He had as lieutenants the commanders of three battalions.

In spite of the precautions taken an intimation of what was on foot reached the ears of Acting President Gomez. As soon as he had satisfied himself of the truth of the reports he took immediate steps to frustrate the attempt.

Early Saturday morning he went alone on foot to the barracks in Caracas, where a mutinous regiment under the command of President Castro's brother was quartered. With unexampled courage he entered the building and placed the brother of the President under arrest. The cool nerve of Gomez made it possible for him to carry out this dangerous manoeuvre successfully.

He then went to the "yellow house," the executive mansion, where he had a brief interview with Torres Cardenas. The chief of the conspirators maintained a defiant attitude and denied the existence of any plot. Gomez would not be deceived by such assurances. He seized Torres-Cardenas by the shoulders, and, shaking him roughly, said: "I have discovered your plot to assassinate me. You are my prisoner."

Torres-Cardenas tried to use his revolver on the acting President, but Gomez was too quick for him. He pinioned the man's arms and called the guard. Torres-Cardenas was seized and disarmed and hurried away to jail.

These two arrests, made single-handed by Gomez, broke the back of the plot.

The public rallied to the support of the new President, and are well pleased with the new state of affairs. Venezuela's international disputes will be immediately settled.

The Bank of Venezuela has cabled its correspondent at Berlin and Paris cancelling the unlimited letter of credit given to President Castro.

There is to be a general reorganization of the Government. The fall of President Castro leaves no obstacle in the way of settling the various international questions confronting the republic.

The new Administration has revoked the decree prohibiting the transhipment at Willemstad of goods destined for Venezuelan points. This measure has been the principal difficulty in the strained relations between Holland and Venezuela, and revocation is regarded by well-informed persons as meaning practically the settlement of the dispute between the two Governments.

Testimony Manufactured.

Fushing, N.Y., Dec. 23.—Lawyers for Thornton Jenkins Hains assert to-day that every effort will be put forth to shatter that part of Mrs. Helene E. Annis' testimony that the defendant beckoned his brother and the two men went to the float where Capt. Hains shot and killed William E. Annis as he was making a landing with his boat.

This evidence Hains' counsel declare was suggested to Mrs. Annis in order that her testimony might bring the defendant within the meaning of the statute that there must be some overt act to show that he induced or procured his brother to commit the crime.

The Queen to Gen. Booth.

London, Dec. 23.—Queen Alexandra's well known interest in the Salvation Army was emphasized in a telegram to Gen. William Booth, commander-in-chief of that body, who was on Friday operated upon for a cataract, saying:

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Wilkins Says This Is Why Chief Malone Shot Him.

CONFESSES TO BURGLARY

Wounded Constable at Simcoe Admits Theft of Furs and Declares That He and Malone Were Partners In Depredations Committed In That Town—Regularly Occurring Crimes Are Now Stopped.

Simcoe, Dec. 23.—Constable Wilkins, who is lying in the local sanitarium with four revolver bullets in his body, has confessed to having stolen between $200 and $300 worth of furs from the store of S. M. Sovereen, and he says that Chief Malone, who is locked up in the county jail awaiting trial on a charge of attempting to murder him, also had a hand in the robbery.

This admission, if true, may go far towards confirming the wounded constable's explanation of a motive for the attempt made upon his life, namely, that Malone wanted to get rid of him because he "knew too much."

When he was owning up to the fur robbery, Wilkins said he was willing to go ahead and explain a whole lot of depredations that have occurred in this town within the past year, but those to whom he was talking would not permit him to speak further, advising that he keep his information until Malone's hearing comes off.

Wilkins' confession was made to S. M. Sovereen, dry goods merchant, and his son, Arthur, who visited the sick man to enquire how two fur coats and a quantity of women's furs, which had been stolen from the store, came to be found hidden away in his house.

The search of Wilkins' house was made Monday. Malone's trial was adjourned yesterday until Tuesday at 10 o'clock. It is altogether improbable that the physicians attending Wilkins' will pronounce him recovered sufficiently by that time to give evidence. In the latter event the hearing will be again traversed.

Malone still protests his innocence of the attempt upon his colleague's life, and declares his acquittal is certain.

Wilkins' desire to "tell more," if encouraged would doubtless have thrown considerable light upon many criminal mysteries that had been puzzling the Simcoe people for months prior to the shooting affray.

Unaccountable robberies, burglaries, thefts and fires occurred frequently and almost regularly, all of which stopped suddenly when the police force was in jail or in bed.

It also appears that the music store of Martin Bros. was burglarized some time ago and twenty piano draperies stolen. Ten of these were found on the verandah of Mr. L. Y. Atkinson's house last week, and Mr. Martin, learning of Mr. Sovereen's find, proceeded to Wilkins' home, where he found the remaining ten draperies.

P. C. Wilkins, learning that the stolen goods had been discovered, sent for Mr. Sovereen Monday night and confessed to him that he had entered his store at the suggestion of and accompanied by Chief Malone, and that the chief had insisted on his taking the coat while the chief appropriated the other articles. He explained that the door was left unbolted, but Mr. Sovereen is of the opinion that a skeleton key was used. Wilkins also stated that it was Malone who forced him to take the piano draperies out of Martin's store on a Saturday night, and that they divided the twenty between them.

Wilkins states that he did not assist at the burglary of Madden Bros.' store, where the till was broken into and about $150 stolen, but he knows that this was Malone's doing. The theft of about $1,500 worth of furs from the store of the H. S. Falls Co. was not, in his opinion, the work of the chief. The theft of about $160 in cash and checks from the E. H. Jackson Co. he also disclaims any knowledge of, but states that he will not clear the chief of that act.

It is also stated that the return of the stolen goods was the outcome of the investigations of a private detective engaged by the defence. Detective Miller is still in town investigating the case on behalf of the crown.

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Falls From Engine.

Cornwall, Dec. 23.—William Hargrave of Brockville, a fireman on an eastbound Grand Trunk freight train, fell off his locomotive on the Black river bridge, west of Lancaster, Monday night, and was picked up with a fractured skull and a broken leg. He died yesterday in the Cornwall General Hospital.

How Hargrave fell off is a mystery that will never be solved. His comrade, the engineer, did not miss him for several miles. He reported his disappearance, and section men sent out from Lancaster with a hand car found Hargrave on the bridge, which was the scene of a similar accident a couple of years ago.

Kin Lansdowne.

Liverpool, Dec. 23.—David Lloyd-George, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, addressing a meeting Monday night, from which women were rigorously excluded, to prevent suffragette disturbances, denounced the veto of the Liberal bills by the House of Lords and predicted that the country would "shatter the throne of King Lansdowne," who had usurped the sovereignty that "no king had claimed since Charles the First."

With regard to old age pensions, the Chancellor said he would find the money needed "without taxing anybody's bread or interfering with any productive industry."

Death Ends Festivities.

Windsor, Dec. 23.—Christmas cheer and juvenile enjoyment gave way yesterday to sorrow and gloom at Dougall avenue school, when the announcement was made that Miss Mary Rumball, a member of the teaching staff, had died suddenly.

All the school decorations were torn down, and the Christmas exercises postponed and schools throughout the city closed as soon as Miss Rumball's death became known. Deceased was for 16 years a member of the teaching staff in this city.

Lauder's Effects Ruined.

Buffalo, Dec. 23.—While a truckload of Harry Lauder's stage effects was being loaded into a baggage car at the Exchange street station last night, a yard engine backed a string of cars down upon it. The truck was overturned and $5,000 worth of stage property converted into splinters.

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The Examiner's Sporting Page

RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

BURNS WILL BE A 5-4 FAVOURITE IN SATURDAY'S HEAVYWEIGHT BATTLE

New York, Dec. 22 — Advices from the scene of the coming Johnson-Burns fight are to the effect that Burns is the favourite at 5 to 4, with much money wagered both ways.

Hugh McIntosh, the promoter of the mill, in a statement received from him gives these details concerning the battle:—

"The fight will take place at 11 a.m., December 26. The early hour is fixed to enable patrons to get to Randwick afterwards to see the running of the Summer Cup, one of the biggest of Australian horse races.

"The prices of admission range from $5 to $50, and already a considerable number of the best young sporting bloods have paid $50 for seats. The success of the fight, financially, is already assured, and the crowd is expected to be a record breaker."

It has been figured out that there is about fifteen hours difference in time between this country and Sydney, Australia, and that when Burns and Johnson enter the ring at Sydney at 11 o'clock of the morning of December 26 it will be about 8 o'clock in the evening of December 25 here. The fight will not go to a finish after all, as Burns has insisted upon a twenty-round limit. The men will meet in a twenty-four foot ring in a new arena which has been erected at an outlay of $20,000. The fight will be photographed, and the men will battle for the heavyweight championship of the world.

Burns will receive $30,000, win, lose, or draw; a film of the fight, worth $1,750, and two tickets to London, valued at $1,250, his total share being about $33,000.

Johnson will get $5,000 for his end of the mill, three round trip tickets to England, worth $2,000, and $500 for the picture privileges.

It is evident, therefore, that both Burns and Johnson intend to return to England before coming back to America.

Sam Fitzpatrick, Johnson's manager, cabled to a friend here the other day that the big negro, barring accidents, would win by a knockout inside of fifteen rounds.

SHRUBB AND LONGBOAT WILL MEET IN NEW YORK NEXT MONTH, AFTER ALL

Toronto, Dec. 22—The chances are that Tom Flanagan will this afternoon do what he said yesterday he would do—sign Tom Longboat and Alfred Shrubb to run the marathon distance indoors at Madison Square Garden.

P. T. Powers, the Madison Square Garden impressario arrived to-day hot foot from New York to shake Tom C Flanagan's determination not to let the Indian run Shrubb indoors. Flanagan was firm until Powers insisted that he had given his word after the Dorando race that he would let the Indian meet Shrubb and that on that understanding he had involved himself to the extent of $2000.

This took the wind out of Flanagan's sails, and he finally consented to run Shrubb the distance if Shrubb would in return sign to meet the Indian in the Marathon distance out doors here in the spring.

So the matter stands now, but the chances are the agreement will be signed this afternoon. The Shrubb date may be Jan. 8th or 9th but Flanagan is holding out for a longer date to give the Indian a chance to rest up between the Dorando race at Buffalo, which by the way will be 15 miles, but will not be run on New Year's Day. The chances are that it will be run on Jan. 2nd.

On an indoor track Shrubb may beat the Indian with his clever headwork. Out doors the Indian should win on his merits.

SOME INFORMATION CONCERNING THE TWO PRINCIPALS IN THE BIG FIGHT

Tommy Burns, or Noah Brusso, as his name really is, was born June 17, 1881, at Hanover, Ontario. He is 5 feet 7 inches in height, and stockily built. Burns began fighting in 1900, and in his numerous battles has lost but three, one to Mike Schreck, in ten rounds; one to Jack Sullivan, in twenty rounds, and one to Philadelphia Jack O'Brien, in six rounds.

Jack Johnson hails from Galveston, Texas, where he was born in March, 1878. He is big and rangy, and as quick as the proverbial cat in his movements. He is considered to be the shrewdest boxer since the days of James J Corbet, and his hitting power is said to be great. Johnson stands 6 feet 2 inches. He, therefore, will tower over the Canadian, and, in addition, will have an advantage in reach. Burns, however, always was a "mixer," and will fight close, playing for body and wind in order to offset the handicaps of height and reach that Johnson possesses over him. Johnson began his ring career in 1901, and has lost but two battles—one to Marvin Hart in twenty rounds, and the other to Joe Jeanette at Philadelphia on a foul. The most notable man he ever met was "Bob" Fitzsimmons, whom he smothered in two rounds at Philadelphia. This, however, was in 1907 when Fitzsimmons was but a shadow of his stormer self.

HAMS SURPRISED PACIFICS LAST NIGHT; BELMONTS PROTESTED THEIR GAME

Plenty of excitement was afforded the spectators at the ten pin league series last night at the P.B.C., the outstanding features of the double header being the establishment of a new record for three games by Billy Wareham; a protest entered by the Belmonts and the capture of a game by the Hams, who unexpectedly took the first of the series from the Pacifics, and thus prevented the latter from tying with the Bankers for first place in the League standing.

The dispute in the Belmont-Iroquois contest arose in the third game when the judge called a foul on Pollard on the last frame. The alleged foul cost Pollard seven pins, and as it subsequently turned out it also gave the Iroquois the game by six pins. Had the penalty not been inflicted the Belmonts would have won by a single pin. The Belmonts base their protest on the ground that the official was not regularly appointed, and the matter will be threshed out before the Executive Committee.

The Belmonts appeared to be back in form again, especially Wareham, who piled up a grand total of 562 pins in three games, thus breaking the league record, also held by himself, by ten pins. The first and second games were won by the Belmonts, but the play was close and exciting all the way, and the games were usually decided on the last frames. In the third game, as noted above, the Iroquois were six up at the finish.

In the game between the Hams and Pacifics, the latter had an off night, and easily succumbed to the tail enders in the opening game. They took the second and third, however, by a big margin, and are now, only a game behind the Bankers.

The scores follow:—

PACIFICS

McIlroy	148	142	125—	435
Connors	153	145	140—	438
Lillie	122	153	168—	443
	443	440	433—	1316

HUTCH'S HAMS

Graham	124	113	125—	362
Hutchinson	129	104	110—	343
Hay	214	149	155—	518
	467	366	390—	1223

IROQUOIS

Stroud	127	143	170—	440
Martin	169	156	126—	449
Adams	155	141	178—	474
	451	439	473—	1363

BELMONTS

Pollard	145	136	172—	453
Tanney	145	118	113—	376
Wareham	174	196	192—	562
	474	450	467—	1391

CURLING ACTIVITY IN THE NEW RINK

The Familiar Sounds Can be Heard Issuing From Interior of the Building.

The cries of "Sweep! Sweep!" can be heard issuing from inside the walls of the new curling rink these cold nights, which speaks for itself that curling is in full swing. At present there are only four rinks marked out, but the other three will soon be in shape for the "stone twirlers."

TIM O'ROURKE TO TAKE UP SIMPSON

Says Local Indian Can Beat Hayes or Dorando Without Trouble.

Tim O'Rourke is out with another Indian wonder, which he is willing to match against Dorando or Hayes, and would put up a nice little side bet, too, on him. With a little training, Tim thinks, this dark horse could make the two Marathoners sit up and take notice.

"Who is he?" Tim was asked.

"I don't care who knows," he answered. "It's Fred Sampson, the Peterborough Indian."—Toronto News.

HOCKEY

The Strathcona City League team had their first practice of the season at Brock street Rink last night, when ten men were out in uniform and had a lively practice. The Straths had Wilson, Dusty, Ray, Long, Dobson, Weatherstone, Seymour, McMillan, Curtis, and Parnell out on the ice and the practice was a good one.

The Belmonts will practise this evening at Brock street Rink between 6 and 7 o'clock. Every member of the team is asked to be out in uniform.

The Strathconas have signed Clarence Wilson, goal keeper; Chas. A. Barber, point; Ben Dusty, cover point; Charlie Ray, rover; Herb Long, centre; Len Dobson, centre and wing; Herb McMillan, right wing, and Pete Weatherstone, left wing of last year's champion team, and Jack Seymour, right wing of the Strathcona's championship team of the year before. The High Commissioners have their City League line-up practically complete now, and are awaiting the opening of the championship series. The Straths will endeavour to open the season with an out of town game.

Peterborough's junior O.H.A. team will open the series with an O.H.A. game at Whitby on January 1st, and the team has not much time in which to get into shape. There is plenty of material and no difficulty should be experienced in putting a strong team on the ice. Among the men available are Len Giroux of the Rough Riders, for goal, Wade and Faux, and Harry Munro of the Chieftains, for defence, Cyril Giroux of the Rough Riders, Ken Pentland, last year with the High Lifes, Charlie Ray of the Strathconas, Ken Crane of the Chieftains, Gorman, Hillier Bros., Conroy, Geale, Milloy, Kenneally, Clancy, and a host of other good juniors for the forward line.

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Ontario people would welcome a victory for the Edmonton hockey club in the coming Stanley Cup series, it only because the majority of the challengers are former O.H.A. players. Eastern hockey critics have for many years maintained that in the O.H.A. grade of hockey was not fast enough for the brand played in the Eastern League and they have lost no opportunity of holding the Ontario body up to ridicule. If the Western team carry off the honours it would serve to show that O.H.A. hockey is just as fast as is played anywhere. With the exception of Lester Patrick, Pitre and McNamara, all the Edmonton team have played in the O. H.A. Whitcrott was with Peterborough, Lindsay with a Toronto team, Hugh Ross with Smith's Falls, Steve Vair with Barrie, Jack Miller with Norwood, Tom Phillips with the Toronto Marlboros and Harold Deeton with Galt.

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Whitcrolt, at the invitation of some of the members of the Montreal club, took part in the practice of the winged wheel players last night, and showed a pretty vigorous style of hockey. He and most of the players would like to get out for two practices a day for the rest of the week, but only one hour can be given them at the Arena.—Montreal Star.

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There will be a practice of the intermediate and junior O.H.A. teams at the Brock street rink to-night, between 7 and 8 o'clock, when every member of each team is expected to be out in uniform. Neither team has much time in which to get into shape as the junior series open next week, and the intermediates on the Tuesday following New Years. There will be another practice on Christmas morning when another big turnout is looked for.

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The Otonabee Hockey Club have arranged for the Park street Rink every Wednesday night from 7 to 8 o'clock, and will practise this evening at that hour. All the members are requested to be out, ready for the game.

Sporting Comment

With Mahmout the Turk wrestler beating all the American grapplers; with Alfred Shrubb, of England, cleaning up all Uncle Sam's runners in the east; with Freddie Welsh and Jem Driscoll the English pugilists, showing the American mit artists a few things at slam-banging; with Dorando of Italy, and Tom Longboat, the Canadian runner, giving Johnie Hayes the ha-ha, and Tommy Burns, the Canadian, still champion heavyweight of the world, it looks as though Uncle Sam's athletic aspirations are being handed a rude jolt.

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E. R. WOOD, Man. Dir.

Progress Made During Past Year By The County Council In The Construction Of Bridges

A Review Shows the Year to be a Record One—Where Repairs Were Made.

THE CURRENT DEFICIT

A review of the year's progress in the county; 1908, in so far as bridge building is concerned, shows it to be amongst the record years.

It is generally conceded that permanent structures suitable to carry the heavy machinery that is used at the present time for threshing, and municipal purposes, must either be assumed and built by the county or else the matter of financing the same becomes too burdensome to the local municipality and also creates a possibility of an insufficient structure.

Regarding the above, the County Council during the year 1908, assumed three bridges in the back townships and rebuilt them, and rebuilt three more formerly assumed in the more frontier municipalities.

In the township of Chandos a bridge is now being constructed, (the only one of the six not completed,) some 80 feet long with suitable stone piers and stone approaches with guard rail. The timber is heavy cedar with flooring six inches thick.

In the township of Cavendish the bridge known as Black Lake Creek Bridge, was rebuilt, being some 80 feet in length with solid stone piers and stone approaches with proper guard rail. Timbers heavy cedar, six inch floor.

In the township of Harvey, the bridge known as Deer Bay Creek Bridge was rebuilt, being some 80 feet long, with stone piers and stone approaches, with proper guard rail, built of cedar, six inch flooring and heavy timbers in piers, stringers, etc.

In the township of Otonabee a steel bridge was erected 80 feet long upon solid concrete abutments with solid stone approaches with suitable guard rail.

In the township of Belmont a steel bridge was erected 32 feet long, (a narrow place over the river being selected, thereby making a jog in the road, and saving the county about $4,000,) upon quarry stone abutments, with cement mortar, with stone approaches and proper guard rail.

In the municipality of Norwood, a steel bridge with a driveway of 16 feet, the same as the other steel bridges, with an additional 5 foot walk for pedestrians, upon concrete abutments with stone approaches and sidewalk approach, and proper guard rail.

In all of the above bridge building the bridge proper was shortened as much as possible to save expense of building and future maintenance.

The floating bridges, namely, Pigeon Creek, Chemong and Gannon's Bridges all suffered to some extent when the ice was going down in the lakes last spring, particularly Gannon's, it being carried away in pieces, leaving the connections at each shore.

It was replaced as speedily as possible, at considerable expense, traffic being suspended for a very short time.

Lakefield and Burleigh Bridges were completely overhauled, repainted, refloored and generally renewed which necessitated the expenditure of considerable money.

Canal Bridge in Dummer received some repairs, that, as an unavoidable result, cost some money.

The House of Refuge, recently established by the County Council, in response to an Act of Parliament, making it compulsory, has, for two years, been receiving from the municipalities of the county, inmates of the character for which it was intended. 1907 being the initial year, with regard to establishing, was looked upon as an expensive one from a current standpoint, from the fact that the cost of maintenance per week for each inmate exceeded $2.50, and the object of the Board of Management has been attained this year in lowering the cost per week per inmate to, it is estimated, considerably below $2.00. It is recognized by all that as time rolls on and progression prevails, extension must be provided for, and our county buildings being old with no basement makes the heating of building somewhat hard on the halls and corridors and offices from the fact that stoves, pipes and the carrying of wood to the same, by the parties employed, is very wearing, and as a result repairs have to be made. The past year has been unprecedented in this line, and unavoidable expenses had to be met throughout the buildings.

The steps and approaches to the buildings as well as the old wooden sidewalk in front of the buildings, from the fact that they were past repair, were all rebuilt with concrete at considerable expense, but of such a character that in future the maintenance will be very easily met.

The council is to be congratulated upon the fact that in starting the year with a small current deficit of $549.00 and levying the same rate as the four years proceeding 1907, it looks forward to the close of the year with no addition to the current deficit in so far as 1908 is concerned, or at most, a very trifling one.

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CONCLUSION OF THE REPLY

Ex-Mayor Writes on the Sale of City Debentures During Past Two Years.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

Dear Sir,—To avoid trespassing on your space I cut short my last letter in reply to the Mayor, and dealt only with the large deficit on current account. Unfortunately a rush of other matters has prevented me writing a reply to his answer re the sale of debentures until to-day, but I would like now to correct some more "misleading" statements in the Mayor's defence.

Mr. Rush admits that the sale made this year of debentures was extravagant and costly, but seeks to throw the blame on the Council of 1907 for their failure to sell these debentures. What are the facts? When the Council of 1907 took office, they found $53,000 of debentures nearly ready for sale for sewers and sidewalks of the two preceding years, all computed at 4 per cent, and no sale possible at that rate. We made an arrangement with the Commissioners of the City Trust to take up those for the sewers, and had to raise the rate to 4 1-2 per cent. in order to sell those for sidewalks. At no time during the year could we have sold our debentures at less than 4 1-2 per cent. and rather than sell at that rate — 12 1-2 per cent. higher than the rate at which we had been selling for years—the Mayor, the Finance Committee and the whole Council of 1907 agreed to hold back the sale, and, if necessary, pay the Bank an increased rate for temporary loans. Mayor Rush knows, or ought to know, these facts, and he has no right to misrepresent the facts to throw blame on his predecessor.

How does the action of the present Mayor compare? Instead of trying to save the money of the present and future taxpayers, he sells an unprecedented quantity of debentures at the worst possible time. Instead of trying to satisfy the Bank by a partial sale, he sells $190,000 of debentures to cover an overdraft of $138,000 when he took office. To get down to exact figures. It would have been cheaper for the City to have paid the Bank 16 per cent., and sold the debentures at the rates now prevailing, than to have made such a sale as Mayor Rush made this year. If the rate goes down to 4 per cent, before Spring, as seems probable, the City would have been better off paying 22 per cent. for one year. It is publicly said that there are $3,000,000 on deposit in the banks of this city. Does anyone mean to say that an offer from the City to pay 6 per cent. for one year loans in small amounts, would not have been jumped at by people getting 3 per cent. in the banks to an amount far in excess of the $200,000 required by the City? All that was needed was a little grit and foresight in the Mayor's chair, and the City will pay $1,500 a year for the next thirty years for the lack of these qualities at a critical time.

One other remark. The Mayor would like to hide behind the responsibility of the Finance Committee. The Mayor knows that almost the same men composed that Committee last year, and that I did nothing in regard to the finances except with their approval, but when I was being attacked in the last elections, and when he was permitting himself to be the instrument of an attack which he knew to be false, did he say one word about the responsibility of the Finance Committee instead of the Mayor? Does the Mayor consider it an honourable course to win an election under false colours and then squirm when the same test is applied to him.

I charge that both in the sale of debentures and in the spending of this year's funds the present Mayor's management has been the most reckless and most extravagant that this City has known in a generation and as I said before I am prepared to stand by this charge at any public meeting.

Yours faithfully,
R. F. McWILLIAMS.

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A splendid concert was given in Auburn public school on Friday evening last by the pupils and ex-pupils. The chair was ably filled by Mr R. Lees, Inspector of County Schools. The programme was a lengthy one and consisted of recitations, dialogues and songs. The children took their parts with much skill and showed that they had received careful training. The only outside talent was Miss Josie Calendar, who sang in her usual charming style; Mr C S McKay who gave several selections on the bagpipes, and Mr J. Allen who favoured the audience with two Irish readings. Both gentlemen were in their national costumes. A pleasing feature of the evening was the presentation of three prizes for general efficiency, to Walter Jones, Clyde Brown and Johnny Leahy. At the close of the entertainment the scholars presented their teacher Miss Mann who is leaving with an address and a beautiful salad bowl, as a token of their esteem. The proceeds amounted to nearly ten dollars and is to be sent to the sick Children's Hospital, Toronto.

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Mr. Sayer Leaves for the Home of His Sister in Cornwall.

St Peter's Separate school closed yesterday for the Christmas vacation When the children came back they will be under the rule of a new principal. Mr Sayer having sent in his resignation some time ago.

Mr Sayer has been teaching school for the last twelve years and came in September from Spencerville where he had spent two years. He leaves this morning on the C P R for the home of his sister in Cornwall. Mr. Sayer will be greatly missed by his wide circle of friends His successor is Mr Wm. O'Brien, son of the Separate School Inspector of this city

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Great Northern	144⅛	145⅛
L.N.	122	122⅛
Mo. Pac.	64⅛	66
Northern Pacific	141⅛	141
N.Y.C.	119⅜	12 ⅛
Penna	129⅛	130
R.I.	23⅛	24⅛
Rdg	139	140⅛
Smelters	81⅛	83⅛
Soo	131⅛	131⅜
St. Paul	147⅛	148⅛
S.P	119⅛	119⅛
U.P.	180⅛	181⅛
U.S	53⅜	54⅛
U.S. pfd.	112⅛	112⅛
Iwin City	94⅛	94
Nipissing	10⅛	10⅛
May-Wheat	106	106⅜
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May Oats	51⅜	51⅞
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MANY EVERGREENS FOR CHRISTMAS

Small Boys are Making Money During Holiday by Selling Them.

There are more Christmas trees coming into the city this year than have ever been noticed before. The reason can only be surmised and it is believed that the tree habit is becoming more widespread with every year. Last Saturday and during this week the boys are on holidays and have the time to go to the woods where they cut down the little evergreens which make the best trees for Christmas use.

CLOSING CONCERT AT MAY'S SCHOOL

Pupils Had Delightful Afternoon Yesterday—Programme was of Interest And Well Rendered.

THE DIALOGUES WERE GOOD

Yesterday afternoon a very enjoyable time was spent at School Section, No. 2, North Monaghan. The chairman, Master Percy Goodwin, gave a very appropriate speech for the occasion. A lengthy programme was rendered by the members of the school, after which a present was was given to the teachers of the school, in a token of remembrance At the close, candies and oranges were served and were very much enjoyed. The following programme was rendered:

Song, by School, "Row Merrily Row."
Solo, "Christmas"—Evelyn Foster.
Recitation, "Lazy Bones" — Willie Field.
Song by Senior Room, "Soft Music."
Recitation—George Peters.
Song by Jr. Room, "Merry Christmas Bells."
Dialogue by seven girls, "The Days of the Week."
Song by Sr. Room, "Santa Claus."
Musical duet—Jessie Mervin and Lizzie Webber.
Recitation—Frank and Albert Huffman.
Solo and chorus by Jr. Room, "Old Santa."
Recitation, "Dolly's Lesson,"—Evelyn Foster.
Recitation, "Dolly's Bedtime"—Clara Robinson.
Chorus and march, by School, "Soldiers of the King."
Solo—Marion Byers.
Recitation, "Baby Land" — Janet Houston.
Duet—Frank and Albert Huffman.
Chorus, by Jr. Room, "Generous Santa."
Instrumental, "Playfulness"—Grace Stevens.
Recitation—Wilton Tranter.
Chorus, by Sr. Room, "The Turkey's Wishbone."
Recitation—Daisy Stocker.
Recitation—Miss Coon.
Chorus, by Sr. Room, "The Christmas Popcorn."
Recitation, "Mary and Dina"—Katie Parks and Lizzie Webber.
Drill and chorus, by twelve girls.
Dialogue, "The Doctor's Visit" — Evelyn Foster and Roy Byres.
Chorus, by Jr. Room.
Recitation—Roy Byres.
Song, by Sr Room, "In the Land of somewhere."
Solo—Louis Smith.
Chorus, by Sr. Room, "Autumn."
The closing hymn.

New life for a quarter. Miller's Compound Iron Pills. Sold by J. D. Tully, druggist, Peterborough.

OBITUARY.

MRS. D. E. McKENZIE

The funeral of the late Mrs. D. E. McKenzie, of Beaverton, who departed this life on the 17th inst, took place from her father's residence, Mr Jas. Wilson of Kirmount, Ont., on Saturday, 19th inst., and proceeded to St. James Episcopal Church, of which congregation the deceased lady was a consistent and beloved member. It was here that she was christened when but a child, and in later years confirmed and the bell that rang out its joyous peels at her marriage with love, hope and joy. Saturday tolled the knell of her departed life

She was born in the village of Kinmount on June 25, 1878, where she had lived all her life up to two years ago, since which time she has lived with her husband in the town of Beaverton. The remains were taken to Kinmount cemetery for interment The services were conducted by the Rev. A. C. Cummer. The pall-bearers were —Messrs George Train, C. Welstood, J Graham, G. Dettman, A Train, and Alex Moore, all members of the Masonic fraternity

The deceased lady leaves a husband and a little daughter, besides her father, Mr. Jas Wilson Kinmount, and three brothers, Mr Fred Wilson of London; Neil of Kinmount, William of Manitoba to mourn her loss.

The death of the late Miss McKenzie is deeply deplored by large circles of friends whose sympathies will be extended to the bereaved husband and relatives.

WEDDING BELLS

ROPER—WRIGHT

A quiet wedding ceremony was performed by Rev J G Potter yesterday afternoon at 4.30 o'clock at the home of the bride's father. Mr Edward Wright. 223 Perry street when Miss Gertrude Wright became the bride of Fred R. Roper. The bride was attended by Miss Adina Gordon, while Mr. John Wright supported the groom. The happy event was witnessed by a number of the friends of the contracting parties

WELDON GRAY

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gray, 608 Harvey street, on Tuesday, when their daughter, Miss Laura Lillian, was united in marriage to Dr. Arthur Mayton Weldon, of Norwood. The Rev. E A. Pearson officiated.

CHURCH SERVICES AND NOTICES

Knox Church

Midweek service to-night. Teachers' Training Class. A meeting of the Rink Committee will be held in the church this evening at 7 p.m., to arrange important matters. It is expected the rink will open on Friday.

A full rehearsal of the Cantata will be held in the church on Christmas morning at 10 a.m. All taking part must be on hand

MURRAY STREET ANNUAL CONCERT

A Successful Event—Assistance to Those in Need.

The annual tea and entertainment held by the Murray Street Baptist Sunday School last evening was as successful as it always is. The school room was so crowded that standing room was at a premium. The various numbers on the programme were excellently rendered in all cases, and were much enjoyed by the audience. Much credit is due Messrs Wilfrid G. Shiner and George Martin for their excellent stage arrangements.

Some years ago this Sunday School decided to change the character of their Christmas festival, to conform with the truth that "it is more blessed to give than to receive," and from that time the members of the school have, at these entertainments, been giving rather than getting. Last evening the gifts, amounting to about fifty dollars, were for distribution by the pastor to those who are in need.

The programme was :

School—Chorus
Primary Class—Chorus
Miss Martin's Class—Dialogue
Miss Garrett's Class—Chorus
Mrs Dunlop's Class—Sketch
Miss Hardwick's Class—Chorus
Mr Quinn's Class—Dialogue
School—Chorus
Miss Loader's Class—Recitation
Miss Aldridge's Class—Chorus
Mrs Wight's Class—Sketch
Miss Matthew's Class—Chorus
Mr Showalter's Class— Dialogue
Mrs Gurney's Class—Dialogue
School—Chorus
Miss Martin's Class—Dialogue
Philatelia Class and Miss E Nicholls Class—Tableau.
Mr Shiner's Class—Sketch
Mrs Wood's and Miss Perrin's Class—Chorus.
Bible Class—Duet and Chorus
Barnes — Mock Council

COURT LANGTON'S NEW OFFICERS

Were Elected at Monday Night's Meeting —Was Lartely Attended.

At the regular meeting of Court Langton, No. 344, C.O.F., held on Monday, the following officers were duly elected for the year 1909:

Junior P.C.R.—D Kerneghan.
C.R.—G Worboy, acclamation.
V.C.R.—H Shenter, acclamation.
Rec.-Sec.—Wm Stevens, acclamation.
Fin Sec.—S Kemp, acclamation.
Trus.—R W Jones, acclamation.
Chap.—John J Hartley, acclamation.
Sr. W.—D Jordan.
Jr. W.—Ben Johnson.
Sr. B.—B Logan.
Jr. B.—Wm. Anderson.
Physician—Dr. McClelland.
Finance Committee—Bros. R E Layfield, J J Hartley and Wm. Wilson.
Mall Trustees—Bros. Gray, Dr. McClelland and Wilson.

The meeting was the best attended during the past year.

MATCH TOWER TRUE BLUE LODGE ELECTS OFFICERS

Members Taking Lively Interest--Visitors From Searchlight Lodge.

Loyal True Blue Lodge, No. 277, met in their hall on Simcoe street last evening, and elected their officers for the ensuing year. All members present took a keen interest in the meeting; also a number that were present from Search Light

The new officers for Watch Tower are :

W. M.—Bro. T. A. Lang, acclamation.
D. M.—Bro. B. Vanatto.
Treas.—Bro. D. Hall, acclamation.
Chap.—Bro. J. E. Lang.
Sec.—Bro. M. E. Ketcheson.
D of C.—Bro. H. F. Weart.
Con.—Bro. N. Irwin.
Auditors—Bros. T. Marks and J. Carr.
1st Com.—Bro. W. Whatman.
2nd Com.—Bro. A. King.
3rd Com.—Bro. M. E. Ketcheson.
4th Com.—Bro. J. E. Lang.
5th Com.—Bro. B. Vanatto.
I T.—Bro. H. Simmons.
O. w.—Bro R. Whatman.
Executive Committee—Bros. Weart, Carr, Pue and Gray.

Xmas Suggestions

for her

Diamond Ring, 25.00, 35.00, 50 00
Pearl Ring, 3.50 to 18.00
Gold Bracelet 5.00 to 35.00
Gold Parasol, very fine 5.00

for him

Solid Gold Cuff Links 4.00
Solid Gold Tie Pin at 3.00 to 15.00
Gold Locket with his initials 6.00
Gold Signet Ring 5.00

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A SPECIAL MEETING OF NORTH MONAGHAN COUNCIL

Cavan Council Presents Account for Work in Connection With Swamp Drain.

The Township Council met on Saturday, December 19th, in the Township Treasurer's office, in Peterborough, at 2 p.m.

All the members were present, the Reeve, Mr. J. Brown, presiding. Communications were read from the following :—

J. J. Fair, Clerk of Cavan Township, asking the Township of North Monaghan to pay to the Treasurer of Cavan the sum of $327.79, being the assessment against North Monaghan in account of the Cavan Long Swamp drain.

From Dr. J. N. Greer, enclosing his report as Medical Health Officer for 1908. It was received and referred to the Board of Health.

The following acounts were handed in :—

W. H. Andrews, refund dog tax	$1.00
J. T. Green, cedar for culverts	3 00
Higgins Hardware Co., goods	.75
J. Wilson, contract, cleaning drain	4.00
Peterborough Hardware Co., goods	3.65
Dr. J. N. Greer, fees, M.H.O.	6.00
Wm. Anderson, fees, san. insp.	1.00
P. Hamilton Co., repairs	10.30
R. J. Lillico, cedar for culverts	7.00
J. Morrow, wotk on culvert	7.50
D. Dunlop, work on culvert	3.15
J. Bradley, sawing timber	2.75
R. Lillico	8.00
R. Lillico, Dunlop Bridge	10.00
J. Patton, work	12.00
J. Morrow, work	4.00
D. Dunlop, work	10.50
R. J. Lillico, timber	43.10
G. Fowler, work, culvert, Gravel rd.	3.00
W. White, ditto	3.50
R. J. Lillico, timber	6.00
R. Lillico	4.00
W. McKee, work on Smith Bldg	3.00
R. Walker, ditto	4.50
W. White, ditto	3.00
R. Lillico, ditto	4.00
R. J. Lillico, work on 1-4 line	3.00
Ira Robson, ditto	1.50
R. Lillico	2.00
J. W. Lillico, 9 loads gravel	.90
Jas. Patton, 10 ditto	1.00
Wm. Anderson	10.00

Moved by Messrs. Howden and May that the accounts for putting in culverts, etc., on the Gravel road, be referred to Councillor Forster for certification before payment thereof. This was carried.

Moved by Messrs. May and Forster that the amounts for work done on the Gravel Road at the watering trough be paid for from the Commutation of Statute Labour in R. Div. No. 1. Carried. On motion the remaining amounts were passed as read.

Moved by Messrs. Forster and Howden, that the Reeve, Councillors Dobbin and May, and the Clerk be appointed a committee to investigate the demands made by the Township of Cavan in connection with the payment for the Long Swamp Drain. This was carried.

Moved by Messrs. Dobbin and Howden that the Clerk be instructed to render to the Township of Cavan, an account of work done by North Monaghan upon the Boundary road, and to make a demand from the Township of Cavan for half the cost thereof. Carried.

Council then adjourned until December 26th next.

SOME DAIRY NOTES OF INTEREST

The dairymen of Leeds county re-elected Mr. J. R. Dargavel, M.L.A., of Elgin, Ont., by acclamation, as the director of the Eastern Ontario Dairymen's Association for their district, at the dairy meeting held at Gananoque on Friday of last week. This will be good news for all who know what valuable work Mr. Dargavel has done for the association.

Senator D. Derbyshire, Brockville, Ont., stated at the district dairy meeting at Belleville, last week, that the reports that are being received from Liverpool, London, Glasgow, Bristol and other British centers, show that the Canadian cheese that has gone forward this year has been of exceptionally good quality. The British people are evincing their approval of it.

Dairy Instructor T. E. Whattam, of Picton, while speaking at the dairy meeting at Belleville, Ont., last week, expressed the view that those patrons of cheese factories who were convicted this year of watering their milk, and fined from $8 to $20, should have been fined more heavily. He held that if the practice of watering milk is to be stamped out, heavier fines must be imposed than have been imposed this year.

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"EAST LYNNE" With Avis Paige

A Play that will Live Forever. A Story of a Woman's Wrongs. It Touches the Hearts of All. Without Question the Greatest Emotional Drama of the Present Generation. Prices—Matinee 25, 35 and 50c. Children 15c. Evening 25, 35, 50 and 75c
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Thanking all my patrons for past orders and soliciting a continuance of same. I wish all a Merry Christmas and a Prosperous New Year.

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TOWN TOPICS

PROBS—Fair and cold. Thursday a little higher temperature.

Choir Practise

—All Saints' choir will practice at 8 o'clock to-night.

Cornwall Drowning

—Joseph Lashambe, aged 12 years, was drowned at Summerstown, near Cornwall, to-day.

Piano Tuning

Piano tuning promptly attended to. Satisfaction guaranteed. A. F. Hoover, 222 McDonel street. 'Phones—Bell 199k, Mach. 199.

Court of Revision

—The Court of Revision met last night and confirmed the assessment of the sewer to be constructed on Dublin street east, from Water street.

Buried to Day

—The funeral of Master Harry Hodder, who died yesterday at Nicholls hospital, was held this afternoon from the home of his parents in Smith co the Little Lake Cemetery.

Chimney Blaze.

—At 6.15 o'clock alst night the fire brigade received a call to a chimney fire at 510 Charlotte street. The blaze was soon extinguished, there being no damage done.

Labrador Medical Mission at Home

—Admission tickets for the "At Home," to be held in aid of the above mission may be obtained from the Hon. Secretary, L. F. Cross, at the Canadian Bank of Commerce. 2d121

Particular

—If you are particular about the way your clothes look, sen dthem to "My Valet," 204 Charlotte street, and and have them cleaned, dyed, repaired an dpressed. All particular people do.

Is Your Piano in Tune

—The change of season effects pianos as well as everything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. MacDonald's drug stor

Ill Treatment to Horse

—In County Police Court yesterday His Worship Magistrate Edmison, fined John Smith of Otonabee $10 and costs, for his alleged illtreatment of a horse. James Guerin who was also connected with the case, was discharged.

To the Front Again

—with something new at the Collegiate Grocery, and your Christmas dinner will not be completed without some corn on the cob, as nice as if fresh from the stalk. Will be a treat Try it. A Merry Xmas to all. J. M Donovan, corner of McDonel and Aylmer streets. r t f w 4679

To Organized Labour

—A special meeting of the Peterborough Trades and Labour Council will be held on Wednesday evening at 9 o'clock, Dec. 23rd, in the Forester's Hall, George street. Every Local Union in the city whether affiliated or not is requested to have delegates present as business of importance will be discussed.

By order.
3d119 J. ALEXANDER, Pres.

Stratton's Open Evenings

For the convenience of those who cannot find it convenient to shop during the day. Gifts to charm the elders, to delight the children; something to please "him" as well as the feminine fancy. It's delightful to shop where the stocks are so full. We are ready to help you make a happy and joyous Christmas. Open evenings. A. H. Stratton & Co.

A Favourite Old Drama

—One of the most complete and effective presentations of "East Lynne" which has ever been sent on tour, will be given at the Grand, Christmas Day, matinee and night, by Joseph King's New York company. The company, scenic equipment and accessories are all up to the standard required for an artistic presentation of the favourite old drama. The engagement is for one night only, and seats can be secured at these special prices. Plan is now open.

An Interesting Human Story

—The remarkable prosperity and wonderful longevity attained by "East Lynne" can be explained only by the fact that the story the play unfolds is intensely human. Although numberless dramas have been written in imitation of this excellent play, not one of them reaches the depths of feeling or sounds the note of human appeal as truly as does this dramatic picture of the joys and sorrows of the beautiful, unfortunate, Lady Isabel. To adequately portray the varying emotions of this complex character is a task, requiring not only the charm of youthful beauty, but a marked degree of histrionic ability as well. The engagement at the Grand is for Christmas Day, matinee and night.

CHRISTMAS NEAR

We mention a few of the Xmas necessities which we now have in stock. Table Raisins, Pulled Figs, Fresh Figs, Fresh Shelled Nuts, Golden Dates, Grape Fruit, California, Florida and Mexican Oranges, and the very best new Nuts. Also "Sealshipt" Oysters. S. A. OKE
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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

THE EXAMINER welcomes all Items of Interest for this column. Phone 224 or send post card with name and address.

Miss Mable Bridge of Vancouver is the guest of Miss Marjory Dela Ponce

Mr Chas Kishor is in Toronto to-day on business.

Miss Wilson of Lakefield was in the city yesterday.

Mr Bennie Dunsford is home from Toronto for the holidays.

Rev A W Mackenzie of Lakefield, was in the city yesterday.

Mr Wilhelm Albrecht, North Monaghan, is visiting in the city for a week.

Mr. W. C. Marsland, of the Union Bank, Warkworth, was in the city to-day.

Mr T A Choate, of Woodville, is in the city for the day, to meet old acquaintances.

Capt. Chas. Calcutt and party of Harwood, Rice Lake, are guests at the City Hotel to-day.

Mrs Cumberland and Master David Cumberland of Lakefield were in the city yesterday.

The Misses Mabel and Freda Waldon, of Hamilton, are guests at the home of Rev. J R Webb.

Miss Gilbert, Matron of the Grove School, passed through the city this morning on her way to Toronto.

Mrs James T McCabe of Hartford, Conn., is visiting her father Mr Jos Panter of 128 Rubidge street

Mrs Geo English of Hastings is the guest of her daughter, Mrs E E. Godfrey, 222 London street.

Mr and Mrs. W. J. Preston, of Toronto, are at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gray, 698 Harvey street.

Mrs S. Weldon and daughter, of Lindsay, were in Peterborough on Tuesday, attending the wedding of Miss Laura L. Gray.

From the Canadian Scotsman, it is learned that Mr. Ira Sneigrove, a former Peterborough boy took a creditable part in a Scottish concert in St. Thomas on St. Andrews' Day.

Among those from Lakefield who were in the city to-day were Mrs F J Tate, and Miss Tate, Miss Dench, Miss J Strickland, Mr E R Tate, Mr H Sherin and Mr W H Casement.

Mr. W. R. Meldrum, of Peterborough, was on a business trip here yesterday.....Rev. Dr. O'Brien, of St. Peter's Cathedral, Peterborough, was in town yesterday.....Miss L. E. Pearson, of Peterborough, is spending Christmas at her home, Lindsay street.—Lindsay Post.

Mr. Ed. Simpson of the Canada Starch Works, Prantford, spent Saturday with his parents on College street. He dropped off on his way from Montreal, where he went to represent his firm at the banquet given in that city to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the founding of the Company.

Dental Office Robbed.

Woodstock, Dec. 23.—Burglars effected an entrance into Dr. Davidson's dental office some time Monday night and carried off $40 worth of gold-filling and false teeth valued at $100.

The door of the office had been forced with a "jimmy" and the job was done in a professional manner. There is no clue to the perpetrators, who are thought to be an organized gang.

Bridegroom Sent to Jail.

Chatham, N.B., Dec. 23.—William Mahaney and bride, formerly Mrs. Roselle McCarthy, who broke quarantine two weeks ago in order to get married, were released from quarantine yesterday morning, and were before Magistrate Connors on a charge of breaking quarantine regulations. Each was fined $40. Mahaney could not pay the fine and was sent to jail for forty days.

B. C. Apples Are Good.

Ottawa, Dec. 23.—J. S. Larke, Canadian Trade Commissioner at Sydney, Australia, comments favorably upon the timely shipments of British Columbia apples, which have just reached the Australian market, being a trifle larger than the fruiters are accustomed to handle. The apples are being retailed for three pence apiece, and are bringing splendid prices.

A Novel Christmas Present.

Boston, Dec. 23.—Mrs. Samuel L. Eaton of Newton Highlands has started for Wisconsin, taking a baby from the Florence Crittenden Home as a Christmas present to a friend, who is childless.

Incendiary Fire.

Brantford, Dec. 23.—Incendiarism are believed to have set fire to the large grist mill of I. J. Rank, Norwich, yesterday morning. The mill was destroyed with all its contents, The latter included 12,000 bushels of wheat and 120 tons of chopped grain. The loss, which is partly covered by insurance, will reach $18,000.

The owner was identified with the local option movement and incendiarism is believed to have been the result of the bitter feeling over that question.

For Cobourg's Mayoralty.

Cobourg, Dec. 23.—Harry Field is a candidate for the mayoralty of Cobourg for 1909. Mr. Field has served most efficiently in the Town Council for the past five years.

Lived With Broken Neck.

Port Hope, Dec. 23.—"Jack" Lingard died yesterday. His neck was broken by a fall in a runaway twenty days ago, and his body was paralyzed from the neck down.

Killed by Colt's Kick.

Peterboro's Dec. 23.—Kicked in the face by a young colt yesterday, Arthur Hodder, the seven-year-old son of Henry Stephen Hodder, died a few hours later.

Perjury Charge Fails.

Brockville, Dec. 23.—P. J. Brady, who was up before Judge McDonald yesterday morning on a charge of perjury in the recent Dominion election, was acquitted.

Salacia Puts Back.

London, Dec. 23.—The Donaldson liner Salacia, bound for St. John, N.B., puts back into Glasgow with her propeller out of order.

Three In Family Die.

Toronto, Dec. 23.—Three children of Mr. and Mrs. Annis, 1,593 West Queen street, have died from diphtheria within a week, namely, Reginald, aged 18 months, Dec. 10; Harold, aged 5 years, Dec. 11, and Clare, aged 4 years, Dec. 17. A fourth child is ill.

ROLLER RINK
TO-NIGHT
SKATING 10 AND 15 CENTS

Next Friday—Xmas Day

Band Concert afternoon and evening. $5.00 Gold Piece will be given to the one who guesses the nearest number of attendance—morning, afternoon and evening.

MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool and Chicago Wheat Futures Close Higher—Live Stock—Latest Quotations.

Tuesday Evening, Dec. 22.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day ½d higher than yesterday, and corn closed ½d higher.

At Chicago, September wheat closed 1c higher than yesterday, December corn closed 1⅛c higher, and December oats closed ½c lower.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—July $1.03¾ bid. December 89¼c bid, May $1.01⅜.
Oats—December 39⅝c bid, May 41c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	$0 92	to $....
Wheat, red, bush	0 94	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 89	....
Rye, bushel	0 89	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 85	....
Peas, bushel	0 90	....
Barley, bushel	0 59	....
Oats, bushel	0 43	....

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 28
Butter, store lots	0 23	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 28	0 30
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 40	....
Eggs, cold storage	0 25	....
Cheese, large, lb	0 13½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11
Honey, combs, dozen	2 25	2 75

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 22.—Closing—Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 10½d. Futures firm; Dec. 7s 11d, March 7s 6¼d, May 7s 5¼d.

Corn—Spot steady; new American mixed, via Galveston, 5s 4¾d. Futures quiet; Jan. 5s 2½d, March 5s 1⅞d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut easy, 32s 6d; short rib dull, 45s; long clear middles, light, easy 47s; clear bellies easy, 57s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, steady 47s 9d; American refined, in pails, dull, 48s 6d.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Butter—Steady, unchanged; receipts, 11,347.
Cheese—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 1789.
Eggs—Firmer; receipts, 4760; western firsts, 32½c; seconds, 30½c to 31½c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Unchanged—Hogs Are Firmer in U. S. Markets.

London, Dec. 22.—London cables for cattle are steady at 12½c to 13½c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10¼c to 10¾c per lb.

Toronto Live Stock.

TORONTO, Dec. 22.—Receipts of live stock at the City Market were 36 carloads, composed of 392 cattle 429 hogs, 704 sheep and lambs and 38 calves.

Exporters.

One load of exporters was reported at $5.15 per cwt.; bulls at $3.25 to $4.80 per cwt.

Butchers.

George Rowntree bought 25 butchers, as follows: Cows at $4.50 to $4.40; medium cattle at $4 to $4.20, and good to choice, heavy cattle, at $4.70 to $5.12 per cwt.

Milkers and Springers.

A few milkers and springers sold at $50 to $65 each.

Veal Calves.

About 40 veal calves sold at $3 to $6.75 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs.

Lambs are firmer, at $6.25 to $6.85; sheep, $5.25 to $5.40; rams, $2 to $3.50 per cwt.

Hogs.

Mr. Harris quotes the market steady at $6 for selects and $5.75 for lights.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Dec. 22.—Cattle—Steady; prime steers, $6.75 to $6.75.
Veals—Receipts, 25 head; active and easier, $7 to $8.50.
Hogs—Receipts, 2800 head; active and 5c to 10c higher; heavy, $6 to $6.20; mixed, $6.20 to $6; yorkers, $5.75 to $6.15; roughs, $5 to $5.40; stairs, $5.50 to $5.60.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1400 head; sheep active and steady; lambs slow and 10c lower; lambs, $5 to $7.75; yearlings, $5.50 to $6.75; Canada lambs, $7.25 to $7.40.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Dec. 22.—Beeves—Receipts, 403; nothing doing in live cattle; feeling steady. Exports to-morrow, 2800 quarters of beef.
Calves—Receipts, 305; veals steady at $5 to $9.50; choice, $10; Indiana calves, $5.75; barnyard and western calves nominal.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2611; sheep steady; best lambs a fraction higher; others steady; sheep, $3.25 to $4; yearlings, $5; lambs, $7 to $7.75.
Hogs—Receipts, 3916; nominally steady for all weights; sales late Monday, $6.75 to $6.90.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Dec. 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 5000; market was barely steady; steers, $4.60 to $7.90; cows, $3 to $5.75; heifers, $2.50 to $4.60; bulls $2.75 to $4.50; calves, $3.50 to $8.75; stockers and feeders, $2.50 to $5.
Hogs—Receipts, 23,000; market steady; choice heavy shipping, $6.75 to $6.80; butchers, $6.45 to $6.75; light mixed, $5 to $6.65; choice light, $6.3 5to $6.55; packing, $6.25 to $6.70; pigs, $4 to $6.15; bulk of sales, $6.25 to $6.65.
Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 15,000; market was steady; sheep, $4 to $5; lambs, $6.25 to $7.80; yearlings, $6.25 to $6.75.

Miners Not Protected.

Toronto, Dec. 23.—The recent double fatality at the Beaver Consolidated Mining Co.'s shaft, Cobalt, is to be the subject of a presentation by the Ontario Government. Owing, it is alleged, to the illegal method in use of lowering and hoisting men in a bucket two men were killed. They were Andy Ospiren and John Aha.

A charge has been laid against the mining company before Magistrate Atkinson, Haileybury, of an infringement of the mining law for failure to have a ladder in the shaft as required by the statute. There is a heavy per diem fine presented for the offence.

Company to Blame.

North Bay, Dec. 23.—An inquest begun yesterday before Coroner McMurchy into the accident at the mine of the Temagami Gold Reef Co. The jury brought in a verdict attributing the accident to negligence of the company in using inferior powder and employing inexperienced miners. Mine Inspector Corkill was present at the inquest.

Another Model Steel Town.

New York, Dec. 23.—A Milwaukee despatch says that a $10,000,000 town, on the order of the United States Steel Corporation's model city at Gary, Ind., is planned at the head of Lake Superior.

Wants Fifth Term.

Windsor, Dec. 23.—Mayor E. S. Wigle has decided to again go before the electors for re-election.

President Eliot on Unions.

Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 23.—President Charles W. Eliot for the second time in the 40 years which he has been head of Harvard yesterday delivered a regular lecture in a class room. He took the place of Prof. Taussig before the class in economics. His topic was "the strife between employers and trade unions."

Two of the greatest evils brought about by the unions, said President Eliot, were the limitation of output and the limitation of apprentices.

Crowds at LeBrun's
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Sensible Gifts

At this season of the year the City Clothing Store shows many special lines of Sensible Holiday Gifts for men and boys, such as

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THE KING'S TACT.

Story Which Gives Some Idea of Why England's Ruler Is Loved.

It is well known that by his tact and sunny disposition King Edward has endeared himself not only to his own subjects in England, but to the people of many other lands. One of the attendants of a foreign court describes a recent visit of the British monarch and the impression he made. The teller of the story is an old lady who has lived at the court since her youth.

"The King come. He smiled, he beamed, he was like the sun. He made us all feel that we were beautiful and wonderful, and yet there was no flattery. We all fell in love with him from the moment he kissed our Queen's hand.

"He not only said nice things, but he did nice things. He thought of everybody and we never felt that his charming speeches and attentions come from the idea, 'It is the tactful thing to do.' No, it all came from his heart.

"One evening there was a great function at the palace. We had been standing for nearly two hours. Our own Queen is most kind and considerate in these matters, but the visit of the English King was such an honor, such a success, that it made her quite forgetful. She forgot to sit down herself or to give the order to us poor ladies in attendance. I am getting old, and King Edward saw my distress. He was walking about, talking to everybody. Suddenly he stopped in front of me and said:

"'Duchess, you must sit down. I see you are worn out by standing so long. Sit down, if only for a few moments. I will stand in front of you so that no one shall see.'

"The dear, kind man was as good as his word. By and by he went up to our Queen. What he said I don't know, but she sat down and gave the signal with her fan, which means that we ladies can also sit.

"I say that a man, whether he is king or a peasant, who thinks of the little things can take care of the big things, too."

TRAVELING RISKS IN INDIA.

Problem of Protecting English From Native Thugs Is a Serious One.

The many instances of assaults and robberies to which passengers on Indian railways have been subjected, culminating in the murder of a lady in a first-class carriage some weeks since, are engaging the attention of a special conference of railway authorities sitting in Simla. They hope to devise methods for the better protection of life and property. The difficulties in the way of any practical action are considerable. The conditions of travel in India are such that passengers demand and receive greater privileges in the apportionment of space and the supply of conveniences than can be afforded in western countries. Such luxuries, however conducive to comfort, indubitably give opportunity to robbers. Where they can be sure of finding compartments occupied only by single travelers their nefarious plans as much assisted. When, as frequently occurs on a long journey, a portion of the route lies in the territories of independent native states, the escape of criminals with their plunder is also facilitated. It is possible that some sacrifices will have to be made by travelers in the interests of the public safety.

Lloyd-George Anecdote.

Mr. Lloyd-George, when paying his first visit to Carnarvon Castle since his appointment to the Constableship, had to satisfy the somewhat incredulous caretaker as to his identity. Mrs. Lloyd-George and he arrived there with a small party, and the new Constable himself knocked at the massive door which guards the main entrance.

The caretaker took them for a party of sightseers, and demanded from Mr. Lloyd-George the usual fee of 4d. for admission, which would have been promptly paid had not some of Mr. Lloyd-George's friends informed her [illegible] was issuing the Chief Constable to pay for entering his own stronghold. After scanning him carefully the good lady satisfied herself that, though he had changed since she had last seen him at close quarters, he was indeed Mr. Lloyd-George.

The incident greatly amused the Constable, who, after cordially shaking the caretaker by the hand, made a brief tour of inspection.

A Fish In Mosaic.

Amongst the fishes of Sarawak, in Northern Borneo, interest has of late centered round an undiscovered Lung-fish, which is always expected to be met with in accordance with the prophecy, of an eminent ichthyologist. The prophecy is based on the fact of a remarkable coincidence of distribution of the Lung-fishes and a group of fish known as the osteoglossidae. The two groups are found together in tropical Africa, tropical America, and tropical Australia, whilst in Borneo and Sumatra only the osteoglossum [illegible] silu, is a fine fresh-water fish covered with large scales composed of pieces like mosaic. It was taken on the Rejang by His Highness the Rajah Muda. It is not improbable that the Bornean lung-fish will yet appear, a likely locality being the Rejang delta particularly in lake districts.

A clerk in a Liverpool office was sitting at his desk during a recent thunderstorm, when what he describes as a ball of flame struck the pen in his hand, producing a startling report. Curiously enough, the pen was not damaged, nor did the clerk himself suffer any injury.

General's Ill Fortune.

When Major-General Irving Grantham was summoned at the City of London Court recently for non-payment of a tailor's bill it was stated that he had commuted his pension and lost the money, and that his wife earned the money that kept the [illegible]

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A PRIEST FOR FIFTY YEARS

Rev. Father J. Archambault of Montreal Ordained Half a Century Ago.

Examiner Special

Montreal, Dec. 24— On Christmas Day the Rev Father J Archambault, one of the oldest priests in the archdiocese of Montreal, will celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood and also his fifty-second anniversary as a member of the third order of St Francis. The Rev. Father is in his seventy-fifth year and is still active. For the past ten years he has been attached to the Asile St. Cunegonde, corner of Atwater avenue and Albert street, as assistant chaplain and for the past four years he has officiated at the children's mass at St. Anne church on Sundays. He was born at St. Lin, Que., on January 8, 1833 and was ordained to the priesthood by Cardinal Morlet at Paris. He was for many years a member of the Sulpician Order.

For six years he laboured in the United States, first in the Diocese of Duluth and afterwards as first pastor of St. Francis Xavier, of Lambert, Minn. In spite of his advanced age, Father Archambault is a very hard worker. He rises each morning at 4 o'clock and says his mass at five. He is a great temperance worker, very abstemious in his habits and devotes a large portion of his time to the work of caring for the poor and infirm. He is the oldest member of the third order of St. Francis, not only in Montreal but it is understood also in Canada. The golden jubilee celebration will be held in the Chapel of the Asile St. Cunegonde where a large number of his fellow priests and also his friends will be present and many will participate.

LOW RATES FOR NEW YEAR'S

Via Grand Trunk Railway System, between all stations in Canada, also to Detroit and Port Huron, Mich.; Buffalo, Black Rock, Niagara Falls and Suspension Bridge, N.Y. At single fare, good going Dec. 31, 1908, and Jan. 1st, 1909; return limit, Jan. 4, 1909. At fare and one-third, good going Dec. 28, 1908, to Jan. 1st, 1909, return limit, Jan. 6, 1909. Full information from any Grand Trunk ticket agent.

CHRISTMAS DAY RACES AT WINNIPEG TO-MORROW

Considerable Interest Displayed in the Events.

Examiner Special.

Winnipeg, Man. Dec. 24th—Winnipeg is to have Christmas Day races. Arrangements have been made by the Winnipeg Ice Racing Association for a Christmas day meet. There has been considerable interest displayed in the event and it is likely that a big crowd will be attracted tomorrow. The races are to be open and the secretary has received a large number of entres. The track is in the best of shape and some fast races are anticipated.

OLD COUNTRY CHRISTMAS FEATURE

Genuine English Carol Singers in Hamilton This Evening.

Examiner Special

Hamilton, Dec. 24th—This evening Hamilton is to have the unique privilege of listening to genuine English carol singers. This feature of the old country Christmas season is altogether new in Canada and it is likely that the band that will carol forth the Christmas songs of the old land will be the first ever heard in a Canadian city. It is due to the enterprise of Miss Jeannette Lewis, who is prominent in local musical circles, that Hamiltonians are to have this privilege. She organized a band of sixty singers and for several weeks past has been busy rehearsing them. The undertaking is of a charitable nature, being intended to raise funds for the Children's Hospital.

This evening the singers will divide into six street choirs. They will start out at seven o'clock and will parade the main streets of the city singing carols. In the wee sma' hours they will take in the residential section of the city. Each choir is to be followed by a small boy bearing a contribution box labelled "Friend of the Children's Hospital" and all the money collected will go to that fund.

TWO MORE ELDERS FOR KNOX CHURCH

Will be Elected by Ballot at the Services Next Sunday.

The congregation of Knox church will select by ballot two new elders at the services next Sunday. This has been found necessary to meet the growing demands of the congregation. At present there are six elders as follows: Messrs. J F Morrison, Jonathan Smyth, Richard Chiles, R Clifford, J W Bennett and W T Carruthers. The ballots for the two additional will be handed in at the services next Sunday.

THE EXAMINER WISHES ALL ITS READERS A RIGHT MERRY CHRISTMAS

ANOTHER BRANCH OF ASTRONOMICAL SOCIETY

Hamilton Society Received into the Fold of the Royal

A meeting of the General Council of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada was held in Toronto on Tuesday night, when the application of the Hamilton Astronomical Society for membership was granted. Hamilton thus becomes a centre of the Royal Astronomical Society. The application was presented by Rev. Dr. Marsh, who was successful in having the request granted.

TRAGIC STORY OF MURDER AND SUICIDE TOLD IN BRIEF LETTER

Too Poor to Marry So They Died Together—Man Kills Girl and Then Himself.

REMARKABLE FEATURES

London, Dec. 24.—Special.—Herbert C. Roberts, aged 32, and Elsie Hitchcock, hospital nurse, 23, arrived at Brighton last week. On Thursday they were found lying dead in their room at the Curzon Hotel. The woman was shot through the heart and head, the man through the head. Around about the woman's head white and red flowers were arranged in the shape of a corpse. On a black bordered card displayed on the mantelpiece, so it would catch the eye of anyone entering the room, were written the words:

"To the memory of the best and bravest woman who ever was born. The only way."

Various arrangements in the room indicated that the couple had decided to die together, and that the woman assisted the man in making preparations for death.

The most remarkable features of their story are detailed in the series of documents read at the inquest. A letter from Roberts to Elsie Hitchcock's sister is as follows:

"I met your dear sister Elsie some three months ago, and love her as no man ever could or has. Having left my firm of business after many years, and being unable to obtain other employment such as would make a home for me and my dear one, and being unable to part, we have decided to die together. She, poor child, makes the most terrible and awful sacrifice any woman could make in coming with me. She comes because she knows I want her—because she feels that she cannot live without me—and to try to come for me in coming."

Miss Hitchcock has also written a note as follows: "What we are going to do has been mutually agreed upon. It is my own wish that my dear husband take me with him. May God forgive us both."

Another document was a letter addressed to the coroner's jury, saying: "Sorry to take up your time; but to help you in making up your minds. The verdict is the wilful murder of Miss Elsie Hitchcock, with her consent and wish, and then the deliberate suicide of H. C. Roberts."

JES' 'FORE CHRISTMAS

Father calls me William, Sister calls me Will,
Mother calls me Willie — but the fellers call me Bill!
Mighty glad I ain't a girl — ruther be a boy
Without them sashes, curls an' things that's worn by Fauntleroy!
Love to chawnk green apples an' go swimmin' in the Lake—
Hate to take the castor ile they give fer belly-ache!
Most all the time the hull year roun' there ain't no flies on me,
But jes' 'fore Christmas I'm as good as I kin be!

Got a yaller dog named Sport—sic 'im on the cat!
Fust thing she knows she doesn't know where she is at!
Got a clipper-sled, an' when us boys go out to slide
'Long comes the grocery cart an' we all hook a ride!
But sometimes, when the grocery man is worrited and cross,
He reaches at me with his whip, and larrups up his hoss!
And then I laff and holler: "Oh, you never teched me!"
But jes' 'fore Christmas I'm as good as I kin be!

Gran'ma says she hopes when I get to be a man,
I'll be a missionerer like her oldest brother Dan,
Ez wuz et up by the cannibuls that lives in Ceylon's Isle,
Where every prospeck pleases an' only man is vile!
But gran'ma she had never been to see a Wild West show,
Or read the life uv Daniel Boone, or else I guess she'd know
That Buffalo Bill an' cowboys is good enough fer me—
Excep' jes' 'fore Christmas, when I'm good as I kin be!

Then ol' Sport he hangs around, so solium like an' still—
His eyes they seem a-sayin': "What's er matter, little Bill?"
The cat she sneaks down off her perch, a-wonderin' what's become
Uv them two enemies uv hern that used to make things hum!
But I am so perlite and slick, so earnestlike to bis,
That mother rez to father: "How improved our Willie is!"
But father, havin' been a boy hisself, suspicions me,
When jes' 'fore Christmas I'm good as I kin be!

For Christmas with its lots and lots uv candies, cakes an' toys,
Wuz made, they say, fer proper kids, and not fer naughty boys!
So wash yer face, and brush yer hair, and mind yer p's and q's,
And don't bust out yer pantaloons, an' don't wear out yer shoes;
Say 'yessum to the ladies, an' 'yess ir to the men,
An' when they's company don't pass yer plate fer pie again;
But, thinkin' of the things you'd like to see upon that tree,
Jes' 'fore Christmas be as good as you kin be—EUGENE FIELD.

A COBALT MINER HOME FOR CHRISTMAS TELLS OF TRIPLE TRAGEDY IN COLUMBUS MINE

Party Were Descending When Something Went Wrong With Cable—Fell to the Bottom and Were Killed.

MEN HAD BEEN BLASTING

Mr. Harry Lockington, son of Mr. Wm. Lockington, Auburn, is home from Cobalt where he has been operating a mine. He tells of a triple tragedy which occurred there yesterday morning resulting in the loss of three lives in the Columbus Mine. The dead are, William Hamilton, Ottawa; Fred Nelly, of West Temple, P.Q., and Edward Nation, of St. Pierce. The accident seems to have been caused by the cable slipping from its wheel as the men were descending the shaft in the bucket.

The three men had been carrying out blasting operations, and at midnight came on deck for dinner, but forgot to turn on the air. Hamilton went down again, and attended to this, and then returned to the top. About 2 o'clock this morning the three were sent down again in the bucket, and up till the time of an investigation the rest is a matter of surmise. It is supposed, however, that when they were about seventy-five feet down the cable slipped off the wheel. The engineer stopped immediately and steps were at once taken to see how matters stood. Mr. Shovell, the captain, was hastily called and descended by the rope ladder. At the depth of seventy-five feet he came across the bucket, which was empty, and rang for it to be raised. More men having arrived the party proceeded to the bottom, a depth of 240 feet. Hamilton was not dead when found, but the other two men had breathed their last. Five minutes afterwards Hamilton expired.

FIRST TRAIN OVER THE BATTLE RIVER BRIDGE

The Rubicon of the G. T. P. Has Been Crossed.

Winnipeg, Dec. 24 — The rubicon of the Grand Trunk Pacific was crossed last week when the first engine rolled over the immense Battle River Bridge, which has been in course of construction during the entire season. The bridge is nearly three thousand feet long, and is very high, so that the construction has been slow, on account of high winds interfering with the handling of aerial steel work. On the west side of the bridge the grading has been practically completed to Edmonton for a long time. Steel is now being laid towards that city, and the work will be prosecuted as fast as the weather will permit. There are still nearly 125 miles of track to be laid before Edmonton is reached, and the shortest railway line from Winnipeg to the Alberta capital will be complete.

Keep Warm This Winter
Now that the cold days are here you should provide yourself with a Chamois Vest.
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VERY FAIR HOLIDAY TRADE

According to Reports From All Over the Dominion—Authentic News Collected.

Examiner Special

Montreal, Dec. 24.—There has been a fair holiday trade done here during the week though it has scarcely been up to the expectations of retailers. As usual a large amount of shopping was left to the last few hours and the result has been that returns have proved to be better than were expected at the early part of the week. The stores have been very busy and the amount of trading that has been done has been up to the normal though it cannot be said that there has been any exceptional amount of business transacted. This, however, is only the experience of other cities, and Montreal is not suffering more severely than are the cities of the west. It may be that expectations have been keyed too high and that it was to be hoped that the Christmas trade would be equal to that of the years of the greatest prosperity. But this was scarcely to be anticipated, for although the year has been one of better monetary conditions, at any rate towards the latter end, there is yet much to be recovered, and much ground to be regained, before the benefit of the recent harvest will be felt. Dealers and merchants are, however, in accord in saying that there is a better feeling and a stronger tone to business, and it is an undoubted fact that there is more money in circulation than there has been for some time past. One reason for this may be that during the last few months the trade of the Dominion has been almost entirely confined to the home markets. There has been little or no expansion of trade and the merchants of Canada have contented themselves with finding a market for their goods within the borders of their own country. Reports from all parts of the Dominion now show that there is every probability of the next few months proving to be more fruitful to business men. Leading industries are beginning to show that they are making gradual progress. There are at present no labour troubles, and there is certainly a more restful feeling existing between the two unnatural antagonists—employers and employees.

All Barber Shops will be closed Friday, H. GAINEY, Secy, Union 2d—121

WEDDING BELLS

DAVIS—SHORTT

Yesterday morning at St. Andew's Manse Rev J. G. Potter officiated at a quiet wedding, in which the principals were Miss Annie Shortt, Otonabee, and Mr. Charles Elmore Davis, of Peterborough. The bride was attended by Miss Vina Shearer. Mr. and Mrs. Davis will reside in Otonabee.

JUST RECEIVED
A large consignment of Ebony Hair Brushes, Bonnet Brushes, Mirrors, etc., direct from the manufacturer. This enables us to sell these goods at greatly reduced prices. Come—price them and be convinced.
We have a large assortment of Xmas goods, too numerous to mention.
The following is a small list of suitable Xmas gifts:—
Gillet's Safety Razors.
Cameras and Kodaks from $1.00 to $35.00.
Brush and Comb Cases.
Shaving Outfits.
Manicure Outfits.
Perfume in Cut Glass Bottles.
Atomizers.
Ebony Mirrors.
Ebony Cloth Brushes.
Military Brushes.
Smokers Sets.
Hot Water Bottles.
Chamois Vests.
McDERMID & JURY
THE SAFE, SATISFACTORY DRUGGISTS
The Corner Where the Street Car Turns
COR. GEORGE AND CHARLOTTE STS.

MORE GIFTS ARE WANTED FOR CHILDREN

May be Sent to the Children's Aid Society Shelter for Little Ones.

The appeal made in yesterday's papers for something to make a little brighter the Christmas of the eight children in the Children's Aid Society's Shelter, has brought forth satisfactory results and the good people of Peterborough have responded to the call, as they generally do. However, there is still room for some more gifts, and it is not too late for them to be sent to the Shelter. Remember anything that will please your own children will please these unfortunate little ones, who are anxiously waiting for Santa Claus' coming to-morrow night. They need not be new; old picture books and old toys will answer the purpose equally as well as new ones and you will not miss them.

Band will be at Brock Street Rink on Christmas Afternoon. 2d—121

A FEW MORE TRINKETS are:
Fobs from 50c to $25.00
Necklets from $1.25 to $50.00
Stick Pins from 25c to $200.00
Cuff Links from 25c to $7.50
Beauty Pins from 25c to $3.50
Lockets from 50c to $15.00

We are making a leader of a
$4.25 Cut Glass Bowl
Until Christmas this will be only
$2.98
A Cut Glass Napple
for $1.50, the regular price of which is
$2.25
MILBURN
The Jeweller
Phone 614 349 George St.

WANTED.

WANTED—A YOUNG MAN TO ASSIST in stock room and capable to hold copy for proof reader. 3d 123

WANTED — ADVERTISING SOLICITOR for city work. State salary, Ottawa Free Press 1d 123 4720

WANTED — TO RENT, A COMFORTably furnished house for the winter. W. R. Morris, Hotel National. 3d dh 121

WANTED — WORK OF ANY KIND, sawing wood, taking out ashes or any odd job by respectable man. Apply at this office. dh 3d

WANTED — ORGANIZER IN PETERborough for first-class social and beneficial order; good remuneration. Address R. E. A. Land. National Club, Toronto. 30d 112 4682

HOUSES AND ROOMS TO LET

TO RENT — SUITE OF ROOMS OVER J. C. Turnbull & Company's store, Simcoe Street; the rooms have all modern conveniences. Rent $10.00 per month; immediate possession. Apply 487 George street. tf

TO RENT—OFFICE No. 12 IN BANK OF Commerce Building; heated, possession immediately. Apply at 487 George Street.

HOUSES TO RENT — MODERN, EASY Warmed, bath, water, light; rent low. Apply 376 Water street. Phones; House 847 L. Office 498 L. dtf

TO RENT — HOUSE No. 343 RUBIDGE street; hot water heating and all modern conveniences; immediate possession. Apply 487 George street. d-tf

HOUSES TO RENT

Houses to Let at reasonable rent. Apply for particulars at **W. H. BRADBURN'S OFFICE** over Dominion Bank, corner George and Simcoe Streets. dtf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE — WELL ESTABLISHED Boarding House in excellent position Peterborough; good connection. 10 rooms, small garden, stabling and shed. Proprietor must leave, having another business. Price of furniture only; a snap! Office of Examiner. 6d 117 4673

FOR SALE — TEN SHARES FULLY paid up stock in the Peterborough Sandstone Brick Co., worth $50.00 per share; 25 per cent. will be given if sold at once. Apply Examiner office. 1m 115 4637

FOR SALE — 320 ACRES RAW WHEAT Land. Moose Jaw, Sask., district, twelve hundred dollars cash. Owner: R. J. Healy, 134 Shuter street, Toronto. 1m-99-4444

ALL KINDS OF ADVERTISING NOVelties, Pocket Mirrors, Tape-Measures Stand Mirrors, Paper Weights, Match Holders, etc. Samples at the Examiner office.

FOR SALE—ALL KINDS OF RUBBER Stamps. Apply at Examiner office.

WE ARE SOLE AGENTS FOR PETERborough and the territory between Toronto and Kingston for the Parisian Novelty Co., and have samples of all kinds of advertising novelties on hand. Call and see them at the Examiner office.

FOR SALE

Nice Frame House corner lot, nicely painted and papered, city water, size of lot 40 x 80, for $1,000. This property is a snap—party leaving city.

Beautiful Brick House double parlors, winter kitchen, summer kitchen and wood shed, 4 bed rooms, bath room, complete electric light fixtures, furnace, cement cellar floor and cement walks to front and side entrance. This can be bought for $3200.

Snaps in Houses and Lots in all parts of the city. Send in your list of houses to rent or sell, we can handle them. Head Office of Northern Life Assurance Co; Ocean Accident and Guarantee Co; Peterborough Sandstone Brick Co., Ontario Coal Co.

R. A. ELLIOTT & CO.
Real Estate Agent

FOR RENT

Double House corner of Harvey and London Sts—all conveniences—good Furnace—Rent Low. apply

H. C. STABLER & CO.
350 WATER STREET
Houses and Lots for sale on easy terms.

FOR SALE

HOUSES
In variety, size, location and price.
LOTS
high and low in price.
FARMS
Several near the city.
INSURANCE
Good and Honourable Companies.
W. MIGHT, 326 George Street Both Phones

A SNAP FOR SOMEONE

The owner of 210 Reid St; who is now living in the West must have his money out of his property at once. New house with bath, furnace, and electric light. Strictly up to date. Make use of this offer.

If you have some property that does not suit you, we will exchange it for something that will. Make it a point to see us, before doing anything in real estate.

A. Brown & Co.
396 Water St.
Phones: Office 126., House 474L
Office open Saturday evening only.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED AT ONCE — AN EXPERienced woman to do house work; must be able to cook. Apply at this office. 3d 123 4725

WANTED AT ONCE — GOOD GIRL TO do general housework, no washing. References required; highest wages paid. Apply at the Examiner Office for address. 3eod 115 4635

WANTED — A COMPETENT NURSE Maid. Apply Mrs. W. R. Morris, Hotel National. 3d dh 121

WANTED — TWO GOOD GIRLS, APply White House. 3d 121 4705

UPSTAIR GIRL WANTED AT ONCE — Apply to Geo. Lipsett, Maple Leaf Hotel, East City. 3d 115 4634

DINING ROOM GIRL WANTED AT once. Apply to Geo. Lipsett, Maple Leaf Hotel, East City. 3d 115 4632

SITUATIONS WANTED.

SITUATION WANTED BY CAPABLE and respectable woman at housework where she can go home in the evening. Apply at this office. d dh

STRAYED.

STRAYED OR STOLEN — BULL TERrier Pup about six months old, white with gray spots; reward for information resulting in finding. Apply Examiner office. 3d 120

LOST.

LOST — AT NOON, ON MONDAY, A Purse containing about $40.00 in bills, and an unsigned cheque. Finder will receive reward by leaving at Examiner office. 1d 122 4716

EBONY CLOTHES BRUSH LOST ON Tuesday, Dec. 23rd, between Peterborough Bookstore and Richard Hall & Son. Finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving at Examiner office. dh

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We are offering splendid opportunity to buy and own a house and home. We have property at remarkably reasonable prices and in the very best parts of the city—well built and up-to-date houses.

The Key to Success

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Are You Looking for Real Estate?

If so, consult us. We handle all classes of property such as Dwellings, building lots, business places, Commercial Sites, Factory and Mill Property, Market Gardens and Farms. As this is the holiday season we invite attention to some of the real bargains we have to offer.

J. T. O'CONNELL & CO.
136 Hunter St. Phone 376

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$1,300 Six roomed Brick—south—central.
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If you are looking for Houses and Rooms at lowest rents, Office 370 Water Street. Phones 498L and 54FL. see us before buying

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LEGGINGS for every member of the family. Always acceptable and highly appreciated.

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384 George Street
Both Phones

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Taxidermist

BIRDS, Animals, Fish and Snakes stuffed and mounted in the best lifelike style, at the lowest prices.
DEERS' HEADS A SPECIALTY. A stock of foreign and native birds always on hand for sale. Dealer in Eyes Artificial Leaves and Frosting; also Importer of Foreign Birds and Skins from all countries. Best Nature Study Books.
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CHILDREN FOR ADOPTION

GEO. COCHRANE
Assist and Asst. Sec.
BELL PHONE 29. 398 George st

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The Daily Examiner, published every lawful evening, by The Peterborough Examiner, Limited, Office, 419 George street.
The Weekly Examiner, published every Thursday morning.
The subscription price of The Daily Examiner is $4.00 per annum; that of The Weekly, $1.50.
R. M. GLOVER, Managing Director.
Advertising rates on application.

UNION LABEL

Thursday, December 24, 1908

NATIONAL VALUE OF THE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT.

Macbeth complained that the time was "that when the brains were out a man would die, and there an end." This suggests, especially at this season, that when our enmities are fought out, the enmity or the strife of the moment should die, "and there an end." This is necessarily a world of strife of a certain kind. All men have their legitimate ambitions, and and all have a right to strive for their attainment. The struggle implies hostility, not as to persons and individualities, but as to representatives of the cause championed, or the object of the strife.

If all our differences were to be used as foundations for eternal personal enmities, the world, and life in the world, would be impossible. But, fortunately, as the rule is, common sense and common wisdom, come to the rescue. If success or failure is accepted in the right spirit, friendly personal relations and, even, personal friendships, sundered for the moment, resume their place. Even athletes in their contests, shake hands in token of friendly rivalry before they begin a bout; and, no matter how fierce the struggle, the enmity—the professional enmity—ends with the event. In our courts of law we see lawyers on opposing sides fight with a bitterness that seems to argue undying hostility; but, the case over we find them in the barristers' room, hob-a-nobbing like brothers, and, perhaps, smoking the pipe of peace together. They were representatives of causes involving antagonistic interests, and they as lawyers as strongly felt it their duty to fight their best as they strongly felt it their duty a professional communists and members of society to resume their friendly relations. In both the United States and Canada, at election times we of the opposing parties comport ourselves as sworn enemies. We do our best, or our worst, to win, and after the battle, winners and losers lay aside their partizan weapons and again take our places alongside each other in the ranks of a common citizenship and fight shoulder to shoulder for the advancement of the common interests of our common country. There are exceptions to the adoption of this attitude, in all the arenas of human rivalry—men who are the pet reproach of the true "sport," base losers—who mistake spite for spirit, who cherish chagrin and forget that in any contentious cause, both sides cannot win, and that it is possible to show as great magnanimity in defeat as modest triumph in success.

In all the walks of life, in all the realms of human activity, in professional life, in business rivalry, in national, provincial and municipal politic, divergency of opinion and opposing interests enlist their champions and beget perpetual struggle. This does not, happily, necessarily involve personal antagonisms, nor contraindicate, nor prevent co-operation in the discharge of those common duties of citizenship, in which enter no divided interest and no divergence of opinion, except, possibly as to the better way to do what all desire to have done.

If any residue of personal antipathetic feeling survives the daily struggles incident to modern political, industrial or economic condition of society, the Christmas-tide—when the spirit of peace on earth and good will towards men should reign, unrivalled—is the time of all times, to lay aside the petty enmities that the petty rivalries of life engender. Thereby only, can we as men claim our place in the Christmas-created human brotherhood, and in a material sense, worthily claim a place in the harmonious citizenship, which is the highest condition of the highest as well as most substantial national progress. The Christmas spirit, integral and essential in the fibre of our national ambitions and activities, is the indispensable element in the advance to true national greatness.

(Ian with "National Value, etc.)

The Christmas-tide is the most fitting season to bury the hatchet of human enmity.

APPOINTMENT OF MUNICIPAL AUDITORS.

A correspondent calls attention to an evil in connection with the appointment of auditors in rural municipalities. The general practice, this correspondent says, is to appoint two local men, ratepayers of the municipality, and very frequently these are wholly without qualification for the work. What our correspondent urges is that none but chartered accountants be employed in this service.

That many of those selected for the purpose of auditing municipal accounts are incompetent will be generally admitted. It would seem, however, to be going rather too far to suggest that appointments in future be limited to the extent suggested. This would mean the creation of another trust or guild and would involve in many cases a payment for service rendered quite out of proportion to the value of service performed. There are few communities in which two local men sufficiently expert in accounts to do the work in a satisfactory manner, and at reasonable cost, cannot be found. What seems to be required is that the duty involved in selecting auditors shall be taken more seriously and that in all cases men are appointed who not only have the necessary knowledge, but are possessed as well by a sufficient sense of the responsibility attaching to the office they are appointed to fill.—Weekly Sun.

WHAT CHRISTMAS MEANS.

The Examiner of to-day comes to its readers on the eve of the supreme Christian festival, which will to-morrow be celebrated in every land where the "glad tidings" have been taken. In the matter of the observance of Christmas, the manner, but not the rejoicing spirit, changes. In olden days it was a

"Very merry, dancing, drinking,
Laughing, quaffing and unthinking,"

time, almost wholly given over to

"Sport that wrinkled care derides,
And laughter holding both its sides."

In our days, while the festal features of the occasion still adhere, we enter, we hope, more earnestly into its deeper meaning on the divine side and into the spirit of good will effecting human relations. Christmas is a time for retrospection and introspection, for remembering and forgetting—being mindful of the claims of our fellow men and forgetful of their faults. In our observance of the day there is space for rejoicing and merriment, but no place for malice nor uncharitableness. The readjustment of the discordant relations between the Divine and the human, involved in the redemption which had its visible beginning in the holy and homely idyl of the Bethlehem manger, is only one side. The readjustment of the relations between the children of men was, from the earthly point of view, vastly more revolutionary. The old stern law, the Hebraic lex talionis, gave way to the gentle law of love. Through the kinship with the Elder Brother all men became brethren. Thenceforth, no man could live to himself. Child hood exalted, womanhood ennobled, and manhood magnified, took on the potentialities of the divine life lived by the Lord of the Christmas. Christ has coined the word charity, and it became the divine currency of Christianity. Before Christ came, the world never had an hospital, for man never before generally recognized his true relationship to his fellow. If we would keep our Christmas worthily we must meet the claims it has established—claims to our practice of its blessed burden, peace and good will. While we may rejoice and be glad, because it is meet and right so to do, we cannot rejoice and be glad alone. We are our brother's keeper. If no thought of others, less happy than we in their estate, enters into our Christmas rejoicing, we have no true share in the divine Unselfishness which became incarnate nearly two thousand years ago. We must love our fellow men with the hand as well as the heart, we must love him in deed, and in the right spirit. We must hold him in regard and memory because he is a brother whom the Elder Brother loves; not because he is wealthy or great, or of high estate and able to give gifts—just because he is our brother man. Christmas kept in this spirit will be the true festival. Then we shall see no hunger within our ken, unfed, no want, within means or opportunity, unfilled. The man who shuts up his sympathy and kindness within himself and his, is no Christian, for the Christ, is sick, and in prison, and he visits him not, hungry, and he feeds him not, naked, and he clothes him not. Remember, how the Babe of Bethlehem went about doing good, cheering the sorrowful, healing the sick, feeding the hungry. Go thou, and do likewise, and then we, and all we help, will have in the highest, holiest sense, what The Examiner wishes to its readers, and all the world, a

MERRY CHRISTMAS.

Heap on the wood, the wind is chill,
But let it whistle as it will,
We'll keep our Christmas merry still.
—Scott.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

"The mute acquiescence of the governed," as Lord Curzon describes the attitude of Eastern Asiatic races, has been of late perceptibly disturbed. A British writer calls attention to the fact that the most striking feature in contemporary history is the demand now being made by many Oriental people to be admitted to the guild of self-governing nations. Russia, Turkey, Persia, India, Egypt and China show signs of adopting members of Parliament and Parliaments on the models of the original, the British.

According to the report of the Department of the Interior, the native Indian population of Canada is 110,295, a decrease from the figures of last year of 140. The deaths were greater than the births by forty, the emigrations to the United States accounting for 100 of the decrease. The chief cause of death is consumption, and this disease is largely due to so many of the Indians adopting civilized residences instead of the previous open air life. While the past year indicates a decrease of the Indian population there has been an increase—the total numbers on the whole at the time of discovery of this continent amounted to only 20,000.

COBALT GENIUS EVOLVES UNIQUE BILL OF FARE

A very enjoyable repast, says the Silver City News, is suggested by a number of the stockholders of Haileybury. It could suitably be served at the "Ferland-Chambers," across the Right of Way, City of Cobalt, at which ample justice might be done to the following menu:

COCKTAILS
Manhattan Cobalt

OYSTERS
Little Nip on the half-shell
Big Nipissing Stew

SOUP — FISH
Beavernaise — Scotia Suckers

ROASTS
Buffalo, with Rochester sauce

ENTREES
Elkhart, with Niccolette Dressing
Amalgamated Croquettes
Temiskaming Fricassee

VEGETABLES
Maycorn (very nice)

DESSERT
Hudson Bay Pudding with Silver Queen Sauce
Maple (Mountain) Syrup

REFRESHMENTS OVER SILVER BAR

MINERAL WATERS
Kerr Lake Frappe — Cobalt Lake
Peterson Lake — Foster Phiz
Temiskaming Claret

CIGARS
Otlasse Panatella — Gifford Specials

The dinner would be served by Messrs. Osler, Wallace and Eastwood, of Toronto.

The tables could be looked after by "Maidens," under the supervision of "Nancy Helen," and beautifully decorated with Silver Leaf and La Rose.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONCERT IN OTONABEE

Large Number Attend Annual Event in Connection With Cold Springs School

The annual concert and Christmas tree, in connection with Coldsprings Union Sunday School of Otonabee, was held last night, and it proved a success in every way. The hall was well filled, the programme was an excellent one and the unloading of the Christmas tree at the conclusion delighted the hearts of the children and the grown folk as well. Decorations suitable to the season made the interior of the building much brighter. Miss Bennett, superintendent of the Sunday School, occupied the chair and presented the following programme:

Opening chorus—Merry Christmas Bells—by the children.
Welcome, Welcome Everybody—Ten little girls.
Recitation—Mary Tully.
Exercise—God With Us—Five little girls and four boys.
Dialogue—"Taking the Census."
Action song—While the Christmas Stars Are Shining—the children.
Solo—Miss Oxboro.
Christmas carol—By young ladies.
Dialogue—"Mrs. Spooper's Surprise Party."
Wisdom Treasures — Six young ladies.
Selection—The Tall Top Hat—By the young men.
Dialogue—"Miss Dexter's Personal."
Chorus—Kriss Kringle — By children.
God Save the King.

We wish all our customers and friends A Merry Xmas and Many Prosperous New Years.
Signed J. J. Turner & Sons

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TELEPHONE 57K

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BEECHAM'S PILLS

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Building Lots For Sale

THE PETERBORO SUGAR CO. PROPERTY has been cut up into lots, which are now offered for sale: lots 50-ft. frontage by 120-ft. in depth.

These lots are most desirable for building purposes, and any person contemplating the purchase of a lot for this purpose will do well to look over this property before purchasing elsewhere.

Full particulars and all information can be had on application to

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FOR AGENT'S NAME SEE FUTURE ADVERTISEMENTS, &c

Danger Dogs Some People

more than others, and they seem to be more subject to accident. But none are exempt from daily danger, it is the wisest plan to have one's life insured in a good reliable company. We shall be pleased to talk Life Insurance with you if you are not already insured. The cost is but trifling when the protection afforded is considered. When insuring your life one of the most important features is to select a Progressive and Reliable Company, The Sun Life Insurance Company, of Canada, is the most prosperous and progressive company doing business in Canada to-day. We will act liberally with you.

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MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Close Lower, Chicago Higher—Live Stock —Latest Quotations.

Wednesday Evening, Dec. 23.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day ½d to ¾d lower than yesterday, and corn remained unchanged.

At Chicago, December wheat closed 1⅝c higher than yesterday, December corn closed ½c higher, and December oats closed 1c higher.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—January 97⅝c bid, December 98¾c bid, May $1.02.

Oats—December 39⅝c bid, May 41½c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	0 93	to $....
Wheat, red, bush	0 93	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 89	....
Rye, bushel	0 62	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 55	....
Peas, bushel	0 80	....
Barley, bushel	0 50	....
Oats, bushel	0 42	....

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 26
Butter, store lots	0 23	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 28	0 30
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 40	....
Eggs, cold storage	0 25	....
Cheese, large, lb	0 13½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11
Honey, combs, dozen	2 25	2 75

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 23.—Closing—Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 10½d. Futures steady; Dec. 7s 10½d, March 7s 6¼d, May 7s 5½d.

Corn—Spot steady; new American mixed (via Galveston), 5s 4½d. Futures quiet; Jan. 5s 2¾d, March 5s 2d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut easy, 28s; short 3lbs dull, 46s; short clear backs easy, 46s 6d.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Butter—Firmer; receipts, 2980; creamery, specials, 32½c; official price, 32c; extras, 31c to 32c; third to first, 23c to 26c; held, creamery, common to special, 22c to 29½c.

Cheese—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 2112.

Eggs—Firmer; receipts, 5023; state, Pennsylvania and nearby, brown and mixed, fancy, 34c to 35c; fair to choice, 31c to 33c; western, first, 33c; seconds, 31c to 32c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Firmer—Chicago Cattle Steady, But Hogs Are Firmer.

LONDON, Dec. 23.—London cables for cattle are steady at 12c to 14½c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10½c to 10¾c per lb.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Dec. 23.—Cattle—Steady; prime steers, $5.25 to $5.75.

Veals—Receipts, 100 head; active and 50c higher, $7 to $10.

Hogs—Receipts, 2800 head; active; light grades 5c higher; others steady; yorkers, $5.25 to $5.30; pigs, $4 to $5.15; roughs, $4.25 to $5.50; dairies, $5.40 to $5.30.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2600 head; active; wethers and ewes steady; others 15c to 25c higher; lambs, $5 to $7.90; yearlings, $5.50 to $7; sheep, mixed, $3 to $4.25; Canada lambs, $7.25 to $7.60.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Beeves—Receipts, 2[illegible]; steers opened 10c higher, closed dull and easier; bulls and good cows steady; others easier to 15c lower; steers, $4.75 to $6.90; oxen and stags, $3.50 to $4.85; culls, $3 to $3.75; cows, $1.75 to $4.

Calves—Receipts, 1223; veals firm to a shade higher; barnyard and western calves firm; veals, $5 to $10; tops at $10.12½ to $10.25; culls, $4; barnyard calves, $3.50 to $3.75; Indiana do., $4.50; westerns, $3.90; choice light Kansas City do., $4.25.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 9483; sheep steady to 15c to 20c higher; lambs firm; choice stock would sell 10c to 15c higher; sheep, $3.50 to $4.60; culls, $1.50 to $3.25; lambs, $6 to $7.50; culls, $4.50 to $5.

Hogs—Receipts, 7068; feeling firm; no sales.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 20,000; steady; steers, $4.60 to $7.90; cows, $3 to $5.25; heifers, $2.50 to $4.60; bulls, $2.75 to $4.50; calves, $3.50 to $8.75; stockers and feeders, $2.50 to $5.

Hogs—Receipts, 32,000; 5c higher; choice heavy shipping, $5.75 to $5.85; butchers, $5.70 to $5.80; light, mixed, $5 to $5.35; choice, light, $5.35 to $5.55; packing, $5.25 to $5.75; pigs, $4 to $5.15; bulk of sales, $5.25 to $5.65.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 18,000; steady to strong; sheep, $4 to $5; lambs, $5.25 to $7.60; yearlings, $4.25 to $6.25.

Two Years For Horse-Stealing.

Brampton, Dec. 24.—Jacob Henderson came before the judge yesterday to answer the second charge of horse-stealing, he having pleaded guilty to the first charge, that of stealing a horse from Robert Williamson of Bolton. He pleaded not guilty of stealing a horse from the Canada Ice Co. of Toronto, but the evidence was very strongly against him and he was found guilty and sentenced to two years in the penitentiary on both charges, the sentences to run concurrently.

Postal Surplus Over a Million.

Ottawa, Dec. 24.—The 1908 report of the Postmaster-General shows that in spite of expansions in the postal services, including the establishment of 446 new postoffices, the year closed with a net surplus of $1,008,301.

It is estimated that 306,011,000 letters were posted in Canada in the twelve months ended March 31, an increase of 31,116,000 letters.

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Because She Asked Her Lover to Work Is Attacked.

Montreal, Dec. 24.—In full view of a dozen pedestrians on University street, one of the leading residential streets of the city, an Italian plunged a dagger three times into the side of a young woman with whom he was walking late yesterday afternoon, and then took to his heels, followed by a number of pursuers

After a long chase the man was captured and received rough-handling before he was turned over to the police. The woman is now in the Royal Victoria Hospital in a very serious condition.

The affray caused much commotion and it was only after a determined chase that the would-be murderer was captured. To the police he gave his name as Francisco Varlo. The woman had been living with him for some time and the alleged cause of the assault is that she asked him to go and get work. The stiletto thrusts was his answer.

BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

At Moose Jaw on Tuesday 600 entries for homesteads were entered.

At Baltimore, Md., Harlem Park, M. E. Church was burned; loss $50,000.

At Detroit, Frank Smith (or Kowasky) formerly of Buffalo, killed his wife and shot himself.

The Postum Cereal Co. and the Reo Motor Car Co. of Lansing, Mich., are opening branches at Windsor, Ont.

Four of the largest department stores in Chicago will give their employes a Saturday holiday in addition to Christmas Day.

The writ for the bye-election in Virden, made necessary by the death of Hon. J. H. Agnew, Provincial Treasurer, has been issued for Jan. 9th.

Joe Deighton, a young Welshman, is under arrest at Orangeville charged with being a "Jack the Hugger," who has been operating there recently.

At Oakland, Cal., John T. Day, husband of Anna Eva Fay, the mental telepathy specialist, committed suicide by shooting himself through the head.

A Manchester paper states that J. Pierpont Morgan paid $120,000 for the 15 Caxtons, part of the famous library of Lord Amherst of Hackney, recently disposed of at public sale.

Burglar Kills Student.

New York, Dec. 24.—Van Dwight Sheldon, aged 19, in the school of engineering at New York University, lost his life in a battle with a burglar in the cellar of the home of Dean Snow of the school of engineering yesterday. The murderer escaped after a long chase across the snow-covered campus.

Young Sheldon, a cousin of Dean Snow, made his home at the dean's residence. He had gone to the cellar when he heard a movement behind the coal bin and went over to investigate. As he did so a man jumped out and struck the young man in the face. "Let me alone and don't make a sound or I'll kill you," he said, but Sheldon grappled with his assailant and began to call for help. The man, shaking him off whipped out a revolver and fired.

Local Option and the Police Court.

Owen Sound, Dec. 14.—"The Citizen" is the title of the newspaper which is being issued by the anti-local optionists during the present campaign, W. H. Lilly is editor. Under the caption "Facts Not Fiction" the records of the Police Court clerk for the past several years are given as follows:

Under license law, 1903, cases of all kinds, 106 (including 13 drunk and disorderly); 1904, cases 91 (drunks 23); 1905, cases 105 (drunks 30).

Under license law, four months, and local option, 8 months, 1906; cases 171 (drunks 87).

Under local option: 1907, cases 498 (drunks 113); 1908 (to Dec. 15), cases 426 (drunks 127).

Accidentally Asphyxiated.

New York, Dec. 24.—Frederick A. Burnham, former president of the Mutual Reserve Life Insurance Co., who was indicted following the insurance investigation in view of his conduct while at the head of that company, was found dead in bed at his home here yesterday from inhaling illuminating gas. The gas had escaped from a small stove which was used to heat Mr. Burnham's sleeping room.

Dissolves Standard Oil.

Jefferson City, Mo., Dec. 24.—The Supreme Court of Missouri handed down a decision yesterday ousting the Standard Oil Co. of Indiana and the Republic Oil Co. from the State of Missouri, forbidding them again to do business in Missouri and dissolving the Waters, Pierce Oil Co. of St. Louis.

In addition each of the companies is fined $50,000.

To Defend a Murderer.

Montreal, Dec. 24.—It was announced yesterday that Judge Choquette has been appointed to act as a commission to secure evidence in Ireland and England as to the sanity of James Smith, who shot and killed Constable Shea and wounded Chief Carpenter last spring.

Daring Burglars, These.

Montreal, Dec. 24.—While the woman of the house was powerless to protest two men yesterday broke into the home of Mrs. G. A. Lavoie, 36 Fabre street, and burglarised the house. They even broke open the slot machine attached to the gas meter.

To Unite Marine Unions.

Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 24.—The Cleveland Leader says: A movement was launched for an amalgamation of all labor unions on the Great Lakes at a secret conference of national officers in this city.

Finds $10,000 In Tomato Can.

East St. Louis, Ill., Dec. 24.—Patrick Sullivan, an ice wagon driver, found a $10,000 bill in the bottom of an old tomato can, which he picked up in an alley in the residence part of the town.

Never bear more than one kind of trouble at a time. Some people bear three kinds—all they have had, all they have now and all they expect to have.

Dr. Selder Gits Appointment.

Toronto, Dec. 24.—The Ontario Government made the following appointments at a council meeting yesterday afternoon:

W. A. Tisdale, son of Hon. A. D. Tisdale, to be registrar of Norfolk County.

Dr. F. S. Snider of Waterford to be sheriff of Norfolk.

Allan McLellan, Kenora, to be police magistrate in place of Andrew More, removed. This is the result of an investigation by a commission appointed by the Attorney-General.

Castro Doesn't Know.

Berlin, Dec. 24.—The Foreign Office yesterday morning received advices from Caracas confirming the press reports of the overthrow of President Castro.

"The whole country rose against Castro," the communication said.

Castro, deposed by his people and discredited by his Government, is lying on a sick bed in Berlin in complete ignorance of the events at Caracas that have resulted in his downfall.

N.P. In Vancouver.

Vancouver, B.C., Dec. 24.—With the object of obtaining additional terminal facilities the Northern Pacific has completed the purchase of half a million dollars' worth of lots on the north side of False Creek in the east end.

Bank Treasurer Suicides.

Worcester, Mass., Dec. 24.—Frank W. Cutting, for forty years connected with the Worcester Mechanics Savings Bank, and for seven years its treasurer, was found dead by suicide at his home yesterday.

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Last Crop Report For Year Shows Good Yield In Canada.

Ottawa, Dec. 24.—An important statement regarding the quantities and values of field crops and the condition of live stock in Canada was given out yesterday from the Census and Statistics Office.

An area of 27,505,683 acres of field crops has yielded a harvest which computed at average local market prices, has a value of $432,533,000.

Fall wheat, with a yield of 24.40 bushels per acre, shows a value of $21.10, and spring wheat, with 16 bushels, shows $12.84.

The total value of the wheat harvest in the northwest provinces is $72,434,000, and in the rest of the Dominion $18,804,000.

The value of all field crops in Prince Edward Island is $9,406,000; Nova Scotia, $20,063,000; New Brunswick, $18,042,000; Quebec, $80,896,000; Ontario, $185,308,000; Manitoba, $68,680,000; Saskatchewan, $37,614,000, and Alberta, $14,592,000. Figures for British Columbia are not available. Average value of field crops for the Dominion in the year is $15.72 per acre.

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Miss Maggie Mann, who for twenty years has been the energetic and consecrated superintendent of the school, was the recipient of a beautiful piece of silver ware from the teachers and officers, by whom she is held in the highest esteem.

The pastor was also presented with a gold-headed umbrella from the members of his Bible Class.

The following programme was rendered:

Opening Hymn, by School, "When He Cometh."
Prayer—Pastor Rev. W C Riddiford.
Chorus—Primary Class.
Recitation, "Santa Claus' Secret"—Eva Booth.
Duet—Wilton Panter, Percy Hill.
Recitation, "Guilty or not Guilty"—Ada Barrie.
Dialogue, "Stealing Apples" —Boys of Mr. Eakins' class.
Snow-Flake Drill—Primary Class.
Song—John Dawson.
Recitation — "Her Exercise"—Pearl Pogue.
Recitation, "Ode to Santa Claus"—Jennie Peters.
Song—Master Ridgrige.
Chorus—Mrs. Wright's Class.
Recitation—Mr. Roy Jackson.
Song, "The School Master" — Mr. Dawson.
Recitation, "Just Ask Dad"—Roxie Castle.
"Waiting for Santa Claus,' by four little girls.
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THE FIRST CHRISTMAS.

And there were in the same country shepherds abiding in the field, keeping watch over their flocks by night. And, lo, the angel of the Lord came upon them, and the glory of the Lord shone round about them: and they were sore afraid. And the angel said unto them, Fear not, for behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David, a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord. And this shall be a sign unto you. Ye shall find the babe wrapped in swaddling clothes lying in a manger. And suddenly there was with the angel a multitude of the heavenly host praising God, and saying, Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace, good-will toward men.

IDENTITY OF WALTER G. CAUSES LEGAL ACTION

Case Arising Out of Speed Events at Fall Fair Before Judge Weller.

The horsemen of Peterborough are interested in the civil case which was heard yesterday before His Honour Judge Weller. The owner of Holland Boy and manager of Hazel Belle, are suing the Peterborough Agricultural Society for money which was paid to Mr. Hodgins, Orillia, manager of Walter G., the horse that was protested by them under the suspicion that he was Little Hector, or in any event that the horse was not the one claimed to be. Hazel Bell and Holland Boy started with the Orillia horse on the first day of the races at the Peterborough Fair last fall in the 2.20 class, and owing to the fact that the Walter G. was protested, first and second money, respectively is claimed for them.

Dr. Johnston, president of the Peterborough Turf Club, and chairman of the speed committee for the exhibition directorate, and Mr. Martin Connors, the starter at the races, testified at the hearing of the suit yesterday that they notified Secretary Hall, of the Agricultural Society, that Walter G. was under protest, and instructed him not to pay Hodgins any money pending the outcome of the protest. It is alleged that Mr. Hall, acting under instruction of President Leary, of the Agricultural Society, paid the money over to Hodgins.

The Peterborough Turf Club was given authority to settle the protest by the National Trotting Association, under whose rules the races were conducted. The track at the fair grounds is an association track.

The protest was decided against Hodgins and in view of this the above mentioned parties decided to sue for the money, which they claim is legally theirs.

Mr George W. Hatton appeared for the plaintiffs; Mr. F. D. Kerr for defendants, and Mr. Tudhope, of Orillia, for Mr. Hodgins.

The hearing began yesterday morning, and was continued in the afternoon. His Honour adjourned the case until after the Christmas holidays.

THE JANUARY NUMBER OF BUSY MAN'S

"The Millionaire of Cobalt," the Feature —Some Timely Selections.

The issue of Busy Man's Magazine for January even surpasses the high standard which has been set in recent issues. Its pages are crammed with interesting articles, ably illustrated. The premier position is given to "The Millionaires of Cobalt." This article tells in a bright racy style, about the Canadians who have made great fortunes in the richest silver mining camp in the world, who they are, and the various callings they pursued before striking it rich. Men and Events in the Public Eye is an intensely interesting department. It is the policy of the magazine to reproduce the most timely and brightest appearing in the world's periodicals. It is carrying out this policy admirably. Every selection in the January number is timely, and serves to show the care exercised by this competent editorial staff in ransacking the world's periodicals. Articles of special interest are "The Real Owners of America," "The Social Responsibilities of Empire," "Sending Christmas Money Over the Seas," "Northcliffe and Munsey," "The Men Who Built the St. Clair Tunnel," "Canada's Non-English Newspapers," "A Novel Organization in Germany."

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FAMOUS BREAD LINE OF NEW YORK

The Devoting of Time, Money and Labour to the Cause of Charity—The Difference in Men.

THE SPARK OF MANHOOD

The Christian Science Monitor in a recent issue has the following comment on the "Bread Line" which might be read with a good deal of interest by Peterborough citizens:

New York's famous "bread line"—the nightly gathering of men who receive each a cup of coffee and a roll without cost or question—makes a strong appeal to the sentiment, but others than Terence V Powderly, United States commissioner of immigration, have questioned its utility on the same grounds that he does.

Mr. Powderly, who has joined the "bread line" himself and learned first hand the character of the men who compose it, speaks with authority when he says that in the main they are "slovenly, indolent, shiftless and ambitionless." To feed such men by charity, he says, is to feed at the same time the flame that burns up manhood. Mr. Powderly's idea is that they should be placed on a farm owned by the state and taught how to feed themselves.

To question the methods of those who are devoting time, money and labour to the noble cause of charity is not to impugn their motives. It is, however, a fact that there is a cause for poverty, and that this cause is not material but mental. Eliminate laziness, self-satisfaction and stubbornness, and nine-tenths of the poverty would go with them.

Here is a case in point: Forty years ago two boys started side by side as apprentices in the gold beater's trade. To-day one of these boys is the owner of a large establishment which sells gold leaf all over the world. The second is in the employ of the first and is still beating gold just as he did forty years ago.

What made the difference between the two? Not their material environment, for they started alike—each with an equal chance. The difference was solely in the mentalities of the two men. The one who went ahead was ambitious, energetic, persevering, courageous, ready any time to sacrifice the pleasure of the moment for some future good. The other man was industrious, faithful, a good workman, but he had that strain of indolence which is satisfied with a well-enough present.

It is safe to say that every man who joins the "bread line" is there not because of "hard luck," not because of somebody else's doings, not because he never had a chance, but because of certain mental characteristics which have kept him from turning what might be bad into what is good, which have made him think himself the sufferer for others' faults, which have blinded him to opportunities when they did come to him.

It is evident that it is not by putting bread in his stomach and thus making it easy for him to indulge these mental deficiencies that the man will be taken out of the "bread line" and made a self-supporting citizen. The remedy for a mental condition must be mental.

Mr. Powderly says that he believes that "under the most degraded exterior there lies dormant the spark of manhood." We agree with him, and we know, too, that every man, no matter how low he may have fallen, can be saved by loving and wise ministration. By the light of this spark of manhood he can be led to find that his true self is already one with the Mind which is intelligent and good; and he will find at the same time self-respect and the incentive for energetic endeavour.

FORBEAR WITH THE POSTMAN

Christmas Rush Brings Heavy Duties and Missives May be Late,

When a Peterborough lady receives an invitation from a friend to attend a party at Christmas these days, and that letter has been delayed for a day or for a few hours, and the lady becomes highly indignant at the way things are being done and goes in person to the post office to "make things warm" for the "lazy clerks," or may be writes direct to the department at Ottawa, exposing as she thinks, the glaring incompetency of the officials at the general post office, she does not stop to realize just what "Christmas rush" means. Nor does she think of the inevitable delays and running about that would have ensued had that box from the uncle's folks in Padusky been sent by express instead of by mail. The indignant lady thinks only of the fact that that parcel (or letter, or what not) was delayed—actually delayed—until the Christmas tree was all over.

Taking into consideration all the labours that are added to the post office staff at this season, it is a great pity, when my lady misses a letter for a few hours, or that box of cigars for hubby comes a little late, a little of the Christian good feeling and forbearance, which is supposed to be rife at this season of the year, cannot be shown towards the post office officials during the Christmas rush.

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Extra Choice New Nuts, all kinds.

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FIRST NIGHT A SUCCESS AT JACKSON PARK

Large Crowd Take Advantage of Opening Evening at the Toboggan Slide.

A fairly large crowd took advantage of the opening evening at the Jackson Park slide last evening. Everything is in first class shape. Mr. Swanston having been working for about two weeks on the three slides that are open this year. The rink, which will be ready on Christmas day, has more square feet of ice than the Brock street rink, and there are over 500 lights used in illuminating the ice and slide. A cloak room and restaurant will be opened in connection with these amusements, at the large building, in a short time. There are forty tobaggans to be had at the slide.

POTVIN'S XMAS DELICACIES

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Shaving Brushes..	.25 to 1.00
Shaving Mirrors ..	.25 to 2.25
Shaving Mugs....	.25 to 2.25
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Greetings

That this year of our Lord nineteen hundred and eight has brought as full a measure of satisfactory return from honest effort as your kind and hearty co-operation has made possible with us.

That there may be no bitter drugs in your lees of joy at this festive Christmas season is the earnest wish of

R. I. Davidson
DRUGGIST

CHURCH SERVICES AND NOTICES

St. John's

—The Christmas Day services at St. John's will be—Holy Communion 8 a.m. Morning Prayer, 11 a.m., followed by a celebration of the Holy Communion. Hymns, 59, 61, 60, 62. Venite 133. Te Deum, Dyke's, Benediction 166. Anthem, "While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks by Night," Smart. Offertory, "Blessed is He that Cometh in The Name of the Lord," Marshall. Communion office sung to Woodward's, setting in E flat. Organ Voluntaries, "Pastoral Symphony," "And the Glory," Handel's Messiah.

All Saints' Church.

Rev H. R. Trumpour, M.A., B.D., rector.

Christmas Day.

8.00—Holy Communion.

11.00—Morning service.

Hymn 60—"Hark, the Herald Angels Sing."

Morning prayer to end of morning lesson.

Ante Communion service.

Hymn 59—"O, Come All Ye Faithful."

Christmas sermon.

Offertory anthem — "While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks," Smart.

Anthem after prayer for Church Militant—"In the Fields Abiding," Benedict.

Post Communion service.

Every member of All Saints' is expected to partake of the Lord's Supper on Christmas Day.

HASTINGS VILLAGE NEWS INTERESTING LOCAL EVENTS

(From an occasional correspondent.)

Hastings, Dec. 22.—The approaching municipal nominations are creating a good deal of quiet discussion among the villagers. It looks very much as though there might be quite a change in the composition of the council for 1909. The inequality of the assessments in the village is the main topic, and it is likely to be a leading issue in the election for reeve and councillors. Mr. Thos. Howard will again be nominated for reeve, and possibly Mr. Learmouth will ask for the further confidence of the electors. If so, a hot time is expected, as the contest last year between these two gentlemen resulted in Mr. Howard being defeated by only two votes.

The storekeepers have all been doing a satisfactory business this season and the Christmas trade is quite up to the usual mark. McClelman's, jewelry, English's drygoods, Howard's grocery, and Wilcox & Lambert's stores show their stocks to good advantage, and make first-rate displays in their different lines.

A rather serious accident occurred on Tuesday to Mr. Henry Johnston. It appears that he was walking near the post office in company with Mr. Chas. Fisher when he fell eavily on the frosty walk. His friend immediately came to his assistance and endeavoured to litt him up by the arm, which caused Mr. Johnston great pain. He was brought to the Spellman House and Drs. Warde and Edmison called in, when it was found that a bad dislocation of the shoulder had occurred. After considerable difficulty the doctors succeeded in resetting the shoulder, and Mr. Johnston was put in bed with the consolation that he would require to rest for three weeks before he could be permitted to be around again. Apparently this sentence of a protracted rest weighed heavily upon Mr. Johnston's mind; for, after a brief mental struggle with himself he rose from his bed, dressed himself, went down to the dining room and enjoyed a good supper, afterwards walking across the village to the hall where an organ recital was being held and took it all in. Needless to say, the doctors were astonished at their patient's remarkable actions, and wonder was expressed at the vitality and pluck of a gentleman of Mr. Johnston's years.

Master Willie Spellman who has been attending St. Michaels' College Toronto, is home for the Christmas season.

Hastings Court C O F is having its membership increased. Mr J A Harpenny, the organizer has been here this week and has been instrumental in adding quite a number of new applicants

The comforts of the travelling public are still being looked after by Mr A B Spellman, the popular proprietor of the Spellman House. Improvements in the interior of the house are noticeable and the business is increasing. Mr. Forney Spellman, the wine clerk, is a capable assistant.

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DECORATIONS CONCLUDED AT THE Y.M.C.A.

Interesting Programme Being Arranged For New Year's Day

The reception hall and parlours of the Y.M.C.A. have been very artistically decorated for the holiday season. Evergreens, bunting and mottoes were used and they give the place a very cheerful and inviting appearance. Christmas will be a quiet day at the Y., but on New Year's there will be a celebration and also a big basket-ball game. Fuller particulars will be given later.

On Christmas Eve the bells were rung;
On Christmas Eve, the mass was sung;
The hall was decked with holly green,
Forth to the wood did merry men go,
To gather in the mistletoe.
A Christmas gambol oft would cheer
The poor man's heart through half the year.

Band Christmas Afternoon at Street Railway Rink.

RESULT OF NOMINATION OF Y.M.C.A. DIRECTORS

Election at Annual Meeting on the 12th January.

The nominating committee have selected and posted on the Y.M.C.A. bulletin board, the following candidates for the term expiring Dec 31, 1911,—Messrs. A B Cunningham B J Kidd, P A Kerr, A McFarlane, J F Thornton, and J. J. Turner, Jr. The election will take place at the annual meeting on Tuesday, Jan 12th, 1909

CHRISTMAS DAY—ROLLER RINK

Band Concert afternoon and evening—24 selections. $5.00 Gold Piece to the lucky guesser. 1d-122

A SEASONABLE WISH.

Assist more—forsake less.

Hope more—sorrow less.
Act more—promise less.
Please more—annoy less.
Practise more—preach less.
Yield more—sin less.

Cheer more—worry less.
Home more—club less.
Read more—sleep less.
Interlude more—quarrel less.
Strive more—despise less.
Trust more—suspect less.
Master more—idle less.
Appreciate more—dispute less.
Smile more—frown less.

Test more—judge less.
Others more—self less.

Agree more—dispute less.
Lead more—discourage less.
Love more—hate less.

IS YOUR COAT DUSTY?

You Probaly Have the White Scab of Dandruff On it.

If your coat or shoulders have a white dust upon it, the chances are that it is from dandruff. The only way to permanently cure dandruff is to remove the cause, which is a germ. Newbro's Herpicide kills the germ. Every toilet table should have such a hair-dressing that contains also the destroyer of the dandruff and hair falling germ. It stops all irritation, keeps the scalp sweet and wholesome. Remember that something claimed to be just as good will not do the work of genuine Herpicide. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to the Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. Two sizes, 50c and $1. McDermid and Jury, and 3 boxes for $1.25.

Knox Church Rink Opens To-night; Greatly Improved And Enlarged

The Knox Church rink will be opened this evening for the season and will be free to everybody. A cordial invitation is extended to skaters to enjoy the fine sheet of ice that has been prepared. The rink has been greatly improved since last year, being better lighted and considerable larger. The dimensions are now 160 feet by 60 feet. It is lighted by two rows of lights. A comfortable waiting room has been provided. It is heated and lighted with a view to pleasing the patrons of the rink. To-morrow it will be open to visitors at a price that will please everybody.

Those having tickets for sale are Mr Goodfellow, the caretaker; Mr. Herb McCannon, treasurer; Mr. Campbell Stewart, secretary, and Mr. Gordon Hall.

Hockey practice begins next week and a time schedule has been arranged for the teams from St. Andrew's, Charlotte street All Saints' and Knox churches. Their practice hours are now known, and any other teams desiring to secure hours may apply to Mr. Fred Reid, 184 Perry s.

The Adventures Of Two Boys Who Undertook To Pile Cord Of Wood

An Examiner reporter lent an ear to a story told by a citizen who is well known in up-town circles. It seems that his eldest son, a boy of nine or ten, with a companion was offered the job of carrying in and piling a cord of split wood. Money was mentioned to them, but no exact amount. The boys did their work after four o'clock and going in received the handsome sum of ONE CENT. They were so dismayed, that for the instant they just stood there gazing at the insignificant copper. Then they walked back to the woodshed and started to pull down their work of the previous hour. They had about two cents' worth left when their "foreman" came out and at sight of what had been done, he took the money away from the youngsters and told them that if they wanted to get it again, they would have to repile it, and even threatened to call in a policeman. Whatever really happened, the boys went through the same work again and were given back the two cents. They arrived at their homes after seven o'clock, after being taught one of the first lessons that life's experience teaches.

How The Theatre Tickets Were Secured By "Jealous" Persons

"I am jealous and I really want to reform." Holding a copy of the latest issue of the Examiner in one hand, at the same time repeating the above "prescription," an elderly gentleman—married, too—secured the first free ticket for the production of "East Lynne" to-morrow.

It was a surprise. It was hardly expected that such "honest," "straightforward," evidences or repentence would be manifested by the citizens, but they were. Really, they came in, meek of mien, but determined that the green-eyed monster should never again find lodgment in the crevices of the reasoning portion of their cerebellum.

There were young girls, too, who were assuredly years from wedding-ring time and yet with a smile and blush they acknowledged their jealousy. Of whom, it may be asked. Only those acquainted with the vagaries of a girl's mind could qualify to answer that question, and then it would be as many sided as a school debate.

However, the girls obtained the tickets and to-morrow will occupy good seats. There were scarcely any married women. How beautiful! Judging from their non-appearance would it be safe to say that there is not a woman in the whole city who distrusts her husband or any of her married friends? Well, really!

Two Subjects Omitted From Matriculation Examinations

Grammar and Arithmetic will not in future be included in the list of subjects to be taken by students at matriculation examinations for the Ontario universities. The decision was arrived at yesterday at a conference held at the University, Toronto at which all the Provincial universities, with the exception of the Western, London, were represented. President R A. Falconer presided, and the delegates about thirty in number included Principal Hutton Chancellor Burwash, Chancellor McKay, and Principal Gordon. The chief object of the conference was the fixing of the subjects for the matriculation examinations, and as stated already it was decided to omit two of what may be described as elementary subjects. It was the opinion of the majority of the delegates that it should be presumed under the educational system of the Province, that students presenting themselves for matriculation should be so grounded in arithmetic and grammar as to render further tests in those subjects unnecessary.

The question of a further raising of the standard of matriculation was also under consideration. Generally the desirability of action along this line had been conceded by university men, and in connection with it the views of the instructors throughout the Province had been sought. As a result of these inquiries a number of opinions were submitted to the Council, but the views expressed as to the subjects in which the test should be made more severe were so diversified that it was decided to refer the whole matter to the various faculties for further consideration. The questions, however, will again be taken up at the inter-university conference which is to be held after Easter.

Crowds at LeBrun's

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YEAR'S IMPRISONMENT FOR GOMPERS

Mitchell Given Nine Months and Morrison Six in Buck's Case.

FREE PENDING AN APPEAL

Officers of American Federation Are Sentenced to Jail Terms For Disobeying Famous Injunction Restraining Them From Calling Bucks' Stove Works Unfair to Labor—Allowed Out on Bail.

Washington, Dec. 24.—The famous contempt case of the Buck Stove and Range Co. against President Gompers, Vice-President Mitchell and Secretary Morrison of the American Federation of Labor, was decided yesterday by Justice Wright of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, adversely to the federation officials.

Gompers was sentenced to twelve months imprisonment, Mitchell to nine months and Morrison to six months.

Pending an appeal to the United States Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia, all three defendants were released on bail, the amount being fixed as follows: Gompers, $5,000; Mitchell $4,000, and Morrison $3,000.

A local surety company furnished the bonds.

The Bucks Company's prosecution of the officials of the federation began in August, 1907. The original action was a test case, wherein it was sought to enjoin the labor unions from using the "Unfair" and "We don't patronize" lists in their fight against firms and individuals.

Justice Gould of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, issued an injunction which later was made permanent, forbidding the publication of the company's name in these lists. President Gompers in an editorial in The Federationist of January last, made known his intention not to obey the court's order, contending that the injunction issued was a derogation of the rights of labor and an abuse of the injunctive power of the courts. Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison subsequently were cited for contempt.

Judge Wright's decision recites the conditions anteceding the injunction and refers to the fact that for 25 years the Bucks' plant has operated as a 10-hour shop, and always has maintained an open shop. He also spoke of the numerical strength of the American Federation of Labor, with its 2,000,000 members, and, of its repeated endorsement of the boycott of the Bucks' Stove and Range Co. through The American Federationist, the federation's official organ; speeches by the defendants, letters, circulars, etc.

The court referred to the use of the "we don't patronize" list and "unfair" list of the labor organizations, and said that members of labor unions were forced and coerced into supporting it "whether individually willing or unwilling, approving or disapproving" by various methods. The court read extracts from numbers of resolutions of labor organizations bearing on the Bucks' case as tending to show the methods of influencing members of unions "and these methods," the court remarked, seem to the known as "persuasion."

The customers of the stove company, the court said, had been intimidated, browbeaten and coerced out of their business relations with their customers "by direct interference with and boycott of their (the customers) trade relations with their own customers and the public generally."

Unjust Decision.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 24.—First Vice-President James Duncan of the American Federation of Labor said last night: "I am of the opinion that the pardoning power of the President could be used right away in causing the release of President Gompers. If President Gompers is compelled to spend the year's term in jail, he will conduct the affairs of the federation from the jail in which he is confined. I think the decision is the most unjust that I have ever heard."

Ryan Dropping Out.

New York, Dec. 24.—Thomas F. Ryan, admittedly one of the greatest powers of the financial world, announced yesterday that yielding to the advise of his physicians he had resigned from the directorate of 34 different corporations. The only enterprises in the management of which the noted financier retains a hand are the Norton Trust Co., the National Bank of Commerce and the American Tobacco Co.

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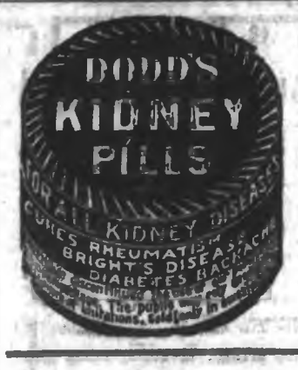

CATHOLIC CHURCH BURNS.

Fine Structure at Coteau du Lac a Heap of Ruins.

Montreal, Dec. 24.—At 10.30 last night fire broke out in the parish church of Coteau du Lac, forty miles west of Montreal on the main line of the G.T.R., and at midnight the structure valued at $60,000 was a mass of smouldering ruins.

There was no fire-fighting appliance in the little village of 300 people, and the inhabitants were obliged to stand by after rescuing some of the valuables.

Help was summoned from Montreal and was being prepared to leave on a special train when word came that the fire had burned itself out. The church was fifty years old. The cause of the fire is unknown.

A convent fifty feet away was saved from a similar fate by the absence of wind. The inmates, over 300 nuns and pupils, sought refuge in the presbytery and other houses of the village until all danger was over.

Suits to Recover Bonds.

Montreal, Dec. 24.—Action has been taken in the Superior Court against several prominent Quebec men who were formerly connected with the Great Northern Construction Co. concern, formed expressly, according to the complaint of the liquidator, John Hide of Montreal, for the purpose of building a line of railway for the Great Northern Railway from a point upon the lower Laurentian Railway in the Province of Quebec to Hawkesbury, Ont.

Among the names mentioned by the liquidator are Vesey Boswell, J. T. Ross, Cyril Eeasier, V. Chateauvert, G. Lemoine and J. G. Scott. It is also understood that action will be taken against Hon. John Sharples and the estates of the late Hon. R. R. Robell, Hon. P. Garneau, Hon. E. J. Price and others.

The first of these actions is against Vesey Boswell of Quebec to recover bonds of the Great Northern Railway to the amount of $15,000 par value or $17,000 cash and costs.

Council Too Big.

Montreal, Dec. 24.—Mayor Payette is as ardently in favor as ever he was of reducing the City Council by one-half and knowing that the Council itself will not act in this matter he expressed the hope that a private bill would be presented to the Legislature for a charter amendment to reduce the aldermanic representation to one per ward.

That the present Council is too unwieldy was proved by the delays in the lighting question, which had brought the city to its present helpless position. Asked what action he would take as chief magistrate if the power company did not light the lamps after Dec. 31 next, the mayor said he would not over-step his powers, and his powers, unfortunately were nil.

Fire Evicts a Thousand.

New York, Dec. 24.—More than a thousand persons were made homeless and hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of property destroyed in a fire which burned out a block of apartment houses between Second and Third avenues and Forty-Fourth and Forty-Fifth streets, Brooklyn, yesterday. Twenty persons, overcome by smoke, were rescued by firemen.

The great Bush terminal docks were saved by a fire boat, which kept the flames from sweeping over Second avenue.

A policeman, clasping in his arms the tiny form of a little boy, was carried fainting from a hallway by his comrades. Women and children, dazed with fright, knelt in the icy street and prayed hysterically.

Death List Large.

Ottawa, Dec. 24.—The extraordinary number of 124 fatal accidents have been reported for the month of November to the Labor Department.

No fewer than 56 lives were lost on railways or railway construction.

The railway fatalities occurred in the following provinces: Ontario 30, Manitoba 8, Quebec 7, British Columbia 4, Saskatchewan 3, Alberta 2, New Brunswick 1, and Nova Scotia 1.

The worst accident was near Dryden, Ont., where a dynamite explosion caused the death of seven construction hands.

Toronto Girl Elopes.

Worcester, Mass., Dec. 24.—Miss Marguerite Caving, a pretty young woman, eloped to Worcester yesterday with Charles E. Barnes, a man twice her age. They were married late yesterday afternoon by Rev. Vincent E. Tomlinson at his home here.

At the City Hall, where the license was secured, it was said the young woman was a nurse. According to the wedding permit she lives on Carlton street, Toronto. The middle-aged groom gave his address as 361 Ninth street, Brooklyn, N.Y.

Labor Market Better.

Ottawa, Dec. 24.—The Labor Gazette states that apart from seasonable causes the general tone of the labor market during November was more satisfactory than during October and considerably more satisfactory than during the same period of 1907.

The wages of unskilled labor were generally lower. The cost of the necessaries of life are generally on the increase.

Boy Guilty of Murder.

Toledo, Dec. 24.—Harvey Hasel, a 17-year-old boy, on trial for the killing of his mother, was last night found guilty of murder in the second degree. He was accused of beating his mother to death with a hammer.

ENDING OF PROBE INTO MARINE MATTERS

Report Will Be Presented to Parliament During Session.

FYLES HAVE BEEN JUGGLED

Investigation Shows That While No Documents Have Been Taken From Official Records of Department Some Have Been Added—Spain Again Goes on the Stand to Explain Irregularities.

Ottawa, Dec. 24.—The investigation before Mr. Justice Cassels into the general charges of "lack of conscience," extravagance and carelessness in the expenditure of public money, preferred against the staff of the Civil Service Commissioners last spring, was concluded yesterday afternoon, after an exhaustive and thorough inquiry, covering practically all the agencies of the Department, and lasting since May last, with the exception of a period of summer vacation. The report of the commission will be presented to Parliament early in the coming session.

Proceedings at yesterday's final sittings of the commission were devoted in the main to supplementary evidence in explanation of a number of transactions previously probed. At the morning sitting it was developed that some fyles of the Department had been gone over by the officials during the progress of the present inquiry; and while no letters were shown to have been abstracted, it appears that new documents have been added. It was also shown that Mr. J. B. Fraser, Commissioner of Lights, now under suspesion, while certifying to prices paid for marine supplies at Prescott as being "fair and just," was himself getting some things at a discount of 33 per cent. from the prices paid by the Department.

At the afternoon session Commander Spain was again given an opportunity to explain discrepancies in his accounts for traveling expenses last year, but was unable to add anything to his previous incomplete explanation.

Mr. W. W. Stumbles of the Marine Purchasing Branch, was examined as to the destruction of fyles. Mr. Watson said he heard that fyles of the Department had been taken to a storeroom in the basement, that J. F. Fraser, Col. Gourdeau, and W. W. Stumbles had gone into that room and the fyles had never come out, the presumption being that they had been destroyed.

Mr. Stumbles declared he had not been in the room in question for three years, knew of no fyles being taken there, and had never heard of Mr. Fraser or Col. Gourdeau destroying any.

J. E. McCleneghan who had charge of the fyles, said he had not given J. F. Fraser any fyle after that official had been suspended. He had heard a rumor that fyles had been taken from the Commissioner of Lights Branch to the basement storeroom where J. F. Fraser had access to them. He had not heard of any fyle being destroyed. He had heard of a fyle which was with Mr. Fraser for a long time. When the Minister finally got it back, there had been additions to it of documents which had never gone through the records branch. There did not seem to be anything taken away. This was about the time of the suspension of Mr. Fraser. There might have been a dozen or more fyles to which additions had been made.

Percy White, clerk in the Commissioner of Lights office, said that after J. F. Fraser had been suspended he had gone into the office and obtained the fyles which the Civil Service Commission had used. White took them to the storeroom in the basement and spent a day and a half with Fraser going over the fyle, and checking it with the commissioners' report. He knew of no mutilation of or additions to the fyles.

Questioned by his counsel, Senator tention to a copy of a letter which asked Agent Gregory if the Holliday boat was worth $200 a day. Tuesday this letter was attributed to Col. Gourdean and commented upon because he knew when it was written that the increased amount was to be paid.

The letter copy book showed that this letter was written by Mr. Magee Belcourt, Col. Gourdeau stated that Mr. J. F. Fraser was given access to the fyles for a time, by direction of the Minister of Marine, who wished to have the report of the Civil Service Commission checked for accuracy. He said that he was in error when on Saturday he had said the agreement to increase the payment for Holliday's boat, the King Edward, from $125 to $200 a day was made on June 18, 1904. Senator Belcourt called after Col. Gourdeau, who was absent in British Columbia at the time. He said that the Minister had given the order to increase the price of the King Edward from $125 to $200 a day.

In Grip of Frost.

Plattsburg, N.Y., Dec. 24.—Upper New York State and particularly the Adirondacks region is in the grip of one of the most severe cold spells it has ever experienced so early in the winter. The mercury at Lake Placid registered 22 degrees below zero yesterday, while at Upper Chateaugau Lake it stood at 19 below and at other near-by points from 12 to 18 below.

Up state farmers whose wells have been dry for months, and who have been depending on the streams for their winter water supply, are suffering greatly owing to the freezing of the brooks. Farmers at Ellenburg have been forced to drive five miles to Lower Chateaugau Lake for water.

For Eighteen Years Believed Dead.

Guelph, Dec. 24.—Wm. Morgan, for 18 years supposed dead, is in the city, much to the surprise of those who knew him then. In July, 1891, a report appeared in the papers of the death of Morgan, corporal of the Northwest Mounted Police, at Fort MacLeod, Alberta, who had previously left for England, and, had, after leaving New York, been found dead in his berth. It was another man, however, it seems.

A PITTSBURG SCANDAL UNEARTHED

Wholesale Sensations Are Revealed in Graft Prosecutions.

SIXTY CROOKED COUNCILLORS

Corruption Exposure Promises to Be Worse Than That of San Francisco —City Fathers Could Be Bought For $5 to $100, Declares Detective After Laying Traps—Two Bank Officials Are Arrested.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 24.—Pittsburg was shaken from end to end yesterday by thunderbolts of sensational testimony in connection with the newly disclosed municipal legislative scandal.

The troubles of San Francisco are popularly declared to be tame in comparison.

Futhermore, it is stated, the developments yesterday were mere preliminaries to subsequent steps against additional councilmen and business men.

The testimony offered in court yesterday intimated strongly that over three score councilmen are "easy to reach" and the "reaching" necessitated only small sums ranging from $100 to $5, and out of a mass of testimony came an apparent disclosure that a majority of the council body had been "reached." In the passage of one ordinance alone it was testified that 60 councilmen had divided $45,000.

Sensations followed one another in rapid succession yesterday during the hearing of the seven councilmen and two former bank officers arrested on charges of bribery, corrupt solicitation and conspiracy last Monday night.

W. W. Ramsay and A. A. Vilsack, former president and cashier of the German National Bank, were first called for a hearing yesterday. It was testified that they had been approached by Councilman John Klein, one of the accused, who stated the bank would be made a depository for the city's funds "if the German National Bank would do as other banks have done." The witness further declared that after several conferences the bankers placed $17,000 on a table in a room of the bank, and that Councilman Klein and a companion entered the room and a short time later left the bank. The bankers then visited the room and the money was gone.

At the request of the directors both of the bank officials resigned last Saturday. They were held in bonds of $14,000 each.

The seven councilmen, President Brand and members Klein, Soffel, Wasson, Melaney and Ferguson of common council, and Atkinson of the select council, were then called for hearing.

The principal witnesses was Robert Wilson, a private detective and superintendent of the municipal league of Scranton, Pa., who is employed by the Voters' League of Pittsburg, which brings the complaint against the nine defendants.

Mr. Wilson's testimony was sensational. Aided by an assistant, it was told that Wilson engaged a room in a local hotel, cut holes in the door and walls of an adjoining room. Then a series of meetings were arranged with councilmen. His assistant, Herbert Jones, posed as a business man desiring certain ordinances passed, and during his conference with the councilmen, Wilson and a stenographer were stationed in the next room making a full record of transactions.

During these conferences, Councilman Klein had a great deal to say regarding how complete councils were controlled by the accused men, the detective said. It was also testified that Klein and Brand each accepted $500 from Jones in payment for securing the passage of an ordinance.

Councilman Klein, Mr. Wilson testified, said that the councilmen had different prices. Some councilmen Klein told him wanted $100, some $75, some $25, and some $5. According to Councilman Klein, Wilson related the $5 council were known as "hoodlums."

It was also possible to secure some councilmanic votes on some measures in return for a suit of clothes or for street car tickets.

Six Below at Kingston.

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SOME TALK UPON THE LONGBOAT - SHRUBB COMING NEW YORK RACE

Speaking of Tom Flanagan and the Shrubb-Longboat race a Toronto man, interviewed by the Star says:

"Call him a good manager?" one man said. "Why, he is as erratic as the Indian himself. The idea of a man in the frenzy of victory making a crack to Pat Powers about running Shrubb or anyone else, and then letting the New Yorker come along here and jolly him into putting it into black and white. Would Pat Powers do it if he were in Tom Flanagan's shoes? Not much! He would simply say 'Pshaw! that was idle talk; I won't run my man.'"

Tom Flanagan knows the Indian hasn't a chance in a dozen against such a tactician as Shrubb on a 10-lap track. Why does he run him against this dangerous man, when he could be meandering around getting the easy money? What will he get for this Shrubb race? Say it is $5,000, and he takes that $5,000 plus a beating. That settles Mr. Indian as a drawing card. Just now he is a wonder, and could take a whirl at a dozen men, getting from $500 to $2,000 a race, and not hurt himself. Then he could come back Shrubb in the spring, outdoors, beat him, and get his $5,000. He could follow this up with races at 10 and 15 miles and get from $1,500 to $2,000 apiece on them, and even if he lost both, could keep right on going. If he loses now to Shrubb, how many people are wise enough in this running game to figure out that indoors isn't the redskin's race or condition? Not more than half, and to this uninformed half a defeat is a defeat, and they won't want to see him meet Shrubb again. Tom Flanagan don't want to get the welled head because Longboat beat Dorando. The Italian is a no-account, and he knows it. If the Indian had been staked against a half-decent runner that night, a man who would have carried him a good 15 miles, he might not be to-day the world's champion. Give him credit, though, he won, and won handsomely, but at the same time a real wise guy wouldn't let Shrubb, an experienced indoor runner, and a man with more racing brains in a minute than Longboat has in a month, get the Onondaga where he has something in him. As sure as there are squares on a turtle's back Shrubb will lap him early and stick in behind him and worry his heart out. The only question is, will Shrubb last the distance? Well, if it was on the road, and Shrubb had to make his own race out in front to maintain his early lead, and with the big Indian lumbering along on the back trail, I would say no, but with little Alfie indoors, where he is at home, and with a pacemaker to glue to, his chances of sticking the entire route are improved 75 per cent. Little bursts of speed from Longboat won't worry this speedy chap from the old land, and it devolves into a question of how long and how courageously the Indian will fight a forlorn hope like that. The Indian is afraid of Shrubb right now, or I miss my guess, and a race like I have outlined will beat him—make a monkey of him. Of course, I may be wrong. I will admit I don't figure the Indian to beat Dorando in the condition the Indian was in and I admit I was away out but if the true inside of that race were known I guess Dorando was feeling the effects of the climate. He ran like the good Canuck boys did in England—a dopey, listless race—and, only his courage took him as far as it did. There is one thing I will say, and that is that there will be no question in my mind as to whether a Shrubb-Longboat race is on the level. I have followed racing pretty closely, and I never had any idea but what the Indian always ran to win, while Shrubb's honesty does not admit of the slightest questioning."

All of which is pretty shrewd talk, and shows how a big section of the public stands on the matter of this Shrubb-Longboat clash indoors.

TURF CLUB RACES AT DRIVING PARK TO-MORROW AFTERNOON

The Turf Club men are almost confident that they are going to have excellent weather for their matinee to-to-morrow afternoon. Everything points that way, and with a good track the events are sure to be fast and exciting. Those who are interested in the game will have the opportunity of spending the afternoon at the race track.

The following are the horses that are named for the two events:

Class B.—1-2 mile heats, 3 in 5.—Black Prince, Baby Miller, Herkland, Teddy Keswick, Mac Brino, Harry Mack, Black Cloud, Lady Black, Lulu Chimes, Queen Hourbon, Guy Wilkes, Miss Keswick, Bay Prince, Farmer Boy, Lou Keswick, Brown Gyp, Jim Dandy.

Class A—Mile heats, 3 in 5.—Harry Direct, Lady Gothard, Holland Boy, Billy C, Black Prince, Patterson, Muriel Wilkes, Grey Guy, Queen's Baron, Harry K Adolph.

There is also a matched race between Prince Hal, Queen's Baron and Bourbon Brooks. This is the result of a friendly rivalry between the owners of these animals.

CANADIAN CURLERS ARE PREPARING FOR THEIR TRIP

The representatives of the Ontario Curling Association on the team of Canadians to visit Scotland met yesterday afternoon at the National Club.

The following were present: Lieut.-Col. Mackenzie, Sarnia; R. L. Patterson, Toronto; Randolph Macdonald, Toronto; T. J. Hamilton, Fergus; Alex. Logan, Parry Sound; Simpson Rennie, Toronto; J. H. Neelands, Barrie; R. M. Waddell, Peterboro; R. S. Strath, Toronto; D. W. Lennox, Churchill; the other member of the team telegraphed that he was unavoidably detained, but would be satisfied with any arrangements that the team would make. David Carlyle, the president of the association and J. A. Macfadden were also present.

Assemble in Toronto

Several matters of detail were discussed by the team, and it was decided that the team assemble in Toronto on Wednesday, January 6th, arrange their rinks and have a friendly game with the Executive of the association during the afternoon at the Granite Rink, dine at the Granite Club in the evening, and leave for Montreal that evening, spending January 7th in Montreal, and leaving there January 8th for Halifax, sailing from there January 9th by the Empress of Ireland.

Team are Entertained

The team, together with the following past presidents and executive, were entertained to dinner by the president, David Carlyle: J. D. Flavelle, Lindsay; Rev. Dr. Burns, Brampton; Dr. Russell, Hamilton; A. R. Goldie, Galt; J. A. Macfadden, secretary-treasurer, Toronto; C. Turnbull, Galt; W. C. Matthews, Toronto; J. W. Corcoran, Toronto; Jas. Hedley, Toronto; W. D. McIntosh, Toronto; Geo. Anderson, Toronto.

Letters of Regret

Letters were received from Messrs. A. F. McLaren, Stratford, and T. O. Robson, St. Mary's, and W. T. Toner, Collingwood, past presidents, and from Rev. Dr. Wallace, Messrs. C. W. Cartwright, Hamilton, and T. H. Brunton, Newmarket, members of the Executive Committee, expressing regret at their absence, and wishing the team a successful and enjoyable trip.

Fatherly Advice Given

A very enjoyable evening was spent together, the members of the team becoming better acquainted with one another and receiving fatherly advice from Past Presidents Flavelle, Drs. Burns and Russell, and other members of the Executive, which was kindly received by the members of the team, and fittingly replied to by them.—Toronto News.

GOTCH'S STEER MUST HAVE BEEN SICK

Frank Gotch was once being interviewed by a reporter who bombarded him with all manner of questions. From interrogations concerning his family affairs the intruder branched off to minute questions concerning Gotch's methods of training; and here the latter saw a chance to score off his unwelcome guest by pitching him a fairy tale.

With as much gravity as he could command he explained to the man that when he wanted to get specially fit his custom was to go to the nearest farm and wrestle with a two-year-old steer. When he could throw the animal down he knew he was in perfect condition and felt satisfied with himself.

The reporter went happily away and Gotch chuckled hugely at the way he had sold him.

But the morning after Beell had beaten him Gotch concluded that the reporter was not quite so gullible as he had imagined, after all; for at the top of the column describing the match appeared the following headline in glaring capitals:

"Gotch's steer must have been sick!"

"BATTLING" NELSON WAS TURNED DOWN

"Battling" Nelson, a few days ago registered at the St. Regis, a Fifth Ave. Hotel in New York, signing his name in full—Oscar Matthew Nelson. The clerk recognising him hesitatingly said, "Awfully sorry, and all that sort of thing, but the house is full and we will have to ask you to bear with us and, er-er, try somewhere else. If I might make a suggestion—why not go over to our neighbour, the Gotham, across the street."

Though physically strong, Mr. Nelson is a law-abiding citizen, and he therefore contented himself with manifesting his displeasure verbally. The manifestation was apparently at least as strong as the displeasure itself.

But he knew there wasn't a hotel in Broadway that wouldn't welcome him and his fat roll with open arms, and thither he therefore hied himself with all the dignity of which he is master.

BOXING.

Contestants—Tommy Burns (Noah Brusso) of Hanover, Ont.; Jack Johnston, Galveston, Tex.

Title at stake—Heavyweight championship of the world.

Purse—$30,000 of which $30,000 is guaranteed to Burns and $5,000 to Johnston, win, lose or draw.

Length of fight—To a finish, Marquis of Queensberry rules.

Time and place—Saturday, Dec. 26, at Sydney, N. S. W., (11.30 p. m., Friday, Dec. 25, New York time.)

Gloves—Fighters to wear four-ounce gloves, in 24-foot ring.

Betting—Burns favourite at 5 to 4 in New York and 7 to 5 in Australia.

Ages on contestants—Burns, twenty-seven. Johnston, thirty.

Height and weights—Burns, 5 feet 7 inches, 176 pounds; Johnson, 6 feet 1-4 inches, 198 pounds.

Estimated attendance—30,000.

Champion Burns Best Fight

K. O.—Jim Flynn, 15 rounds.
Won—Jack O'Brien, 20 rounds.
K. O.—Bill Squires, 1 round.
K. O.—Gunner Moir, 10 rounds.
K. O.—Jem Roche, 1 round.
K. O.—Jack Palmer, 4 rounds.
K. O.—Jewey Smith, 5 rounds.

Part of Johnson's Record

K. O.—Sam McVey, 20 rounds.
K. O.—Denver Ed. Martin, 2 rounds.
K. O.—Jim Jeffords, 4 rounds.
K. O.—Peter Felix (N.S.W.), 1 round.
K. O.—B. Lang, (Australia), 9 rounds.
K. O.—Bob Fitzsimmons, 2 rounds.
K. O.—Jim Flynn, 11 rounds.

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The Oriental Hotel has made arrangements for a complete bulletin service in connection with the Tommy Burns—Jack Johnston championship bout in Australia and on Saturday all those interested may hear the news by rounds at the Oriental Hotel to-morrow night. Owing to the difference in time between Canada and Australia it is possible to get the news on Christmas night of the fight which does not take place until the 26th. Great interest is being taken in the bout in Peterborough and the enterprise of the management of the Oriental and no doubt will be appreciated.

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Stanley Ketchel, champion middleweight, is on his way home to Michigan from California to purchase a home for his family, who live near Grand Rapids.

"I may never fight again," said Ketchel. "One thing is certain, and that is I will not make the middleweight limit any more. The work is too tough. If Burns beats Jack Johnson in Australia I may do business with him, and even if he makes a good showing I will fight him if he cares to take me on. I can go up to 180 pounds, but the thing of getting down to the middleweight limit again is past me. I do not have to fight any more. I have enough money to quit the game, and I'm not going to take any chances on hurting my health training to low weights."

Sand Christmas Afternoon at Street Railway Rink.

HOCKEY

The following players are asked to turn out to the West End's first practice Christmas night, from 7 to 8, at the Brock street rink. A. Rose, D. Hillier, C. Dobson, N. Moore, McNern, H. Barrett, W. Short, E. King, B. Halpin, Barclay, S. Wade, E. Fox, E. Reid F. Dunnett and any others wishing to get a place on the team.

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St. Andrew's Young Men's Guild hockey team will practice to-morrow morning from 9 to 10 o'clock, on Knox Church rink. All the players are requested to be out. Hereafter they will practice every Monday evening from 7 to 8 o'clock on the same rink.

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The Peterborough Hockey Club had a good practice at the Brock street rink last night, when a good bunch of senior and junior candidates were out. A number of the men are fast rounding into shape and they will be in good condition when the O. H. A. season opens. There will be a practice to-morrow morning at ten o'clock of the old players only, and the juniors and new candidates are not expected to be on hand to-morrow.

WRESTLING.

Brockville, Dec. 24. — Special. — Brockvillians to the number of over 200 witnessed an interesting wrestling match at the Grand Opera House last night between Cyclone Burns, the English champion, and Hassan Abdallah. The men each weighed about 185 pounds, and Burns, being the most muscular and skillful, easily disposed of the Turk in two straight falls at catch-as-catch-can. The time was 23 minutes and 9 seconds. The Englishman threw his antagonist to the mat on both occasions with a bar nelson hold. Abdallah put up a good defence fight up to the time of the first fall, but after that he weakened perceptibly.

STRIKES AND SPARES

Bert Adams, bowling in the Toronto League on Tuesday night, broke the record for the league by rolling up the astonishing total of 713 pins. His scores for the three games were 235, 240 and 236. The record for the local league is 562, held by Bill Wareham, and for the alleys 554, held by Bert Lillie, whose score included a 252 game. McIlroy has rolled 645, getting games of 223, 222 and 200, and Joe Hay has put on 641 for three games.

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Some Bowling Proverbs

There's many a slip between the foul line and the pins.

A spare in time often saves the game.

A ball from the corner is worth two down the centre.

It's a short game that has no splits.

You can't miss your spare and make it.

It's better to spare than to blow.

It's better to have spared and lost than never to have spared at all.

He whose hook-ball runs away may live to bowl another day.

One man's strike is another man's split.

He who fails to follow up has lost.

CURLING.

At a meeting of the executive of the Lindsay Curling Club held Monday evening it was decided to send five rinks to Peterborough bonspiel, to be held here on Jan. 12th. The rinks will be skipped by L. V. O'Connor, J. D. Flavelle, G. E. Lattle, T. Gage and J. M. Knowlson.

SHRUBB ARRANGES RACE IN NEW YORK

Will Take on Middle Distance Men in Relay Race.

New York, Dec. 23.—Instead of a Marathon race for amateurs at Madison Square Garden on January 9, the date originally set for the professional contest between Alfred Shrubb the English champion, and Tom Longboat, the Indian runner, since postponed to January 26, indications now point to a race between Shrubb and a relay of three of the best middle-distance men in the country as the chief event in an athletic meet at the Garden on the earlier January date. Shrubb, who was in the city for the purpose of ratifying the change in the date of the Marathon, to-day signed an agreement to run twelve miles against three men hereafter to be picked, to run four miles each. A five-mile professional handicap is expected to fill out the programme for the evening. Shrubb will make his headquarters in New York after New Year's, and train for both this Garden races here.

CARL W. COOK STOCK COMPANY

At the Grand Theatre Week Dec. 28—High Class Specialties.

The management of the Grand has secured the Carl W Cook Stock Company for the week of Dec. 28, one of the best equipped repertoire Companies on the road.

Their endeavour is to offer the best to their patrons. With this end in view they have secured some unusually clever specialties and not only one or two, but a whole repertoire of up-to-date successes in the play world. Among them Miss Edyth La Nora, the dainty Dresden Doll. The Marvellous Vade, Magician extraordinary, Geo. F Cotter, the funny little fellow, Joe Vitts, baritone soloist, Earl Hawk, the Kid from the Country. Their opening bill will be "Nature's Nobleman," the play is a gem of its kind, a deep heart's interest surrounded by lots of real wholesome comedy that is really funny, the kind you remember and laugh about after you get home.

Being a society drama, the ladies of the Company have a chance to wear some very handsome gowns, which fact always appeals to the lady patrons of the audience.

Remember all next week, change of bill every night.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC

Going East	Leave Peterborough
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal, Kingston	11.25 a m
For Indian River, Norwood, Havelock, Tweed	7.51 p m
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	12.51 a m

Going West	Leave Peterborough
For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	6.55 a m
For Burketon, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	7.55 a m
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points	4.35 p m

GRAND TRUNK.

	Arrive	Depar
Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Gravenhurst, North Bay, Sturgeon Falls and Toronto	11:20 a.m. 9:20 p.m.	9:30 a.m. 11.45 a.m
Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	9:20 a.m. 9:20 p.m.	9:30 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Peterboro Montreal and East	9:20 p.m	11:45 a.m
Toronto, Lindsay, Stouffville, Uxbridge and Markham	11:40 a.m. 9:20 p.m. 10:15 p.m.	7:10 a.m 9:30 p.m 11:45a.m
Lindsay Local	9:15 a.m.	9:30 p.m
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	9:20 a.m. 9:20 p.m.	9:30 a.m. 1:50 p.m
Lakefield and Stony Lake	10:00 a.m. 8:15 p.m.	8:20 a.m 12:30 p.m

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3 lbs. New Currants	24c
3 lbs. New Raisins for	20c
New Orange and Lemon Peel, lb.	15c
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Tomatoes, per tin	10c
Peas, Beans and Corn, per tin	8c
3 bottles Pickles for	25c
New Dates, per lb.	10c
New Figs, per lb.	10c
Mince Meat, 3 lbs. for	25c

MEAT DEPARTMENT

A choice and complete stock of Fresh and Salt Meat, Bologna Sausage, Canned Goods, Pickles, Sauces, etc., can always be had from us.

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Oysters, Turkeys, Geese, Chickens, Ducks, etc., for Christmas and New Year trade. A trial order will convince you that our stock is first class and that we will not be undersold by anyone. Our Motto—Goods delivered to all parts of the city without disappointment.

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TOWN TOPICS

PROBS.—Fresh southerly, to westerly winds, mostly fair and mild; light local snow or sleet to-night. Friday, a few light local falls of snow or sleet but mostly fair.

Judging in Lindsay

—Mr. Crookshanks of Peterborough was a judge of horses at the Lindsay Christmas Fair this week

At St. John's

—Holy Communion will be celebrated at St. John's Church to-morrow morning at 8 o'clock, instead of at 8.30.

Piano Tuning

Piano tuning promptly attended to. Satisfaction guaranteed. A. F. Hoover, 222 McDonel street. 'Phones—Bell 199k, Mach. 199.

New Records Received

The New Two-minute and Four-minute Edison Records for January just arrived. A few of these make a beautiful Xmas gift.
J. M. GREENE MUSIC CO.

Labrador Medical Mission at Home

—Admission tickets for the "At Home," to be held in aid of the above mission may be obtained from the Hon. Secretary, L. F. Crone, at the Canadian Bank of Commerce. 2d121

Particular

—If you are particular about the way your clothes look, send them to "My Valet," 204 Charlotte street, and and have them cleaned, dyed, repaired an dpressed. All particular people do.

Is Your Piano in Tune

—The change of season effects pianos as well as everything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 22 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. MacDonald's drug stor

To the Front Again

—with something new at the Collegiate Grocery, and your Christmas dinner will not be completed without some corn on the cob, as nice as if fresh from the stalk. Will be a treat Try it. A Merry Xmas to all. J. M. Donovan, corner of McDonel and Aylmer streets. r t w 4679

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For the convenience of those who cannot find it convenient to shop during the day. Gifts to charm the elders, to delight the children; something to please "him" as well as the feminine fancy. It's delightful to shop where the stocks are so full. We are ready to help you make a happy and joyous Christmas. Open evenings. A. H. Stratton & Co.

CHRISTMAS NEAR

We mention a few of the Xmas necessities which we now have in stock. Table Raisins, Pulled Figs, Fresh Figs, Fresh Shelled Nuts, Golden Dates, Grape Fruit, California, Florida and Mexican Oranges, and the very best new Nuts. Also "Sealshipt" Oysters. S. A. OKE 376 George St.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

THE EXAMINER welcomes all Items of Interest for this column. Phone 294 or send post card with name and address.

Capt P J Young, of Young's Point, was in the city to-day.

Miss B McMartin, Rochester, is home on her Christmas holidays.

Mr. Redmond Tarpey, of Lansing, Mich., is home for the holidays.

Mrs. Richard Clegg, of Wingham, is in the city for the Christmas holidays.

Mr Max Cameron is home from S. P. S., Toronto, for the Christmas holidays.

Miss M. McMartin, Toronto, is visiting at her home during the Christmas vacation.

Mr. Thos. Anglesey and Mr. R. Holt of Flint, Mich., have returned for Christmas.

Miss Mattie Brown, of Chicago, Ill., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. David Allaston, Water street.

Messrs A L Scott and Harry Roddy of Massena, N. Y., are in the city for the holiday season.

Mr. Charles Redman, of Montreal, is at home for the Christmas holidays, visiting relatives.

Mr. Herbert Henry is home from Sensing, Mich., visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Henry, Westcott street.

Mr Jas H Louden, chief engineer on the Steamer Norseman on the Great Lakes, during the past eight months has returned to the city.

Mr and Mrs O S Matchett went to Toronto this evening to spend Christmas with Mrs Matchett's parents, Mr and Mrs Jas. T Smart, 94 Lindsay Ave

Prof F. C. Edmonds, Lindsay, proprietor of the Wonderland Theatre, accompanied by his daughter, Miss M. Edmonds, school teacher at Silver Lake, was in the city to-day, renewing old acquaintances.

Band Christmas Afternoon at Street Railway Rink.

THE LAND OF CHRISTMAS CAKE

In the land of Christmas cake, where the spicy odours reign,
Pungent savours, sweetest flavours, and the old child dream again;
Pantry mysteries, kitchen histories, and the dear old life of grace—
Bring me back the dewy spirit of the old, old happy place;
Cutting citron, grating nutmeg, sifting spices, mixing dough,
In the land of Christmas cake in the days of long ago;
Sing with light heart home from school dear—
Ah, the icing, how it shines
On the fruit cake in the pantry
Where white rose with frost entwines.
—From Sir Walter Scott's "Marmion."

THE HIBERNIANS ELECT OFFICERS

At Last Regular Meeting—Mr. Harry Gainey the President.

At the last regular meeting of Division No. 1, A. O. H., Peterborough, the following officers were elected for the year 1909:

President—Harry Gainey.
Vice-President—Michael Neary.
Recording Secretary — William Lynch.
Financial Secretary—James Drain.
Treasurer—Joseph Kelly.
Sentinel—Nicholas Bibby.
Physician and Medical Examiner—Dr. Gallivan.

Band Christmas Afternoon at Street Railway Rink.

ACTIVE BUYING IN THE PRECIOUS METALS

Price of Silver Promises to Advance After Beginning of the Year.

A despatch from New York to Chicago says the principal gold and silver consuming interests represented among the makers and workers of watches, jewelry and silver and gold wares in the Maiden Lane district report that the volume of trade for the last quarter of this year will be within 25 per cent. of the trade done in the closing quarter of the last year of the boom period. The president of the world's largest watch case works says: "This year's consumption of gold and silver by manufacturers in this country will be not less than $60,000,000. Prospects for the consumption of gold and silver next year are excellent. There will be active buying of the precious metals in January and February. Silver is bound to go higher."

Band will be at Brock Street Rink on Christmas afternoon.
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PRIME CHRISTMAS CHEER AT GOSELIN'S MEAT MARKET

Get busy now, everybody and lay in a supply of choice Xmas meats the country can produce at the closest prices in the city. Order at Goselin's Meat Market, 241 George street, and save money. Read the low prices for Saturday.

My beef is all heifer and steer beef.
Beef — Sirloin roasts, 11c; porterhouse roast, 11c; rib roast, 9c; shoulder roasts, 9c; boiling beef, 5 to 7c. 3 lbs. steak for 25c.
Fresh pork sausages, 10c; 3 lbs. for 24c.
Head cheese, our own make, 4 lbs. for 25c.
Hind quarter beef, 6c.
Fore quarter beef, 5c.
Loin of beef, 8c.
Round of beef, 7c.
Hind quarter lamb, 12c.
Fore quarter lamb, 10c.
Loin of lamb, 12 1-2c.
Leg of lamb, 12 1-2c.
Fresh pork, 12 1-2c.
Hind quarter pork, 11c.
Fore quarter pork, 10c.
Hind quarter mutton, 9c.
Fore quarter mutton, 8c.
Loin of mutton, 10c.
Leg of mutton, 12c.
With every dollar's worth of meat I will give one pound suet, 8c, or 4 lbs. head cheese 20c, or 3 lbs. sausage, for 25c.
F. J. Goselin, 241 George street. 'Phone Bell 316K. These prices are strictly cash.

OBITUARY.

MR. REYNOLD MEYERS

The death occurred on Tuesday, Dec 22nd, in Toronto, of Mr Reynold Meyers, a former resident of Peterborough. The body arrived on the 11.16 C P R express to-day and was interred in Little Lake Cemetery, the funeral being held under the auspices of the A O F. Rev. J. G. Potter officiated.

Christmas Goods at China Hall

China Hall is now ready for Christmas Shoppers with the most complete stock of Christmas Goods ever shown in Peterborough. . . . . .

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Nominations For Municipal Honours On Monday Morning

Next Monday will be nomination day in Peterborough and Peterborough County for representatives in the contests for municipal honours in January. In Peterborough the nominations will include for the mayoralty, school trustees, and aldermen. They open at 10 o'clock for the first two and at 12 o'clock, noon, for aldermen. For school trustees five at least will be necessary to be nominated as the terms of five expire. Twelve candidates for aldermanic honours will be necessary.

Breaking Of The Driving Belt Injures Workingman's Face

At the Quaker Oats Company's factory this morning a rather severe accident happened to Mr. John Curtis, Bolivar street. It was understood, that one of the large driving belts was in need of repair but it was thought it would last over the day It was temporarily spliced to make it stronger. However, this morning the belt broke hitting Mr Curtis in the face and knocking him over on the cement floor. Dr. Eastwood was summoned and on examination found that he was suffering from an ugly wound at the back of his head and he will in all probability lose the sight of one eye. The Dan Spence ambulance removed him to Nicholls Hospital.

IT LOOKS LIKE A BIG NIGHT, TO-NIGHT

The World Simbolized Best, Permeated With That Spirit Which Reaches Its Fruition To-morrow.

This morning a George street merchant stated that the Christmas buying period has extended over the past week or ten days and he did not expect as great a rush this evening as in former years. The preachments of the press, the headlines in advertisements and the special inducements have done their work better than was expected. However, it would not be Christmas eve without a jolly, cheerful crowd on the streets and when Santa Claus piles high his gifts in his sleigh to-night the clerks will be as busy as the chorus in a Cohan musical comedy.

MR. LILLICRAP MAY BE CANDIDATE

Understood That He Will Contest Reeveship in Lakefield.

It is understood that Mr. F. J. Lillicrap, of Lakefield, will be a candidate for the reeveship of that town. Mr Lillicrap was reeve a few years ago. He was born in the village and has never lived very far away from it. He is a partner in the lumber firm of Lillicrap, Tate & Company.

CATHEDRAL SERVICES TO-MORROW

Christmas Day Important in Church Calendar.

Christmas is one of the most important feast days celebrated in the Catholic Church. The masses to-morrow begin at 5.30 a.m., with a high mass followed immediately by a low mass. The next is at 8 o'clock; children's mass at 9.15, and last mass at 10.30, which His Lordship Bishop O'Connor will sing. It will be a Pontifical High Mass during which His Lordship will give the Papal Benediction.

STREET RAILWAY RINK OPENS TO-MORROW

Band Will be in Attendance at Jackson Park in the Afternoon.

The street railway rink at Jackson Park will open for the season to-morrow morning, and no doubt the park will be a big drawing card in the way of Christmas attractions. The ice is in good condition and everything is ready for what promises to be a most successful opening. A section of the 57th Band will be on hand in the afternoon, and will provide a choice programme for the occasion. The weather conditions promise to be ideal for outdoor pastimes, as the probabilities are that it will not be very cold. The slide is in good condition and will be in full swing to-morrow.

HENS DISAPPEARING IN SOUTH END

Somebody is "Making a Noise Like a Coon" in a Certain Backyard.

A citizen residing on Aylmer street near its southern extremity states that there are some persons who are acquiring the very bad habit of robbing hen houses and his in particular, has been suffering of late. If the hens continue to disappear he intends to give the matter over to the police and make it hot for certain individuals, whom he has good reason to believe are the guilty parties.

Make a man out of your boy by giving him a Y.M.C.A. membership ticket for a Christmas Present.
8d-to-Dec. 23, 24

SALVATION ARMY XMAS TREE TO-MORROW NIGHT

The Christmas tree in connection with the Salvation Army will be held to-morrow evening beginning at 8 o'clock. The officers have received a few presents from some of the friends but are still very short of the required number. Any person or persons wishing to assist in providing presents for the children may do so by applying at the barracks.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25 cents.

PROCEEDINGS AT THE POLICE COURT

At police court this morning Mr and Mrs Jacob Firman were charged with being the keepers of a disorderly house at the corner of King and George streets. They were arraigned on the charge a few days ago and pleaded not guilty. Mr Gordon was present to look after their interests this morning and considerable evidence was heard in regard to the house and its people.

Several people testified that as far as they knew the general reputation of the house was bad, while P C Newhall and Mcnarry gave evidence to the effect that they had watched the house closely and told of some of the suspicious things that they had observed in connection with the case.

It was nearly two o'clock this afternoon before the evidence in the case was concluded, and after hearing it all the magistrate reserved judgment for one week.

The case of William Rattray, charged with stealing $963.12 from Martin Connors, was commenced at three o'clock this afternoon.

SMALL BUT EFFECTIVE—A Want Ad. in the Examiner. Try it.

Poultry for Christmas

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MERRY XMAS and HAPPY NEW YEAR
THE ONTARIO COAL CO., Limited
G. K. RACKHAM, Manager.
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2 lbs. Cream Candies	25c
1 lb. Chocolates	15c
New Grenoble Walnuts, 2 lbs. for	35c
New Taragona Almonds, 2 lbs. for	35c
Malaga Grapes	20c
California Seedless Oranges, per doz.	35c, 40c, 50c
Mexican Oranges, per doz.	20c, 30c

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CHATS ABOUT FAMOUS BOOKS AND THEIR AUTHORS

By F. M. B.

(Continued from last week.)

Richard Hooker was born at Heavitree, near Exeter, in Devonshire, in 1553, the same year that witnessed the birth of Spenser; and owing, first, to the kindness of his uncle, and afterwards to that of Bishop Jewell, he was provided with a university education. His career at Corpus Christi College, Oxford, was a distinguished one, for he proved himself so facile in the acquisition of Oriental languages, that in his twenty-sixth year he was appointed a lecturer in Hebrew at the university. There he had for his pupils Edwin Sandys, son of the Archbishop of York, and George Cranmer, grandnephew of the Archbishop of Canterbury. After two years' labours as a lecturer at the university he took holy orders, and was appointed to preach at St. Paul's Cross.

Hooker's Unfortunate Marriage

This appointment led, in one sense, to the undoing of Hooker. Fate led him to board with a certain Mrs. Churchman, whose house was the accustomed lodging place of certain of the clergy, and he there fell a victim to the artifices of his landlady by taking her advice and marrying her daughter, Joan. It is not often that men complacently allow others to choose for them their partners for weal and woe, but Hooker, unfortunately for his peace of mind, did so, and found, all too late, that his wife was a shrew, fitted to occupy a place by the side of those two ornamental celebrities, the spouses of Socrates and Milton.

Solomon remarks in the Proverbs, that "a continual dropping in a very rainy day and a contentious woman are alike." Hooker's wife had neither wealth nor beauty to recommend her to favour; her nagging tongue was her strongest asset, and Hooker's domestic life seems to have been passed amid the raging of a perpetual tempest.

The first year of his married life was spent as rector of the parish of Drayton-Beauchamp in Buckinghamshire. Here he received a visit from his two old pupils. They found him with the Odes of Horace in his hands, tending the sheep in the field, whilst his servant was away at dinner, and when they returned to the house, he "was called to rock the cradle." The friends were evidently not agreeably impressed with their visit, for the narrative goes on to say that "they stayed but till the next morning," and greatly grieving at his condition, "left him to the company of his wife Joan."

Master of the Temple

Hooker was not destined to remain long at Drayton Beauchamp, for the following year, owing to the solicitation of Sandys, the Archbishop of York obtained for him the mastership of the Temple. For this appointment he had a rival in the shape of Walter Travers, who was a Presbyterian, and an evening lecturer in the same church. As the views of these two preachers were diametrically opposed to each other, it may well be supposed that matters were not altogether as harmonious as they might have been, especially as Travers always attempted in the evening service a refutation of what Hooker had said in the morning, and the latter invariably combatted the views of Travers on the following Sunday. Partisanship rose so high in the parish that Archbishop Whitgift at last forbade Travers to preach.

Hooker, tired of this sort of theological battling, and anxious to obtain a country parsonage, had petitioned Whitgift for removal to some place where, to use his own words, "I may keep myself in peace and privacy and behold God's blessing spring out of my mother earth, and eat my own bread without oppositions."

In accordance with his wish he was presented in 1591 to the rectory of Boscombe, near Salisbury, and there he composed the first four books of the Laws of Ecclesiastical Polity. These were not published till 1593 or 1594. In the following year he was appointed rector of Bishopsbourne, near Canterbury, and there, in 1597, he completed his fifth book. His original intention had been to publish eight books, but he only lived to finish the sixth, which has, unfortunately, been lost. Hooker died in November, 1600, from the effects of a bad cold, contracted in journeying from London to Gravesend.

Hooker's Great Work

The Laws of Ecclesiastical Polity was directed in great measure against the Presbyterians, not in a bearish way, but more in the form of a soft answer against their attacks on the Episcopacy. The lapse of 300 years has rendered his work valuable, more for its philosophical than its theological reasoning, for Hooker's fundamental standpoint is the absolute necessity of law. Law, "whose seat as he beautifully expressed it, is the bosom of God, whose voice the harmony of the world."

Hooker, apart from the majestic flow of his language and the dignity of his style, has a distinct claim on our gratitude, for many of the ideas which he promulgated in his work have been incorporated in the grand fabric of the British constitution.

Hooker on Church Music

The following short extract from his work on Church Music bears so well on certain other curious matters relating to the effect of harmony, as that I append it. Touching musical harmony, whether by instrument or by voice, it being but of high or low in sounds a due proportionable disposition, such notwithstanding, is the force thereof and so pleasing effects it hath in that very part of man which is most divine, that some have been thereby induced to think that the soul itself by nature is, or hath in it harmony. a thing which delighteth all ages and becometh all states; a thing as seasonable in grief as in joy." "In harmony the very image and character even of virtue and vice is perceived, the mind delighted with their resemblances and brought by having them often iterated into a love of the things themselves. For which cause there is nothing more contagious and prevalent than some kinds of harmony; than some nothing more strong and potent unto good".

Music has indeed in all ages exercised a wonderful power over mankind and indeed over all creation. In the days of King Saul, we find David chosen to play his harp before the sick monarch in order to charm away his melancholy. Were we to allow ourselves to believe all that the ancients tell us we would find that Aesculapius healed diseased with soothing songs; that Theophrastus, the long-lived pupil of Plato and of Aristotle considered music good for the hip gout; and that Cato considered it beneficial when limbs were out of joint. We all know what Shakespeare has said about music and Congreve also has written that "Music hath charms to soothe the savage breast,
To soften rocks or bend a knotted oak."

King Saul was not the only monarch on whom music has been tried as a cure for the dissipation of the megrims for a certain King of Spain was charmed back to health by the magical voice of singer named Farinelli.

It is on record that an officer confined in the Bastille, by playing on his lute collected around him great numbers of mice and spiders. It is unpleasant to record that being of a practical and unsentimental turn of mind, the musican noticing the astonishing result of his music, obtained possession of a cat, placed it in a cage and let loose after he had charmed his diminutive audience from their holes.

In the islands of Madeira, lizards which were used by the natives for food, used to be caught by the attraction of music. Serpents and birds we know are captivated by it.

We may well believe that music enters into the very soul for it is the soother of sorrow, the lightener of burdens, the joy of young and old alike. Dryden has said—"What passion cannot music raise or quell?" And we may well ask the same question when we find certain well-loved airs capable of dissolving an assemblage in tears or of heartening men to deeds of unexampled heroism.

The Swiss melody of Ranz des Vaches, the Scotchman's Gook o' the North and The Campbells are Coming", the Frenchman's Marseillaise, the Englishman's The Girl I left Behind Me, the Irishman's Erin-go-Bragh, have all been incentives to deeds of wonderful valour."

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MILLBROOK MAN TELLS A REMARKABLE STORY

Of a Prayer Meeting Held in Early Days in New Hampshire.

Samuel Russell, of Millbrook, Ont., has written the following to the Lethbridge Herald for publication:

Let me tell you a remarkable story I heard Mrs. H. L. Hastings, wife of the late editor of the Boston Christian, relate one morning as we were about to engage in family worship. Opening upon a certain hymn in "Songs of Pilgrimage," there was brought to her mind a strange incident which occurred in the days of her girlhood away up among the hills of New Hampshire.

When she was but 16 years of age she and her sister, who was a couple of years her senior, were asked by a neighbour and his wife, to take charge of a meeting, which they were about to have convened at their own house. After considerable hesitation, Mrs. H. and her sister finally gave their consent to do what they could toward leading the meeting in prospect. It was a very Godless neighbourhood by which they were surrounded, but few people making any profession of religion at all. The meeting was to be held on a Sunday. It was in the depth of winter. When the time of the meeting had arrived, and the two young girls had entered their neighbour's house, they found it filled with about an equal number of thoughtless young men and women who had come together apparently for the express purpose of having a good time at their expense; for as soon as they made their appearance in their midst many of them began to snicker and laugh, while others perhaps a little more modest, held their hands before their face.

One can well imagine how embarrassed and how very trying it must have been for two so young and inexperienced to undertake the charge of such a gathering. When Mrs. H. arose to give out a hymn (the one mentioned above) she noticed in the audience a young man whom she had never seen before. His countenance was fair and very beautiful. When the hymn had been given out a tune was struck which only Mrs. H. and the young stranger knew, and they sang the hymn through together. At the close of the singing they all knelt, and this unknown person engaged in prayer. His words and manner of utterance produced a strange and very marked effect upon all present. "Oh," said Mrs. H., "I never, never, heard such a prayer. He seemed to pray straight up into Heaven." When the prayer was ended and they arose from their knees every face was bathed in tears. A mysterious and irresistible power accompanied the prayer which brought conviction of sin to those thoughtless young people, and led them to realize their need of a Saviour. But strange to say, the young man was no longer to be seen in their midst.

After a moment's surprise the old gentleman of the house who had called the meeting together asked one of the young men what had become of the stranger who sang and prayed. In reply the young man said: "I watched him while he was praying, and when I looked again he was gone."

"What makes it seem all the more perplexing," said Mrs. H., "was that every door was closed, every window was double sashed, and the snow was so deep that it was piled half way up the windows, and there was no possible chance of anyone leaving without being observed."

"The event," continued Mrs. H., "became talked of all over the neighbourhood, the meetings from that strange beginning were continued and the greatest revival ever known in that part of the world was the result."

The writer was well acquainted with both Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hastings, having been employed in their publishing house for several months. Their publications have gone to all parts of the Christian world, and even to heathendom. Mrs. Hastings is herself the author of a book of over 300 pages entitled "Pebbles from the Path of a Pilgrim," which contains many marvellous answers to prayer, and which has had an immense circulation."

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Continued from last Saturday

The reverie bore breaking. It had been none too pleasant. In it sad memories disputed place with present difficulties. Some third or so remained of Lady Meg's hundred pound note. Necessity had forced the use of the money at any cost to pride. When all was gone Sophy would have to depend on what is so often a last and so often a vain refuge—the teaching of French. It was the only subject which she could claim to teach. Verily, it was a poor prospect. It was better to look at the officers and the ladies than to think of it—aye, better than to think of Casimir and of what lay in the past. With her strong will she strove to steel herself alike against recollection and against apprehension.

The cafe was nearly deserted. The hour was too early for the citizens, and Sophy's own chocolate had been merely an excuse to sit down. Yet presently a young officer in a hussar uniform stopped his horse opposite the door and, giving over the reins to an orderly who attended him, nimbly dismounted. Tall and fair, with a pleasant, open face, he wore his finery with a dashing air and caressed a delicate upturned mustache as he glanced around, choosing his seat. The next moment he advanced toward Sophy. Giving her a polite salute, he indicated a little table next to hers.

"Mademoiselle permits?" he asked. "She has, I fear, forgotten, but I have the honor to be an acquaintance of hers."

"I remember," smiled Sophy. "Captain Markart? We met at Mme. Zerkovitch's."

"Oh, that's pleasant of you!" he cried. "I hate being clean forgotten. But I fear you remember me only because I sang so badly!"

"I remember best that you said you wanted to go and help France, but your general wouldn't let you."

"Ah, I know why you remember that—you especially! Forgive me. Our friend Marie Zerkovitch told me." He turned away for a moment to give an order to the waiter.

"What's going on today?" asked Sophy. "Where's everybody going?"

"Why, you are a stranger, mademoiselle!" he laughed. "It's the king's name day, and we all go and congratulate him."

"Is that it? Are you going?"

"Certainly. In attendance of my general—General Stenovics. My lodgings are near here, his house at the other end of the boulevard, so he gave me leave to meet him here. I thought I would come early and fortify myself a little for the ordeal. To mademoiselle's good health!" He looked at her with openly admiring eyes, to which tribute Sophy accorded a lazy, unembarrassed smile. She leaned her chin in her hand, turning her right cheek toward him. Sophy was never disdainful, never neglectful. Her pose now was good.

"What sort of a man is the king?" she asked.

"The king is most emphatically a very good sort of fellow—a very good old fellow. I only wish his son was like him! The prince is a Tartar. Has he gone by yet?"

"I don't think so. I suppose he'd have an escort, wouldn't he? I don't know him by sight yet. Does everybody call the king a good fellow?"

"Some people are so extremely righteous!" pleaded Markart ruefully. "And, anyhow, he has reformed now."

"Because he's old?"

"Fifty-nine. Is that so very old? No; I rather attribute it (you're discreet, I hope? I'm putting my fortunes in your hands) to Mme. la Comtesse."

"The Countess Ellenburg? Marie has told me something about her."

"Ah! Mme. Zerkovitch is a friend of hers?"

"Not intimate, I think. And is the countess oppressively respectable, Captain Markart?"

"Women in her position always are," said the captain, with an affected sigh. His round, chubby face was wrinkled with merriment. "You see, a morganatic marriage isn't such a well established institution here as in some other countries. Oh, it's legal enough no doubt if it's agreed to on that basis, but the Stefanovitches have in the past often made nonroyal marriages—with their own subjects generally. Well, there was nobody else for them to marry! Alexis got promotion in his first marriage—an Italian Bourbon, which is always respectable if not very brilliant. That gave us a position, and it couldn't be thrown away. So the second marriage had to be morganatic. Only—well, women are ambitious, and she has a young son who bears the king's name, a boy twelve years old."

He looked reflectively at his polished boots. Sophy sat in thoughtful silence. A jingle of swords and the clatter of hoofs roused them. A troop of soldiers rode by. Their uniform was the same smart tunic of light blue, with black facings, as adorned Captain Markart's shapely person.

"Ah, here's the prince!" said Markart, rising briskly to his feet. Sophy followed his example, though more in curiosity than in respect.

The young man at the head of the troop returned Markart's salute, but was apparently unconscious of the individual from whom it proceeded. He rode by without turning his head or giving a glance in the direction of the cafe terrace. Sophy saw a refined profile, with a straight nose, rather short and a pale cheek. There was little trace of the Bourbon side of the pedigree.

"He's on his promotion, too," continued the loquacious and irreverent captain as he resumed his seat. "They want a big fish for him—something German, with a resounding name. Poor fellow!"

"Well, it's his duty," said Sophy.

"Somebody who'll keep the countess in order, eh?" smiled Markart, twirling his mustache. "That's about the size of it, I expect, though naturally the general doesn't show me his hand. I only tell you common gossip."

"I think you hardly do yourself justice. You've been very interesting, Captain Markart."

"I tell you what," he said, with an engaging candor, "I believe that somehow the general makes me chatter just to the extent he wants me to and then stops me. I don't know how he does it. It's quite unconscious on my part. I seem to say just what I like!"

They laughed together over this puzzle. "You mean General Stenovics?" asked Sophy.

"Yes, General Stenovics. Ah, here he is!" He sprang up again and made a low bow to Sophy. "Au revoir, made moiselle. A thousand thanks!"

He saluted her and hurried to the side of the pavement. General Stenovics rode up, with two orderlies behind him. Saluting again, Markart mounted his horse. The general brought his to a stand and waited the necessary moment or two with a good humored smile. His eyes wandered from the young officer to the presumable cause of his lack of vigilance. Sophy felt the glance rest on her face. In her turn she saw a stout, stumpy figure clad in a rather ugly dark green uniform, and a heavy, olive tinted face adorned with a black mustache and a stubbly gray beard. General Stenovics, president of the council of ministers, was not an imposing personage to the outward view. But Sophy returned the regard of his prominent pale blue eyes, which sorted oddly with the complexion of his face, with vivid attention. The general rode on, Markart following, but turning in his saddle to salute once more and to wave his hand in friendly farewell.

General Stenovics.

For the first time since her arrival in Slavna Sophy was conscious of a stir of excitement. Life had been dull and heavy. The mind had enjoyed little food save the diet of sad memories. To day she seemed to be brought into sight of living interests again. They were far off, but they were there. Markart's talk had made a link between them and her. She sat on for a long while, watching the junction of the streams and the broad current which flowed onward past the palace on its long journey to the sea. Then she rose with a sigh. The time drew near for a French lesson. Marie Zerkovitch had already got her two pupils.

This day Sophy began the diary. The first entry is dated that afternoon. Her prescience—or presentiment—was not at fault. From today events moved fast, and she was strangely caught up in the revolutions of the wheel.

Chapter Eleven

It was the evening of the king's name day. There was a banquet at the palace, and the lights in its windows twinkled in sympathetic response to the illuminations which blazed on the public buildings and principal residences of Slavna. Everywhere feasting and revelry filled the night. The restaurant of the Hotel de Paris was crowded, every seat on its terrace occupied. The old inn of the Golden Lion, opposite the barracks in the square of St. Michael, a favorite resort of the officers of the garrison, did a trade no less good. Humbler hostelries were full of private soldiers and the streets themselves of revelers, male and female, military and civil, honest and dishonest, drunk and sober. Slavna had given itself up to a frolic, for, first, a fete is a fete, no matter what its origin; second, King Alexis was the most popular man in his dominions, though he never did a decent day's work for them; last, there is often no better way to show how much you hate one man than by making a disproportionate fuss about another. It was well understood that by thus honoring King Alexis, its monarch, by thus vociferously and untiringly wishing him the longest of reigns, Slavna was giving a stinging back hander to Prince Sergius, its titular prince and commandant. You would see the difference when the prince's day come round! When General Stenovics pointed to the lights gleaming across the Krath from the palace windows and congratulated his royal highness on the splendid popularity of the reigning house the prince's smile may well have been ironical.

"I shall go and see all this merriment for myself at close quarters presently, general," he said. "I think the commandant had best return to the city tonight as early as the king will allow."

"An admirable devotion to duty, sir," answered the general gravely and without any effort to dissuade the zealous prince.

But even in this city there was one spot of gloom, one place where sullen rancor had not been ousted by malicious merriment. The first company of his majesty's guards was confined to its barracks in the square of St. Michael by order of the commandant of Slavna. This by reason of high military misdemeanors—slackness when on duty, and rioting and drunkenness when on leave. Nor were the officers any better than the men.

Captain Mistitch rapped out a vicious oath.

"May I go and see them and cheer them up a bit, sir, instead of coming with you to the palace?" asked good natured Markart of General Stenovics.

"If his royal highness gives you leave, certainly," agreed the general.

The commandant liked Markart. "Yes—and tell them what fools they are," he said, with a smile.

Markart found the imprisoned officers at wine after their dinner. The men had resigned themselves to fate and gone to bed. Markart delivered his message with his usual urbane simplicity. Lieutenant Rastatz giggled uneasily. He had a high falsetto laugh. Lieutenant Sterkoff frowned peevishly. Captain Mistitch rapped out a vicious oath and brought his great fist down on the table. "The evening isn't finished yet," he said. "But for this cursed fellow I should have been dining with Vera at the Hotel de Paris tonight!"

Whereupon condolences were offered to their captain by his subalterns, who, in fact, held him in no small degree of fear. He was a huge fellow, six feet three and broad as a door. A great bruiser and a duelist of fame. His nickname was Hercules. His florid face was flushed now with hot anger, and he drank his wine in big gulps.

"How long are we to stand it?" he growled. "Are we schoolgirls?"

"Come, come, it's only for one evening," pleaded Markart. "One quiet evening won't hurt even Captain Hercules!"

The subalterns backed him with a laugh, but Mistitch would have none of it. He sat glowering and drinking still, not to be soothed and decidedly dangerous. From across the square came the sound of music and singing from the Golden Lion. Again Mistitch banged the table.

"Listen there!" he said. "That's pleasant hearing while we're shut up like rats in a trap and all Slavna laughing at us!"

Markart shrugged his shoulders and smoked in silence. To argue with the man was to court a quarrel. He began to repent of his well meant visit. Mistitch drained his glass.

"But some of us have a bit of spirit left, and so Master Sergius shall see," he went on. He put out a great hand on either side and caught Sterkoff and Rastatz by their wrists. "We're the fellows to show him!" he cried.

Sterkoff seemed no bad choice for such an enterprise—a wiry, active fellow, with a determined, if disagreeable, face and a nasty squint in his right eye. But Rastatz, with his slim figure, weak mouth and high laugh, promised no great help. Yet in him fear of Mistitch might overcome all other fear.

"Yes, we three 'll show him! And now"—he rose to his feet, dragging the pair up with him—"for a song and a bottle at the Golden Lion!"

Rastatz gasped. Even Sterkoff started. Markart laughed. It could be nothing more than a mad joke. Cashiering was the least punishment which would await the act.

"Yes, we three together!" He released them for a moment and caught up his sword and cap. Then he seized Rastatz's wrist again and squeezed it savagely. "Come out of your trap with me, you rat!" he growled in savage amusement at the young man's frightened face.

Sterkoff gained courage. "I'm with you, Hercules!" he cried. "I'm for tonight—the devil take tomorrow morning!"

"You're all drunk," said Markart in despairing resignation.

"We'll be drunker before the night's out," snarled Mistitch, "and if I meet that fellow when I'm drunk, God help him!" He laughed loudly. "Then there might be a chance for young Alexis, after all!"

The words alarmed Markart. Young Count Alexis was the king's son by Countess Ellenburg. A chance for young Alexis!

"For heaven's sake, go to bed!" he implored.

Mistitch turned to him. "I don't want to quarrel with anybody in Slavna tonight unless I meet one man. But you can't stop me, Markart, and you'll only do mischief by trying. Now, my boys!"

"Come out of your trap with me, you rat!"

They were with him. Sterkoff with a gleam in his squinting eye, Rastatz with a forced, uneasy giggle and shaking knees. Mistitch clapped them on the back.

"Another bottle apiece and we'll all be heroes," he cried. "Markart, you go home to your mamma!"

Though given in no friendly way, this advice was wise beneath its metaphor. But Markart did not at once obey it. He had no more authority than power to interfere. Mistitch was his senior officer, and he had no special orders to act, but he followed the three in a fascinated interest and with the hope that a very brief proof of his freedom would content the captain. Out from the barracks the three marched. The sentry at the gate presented arms, but tried to bar their progress. With a guffaw and a mighty push Mistitch sent him sprawling. "The commandant wants us, you fool!" he cried—and the three were in the square.

"What the devil will come of this business?" thought Markart as he followed them over the little bridge which spanned the canal and thence to the door of the Golden Lion. Behind them still, he passed the seats on the pavement and entered the great saloon. As Mistitch and his companions came in three-fourths of the company sprang to their feet and returned the salute of the newcomers. So strongly military in composition was the company—officers on one side of a six feet high glass screen which cut the room in two, sergeants and their inferiors on the other. A moment's silence succeeded the salute. Then a young officer cried, "The king has interfered?" It did not occur to anybody that the commandant might have changed his mind and reversed his decree. For good or evil, they knew him too well to think of that.

"The king interfered?" Mistitch echoed in his sonorous, rolling, thick voice. "No. We've interfered ourselves and walked out! Does any one object?"

He glared a challenge around. There were officers present of superior rank. They drank their beer or wine discreetly. The juniors broke into a ringing cheer. It was taken up and echoed back from behind the glass screen, to which a hundred faces were in an instant glued, over which here and there the head of some soldier more than common tall suddenly projected.

"A table here!" cried Mistitch. "And champagne! Quick! Sit down, my boys!"

A strange silence followed the impulsive cheers. Men were thinking. Cheers first, thoughts afterward, was the order in Slavna as in many other cities. Now they recognized the nature of this thing, the fateful change from sullen obedience to open defiance. Was it only a drunken frolic—or, besides that, was it a summons to each man to choose his side? Choosing his side might well mean staking his life. Mistitch rose from his chair, glass in hand.

"Long life to the king!" he shouted. "That's loyal, isn't it? Aye, immortal life!"

The cheers broke out again, mingled with laughter. A voice cried, "Hard on his heir, Captain Hercules!"

"Aye!" Mistitch roared back. "Hard as he is on us, my friend!"

Another burst of cheering, and again that conscience smitten silence.

Markart had found a seat near the door and a good way from the redoubtable Mistitch and his companions. He looked at his watch. It was nearly 10. In half an hour General Stenovics would be leaving the palace, and it was meet that he should know of all this as soon as possible. Markart made up his mind that he would slip away soon, but still the interest of the scene, the fascination of this prelude—such it seemed to him—held his steps bound.

Suddenly a young man of aristocratic appearance rose from a table at the end of the room, where he had been seated in company with a pretty and smartly dressed girl. A graceful gesture excused him to his fair companion, and he threaded his way deftly between the jostling tables to where Mistitch sat. He wore court dress and a decoration.

"Well, who follows me?" he cried.

Markart recognized in the young man Baron von Hollbrandt, junior secretary of the German legation in Slavna.

Hollbrandt bowed to Mistitch, with whom he was acquainted, then bent over the giant's burly back and whispered in his ear:

"Take a friend's advice, captain," he said. "I've been at the palace, and I know the prince had permission to withdraw at half past 9. He was to return to Slavna then to duty. Come, go back. You've had your spree."

"By the Lord, I'm obliged to you!" cried Mistitch. "Lads, we're obliged to Baron von Hollbrandt! Could you tell me the street he means to come by? Because"—he rose to his feet again—"we'll go and meet him!"

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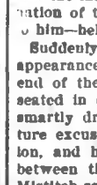

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When the forests are afire, when the smoke makes dusk at noon and reddens the harvest moon a thousand miles away, there is the measure of a conflagration. When the prairies burn, as they used to before farms had crept in upon the endless miles of grass, there was a fire which ran like mad and left behind it a blackened trail of death. If one could combine the speed of the prairie fire with the tumult of the blazing forest, that would be a fire indeed.

Such a combination is effected when the bamboo groves catch fire. The bamboo is but a grass, a grass with the height of a tree, swaying stems reaching 100, even 150, feet in air.

In Cambodia, where the bamboo groves along the rivers cover the space of forests, it is no unusual thing for fires to break out and sweep all before them for many miles. If the summer has been dry the bamboo turns sear and inflammable as any grass.

All that is needed is a spark; then ruin runs red. It is not necessary to rely upon the carelessness of the woodsman to start the blaze. The bamboo can kindle itself.

Let two swaying stalks of dry bamboo be set in motion by the breeze, let one rub across the other long enough, and the friction will set the spark, and the long dry leaves will feed the flame. It is known that many fires of the bamboo forests thus originate. Perhaps it was from observing such a sight that primitive man learned the Promethean secret. That theory has been advanced.

As soon as a flame in the bamboos has crept to the level of the tossing tips it spreads like wildfire. The wind carries a sheet of flame along the grove at tremendous speed. Some observers say that such fires have been seen to move forward at the rate of more than a mile a minute. Seen from below, it looks as if she sky had burst into an instant flash of flame.

From such a burst of fire there could be no escape. Fortunately it passes high overhead at the tops of the bamboos. It serves as a warning to the traveler who may be making his way along some one of the water courses by which the forest is intersected. The bamboo itself is almost an obstacle to travel of any sort. It is well nigh impossible to force a way through it except by the slow and toilsome labor of hewing out a path.

The fire in the great trunks moves more slowly, and if warning be taken it may be possible to sink one's boat and throw up wet herbage and clay against the bank of the stream to provide shelter until the furnace blast has blown by. Such a fire in the bamboo has not only the speed of the prairie fire on its sweep overhead, but it has the same volume of fuel as is found in any forest fire. It combines the two types.

Bamboo forest fires have another quality which is all their own. They bang and rattle with thunderous crashes, as of artillery fire, without cessation.

The stalks of these tree bamboos are frequently more than a foot in diameter. Near the ground the joints are close together; in the younger growth the nodes may be several feet apart. But, long or short as they may be, each joint of the sun dried bamboo is a tightly sealed chamber filled with air. The partitions between the cavities are singularly tough; the outside rind of the stalks is almost pure flint.

When the blast of the flame sweeps onward the air in the stalks upon which it is driven is suddenly heated to a very high temperature. The residuum of moisture which may be in the stems is immediately transformed into steam and at once subjected to superheating, thus becoming a violent explosive. As the hot breath of the flame becomes hotter these joints burst with loud cannon discharges.

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The Daring Scheme That Was Worked by a German Doctor.

Near a small village in one of the lake states lived a western millionaire in seclusion with his little daughter and a few servants. The child was afflicted with a rare cerebro spinal complaint, a most unpleasant manifestation of which was a frequent hiccough, and eminent physicians, both in America and Europe, had pronounced the case organic and incurable.

Later there came to live in the village a widow with a little girl affected similar to the millionaire's daughter. This child was a delicate, flower faced creature, wistful from the isolation that must have been her sad lot, and the peculiar bark-like hiccough which she made at once attracted the millionaire's attention, and, being a big hearted if rather ignorant man, he gave the mother employment about his home and showered the afflicted child with presents.

Perhaps four months after the widow's advent an eccentric German doctor settled in the village, and, his services being sought by the widow, he gave her child treatment, with the result that it was completely cured.

The millionaire immediately sought to place his own daughter under the German's care, but the latter flatly refused to take the case. He was a Socialist of a violent type and would have nothing to do with a man whose wealth exceeded the sum that he had fixed upon as the lawful limit of material possession.

Finally, however, after the father had patiently borne the grossest insults the German agreed to give the afflicted child treatment on condition that the other would first deed over a large tract of land in Texas for a Socialist colony and pay him for his fee a sum little short of $50,000. This the millionaire did, but as soon as the doctor had cashed the check he disappeared with the widow and her child, and the wealthy man realized that, blinded by paternal love, he had been made the victim of an ingenious swindle.

The flower faced girl of the widow had been taught to simulate a disease, and the German was no doubt her father. He was subsequently located in Buenos Aires, but he injured man, not wishing his daughter's affliction published broadcast, dropped the prosecution.—Don Mark Lemon in Bohemian Magazine.

EXECUTING MAZEPPA.

Peter the Great's Odd Way of Punishing a Deserter.

Peter the Great, czar of Russia, punished a traitor on a notable occasion in a way that the numerous victims of the present czar's wrath might well wish were still in vogue.

Mazeppa, chieftain of the Cossacks, had deserted to the king of Sweden, with whom Peter was at war. Mazeppa was at once tried by court martial and found guilty of high treason. Sentence of death was passed upon him.

Mazeppa, however, was safely in the camp of the Swedish king, but this fact was not permitted to stand in the way of the carrying ont of every part of the sentence. A wooden effigy of Mazeppa was made, and the punishments were inflicted upon the Cossack chieftain's substitute.

The effigy was first dressed in Mazeppa's uniform, and upon its breast were pinned all of the medals, ribbons and other decorations that the real culprit had worn.

While the commanding general and a squadron of cavalry stood near an officer advanced to the wooden man and read the sentence. Then another officer wrenched off the effigy's patent of knighthood and his other decorations, tore them up and trampled upon them. This done, he struck the wooden gentleman a powerful blow in the pit of the stomach, knocking him over. Next a hangman appeared. While the soldiers shouted he threw a noose over the imitation Mazeppa's head and dragged the effigy to a nearby gallows, where it was "hanged by the neck until it was dead."

An Aquatic Outfielder.

One day a ship was lying at anchor at Boca Grande when the crew observed a dolphin chasing a flying fish, both coming directly toward the ship. On nearing the vessel the flier arose in the air and passed over the bow just abaft the foremast. As it did so the dolphin went under the ship and, coming up on the other side, sprang from the water and caught the flying fish on "the fly" just as it was curving gracefully down in its descent to the water.—Punta Gorda Herald.

Missing Opportunities.

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Around you are other houses at uniform distances apart and connected by a series of narrow gauge tracks wherein workmen are railroading nitroglycerin from here and pulp cotton from there to be compounded into dynamite and blasting gelatin. Greatest care is taken in rolling the product from house to house. As soon as a loaded cart is ready to pass out of the nitroglycerin house, for instance, a semaphore signals from an adjoining station, to which the consignment is carefully hurried.

Around you are long storehouses packed with pulp in tons of innocent whiteness. Presently this pulp will assume a tan color under the nitrating process, and then, suddenly becoming carbonite, red cross, hercules, judson and giant powder, forcite or what you order, it develops the quasi virtues of dynamite—dynamite or blasting gelatin in which more natural forces are condensed to the cubic inch than exist anywhere else in creation. Death, curbed and sleeping, encircles you in gallons and tons. Annihilation threatens at every turn in the form of potential pulverising forces. But the man and the mercury are there also, alert, responsive, reliable.

LIBRARY SLOW POKES.

Time Killing Methods of Officials in Continental Europe.

"Americans who grumble about having to wait a long time for books when applying to a public library," said a Boston literary woman, "should try to work or study in a foreign library, particularly in Germany.

"The typical continental librarian takes no account of time. The reader, worker or student must turn in his or her application for books at least a day in advance. The men who search for the books applied for are aged, tottering creatures who have been shuffling around the dusty piles of books for years, and the word hurry is not in their vocabulary.

"The most priceless books and manuscripts are kept in places which are perfect fire traps, and disorder predominates in every department. When you speak about the impossible methods employed the librarians tell you that they are too poor to introduce any modern indexes or catalogues. This is to some extent so, but as a matter of fact they would not change if they had all the money in the world at their disposal.

"They do not wish to encourage the common people to use books. The learned are among the aristocracy, and the spread of the knowledge which is hidden in those wonderful literary museums is far from the purpose of the men at the head of Europe's libraries.

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The Town to Be Born In.

In the German town of Klingenberg, near Aschaffenberg, Bavaria, in addition to having no rates to pay for the upkeep of the town, those actually born in the parish receive from the municipality a sum of £12 15s. a year. This sum, if invested regularly at, say, 3 per cent, would entitle the owner to receive about £1,500 at the age of sixty—a very handsome old age pension. Were it not necessary that the inhabitants should prove birth in the parish before becoming entitled to this payment the popularity of Klingenberg as a place of residence would doubtless be enormous.—Westminster Gazette.

For Bargain Day.

"She's no lady!"

"Why, I always thought her most refined."

"On the surface, yes. But what do you think of a woman who wears her little boy's football shoes to the bargain sales and spikes every one who gets in her way?"

After Him.

"It's hard to lose your friends," remarked the man who was down and out.

"Hard?" snorted the man who was on the high tide of prosperity. "It's impossible."

The Prompter.

"I suppose that inspiration prompts many of your jokes."

"A few," admitted the press humorist. "Desperation, however, prompts the most."

Practical.

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"Oh, George did you bring the deeds with you?"

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Stella's Dignity.

"Glenn paid me a dandy compliment last night, mother—one that will please you, too," said Stella Harding. "He was talking about the girls in this block and how disgusted the boys were getting with them. He said the trouble with the girls round here was that they had positively no personal dignity, and he never seemed to take into account that I lived in the block myself. But he made up afterward for forgetting. He said not much, he guessed, he didn't mean me; that I was noted for my dignity with all the fellows, and he'd often heard them speak of it. What do you say to that?"

Mrs. Harding was listening with motherly satisfaction. "How did it happen to occur to him that you might be applying it to yourself?" she asked.

"I put it to him straight. I just waited until he stopped for breath, and then I said, 'Well, jiminy, Glenn, is this a slam?'"

"Stella, what a speech! There's no dignity about that!"

"Oh, toot, mamma!" was the laughing response, made without the slightest intention of disrespect. "That's just the way we all talk. Things like that don't count on dignity one way or the other—not in our bunch. It's how you act, don't you know?"—Youth's Companion.

Foxes' Scalps and Salvation.

Some years ago at a session of the legislature of Kentucky an effort to repeal the law offering a bounty on foxes' scalps was made, but was defeated by the appeal of a member from a mountainous and sparsely settled region. "Do the gentlemen want to deprive my constituents and me of the benefits of hearing the gospel preached?" he demanded, with indignation in his tone and overspreading his rugged countenance. "We are all Methodists up my way, and our preachers won't come without we can give 'em chickens, I know. We can't raise chickens unless the foxes are killed by somebody, that's sure, and there ain't anybody that can afford to spend their time hunting foxes and get nothing to pay for it. So, gentlemen, if you repeal this law you'll be depriving my constituents of the benefit of hearing the gospel preached; that's the way it looks to me!" The law was not repealed at that session.—Argonaut.

Engaged as a "Star Turn."

An amusing confusion of identity happened to Sir Henry Bellingham while a guest of the Bishop of Peterborough and Lady Mary Carr Glyn a short time ago. He was mystified by receiving a telegram which read, "Have engaged you as star turn at ——Hippodrome, acrobatic and juggling combined." At first Sir Henry thought some harmless lunatic was playing a joke upon him, until inquiries solved the mystery. The telegram was intended for a music-hall artiste named Bellonini, performing, not at the Bishop's palace, but at the Palace of Varieties in that city.

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True Detective Stories

THE MAN WHO CALLED AT NIGHT

BY A. L. DRUMMOND, FORMER CHIEF OF THE U. S SECRET SERVICE.

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ON October 18, 1877, I was Chief of the Philadelphia District of the United States Secret Service. On the evening of that day I was reading in my home, No. 731 Wood street, when the doorbell rang. The servant who answered the bell would not let the caller in. She came back and told me a very ugly looking man was standing on the porch. I went out to investigate and found—an old friend. In his time he had been one of the worst criminals in Philadelphia. He still associated with criminals, but not for the purpose of joining them in any of their undertakings. His business was to learn the secrets of his crooked friends and sell the information to the government. And I bought what he had to sell just as the government in time of war will compensate a traitor for revealing facts regarding the plans of the enemy.

I brought the man into the parlor and asked him what he came to tell me.

"Oh, not much," he said. "Maybe you will not care anything about it—it's not in your line. But the gang are going out to-night to do a job somewhere in Jersey. I don't know exactly where. They've found a deaf old farmer, who is supposed to have quite a lot of money in his house, and they intend to roast his feet until he gives up. Who is going along? Oh, Oscar Coogan, Cooper Wiltsey, Austin Keene, Dick King and a man named Chapman who lives over in Camden."

I think I had better stop right here and tell about that band. It was one of four that in the late seventies made their headquarters in Philadelphia. Combined, they conducted an extensive business in crime. They made more counterfeit money than was produced in any other city in the United States. They also did burglaries, hold-ups, tie-ups, assaults and an occasional murder. A tie-up consisted of taking an aged farmer unawares, lashing his hands behind his back and his feet together and putting the soles of his bare feet against a hot stove. In those days there was less confidence in banks than there is now, and the popular criminal method of bringing forth hidden treasure was to roast the feet of the owner.

The members of the bands differed as much in appearance and ability as the crimes did in character. Some of the men would pass anywhere they were not known as well-to-do citizens. Austin W. Keene and his brother Lawrence, for instance, had inherited a good deal of property. They owned a brick block in the business district of Philadelphia until gambling got it away from them, and even after they took to crime they always wore good clothes and looked prosperous.

Others were plain roughs. If they were drinking and a stranger entered who looked as if he had at least two dollars he was invited to take a drink. While his head was tipped back to drain the glass his host would knock him out with the ice pitcher and search his pockets. On nights when there was nothing else to do they amused themselves with cock fights and dog fights. Occasionally dog fighting would seem too tame and one of the outfit would yield to the importunities of his friends and the allurement of a small purse by going down into the pit to fight one of the dogs. A big bulldog once nearly killed his human antagonist. The animal was known to be so vicious that all rules were suspended and the man was permitted to kick as well as to strike, but the dog caught him by the throat and had to be beaten off with a club.

I do not know, however, that I can give any adequate idea of what may be called the "toughness" of some of this crowd without telling a story about an event in which I was concerned that occurred one evening. Dick Brunnassi, an Italian Secret Service man, had seen a thief snatch a girl's watch and had turned the thief over to the police. The girl's father came to my office and wanted to give Dick $25. Brunnassi politely declined the gift, explaining that it would be against the law to accept it and that he would have to perjure himself the next pay day if he did. When Brunnassi went home the following night he found two tons of coal in his cellar, and we were on the way to the home of Dick's persistent friend to tell him to remove the coal when the event of which I shall speak took place.

Just before we reached the man's house we saw a crowd of roughs around Keesey's saloon, at Eleventh and Ellsworth streets, which was the hang-out of one of the bands. The man was not at home, and we had taken up a position outside to wait for him to return, when we saw two of the ugliest of the band start toward us, one following the other. Dick and I both knew they were coming to make trouble. During the four years I was in Philadelphia I was the means of putting 126 of these fellows into the penitentiary, and at that time I had convicted so many that threats had been freely made against my life. Dick was a cool, dependable fellow, however, and I felt we were a match for any two of them.

"Stand on the outside of the sidewalk, Dick," I said, "and when they are within ten feet of us turn sharply and face them until they have passed. I will do the same."

"If they make da trouble," said Dick, "you killa da front man; I killa da back one."

"All right," said I. "Here they come."

The two roughs were swinging along as if they meant to bump into us and start a fight. One of them was the brother-in-law of Lawrence Keene, whom I had sent to the penitentiary for counterfeiting. Dick and I had our revolvers in our side pockets, our fingers on the triggers so we could shoot right through the cloth without drawing our weapons. When the front one came within ten feet of us we both turned with military precision and faced them.

I suspect this trick was all that saved our lives—or possibly theirs—as Lawrence Keene told me afterward that the two men had set out to "do me up." Our quick turn, however, evidently gave them a scare, as they walked on less menacingly, and when they returned to Keesey's saloon the rest of the band gave them the laugh.

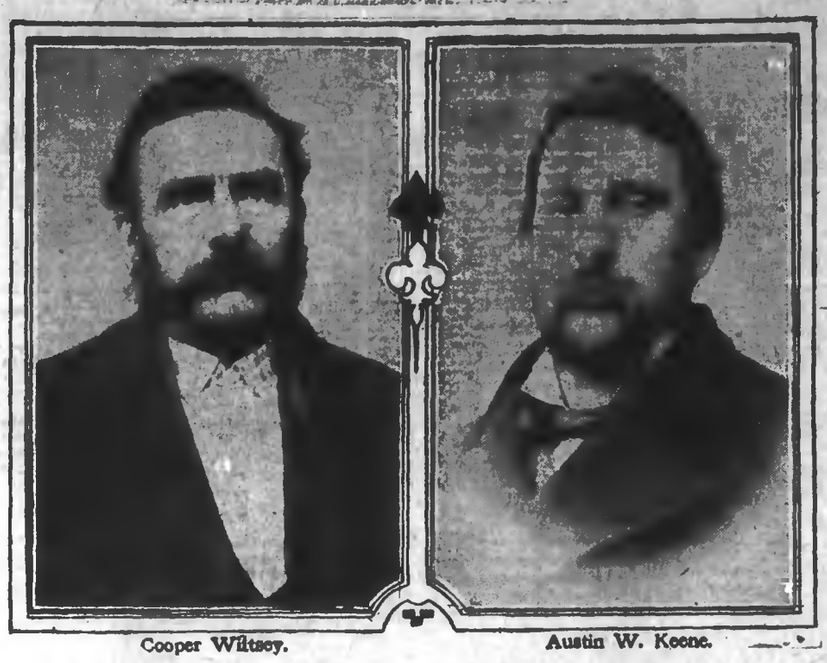
Five men of this kind started out on the night of October 18, 1877, to roast the deaf old farmer's feet. Their intended victim proved to be Joseph Potts, who lived near Mount Holly, New Jersey. They reached his house about midnight, got their tools out of the bags and began work. Somebody tried to raise the windows with a jimmy, but the old man had placed a stick over each sash, which wouldn't bend or break. Then Oscar Coogan started to bore holes through the front door near the lock. By boring the holes close together he made an opening through which he could put his hand. He was reaching through the hole, trying to turn the key in the lock, when a charge of shot tore through the door that almost took off his right arm.

Potts was not so deaf as they had believed him to be. He had heard Coogan boring away at the door, seized his double barrelled shotgun, hastened from his bedroom to the sitting room and fired in the dark at the noise. A moment later he opened the window and let go with the other barrel, this time putting a few shots under the skin of Austin Keene, though not seriously wounding him. The band fled in confusion. The farmer's feet were not roasted. His hoarded wealth, if he had any, was not molested.

All these facts came out in the newspapers the next afternoon. The newspaper accounts, however, contained nothing to show the identity of those who had attempted the robbery. But before the evening newspapers were off the press—in fact, early in the morning—I had gone to the office of Kennard Jones, Chief of Police of Philadelphia, and had given him the names of the five men who, my informant told me, were going out to do the job. Chief Jones put men around their accustomed haunts and within a few hours had arrested Coogan, Keene, King and Chapman. Wiltsey was not found. Coogan's arm was shattered and Keene had shot wounds on his body. All protested their innocence.

The men were indicted and placed on trial at Mount Holly. The prosecution had finished its case and the defence had begun when, one day, Chief Jones came to my office.

"Do you know William Carroll, of Wilmington, Delaware?" he asked.



Cooper Wiltsey. Austin W. Keene.

TWO OF A FAMOUS BAND OF CRIMINALS WITH HEADQUARTERS IN PHILADELPHIA WHICH MADE MORE COUNTERFEIT MONEY THAN WAS PRODUCED IN ANY OTHER CITY IN THE UNITED STATES.

"Yes," I replied. "I know who he is. I know he is a counterfeiter and that he runs a low saloon that is the resort of counterfeiters and other criminals."

"Well, Carroll," continued the Chief, "has just sworn that on the night of the attempted robbery at Potts' house Austin Keene was in his saloon in Wilmington all the evening. They are trying to set up an alibi for him. Carroll has so intimidated two Wilmington detectives who know he is lying that they dare not testify to the truth. Will you go to Mount Holly and tell what you know about Carroll's reputation?"

"I will if my chief will permit me to. More than that, I will ask him to let me go."

I wired to Chief Brookes in Washington the same day, and before night had permission to make the trip.

The next day I was put on the stand by the prosecution.

"Do you know William Carroll's reputation for truth and veracity?" I was asked.

"I do."

"What is it?"

"Very bad."

"Would you believe him under oath?"

"I would not."

"Do you know what his business is?"

"I know he runs a tough saloon that is frequented by criminals and that he is a counterfeiter."

The State's Attorney said he had no more questions to ask, and I was turned over to Keene's lawyer for cross-examination. Keene's attorney was "Bud" Deacon, of Mount Holly, whom I had never seen before, but with whom I afterward became well acquainted.

"Well," said Mr. Deacon, "you seem to know so much about Mr. Carroll, perhaps you can tell the Court and jury how you know his reputation for truth and veracity is so bad."

"I can," I said. "In this particular case I know it is bad because on the night he swore that Keene was in his saloon in Wilmington all the evening I saw him in Philadelphia."

"Where did you see him?"

"I saw him in Keesey's saloon at the corner of Eleventh and Ellsworth streets."

"How did you happen to be in Keesey's saloon?"

"I went there with a man whom I had employed to try to buy counterfeit money from Keene—and he bought some."

Deacon dropped like a hot potato. My testimony for the prosecution had hurt his client little in comparison with what he himself had brought out upon cross-examination. We often laughed about it in after years.

"Why," said he, "I had no intimation of what was coming. Keene had told me he had never seen you."

Coogan, Keene and Chapman were convicted and sentenced to ten years each in the Trenton Penitentiary. Cooper Wiltsey, another of the band that went to the Potts farm house, was still at large.

Wiltsey's time came the next year. He was a character. A big, powerful man, he had about as wicked eyes as I ever saw in any human being. Men generally hated him. Such women as he met almost invariably liked him. He was fifty years old, but the sprinkling of gray in his hair did not handicap him. Always there was some woman to be found who would swear that Cooper Wiltsey was all right.

I knew he was all wrong, but I couldn't prove it. I knew he was a counterfeiter, because men whom I had convicted of passing counterfeit had told me they got their start from him. But the counterfeiter was not more elusive than he. Every time I put my hand out to grab him I found that he had just gone.

Still I kept an eye out for him, and the year after his midnight visit to the Potts farmhouse I got word that he was living in a back room of a house in the business district of Philadelphia. Chief Brookes, whose home was in Philadelphia, happened to be in town when I was ready to make the raid, and he came with us.

It was a frosty winter's night. Wiltsey was supposed to be occupying a room on the second floor. I stationed one man at the foot of the stairs and two others under the windows of the suspected room. Though every other window in the vicinity was closed, these were open, as the bright light inside showed. That was a promising indication. Great heat is required to melt the metal that counterfeiters use, and when they are at work the air about them is like that of a furnace. The counterfeiters themselves, at such times, wear only undershirts, trousers and slippers.

Leaving the Chief with the man at the foot of the stairs, I went up to the room and knocked at the door. There was no response nor was there a sound inside. I knocked again, at the same time calling out, "Open this door, in the name of the law, or I will knock it down." Still there was no response. I stepped back three paces, took a running jump at the door, striking it with my shoulder, and knocked it in.

As I burst into the room my eye quickly caught two figures—that of a woman standing as if she were cast in bronze and that of Wiltsey leaping at me with a fifteen inch stiletto-like carving knife clasped in his hand. I levelled my revolver at his head and told him to stop or I would kill him. He stopped. As I covered him with my gun, I presume twenty seconds elapsed before I spoke again. Then I called to the man I had left down stairs to come up. As I called, Wiltsey's eyes shifted from me to the head of the stairs.

And then I did what the Chief and the others said was a very foolish thing. I dropped my revolver on the floor and grabbed the wrist in which he held the knife. It was all done in a twinkling, without thought on my part, and for a few seconds we struggled, he trying to reverse the direction of the knife and cut the fingers with which I clutched his wrist. But in less time than it takes to tell it the Chief and the other man who had stood at the foot of the stairs bounded into the room. The detective who accompanied the Chief thrust a revolver in Wiltsey's face with a command to drop the knife or have his head blown off the next instant. Wiltsey released his hold on the knife and it fell to the floor. I picked it up and threw it behind a bureau.

"Why didn't you shoot him?" said Chief Brookes. "Never risk your life like that again."

The woman was Sarah Page. We bundled her and Wiltsey off to jail and then went back to clean out the room. Wiltsey's specialty was the making of three dollars and we had caught them in the midst of their day's work. His method was to buy tin and antimony, melt them up, run the metal into a mould and then, with an electric battery, put a thin plating of silver over the composition. A silver dollar contained enough silver to plate five hundred dollars and, as tin was comparatively cheap, Wiltsey made a good profit even though he sold his product at twenty-five or thirty cents on the dollar.

I think we found a bushel of counterfeit dollars strewn about the room and perhaps another bushel of melting pots, moulds, metal, batteries and so forth. Wiltsey was convicted and given a long term—ten years, if I remember correctly. The woman was acquitted.

The last of the series of events that began with the ringing of my doorbell the time the servant would not let my caller in occurred a year or two later. William Carroll had never forgiven me for the testimony I gave about him the time he was trying to fix up an alibi for Austin Keene in the Potts case. I had met Carroll on the street once afterward and he had taken off his hat to me, but those who knew him better than I did advised me always to keep my eyes on him when he was around. I never saw him again, however, and my attention was next directed to him when a friend in Wilmington wrote me that he was dead. He had gone into a saloon next door to his own, fired at the bar-keeper, missed him, and the barkeeper had put a bullet through his brain. He died with his boots on.

WHAT HAPPENED TO DRAKE

A Story.

BY F. W. EDDY.

WITH ample fixed income, current affairs prosperous, a happy income and freedom from outside entanglement there was no reason why Sidney Drake should vanish. No one could imagine why he had done so.

Hence when worry began it affected not only the immediate family, but also the inner hundred in which he moved, the clubs he frequented, business associates to whom he was an asset and minor circles of acquaintances who ordinarily kept in touch with him. Beyond telephone range the telegraph raked the land for tidings of him. Mrs. Drake avoided only the police in her search, for publicity would have been too humiliating, and through all her distresses she held to the faith that all would come right in the end.

Drake's office sign is non-committal as to his occupation. When he talks of business his friends understand that he refers to properties that he manages. There is enough truth in that to pass review. He might have lived quietly and moved well on a genteel inheritance, represented in properties that he took to manage, but he aspired to hold his own in expensive company, to give his wife a place as a social leader and to run with the best. With that motive he accepted in his early married life the confidential agency for a product popularly known as Three C's—Choice Cumberland Club—a function which enabled him to gratify his social desires at no sacrifice of prestige.

He had the knack of obtaining orders without soliciting them—by mere suggestion or advice as an apparently disinterested party. His methods, therefore, were far superior to those of a self-confessed wine agent. It was that diplomatic manipulation of trade which rated him high with his principals, and his convivial qualities kept him in brisk demand among his clients. So, more often than not, this business of presenting the merits of Three C's called him out at night. Until now it had never interfered with his returning home.

At three o'clock that morning, when Drake came out of the café where he and some friends had been proving the superior attractions of the Three C's, he decided that he must have a fresh mackerel for breakfast. Therefore, he headed for Fulton Market to get it.

It is not often that the fish dealers there have a customer in a top hat, patent leathers and broadcloth at three in the morning while they are dressing their stands. They entered into vociferous competition for the honor and pleasure of supplying this interesting customer with as large a fish as he could carry.

Instead of moving homeward with his prize, Drake turned into South street, sauntered up to Peck slip and crossed over to the water front. The air lured him on with just enough motion to cool him gratefully after stuffy hours uptown. He thought the river must look pretty under the moonlight. In order the better to watch its dancing sheen he stepped on a sloop that lay at the pier. Such jewelled treasure had never before enthralled him. The mass of moving color was beautiful beyond his dreams. He felt himself transported to a realm of perfect peace and content.

"Skipper, come and see this fine catch."

"What's that, got a haul already?"

"Yes, sure enough haul; don't look like a mermaid exactly, but I guess it's part human."

Drake caught the drift of this exchange, but it seemed to him to fit naturally into the enchanting scene until he felt himself lifted by the shoulders and a gruff but kindly voice said:—"Ahoy, steady now; did you come here for a picnic, young man, or what's your business?"

Drake rubbed open his wondering eyes. The wand of magic had indeed shifted the scene. Something pushed suddenly from him the moon tipped river, the sheen of moving color, the luring night breeze, and projected in its place the glare of daylight and the grimed faces of a ship's crew; and the sky matched the gray of the sea, over which the ship was bumping with sails double reefed. The night had been real; was he now dreaming?

"You don't look like a seafaring man," the gruff voice went on; "and if you think you're a passenger, we ain't allowed to carry passengers."

Drake surveyed his questioner and then himself. He was forward of the forecastle hatch and had been lifted from a heap of seine nets on which to all appearances he had lain. His silk hat now reposed there, as did the fish bought at Fulton Market, still neatly packed. The expanse of shirt bosom showed signs of having served as a sleeping jacket and his broadcloth needed the iron. Spray had flecked with whitish spots like incipient mildew his patent leathers. The ensemble was too tangible to mistake it for a dream.

"I must have made a blunder," he said. "Where am I, please?"

"Well, you're outside the three mile limit. In fact, you're on the Lucy Ann, of Gloucester, bound for porgies off Cape May. Now, what are you going to do about it?"

"What do you want me to do about it?"

"We can't stand for a passenger or put you ashore. You had better turn to and work your way, I reckon."

"That suits me, but—you must show me. I am green at this business."

"You'll learn soon enough, and some day maybe you'll be glad to have it to fall back on. Now come to the cabin and I'll rig you out."

In the outfit which the skipper gave him Drake joined the men on deck. A shift of wind enabled them to let out the reefs, and under a full spread of canvas the Lucy Ann fairly flew ahead.

Drake had crossed the ocean often enough to know it, and in craft of his own in lesser waters he had felt himself a tolerable sailor, but this was a new sensation. The Lucy Ann seemed to him as much a part of the sea as the birds on its surface or the fish beneath. The crew, who had come round from Glouster on the sloop, were a wholesome sort and let him help with the tackle and about the deck as if they were glad to have him on board.

"WHERE AM I?"

"Shipmate," said the skipper early the next morning, "I suppose you know the sailor's Eleventh Commandment:—'Six days shalt thou labor and do all thy work, and on the seventh scrub down the rigging and holystone the deck.' We let you off the watch last night, so get busy."

Drake put in the Sunday according to the gospel of the sea, and a pair of chafed legs and bruised knuckles and blistered palms convinced him that he was earning his passage. That night the Lucy Ann lay-to under furled sails at the fishing grounds three hundred miles off Cape May.

At four o'clock next morning all hands turned out. They lowered two yawls, piled them with seine nets and rowed off to lay the nets, eight men at the oars in each boat. Then they came back for dories and set out their pickets to keep the nets in order. The breakfast horn blew at eight. No one had to be called twice. Then there was another stretch of picketing and net hauling until the noon meal. The same work had to be done in the afternoon. By dusk, when the last haul had been made, the day's catch was reckoned at two hundred bushels of porgies.

This did not finish the day. There remained the work of cleaning the catch and packing it down in ice. With all hands bustling to their capacity, it was eleven o'clock before they finished. Drake's face smarted with sunburn, his hands were red and swollen and the lines had dug deep into his blistered palms. He made no complaint. Everybody got the same treatment, the same hours, the same labor, and everybody took his medicine man fashion. The skipper fed his crew well. That kind of work demanded it. But fagged out as he was, when Drake got to his bunk at eleven that night he found time before he went to sleep to wonder if the folks at home were worried, and to wish himself back.

The second day passed as had the first at the fishing grounds—up at four o'clock, breakfast at eight, keeping the nets properly laid and hauling them in on occasion, and that night the catch again measured two hundred bushels. At meals Drake was carried back to the ravenous hunger of his youth in outing days, when everything tasted good, and he wanted the plate piled high and often. He could feel the return of youth, also, in the surging of his blood, and, lame as they were, his muscles quickened with the lust of action.

Good luck had saved him from a boodlum crew, recruited along the city wharves, and had cast him among messmates from the far North, where sailors know only the sea and share its heartiness. He learned to address them by their first names, and from Skipper Jack down they all called him Sid and took him into fellowship from the beginning.

Captivated by the trim and businesslike behavior of the Lucy Ann when he first observed her at sea, he had grown really fond of her with ripening acquaintance. So it was with a tinge of regret that he found the Lucy Ann, just one week after departure from port, tying up again at Peck slip. Drake sought the skipper.

"You have been mighty good to me," he said, "and I don't remember when I felt as well as I do now. I know I must have been a lot of trouble to you. How much will make it right?"

"Cut that short, Sid," came the skipper's reply. "We were all glad to have you along even if you weren't invited. You may be a gentleman, but you held your end up. I wish we had you for regular company. As to how much will make it right, I am sorry I can't allow you wages, for the list was full when you joined us; but we had a quick trip and good catch and you are in on the division of extra profits. I figure your share is $4.50."

As unexpectedly as the sea had swallowed him it yielded him up. Mrs. Drake had quite decided that she must ask the police to put out their drag nets when Drake appeared before her. The sight made her speechless, for her astonished gaze fell, not on her well groomed husband of other days, but on his presentment in an oil smeared sweater and ill used boots and trousers, his countenance like a pumpkin and his hands rough and calloused and furrowed. A bit of well roped tarpaulin encased the evening attire in which she had last seen him. Unfolding another bundle, he exposed a mess of porgies.

"Caught them myself," he said, "and can guarantee them fresh."

"Sidney! What"——

"Some other time, my dear. I've had the experience of my life. It has made a new man of me. And I think it has taught me to quit being my own best customer."

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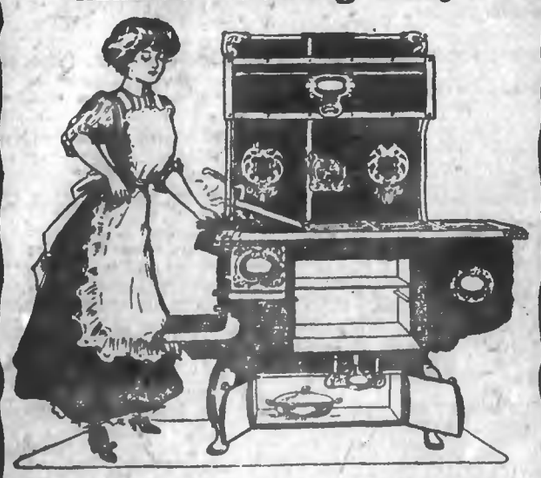

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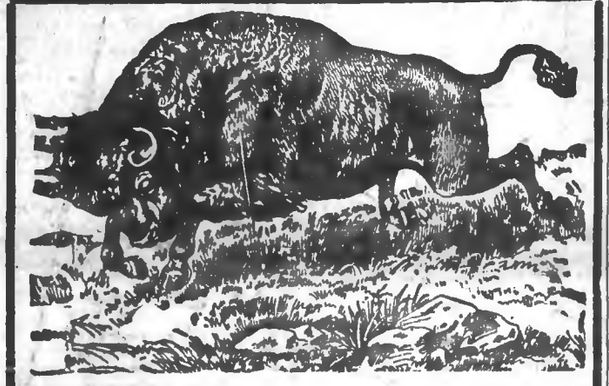

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INTERESTING ITEMS FROM ACROSS THE SEA.

ENGLAND

At Hull a horse disappeared along with a cart containing nails.

J. G. Talbot completed forty years of continuous Parliamentary life.

Three ladies rang a peal in the belfry of Holy Trinity Church, Hull.

Over 1,000 old-age pension claims have been allowed in South Shields.

Sir A. D. Bock Porter, secretary of the Ecclesiastical Commission, is dead.

The Earl of Crewe has charge of the Licensing Bill in the House of Lords.

A. G. Vanderbilt has decided to return to England next spring for more coaching.

The House of Lords recently established another record—a sitting lasting thirty seconds!

James Stuart, M. P., has sent a further donation of £500 towards the Sunderland Relief Fund.

Henry George Allen, K.C., formerly member for Pembroke Boroughs, died at Parkeston at the age of 93.

The Rev. James Butler resigned the living of Ribbleton to become assistant chaplain at Portland Prison.

R. A. Knox, Balliol, son of the Bishop of Manchester, has been elected president of the Oxford Union.

The death is announced at Chelmsford of John Taylor, editor of the Essex Weekly News series of papers.

Walter Allen, railway porter, of Leicester, died in the infirmary from injuries inflicted by an infuriated bull.

At Osborne Royal Naval College the Bishop of Southampton held a service at which he confirmed fifty cadets.

A man charged with burglary at Rochdale had in his possession a map of England carefully planned out in routes.

The Newcastle-on-Tyne Society of Antiquaries received a gift of 603 Roman coins found at Walbottle, near that city.

Lord Rosebery presided over a public meeting at Epsom in reference to the escape of asylum inmates in the district.

A policeman who captured a burglar in a house at Hampstead was shot by his captive several times, the burglar getting away.

IRELAND

C. J. Dolan, ex-M.P. for North Leitrim, is about to start a large boot factory in Manorhamilton.

News has just reached Belfast of the death and burial at sea of John Brown Porter, who for thirty-seven years was head of the English and Scotch correspondence department of Dunville & Co., Limited.

General Wilson, commanding the 15th Infantry Brigade, presented, at Victoria Barracks, Belfast, to Staff Quartermaster - Sergeant Banning, Army Service Corps, the King's medal "for long service and good conduct."

The Lurgan Workhouse romance ended near tragedy. Ellen McCann married another inmate, a cripple, and thrashed the bridegroom the nuptial night with his crutch. Ellen has been in jail twice since her wedding day.

Patrick Monan, of Ballyquintin, Portaferry, has just been awarded by the general committee of the National Lifeboat Institution a silver medal in recognition of his gallant conduct in September in the rescue of the crew of the bark Trientalis.

The Belfast vitriol throwing case, which has been weekly before the magistrates for some time past, reached its final police court stage, when Wm Gelston was returned for trial on the charge of burning his brother, John Gelston at the County Down Railway station.

A daring burglary was perpetrated at Limavady, when some persons removed the iron bars protecting the front window of Edward Kelly's spirit stores smashed a window, entered the premises, and brought out a safe containing books and a considerable amount of money.

Agragianism in the West of Ireland is assuming a much more serious form. At Athenry, last week, a police patrol is reported to have been deliberately attacked by a dozen masked men, who were concealed in a drain till the patrol passed, and then threw themselves on the officers.

SCOTLAND

Dumfries Town Hall has been gutted by fire.

The Scottish Temperance League held anniversary celebrations in Glasgow.

Wm. Graham, C. A., a well-known member of Glasgow School Board, is dead.

Fire in the Johnstone Flax Mills caused damage amounting to about £2,000.

A new chancel was dedicated and a memorial window unveiled in Renfrew Parish Church.

James Coats, of Paisley, has presented a fully equipped library to the Episcopal School at Crieff.

Jonathan Fox, a Wigton rural postman, during the past twenty-five and a half years covered about 140,000 miles.

Glasgow now requires taxi-cab owners to provide a suitable appliance for extinguishing fire in case of emergency.

Wm. Beveridge, retired tobacco manufacturer, died at Aberdeen. One of his sons is a resident of Hamilton, Canada.

Ann M'Card, wife of George M'Card, Kilmarnock, came by her death by falling down an outside stair while visiting her son.

Isabella Macintosh, Raefrish Mills, Glenlivet, has sued William Turner, farmer, Achnarrow, Glenlivet, for £500 damages for breach of promise.

William Riach, for the last twenty-three years a member of the editorial staff of "The Scotsman," died at Edinburgh. He was a native of Aberdeen.

A successful show of cage birds, pigeons, and bantams was held in the Music Hall Inverness, under the auspices of the Inverness Ornithological Society.

Allan Fife, Jr., of Fairlie, proceeds to Spain presently to superintend the building of the racing cutter which Mr. Wm. Fife has designed for King Alfonso.

On his retiring from the Caledonian Railway, after over twenty years' service as pointsman, James Cummings, Lockerbie, was the recipient of many presents.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON QUESTIONS

December 27, 1908.

Review—Read Prov. iv.

Golden Text—Keep thy heart with all diligence; for out of it are the issues of life. Prov. iv:23.

A profitable review of the last twelve lessons may be had from the plan which follows. Read each lesson for the term, and then repeat the golden texts, and answer one question from each lesson as follows:

October 4—David brings the Ark to Jerusalem. II Sam. 6.

Golden Text.—Enter into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise. Psalm 100:4.

Verses 1-4.—If a man is highly educated, successful and popular, but neglects the house of God, and personal religion, what does he gain or lose as a result? (This question must be answered in writing by members of the club.)

October 11—God's promise to David.—1 Chron. xvii.

Golden Text—There hath not failed one word of all his good promise.—I Kings, viii:56.

Verses 7-8—Is a blacksmith, or machinist, or farmer, or daily labourer, just as dear to the heart of God as one who is rich and in an exalted position?

Oct. 18—David's kindness to Jonathan's son. II Sam. ix.

Golden Text—Be ye kind one to another, tender-hearted, forgiving one another. Eph. iv:32.

Verses 11-13—Should the State make provision to keep the aged and all who are not able to support themselves?

October 25—The Joy of Forgiveness. Ps. 32.

Golden Text—Blessed is he whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered. Psalm 32:1.

Verses 3-4. Compare two men, one who hushes the voice of God in his soul; and another who listens to that voice and obeys, and say what, if any, effect, the habits of these men will have upon the length of their lives.

Nov. 1—Absalom rebels against David.—II Sam. xv.

Golden Text—Honour thy father and thy mother; that thy days may be long upon the land that the Lord thy God giveth thee. Ex. xx:12.

Verse 23—May we expect to win in any battle if our hearts are filled with fear?

Nov. 8—David grieves for Absalom.—II Sam. xviii.

Golden Text—A foolish son is a grief to his father. Prov. xvii:25.

Verse 33—What can you say, for or against the pathetic grief of this heartbroken father, at the death of his worse than worthless son?

Nov. 15—The Lord our Shepherd—Psalm 23.

Golden Text—The Lord is my Shepherd; I shall not want. Psalm 23:1.

Verse 1—Does scientific research and our fuller knowledge of the vast network of worlds in the universe tend to weaken or strengthen our faith in God's individual love and care for each person?

Nov. 22—Solomon annointed King. Kings 1:1-2:12.

Golden Text—Know that the God of thy Father, and serve him with a perfect heart and with a willing mind. I Chron. xxviii:9.

Verse 6—Are unusual good looks, and ability generally, a help or a hindrance to character?

Nov. 29—World's Temperance Sunday.—Isaiah xxviii:1-13.

Golden Text—I keep under my body and bring it into subjection. I Cor, ix:27.

Verse 2—Is it possible for a nation of drinkers to permanently prosper?

Dec. 6—Solomon chooses Wisdom—I Kings iii:4-15.

Golden Text—The fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom. Prov. ix:10.

Verse 13—Will every true Christian have all the riches and honour that are good for him?

Dec. 13—Solomon dedicates the Temple. I Kings viii.

Golden Text.—I was glad when they said unto me let us go into the house of the Lord. Psalm 122:1.

Verses 1-11—What is the chief institution of a nation, and what is the chief duty of a man?

Dec. 20.—Solomon's downfall. I Kings xi:4-13.

Golden Text—Thou shalt have no other gods before me. Ex. xx:3.

Verses 6-9—Hundreds of strong brainy men are serving long terms in penitentiaries; what proportion of them would be there if they had been true to the Christian's God?

Lesson for Sunday, Jan. 3, 1909—The ascension of our Lord. Acts 11-14.

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GENERAL ELECTRICAL NEWS

Schenectady, N. Y., Dec. 24th—(Electric News Service)—Thanks to the science of electricity, the trouble and delay of getting breakfast has been reduced to a minimum. No longer does the man of the house tread nervously about the dining room while the good wife patiently shakes the kitchen range and endeavours to hurry the sluggish fire so her "lord and master" can have his breakfast before going to work. And then just as the reluctant teakettle begins to boil his last car comes round the corner and he slams the front door and hurries breakfastless to work.

Breakfast these days, in a modern home, is merely a matter of pushing the butter. Snap a switch and the invisible current boils the water in the teakettle. Another switch turned and the coffee percolator begins to sputter, and in a few minutes the cereal is cooking and the eggs are being boiled, poached, steamed or fried. The toast can be made as needed on the breakfast table, and, for that matter, all of the electrical devices can be used right on the table without needless heat or danger.

The very latest of the breakfast utensils is the electric toaster. This device is inexpensive and most efficient. The bread to be toasted is placed in a vertical position on either side of the heating element. By this method the bread is not burned as it is on horizontal toasters. It only takes about thirr minutes to prepare two nice browned slices from the time the current is turned on. The base of the new radiant toaster is made of porcelain through which projects the terminals of the heating element. To this base is attached a neat wire frame or cage for holding the slices to be toasted on either side of the heating unit. The heating element consists of four zig-zag coils of special resistance wire suspended vertically. The four heating coils being connected in multiple all danger of short-circuiting the device with a fork is eliminated.

On account of the heavy vibrations of the ground due to factory work, it is necessary to conduct much of the finer test work at the General Electric Company's plants on Sundays and holidays when the great plants are idle. So sensitive are many of the testing instruments that shafts of the most substantial materials are placed deep in the ground and supported by shock arresters to insure the absolute steadiness of the top surface.

The first electric ferryboat in Germany has just been launched at Duisburg. It has twin screws, which are propelled by two electric motors of 60 horse-power capacity. The boat can carry 645 passengers, besides horses, automobiles and vehicles.

The latest household electrical device is a machine which scrubs, sandpaper, waxes or polishes any kind of a floor. The device takes current from the light fixture and will clean corners as readily as the centre of the floor.

A movement is on foot to introduce trackless trolley lines in Ireland. The first probably will be from Donnybrook to Bray.

PERSONAL ITEMS FROM —THE VILLAGE OF KEENE

Examiner Special.

Keene, Dec. 23.—Mrs. Whittington and son, John, of Beaufort, visited at Mr John Wedlock's on Sunday.

Mr. C. Buck, of Norwood, is visiting his cousin, Mr. Jim. Miller.

Miss Kathleen and Mr. Duncan Powell are home from Toronto for the Christmas holidays.

Misses Agnes and Jane Campbell are home from Kingston for the holidays.

Mr. Harry Smith, of the R. M. C., Kingston, is spending the holiday with his father, Mr. A. St. A. Smith.

Misses Susie Moore, Katie Wallace, Edna Wedlock and Edna Howson are home from Norwood for Christmas.

Rev. Mr. Harrison preached missionary sermons on the South Dummer Circuit last Sunday. Rev. Mr. Frost, of South Dummer, took charge of the services on Keene Circuit.

The Scotch concert, which was announced for December 30th, is to be on the 31st instead.

Miss Lillie Campbell, who has been spending a few weeks in Toronto, returned Thursday.

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Examiner Special

Hastings, Dec. 23.—Miss Moore, of Castleton, has returned to her home after having spent a pleasant holiday with friends in town.

Rev. and Mrs. Barrett spent a few days in Castleton last week.

The sacrament of the Lord's supper was observed in the Presbyterian Church here last Sunday morning, Rev. D A Thomson officiating.

Mr. J Anderson, of Winnipeg, is visiting his mother, Mrs. A Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beavis, of Lakefield, attended the funeral of Mrs. Frank Parker, of Asphodel on Monday, 14th Dec.

We are pleased to see Miss Annie Jamieson around again after her recent illness from la grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. J Stewart entertained a few of their friends at their home on Wednesday evening last. A very enjoyable evening was spent and the young people went home sounding the praises of their host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. J O'Donohue's many friends sympathise with them in the loss of their infant son, which occurred after a short illness.

The committee in charge of the Christmas entertainment in connection with the Methodist Sunday School, have secured the services of "Little Annie Christie," the child elocutionist, of Peterborough, to assist in the programme.

We are glad to be able to report that Mrs. T Gilchrist is much improved in health and we hope soon to see her enjoying her wonted vigour.

Mr. Geo. Oliver, of this vicinity, has purchased a very fine colt from an Asphodel farmer for which he paid a handsome sum.

This town presents quite a lively appearance just now, the citizens are all intent on Christmas shopping, while our local business men are all on the alert as to who shall do the most extensive holiday trade.

The sympathy of the whole community is extended to the widow and children of the late Mr. John Francis, who was formerly a resident of Asphodel and was well known in the village, being a prominent member of the Hastings lodge of Oddfellows and an ex-councillor to the township.

Mrs. Valleau spent Monday with friends in Norwood.

It is rumoured that Dr. Wilson will be a candidate for the reeveship for 1909.

Mr. Thos. Dickey, of Toronto, is visiting friends in Hastings and vicinity.

Mrs .W Fowlds spent Tuesday in Norwood.

Mr. Wm. Way, who recently disposed of his farm stock, etc., has moved to town.

Reeve Learmouth was in Cobourg last week attending the final meeting of the County Council.

Mr. and Mrs. J Bowar and children of Vancouver, have been guests of their uncle, Mr John Preston, of Asphodel.

Miss K Graham was in Norwood on Tuesday.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. Geo. Hormel is suffering from an attack of tonsilitis.

Mrs .Thos .Weir and children, at C. O.R. Junction, are spending a holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mr. P. Kimhirst.

Mr. B Gibson has been suffering from an attack of la grippe.

Mrs. E Valleau has returned after a pleasant visit with friends in Codrington.

The Misses Sutherland are guests at the home of their sister, Mrs. F W Fowlds.

Mrs. J Monnett, of Niagara, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. A Scriver.

The many friends of Mrs. H Wilson are pleased to learn that she is recovering from her recent illness.

Mr. R Dickey and family, of Regina, are on a visit to his mother, Mrs. Matthew Dickey.

To all appearances we are likely to have the skating rink in good order in a short time, as Mr. J Coughlan is levelling and otherwise getting things in order.

Good hardwood is being brought into town and can be purchased at $5 per cord. This is an improvement on this time last year.

At the annual meeting of the Trent Valley Hockey League, which was held at Havelock on Friday evening, the 4th inst., Mr. J Coughlan of Hastings, was placed on the Executive Committee. It was decided that each district arrange their own schedule. District No. I will meet at Hastings with Mr. Pearce as convener.

A number of the farmers from this locality attended the auction sale of Mr. W Howson, of Norwood, last week.

A new pipe-organ has been placed in the English Church and is now ready for use at the church services.

Miss Fife of Peterborough, the gifted pianist, who rendered such choice music at the concert under the auspices of the Presbyterian church here, on Friday evening last, is a niece of Mr. Duncan Tucker, of town.

Many Interesting Lakefield Items; Mr. Wm. Leggott's Lucky Escape

Examiner Special.

Lakefield, Dec. 23—Mrs Thomas Darcy and Mrs W H Darcy of Burleigh Falls left on Friday last to visit friends in Toronto, Rochester and New York.

Mrs G Evans Atwood and children of Peterborough were guests of Mr. and Mrs C Atwood at Ashelworth on Monday last.

Mr Wm Smith who for the past several weeks has been lying seriously ill with typhoid fever has now passed the crisis and is on a fair way to recovery.

Miss Traill returned home from Peterborough on Friday last.

Miss Ethel Cox of Winnipeg is at present in the village visiting her parents Mr and Mrs Cox.

On Thursday last while Mr William Leggott was working on an electric light pole on Regent street a wire broke and he fell to the ground a distance of about 30 feet. Medical aid was immediately summoned and it was found that though his shoulders were badly sprained no bones were broken. The escape from serious injury was a miraculous one Mr Leggott falling directly on his back. It will be sometime before he will be able to resume his work.

Mr E Singer was in Peterborough on Monday on business.

Miss Penny left on Friday last for Peterborough where she will be the guest of Mrs Palmer for a few days before going to Toronto for the winter.

Rev Beverly Smith, M.A., rector of the Toronto Junction Anglican church addressed a large meeting in the Town Hall on Monday evening on the question of social and moral reform.

Miss Mellade teacher in one of the junior rooms in the public school was obliged to return to her home at Omemee last week having contracted the fashionable malady mumps so prevalent just now in the village.

Mrs William Cawthard has returned after spending the past month at Rodney, Ont.

A concert under the auspices of the Presbyterian Sabbath school will be held in the town hall on New Years night. The services of Mr. Geo. Ellis Fax the well known humourous entertainer and Miss Flora McIvor Craig, vocalist have been secured for the occasion.

Mr Robert Green of Stirling is at present in the village, the guest of Mr and Mrs O A Coults.

Miss Landerville who has been ill at her home in Peterborough returned last week to the village to resume her duties in R. Graham & Son's establishment.

Miss Marguerite Webster was in Peterborough on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Huffman and children, of Belleville, spent a few days last week in the village, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. A. Baptie.

Rev. C. R. Spencer, of Young's Point, was in the village on Friday last.

Mr. F. Fearman left on Tuesday to spend the holidays at his home in Hamilton.

Mr F. M. DelaFosse and Miss P. G. DelaFosse, of Peterborough, were visiting friends in the village on Sunday last.

Miss McEwen, who has been spending the past six months in the village, left last week to spend the winter months in Toronto.

Mr. John McGrath, who for the past four years has been superintendent for the Tate-Lillierap Lumber Company, has purchased the site of the old White saw mill and is now building a new mill which will have a capacity of 15,000 feet daily. Mr. McGrath expects the mill will be ready for operation by the beginning of the new year.

A Very Strange Jumble Of Human Contradictions And Qualities In Queer Old China

Brave as the Bravest Yet Subject to a Few Savage Interlopers—More Honest Than Most White Men.

ORTHODOX IN SOME WAYS

Many strange things have occurred in China recently to attract the attention of the Western world. A promise of a constitution, to become operative in about ten years, was made about a month ago, but the effort seems to have been too great for the sensibilities of the sensible old woman who has been the real ruler of China for many years, as she died within the past week and the legal ruler, the Emperor, died so near the same hour and day that it will not be impossible for their subjects ot believe that the young man and the old lady followed and watched each other on the way to the sort of haven the Chinese believe in as they watched and followed each other even since the Emperor became old enough to sit up and take notice.

Speaking of heaven should remind us that the Emperor of China, no matter how young, inexperienced or feeble-minded he may be, is to his subjects the Son of Heaven and is in frequent and familiar conversation with Deity. To disbelieve this is the rankest treason; Chinamen may rebel against the government, kill government soldiers and officials yet be forgiven if they have political influence which can be turned to account or have money enough to buy a substitute who is willing to be beheaded or tortured in their stead, but if they express a doubt of the divinity of the Emperor their only hope is in disappearing before they can be caught.

Yet of the several hundred million of people who inhabit China, there is only about one in forty who does not hate "The Son of Heaven" as stoutly as a tramp hates work. For the Emperor is not a real Chinaman, but a Mantchu and his own entire race has never numbered ten million people. There had not been a Chinaman on the imperial throne in two hundred and fifty years—not since the day when a band of warlike Mantchus swept down from the North, while disorder in Pekin made a surprise easy, and took possession of the government. Since that day a Chinaman of ancient lineage and pure blood has seldom been allowed to take any part of the general government or provincial control unless he chanced to be so much cleverer than the ruling class that some use could be made of him; even in such case he was so closely spied upon and guarded that he was practically a prisoner. Otherwise his lot was not hard for any man of position in government affairs has been expected to squeeze a comfortable livelihood from everybody and anybody under his authority. The late Li Hung Chang, who became very influential and wealthy, was of pure Chinese blood but he only saved his money and his head by maintaining so large an army of his own that the government was afraid to disturb him. Until her war with Japan, and her disgraceful defeat, taught China something about her military deficiencies there was not a day in twenty years on which Li Hung Chang could not have taken possession of the capital with his own forces, deposed the Emperor and put himself on the throne. But the old man was too sensible to indulge in such foolery; so far as a man's life consisted in the abundance of his possessions and in not having any one to interfere with him or them, Li saw that he was better off than his own emperor or any other.

Li's was not the only great army aside from the government's own troops, although it was by far the best. Provincial governors have their own armies and those whose territory is on the sea-coasts have their own navies, if they wish. Then forces are not like the militia and "naval reserves" of our own states in being subject to the national call in certain contingencies. Pekin must use either persuasion or pelf if it expects to get service from the provincial troops; in fact, it seldom cares to use them, for there is no love lost between provinces nor is there enough national spirit in China to agree on anything except a general hatred of foreigners. The Provincial governors are supposed to be appointed by the throne, as usually they are, but should the Emperor wish to remove a governor from office he would be at his wit's end to devise a better method than to hire an assassin. Fortunately the causes for removal are few—so few that they may be boiled down to a single one—too little money sent to Pekin. There is no general system of taxation in the land, the governor, before taking office, has been told how much money he should send to Pekin each year, and the sum is never more than can be squeezed out of the people ,with enough more to satisfy all the needs and longings of the governor himself. All officials are supposed to be "squeezers"—no other English word so fully describes them, although the operations incident to getting the money are much more like a hold-up than a squeeze. New methods of doing official business have been imported from Europe and the United States and some of them have been sampled, but in so gingerly a manner that it can not be said that they promise to be popular.

All the ways thus far described are peculiar to the ruling class—the Mantchus. The better Chinamen proper, corresponding to our own business class, are said to be the honestest people on earth. Such a statement is hard to be believed by Americans, whose knowledge of the race is based on Pacific coast yarns about "the heathen Chinee" and newspaper tales of the depravity of settlements of Chinese laundrymen in our larger cities. These laundrymen by the way, are almost all from the "wharf-rat" portion of the single city of Canton, in which almost a third of the population, or quite a million people, live or boats of all kinds that pack closely together along the riverside, their inhabitants getting what living they can by boatmen's work and fishing. To judge all Chinamen by them is as unfair as it would be to set up the American longshoreman or English "Navvy" as the mental and moral standard of the nation.

To return to the Chinese business class, the good qualities attributed to them must be there, for they are mentioned by all classes of travellers and tourists who have come in close business contact with the men themselves. Pious missionaries, profane shipmasters, professional buyers for large European and American firms, private travellers who did not leave either their eyes or their manners at home, salesmen for foreign goods are at substantial agreement about Chinese business morality.

The same may be said regarding the local governments of towns, small cities and other places too small or poor to have a formal ruler imposed upon them. Any traveller, even a hated foreigner, who is subjected to loss or annoyance while passing through a town can be sure of getting redress and financial damages at once; he does not even have to summon his own witnesses, for the mayor, or whoever occupies a corresponding position, knows how to get at any one who has seen the occurrence. Honesty may not be the only motive that leads to justice in such cases for if the complaint were disregarded and the complainant were obliged to go "higher up" for satisfaction, the authorites higher up would pay the claim for the joy of taking it out of the community at fault, at the same time taking from five to ten times as much more, partly as punishment but principally for Mr. Higher Up's private pocket.

Heathen Chinee are said to be, they are extremely orthodox in one particular:—they believe in hell as a place of punishment for the wicked and impenitent. But they have some entirely original ideas on the subject, and one of them is that any sinner, no matter how vile, can buy his way out of hell if he has enough money or if his friends will put up the cash for him; it may be remarked truthfully, in this connection, that family feeling is very strong among the Chinese and that they will spend more cash for the dead than for the living, if they are sure of where it is going and who is to do the dickering. It is common belief that the already mentioned Li Hung Chang, who in spite of his great abilities had a few things to answer for when he died, went straight to hell but was detained only a few minutes, and in a comfortable ante-room with fans of all sizes at hand and iced drinks at the side, for he had carried a very large-sized "wad" with him and was able to make a settlement on the spot. This beleif in the efficacy of money has its good points, for no one ever sees or hears of a spendthrift China; he may have vices and indulgences but he contents himself with such as are of bargain counter grade so that he may be sure of money to pay his way out of hell and also in the presence of his favorite gods.

Because they are ruled by a mere handful of outsiders, the Chinese are accounted a cowardly race, but a lot of splendid English and American fighters, of whom the immortal Gordon was one, have insisted that there is no better fighting stock in the world. The Chinese peasant is strong, hardy, fearless, tireless and has so much trouble in getting enough to eat and wear that he will cheerfully fight and die like a hero for any one who will assure him that he shall not go hungry or cold. If ever China becomes a national unity, under Chinese leaders, and is badgered into a fight with some foreign nation—well, "The Yellow Peril" is already a perennial scare in the military circles of the European nations and will appear more frequently in the future, for China's army, or armies, no longer carry bows and arrows and wear masks to frighten their enemies; they have thousands of Japanese instructors and hundreds of thousands of new-model rifles and millions of rounds of ammunition.

But we have mentioned only a few of the queer things that may be said about China. A nation that has attended strictly to its own affairs for four thousand years, and was better civilized at the time they began than Englishmen were when Julius Cæsar landed, can't help being original. And you know the old saying—"Be orginal and you'll be queer."

GARGOYLE.

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Mi-o-na Has Reached a Gold Standard, Says Harry Ellis of Fergus, For Stomach Trouble.

Harry Ellis, of Fergus, Ont., says: "I believe that Mi-o-na for the cure of stomach trouble is worth its weight in gold. It cured me from a stomach difficulty that seemed to puzzle all other prescriptions and remedies. I was unable to eat, the food would ferment and form gas and make a serious pressure on my heart. There were terrible pains in the pit of my stomach. I became weak, drowsy, discouraged and later I got nervous and could not sleep or rest. This disease makes one feel like not wanting to see any human being and produces melancoly and forebodings. I was told to try Mi-o-na, and (weight) I commenced on the first box I had hardly any faith in it, but the first two days' treatment made the pain in my stomach cease, and to make a long story short, the upshot of my using Mi-o-na was that it cured me wholly, and I now can eat what I like and when I am hungry. I am an ardent advocate of the use of Mi-o-na."

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RATTRAY ASKED SEVERAL LOCAL MEN TO GO SOUTH WITH HIM; EVIDENCE HEARD IN THEFT CASE

Mr. Connors Testified to Placing of Money in Cash Drawers and to its Disappearance Next Morning —Case Enlarged for One Week.

RATTRAY HAD NO COUNSEL

The preliminary hearing in the case of William Rattray, who is charged with stealing $203.15 from Martin Connors, proprietor of the City Hotel, in September, was commenced before Magistrate Dumble on Thursday afternoon in the presence of a very large crowd of interested spectators. Rattray declined to elect and pleaded not guilty.

Martin Connors was the first witness. He told of drawing out $1,000 from the Bank of Ottawa on the day before the robbery for the purpose of cashing Canadian General Electric Company's pay checks. This money had been put in a drawer beneath the cash register in the bar. During the evening $203.85 had been paid out and the balance was in the drawer when the proprietor locked up the bar, shortly after 11 o'clock that night. Next morning he was called by his bartender who had found the window of the bar down. Witness had hurried down stairs and on opening the drawer which was not locked, had found the money gone with the exception of $80 in silver and 2 ten dollar bills. There were marks on the window as if a knife had been used and marks on the sill. Witness had seen the defendant who formerly worked for him around the hotel, the day before. He had had his dinner and supper there and had had no tussle. Witness told of a conversation which he had had with the prisoner after his arrest, in which he had promised to do his best to get Rattray off if he would return the money.

Fred Miller testified to having seen Rattray the day before the robbery. Prisoner had asked him to go south with him and witness had declined. There had been no explanation of how they were to go south, but after hearing of the robbery witness had surmised that it was Rattray because of what he had said to him.

Jas. O'Toole gave evidence to the effect that he had seen Rattray near the corner of Charlotte and George streets between 11 and 12 o'clock on the night before the robbery. The prisoner asked him to go south with him, but he had refused the offer. Rattray had said something about not wanting to go empty handed or broke. Witness admitted that he had told someone afterwards that if he had known that the prisoner was going to rob Martin Connors he would have told him, as he knew that Mr. Connors was a good friend to the prisoner.

Edward Donaghue also gave evidence in regard to seeing Rattray on the night before the robbery at the corner of Charlotte and George streets. He had had no conversation with him except that he had given Rattray a cigarette paper when asked for one.

Herb Landry was the next witness but his evidence which was to the effect that he had seen Rattray in town the day before the robbery was unimportant.

At this point the case was adjourned for one week at the request of Crown Attorney Wood, who was prosecuting. Rattray was not represented by counsel and did not cross examine the witnesses.

The case will be resumed next Tuesday morning, and the prisoner will spend the interim in gaol.

A PRESENTATION IN UXBRIDGE TO LOCAL NORMAL TEACHER

In the report of a High School concert in Uxbridge, given in the Uxbridge Times of December 24th, appears the following:

During the intermission, Dr. H. Basson, on behalf of the pupils and ex-pupils of the school, read an address to Dr. H. G. Park, of Peterborough, eulogising him for the excellent work that he had done for the school and the far-reaching effect that his training had on their lives. As a memento a box of cutlery and a Morris chair were presented by Miss Alma Gould and Mr. Frank Dure to the doctor, who replied at some length, thanking the pupils for kindness, intimating positively that this was his last appearance.

DR. MARSH GIVES LECTURE IN A WARSAW CHURCH

Rev. Dr. Marsh was in Warsaw last night, when he gave a lecture on "A Night in the Skies, in the Warsaw Methodist church. The building was filled to the doors. A distribution of presents among the young folks followed the lecture.

A MERRY XMAS FOR CHILDREN AT SHELTER

The Christmas tree held at the Children's Shelter yesterday, was the most pleasant event that ever graced the interior of the Shelter in Peterborough. The tree was laden with beautiful gifts for the young folks, the generosity of the citizens of Peterborough being responsible for this. Mr. Angus McLean, grain buyer of Fenelon Falls, and brother-in-law of Mr. Henry, acted as Santa Claus. The neighbouring children called and assisted those at the Shelter to have, indeed, a very Merry Christmas.

MR. PRATLEY MEETS WITH SUCCESS IN HIS EXAMINATIONS

Mr George Pratley, 155 River Road Auburn, has received notice from the examining board of the department of Agriculture, Toronto, informing him that he had been successful in securing a Stationary Engineer's Certificate. The many friends of Mr Pratley will congratulate him on his success

MR. ELCOME WAS HONOURED BY BIBLE CLASS LAST SUNDAY

A very pleasing event took place at the Murray street Baptist Sunday school on Sunday last when the members of Mr. E Elcome's Bible class presented him with six handsomely bound volumes of Matthew Henry's comments on the Bible. The presentation was made at the conclusion of the study for the day, by Mr. Benj. Matthews, the oldest member of the class and a former teacher of the organization. Mr. Elcome made a pleasing reply, thanking the members of his class for their kindness. Rev. J R Webb, the pastor of the church, also added a few words of appreciation of Mr. Elcome's services.

PERSONNEL OF PETERBOROUGH CITY COUNCIL,
Which may be changed somewhat on Jan. 4th 1909
1 Mayor Rush, 2 City Clerk, S. R. Armstrong, 3 City Treasurer F. Adams, 4 H. Phelan, 5 G. A. Gillespie, 6 W. G. Morrow, 7 J. J. Turner Jr. 8—Geo. E. Elliott. 9—W. H. Bradburn. 10—A. A. McIntyre. 11—H. W. Morgan 12—W. H. Buller. 13—W. J. Johnston. 14—G. J. Tovey.

ACCUSED HER HUSBAND OF BIGAMY AND OF SHOOTING TWO PEOPLE IN TORONTO; SENSATIONAL CHARGES IN POLICE COURT

Mrs. Chas. Rotchford Told a Thrilling Story to Police Magistrate Dumble This Morning—Husband Had Threatened Son With an Axe

REMANDED FOR ONE WEEK

That he had made a wife and family when he married her, that he had shot two people with intent to kill, and that he was afraid to go to Toronto for fear that it would be arrested on that account; that he had stolen toys on Christmas Eve, and coming home drunk had tried to hit his little son with an axe because he would not accompany him on another thieving expedition, were some of the sensational charges made by Mrs. Charles Rotchford, against her husband, who was charged this morning with creating a disturbance. Rotchford when asked to plead answered that he didn't know anything about it.

Mrs. Rotchford was called into the witness box and told the following story: "He came home on Christmas Eve, drunk, and with a sleigh and several other toys which he said he had brought home for the children. I ask him where he had got them and he said that he flapped them under his coat. He told me I could get plenty of furs in the same way and asked me to go down with him after me. I refused and then he asked the little boy to go. The boy commenced to cry and said that he was afraid to go, whereupon he got an axe and smashed the sleigh which he had brought, and then swung the axe and was bringing it down upon the boy's head when I knocked his arm away. He then seized me by the throat but I escaped with the boy, ran into the street.

He hasn't worked for three months and I have had to keep him and two children. He has another wife and family in Canada, and the police are looking for him in Toronto for shooting two people with intent to kill. He is afraid to go back there on that account."

"You knew I had another wife nine years ago," shouted the prisoner.

Mrs. Rotchford went on to say that she had been compelled to have her husband before the Magistrate in Bowmanville because he had ill-treated her.

Rotchford was remanded for a week while the police will look into his history.

PETERBORO' BOY SERVED IN SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR

After an absence of twenty years from Peterborough, and his friends here, Mr. Jas. Hunter is visiting his mother, Mr. Wm. Hunter, Roger street, East City. It has been learned that during his absence he saw active service in the Spanish-American War, both in Cuba and the Philippines. He has been warmly received by his many friends here, who have welcomed him back again to the city of his youth.

NEIGHBOURS GOOD TO PETERBOROUGH FIREMEN YESTERDAY

The members of the fire department appreciate the kindness of their neighbours who, on Christmas eve, remembered them in a materiel manner, which the firemen thoroughly enjoyed. Among the gifts were a gallon of oysters, several crates of oranges and an abundant supply of cigars. Dr. Greer presented each of the men with a box of cigars, and Ald. Johnston remembered them with cigars and oranges. The kindness of the neighbours helped to make the environment something like home, and the firemen are very grateful to them.

WEST PETERBOROUGH ELECTION PROTEST

The matter of the West Peterborough election petition came before Mr. Justice Britton this morning, at Osgoode Hall, Toronto,, under the writ of Mr. Watson, for a stay of all proceedings pending the disposal of the appeal from his judgment upon the preliminary objections. An order was made staying all proceedings in pending the decision of the Superior Court on the appeal made. The Supreme Court holds its first sittings in the new year—in the last week of February.

CLOTS OF BLOOD IN STOVE AND FURNACE STORE SHOW TRAVELS OF A LONE MIDNIGHT MARAUDER

Some time during Thursday night Mr. A. E. Mick's stove and furnace store on Hunter street was broken into. A trestle was built up the back window and a small pane of glass taken out. The thief crawled through this and unlocked the back door, and whoever he was cut his hand or some other part of his anatomy, as there are drops of blood on everything that he had touched. He attempted to pick the lock of the safe, but only succeeded in bending it in such a way that Mr. Micks had to call in a man to fix it. He went to the show, case and took a package of knives, but that is all known to be missing. The police have been notified and will have men put on the tracks of the burglar.

Girl Employees Of City Buildings Entertained The Various Officials

A most pleasant Christmas Eve surprise was that provided by the five young ladies engaged in the offices of the city buildings at 5 o'clock on Thursday evening when they entertained the heads and staffs of the different city hall departments to a high tea in the large committee room of the buildings. It is needless to say that all the city officials including his worship Mayor Rush, Police Magistrate, Dumble and Chief of Police Rostel accepted the invitation and that they were surprised and delighted is but putting it mildly.

The young ladies had exerted every effort to make the affair a success and they achieved their aim admirably. The table was beautifully decorated for the occasion, with a large yule log smothered in holly in the centre surrounded by cut flowers.

The delightful menu included turkey, goose, salads, jellies, cakes, candies, fancy breads, Christmas cake ices and tea and coffee. The city officials did ample justice to the array of good things provided, the hospitality of the young ladies being greatly appreciated.

After the needs of the inner man had been satisfied a resolution of thanks to the young hostesses moved by Mr D. W. Dumble, seconded by Chief Rostel and endorsed by his worship Mayor Rush was carried with standing applause and musical honours.

Miss Edna Armstrong acknowledged the resolution in a very prettily worded little speech which was received with applause and the dainty little supper brought to a close.

IN COLLISION AT SEA

Mr. Hugh Lane Writes to Peterborough Friend Describing Collision Off Dover ---He Was On One of the Vessels Bound for New Zealand.

BOTH VESSELS WERE BEACHED

Mr Hugh Lane who resided in Peterboro' for some time but returned about a year ago to the old country has written a friend in Peterborough telling him of his experience in a collision in the English Channel. In company with his wife he was leaving for New Zealand during the early part of the month and was sailing on the "Tongarino" when the accident occurred during the dark hours of the night.

In the dark the Tongarino crashed into a home going vessel, staving a huge hole in its side with the result that it had to be beached in Dover Harbour in short order and was almost lost. It was carrying a heavy

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Stony Lake Youth Has Foot Badly Cut While Operating Shingle Saw In A Sawmill

Examiner Special.

Norwood, Dec. 26. — Mr. Thomas Puffer, a young man about twenty-two years of age, the eldest son of Mr. William Puffer, of Stony Lake, met with a serious accident at their shingle mill on the shore of the lake the other day. He was sitting on a box in front of the edger, edging shingles and without thinking, the saw being unprotected, shifted his foot in front of the big, rapidly revolving circular. The saw caught it and almost before he could realize what had happened, cut through the boot, severing the foot from the centre of the instep outward between the third and fourth toes. He managed to walk to the house and a messenger was despatched in pursuit of Mr. Puffer, who had started a short time before for Norwood, to inform him of the accident, and to procure medical assistance. Mr. Puffer hurried to the village and Dr. Wilson, who happened to be in town on his arrival, was soon on the way to attend to the unfortunate young man's injuries. Before leaving he telephoned to Dr. Kindred, of Havelock, to meet him at the lake, and who administered the chloroform while he attended to the dressing of the wound. When last heard from the patient was getting along nicely.

One Month In Jail Was Sentence For Blacklisted Man Who Got Drunk

A man who was found guilty of being drunk after he had been blacklisted, was sentenced to one month in gaol by Magistrate Dumble at police court this morning. The offence with which he was charged took place on Nov. 26th, but he had kept out of sight ever since.

Hills pleaded not guilty, but Ex-Mayor Wm. Yelland testified that he had seen him on Murray street the day in question, and that he was intoxicated. He had had a bag which he left on the street and which on examination was found to contain several empty whisky flasks and an unplucked turkey.

P C Newhall testified to going up and getting the bag which contained several empty flasks.

License Inspector Stewart gave evidence to the effect that the defendant was addicted to the use of liquor and that he had been blacklisted on July 11th.

At the request of Chief Rostel the defendant was put in the witness box and asked to state where he had obtained his liquor. He affirmed that he had been more sick than drunk, but stated that he had found a flask containing whiskey in the bushes on a vacant lot on Murray street, and that an hour after he had found the bag containing the turkey and other articles.

The magistrate sentenced him to one month in gaol, stating that it was of no use to fine him.

FINANCIAL POSITION OF THE CITY

Taxpayer Writes in Regard to the Controversy Over This Matter.

THE DISCUSSION IS USEFUL

To the Editor,—

Sir, — Apart from its somewhat personal aspect, the controversy now being waged between the present and former mayor of the city should serve a useful purpose in directing attention to what appears to be a very questionable feature of our municipal financing.

Apparently the council of 1907, in the exercise of its discretion, refused to float the debentures required to cover the previous year's local improvement expenditures, because of the unusually high rates of interest then prevailing. So far, so good. The remarkable circumstance is that they should immediately proceed to make further and larger expenditures for similar purposes, and thus more than double the magnitude and possibilities for loss to the city, of the problem which they had thought it wise to evade.

Not only so, but Mr. McWilliams, the mayor of that council, now comes forward, and blames his successor, Mr. Rush, for floating them even the next year, and for not passing them still on further. Does this not savor of rather reckless finance? Pray, where would he have this kind of thing end?

Surely if the conditions of the money market were such as to preclude the advantageous floatation of the city's debentures, that ought to have been taken a as restriction upon furthr similar expenditures until conditions had improved. If there is no law to prohibit councils from accumulating such liabilities, and passing them on to their successors to meet, it is manifest there ought to be one.

The doing of permanent improvements on temporary loans is a species of financing that should properly be kept within the narrowest possible limits.

Yours, etc.,
TAXPAYER.
Peterborough, Dec. 26, 1908.

Impossible to Repeat

—The musical service at St. Paul's church last Sunday was received with much acceptance by large congregations, both morning and evening, and many requests have been made for a repetition of the various numbers on the coming Sunday. Mr. Crane states that, for various reasons, it will be impossible to repeat the music next Sunday.

RETROSPECT OF THE YEAR'S PROMINENT HAPPENINGS

Coming events, it is said, often cast their shadows before them, but incidents of the past are real in as much as they mould our future conditions and make us what we are. We are oftimes urged to forget the years gone by—to live within the present and hope for the best in the future. But who amongst us can do this? There are precious few outside the strong-hearted individual whose memories fail to carry them back to revisit former scenes and recall the events of the past.

The Examiner has therefore compiled a list of some of the prominent happenings of the year whose dying stages we are now among and which closes next Thursday night. These have been obtained from the daily fyles, any of which would form interesting reading to the households who have subscribed for the Examiner as they bring back to memory the occurrences that were once read with eagerness. From among the most important events, the following have been selected:

January

1—New Year's Day.
Formal opening of new Fire Hall.
Curling Rink destroyed by fire.
3—Forty men start to work at breaking stones for the city.
4—Death of Mr. Wm. Pringle.
6—Election Day.
8—Fred Holland, Lakefield, fined $50.00 and costs for illegally selling liquor.
Opening of City Hockey League.
9—Mr. H R H Kenner accepts principalship of Collegiate Institute.
15—Charles Burke identified as man who robbed Purser's store at Buckhorn on Nov. 5th.
16—Initial banquet of Murray street Baptist Laymen.
17—Annual meeting of Royal Astronomical Society.
18—Canada Flakes Company formed in Peterborough.
21—A R Williams Company ask $50,000 from the city to revive Wm. Hamilton Company.
Annual meeting of Horticultural Society.
23—A $30,000 fire in Lakefield.
24—Death of Mr. William H Wrighton.
Mrs. Geo H Williamson attempts suicide at police station, in one of the cells.
28—Jas Thompson, Havelock, elected Warden of this county.
29—Charles Burke, committed for trial on charge of robbing Purser's store at Buckhorn.

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SPELLING "REFORM."

The advocates of the mutilation and deformity of the English language, assume to dignify their "fad" by the name of "reform," and advance among other alleged reasons why their fantasy should prevail, that the present, and what is of more moment, the past, mode of spelling English words is difficult to learn, and so redundant as to involve a waste of time in its use. All teachers agree that the chief value of the study of mathematics consists in the mental training and educative processes involved in learning it. If this is true, the result justifies the study; and the result alone, for, in the case of ninety-nine out of a hundred who study mathematics beyond the simple rules—euclid, geometry, algebra, and so on upward—little or no use of them is made in the matters concerned in the discharge of the everyday duties of adult life. Similarly, the proper study and the mastery of the spelling of the words of the English language have an educative and mind-training value. The truth of this might be easily demonstrated, but it will not be denied by those who consider the matter any more than will be denied the educative and mind-training value of the study of mathematics. To advocate spelling reform on the ground that it will facilitate the acquisition of the knowledge of English orthography, is to encourage the vicious element of "cram," which is the bete noir of true educational science and art.

The proposition that the whole is greater than a part, is not more axiomatic than the assertion that knowledge, in the didactic sense, derives its chief value from the mental training and development involved in its acquirement. Thus the fact obtains that the process of study of English spelling is, in the true educative sense, more important than its acquirement, and the mental training involved may easily be regarded as possessing greater practical, if not greater developmental value, than the study of mathematics, which—especially the higher—have an educative or menticultural value out of all proportion to their general applicable or conscious utility in the humdrum activities of every-day life.

On the contrary, English spelling, *hard, as it is considered*, to learn, is of universal application and in continual use. English spelling is not hard to learn—costs, relatively, no more to obtain than any other thing worth gaining, if properly and effectively taught. The teacher must have an intelligent knowledge of the language whose spelling is being taught; must understand the component details of the magnificent complexity and cosmopolitan character of the word elements that go to constitute the greatest language of mankind. The proper teaching of English spelling is another form of teaching the history of the Anglo-Saxon race in all its ages and in every relation it has sustained to British civilization, and all that that implies, as well as to the spread of the great principles of constitutional government, and the loftiest conceptions of national life to the nations of the earth.

The degradation of English spelling to the flat inconsequence of phonetic orthography would be to denationalize it and reduce it in its written form to the level of banal jargon among the languages of mankind. To teach English spelling by eliminating the historical element, would be largely on a parity with teaching British history by designating dynasties and sovereigns by numbers, like convicts, without reference to the ethnic, dynastic *or political* relations that influenced, modified, moulded, and were, in many cases, the essence and determining factors in the events that constitute the history of their reigns. The English language, like the British constitution, is a growth, not a genesis, a development not a decree, such as the spelling reform enthusiasts would have issue, and the fashion of it will not soon pass away.

True, its form and spelling have changed. This result has been the work of centuries—advance has been due to the accumulated pressure of custom and usage of great minds, as the piled-up mountain snows of ages crystallize into the glacier, whose own bulk and weight provide the impulse to its slow but irresistible advance.

Another objection urged to the retention of English spelling, is the time wasted in writing so-called superfluous letters. The frivolity of such a contention is so palpable that it would seem a greater waste of time to seriously discuss it. Take any writing; for instance, these lines, and see how many letters could be dispensed with by recourse to the most rigid limitation of spelling to absolutely indispensable letters. It is safe to say that a penman using the most simple and most curtailed form of "reformed" kakography, wouldn't gain one line of manuscript in a hundred over an equally expert penman using the orthodox orhography.

Why should we adopt a deformed spelling as a concession to the demands of a spirit of rush and hurry that, to its hurt, dominates the world to-day? In nearly all things we do too much in a given time to do it well. In architecture, we do not build; we comparatively toss material into heaps. In business we are so hurried, so anxious to become rich, that we sometimes don't take time to be honest. In literature—in writing books—we dash off something that will hardly outlast the haste-frail binding that holds it together. In nearly all we do, we sacrifice solidity to speed; quality to quickness, and so we come to substitute smartness for intellect, shrewdness for brains, success for honesty, money for morality, and spelling "reform" for improvement. Should we not rather heed lest we forget that "what is worth doing, is worth doing well?"

The merits and demerits of applying the forcing methods of the hot house to so radical a change in English spelling, as proposed by the reformers, can only be indicated here, not argumentatively dealt with; but enough can be briefly said to justify the statement that true language reform, as well as all true reform, comes slowly, and has always done so. Christmas was inscribed in the calendar of time nearly twenty centuries ago, yet many nations still sit in darkness. Magna Charta was signed eight hundred years ago, yet the first British colony only got responsible goernment, A. D., 1840. It was a far cry from Chaucer's toddling uncertainty of word and spelling to the stately stride of Maucaulay's lines—which represent evolution, not revolution. The English language is the growth of ages. It can't be remade at a sitting of a spelling reform society, any more than a King Charles' oak, warped by the storms of a century, can be straightened in a day by a surgeon's splints.

Our Christmas and our cash have been ill spent, if we have not spared enough loose change to square our accounts and face the world with a clean sheet.

GET SQUARE.

While the Christmas spirit, with its altruistic influences and generous impulses is still upon us, we are in better mood to meet the responsibilities with which the new year confronts us. This applies especially to the duty and propriety of settling accounts with the utmost possible promptitude. The New Year's season is the proper time for adjusting mutual financial obligations, so that the year can be entered upon under two distinct advantages—ease of conscience, and the consciousness of having helped and being helped in facilitating the business of the city. Money is the supreme lubricant of the wheels of business. They will run with less friction and danger of creaking, if everybody puts his share of cash in motion by promptly paying his accounts. Ten dollars thus put into motion may, by a continuity of payment, serve to settle a thousand obligations, and add to the comfort and financial ease of as many individuals. You owe somebody the amount of a current account, somebody owes you under similar conditions. Mutual adjustment of these two obligations will benefit both. A similar process going on in all the business relations of the city, will do much to improve business, give everybody a good start for the new Year, and contribute to the successful operation of the business enterprises exploited in that period.

The general outlook for business the coming year is excellent. There is noted improvement in all lines of commercial and industrial activity.

WOLFE STREET WHARF TO BE EXTENDED FULL LENGTH

Government Engineer Authorizes Extension to South Limit of City Property.

The Dominion Government is not unmindful of the interests of Peterborough, especially in regard to its navigation and shipping interests. The Government last session appropriated $5,000 to provide a new Wolfe sreet wharf, a work which the Toronto News and other journals of its stripe, would say should be done by the municipality benefitted. It was found that this sum would only build the wharf southward from the first abutment of the C. P. R. bridge about two-thirds of the distance of the frontage of the city property at this point. Hon. Mr. Stratton went to Ottawa, and laid before the Government the proposition for an additional appropriation, to permit of the extension of the wharf to the southern limit of the city's lands. The idea was favourably considered, and Mr. J. G. Sing, C. E., the Government engineer of this district, was instructed to investigate the matter.

Consequently, Mr. Sing was in the city on Saturday, looked over the situation, and authorized Mr. John Hayes, who has charge of the work, to extend the wharf southward the other third of the distance of the river or lake frontage of the city property. The work will be undertaken at once, and, if weather conditions permit, will be completed this winter. If not, work will be begun in the spring as early as possible. When the whole wharf is completed the public and the city will have a splendid line of wharfage, and when a line of wharf is built, which will very probably be done in the not distant future in front of the city's property north of the C. P. R. bridge, the public will have a better appreciation of the action which led to the placing of the river front in the possession of the city of Peterborough. As it is now, the wharf is under way, and will stand for ages, and those interested in navigation, steamer owners as well as the public, will derive continuous advantage.

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That's What Has It.

A COLLISON AT SEA— VESSELS WERE BEACHED

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cargo which suffered much damage. The Tongariro had her bow smashed in from the water line downward, and also had a long tear in her side. The pumps were put to work but in spite of the emptying work of the four huge pumps the water was gaining and by ten o'clock in the morning there was ten feet of water in the hold. She was also beached in Dover Harbour close beside the other vessel. There was considerable alarm among the passengers on the Tongariro when the collision occurred but the officers assured them that there was no imminent danger. They were taken to London by special train and the novelty of spending Christmas on the sea was deprived them. They will start about the first of the year when the vessel has been repaired.

Mr Lane was rather well known in Peterborough, having been a member of the Charlotte street Methodist choir.

RETROSPECT OF THE YEAR'S PROMINENT HAPPENINGS

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Mercury dropped to 29 degrees below zero.
31—First steps to provide relief restaurants.

February

1—Acquittal of Harry K Thaw.
Severe blizzard rages in the city, tying up traffic.
3—Thirty-two families get soup free.
6—City Temperance League formed.
13—David Hartley starts for Kansas City.
18—Peterborough Poultry Association formed.
19—Charter granted Collier-Cunningham Company.
20—Directors and members of the Y.M.C.A. gather at banquet.
24—Resignation of Rev. A H Brace of Park street Baptist church.
26—Burke found guilty of Buckhorn robbery.
27—Examiner's defeats Review's hockey team.
29—"Queenie" Grant goes to Mercer for one year.
Dave Hartley finishes 5th at Kansas City.

March

3—Ald. Gillespie offers scholarship to Collegiate Institute.
Board of Trade favours accepting Carnegie's grant for a library.
10—Charles Burke sentenced to 10 years in Kingston by Judge Weller.
11—Suicide of Louisa Atchison-Howell.
Rev. Father McColl leaves for three months' vacation on the continent.
Four C.G.E. employees plead guilty to stealing.
15—Dr. A G Ashton Fletcher, of Toronto, arrested, charged with murder of Jessie Gould.
18—Board of Railway Commissioners in Peterborough.
Presentation of "The Shaughraun" by St. Peter's T.A.S. Dramatic Club.
Opening of Peterborough Bowling Alleys.
22—Ben Howard, of Hiawatha, struck by G.T.R. team and killed.
23—Spring Assizes concluded.
25—Geo Shepherd tries to stab himself on hearing sentence for forgery.
26—Body of Ed. Beaman found in Otonabee. Drowned on Dec. 10.
30—Banquet to the Strathconas.

April

2—Russell Newbury, aged 7 years, drowned at Dam No 6.
7—Recommendation of Fire, Water and Light Committee that Fire Brigade be made permanent organization.
First drill of the 57th Regiment for the season.
15—Ald. Gillespie chosen to represent Liberals of West Peterborough in Provincial elections.
16—Stanley G Fife awarded Rhodes Scholarship.
220—Six day walking match begins at Brock street rink.
22—Laying of corner stone of new armouries.
27—Hoagland wins walking race.
29—Six new post offices established in rural district near Peterborough.

May

1—Bishop O'Connor celebrated his 19th year as Bishop of Peterborough.
8—Farewell of Rev. A H Brace at Park street Baptist church.
4—Opening of County Cheese Factories.
Opening of Missionary Institute.
Trent Canal Locks and Bridges opened.
6—Resignation of Ex-Fire Chief Rutherford.
6—Annual Meeting Lawn Bowling Association.
8—Attempt to wreck train at Downer's Corners.
10—Seventy-Third anniversary of St. Andrew's church.
11—Annual meeting Y.W.C.A.
13—Hon. A G MacKay at Norwood.
16—Banquet Retail Merchants' Association.
19—Opening meeting, Peterborough Cheese Board.
21—Death of Mr. Wm. Anderson, Ex-M.P.P.
4—Victoria Day.
B.B. Posters' Convention.
30—Death of Mr. Henry T. Strickland.
31—Fire at Peterborough Cereal Factory.

June

2—New letter and parcel boxes erected.
5—First band concert at Victoria Park.
8—Ontario Provincial elections.
11—Fred Simpson left for England for Marathon race.
14—Laying corner stone of new Roman Catholic Church.
15—W. A. Howard, Owen Sound, appointed local fire chief.
16—Ennismore picnic.
17—Cole Bros. circus here.
18—Decoration day.
23—W. O. W. Executive meeting.
23—District Convention of Maccabees.
26—Results of Public School promotion examinations.
27—Commercial promotion examination results.
26—Closing Conservatory of Music.
30—Collegiate Institute promotion examination results.

July

1—Dominion Day.
5—Rev G. W. Henderson preaches first sermon at Charlotte Street Church.
6—Opening Chemong Summer School.
11—City entrance examination results.
12—Big Orange demonstration.
15—Peterborough soldiers leave for Quebec.
19 — Joseph Molieff drowned near Lakefield.
21—Commencement of trial of alleged pickpockets captured circus day.
24—London Marathon race.
28—Howarda Mallory drowned at Stony Lake.

August

6—Death of Mr. Giles Webber.
7—Retreat of members of Sisterhood of St. Joseph.
8—Fred Simpson and Dick Baker return from England.
10—Civic Holiday; Printers' Picnic; Stony Lake regatta.
13—Chemong regatta.
16—Crowe's Landing regatta.
20—Hon. Geo. P. Graham here.
23—Rev. Dr. Workman preached in Keene Church.
24—A R Williams Co, purchase Hamilton Foundry.
26—Disastrous fire in Havelock.
26—J. H. Crocker at Y. M. C. A. banquet.

September

1—Restaurant keepers convicted of selling ice cream on Sundays.
3—Annual meeting of the Peterborough Rugby Club.
4—Jas Baldwin, of Cavendish, sentenced to seven years for an assault upon an Assyrian peddler.
Graduating exercises of Nicholls Hospital.
5—Hon. J. R. Stratton nominated by the Liberals of West Peterborough.
7—Roy McKelvie accidentally shot himself at Stony Lake.
Peterborough Regiment in camp at Barriefield.
9—Company proposing to take up Wm Hamilton Company plant asks the city for aid.
Rev H. R. Trumpour chosen as rector of All Saints' Church.
13—Twentieth anniversary of Park Street Church celebrated.
15—Fall Assizes begin.
Normal School opens with an attendance of 104 students.
Visa de Summer resort at Stony Lake destroyed by fire.
17—Peterborough Industrial Exhibition opens.
18—Perjury charge against Jos. Lavrasseur, Jr., quashed by a legal technicality.
Twenty-one South African Veterans decide to form an association.
22—Fred Whitcroft chosen manager of the Edmonton Hockey Club.
25—W. Fallon sentenced to nine months for house breaking.
26—Peterborough Baseball Club defeat St. Andrew's in game for Ontario championship.
27—Rev. Wm. Major preaches farewell sermon.
28—Chieftain Athletic Club organized.
29—Rev Canon Davidson returns from the Pan-Anglican Congress.
Board of Trade approves of a standard fire brigade.

October

1—Raymond Perry assaulted by unknown thug.
2—Assessors' rolls show an increase in the city's population and assessment.
3—City Rugby League opened.
5—Council pass honorarium to ex-Fire Chief Rutherford.
7—Attendance at Keene Fair broke all records.
Smith pioneer, Mr. Stephen Mann, passes away at the age of eighty-six years.
9—Annual sports of the Collegiate Institute.
10—Corner stone of new St. James' Methodist Church laid by Ald. W. G. Morrow.
13—Buckhorn Bridge opened.
14—Otonabee Athletic Club's meet.
17—Corner stone of new Park Street Baptist Church laid by Hon. J. R. Stratton.
Arthur Hanning drowned in the Otonabee River.
The Mysterious Mr. E. captured.
19—Nominations for the Dominion House.
22—Charlotte Street Curling Rink finished.
Peterborough Master Painters form an association.
24—Fred Simpson runs sixth in big Montreal race.
26—Hon. J. R. Stratton elected to the Dominion Parliament as representative from West Peterborough.

November

2—Fair directors ask council to purchase the exhibition grounds.
3—Court of Revision holds first meeting.
4—Last meeting for the year of the Peterborough Cheese Board.
5—Peterborough merchants organize.
7—Y. M. C. A. Boy's Conference meets.
Rev H. R. Trumpour inducted.
8—Thanksgiving Day Examiner road races.
Fred Simpson second in Hamilton Herald race.
Hoagland defeats Harrison in walking match.
11—Council enters into agreement with American Natural Gas Company.
Engineer recommends new dam and pumping station for water works plant.
12—Roland Ayotte accidentally shot in Harvey Township.
Sheffield Choir visits Peterborough.
14—Thos. Abbey, of West Toronto, injured in a rear end collision on C. P. R. at Parnell street.
16—Water front problem settled.
Peterborough Bowling League organized.
17—R P. Davidson, of Lakefield, committs suicide.
18—P. J. Creedon, former Peterborough man, found dead in a Cincinnati hotel.
19—Annual meeting of the Canadian Club.
20—Examiner road races prizes presented by Mr. H. R. H. Kenner.
22—Disastrous wreck on the C. P. R. near Pontypool.
24—Annual meeting of the City Hockey League.
26—New Presbyterian Church organized in Otonabee.
27—Formal opening of the new Collegiate Institute by the Minister of Education.
30—Mr. Shrubb visits Peterborough.
21—Board of Trade refuses to endorse money by-laws.
First commencement exercises of the Conservatory of Music.
22—Annual meeting of the A. O. U. W.
23—Opening of Jackson Park toboggan slide.

December

1—Last meeting of the Board of Education for the year.
2—Junior City Hockey League organized.
4—Annual meeting of the Peterborough Club.
6—Provincial organizer of Socialists visits Peterborough.
7—Last meeting of council for the year.
8—Inquest into death of Roland Ayotte shows accidental shooting.
Laymen's Missionary Movement banquet.
11—Annual meeting of the Horticultural Society.
12—Mercantile League organized.
15—Complimentary banquet to Lt.-Col. Miller by officers of the 57th Regiment.
17—Y. M. C. A. Team, and Field Club elects officers.
18—Annual meeting of the Children's Aid Society.
20—Ordination of Rev. Father McFadden at St. Peter's Cathedral.
25—Christmas Day.

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O'CONNOR'S APPRECIATION

Dr. Johnson used to say that if a man wanted to acquire a fine English style he ought to spend his nights and days in reading Addison. I would say to the young men of England that if they want to learn all the arts of oratory they ought to study the career of Mr. Gladstone. Perhaps I should qualify that expression by saying the arts of parliamentary oratory—for I would not like to say that Mr. Gladstone was in pure oratory quite the equal of John Bright. Gladstone's mind was too subtle, his style too diffuse, his vocabulary too complex, to make him an ideal popular orator. He was great on the platform, but he was greatest in the House of Commons. Bright—with his terseness, his simplicity, his rigorous concentration on great broad lines of thought and of emotion which every man could follow—was in pure oratory far and away the greatest man I have heard in my time in the House of Commons. And on the platform John Bright was even greater than in the House. Next to my first hearing of "Romeo and Juliet," with the greatest and most fascinating Juliet either of my time or of any other in the chief part—I mean Adelaide Neilson—next to my first hearing of "Romeo and Juliet" in my 19th year, I put as among the gorgeous experiences of my boyhood the first time I heard John Bright. It was at a luncheon in the old Irish City of Limerick, and the audience, as well as the hall, was rather small; and the occasion might even from its immediate surroundings have been described as petty. And yet the scene dwells in my memory as radiant with glory, as standing out amid all my recollections of my entrance upon manhood as the most epoch-making, brilliant and fascinating. I still feel something of the thrill—almost amounting by its very excess to a shudder—which passed through my whole nervous system as that wondrous voice broke upon my ear; and the peroration, delivered with that sublime self-control which was one of the greatest factors in the potency of Bright's oratory, sounded to me and affected me more as would the burst of some great piece of music than merely the spoken word of a single human's voice.

But in the House of Commons and in its daily drudgery and detail Bright was nowhere and Gladstone was supreme. And now, before quoting a passage from Morley's magnificent biography which will illustrate my meaning, let me give the reader some observations of my own, as a long student of Gladstone's oratory, as to what constituted its charm and power. And first let me say this—it conveys a lesson to every young student of oratory—Gladstone's powers were largely the fruit of tremendous and constant practice. He was learning oratory from the days when he was a schoolboy at Eton, and he kept on learning till he was nearly 90 years of age. And he was always improving. So much was this the case that he was often better at the end of a session than he was at the beginning. From which the young orator should learn the lesson that the one sure guarantee of good speaking is to be always speaking. It is a counsel of perfection, some people may think; it is a provocative to becoming a bore, according to other critics. I do not wish the inference, however, to be drawn that a man should be always speaking in the same place; he can take out his practice in different places. Gladstone was able to speak whenever he liked in the House of Commons; but then he was Gladstone, and he was a front bench man while he was still little more than a boy.

The second remark I have to make about Gladstone is that he was always at his best when he was most in his ease—when he was calmest, when he started playfully and easily, and allowed himself to be carried easily and spontaneously along the current of his own oratory. I am glad that almost the moment I took up again these volumes of Gladstone's biography, by John Morley, I came across some passages which were an admirable illustration of what I have been saying. These passages deal with Mr. Gladstone when he was 84 and when he was carrying through the House of Commons his second home rule bill. The occasion, therefore, is just the kind of one to bring out the two points I have noted in his oratory—first, that he constantly improved, especially when he was in constant practice; and, secondly, that he was at his best when he was most at his ease.

The first passage I will quote is the following:

"It was Mr. Gladstone's performances in the days of the committee on the bill that stirred the wonder and admiration of the House. If he had been fifty they would have been astonishing; at 84 they were indeed a marvel. He made speeches of powerful argument, of high constitutional reasoning, of trenchant debating force. No emergency arose for which he was not ready, no demand that his versatility was not adequate to meet. His energy never flagged. When the bill came on, he would put on his glasses, pick up the paper of *amendments*, and, running through them like lightning, would say, 'Of course, that's absurd. That will never do. We can never accept that. Is there any harm in this?' . . . The chief fighting debater against the Government made a long second-reading speech on the motion that the clause stand part of the bill. A little before 8 o'clock, when the fighting debater was winding up, Mr. Gladstone was undecided about speaking. What do you advise?' he asked of a friend. 'I am afraid it will take too much out of you,' the *friend* replied 'but, still, speak for twenty minutes and no more.' Up he rose, and for half an hour a delighted House was treated to one of the most remarkable performances that ever was known. 'I have never seen Mr. Gladstone,' says one observer, 'so dramatic, so prolific of all the resources of the actor's art. The courage, audacity and melodrama of it were irresistible.' 'For ten minutes,'' writes another chronicler, 'Mr. Gladstone spoke, holding his audience spellbound by his force. Then came a sudden change, and it seemed that he was about to collapse from sheer physical exhaustion. His voice failed; huskiness and indistinctness took the place of clearness and lucidity. Then, pulling himself together for a great effort, Mr. Gladstone, pointing the deprecatory finger at Mr. Chamberlain. . . . By sheer strength of enthusiasm, and an overflowing wealth of enthusiasm, Mr. Gladstone literally conquered ever physical eakness and secured at fect electric in its influence even on seasoned 'old hands.' Amidst high excitement and the sound of cheering that promised never to die away, the House gradually melted into the lobbies. Mr. Gladstone, exhausted with the effort, chatted to Mr. Morley on the treasury bench. Except for these two, the Government side was deserted, and the Conservatives had already disappeared. The Nationalists sat shoulder to shoulder, a solid phalanx. They eyed the prime minister with eager intent and as soon as the venerable statesman rose to walk out of the House they sprang to their feet and rent the air with wild hurrahs' ''

This is a scene which I saw myself, and, indeed, took part in. There is another scene described by Mr. Morley which I also saw, and which produced even a greater impression on the House of Commons and on all sections of it, than even the remarkable one which I have just quoted. Here is Mr. Morley's description:

"On another occasion ministers had taken ground that, as the debate went on, everybody saw that they could not hold. An official spokesman for the bill had expressed an opinion, or intention, that, as very speedily appeared, Irish opposition would not allow to be maintained. There was no great substance to the point, but even a small dose of humiliation will make a parliamentary dish as bitter to one side as it is savoury to the other. The Opposition grew more and more radiant, as it grew more certain that the official spokesman must be thrown over. The discomfiture of the ministerialists at the prospect of the public mortification of their leaders was extreme in the same degree. 'I suppose we must give up,' said Mr. Gladstone. This was clear, and when he rose he was greeted with mocking cheers from the enemy, though the enemy's chief men, who had long experience of his Protean resources were less confident. Beginning in a tone of easy gravity and candur, he went on to the points of pleasant banter, got his audience interested, and amused and a little bewildered, carried men with him in graceful arguments on the merits, and finally, with by-play of consummate sport, showed in triumph that the concession that we consented to make was so right and natural that it must have been inevitable from the very first. Never were tables more effectively turned; the Opposition watched first with amazement, then with excitement and delight, as children watch a wizard, and he sat down victorious. Not another word was said, or could be said. 'Never in all my parliamentary years,' said a powerful veteran on the front bench opposite, as he passed behind the Speaker's chair, never have I seen so wonderful a thing done as that.''—T. P. O'Connor in T. P.'s Weekly.

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Examiner Special

Montreal, December 26.—That an action will be taken by a number of the proprietors of large down town buildings against the Montreal Harbour Commissioners, appears likely. The claim for damages will be on account of broken windows. Six weeks ago a terrific explosion shook lower part of the city. It occurred on a Sunday afternoon, shortly after noon, and sent hundreds of business men hurrying in cabs down to the wholesale district to find out the cause. It proved to be an explosion of dynamite in the harbour; several tons that were stored on a float, having blown up. The explosion shattered thousands of windows in the business district, several of the large office buildings on St. Paul street, having hardly a whole pane left on the side facing the harbour. The Harbour Commissioners have been considering the matter of claims for the broken glass ever since, and finally they have announced that they will not pay for the damage. The claims altogether amount to only about $6000, but a number of the proprietors are very sore and declare that they will go to court about it. Arrangement are being made for a meeting of those interested, and it is likely that a test case will be arranged, the costs to be met by a common fund supplied by those interested. The commissioners have declared that they will fight the claims in the court, and will not pay up unless compelled to do so.

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WORRY, NOT WORK, IS FATAL

Nerves Cannot Stand the Former, Says Dr. Worcester, Founder of Emmanuel Movement—Cause of Nervous Disorders.

STRAIN AND NEEDLESS WORK

New York, December 24 — That the more intelligent physicians are disinclined to prescribe much medicine and that the more intelligent patients prefer to accept nature's relief was the declaration of the Rev. Dr. Elwood Worcester, of Boston, founder of the Emmanuel Church movement, in an address to an audience which filled St. George's Church, in Sixteenth street. Many prominent clergymen and physicians were present, and at the conclusion of the address expressed great interest in the movement, which is for the first time being introduced in New York."

"Functional Disorders of the Nervous System," was the theme of Dr. Worcester's address, and he described in plain terms the work in behalf of nervous sufferers which has been undertaken in Emmanuel Church, Boston. Religious and scientific principles upon which the movement bases its origin were explained. Success in the treatment of nervous diseases, Dr. Worcester said, convinced the followers of the Emmanuel movement that the Church has an important mission to discharge to the ill, and that the physician and clergyman can work together to the benefit of any community.

Work for the Nervous

Briefly, the speaker reviewed the work among the nervously and morally diseased. Prominent neurologists were consulted to ascertain whether such a project would meet with their approval and support. From the beginning the work has been carried on with the advice and co-operation of the physicians.

Dr. Worcester made it clear that Emmanuel Church is attempting to establish no new dogma, and that the single desire of those interested in the movement is to give to each patient the best opportunity for life and health.

"We believe in the power of the mind over the body," said the speaker, "and we believe also in medicine, in good habits, and in a wholesome, well regulated life."

In the treatment of nervous disorders, it was explained, free use is made of moral and physical agencies. When it is found that a nervous or physical disorder can be best treated through physical instrumentalities, that method of treatment is chosen. The Emmanuel movement, he said, has confined its practice to that large group of diseases known to-day as functional nervous disorders. Great success he said, has been achieved in the treatment of cases of alcoholism. Of the eighty or ninety patients treated last year, Dr. Worcester could recall only three who had not since lived sober upright lives. Those addicted to the cocaine and morphine habits, he said, could be greatly benefited, but he would make no claim that such patients could entirely be cured.

Causes of Prostration

"Nervousness is a disease of civilization," Dr. Worcester declared. "Complex conditions breed it. Primitive man may have been prone to it, but we have no knowledge of that fact. Thirty-five years ago even nervous prostration was comparatively rare."

It was also contended by the speaker that many of the nervous diseases of to-day are due to heredity. Often, he said, the disorder of the nervous system can be traced back to a parent or grandparent, who was either a drunkard or suffered from some mental affliction. Environment, complexity of life, indoor life, the unnecessary din and uproar of the city or the strain of one's daily work, he said, contributes to produce nervousness. That it is not work, but the worry, that causes the breakdown of the nervous system, was Dr. Worcester's contention.

"Calm and pacify your inward lives and cultivate an inward peace if you would avoid nervous diseases," he continued. "Conserve your energy and control the mind and you have solved the problem."

That fear is an element which enters largely into people's lives is the belief of Dr. Worcester. Hysteria, he said, is largely the tendency of thought to the objective self, which produces all manner of complications, more common in women than in men. Depression was given as another form of nervous disease which is difficult to treat.

Greeting

We wish all A Jolly Christmas and A Bright New Year.

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THE CITY'S ASSETS ENUMERATED

Mr. Elliott Explains the Two Particular Varieties.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

Dear Sir,—What are the assets of the City?

There are, I am satisfied, two particular kinds of assets:—

Assets convertible into money and assets that are not convertible.

For instance the City Hall, Fire Hall, School Buildings, etc., of course it be admitted could not be sold for the cost of erection and establishment, but they are worth a certain amount if directly placed in the market.

There are other assets which, if placed in the market, would not realize anything, or at most very little, such as sewers, water mains, bridges, etc.

Sidewalks and bridges we will call conveniences, and not venture an opinion upon them at present.

Referring to waterworks or mains, these and sewers I think, go together, providing from the pocket of the ratepayer benefitted, for principal, interest and maintenance, and no more directly, but what they do indirectly, is of as much importance or more importance, namely, provide for the safe guarding of the health of the City, the very object for which they were built and afterwards maintained. With regard to revenue the waterworks rates gathered from the people provide for the interest on the money borrowed to construct them, and a sinking fund sufficient to meet the principal when it falls due, as well as the maintenance in the meantime. The sewers or the properties benefitted by them do the same thing; a rate upon the said properties is levied every year during the currency of the debentures sufficient to pay the interest on the money borrowed for construction, and to set aside enough each year by way of a sinking fund to meet the principal when it falls due.

Now what is the difference between the revenues?

In the first place we must admit that the sewer is worthless without the water main, yet the revenue from the waterworks is an indirect one in so far as the people are concerned, and a very substantial one too, from the fact that it saves the keeping of wells and cisterns, and the expenses connected therewith, and if properly managed gives to the people water to drink with no bad results to follow.

The same may be said of the sewers: the people have no expense in taking care and disposing of sewerage, and the health of the city is in that way guaranteed to a great extent, and one of the greatest assets a city has is its healthy record, both for advertising and other purposes.

It seems to me that no discrimination should be made between the earning power of the waterworks system and the sewer system of the city.

With reference to another asset the city claims namely, the interest of the City in the Administration of Justice Buildings of $9,000, it might be pointed out that in making the award of the amount payable by the City to the County each year, in lieu of the County meeting the expenditure as it arises, or the amount that should be borne by the City, the interest of $9,000, as above, is credited to the City by way of interest on capital invested.

With regard to fire hall, etc., if the city had not a fire hall of its own, what would be the amount to be paid each year by way of rental for one, as it is compulsory, or advisable, to have one.

The same may be said of schools and those buildings and institutions appearing on the Report of the Auditors and their appearance in the report would have no other than a good effect upon intending purchasers of debentures in the future, as they can plainly see that the money has been wisely expended that necessitated the existing debenture debt at the present time, and all liquidation of debentures and current expenditures met at the reasonable rate of same (17 mills general) with about three mills more for extra facilities, as well as being an advertisement of the city.

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LID ON GAMBLING HOUSES

Police Inaugurate Campaign in Montreal —Half a Dozen Raids This Week.

MANY HAVE BEEN ARRESTED

Examiner Special.

Montreal, December 26. — A further step towards the placing of "the lid" on Montreal this winter was taken this week, when the police inaugurated a campaign against the gambling resorts of the city. In the past few weeks there has been an active movement for reform in the city. The initial step was taken to bring about reform in the city hall itself by Aldermen Robinson and Carter, who have come out with charges that there is a great graft in the administration of the affairs of the city. Their declaration created no little sensation and the matter was taken up by the city council with the result that an investigation will likely be held. A campaign was then commenced by the local press against the inefficiency displayed by the local police force. Burglaries are of nightly occurrence in the city and but few of the burglars are caught. The burglaries have if anything been more numerous since the campaign has started but the citizens have been awakened to the fact that the police protection, for which many thousands of dollars is paid yearly, is more or less of a farce, and it is not unlikely that the early weeks of the new year will see some sweeping changes in the administration of the department unless some improvement is noticeable. The next step in the cleaning up of the city was a campaign against the Sunday theatre started by the Sparrow Theatre Company, whose houses have always been closed on Sunday. They opened up two of the theatres under their control for Sunday shows and they declare they will continue to give Sunday shows until the other places of amusement, including the picture shows, are closed down by the authorities. There have been a number of gambling houses in the city operating practically openly, and the police now have declared their intention of closing these places up and keeping them closed. Many of these resorts are in the better class sections of the city, are well furnished, and are frequented by men prominent in business and social circles.

This week half a dozen raids have been made and a large number of people arrested. The corridor of the city hall police station is lumbered up with gambling paraphrenalia which has been captured in these raids. Many of the tables are of very expensive make, some being of solid oak and mahogany, and very handsomely fitted up. Three of the houses were situated on St. Catharine street, the principal retail shopping street of the city, and one was on University street, in the fashionable residential quarter of the city. All of those found in the places were allowed to go on furnishing $20 bail. They will come up for trial on Tuesday next, and meanwhile there are several other resorts which the police will visit.

A pool room which was doing a thriving business in St. Henri, one of the suburbs of the city, which was recently annexed, was also visited by the detectives. The place was crowded with "sports," who were busy playing the horses. They were allowed to go, but the proprietor of the place will have to stand trial.

Indications are that the campaign against vice will be maintained, as it appears that the police are anxious to make good in some way and prove that the force is not altogether worthless. Already places which hitherto paid but little heed to the laws are being run more carefully. It used to be said that with possibly half a dozen exceptions, it was possible to get a drink at any saloon in the city on Sunday, but this is so no longer. Saloon keepers are becoming frightened and last Sunday there were many places closed up tight that had not been closed for many a Sunday. The Sunday theatre is still in full swing, however, as nothing more will be done by the police in this regard until the case against the managers of the three largest houses, which is now before the courts, is settled.

OBJECTIONS OF HALIFAX SHIPPERS

Claim They are Being Discriminated Against in Matter of Ocean Freight.

Examiner Special.

Halifax, December 26.—That Halifax is being discriminated against in the matter of ocean freight rates, is the claim of business men of this city. They declare that this port is at a disadvantage, not only in regard to export freight originating west of Montreal and bound for Europe, but it is handicapped by a discriminating tariff on local ocean freights for Halifax from Europe. Under the revised freight tariff issued recently by the Allan line local ocean freight for this port is charged two shillings and six pence per ton more than is charged on similar freight for St. John.

Halifax shipping men declare that this is very unfair. Boats bound for St. John require 24 hours longer steaming than to Halifax but instead of making the rate to this port less or at least the same as that to St. John, it is actually made two shillings and six pence higher than on freight landed at St. John, and thus Halifax importers are subject to this extra charge.

That this discrimination is a violation of the contract under which the Allan Line received a subsidy is the opinion of the Transportation committee of the Halifax Board of Trade, which has taken the matter up and is in negotiation with the steamship company about it. If the Allan Line refuse to remove the handicap, the Government will be asked to force them to do so.

The Board's contention is that the Allan Line is subsidized to land freight here and that the contract specifically provides that there shall be no discrimination in rates. The clause in the contract which makes this provision reads:

"Section 14.—It is further understood and agreed that tolls to be charged in the way of either freight or passenger rates between ports on both eastward and westward trips shall always under substantially similar conditions and circumstances be charged equally to all persons and at the same rate, whether by weight or otherwise, in respect of all traffic of the same description and receiving in carriage the like accommodation: and, further that no toll shall be charged which discriminates against Canadian merchants or shippers or against emigrants to Canada."

The claim is also made that the port is also injuriously affected as compared with New York, Boston, Portland and St. John, on export freight originating west of Montreal. Freight going via Halifax has to pay one cent per hundred pounds more than freight via the other ports. The Board of Trade are also looking into this matter and will seek to have it rectified.

England's Knowledge Of The Possibilities Of Canada

Prof. Leacock's Speech at Banquet of Dominion Travellers' Association in Montreal.

A BETTER UNDERSTANDING

Examiner Special.

Montreal, December 26th. — The speech that was delivered by Professor Leacock at the banquet of the Dominion Commercial Travellers' Association was the topic of considerable discussion at the conclusion of the meeting. Some members of the society who were present stated that it was one of the strongest pleas for a better understanding between Canada and the Mother Country that they had ever heard. Said one gentleman: "It is exactly the idea that Canadians want to get hold of. This country, of which I now count myself a citizen, should realise that the Old Country is watching its rise with an immense amount of interest and delight. England knows the possibilities that lie before the Dominion. It knows of its enormous resources, and all the vast power that these resources are likely to give it. There is nothing more fascinating than to watch the making of a nation, and that is what England is doing, and she is prepared to do all that she can to help on that process. The idea that the Old Country simply looks on Canada as a land of ice and snow is so much buncombe, and simply shows that some Canadians have a wrong notion of the attitude of the Mother Land to her most promising colony—forgive the word. But at the same time, Englishmen in Canada have also the justifiable grievance that Canadians do not seem to appreciate the position taken up towards this Dominion. They do not seem to attempt to know England, Englishmen, or English ways. Some of our papers, for instance, show a lamentable ignorance of the politics of the Old Country. I am sometimes tempted to think that the despatches are sent from the Old Country from some Canadian city, for they most grossly misrepresent what is really the true condition of affairs. I do not want to enter into any political discussion nor to raise partisan controversy, so let me give you one or two cases to illustrate my meaning without raising unpleasantness. A short time ago I read that at the present time there was a big deficit in the exchequer of the United Kingdom. Now, the truth is that the National debt is lower than it was before the South African war. I read further that the House of Lords had the power to veto a money bill but had not exercised their power for many years. As a fact, the House of Lords lost the power of the purse in the time of the Comonwealth, and have never had it restored to them, and they can no more interfere in the monetary matters of the kingdom than an elephant can play billiards. Oftentimes I read of things supposed to have happened in England, that never could have occurred by any means. These are perhaps little matters but they show an ignorance of English affairs that is lamentable in the extreme. This is one reason why I join with Professor Leacock in asking Canadians to give some of their attention to the affairs of other nations and not to confine all their interest to internal matters. The wider interest both countries take in the welfare of each other the greater will grow the desire of mutual benefit and the widening and strengthening of the bonds that should bind one to the other.

Dummer Residents Celebrate Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob White Much Respected in Their Native Township—Old Friends Gather Round

MANY GUESTS PRESENT

An event of unusual interest was celebrated at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob White, Pleasant Valley, in the Second Line of Dummer, on Monday, December 21st, 1908, being the celebration of the 50th anniversary of their marriage.

Invitations were only extended to the brothers and sisters of Mr. and Mrs. White, or representatives of their deceased brothers and sisters. Amongst the guests present were their daughter, Mrs. George Grant and her three children, of Paisley, Ont., Dr. and Mrs. Marvin, and Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Watts, of Warsaw, Mr. B. White, of Peterborough, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Spence, Mr. and Mrs. George Payne, and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Sherin, of Lakefield, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Batten, Mr. and Mrs. Lazarus Payne, and Mrs. Hamblin, of Dummer.

After the guests had done justice to a sumptous repast, they gathered in the sitting room and the Rev. Mr. Marvin conducted the service. The groom of fifty years presented the bride with a handsome wedding ring, after which a very suitable address was read from their daughter, Mrs. George Grant and her children accompanied by beautiful present to Mr. and Mrs. White.

The invitations requested no presents, but the bride and groom of fifty years did not limit themselves in that manner as the sisters or their representatives on both sides of the house were presented with suitable memorials in gold as remembrances of the happy event. The Pastor of the Church and the Missionary Society of the Methodist Church, who have frequently been recipients of Mr. and Mrs. White's benevolence were not forgotten on this occasion.

A special feature of entertainment was a duet by Mr. and Mrs. White, composed by themselves, recalling scenes from their old home and experiences of early days.

A very enjoyable evening was spent and the guests retired after wishing Mr. and Mrs. White many more years of health and happiness.

Crop Statistics In Manitoba Show Agricultural Advance

Examiner Special.

Winnipeg, December 26. — The Department of Agriculture of the provincial government has just issued a return showing the crop acreage sown during the past year. From this it is evident that there was a substantial increase, and also a larger number of farmers going in for mixed farming. The report shows that the harvest results have been found to be satisfactory. An early spring was followed by fine crop weather which, with few exceptions continued till close on harvest time, when it turned dry and hot, thereby shortening the returns and lowering the grade. High prices and favourable conditions gave dairying splandid results, with improvement and increase in all phases. Poultry also showed a considerable increase, but one of the most interesting parts of the report showed that there has been an increase in fall plowing, giving promise of a larger crop acreage than ever next year. In the north western district the yield of wheat was 16.5 to the acre; southwestern, 18.1; north central, 16.2; south central, 16.6; and eastern, 17.1 bushels. The total area under grain crop is given as 4,818,611 acres, and the total under all crops, 4,987,496 acres. The report estimates that 69 per cent. of the wheat crop had been marketed by December 1, 1908, or 33,984,252.2 bushels.

SOME CAUSES OF POOR LIGHT

Latest Electrical News of Interest From Schenectady.

Schenectady, Dec. 26.—Electric News Service.—The study of illumination has not only become an exact science in these days of perfection in artificial lighting, but every householder is eagerly reading anything that will give him a greater insight into this most difficult study.

Many a poorly lighted room can be easily remedied by changing the light fixtures or repapering. It was formerly the custom to blame the oil, or the gas, or the electricity if there were dark shadows in the room, or if the light failed to dispel the evening darkness. Now it has been proven that these same rooms, be it at the home or the office or the store, can be made almost as light as day with even less candle-power than before, all with a little study and planning.

A wallpaper which will "absorb" light is the greatest enemy to artificial light in the home. An illuminant is powerless to light a room if the colour of the walls absorb most of the rays. The illuminating engineers of the General Electric Company claim that a white wall will reflect 50 per cent. of light, whereas a red wallpaper will reflect only 13 per cent. A light buff or yellow will reflect 45 per cent; a dark brown about 12 1-2 per cent. A light apple-green wallpaper will reflect 40 per cent.; a dark green will give us 14 per cent. Dark wood trimmings absorb light; white wood reflects it. Velvets, chintzes, burlaps, will also absorb light; so will wallpaper, whatever its colour, but a tinted-surface wall reflects the light. Wallpaper in patterns is not only one of the greatest of all known absorbers of light, but it also has a bad effect on nerves and eyes.

The plainer the wallpaper the better for nerves and body, and the smoother the surface the more light it will reflect. In selecting wallpaper the way the room faces must also be taken into consideration. Those rooms facing north and east require lighter coloured papers than do rooms facing south and west.

Care in the selection of tints and wallpaper will not only lead to a better and a cheaper artificial light but will protect the eyesight, save the nerves and tempers. It will enable all to realize to the greatest degree the many advantages of artificial light from the electric current where many are now using some inferior illuminant because of an incorrect impression that electric light is too expensive.

It is estimated by competent engineers that it will cost the railroads of this country $5,000,000,000 within the next few years to keep pace with the increase of traffic. The expenditure of $4,000,000,000 would electrify all these roads and take care of all this increased business without increasing the trackage.

Electric irons are being extensively used in the manufacture of clothing. The use of the electric iron radically improves the sahitary conditions of the shop, increases the output and reduces the danger of fire.

The electrification of the St. Clair tunnel between Port Huron, Mich., and Sarnia, Canada, has been completed. This tunnel is one of the longest submarine tunnels in the world, and it cost half a million dollars to change the motive power from steam to electricity.

The electric locomotive holds the world's record for a mile with a mark of one mile in 27 seconds.

HIS SPIRIT ROSE IN MYSTIC LIGHT

New Brunswick Girl's Disquieting Vision in Her Room — Dead Brother Appeared to Tell Her of His Death.

A STRANGE COINCIDENCE

A very remarkable revelation that statements of apparently trustworthy witnesses are accepted of a supernormal kind has just been had of a family in New Brunswick with regard to one of its members who died within the past fortnight near Englehart, on the Montreal River, in Northern Ontario, and whose remains after disinterment, passed through Montreal on their way to Salisbury in the Eastern Provinces.

According to the statements of Jane and Robert McIlwraith, who are accompanying the body to the old home of the deceased, Miss McIlwraith had either a very remarkable vision, in which her brother Joseph appeared to her on the night of Tuesday, Nov. 24, or, as she believes, his ghostly body appeared before her in her bedroom and asked her if she did not know that he was dead. The brother had been away from home two years, at work in the silver region of Cobalt.

Was In Bed

She had been to bed for some hours and on awakening, as she thought, she saw a light in the room that could not be accounted for by lamp, candle or the moon. "Instantly," she said, "I saw my brother appear before me in a brownish suit of clothes that I had never seen him wear before. He suddenly seemed to start up from nowhere and he asked in a perfectly natural voice. 'Don't you know I am dead.' Having said that he receded back, presumably through the wall. The light also disappeared very shortly.

"I did not seem at all afraid until the light vanished and then I became so frightened, thinking about the appearance of my brother and the message, that I aroused my brother Robert, as well as mother, to whom I communicated the terrible experience."

The family were fearfully agitated but living some distance away from a telegraph station, they did not take steps for several days after the occurrence to communicate with Joseph. They had not heard from him for about six weeks and he was then preparing for work for winter on his claim on the Montreal River, which he was to develop with money he had saved at Cobalt. On the Friday they telegraphed and got an answer the following day that Joe McIlwraith had died of pneumonia a few days before, and had been buried. The telegram also stated that he had left fifteen hundred dollars behind him.

Remains Were Disinterred

It was decided that the remains should be disinterred and brought east in order that the deceased might be buried where he spent his early life. His brother went to bring them along, and to-day was met here by the sister who had the extraordinary experience. They all went East by the Maritime express of the I. C. R., Robert and the body having come East over the Ontario Government Railway and the Grand Trunk.

Miss McIlwraith seemed to be a woman of some refinement and exceedingly modest and sensitive-looking, but extraordinarily pale—a fact which she attributed to the shock she had received from the singular visitation and the startling confirmation given to the message. The brother found no difficulty in getting the money belonging to the deceased.

From the inquiries that Robert was able to make his brother died on the day before his sister had the remark-

NEW BRUNSWICK IN SOUND FINANCIAL STANDING

Surplus Expected of $40,000 When Gazette is Issued.

Examiner Special.

Fredericton, N. B., December 26.—Next week's Royal Gazette will contain the statement of the financial standing of the province for the fiscal year which ended October 31 last. The statement will show a surplus of forty thousand dollars. A surplus will, it is said, be shown in every department.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25 cents.

An Invitation

We cordially invite every one interested in something for New Year's, to visit our store and note the fine lines, perfect quality and moderate prices here shown. Nothing more appropriate than some of the following suggestions.

Gentlemen's Gold Watches
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Diamonds Rings
Pearl Rings, lots of designs
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CHANCES STILL GOOD at the

Peterboro' Bookstore

As you have helped us to roll up such a great sales-record at Christmas, we will devote the balance of the year to surprising offerings and still greater sacrifices on all lines in the store prices to make lookers quick buyers.

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The display of Gift Goods for New Year's presents affords abundant chances for good selections of high-art articles in many popular lines, such as:—

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Friends who have been unintentionally overlooked can still be remembered.

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The Millinery Sale

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The Sacrifices will be greater than ever—the values positively unequalled fot Fashionable Hats, trimmed and untrimmed.

All Ribbons, Flowers, Feathers and Velvets marked down below cost.

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We are offering the best bargains of the season in

Ladies' Coats

They are all this season's newest styles and made of the best materials. Good assortment of styles and colourings to choose from.

See them—Ready-to-wear Department, second floor.

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Greatest clearing up of all new Ready-to-wear Garments yet brought on in the city. All these lines must be closed out before stock-taking. That's the plain, unpolished fact, and we intend to price all our Women's and Misses Coats and Women's Suits at such low figures that a sure exit will be the result.

Coats

All Women's $10, $12, $13 Coats in Black, Green, Blue, Brown, etc.—natty, new garments, a manufacturer's over-make, nearly all different, but everyone strictly up to the hour in style, about 40 Coats in all. On sale to-day and next week

7.75

Coats

$6, $8, $10 Misses Coats in natty styles, made of very warm German cloth, light and dark colouring, all made to sell from $6.00 to $10.00—one or two at $12.00 in the lot. These are all grouped for quick selling to-day and next week

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Suits

Every Suit must go and at once. Note the following list of prices :—

LOT 1—All $50.00, $40.00, $35.00 Suits, latest styles, 29.75

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LOT 3—Two lines, natty styles, $18.00 and $15.00. To clear 13.75

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Kodaks	2.00 to 20.00

For the MEN

Shaving Brushes	.25 to 1.00
Shaving Mirrors	.25 to 2.25
Shaving Mugs	.25 to 2.25
Razor Strop	.50 to 2.00
Razors	1.25 to 5.00
Hat Brushes	1.00 to 1.50
Fountain Pens	1.00 to 7.50

¶ Every man, woman and child is invited to inspect our stock, whether a purchaser or not.

R. I. Davidson
With TATE-TAYLOR OPTICAL CO

Greetings

That this year of our Lord nineteen hundred and eight has brought as full a measure of satisfactory return from honest effort as your kind and hearty co-operation has made possible with us.

That there may be no bitter Dregs in your cup of joy at this festive Christmas season is the earnest wish of

R. I. Davidson
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POULTRYMEN TO MEET ON TUESDAY

Arrangements for January Show Now Almost Complete.

A special meeting of the Peterborough Poultry Association will be held next Tuesday night, December 29th. As the time for the poultry show is drawing near they expect to see a large crowd present at the meeting to assist in the work of preparation. Committees have been appointed to look after the various arrangements, and the work has gone merrily on. Some of the members expect a thousand birds.

Meeting of the Bricklayers and Masons Union to be held in the Forester's Hall George Street at 7.30 sharp to make arrangements to attend the Funeral of our late Brother Hamilton. Wm. Stevens Cor. Sect. No. 17

MINDEN MUSIC LOVERS HEAR TALENTED ARTISTS

The Minden Echo has the following:

The entertainment of last Monday evening held under the auspices of the Methodist Church, suited the taste of all Minden music lovers. After a splendid supper was served the audience settled down to feast upon higher things. The programme began at 8.15 and from that until 9.45 the entertainers displayed to an appreciative gathering the staff of the aesthetic life.

The singing of Miss Jean Robson of Norwood, was well received. The ease with which she sustained and sounded the high notes was charming while the richness of her voice seemed to disarm all criticism. The violin selections of Miss Julia Choate of the teaching staff of the Conservatory staff, Peterborough, were splendid. Her numbers that made exacting demands upon exactitude in the management of double stopping readily won her hearers. Miss Annie Ivory, notwithstanding she was handicapped by not having a piano, excelled particularly in passages requiring velocity, delicacy and softness of execution. Her tone of voice in "Face to Face" was clear and sweet.

OBITUARY.

MR. WILLIAM HAMILTON

The death occurred on Christmas day of Mr. William Hamilton, at his residence on the corner of Wolsley and Aylmer streets, at the age of forty-nine years, after being ill about two years. Mr. Hamilton was born in Coboconk, and resided in Cameron for a number of years, coming to this city about five years ago. He was respected by all who knew him.

He is survived by his wife, two daughters, Margaret and Mrs. Richard Telford, both of this city, and one son, F. Lloyd, traveller for the will be held from the residence at Quaker Oats Company. The funeral two o'clock on Monday afternoon and will proceed to the Little Lake Cemetery for interment.

PETERBORO' MEN AT WHITBY

Trial to Come up Again on January 6th in Connection With Trent Valley Cold Storage Company.

WHAT THE CHARGE IS

The following is a dispatch from Whitby to the Toronto World :—

As a result of the action of the Trent Valley Cold Storage Co. of Peterborough, in seeking to collect a promissory note from a farmer named Harris, and the decision in the farmer's favour, two arrests have been made. Two Peterborough men, who promoted the company, and thereby secured money and notes from some 40 farmers near here, were arrested in Peterborough on Tuesday, on a warrant sworn out by John Emmerson, one of the farmers who bought shares in the Company.

They were brought here and taken before Police Magistrate Harper. After hearing the evidence he committed the accused for trial before the next court of competent jurisdiction.

Later before County Judge McIntyre the men elected to be tried by him, and he named Jan. 6 next as the day. The charge laid was conspiracy to defraud. D. O'Connell of Peterborough, appeared for the accused, and L. T. Barclay for the farmers. The accused were admitted to bail for $3,000.

In speaking of the case Mr. Barclay referred to the many cases of share floating companies that obtain signatures from farmers who were unprotected from fraud in the management of the companies. By the new amendments to the Joint Stock Companies Act a certain measure of protection is given, but it is the evident plan of the prosecution of this case in moving for a return of all these notes to make an example of this kind of business and to make such doings impossible.

In this case many farmers subscribed for stock because of the very plausible representations of the promoters, who talked of a good thing, but who apparently were not as wise as they should have been. From the judgment of Judge McCrimmon it would seem that there was fraud in the act and that the Trent Valley Cold Storage Co. was really an outgrowth of a bankrupt company similar in formation and aims in the same town.

The farmers had a very strong case presented by Lawyer Barclay, and it was because of this judgment that the warrant was issued.

In speaking to The World a prominent farmer of East Whitby, in recalling the promoting days of the company, said:

"They had some very slick promoters, who put up a most tempting proposition. They talked with my father for two hours, had dinner and then left, not having induced him to go into the concern."

CHRISTMAS DAY AT ALL SAINTS' CHURCH

Large Number of Communicants—Some Pretty Decorations.

Christmas Day this year lost none of its beauties to the worshippers at All Saints. The number of communicants was 12 per cent larger than the previous largest number in the history of the parish, which was four years ago. The decorations were this year carried out more extensively than usual and made the Church look exceptionally beautiful. A lighted star of exquisite beauty hangs before the chancel window. Mottoes of green, white and gold adorn the walls, which are also festooned with liberal wreaths of Christmas greening. The monograms of red in the chancel, panels of former years, have this year been replaced by symbols of the Christ and eternity in green wreathing. The Holy Table bears its beautiful festive hangings of white, and is made even more beautiful by goodly vases of flowers; it is surmounted this year, not by the usual brass cross (which, by the way, is only an ornament and not a necessary part of the Holy Table, and not found at all in many leading Anglican churches), but by a cross of green which shows to advantage with its white background.

The music was in keeping with the Christmas season. The early service was enriched by the introduction of a hymn, "While Shepherds Watched their Flocks." Two Christmas anthems were sung at the 11 o'clock service, at which the choir was strengthened by the introduction of a large number of boy choristers. The sermon by the Rector was an expansion of Canon Cody's sentence in the Canadian Churchman: "Christmas is the day of varied beauties — it is a great Home day, it is a great Heart day, it is a great Church day," and it is a great Parish day.

The Christmas offering was a very generous one, and given to the Rector, who hers wishes to thank his parishioners for it.—Com.

A PLEASANT CHRISTMAS PARTY

Enjoyable Time Spent Yesterday Afternoon and Evening at Home of Mr. Ellam.

A delightful Christmas party was held yesterday afternoon and evening at the home of Mr. Jack Ellam, 367 Stewart street, the hosts being Mr. Ellam and Mr. Ernest Naish. About thirty-five guests were present and a most enjoyable time was the result. Supper was served about seven o'clock, and afterwards games, music and dancing occupied the attentions of the merry folk until Christmas day was as far away again as ever.

MEN MAY COME AND MEN MAY GO, BUT 'XAMINER GOES ON FOREVER

Graduates of Examiner's Junior School of Journalism and Practical Stenography.

The Examiner knows, if others do not, that it is conducting a sort of College in journalism,—training clever young men in the art of newspaper work. That its work is well done is evidenced by the fact that its graduates are snapped up by publishers and employers of good men, departing graduate, and they drift away or are drafted away into new fields of labour and success. Within recent years there has been a small procession of these deputy-graduates of the Examiner's journalistic college, of men who had advanced to the city editor's chair. Beginning with Mr. Alf. Terrill, there followed Messrs. Clarry, Choate, Hutchinson and the latest, Mr. Bert Huston, who leaves on Monday to take—with the best wishes of the Examiner and a host of friends in city and country—a responsible position with the Canadian Grocer, one of the Toronto trade journals, issued by the McLean Publishing Company. He will make a success of his new venture, if he applies the same ability, energy and fidelity to his new duties, that have marked his connection with the Examiner.

However, men may come and men may go, but the Examiner goes on forever. Our staff is like a British line of battle when one soldier falls or drops out—another from the ranks steps forward to take his place. Mr. Fred Craig, who has been on the Examiner staff three years, takes Mr. Huston's place as city editor. He is a clever and popular young man and the Examiner bespeaks on his behalf, on the part of the public and the readers of the Examiner, the same courtesy, support and co-operation, which has been extended to his predecessors.

Subsidiary to the Examiner's school of journalism is the school of practical stenography, which seems to be a fatal profession for young ladies. When they have appreciated creditable efficiency others beside the Examiner appreciates their good qualities. Within a few years no fewer than three of the Examiner's lady stenographers have graduated into the matrimonial arena and have placed themselves in a position, where, instead of being "dictated to" they themselves do the dictating, as is the way of women since the days of mother Eve.

MISS EDYTH LaNORA,
Charming Soubrette with Cook Stock Company "Grand" Opera House All Next Week. Popular Prices.

Market Showed The Effects Of Heavy Christmas Sales

The market was a lonely looking square this morning. The farmers wisely understood that after Christmas, there would be a big falling off in the amount of money exchanged. It was the realization of this that caused the farmers' sleighs to be few and far between and the number of purchasers equally scarce. It may be that some of those whose prices for turkeys, last Wednesday were particularly exhorbitant, were ashamed to come back so soon for more.

Objections Alleged In The Marriage To Tom Longboat

Examiner Special.

Toronto, Dec. 26. — Archbishop Sweatman has written Rev. A. H. Cregan, of Deseronto, in charge of the Indian reserve, where Tom Longboat met Miss Marsele, and who was announced to perform the marriage ceremony in Massey Hall, Monday night, that there will be objections. Furthermore administering a sacrament recently to one who was a "heathen" will be investigated.

Many Present At Entertainment At Salvation Army Barracks

The children's Christmas tree and entertainment held in the Salvation Army barracks last night proved a great success.

A splendid programme was rendered to a large audience, the hall being crowded. About nine o'clock great excitement reigned amongst those present, especially the children, when they heard the far-off hoots of the automobile and when the curtain parted there stood Santa Claus loaded down with presents for the Sunday School children, everyone getting toys and candies.

The hall was beautifully decorated by Bandsmen Hodges, Savage and Osborne, all the flags used being lent lent by Mr. J. J. Turner. A great share of the work fell on the shoulders of Bros. True and Shadgett, who made the preparations for the automobile and the Christmas tree, while the programme was specially made up by Mrs. Wesley Boorman and the teachers of the Sunday school. The Junior Sergeant Major proved an acceptable chairman. The following was the programme rendered:

Opening hymn, Hark the Herald Angels Sing
Prayer.....Staff-Capt. Walton
Pianoforte solo.....Miss E. Card
Recitation, Who's Girl?....A. Carter
Solo (vocal).....E. Osborne
Recitation, Company's Coming to Tea
A. Braund
Duet, S. Richardson and V. Boorman
Song, Christmas Bells ..N. Crouter
Pianoforte duet..Master N. and Miss A. Braund
Selection .....Band
Song, Coming Home.. E. Northcott
Mouth organ duet..Master Albert and Mr. Shadgett, accompanied by Mrs. Shadgett.
Recitation, Tommy Stout....W. Fearman
Duet (vocal)..Misses B. Payton and H. Card
Selection .....Band
Tableau and Song, Rock of Ages.... Doxology.

THE WORK ON THE TRENT CANAL

Only Two Sections Between Peterboro' and Trenton Not Under Contract

The following despatch from Ottawa is practical evidence that the Trent Valley Canal is not as the enemies of the government assert, a mere political expedient, but a seriously-taken and honestly prosecuted national enterprise which under the vigorous administration of the Laurier Government, has made more constructive progress than in the preceding sixty years it has been "dragging its slow length along:"

Ottawa, Dec. 24.—Special. — The contract has been awarded for section No. 7 of the Trent Canal. This section extends from Rice Lake to Healey's Falls, and is about 19 miles long. The work consists of a lock and dam at Hastings and dredging throughout the section, as well as the straightening of the river.

The contractors are the Randolph Macdonald Company of Toronto and the amount of the contract is $450,000.

This leaves about 16 miles yet to be contracted for between Peterborough and the southern outlet, including sections No. 4 and 6.

CAVAN SWAMP ROAD A MENACE TO PORT HOPE

So Thinks the Port Hope Guide—Brings Extra Trade to Peterborough.

Some time ago we published an article in this paper stating that the Counties' Council had passed an order for $600 to assist in building a road through the Cavan swamp. We found fault with the action of the Council on the grounds that it was driving the trade from these counties to the City of Peterborough. We asked Reeve Burnham and Deputy Reeve Merrifield to explain this action. At the next meeting of the Town Council they told us that the statement was untrue and that no such order had been made.

We learn to-day on good authority that the grant was made and that the money has since been paid. In looking over the minutes of the Cavan Council which met on the 15th we notice the following among the communications:

"From the Counties' Clerk, sending orders for $600 grant made by Counties' Council in assisting in opening a new road on con. 14."

In the face of this we would like to have some further explanation from our county representatives.

This road in question, which is no benefit to the Counties whatever, makes the distance to Peterborough either four or six miles shorter, and means the driving of our trade to the city of Peterborough.—Port Hope Guide.

THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for the confidence that they have bestowed in us again this year, and in the appreciation they have shown for our goods. : : : :

We have good reason to be grateful, and send out our best wishes for a Merry, Merry Christmas. : :

W. Lech & Sons

New Year's Gifts At Adams'

While we have enjoyed a very large Christmas trade, for which we thank our many patrons, we shall have many special lines suitable for New Year's remembrances, all at reduced Prices.

Come in To-night

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Harry Adams

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ONE BIG WEEK with Matinees New Years and Saturday
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TWENTY—PEOPLE—TWENTY 5—BIG VAUDEVILLE ACTS—5
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TWO MEET DEATH IN A MINE

Coal Cutters in Joggins Workings Burned to Death.

ANOTHER MAY NOT SURVIVE

Curtain Screen Catches Fire and Before Workmen Can Escape They Are Terribly Burned In Accident In Nova Scotia Mine—Death Came Almost Instantly—Third Man Has a Chance to Recover.

Halifax, Dec. 26.—The horror of three men at Joggins Mines were saddened at Christmas time by a terrible accident which occurred in the mines there between 10 and 11 o'clock on Thursday night, when two men lost their lives and another is so seriously burned that but slight hopes are entertained for his recovery. The dead are John H. Coleman, Jr., and George Sawyer. The injured man is Frank McNeil. All three are coal cutters and belong to the night shift. They were working at the cutting in the old slope of the Joggins Mine, now owned and operated by the Maritime Coal, Railway & Power Co. In some way not yet explained the brattice cloth, a device consisting of burlap or canvas curtains in screens which cross the cut, enabling the free circulation of air, caught fire, and before the unfortunate men were able to escape they were so seriously burned, that death in the two cases mentioned resulted almost instantly. McNeil was also terribly burned, and the latest reports are that he is living, but with very slight hopes of recovery. Both victims were terribly burned. Coleman was a young unmarried man, about 26 years of age.

Dr. J. A. Munroe, coroner, held an inquest. After hearing evidence a verdict was given: That Coleman and Sawyer came to their death by suffocation.

Religious Faker Dead.

Chicago, Dec. 26.—Cyrus R. Teed, "Koresh I." self-styled "Messiah" of the notorious "sunset flat heaven" in Normal Park in 1892 is dead in the midst of his colony in extreme Southern Florida. His followers, devoutly believing in his immortality, awaited his resurrection yesterday, but nothing has yet been heard of a resurrection.

Victoria Gratin, his wife, has assumed the throne with mediæval solemnity and has issued an edict that the body of the leader shall not be buried until there has been a manifestation of divine will.

Army to Reform Inebriates.

Auckland, N.Z., Dec. 26.—The authorities are making a new experiment in New Zealand. The prison authorities got so tired of their repeated failures in reforming the inebriate that they have determined to hand over all such cases to the Salvation Army. The Army has purchased two small islands to which the cases can be transferred—one island for women, the other for men. The object is to remove them from temptation. So far the experiment has been a success, although it is too soon to pass a permanent judgment.

Twins Hale at Ninety.

Babylon, N.Y., Dec. 26.—With faculties and health unimpaired, the venerable twin brothers, Samuel and William Muncy, celebrated their ninetieth birthday here on Christmas Day.

The brothers look so much alike that no one except members of the family can tell one from the other. Neither has ever used liquor, and both are supporters of the prohibition movement. Early to bed and early to rise has been their motto. Both have long been widowers, and each has a large family.

Gift From the Queen.

New York, Dec. 26.—The steamer Adriatic, which arrived here Thursday had on board six large cases containing several hundred copies of Queen Alexandra's book of photographs. They were consigned to Sir Edward S. Clouston, Bart., general manager of the Bank of Montreal, and are to be given as presents to hundreds of prominent Canadians. In the safe of the purser also was a present to Lady Laurier, wife of the Prime Minister of Canada.

Indian Head to Go.

Washington, Dec. 26.—The classic faces of the girls on the U. S. nickels and pennies are to be changed. Within a short time some prominent sculptor will be invited by the Secretary of the Treasury to submit new designs for the coins mentioned.

On the new pennies it is likely that old-fashioned Indian head dresses will be done away with. The penny coined yesterday is of the design adopted in 1864.

Change In Bisley Rifle Weight.

Quebec, Dec. 26.—A cablegram from London announces that the council of the National Rifle Association have decided that for the year 1909 the rule restricting the weight of the barrel to 3 1-4 pounds is abolished, and a weight of four pounds is substituted therefor. This refers to all match rifles used by marksmen at the Bisley meet.

No New Policies.

New York, Dec. 26.—In order that they may be certain not to exceed the limitation of new business prescribed by the new insurance laws of this state, the New York Life Insurance Co. announced yesterday that it would write no more policies, the insurance under which can be consummated in the present year.

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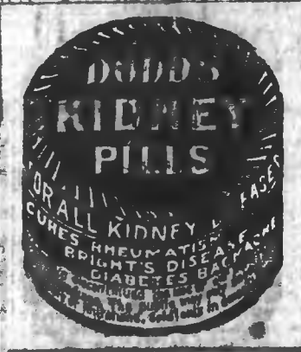

GRABBED HIS BEARD.

Royalist Frenchman Attacks President Fallieres Just to Pull His Whiskers.

Paris, Dec. 26.—While President Fallieres was taking a morning stroll yesterday, Jean Mattis, a poorly-clad individual, suddenly jumped upon the President from behind and threw his arms about M. Fallieres' neck in an effort to seize his beard.

The assailant was dragged off and turned over to two special detectives who had been following the party on bicycles.

President Fallieres' cane was broken in the struggle, but beyond a scratch on the ear he was not injured.

PRESIDENT FALLIERES.

As the detectives slipped the handcuffs on the man he cried: 'I am unarmed. I simply wanted to pull the President's beard."

During the examination Mattis boasted of being a royalist and talked confusedly of having done his "duty" and obeyed the dictates of his "conscience." Heaps of Royalist reactionary literature were found by the police when they ransacked his residence.

Medals of Gen. Mercier, the former Minister of War, stamps bearing the head of the Duke of Orleans, a card of membership in the Patrie Francais and other royalist documents were found on his person.

The investigation reveals the fact that Mattis was in close relation with the royalist organization, and this gives color to rumors that he was the instrument of a royalist plot. Serious evidence in this direction, however, is lacking up to the present time, and it is more likely that he is only a crack-brained individual seeking notoriety.

BABY THROWN FROM TRAIN.

Dead Body Picked Up by Sectionman Near Komoka.

London, Dec. 26.—The body of an infant was thrown from Grand Trunk train No. 27, which left here at eight o'clock Thursday morning, about five miles west of Komoka.

Section Foreman Archie McKellar was standing beside the track, and as the train whizzed by him he saw an object thrown from a window. He picked it up and discovered it to be a dead baby. It was wrapped in ladies' underwear and the outside covering was a newspaper. McKellar notified Coroner Mitchell of Komoka, who gave it as his opinion that the baby was born on the train, which made up in London, bound for the tunnel.

By the time the wires were got working the train had passed the tunnel and the mother of the babe could not be located.

Dutch Ships Leave Venezuela.

Willemstad, Curacao, Dec. 26.—The Dutch cruiser Gelderland, which has been operating in Venezuelan waters, arrived here yesterday.

Her arrival formally brings to a close the Dutch demonstration against Venezuela. Holland having recalled her warships pending the outcome of the diplomatic negotiations which are to be resumed between the Netherlands and Venezuela.

Crew of Yacht Mutinies.

Teneriffe, Canary Islands, Dec. 26.—The crew of the yacht Dalia, owned by Jacques Lebaudy, "emperor of the Sahara," mutinied while off this port and hoisted the Haytien colors. The vessel was forced to put into Santa Cruz, however, owing to lack of coal and on arriving here the mutineers were arrested. A fresh crew were placed on board the yacht yesterday.

Persecution of Jews.

New York, Dec. 26.—The American Jewish committee yesterday announced the receipt of a cablegram from the German Jewish committee of Berlin, saying there have been persecutions of Jews in Russia, Finland, this winter on a large scale.

It was added that many families have been driven from their homes.

Hon. Charles Devlin Ill.

Ottawa, Dec. 26.—Hon. Charles R. Devlin took suddenly ill while leaving church at Aylmer, Que., yesterday morning and has had to cancel all his engagements in connection with Quebec bye-election. He is suffering from collapse.

Director of Geological Survey.

Ottawa, Dec. 26.—Reginald W. Brock, M. A. C., Ottawa, has been appointed director of the Geological Survey. Prof. Brock was for some time connected with Queen's University, but did field work for the Geological Survey.

THE DARKER SIDE OF CHRISTMAS

Britain's Unemployed Have Sorry Yule Tide Cheer.

THOUSANDS OUT OF WORK

Big Cities in England and Scotland Present Scenes of Distress and Suffering—Accidents Reported From United States on Christmas Day—Late Dinner Causes Death of Baby in Philadelphia.

London, Dec. 26.—The dark side of the English Christmas is the great number of unemployed and the distressing prevalence of destitution and suffering. This is seen principally in London and at Glasgow and along the Tyne and other shipbuilding centres, where many establishments have been closed and thousands of men are out of work.

A small band of shabbily dressed, miserable-looking unemployed persons have paraded the fashionable shopping streets during the past week, threading their way among the lines of motor cars and the crowds of aristocratic Christmas shoppers. The police accompanied the band as it marched in order to prevent disturbance. Its members shouted in unison as they marched, "We want work."

More than a thousand homeless men assembled on the Thames' embankment every midnight to get tickets to Salvation Army shelters. The Army, however, is able to accommodate but half the crowd, and the others disperse, many of them being obliged to spend the nights out of doors. The newspapers daily record cases of men being sentenced to imprisonment for stealing food who plead that they are starving or have families suffering from want. The appeals to charitable organizations for help were never so numerous or urgent.

The Salvation Army, and other charitable institutions yesterday gave dinners to many thousands of destitute persons, but these Christmas dinners were not a drop in the bucket when compared to the needs of the unemployed.

The number of British ships laid up in various ports this year is entirely unprecedented in the experience of ship-owners.

In the Bristol Channel, the Clyde, the Mersey, the Tyne and the Thames there is an extraordinary demand for mooring accommodation for ships with no work to do. The Tyne, for instance, is literally congested with idle ships. A return shows that there are no fewer than ninety-three vessels, with a total registered tonnage of 186,000, laid up in this river alone.

According to one estimate there are at the present time in home and foreign ports between 200 and 300 idle British ships, totalling between 400,000 and 600,000 tons. On a rough estimate the value of such a fleet is between $10,000,000 and $15,000,000, and this huge aggregation of capital is not only producing nothing, but is costing money for upkeep. In addition, the inactivity of so many vessels means lack of employment for some thousands of seamen and firemen.

Dinner Late; Fatal Fight.

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 26.—Mrs. Turner's tardiness in preparing the Christmas Day breakfast is said to have precipitated a quarrel between William Turner and his wife yesterday, during which their ten-weeks-old boy was killed. Mrs. Turner had the child in her arms, and in the fight she dropped it to the floor. Subsequently she was either knocked down or fell upon the infant, crushing it to death. The parents were arrested.

Ten Thousand Feasted.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 26.—The new St. Louis Colliseum was given over to Christmas celebration yesterday, when the Post Despatch Christmas Festival Association gave a dinner to women and children.

Ten thousand tickets had been issued for the event. After the dinner presents were given to all the children. A circus wound up the day's treat.

Santa Claus Fatally Burned.

Detroit, Dec. 26.—Lee Wagner was fatally burned Thursday midnight while playing Santa Claus at a family re-union. Clad in a gay Santa Claus costume, which was set off by a great bunch of cotton whiskers, Wagner was leading the merriment when suddenly the cotton whiskers caught fire.

Christmas In Prison.

Ossining, N.Y., Dec. 26.—Christmas was observed in Sing Sing Prison yesterday with a more elaborate dinner than, it is said, had ever before been served to the prisoners in that institution. Chicken, many vegetables, hot tea biscuits, hot mince pie, lemon wafers, bananas, oranges and apples, with milk and sugar, figured on the yuletide bill of fare. The dinner was followed by a concert by the prison orchestra. The prisoners were furnished with cigars and smoked while they listened to the music.

Charity's Hand Open.

New York, Dec. 26.—Opening wide the hand of charity to make the day one of joy and gladness for the poor and unfortunate, and freely drawing upon the stores of plenty happily at its disposal to spread holiday cheer, from the highest to the lowest strata of its population, the City of New York celebrated Christmas of 1908 in a way that not only lived up to the best of its traditions, but set a new standard for the dispensing of holiday blessings upon its millions of inhabitants.

The unfortunate in the jails, the ill in the hospitals, the poor in their homes and the destitute and helpless in institutions were all remembered. That not far from 100,000 persons were assisted by means of donations of dinners and the like, is conservatively estimated, while the total of those reached at first hand and by indirection that the general outpouring of beneficence is beyond the possibility of anything like accurate enumeration.

Tunnel 14 Miles Long.

Odessa, Dec. 26.—The "Caucasian Post" announces that the construction of the transmontane railway between Machet and Vladikavkas, a distance of about 120 miles, has now been finally decided on, and will be begun, probably, next spring.

This enterprise involves the piercing of the Caucasian range by a tunnel of a little over fourteen miles in length. This will be the longest tunnel in the world, the Simplon, which now holds that distinction, being only a little over twelve and a quarter miles long.

The work of construction will occupy about ten years, and the cost is computed at $52,500,000.

An Expensive Feast.

Harrisburg, Pa., Dec. 26.—Mock Sen, the leper who has been in the involuntary and expensive charge of the city of Harrisburg since July 7, 1907, died at the municipal hospital yesterday, tuberculosis being the cause of death.

The cost of the Chinaman's maintenance was about $175 a month. Some months it went up to $200, one occasion being when he was told he could order some goods from a Chinatown house in Philadelphia. No one knew what he was ordering and the bill was $27.50. Mock feasted for a week.

Stamp Slot Machines.

Washington, Dec. 26.—If one man can drop a penny in a vending machine and obtain a piece of chewing gum or a handful of peanuts, why not be able to drop a coin and get a postage stamp?

That is just what the United States Postoffice Department want to make a popular feature of its service, and in an order issued yesterday announcement is made that the Department is now prepared to issue limited quantities of postage stamps in rolls of 500 to 1,000 for use in stamp vending and stamp affixing machines.

Comfort of Farmers.

London, Dec. 26.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—James Dunlop, member of the Scottish Agricultural Commission, recently in Canada, addressing a meeting of Scotch farmers, said in Eastern Canadian farms he was struck by the superior accommodations and comfort of the dwelling houses, compared with those of Ayrshire.

Speaking generally of the Northwest he said Manitoba had the best market, Saskatchewan the best land, Alberta the least rigorous winter, and British Columbia the banner province for fruit-growing.

G. T. P. Elevator Co.

Ottawa, Dec. 26.—F. W. Morse, Montreal; J. E. Dalrymple, H. H. Palethorpe, W. K. Chandleir, Thomas Gillespie, J. A. Stevenson and Hugh Phillips, all of Winnipeg, have been incorporated as the Grand Trunk Pacific Elevator Co., with a capital stock of $1,000,000. The operations will be carried on principally at Fort William, but the head office will be in Winnipeg.

Want Right to Mine.

Ottawa, Dec. 26.—The Yellow Head Pass Coal & Railway Co. is applying to Parliament for incorporation as a mining company with the right to build one hundred miles of railway from the G. T. P. in Alberta southeast to the head waters of the Little Pemfina River and 25 miles from the G. T. P. along the Embarras River toward the McLeod River.

Drowned at Chatham.

Chatham, Dec. 26.—Herbert Johnson, aged four, son of Hector Johnson, farmer, near here, was drowned in the Thames River Thursday evening, and the body was not recovered.

The boy, with a brother, walked on the ice, was warned off, but Herbert later returned with his dog and broke through the ice. The dog also was drowned.

Newspaper Man Dead.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 26.—Charles West Spalding, a pioneer newspaperman, died in Kansas City, aged 79 years.

He is said to have been the first man to receive a President's message by telegraph. During the civil war he was a special correspondent of The Chicago Times.

Choked by Peanut.

Chicago, Dec. 26.—Martha Fones, a two-year-old child, lies dead at her home, while her Christmas tree, adorned with gifts and with candles alight, stands in the room.

The baby swallowed a peanut shell, which lodged in her throat, and died at a hospital despite the efforts of the surgeons.

Applying For Divorce.

Ottawa, Dec. 26.—Notice is given that Ada Ann Reed of Toronto will apply to Parliament for a divorce from her husband, Josiah Reed.

Administrator of Manitoba.

Ottawa, Dec. 26.—Hon. Justice Dubuc, chief justice of Manitoba, has been appointed administrator for that province during the absence of Lieutenant-Governor McMillan.

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SHOOTS HIS FATHER.

Amherstburg Negro Lad Pursued With Whip Kills Parent.

Amherstburg, Dec. 26.—William Thompson, 16 years old, son of Elijah Thompson, a colored man, who has been for many years a familiar figure in this section of Essex County, on Thursday morning shot his father.

Thompson is the father of ten children, of whom William is the oldest one at home. Thompson was displeased with the way in which the boy and two younger brothers had done some work he had assigned them, and flogged the two other boys.

Then armed with a whip he started to look up William, whom he blamed more particularly for the failure to do the work set out for the three boys. William saw him coming and ran upstairs to secrete himself. He found a Winchester rifle in the room and stood at the head of the stairs and fired at his father as the latter started up. The bullet passed through Thompson's liver and intestines, tearing a gaping wound in his body.

HOME TO VISIT, DROPS DEAD.

Alberta Man Intended to Surprise Daughter In London on Christmas.

London, Dec. 26.—To drop dead within a few blocks of the home of his daughter and son-in-law, whom he had traveled 2,000 miles to visit, and who intended his arrival to be in the nature of a surprise, was the fate that befell Robert Gillespie of Everts, Alta., at an early hour on Christmas morning.

Mr. Gillespie is the father-in-law of P. C. Clarence Kelly, by whom he was identified yesterday morning. He arrived in the city on a late train and was proceeding to the home of Mr. Kelly, 41 Oxford street, West London, when a severe attack of heart failure caused his death.

Show Men Protest.

New York, Dec. 26.—More than 300 of New York City's 550 moving picture show men met yesterday and protested with more or less vehemence against Mayor McClellan's action in revoking their licenses and closing their shows Thursday night. A committee of 25 was appointed to report on a plan of organization for the purpose of contesting the enforcement of the mayor's decree.

The mayor's closing order was rigidly enforced yesterday in Manhattan and the Bronx, where all places devoted exclusively to the exhibition of moving pictures were closed.

Manitoba Cuts 'Phone Price.

Winnipeg, Dec. 26.—Announcement will soon be made by the Government of a reduction in the present telephone rates.

Under Government ownership the telephones have been a financial success, and it is expected that the profits for the first year will amount to approximately $225,000.

As far as can be learned, although nothing has yet been definitely decided, residence phones in Winnipeg will cost but $20 after the first of the year, and business 'phones will cost in the neighborhood of $30 or $35, against $50 now charged.

More Arrests Coming.

Pittsburg, Dec. 26.—That at least $176,000 was paid councilmen for the selection of certain banks as depositories for the city's funds has been almost positively established by evidence submitted and statements furnished by the voters' league, and the Scranton, Pa., detectives employed by the league to give this city a municipal house-cleaning.

That other arrests are to be made is practically admitted by all concerned in the case, but the present intention is to let the matter rest until after Christmas.

Home, Sweet Home

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LAST HEAT IN NAMED RACE WAS FINISHED IN THE DARK AT THE TURF CLUB'S CHRISTMAS MATINEE

The Turf Club's Christmas matinee provided one of the most warmly contested races that has been seen on the local track in many moons. All of the heats had been concluded in two of the events on the card, and five heats in the named race had been run off and still another was necessary to decide the winner. By this time it had become so dark that the cigars which the men in the grand stand were smoking, glowed in the gathering dusk like embers of a smouldering camp fire on a summer night. From the judges' stand one could scarcely recognize any of the faces across the track. There were then three horses left for the first three positions, Nate Nicholls of Lakefield, having driven Herkland to fourth place; they were Ashmore's Lou Keswick, Elmhurst's Harry Mac, and Whittom's Queen Bourbon. It looked as if the race would have to be postponed until Saturday, or the money divided as the race then stood. The starter, Mr. Martin Connors, called the three men to the stand where they decided to run another heat.

Raced in the Dark

They got away to a good start, bunched until they drew well around the west turn, and then they were lost to view except to those among the highly interested spectators, who possessed powers of sight equalling that of hawks. The dark background of the south fence made them almost indiscernible until they hit the east curve where they were seen close together but in file. Their steps sounded boggy in the heavy slush as they drew near the finish on up to the line where it required a penetrating glance to distinguish "Doc." Gibson behind Queen Bourbon as he won the heat and race, getting the best cheer of the afternoon. The Keswick horse was a close second, and also got second money in the race, Harry Mac finished third.

During the first three heats of the struggle, Bourbon was tailing along in the very rear division. In the third he broke his hobbles which were then removed, and without the straps he took the next three in first place each time.

The following is the summary for this race :—

Lou Keswick—2, 1, 1, 4, 3, 3.
Herkland—3, 3, 2, 6, 2,
Queen Bourbon—6, 5, 6, 1, 1, 1,
Harry Mac—1, 3, 3, 3, 4, 3.
Lady Black—4, 4, 4, 2, 5.
Black Cloud—5, 6, 5, 5, 6.
Time : 1.19, 1.17, 1.16, 1.20, 1.18, 1.20.

Free For all

Dr. Leach's Holland Boy, driven by Dick Monahan, took three in a row from Patterson, with Eddie Jones on the seat, in the free for all. The time was 1.1 .15 and 1.14. It was by no means a walk away for the old veteran. Patterson gave him a great run in each heat, although finishing in practically every case a length behind.

Matched Race

The matched race between Bourbon Brooks and Queen's Baron was a "frazier." The Elmhirst horse took the first heat by a narrow margin, but lost the next two. In the second, although alongside Queen's Baron at the start, he had hardly struck his stride. "Doc." Gibson drove Whittom's horse in a steady manner, cinching the last two heats, but with Bourbon nosing along at his side. The time was 1.17 1-4, 1.18 1-4, 1.18 1-2.

The matinee was a success in the quality of the races that were put up, but the crowd might have been larger. The track was heavy but the contests were keen and well fought The officers were well pleased with the sport and expect even much better at their annual meet which will be held in a week or two.

Tommy Burns Loses The Big Fight With Johnston

Sydney, N.S.W., Dec. 27.—Jack Johnson, the big negro from Galveston, Texas, is the world's champion heavyweight pugilist. He won the the title yesterday in the big arena at Rushcutters' Bay from Tommy

TOMMY BURNS.

Burns, the Canadian, who had held it since James J. Jeffries relinquished it, and after a chase of Burns that had led half way round the world.

The end came in the fourteenth round, when the police, seeing Burns [illegible] and unable to defend himself from the savage blows of his opponent, mercifully stopped the fight. Previously it had been arranged that if the police interfered a decision should be rendered on points, and Referee McIntosh without hesitation declared the big black man the winner, for all through the fight he had shown himself Burns' master in every style of fighting.

Burns, whose real name is Noah Brusso, in an interview after he had gone to his dressing-room, said: "I did the best I could and fought hard. Johnson was too big, and his reach was too great."

Johnson appeared fresh after the fight, while Burns' eyes were badly puffed and his mouth swollen to twice its normal size. The Canadian fought a game battle and showed indomitable pluck, but he was no match for the big Texas black.

The fight was for a purse of $35,500, of which Burns received $30,000 and Johnson $5,500. The ring was a 24-foot one and was pitched in the centre of a big arena built especially for the purpose at Rushcutters' Bay. The bout was to have been for 20 rounds.

The day dawned overcast and cool. Thousands of persons from all parts of the country were attracted to the scene and many reached there Christmas night and slept in the open. They came by street cars, automobiles, carriages and horseback, and at 10 o'clock yesterday morning, one hour before the fight was scheduled to start, every seat was occupied. The prices of seats ranged from $25 to $2.50.

The crowd was estimated at between 18,000 and 20,000 persons, and it kept perfect order throughout the fight.

BILL CROWLEY SAYS EDMONTON HAS MORE THAN EVEN CHANCE TO WIN

Mr W. B Crowley who accompanied the Edmonton hockey team on their trip to Montreal made a flying visit to his home and Peterborough yesterday and returned to Montreal last evening. He was given a warm welcome back to Peterborough by his many friends and was kept busy shaking hands while in the city. Talking of next week's Stanley Cup games "Bill" thought that Edmonton had more than an even chance of victory. They had a great team of individual players, who were in good shape and he thought they would work together well enough to beat the Wanderers.

He expressed himself as being thoroughly pleased with the West and with Edmonton

EDMONTON'S CHANCES ON PAPER FOR STANLEY CUP LOOK VERY BRIGHT

The first game in the Stanley Cup series between Edmonton and Wanderers will be played in Montreal on Monday night, and naturally Peterborough people are taking great interest in the battle, because of the presence of Fred Whitcroft and Jack Miller on the line-up and the fact that Bill Crowley is training the team. There has been much discussion over the coming games, and the feeling locally seems to be that Edmonton has a good chance to wrest the cup from its moorings. There is no doubt that Whitcroft has gathered together a wonderful team, a collection of seven stars who, if speed alone counts, have it all over the Wanderers. The defence men are especially fast. Pitre, who will play cover in the cup games, is as good as on the forward line, as he is further back and shoots down the ice like a meteor. He was one of the sensations of the old International League, and last year astonished the eastern critics by his great work. Lester Patrick's playing is too well known to need comment. He is one of the greatest, if not the greatest, defence man playing the game, and will be a source of strength to the challengers. On the forward line is Tom Phillips, the highest paid man in professional hockey and one of the fastest players and best stick handlers that ever donned the steel blades. McNamara is another star, and Jack Miller has already been heralded by the eastern fans as another Phillips. When it is said that Whitcroft will have trouble in catching the team, it will be seen just how fast that forward line must be.

If Edmonton is beaten it will only be because they have not developed enough team work to offset the machine-like combination of the Wanderers. The cup holders have a sturdy defence and a steady, hard shooting and checking forward line who, while they may not be as fast as Edmonton, will certainly plug away until the last whistle.

On the whole, however, Edmonton's chances look very bright.

HANDSOME PRIZE GIVEN TO THE BEST GUESSER

Christmas Day at the Roller Rink was a great success, there being 402 people present, afternoon and evening. A five dollar gold piece was given as a prize to the person guessing nearest the number of people who entered the rink, and Mr. Darling was the lucky winner, having guessed 400. There were about seventy-five guesses put in, but only the one was near the mark. Mr. Genno closes the rink for the season next Friday, New Year's night. There will be skating all week and the band will be in attendance the last afternoon and night.

A masked carnival will be the feature of the evening, from 7 o'clock till 10 o'clock, and a masquerade dance will be held afterwards. An orchestra will play the music from 10 o'clock till 12 o'clock. Mr. Genno and Miss Patterson intend to make a tour of the States, giving exhibitions of fancy skating, at the close of the season here.

OTTAWA BASKETBALL MEN EXPECTING THE LOCAL TEAM

Examiner Special.

Ottawa, December 27. — The Peterborough basket ball team, one of the strongest in Canada, is to play the Y. M. C. A. here on January 2nd. The local team is practising, and a great game is expected.

The Ottawa Y. M. C. A. basket ball team will not play any games over the border this season, despite the fact that several games with American teams had been arranged. This is caused through the fact that the teams in the U. C. are controlled by the A. A. U. which is affiliated with the Amateur Athletic Federation of Canada, while the Y. M. C. A. teams in Canada are under the jurisdiction of the C. A. A. U.

Mr. Fischer, head of the Y. M. C. A. Athletic Union in America, says the Ottawa Y. M. C. A. players would have to take out Federation cards if they played over the border, or else the American players would be suspended by the A. A. U.

The Y. M. C. A. laugh at the idea of taking out Federation cards and will cancel their games with the Yankee teams.

HOCKEY TEAMS PRACTISE ON MONDAY

Line-ups of the Teams Who are Asked to Be Out for Workout.

There will be a big practice of the Intermediate and Junior O. H. A. teams on Monday night. The Juniors have a game in Whitby on Jan. 1st, and they have only a little time in which to get into shape, so that it is important that they should not lose any opportunity for practice in the meantime.

The following teams are asked to be out on Monday night:

Intermediates.	Juniors.
Derocher	Goal — Len Giroux
Glover	Point — Fox
Parnell	c. point — Wade
Forwards.	
Morgan	Ray
Moore	Hillier
Seymour	C. Giroux
Rose	Pentland
Weatherstone	

THE KAISER-HURTUBISE BOUT IS OFF FOR PRESENT

It looks as if the wrestling bout between Charlie Kaiser, of Oswego, N. Y., and Eugene Hurtubise is off, at least for the present. The match was to have been pulled off here in a short time, but it has been found impossible to secure a hall in which the bout may take place. Accordingly a wire was sent to Kaiser to-day, calling off the bout for the present, owing to this fact, but the match will in all probability take place later if the arrangements can be made.

JACK MILLER IS AN OLD KEENE BOY

There seems to be a good deal of uncertainty in the minds of Peterborough people concerning the identity of the Jack Miller, who is making a name for himself on the forward line of the Kmdonton Stanley Cup team. Miller is a native of Keene, not Norwood, as has been stated and is an old Trent Valley League player who is extremely well known in this district. He is a brother of Miss Florence Miller, who was formerly soloist in St. Andrew's church choir. Jack and his brother have an ideal cattle ranch on the Han dHill Lake in Northern Alberta, and he is considered the best cattleman in the district. It is said by one who has seen him that while it may be a pleasure to see him in a lightning rush down the ice, to see him on the hurricane deck of a bucking bronche is a real treat.

MARRIED MEN WIN AT HIAWATHA

Clay Bird Shoot Held There Yesterday.

A clay bird shoot was held at Hiawatha on Friday, December 25th, between the married and single men.

Married Men

Willie Anderson	25
Herb Kylie	19
Dan Cowie	19
Dan Muskrat	23
Fred Kylie	21
George Gray	20
Hank Cowie	17
Sammie Parker	18
Pete Thompson	19
Pat Short	20
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Single Men

Alf Crow	11
George Paudash	11
Bert Anderson	5
Jim Kylie	5
Harry Mather	7
Robert Paudash	8
Jere Crow	12
Jim Howard	9
M. Howard	8
Robert Cowie	17
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WALKING.

Jim Harrison, pedestrian, has received a letter from Tom Blake, the Syracuse negro who wants a matched race of 25 miles in his home city. Harrison will likely cross the border to accommodate him about the end of February.

CURLING.

The ice at the curling rink was rather soft yesterday afternoon on account of the mild weather, but a few exciting games were played, The following were the scores :

Hicks, skip, 8 ; Lang, skip, 22.
Brown skip, 18 ; Davidson, skip, 9.
Ferguson, skip, 5 ; DelaFosse, skip 5.
Hall, skip, 11 ; Foote, skip, 10.

CHURCH SERVICES TO-MORROW IN THE DIFFERENT CHURCHES

ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL.— At St. Peter's Cathedral there will be three masses celebrated :—

At 8 a.m., Low Mass; at 9.15 a.m., Children's Mass; at 10.30 a.m., High Mass; at 7 p.m., Vespers with sermon.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH — Rev. J. C. Davidson, Rector
1st Sunday after Christmas.
8.30 a.m. Holy Communion.
11 a.m .Matins and Sermon.
Hymns 50, 329, 66, 483.
Venite, 133; Te Deum, Dykes; Benedictus, 166.
Anthem (Carol)— "In the fields with their flocks abiding." (Farmer).
Soprano Solo by Harry Hill.
3.15 p.m. Children's Christmas Service in the Church. The parents of the Sunday School Scholars are cordially invited to join with their children in this service of praise.
7 p.m. Evensong and Sermons
Hymns 60, 482, 50, 330.
Responses, Tallis; Proper Psalms 110, 132, to Chants 118; Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis to Smart in D.
The Choir will sing the following Christmas music :—
"Nazareth" (Gounod).
"Love Divine" (Stainer).
"In the Fields" (Farmer). Christmas Carol sung by the Choir Boys.
"And the Glory" (Handel).
"Who left His Throne on High" (Stainer).

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH. — Rev. Dr. Langfeldt, M. A., Rector.
1st Sunday after Christmas.
8 a.m. Holy Communion.
11. Morning Prayer and Sermon.
3 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Class.
7.00 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.
Watch Night Service on Thursday at 10.45 p.m.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH.—Corner of Rubidge and Sherbrooke Streets.
Rev. H. R. Trumpour, M.A., B.D., Rector.
1st Sunday after Christmas.
11 a.m. Matins and Sermon.
Subject : "The Child Spirit — a Plea to Keep Young."
2 p.m. Sunday School.
7 p.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon.
Subject : Henry Van Dyke's Story of "The First Christmas Tree."
Christmas Anthems repeated.

CHARLOTTE STREET METHODIST Church—Rev G W Henderson, pastor.
11 a.m. Subject : "The Harsh Command."
2.30 p.m. Sunday School Session : Illustrated review conducted by the Pastor ; special music.
7 p.m. "The Pastor's New Year's Wish and Prayer."
Monday, 8 p.m. Epworth League An evening with the Epworth era.
Wednesday at 8 : Preaching, prayer and praise. 9 : Lesson Study.

MARK STREET METHODIST CHURCH. — Rev. C. H. Coon, pastor. Sunday School at 2.45.

GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH — Rev. Edwin A. Pearson, B.A., Pastor.
2.30 p.m. Sabbath School. The following Bible Classes will meet :
Inthon (Men's). Teacher : the Pastor.
Onward (Ladies'). Teacher : Mr. Switzer.
Welcome (Young Ladies'). Teacher : Mrs. Stubbs.
Friendly (Young Men). Teacher : Mr. Robertson.

ST. JAMES METHODIST — Rev. H. M. Manning, Pastor.
Regular Morning Church Service and Sunday School in the afternoon.
There will be no service at night.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH — Rev. Robt. Pogue, Pastor.
Mr Pogue will teach the "Mitto Adult Bible Class." Inspector Mowat will teach the Young Men's Class. The Guild will meet at 3.15 Sabbath evening.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH. — Presbyterian, corner of Rubidge and Brock streets, Rev. Jas. G. Potter, B.A, pastor
Usual Services. 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Services will be of a Christmas character. Christmas Carols both morning and night.
11 a.m. Subject : "The Deliverer out of Zion."
The afternoon service will be a Christmas Rally of children at 3 o'clock.
Christmas Hymns and Choruses.
7 p.m Subject : "Light out of Darkness."

KNOX CHURCH — Rev. H. J. Keith, B.D., M.A.
3.00 p. m. Young Men's Guild and Sunday School.

THE MURRAY STREET BAPTIST CHURCH — Rev. J. R. Webb, pastor.

PARK STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.— Rev. W. C. Riddiford, Pastor.
11 a.m. Sermon by Mr. Alexander Haddoe.
3 p.m. Bible school and Pastor's Bible class.
7 p.m. Evangelistic Service led by Pastor.
Mr. J. C. Miller, Choir leader.
All made welcome.
Monday : B. Y.P.U., topic taken by Mr. Dawson.
Wednesday : Teachers' Prayer Meeting at Mr. Earkins, 24 Stewart street.
Thursday evening : Watch Night Service.

BETHANY CHURCH—Regular services morning and evening, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Bible School at 3 p.m.

GOSPEL HALL — Corner of George and Brock Streets.
The Sunday School will be held at three o'clock. Any children not attending any school are heartily welcome.
To-morrow night at 7 o'clock a Song Service will be held conducted by the Gospel Male Quartette. The subject of the address will be "The First Christmas Song." A most enjoyable time is expected. Those who have not yet heard the quartette sing should not miss this service. Everybody welcome.

SALVATION ARMY CITADEL — 223 Simcoe street., Bell telephone 440. Staff Capt. and Mrs. Walton in charge.
7.00 a.m. Early Morning Prayer Service.
9.15 a.m. Bible Class
11.00 a.m. Holiness Address.
3.00 p.m. Sunday School.
3.00 p.m. Public Song and Praise Service.
7.00 p.m. Public Salvation Meeting.
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For Indian River, Norwood, Havelock, Tweed	7.35 p m
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	12.35 a m
Going West	**Leave Peterborough**
For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	4.35 a m
For Burketon, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	7.35 a m
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points	4.35 p m

GRAND TRUNK.

	Arrive	Depar
Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Bracebridge, Gravenhurst, Muskoka and Toronto	11.05 a.m. 3.05 p.m.	8.55 a.m. 12.55 p.m.
Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	8.55 a.m. 3.05 p.m.	9.05 p.m. 5.55 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Cobourg Montreal and East	8.55 p.m. 2.10 a.m.	11.05 a.m. 9.05 p.m.
Toronto, Lindsay, Sprucevale, Uxbridge and Markham	11.05 a.m. 3.05 p.m. 10.55 p.m.	7.05 a.m. 12.55 p.m. 11.05 p.m.
Lindsay Local	8.55 a.m.	3.05 p.m.
Haultain, Chapleau, Mattawa, Callender, Emsdale and West	8.55 a.m. 3.05 p.m.	9.05 a.m. 5.55 p.m.
Lakefield and Stony Lake	10.00 a.m. 6.15 p.m.	2.20 a.m. 10.20 p.m.

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MUSIC AT ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL YESTERDAY

Large congregations attended St. Peter's Cathedral yesterday in the morning and evening The first mass was at 5.30 a.m. and had a larger attendance than any of the others, many turning out at that early hour

The next mass was immediately afterwards There was one at eight nine fifteen and ten thirty, the last being a pontifical high mass The Christmas music at this mass was particularly appropriate and was sung in a brilliant manner It was Loesch's setting of the mass in F

The offertory solo was the Adeste Fideles The solos being sung both morning and evening very sweetly by Misses L Hallighan, A. Simons E Primeau, J. Delaire, W. Simons and A Primeau, and Messrs. G. Hill, E Keon, H. Quinlan, J. King, A. Haines, and J Mercier.

Musical Vespers were held at 7 o'clock, O Salutem was taken by soprano and altos

Tantum Ergo—Solo Mr. J. Kinz, chorus by choir

Special mention must be made of the beautiful Christmas hymn "All Hail the Night" Miss L. Hallighan singing it in exquisite style with violin obligato, played with much expression and sweetness by Miss K. Doris

TOWN TOPICS

EDGE.—Fair and mildly colder today. Monday, strong southerly to westerly winds; light local snow or rain, but partly fair and mild.

Assisted Children

Mr. W. A. Bailey donated two dollars to the Christmas Fund of the Children's Aid Society.

Aid to the Children

—Seventeen families were helped by the Children's Aid Society yesterday with beef, tea, groceries, vegetables, etc.

Piano Tuning

Piano tuning promptly attended to. Satisfaction guaranteed. A. F. Heaver, 223 McDonel street. 'Phones — Bell 198k, Mach. 199.

A Small Fire

—A small fire broke out in a house at the corner of Louis and Charlotte streets on Thursday night, spontaneous combustion being the cause. No damage was done.

Gift to Minister

—The Ladies' Aid of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church presented Mrs. J G Potter with a handsome Christmas gift. It was an Ellan's Mimeograph of the latest suit case design.

Editor Hocken Coming

The Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association have sent an invitation to Controller Hocken, Editor of the Orange Sentinel to give an address on the 5th of February.

Particular

—If you are particular about the way your clothes look, send them to "My Valet," 304 Charlotte street, and have them cleaned, dyed, repaired as dressed. All particular people do.

Is Your Piano in Tune

—The change of season effects pianos as well as everything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpright, practical piano maker and tuner, with 22 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. MacDonald's drug store. Last Saturday of 1908

—Don't forget your Sunday reading at the Peterborough Bookstore. You'll find the shelves and counters well supplied with the choicest literature of the day, and especially of this festive season. A. H. Stratton & Co.

Sunday at Springville

—The services at the Springville Presbyterian Church to-morrow will be

11 a.m.—Special sermon with music appropriate to closing Sunday of the year.

7 p.m.—The service will be conducted by the man of the congregation.

CHRISTMAS NEAR

We mention a few of the Xmas necessities which we now have in stock. Table Raisins, Pulled Figs, Fresh Figs, Fresh Shelled Nuts, Golden Dates, Grape Fruit California, Florida and Mexican Oranges, and the very best new Nuts. Also "Sealshipt" Oysters. S. A. OKE

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

THE EXAMINER welcomes all Items of Interest for this column. Phone 66 or send post card with name and address.

Mr. O S Matchett and wife are visiting in Toronto.

Miss Ella Brady, of Lindsay, is home for the holiday.

Miss Lulu Scott, of Toronto, was home for the holiday.

Mr. Percy Might, of Toronto, was home for the holiday.

Miss Lily Stopker, of Stirling, is home for the holidays.

Mr. Allan Campbell was home from Toronto for Christmas.

Mr. Morris Lowrie, of Toronto, was home for the holiday.

Mr. Wm. Wheeler, of Galt, was in the city for the holiday.

Mr F S Clarry spent Christmas Day at his home in Millbrook.

Mrs. Reuben Lynch, of Rochester was home for Christmas.

Miss Lilla Henry, of Lindsay, is spending Christmas here.

Mr. Garnet Galley of Port Hope was home for the holiday.

Mr. Hugh Graham, of Welland, is spending a few days at home.

Mr. J A McPherson, of Ottawa, was a holiday visitor in the city.

Mr. Russell Pearce, of Norwood, spent Christmas day in the city.

Miss Lily Henry of Lindsay, spent Christmas day in Peterborough.

Mr Reginald Mundaff, of Lakefield, spent Christmas in the city.

Mr. Thomas Kennedy, of Chicago, is home for the Christmas holidays.

Mr. Wm. Kilps, drug traveller, is spending the holidays with his friends.

John Goodwin, of California, is visiting his parents, on Lundy Lane.

Mr. P. Connors of Toronto, spent Christmas at his home in this city.

Mr. Frank Clancy, of Toronto, is visiting at his home, Aylmer street.

Mr. Frank Kennedy, of Toronto, is visiting at his home in the city.

Misses A and Marion Dunne, are home from Toronto for the holidays.

Mr Clarke Earls of Toronto, is spending a few holidays in the city

Mr. and Mrs Hall Fitzgerald of Lakefield, were in the city for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Belwell, of Barrie, are spending the holidays in the city.

Mr Geo Phillips of Toronto, was home for the holiday visiting in East City

Mr. James Rose, River Road, Otonabee, spent the past two days in Toronto.

Mr Edward Jory and Miss Ruby Jory of Lakefield were in the city to-day

Mr T. F. Gineen, of Rochester, is visiting at his home, 716 Harvey street.

Mr. John R. Corkery, of Ottawa College, is spending his vacations at his home.

Mr John Laycock of Walter's Falls Ont., is a guest at the Springville Manse

Mr and Mrs. Wm. Madill and son, Stanley spent Christmas Day in Toronto

Mr. Reuben Lynch, of Rochester, is the guest of Mr. Gineen, at 716 Harvey street.

Miss Edith Phillips, of Orillia, is the guest of Miss Isabel Menzies, 291 Rubidge street.

Cadet Harry Smith, of the R.M.C., Kingston, is visiting his grandmother, Mrs H Denne.

Mr. R B Rogers returned home from Frankfort to spend Christmas with his family.

Mr. Ben Simpson of the Hamilton Collegiate Institute, is home for the Christmas vacation.

Mr. Jas. Holland, of Port Hope, spent Christmas with his parents, on Chamberlain street.

Mr. Geo. Dixon, of Pittsburg, the old Peterborough hockey player, was home for the holiday.

Mr J W. Edwards spent Christmas with her daughters, Mrs. Elliott and Miss Mae, in Toronto.

Mrs. G W Nickels, of Toronto, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J Burnham, Otonabee.

Mr. Geo. Rogers of Frankfort, spent Christmas day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R B Rogers.

Mr John Logan, of the Toronto Globe reportorial staff, was visiting at his home for Christmas.

Mr. Harry Moore, of Marmora is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T Moore, 365 Mark street.

Mr. Alf Gaskins, wife and child, are spending the holiday season with Mr. Gaskins' mother at Auburn.

Mr John O'Brien, son of Mr. M. O'Brien, Gilmour street, was down from Cobalt for Christmas.

Miss Reynolds, 326 Water street, is spending the Christmas holidays at Bethany with her parents

Mr. and Mrs. G R Browning, Miss Browning and Miss Ethel Sawyer spent Christmas day in Toronto.

Mr Charles McAllister of Gore's Landing, Rice Lake, is a guest at the Grand Hotel over the holidays

Miss Irene and Master Walsh, of Lindsay, are spending the holidays with their sister ,Mrs. F B Gilbert.

Miss Lottie Cowie has returned home from a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Edmonds, Detroit.

Master Gerald O'Brien, of the Belleville Institute, is spending the holidays with his parents, Gilmour street.

Mr. Jack Watt, of the G. T. R. freight staff, Midland, spent Christmas day at his home in Peterborough.

Mr John Beamer of Manvers is visiting through the holidays, the guest of his sister Mrs Henry Furber.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan McDonnell, Lindsay, are spending the Christmas season with their daughter, Mrs. Robin.

Dr. Herb Sullivan, of Hamilton, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sullivan, East City.

Mrs. (Hon.) Hamilton has left her home to spend the winter with friends in Pasadena Falls, Toronto and other places.

Mr and Mrs. H. Halpin and Miss Marjory Halpin of Toronto, are the guests of Mr and Mrs. Halpin, 215 Hunter street.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Burnham, of Toronto, are spending the holiday with Mrs. Burnham's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Kendry.

Mr Stewart Leonard, of the Bank of Toronto, Colwater, spent Christmas with his sister, Mrs. A. W. Mackenzie, Lakefield.

Miss Marie and Mr. Thos. McDonald, of Toronto, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McDonald, Downer's Corners.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Edmonds, of Detroit, spent Christmas with Mrs Edmond's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cowie, 219 Simcoe street.

Mr. Frank McIntyre, of Toronto, is spending a few days in the city, the guest of his parents, Ald. and Mrs. McIntyre, Aylmer street.

Mr. W F Crowley, of Edmonton, who came east with the Stanley Cup challengers, paid a flying visit to his home in this city yesterday.

Mr. Wm Fair, Millbrook, and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Allen, also of Millbrook spent Christmas with the former's son, Mr. Robt. Fair, city.

Mr. and Mrs. Brewer, city, are spending the holidays with Mrs. Brewer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Brand, Lakeshore Road, Port Hope.

Mr. and Mrs. G F Warde, who are at present residing in Gore's Landing spent Christmas day with Mrs. Warde's sister, Mrs. James McDonald, East City.

Mr. Jas. K. Hunter, Lansing, Mich., who has been visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. Dickson, 321 Rogers street, East City, for the past week, leaves for his home this week.

Miss Florence McClelland, of Winnipeg who is studying at the Toronto Conservatory of Music, is spending her holidays with her cousin, Mrs John Cox, of North Monaghan.

Mr and Mrs J. C. Flynn, Miss Elsie and Master Raymond, of Coopers town, N. D., are spending a few weeks at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. J. A. Corrin, 272 McDonel st.

Mr and Mrs. W. A. Richardson and family of Merritton, were in the city for the holiday the guests of Mr and Mrs. J. S. Richardson, London street

Mrs T. H. Richardson and the Misses Richardson of Lindsay, spent Christmas in the city the guests of the former's son, Mr J. S. Richardson, 145 London street

Mr Ernest Brownscombe, of the Pembroke branch of the Bank of Ottawa, is spending a few days in the city the guest of his parents, Mr and Mrs Felix Brownscombe, Murray street

PLEASANT FAMILY REUNION IN EAST CITY YESTERDAY

Christmas Day is past and gone for another year. But many were the happy reunions around the family firesides which recalled to memory the scenes and occurrences of former years. Among the pleasant reunions held yesterday was one at the home of Mrs. J. A. Dickson, 321 Roger street, East City, when the children of Mrs. Wm. Hunter gathered round the hearth together to cheer her in her declining years. Those present were:

Jas. K. Hunter, Lansing, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hunter, Douro; Thos J. Hunter, North Monaghan; Mr and Mrs. Warren Hunter, Toronto; Mrs. Dickson and daughter, Mr. Chapman and daughter, Toronto; Mr and Mrs. Wilbert McMillan, Peterborough; and Mrs. Wm. Hunter, Sr., who resides with Mrs. Dickson.

STRANGE TALES OF ENGLISH DERBY

Famous Turf Classic is Surrounded With Many Mysteries.

If it were possible to write the full and true history of the Derby it would contain some startling revelations of strange doings behind the scenes of which the public has little and no actual knowledge.

There is, for instance, little doubt that a very different tale would have been told of Teddington's Derby but for the prompt action of his wide awake owner, Sir Joseph Hawley, says an English exchange. When the Kentish baronet attended the York spring meeting of 1841 he was amazed to find the bookmakers eager to lay odds to any amount against his colt, who was looked on as a certain winner of the blue ribbon a few weeks later. Sir Joseph at once scented mischief, and, leaving the course, he travelled as fast as relays of swift horses could take him to his training quarters, where he communicated his suspicions to Alec Taylor, his trainer.

As the result of their deliberation Teddington was at once removed to another box, placed under the charge of a different boy and a strict watch kept over him night and day. Whatever scheme was on foot to disable the horse was thus effectually checked. Teddington soon resumed his place as first favorite in the betting, and as everybody expected, won the Derby with ease.

Memorable Derby of '44

Another mystery which has not been solved to this day is associated with Leander and that memorable Derby of 1844. It was more than suspected that Leander was a four-year-old, but there was not sufficient on which to base an objection to his running. In the race his fetlock was broken by a kick from Running Rein, and he was effectually placed hors de combat. He was shot and buried, but when a party of sportsmen who wished to test their suspicions dug up the body at dead of the night they found that the head, which alone could settle the matter, was gone.

Ratan, the second favorite for this race, was made safe by a cunningly devised, bolus, but who administered it was never discovered, and, to crown this Derby as the most shady and fraudlent on record, Running Rein, who came in first, was found to be none other than Maccabeus, a four-year-old, and thus an imposter of the first water. But when it became necessary to produce the horse for an examination by experts it was found that he, like Leander's telltale head, had been spirited away.

A Dramatic Story

In connection with Running Rein, by the way, a dramatic story is told. A Captain Osborne had backed Orlando for a very heavy sum, and when Running Rein came in first he was faced with the alternative of blowing out his brains or being declared a defaulter. He was just on the point of choosing death rather than dishonor when a note was placed in his hand. "Running Rein" ran the missive, which was from a friendly tout, "is an impostor, and he won't get the Derby stakes. Put up all bets on Orlando you can get, and you will make a fortune."

The captain put away his revolver, followed the tout's advice and, instead of providing work for the undertaker found himself £18,000 in pocket.

The Dragging of McGregor

Few horses have ever started a hotter favorite for the Derby than McGregor in 1870. So rosy were his chances that odds of 9 to 4 were laid on him to an enormous amount, and the money was considered as good as won. To the consternation however, of his backers, he seemed unable to move freely in the race and finished a bad fourth behind horses who were not in the same century with him.

There was no doubt whatever that McGregor had been drugged, but who the rascal was who did the dastardly trick is as much a mystery to-day as it was at the time.

It is of this race that the following remarkable story is told: During the night before the race a jockey called Swift saw the finish of the Derby in a dream. He saw Kingcraft, which he recognised, pass the post a winner by a length and a half followed by a dark brown horse which he could not identify, and with McGregor, the favorite, a bad fourth. In spite of the jeering of his friends, to whom he told the story, he backed Kingcraft for every sovereign he could raise, and, to his delight as to the disgust of the scoffers, he saw his dream exactly reproduced, the favorite badly beaten and the despised Kingcraft winning a small fortune for him.

Even more remarkable is a story of that great Derby race of 1863, won by the despised outsider Caractacus ridden by Parsons, the stable lad. Although Caractacus was so badly thought of that Jim Goater point blank refused to ride him and odds of 40 to 1 were freely offered against him, a tipster gave him as a certain winner on the strength of a dream in which his blind daughter had seen the horse win "with a little boy on his back as pale as death." How vividly accurate was this dream forecast was admitted by all who saw the finish of that sensational race.

SPECTACULAR ESCAPES FROM DEATH TELL OF REMARKABLE EXPERIENCES OF HUMAN BEINGS

Narrow escapes from death are always interesting to read about or to see on the stage. They are not so satisfactory to the persons who experience them, especially, it is said, because they happen too quickly. Dramatic art assigns a suitable period of suspense, which enables the spectator to develop and enjoy all the thrills due the situation, but reality is generally abrupt, and hurls the fated individual into catastrophe before he can arouse his emotions. Of course, this view is opposed to the theory of old-fashioned fiction, that one instant in a crisis unrolls the map of an extensive career and performs a bleaching operation on the hair that would keep a coiffeuse busy for an hour.

A Swiss workman was busy repairing the roof of a small railroad station, says the Strand Magazine, when the cleat against which he was resting gave way, and he began to slide over the edge of the room. To avoid a spiked iron railing below he made a desperate jump into space. An express train was rushing by, and the man landed on the roof of a car. His outflung hand found and clutched a ventilator chimney. He was carried on four miles to the next station and descended unhurt. More tragic was the occurrence on a Rocky Mountain railroad. Four employees of the Great Northern were speeding down a precipitous grade on a handcar at thirty miles an hour, when a special train confronted them around a curve. There was no avoidance of a collision. Two of the men jumped to death on the rocks below. The others stuck to the car, and one was crushed by the wheels of the advancing engine, but the other man was tossed uninjured into a clump of bushes which grew on a projecting rock twenty feet below the edge of the cliff. It was the only safe place where he could have fallen.

Cyclist's Peril.

A Dr. Bach was cycling down the pass near Goschenen, in Switzerland, when his brake snapped and the machine darted forward at terrific speed. At the foot of the mountain is a bridge spanning a deep river gorge. The physician tried to guide his flying machine on the bridge, but the front wheel struck a side wall and he was flung over the parapet. While falling through the air he caught a chain hanging from a girder. The momentum of his body, suddenly arrested, nearly wrenched his grip loose, but he was a strong man and kept his hold. While swinging in mid-air, suspended over the raging river and unable to improve his perilous position, an automobile came chugging down the pass. The hapless man shouted for help, but he could not be seen from the bridge, and his cries were drowned by the noise of the motor and the sound of the river. A few minutes after the automobile had passed a carriage drove across the bridge. Again he cried out for help, but in vain. The awful strain on arms and fingers was becoming intolerable, and the doctor was about to drop into the torrent to an inevitable death when two peasants came by and saw him. They flung a noose over him and pulled him up. He fainted and was ill for a long time.

Harrowing five Minutes

A father travelling with his young son on an English railroad last year had a harrowing five minutes. The child was leaning against the compartment door when the door flew open and the youngster disappeared. The father frantically jerked the safety rope, which stopped the train, and jumped out. He was astonished and delighted to see the boy on his feet, running up the track. But at that moment an express on the other track came roaring by and the engine knocked the boy down and passed over him. The father groaned with horror. He could not believe his eyes when the train passed on and the little fellow jumped up and came pluckily toddling back. The boy had no injuries except a few cuts.

About two years ago a small steam yacht with a pleasure party aboard was off the outer harbor of New York when it was run down and capsized by a string of garbage scows. Of the eight aboard the yacht four clung to the keel of their vessel and were picked up, the others sank and vanished from sight. Among the latter was a young woman, Miss Fanny Day. She was reported drowned, and her family was mourning the tragic event when she walked in very much alive and well. Her escape was extraordinary. When the yacht turned over the girl was drawn by suction under a barge, and came up in a dark space. A chain struck against her face, she grasped it, and as soon as she could get breath screamed for help. A lid above was lifted and two men pulled her up into daylight. It happened that a load of garbage had been dumped through the bottom of the barge at the moment of collision, and the young woman fortunately rose through the open trap into the chamber. The trap immediately closed again, leaving her in the hold of the scow, imprisoned in darkness and filth, but safe.

Escape from Drowning

Another narrow escape from drowning occurred in Dublin. It was a foggy night, and a cab containing four persons drove straight into the Alexandra Basin. The cab happened to fall exactly across the mooring cable of a ship, the horse on one side and the cab on the other. Although the passengers were up to their waist in chilly water and boxed like rats in a trap, they were safe and were soon rescued by a rope at the hands of the ship's watchman. Only the horse lost his life.

Automobile perils are becoming commonplace. Some years ago the car of Mr. Conklin, a New York lawyer, was smashed to splinters by an express train, but he himself was carried along on the front of the engine above the cow catcher. Only a few ribs were broken, and he recovered. Several cases of horses and carriages going over high cliffs in England without serious damage are recorded. A Parisian woman doctor once went to call on a patient at a private hotel, and, entering a wrong door, which had a patent catch, found herself trapped in an elevator well, with the elevator slowly descending on her. No one was in the lift. She shrieked for help, and finally sank down on her knees, awaiting death. The concierge heard the cries, rushed out and stopped the machinery when the floor of the car was within a foot of the prisoner's head. A similar experience and a favorite situation of melodramatic authors was that of a Connecticut farmer who was cutting wood with a buzz saw operated by wind power. He slipped and fell on the carriage. He could not release himself, and the relentless machinery drew him ever closer to the saw until the teeth were slicing through his clothes. He would have been sawn in two in another moment if the motor had not ceased working owing to a sudden fall in the breeze. He threw himself off the carriage with a desperate effort just as the wind freshened and the saw once more made its swift revolutions.

LATEST NEWS FROM HAVELOCK

What is Going on in That Busy Burg—Hockey Club all Ready for Season —Late Personal Items.

Examiner Special.

Havelock, Dec. 26 — Little Edith Elizabeth, the three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Morrison, passed away on Wednesday morning after a brief attack of pseudo-membraneous croup. The funeral took place on Thursday morning at 10.30 o'clock to the Maple Grove Cemetery. Services being conducted by the Rev. J. A. G. Sterling. The sympathy of all is extended to the bereaved parents in the loss of their darling babe.

A large audience availed themselves of the opportunity of hearing Mrs. Owen Hitchcox lecture in the Opera House on Monday night on "A Fight for the Home." Mr Jas. Thompson, M.P.P., and Rev. J.G. Potter, of Peterborough, also spoke on Monday night on behalf of Local Option.

Mr. A. C. Deacke, druggist, met with a disagreeable accident on Thursday last, when he fell on a piece of glass cutting a big gash in the palm of his right hand.

Mr. L. Stewart, photographer, Marmora, has opened up a gallery in Havelock.

A Christmas Tree and Concert was given in the Methodist Church, Cordova, Friday night, Dec. 18th. The Methodist Choir of the town and others assisted in the programme for the evening.

Councillors Knox, Wood, and Phillips, Clerk J. W. Bryans and their wives and the Reeve Thompson, M.P.P., were tendered a little reception at Councillor Campney's home on Monday night at the close of their last meeting for 1908. A dainty supper was served, after which games of different kinds and music was indulged in until the wee small hours.

The members of the I.O.F. held a meeting in their lodge room on Wednesday night, when all business for the year was wound up. It was decided at this meeting to hold an At Home in their hall sometime in January. Further announcement will be made in a few days.

Miss Pearce, of Norwood, was the guest of Mrs. Ghent last week.

Mr. Wm. Falkner, of Proton, is home for the Xmas holidays.

The Hockey Boys' "At Home," which was held in the Opera House on Friday night, was largely attended and a most delightful evening was enjoyed by all. Dancing commenced at 9 o'clock, music was supplied by Miss Smith of Norwood, and Mr. Joyner, of town. A dainty luncheon was served in the lunch room at 12 o'clock. Among the out-of-town guests were Messrs. Avery, Smythe, Gladney, and Blecker of Marmora; Mr. Horwick of Delora; Messrs. Deegan and Jenner of Smith Falls.

Mrs. W. H. Robinson, who has been at the Hospital for the past three weeks, where she underwent an operation, was removed to her home on Friday. Mrs. Robinson is rapidly recovering.

The Park Rink opens for the first time, Saturday night, December 19th.

Mr. Oscar Bracken, dispatcher at Toronto, and formerly of the station staff here, was in town Tuesday and Wednesday, receiving the glad hand of his many friends. Mr. Bracken is just recovering from an attack of typhoid fever, and is en route for his home, where he will spend a short time regaining strength. He informed some friends that he expected to be sent back to Havelock after New Years, to act as day operator again.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Wellman of Springbrooke, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Smith.

Mr. Art Archer of Marmora, has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. Chas. Robert, during the past week.

Mr. Herb Barrie spent Saturday with friends at Peterborough.

The Farmers' Institute of East Peterborough will hold a meeting in the Opera House, Havelock, on January 8th. The delegates will be G. G. Alward, of Havelock, N. B., one of the leading dairymen of New Brunswick, and E. W. Kitchen, of Lovering, Ont.

On Christmas night the Blairton Methodist Church will hold their annual Christmas entertainment. Tea will be served from 5 to 8 o'clock followed by a concert in the church.

Mr. A. Wilde has removed his shop to the west end, in connection with Mr. Thos McQuaig's blacksmith shop.

The annual Christmas tree at Victoria Methodist Church will be held on Monday night, December 21st. A number of our Havelock young people will assist in the evening's programme.

Miss Laura Kelly, of Victoria, was the guest of Miss Loretta Bennett on Sunday.

Dr Harry Andrews, of Toronto, spent Sunday with friends in town.

Mrs. Campbell left on Saturday for an extended trip during which time she will be the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Jas. Graham, Toronto; Mrs. Thos. Brady, London, and Mrs. Lederer, Buffalo.

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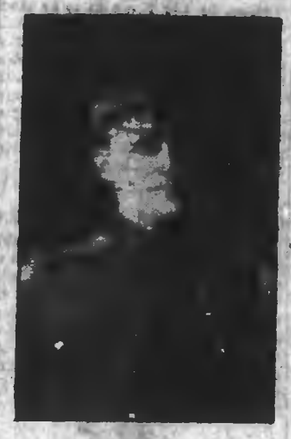

J. J. DUFFUS,
One of the new candidates in the Aldermanic race.

EX.ALD. GEO. H. DUNCAN,
Who was nominated this morning and who will be a candidate for the Council next Monday.

MAYOR HENRY RUSH,
Who will occupy the chief magistrate's chair for a second term by acclamation.

V. EASTWOOD,
Nominated for the Council to-day.

MAYOR RUSH WILL CONTINUE HIS WORK; FORTY-FOUR NOMINATIONS FOR ALDERMEN

His Worship an Unanimous Choice for the Chief Magistracy ---Mr. T. F. Matthews Also Elected Water Commissioner by Acclamation---Ten Nominees for the Board of Education.

THE ALDERMANIC LIST WILL DWINDLE

Mayor Rush re-elected by acclamation; Mr. T F Matthews re-elected to the Board of Water Commissioners, without opposition; ten nominations for the Board of Education, and forty-four nominations for the City Council!

The above was the result of the nominations held this morning in the Council Chambers. There was a large number of electors present who manifested considerable interest in the proceedings. Contrary to a rumour that was heard at times there was no opposition to Mayor Rush, who was an unanimous choice. Mr. T F Matthews was likewise unopposed.

The nominations for the Board of Education were held between 10 and 11 o'clock.

The subject of most talk was the nomination of forty-four citizens for for aldermanic honours. It was a busy time, things happening in a rapid manner. It is understood that quite a number of the nominees do not intend to stand for election. Those who do must qualify before 9 o'clock to-morrow night as required by the act.

The result of the nominations is as follows:

Mayor

HENRY RUSH—Insurance agent, proposed by Robt. Neill, seconded by Jas. Lynch.

Water Commissioners

THOMAS FRANCIS MATTHEWS—Manufacturer, proposed by W. G. Morrow and seconded by E. F. Mason.

For Board of Education

MATTHEW ALBERT MORRISON—dentist, proposed by W. H. Moore, seconded by Wm. Yelland.

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN ACKERMAN—Manufacturer, proposed by Wm. Langford and Wm. Yelland.

ROBT. FAIR—Merchant, proposed by Wm. Yelland, seconded by Wm. Langford.

R P BOUCHER—Physician, proposed by R. J. Kidd, seconded by W. H. Moore.

MARS. McCLELLAND — Physician, by E. F. Mason and Wm. Yelland.

ERNEST V. FREDERICK—Physician, proposed by R. Hicks and G. A. Gillespie.

WM. MADILL—Merchant, proposed by Geo. K. Martin and E. F. Mason.

ROBT HICKS—Merchant, proposed by D. H. Moore and R. J. Kidd.

E. F. MASON—Merchant, proposed by R Hicks and D. H. Moore.

W. S ROBINSON—Mechanic, proposed by D. H. Moore and R. Hicks.

For Aldermen

THOMAS RUTHERFORD, contractor, proposed by John Sawers, second by George Pratley.

WILLIAM H. G. ARMSTRONG, mechanic, proposed by Jos. Batten, seconded by John Carlisle.

ARCHIBALD ALEX. McINTYRE, contractor, proposed by John Sawers, seconded by Jos. Batten.

JOSEPH DOWNING, weaver, proposed by George Pratley, seconded by John Sawers.

GEORGE A. GILLESPIE, merchant, proposed by R. H. Leary, seconded by Henry Stewart.

WILLIAM H. BRADBURN, estate manager proposed by T. F. Matthews seconded by Wm. Rudkins.

JOHN ANDERSON,
One of the East City nominees for the Council.

WILLIAM GEORGE MORROW, manager loan company, proposed by

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WOLFE STREET WHARF TO BE EXTENDED FULL LENGTH

Government Engineer Authorizes Extension to South Limit of City Property ---Conveniences for Gasoline Launches and Small Boats.

The Dominion Government is not unmindful of the interests of Peterborough, especially in regard to its navigation and shipping interests. The Government last session appropriated $5,000 to provide a new Wolfe sreet wharf, a work which the Toronto News and other journals of its stripe, would say should be done by the municipality benefitted. It was found that this sum would only build the wharf southward from the first abutment of the C. P. R. bridge about two-thirds of the distance of the frontage of the city property at this point. Hon. Mr. Stratton went to Ottawa, and laid before the Government the proposition for an additional appropriation, to permit of the extension of the wharf to the southern limit of the city's lands. The idea was favourably considered, and Mr. J. G. Sing, C. E., the Government engineer of this district, was instructed to investigate the matter.

Consequently, Mr. Sing was in the city on Saturday, looked over the situation, and authorized Mr. John Hayes, who has charge of the work, to extend the wharf southward the other third of the distance of the river or lake frontage of the city property.

Taking advantage of Mr. Sing's presence on Saturday, Mr. Stratton urged upon him the advisability of the plans of the southern end of the wharf being so modified as to the matter of height and in other ways, as to secure the convenience for embarking and landing, of gasoline launches and smaller boats. This proposal, which Mr. Sing assented to, will be carried out and will not only better serve the purposes of these crafts, but will obviate interference with the landing and departure of steamers, and remove a source of danger to the smaller crafts and their occupants.

The work will be undertaken at once and, if weather conditions permit, will be completed this winter. If not, work will be begun in the spring as early as possible. When the whole wharf is completed the public and the city will have a splendid line of wharfage, and when a line of wharf is built, which will very probably be done in the not distant future in front of the city's property north of the C. P. R. bridge, the public will have a better appreciation of the action which led to the placing of the river front in the possession of the city of Peterborough. As it is now, the wharf is under way, and will stand for ages, and those interested in navigation, steamer owners, pleasure crafts, as well as the public, will derive continuous advantage.

POSTMASTER WHO PERISHED IN THE FIRE AT TORY HILL ON SATURDAY HAD RELATIVES IN THIS CITY

Kinmount, Ont., Dec. 28.—The home of John Henry Anderson, at Tory Hill, was destroyed by fire at five o'clock Saturday morning.

Mr. Anderson is missing and bones found in the ruins suggest that he lost his life in trying to get out of the house.

Mr. Anderson was Crown Lands agent and also postmaster and storekeeper for a number of years.

He owned the public hall there, and on Christmas eve John A. Kelly, ventriloquist, Toronto, was giving an entertainment. After the concert a dance was held. Mr. Anderson went home about four o'clock.

It is thought a lamp was overturned. Mr. Anderson, was was about 59 years of age, was alone in the house, Mrs. Anderson being in Toronto. He leaves six children, three boys and three girls, His mother, Mrs. Duncan Anderson, lives on Wellmar Road, Toronto; two brothers also reside in Toronto, Dr. H. B. Anderson and Dr Duncan Anderson.

Coroner Giles, Haliburton, was notified, but decided that an inquest was not necessary.

Mr Anderson was a son of the late Duncan Anderson, formerly Crown Land agent and merchant of Apsley. Mrs. Anderson, mother of the deceased, is a sister of Mr. A. R. Kidd, of Peterborough.

The friends of the family in this district will extend deepest sympathy.

SUDDEN DEATH OF OLD RESIDENT

G. J. Gumpricht, Well Known Piano Tuner, Passes Away at His Residence on Aylmer Street.

The whole community will learn with painful surprise of the sudden death of Mr. George John Gumpricht, who by virtue of his profession, piano tuning, was well known in hundreds of city homes and in the surrounding country. Mr. Gumpricht passed away very suddenly on Sunday morning at his home on Aylmer street at the age of 66 years. He had been ailing for some time but was feeling better during the last week and spent a very happy Christmas.

On Saturday afternoon while sitting at the piano he turned suddenly faint and called his two youngest daughters to him; they managed to get him to a chair where he remained unconscious until his death occurred at 8.30 o'clock in the evening.

He was born in Hamburg, Germany, and came to this country thirty years ago. He first resided at Whitby and Oshawa, coming to this city in 1890. He was married 26 years ago to Miss Jessie Mundy, who still survives him.

There are five children, four daughters, Wilhelmina, Gorgie, Violet and Grace, and one son, Carl, all residing in this city; also one brother, William Gumpricht who lives in Hamburg, and one sister, Sister M. Gertrude, of Loretta Abby, Toronto, to survive his death.

The funeral, which will be private, will leave the family residence at 2.30 on Tuesday afternoon and proceed to Little Lake Cemetery for interment.

TO-NIGHT'S EVENTS.

Cook Stock Company, Grand Opera House.

St John's night, Banquet of the A. F. and A. M., Masonic Hall, George street.

Bachelors' Dance, Conservatory Music Hall.

City Hockey League meeting, Y. M. C. A., 7.45 o'clock.

O. H. A. hockey practice, Brock street rink, 7 to 8 o'clock.

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LOST — ON THURSDAY NIGHT ABOUT 6 o'clock, a dark brown Robe, with dark green lining, on Aylmer, Hunter or Water streets. Finder will receive reward by leaving at this office. 3d 123 4733

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CONGRATULATIONS

The electors have served their own interests well, and have worthily honoured Messrs. H. Rush and T. F. Matthews by re-electing them by acclamation as mayor and Water Commissioner, respectively. Mayor Rush is not mayor through any wish or desire originating in himself. When he was a candidate last year he practically waived his claim to the usual accorded second term and in conformity with this has not sought re election; but on the earnest application of prominent citizens interested in the good government of the city, he placed himself in the hands of the public with the understanding that if his services were again demanded he would regard a response to such a demand as an act of public duty. It has been made, and Mayor Rush is Chief Magistrate of the city for another term. The re election of Mr. Matthews is a tribute to the satisfactory character of his services as chairman continuously of the Board of Water Commissioners for the past seven years. During this time his return has been twice opposed only. His repeated re-election is evidence that fidility to public interests and the discharge of public duties on business principles with the natural result of efficiency and satisfaction, bring public appreciation and practical recognition. Congratulations are due all round to the public, to Mr. Rush, Mayor, for 1909 and to Mr. Matthews, Chairman of the Board of Water Commissioners for another term of three years.

THE APOLOGY OF THE TIMES

Under the Canadian system of Government partyism is an inevitable feature. This condition is unobjectionable if the party system is not abused. But party zeal sometimes runs to regrettable excesses. The last election the Conservative party permitted itself to go to extreme lengths in promoting the political purposes it had at heart. It appeared that no national interests, no consideration of national improvment, restrained the party zeal. The interests of party and party successes were exalted above the greater good of the country. It was part of the late campaign to make an attack upon the Commissioners who have in charge the building of the National Transcontinental Railway. The Conservatives had a plot which would have been sprung at the last moment, but unfortunately for them it was discovered by their opponents, and nothing was done. About this time a certain correspondent of the London Times, who had been sent out here to give his views of the country fell into the hands of members of the "Tory" party with the result that he was inspired to write articles reflecting seriously upon the honesty of the members of the Transcontinental Commission. The charge was brazenly made that an organized system of robbery was in force, that duplicate books were kept, and that millions of dollars were paid out for which there was no work done. This, and similar articles were printed by the Times, and editorial comments followed calculated to place the Railway Commissioners in an unenviable light.

Hon. S N Parent, chairman National Transcontinental Commission at once instructed counsel in London to secure from the Times an apology and retraction, or enter a suit for libel. The result was that the following was printed in the Times on December 12:

"The Canadian Elections—Our attention has been called by Hon. Lamon N Parent, K.C., the chairman of the Transcontinental Railway Commission, of Canada, to a certain cable sent us by one of our Canadian correspondents, and appearing in the Times of October 24th, and the Mail of October 26th, 1908. We desire to say that this message was not intended to convey the slightest reflection upon the Commissioners or on their integrity. We ourselves do not regard the despatch as containing any such reflection and we regret that any body should put any such construction upon it."

The Times is not quite candid in its so-called retraction. It first prints a communication from a correspondent who did not know what he was writing about—a man who had been only a few weeks in the Dominion and who was easily influenced by Conservative politicians to write something injurious to the administration in an election year. Then it publishes an editorial based upon the assumption that the charges made by its correspondent were true. Then follows an apology and the statement that the cable was not intended to convey any reflections, and was not so regarded by the Times—followed by a regret that any body should put such construction upon it. The manner in which the Times treats the incident is certainly not in keeping with the honourable and high-minded traditions of its past. If it did not consider the cabled article one that tended to, and was intended to, reflect discredit upon the Commission, how was it that mischievous meaning of the article was taken so much in earnest and so fully credited by the Times as to be made the subject of an article of a similar tenor, written with a belief in the truth of the libellous articles contributed by its Canadian correspondent. The apology of the Times amounts to an expression of regret that the public who read its columns should believe what it-it evidently believed and treated as true.

THE SOIL WEALTH OF CANADA.

The end of the year is a favourable time for summing up the results of the year's activities in the year. The wealth of a country is based upon its agricultural production, therefore some salient figures of production will be of interest. From figures officially compiled, the following table of results is appended:

THE DOMINION—

	Bushels per acre.	Total bush.
Wheat	17.5	115,651,000
Oats	33.7	267,651,000
Barley	29.0	50,723,000
Corn, (husking)	57.4	21,007,000
Potatoes	145.4	73,228,000
Turnips, other roots	309.7	94,075,000

This only includes the main products. The provinces provided this grand total as follows:

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND—

	Bushels per acre.	Total bush.
Wheat	14.0	387,000
Oats	34.0	6,124,000
Barley	25.0	148,000
Potatoes	230.0	7,659,000
Turnips, etc	500.0	4,150,000

ONTARIO—

Wheat	21.0	17,284,000
Oats	35.0	108,794,000
Barley	29.0	21,570,000
Corn (husking)	60.0	19,932,000
Potatoes	127.0	23,279,000
Turnips, etc	300.0	58,800,000

MANITOBA—

Wheat	17.5	51,748,000
Oats	32.0	50,267,000
Barley	20.0	19,875,000
Potatoes	177.0	3,682,000
Turnips, etc	217.0	651,000

SASKATCHEWAN—

Wheat	16.0	35,940,000
Oats	32.0	29,7 000.
Barley	24.0	1,944,000
Potatoes	128.0	2,042,000
Turnips etc	488.0	802,000

ALBERTA—

Wheat	30.0	8,130,000
Oats	49.0	25,451,000
Barley	35.0	4,543,000
Potatoes	238.0	3,142,000
Turnips, etc	450.0	1,125,000

NOVA SCOTIA—

Wheat	20.0	412,000
Oats	35.0	4,727,000
Barley	26.0	258,000
Potatoes	167.0	7,315,000
Tyenips, etc	300.0	7,219,000

NEW BRUNSWICK—

Wheat	16.0	323,000
Oats	27.0	5,505,000
Barley	25.0	88,000
Potatoes	220.0	11,792,000
Turnips, etc	331.0	1,920,000

QUEBEC—

Wheat	14.0	1,447,000
Oats	24.0	37,020,000
Barley	21.0	2,302,600
Corn (husking)	32.0	1,075,000
Potatoes	103.0	14,317,000
Turnips etc	265.0	9,408,000

These are the main articles which go to make up the crops of the Dominion last year, and from the figures one can see the percentage per bushel of grain in the various provinces of the Dominion. The west, of course, holds the record for wheat production. The total value of the grain crop of the west last season was $126,168,048; of wheat the total was $87,668,040. This immense crop was made possible by the thoughtful provision of seed grain by the Government, without which the western crops would have been a failure.

FORMER PROMINENT CITIZEN IS DEAD

Mr. Thos. Menzies Passed Away Yesterday at Kingfisher, Oklahoma—Was Prominent Business Citizen of Peterborough for Over Thirty Years.

Mr. K. G. Lech this morning received a telegram, announcing the death at Kingfisher, Oklahoma, of Mr. Thomas Menzies, a former well known and prominent resident of Peterborough. Mr. Menzies has been in ill health for some time and his demise was not unexpected. Mrs. Menzies has been in the city on a visit since May and had arranged to to leave for Oklahoma to-day.

The late Mr. Menzies was a native of Perthshire, Scotland, where he was born in January, 1832. He was the only son of a family of four children, who came to America in 1851. After a years residence in New York, the family came to Peterborough, and Mr. Menzies, then about twenty-one years of age, entered into employment with a Mr. Rogers, who conducted a general store in Ashburnham. After five years in the capacity of clerk Mr. Menzies went into the stationery business on his own accord, in the premises no. occupied by Cunningham's music store. Here he, in the course of about thirty years, built up a large business in his line, subsequently adding private banking. Mr. Menzies was not only devoted to, and successful in, his business but found time to take an active interest in municipal matters, and was for several terms a member of the town council and way mayor for one term. For several years he was an officer in the militia, his commission bearing the signature of Sir Edmund Head, and in 1856 he was actively associated with the organization of the first volunteer company in Peterborough. He was a justice of the peace, and during the period between the death of the late Mr. Hatton and the appointment of Mr. Dumble, performed the duties of Police Magistrate. Nineteen years ago Mr. Menzies and family removed to Oklahoma, where they have since resided. Mr. Menzies is survived by Mrs. Menzies, four daughters and two sons. The daughters are, Mrs. R S Davidson, and Mrs. K G Lech, city; Mrs. George Lang, Kingfisher, Oklahoma, and Mrs. E Watrous, Enid, Oklahoma. The sons are Stanley, of Hennesy, Oklahoma, and Thomas at home. The late Mrs. Robert Graham, Lakefield was a sister. Nothing is, up to this writing, known of the funeral arrangements.

The New York Stock Market

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	Opening	Closing
A.C.P	82½	84½
Atch	97½	101
B.R.T.	69½	68
C.P.R.	176½	177½
Erie	34½	35
Great Northern	146½	147 1-2
L.N.	123½	123½
Mo. Pac.	65½	65½
Northern Pacif	141½	143 1-2
N.Y.C.	123	123½
Penna	130½	131 1-2
R.I.	23½	24½
Rdg.	140	141½
Smelters	81 1-2	83 1-2
Soo	131½	133 1-2
St. Paul	149 1-3	150½
S.P	120½	121½
U.P.	181½	184½
U.S	54½	54½
U.S. pf'd.	112 1-2	112½
Twin City	95	95
Nipissing	10½	10½
May-Wheat	107½	106½
" Corn	60½	60½
May Oats	53	51½
" Pork	16.70	16.57

BOURASSA TALKS.

Declares That Sir Wilfrid Is Anxious to Get Him Back.

Montreal, Dec. 28.—Henri Bourassa, M.P.P., made an extraordinary statement at Ormstown Saturday evening to a joint meeting of 500 electors of Chateauguay for Ald. Mercier and H. Desrosiers, Liberal and Conservative candidates respectively.

Replying to the charge that he was a renegade from the Liberal party, Mr. Bourassa declared that so great was Sir Wilfrid Laurier's desire to get him back to the Liberal party that the Premier had offered to allow Bourassa, Lavergne and Laflamme to be returned by acclamation in the Province of Quebec.

Coming from Mr. Bourassa the statement in the face of the fact that he had defeated Sir Lomer Gouin and had denounced his Ministry on twenty platforms, is scarcely believed by the friends of the Quebec Premier, so it will be very interesting to hear from the federal leader on the question.

Mr. Bourassa also announced both at his Ste. Martine and the Ormstown meetings Saturday that he would make charges at the opening of the Quebec Legislature and with convincing documents in his hand would prove that the Ministers at Quebec were quite cognizant of the amount of $70,000 which were intended for an election fund for the provincial Liberals at the June election. This was connected with a rake-off in L'Abitibee deal.

Four Million Trees Cut.

Washington, D.C., Dec. 28.—The United States forest this year supplied four million Christmas trees, the forestry service estimating that one out of every four families observed the tree custom at yuletide. Gifford Pinchot, United States forester, upholds the Christmas tree custom and believes it should be maintained.

"The number of trees cut this year," he said, "is insignificant when compared to the consumption for other purposes, for which timber is demanded.

"This clearing of an area is equal to a good-sized farm should not be the subject of much worry when it is remembered that for lumber alone it is necessary to take timber from an area of more than 100,000 acres every day of the year."

Wants $50,000 For False Arrest.

Chicago, Dec. 28.—George W. Fitzgerald, former assorting teller of the United States sub-treasury at Chicago, has filed suit for $50,000 damages against Wm. Boldenweck in charge of the Sub-treasury and Herbert F. Young, a private detective. The suit is an outgrowth of the sensational arrest of Fitzgerald last spring charged with stealing $173,000 from the subtreasury vaults. Fitzgerald's acquittal promptly followed Boldenweck's refusal, under orders from Washington, to testify in the case.

Carsley on Board.

Montreal, Dec. 28.—It is understood that William Carsley, son of the late Samuel Carsley, and the present head of the Carsleys, Ltd., will soon take his seat as director and vice-president of the Provincial Bank. It is known that the late S. Carsley went to London a year ago and paved the way for the very successful financial deal completed a few weeks ago by General Manager Tancred Bienvenue and Mr. Bosworth of the C.P.R., and also director of the Provincial Bank.

Cut Cable Rates.

London, Dec. 28.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—Henniker Heaton, writing to the president of the Liverpool Chamber of Commerce, says there should not be the least difficulty in reducing cable rates by 50 to 75 per cent. as the result of the powerful pressure being brought to bear on cable companies and on foreign Governments and additional to the steps now being taken by the Imperial Government for the construction and laying of a few state-owned cables.

Card of Thanks

Peterborough, November 10th, 1908.

Messrs. Davis-Thompson Co'y, Limited,
Peterborough, Ontario:

Dear Sirs,---I beg to acknowledge receipt to-day of cheque from The London Mutual Fire Insurance Company in full settlement of my claim for loss by fire, which occurred just three weeks ago.

I wish to thank you and your Company for the liberal and satisfactory manner in which my loss has been adjusted and paid, and would heartily recommend the London Mutual to the insuring public.

Yours truly,
(Sgd.) THOMAS YOUNG.

Building Lots For Sale

THE PETERBORO SUGAR CO. PROPERTY has been cut up into lots, which are now offered for sale: lots 50-ft. frontage by 120-ft. in depth.

These lots are most desirable for building purposes, and any person contemplating the purchase of a lot for this purpose will do well to look over this property before purchasing elsewhere.

Full particulars and all information can be had on application to

The Toronto Savings and Loan Company
437 George Street, City

Bargains in Pianos at THE CITY MUSIC STORE

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W. H. RUSE, Mgr.

One Second-hand Evans Bros. Large Concert Grand Upright Piano, thoroughly overhauled at factory and guaranteed in first-class condition.

One Second-hand Evans' Bros. Piano, medium size, in first-class condition, only used about 4 years. A splendid Piano for the price asked.

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One Evans Bros. Player Piano, at manufacturer's price, as we have no room for it until after we refit and refurnish our store. These bargains will interest you if you will investigate.

Hat Saves Her Life.

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 28.—A Merry Widow hat with a flaring brim probably saved the life of Catherine Sheffield, a maid at the Belvidere Hotel, on Christmas morning. A milk bottle falling from the eighth floor of the hotel struck the hat just as the maid passed below and carromed off the wide brim, causing a slight wound on the top of the girl's head.

The hotel physician says the big hat alone saved the girl from a broken skull.

Judge Mathieu to Retire.

Montreal, Dec. 28.—It is generally understood that Mr. Justice Mathieu, one of the veterans of the Superior Court of this province, will retire within a few weeks and will be replaced by Mr. Justice St. Pierre of the Beauharnois district. The latter will be replaced by Mr. Wilfrid Mercier, a clever lawyer, who has been engaged for two years past on the codification of the provincial statutes.

Riot Over Opium Planting.

Amoy, Dec. 28.—Orders were issued Saturday to a number of natives at Tungan to cease planting opium poppies. They declined to acquiesce and a riot followed in which one officer and ten civilians were killed.

The population of Tungan is up in arms and 500 troops have been sent there to restore order. The authorities announce their determination to enforce the anti-opium edict.

ROLLER RINK

TO-NIGHT

Skating to all 15c, Band Concert, New Year's Eve, afternoon and evening, skating till 12 o'clock, old year out, New Year's Mask.

Carnival and Dance

We wish all our customers and friends A Merry Xmas and Many Prosperous New Years.
Signed J. J. Turner & Sons

NOW AND THEN a merchant gets it into his head that "one advertising medium is as good as another." He then proceeds to buy his advertising in a way to discredit his business judgment.

People will be pretty sure to infer that a merchant who buys his advertising unwisely will buy his store-stocks unwisely—and of course this may not always be true. But it is always a good plan to show the same discrimination in buying advertising space that you show in buying the stocks which you are advertising. At all events you will act wisely if you advertise in the EXAMINER.

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HEADACHES ARE DANGER SIGNALS

They Tell Us Plainly That Something Is Wrong Inside.

There are tablets and powders that will stop a headache promptly—but removing a danger signal does not take away the danger.

In nearly every case a headache—of whatever kind—is a symptom of poisoned blood, due to Bowels, Kidneys and Skin failing to thoroughly remove indigestible food and waste, worn-out tissue from the body. Then digestion is poor, causing sick headaches, or uric acid is formed and deposited on the nerves, causing neuralgia.

Not only the danger signal, but the danger itself as well, is quickly removed by "Fruit-a-tives."

"Fruit-a-tives" are tablets made of the combined juices of oranges, apples, figs and prunes, containing all their medicinal properties, concentrated and intensified. They cause the liver to secrete more bile, which moves the bowels freely and regularly, and cures the most obstinate cases of Constipation. They stir up kidneys and skin to throw off all the urea, or dead tissue, which has been poisoning the system. They sweeten the stomach, improve digestion and tone up the whole body. The headaches disappear—because the source is removed. 50c. a box—6 for $2.50. Trial size, 25c. Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

Have You Tried

O'Keefe's

"Gold Label" ALE

The O'K brewmaster says it is his masterpieee—a rich, old, creamy ale of matchless purity.

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Afternoon Tea served Every Day from four to six p.m. Ladies and GENTLEMEN are COMDIALLY invited. Proceeds in Aid of Charitable Work. dm eod 60

THE CIVIC NOMINATIONS TOOK PLACE TO-DAY

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R. H Fortye, seconded by T. F. Matthews.

GEORGE EDWARD ELLIOTT, insurance agent, proposed by Wm. Rudkin, seconded by R. H. Fortye.

GEORGE H. DUNCAN, painter, proposed by R. G. Kingan, seconded by N. T Lapointe.

ROBERT NEILL, merchant, proposed by T. F. Matthews, seconded by Adam Hall.

JAMES BOGUE, contractor, proposed by Wm. Snowden, seconded by J. Robson.

WILLIAM BULLER, merchant, proposed by James Edgar, seconded by W. H. Bradburn.

HARRY W. MORGAN, foreman, proposed by J. H. Smith, seconded by J. H Yelland.

ARCHIE R. MOORE, contractor, proposed by J. H. Yelland, and J. H. Smith.

ANDREW BROWN, real estate dealer, proposed by Jos. Batten, seconded by John Carlisle.

JOS R. METHERALL, blacksmith, proposed by R. A. Dutton, seconded by Jas. Davidson.

WILLIAM JAS. JOHNSTON, contractor, proposed by T. F. Matthews and R. H. Leary.

JAMES FINNIE, builder, proposed by V. Eastwood and H. P. Morgan.

ROBERT HICKS, merchant, proposed by W. H. Bradburn and R. E. Kingan.

GEORGE J. TOVEY, mechanic, proposed by A. Brown and A. B. Cunningham.

BENJAMIN F. ACKERMAN, manufacturer, proposed by Jos. Batten and V. Eastwood.

JOHN JAMES TURNER, JR., manufacturer, proposed by T. H. Elliott and H Phelan.

JOHN ANDERSON, bookkeeper, proposed by T. C. Elliott and H. Phelan.

HENRY PHELAN, steamer manager, proposed by Wm. Langford and G. M Roger.

VINCENT EASTWOOD, banker, proposed by R. G. Kingan and A. McFarlane.

ALEXANDER GIBSON, jeweller, proposed by W. H. Denham and E. G. Patterson.

JOHN D. CRAIG, merchant, proposed by T. F. Matthews and W. H. Denham.

BENJAMIN SHORTLY, merchant, proposed by A. B. Cunningham and Jos J. Duffus.

HARRY C. WINCH, gentleman, proposed by E. G. Patterson and W. H Denham.

JOSEPH JAMES DUFFUS, merchant, proposed by R. M. Glover and Thos Lane.

ROBERT H. LEARY, merchant, proposed by A. A. McIntyre and Jos. R. Metheral.

DICKSON DAVIDSON, proposed by W. G Morrow and W. H. Bradburn.

JAMES H. METHERALL, gentleman, proposed by G. E. Elliott, seconded by W. Buller.

JOHN O'BRIEN, pattern maker, proposed by Nicholas Bibby and W. Buller.

DANIEL CUSHING, postman, proposed by Chas. P. Murty and Nicholas Bibby.

LEDGER D. LETELLIER, builder, proposed by Jos. R. Bell and R. Sheehy.

WILLIAM STABLER, proposed by W. Rush and Joseph Barnard.

JAMES T. C. LANG, merchant, proposed by James Edgar and Andrew Graham.

RICHARD SHEEHY, contractor, proposed by J. S. Bell and Geo. E. Elliott.

JOHN H. SMITH, machinist, proposed by Geo. E. Elliott and H. Phelan.

JOSEPH BATTEN, blacksmith, proposed by A. A. McIntyre and Geo. W. Powell.

JOHN HAMPDEN BURNHAM, editor, proposed by A. Weddell and J. S. Bell.

JAMES EDGAR, merchant, proposed by J. S. Bell and A. Graham.

JOSEPH S. BELL, real estate agent, proposed by A. Graham and J. Edgar

MAYOR RUSH'S ADDRESS.

When no opposition was received in the form of other nominations for the mayoralty, Mayor Rush was called upon to address the electors. He expressed his appreciation of the honour that had been conferred upon him in the following words:

I take this opportunity of thanking the ratepayers for having elected me to the important position of Mayor of this city. Had I gone from door to door soliciting votes, I could not have expected such a decisive result. I have done the best I could, and I will endeavour to do my best again. That I have satisfied the Aldermen, goes without saying, for at the last meeting of the council they passed a resolution thanking me for the able manner in which I conducted the meetings.

WHAT HAS BEEN DONE.

You will be pleased to know that you own about 62 acres of land, having a frontage of half a mile on Water street, with all the buildings thereon. On this property there is gravel, stone and sand enough to last the city many years for repairing the roads, for building new concrete sidewalks, bridges or any other concrete works. This property was acquired five years ago, and the rents from it, etc., has more than paid the interest on the investment. The City Engineer has also informed me that it has already paid back 77 per cent. of the $40,000 that was paid for it, in gravel, stones and sand. Then, again, after the gravel has been entirely exhausted the land itself will be more valuable for building purposes, as George street can be extended through it, thus giving a frontage to be sold on each side for building lots.

We have now over 40 miles of granolithic sidewalk, and about 13 miles of wooden ones, yet to be replaced by concrete. We have also nearly 24 miles of sewers, half a mile of which is on streets where there is no water. A little more than a mile of sewer has been built this year and 5 2-3 miles of concrete sidewalks, both costing slightly less than that of last year.

REGARDING THE DEBENTURES.

During the early part of last year, times were exceptionally good, work was very plentiful, and one could only with the greatest difficulty procure labourers, the demand being so great, but instead of closing down the civic work and reserving it for a year such as this has been, sewers were built on streets where there is no water, consequently they cannot b used. The ratepayers are still paying 4 3-4 per cent. for the use of the money it cost to construct them.

Instead of allowing the working man to avail himself of the opportunity of obtaining employment from those who were engaged in building, and thus reserving the civic work for a time when men were unemployed ,this branch of the work was kept going.

Perhaps the chairman of last year's Board of Works can explain the reason for this.

This year the first thing the Board of Works did was to pass a resolution that sewers would be built only on the streets on which there was water, thus saving the ratepayers paying interest on work that was not required.

A BETTER RATE.

The latter part of last year the manager of the Bank of Toronto appeared to be dissatisfied with the city account and demanded that the overdraft be reduced. Something had to be done, as no other bank in the city wanted the account in the condition that it was then in. I have a copy of a letter here (I will read it later) which was sent to the manager of the bank, with the knowledge, approval and consent of the ex-Mayor, after the sending of which an arrangement was made, the city to pay 6 per cent. for the use of any money they required for the year 1908, in excess of any that might be to the credit of the other civic bodies. I find no fault with the arrangement. It was the best that could be done under the circumstances.

About two months ago the chairman of the Finance Committee and myself waited on the manager of the bank and

MR. T. F. MATTHEWS,
Re-elected by acclamation to the Board of Water Commissioners.

arranged for the requirements for next year, 1909, at 5 per cent., being 1 per cent. better.

This year's Council, according to the agreement made last year with the bank, as per the letter I have just read, were obliged to sell the debentures, but the overdraft had been kept well within the limit arranged for by last year's council and the bank, thus saving the difference to the ratepayers, in interest.

THE LETTER.

The following letter was then read by the Mayor:

28th December, 1908.

P. Campbell, Esq.,
Manager Bank of Toronto, city,

Dear Sir, — At a meeting of the Finance Committee of the City Council held last night, at which representatives from the Board of Education and City Trust Commissioners were present, the banking accommodation required in connection with the city accounts for 1908, was considered, and the following resolution was adopted:

"That the City Treasurer be instructed to inform the Bank of Toronto, that the banking accommodation required next year, for ordinary and extraordinary requirements, will be as follows: On the first of January, $125,000 on the combined accounts, and by February 15th debentures to the amount of $61,000 will be sold, and from that time on, a line of credit of $100,000 is asked for, but as near as can be estimated, taking into account the sale of $35,000 of school and water works debentures by March 31st, and $40,000 of local improvement debentures by June 1st, the requirements will be on February 15th, $95,000, March 31st, $75,000; June 1st, $60,000; July 1st, $75,000; August 1st, $25,000; from which date it will gradually rise to $65,000 on November 1st, and will remain at about the same figure until December 15th, and after that date will not exceed $100,000; and that the treasurer ask the bank to give the terms on which it will give the civic bodies the accommodation."

Of the $43,362.43 to be transferred to the City Trust account, about $20,000 will be held to 30th of June next to meet debentures maturing at that date, and about $10,000 of the remainder to pay the half year's interest to same date.

Kindly favour me with your reply at as early a date as possible.

Yours truly,
(Signed) FRANK ADAMS.
City Treasurer.

Mr. T. F. Matthews expressed his appreciation of his re-election by acclamation. Since 1902 he had, with his associates, tried to conduct the interests of the commission as if it was their own money, and not a cent of it had been wasted. During the past year 9,368 feet of cast iron pipes had been laid, weighing 122 tons. There were 227 private services put in, using 1.32 miles of pipe. In 1902, when the water supply system was taken over, there were 92,300 feet of pipes through the city, now there is 162,468 feet. There were 123 fire hydrants as compared with 213 at the present time. There were 1,070 services, and now there are 2,464. From these figures it may be seen that during the past seven years the waterworks system has been practically doubled. During the past year the total volume of water pumped was 624,947,640 gallons, an increase of 53,000,000 gallons over last year.

May Need New Dam

Continuing, Mr. Matthews dealt with what was needed for the system, stating the the increase would likely necessitate the erection of a new waterworks dam. During the last year the new method of taxation for the use of the water was put into effect.

By if vacant property and non-users are taxed according to frontage rate, the commissioners considering that if the value is increased by reason of the waterworks they should pay for it. Mr Matthews quoted figures, showing that the waterworks system was more than sustaining itself. A sinking fund of $37,400 has been secured and a reserve fund of $20,000. In conclusion, Mr. Matthews again thanked the people for the expression of their confidence in him by their finanimous re-election of him as a Water Commissioner.

THE CITY'S ASSETS.

To the Editor of the Examiner.—

Sir, — I observe that my remarks at the late Board of Trade meeting in relation to the city's debenture debt of one million dollars, and the available assets to meet it, are receiving some attention from correspondents of the daily press. I take no exception to this for the reason that discussion of so very important a public question is quite reasonable. One writer sets out with the statement that there are two kinds or assets one convertible and the other inconvertible. Very good: and every standard dictionary tells us that those things lands and goods which may be converted into money for the discharge of a debt, are assets. It follows as of course, that whatever can be so treated, are not assets as against money liabilities. The person referred to, classes sewers, sidewalks and schools as having a convertible value, but we cannot continue to live in this age without these accommodations and must not, therefore, even under great straits, sell them. They are not assets any more than health and education are, which though of vital value to the individual, put in the eyes of a creditor, are of very small account. Then, the writer classes sewers and water works together, and places the market block in a line with the fire hall. This block, the Hilliard Farm and the waterworks represent upwards of half a million in revenue-producing and convertible value, and these with one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars of sinking funds on hand, fare a real set off against the million we owe, leaving a net debt of four hundred and twenty five thousand dollars to be made up by direct taxation. I think it was well understood I was not at the time dealing with our human duties in relation to schools, etc., but with the finances of the city, and comparing the city's resources as against its considerable obligations, and at the same time cautioning citizens against schemes that would make for convenience only, and are not absolutely necessary, while losing sight of the danger of crippling the city by a burdensome debt.

Your obedient servant,
V. E. MOORE.

ANNIVERSARY CONCERT OF ST. PETER'S T. A. S.

Ninth Annual of its Institution Will be Appropriately Celebrated.

The concert in connection with the ninth anniversary of the foundation of St. Peter's T A S will be held on January 8th in the St. Peter's school hall. Not only is this a commemorative affair but the proceeds will be used in dispensing charity among families. The concert will include an illustrated address on Rome and its classic ruins by the Rev. Dr. O'Brien. This will be the first time this address has been heard in Peterborough and the slides are said to be of high order. The rest of the programme will be of equal interest and will include some special local talent and a skit that will be put on by T.A.S. amateur performers.

CHRISTMAS MUSIC AT ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

Services Yesterday Were Very Bright and Hearty.

Very bright and hearty were the services at St. John's both Christmas day and yesterday. With over forty voices in the choir, the choral singing was splendid, the full choral Evensong last night, with the usual custom observed of Anthem and Carol singing after the sermon, bringing out all the powers of the choir and reflecting the highest credit on their training by Mr. B. J Davey. One of the brightest features of the work of this purely voluntary choir is the soprano singing of the boys, and the splendidly manner way they picked up their leads in the chorus from the "Messiah" "And the Glory of the Lord," was most effective, many of them singing from memory.

The works given last night in addition to Tallis' Service and Smart's "Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis' were as follows: — Chorus, "Nazareth' Gounod; Carol "In the Fields," Farmer, soprano solo by Harry Hill. Chorus "And the Glory," Handel; Chorus and Trio, "Hallelujah, Amen," Stainer Mrs. Evans, Mr. H Morphet and Mr. N Greenhalgh, finely rendering the trio of this difficult choral number.

In the vestry the Rev. Canon Davidson warmly thanked the choristers for their valuable services for God and the church.

Nearly 300 of the Sunday School children and their friends, also the girls from the Barnardo Home, attended the Christmas service in the afternoon at 3.15 p.m.

What a Great Man Said to the Great American People.

Parisian Sage is a discovery of a celebrated scientist, who spent the best years of his life in perfecting this great hair tonic.

In giving his receipt to the American people he said, "Parisian Sage is the most delightful hair dressing in the world, but it is more than a fair dressing. It cures dandruff by killing the germs that infest the roots of the hair; it stops falling hair; it gives vigour and strength to the hair roots." Wm. Madill sells Parisian Sage at 50 cents a large bottle and guarantees it to do all that is claimed for it, or your money is refunded. If you do not reside near a druggist who sells Parisian Sage, send 50 cents to Giroux Mfg. Co., Fort Erie, Ont., and a bottle will be sent you all charges prepaid.

LIVERY STABLE HAS CHANGED HANDS

Mr. George O'Neill is a Partner of Roy Cavanagh in Simcoe Street Business

What has been known as the Roy Cavanagh Livery Stables will in future be known as Cavanagh and O'Neill. Mr. George O'Neill who has purchased a half interest in the livery business from Mr. Roy Cavanagh has had two years experience as a livery man in the various towns throughout the country and should have success in his new undertaking.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 25 cents each insertion in either the Daily or Weekly Examiner.

DIED.

GUMPRICHT—In Peterborough, Dec. 26, George John Gumpricht, Aylmer street, fifty-five years. Funeral (private) on Tuesday.

Pansy's pleasant corner [illegible]

Good Resolves FOR 1909

This is the time for making good resolutions for the New Year.

Here's a Good One:--

RESOLVED---that it Pays to buy the Best.

NOT How Cheap can I buy, but How Good.

Here's Another One:--

That I will not put off until to-morrow what I can do to-day.

The best Clothing can be obtained from

Merrell & Meredith

The time to get it is

Now!

SEE THE WINDOWS

Merrell & Meredith

Music and Drama

Arrangements are being completed for the presentation of that very funny comedy "The Private Secretary," which will be acted under the auspices of the 57th Battalion Band towards the end of January. Mr Irving Beers, who had in charge the production of "All the Comforts of Home," will be the director of the new comedy, which will be put on by a number of the same artists who took part in that successful play. "The Private Secretary" will be put on in the Conservatory of Music Hall and rehearsals will commence in a short time.

CARL W. COOK STOCK COMPANY

The engagement of the Carl W Cook Stock Company, at the Grand, this week, promises to be one of the best popular priced attractions offered by the Management of the theatre this season. They have an entire line of new plays and specialties; among them, The Marvellous Vade, in an act of Magic and Mystery that is not only novel, but far above the average act of its kind. Miss Edyth La Nora, the Dresden Doll with her catchy songs, Geo. Cotter, that funny little fellow; Karl Hawk, the Kid from the country; Joe Vitta, baritone soloist, and others.

Their opening bill will be "Nature's Nobleman." This is a society comedy drama. There is no lack of comedy in the bill, the best class of comedy.

There is also an opportunity for the ladies to wear some handsome gowns, in fact, an costuming and attention to detail, the bill is a product in the real sense of the word.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to the many who extended to me their patronage during Christmas week.

I will do my best to merit a continuance of the same.

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J. J. Hill	J. R. Cameron	W. J. Bentley
R. R. Hunter	D. Bradshaw	A. J. Warne
D. Neary	R. Bentley	R. C. Bruce
J. T. Donoghue	Mrs. Dalsford	J. J. Lynch
G. A. Gerken	Mountjoy and Graham	R. L. Parks
Wm. Harris		W. H. Hamilton
J. M. Donovan	J. James	A. Peters
J. C. Sullivan		Wm. Collins

J. E. A. FITZGERALD
Coal and Wood Dealer

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427 GEORGE ST., PETERBOROUGH

NOTICE is hereby given that a Quarterly dividend for the three months ending December 31st, 1908, at the rate of

Six Per Cent. (6%) Per Annum

has been declared upon the Capital Stock of this Institution, and the same will be payable at the offices of the Company in this City on and after

Saturday, the 2nd Day of January, 1909

The transfer books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st day of January, 1909, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,
W. G. MORROW,
Managing Director
Peterborough, December 17th, 1908

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Thirty-Two Million Dollars

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BANKS IN SPLENDID CONDITION

The New Year Promises Better Returns On Investments—State of Money & Market in New York.

New York, December 24th, 1908. (Special)—After backing and filling with days of seeming heavy losses the stock market closed for the holidays with the average price of stocks at the point touched on December 12th. On that day the average was 118.18, and on December 21st, it had fallen to 115.20 only to regain in three days the losses scored in eighteen days. The market is now 26.70 points above the low price of November 21st a year ago and 18.18 points under the big record of January 1906. It can be seen by this that a good deal of business improvement has been discounted.

The report that E. H Harriman was seriously ill was used in the early days of the week as an excuse upon which to sell the market and Union Pacific dropped 10 points from its high mark. Later the announcement that James Hill had acquired the Colorado and Southern for the Burlington caused a steady upward movement to set in.

The announcement of this purchase has been followed by numerous rumors of other acquisitions. It is said that E. H. Harriman is after the Wabash, the St. Paul after the M. K. & T. and that the Rock Island crowd is also seeking to get a Gould property. On these rumors there was a great deal of semi-speculative buying which advanced the market

Money after showing a hardening tendency was easier after Monday due to the heavy decrease in loans by the banks last year. This could mean but one thing—that the banks had liquidated a geat deal of stock carried through the depression and were in a better position to finance further requirements. But with the banks and big men of the street sold out, the market is in a more vulnerable position than for some time. With tariff agitation, foreign diplomatic complications and slow improvement in business, it is reasonbale to suppose that the market will sell before starting upon another upward movement. Before the year is over, if good crops again bless the country, prices will be higher than in 1906 but those who buy upon margins should remember that all signs point to a reaction in the stock market.

Business is slowly recovering, the banks are in a better condition and during the month of January there will be distributed the stock and bond holders by leading corporations and municipalities $210,000,000 in dividends and interest. This was $18,000,000 more than was paid out last January despite the fact that dividends were cut and passed during the year and numerous bonds ceased to pay interest. During the year there was an increase of $800,000,000 in bonds and $200,000,000 in notes. The total bonds puon which interest was paid in January last year was $5,695,117,000, while this year interest will be disbursed on $6,521,657,000. It is safe to predict that the coming year investors will receive more in dividends and in interest than in any year in the history of the country. With these facts before them it can be understood why fluctuations in the stock market are not considered alarming by those who trade upon margins. They see only the upward movement and forget that the downward swing must follow.

THE POPULAR SCIENCE MONTHLY

Contains Large Number of Most Interesting Articles in January Issue.

The Popular Scienic Monthly for January contains the following articles: "The Career of Herbert Spencer," by Professor Lester F Ward; "Lineaments of the Desert," by Chas. R Keyes; "On the Therapeutic Action of Fermented Milk," by Dr. C A Herter; "Poetry and Science in the Case of Charles Darwin," by Edward Bradford Titchener; "A Biographical History of Botany at St. Louis," by Dr. Perley Spaulding; "The Art of Bleaching and Dyeing as applied to Food," by Professor E H S Bailey; "Mr. Roosevelt's Opportunity as President of a University," by Professor Dickinson S Miller; "Commercialism," by Professor John J Stevenson; "Foreign Associates of National Societies," by Professor Edward C Pickering; "The School and the Family," by J McKeen Cattell; "Walcott Gibbs"; "Otis Tufton Mason"; "The H K Cushing Laboratory of Experimental Medicine of Western Reserve University"; "The Convocation Week Meetings at the Johns Hopkins University."

MONSTER PETERBOROUGH TURKEY

Was Enjoyed by Lindsay People on Christmas Day—A Pudding To Match.

A couple of days previous to Christmas Mr. and Mrs. Fred Taylor, of the "Big 20" restaurant, received by express from a Peterborough relative a monster turkey that weighed over 24 lbs. dressed for the table. This fine fowl was just what was needed to outweigh a huge home-made plum pudding received by Mr. Taylor from English relatives for the Christmas dinner, which was partaken of last evening by Mr. and Mrs. Taylor and family and a number of invited guests including Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fleming of Peterborough, the donors of the turkey. The dinner proved very jolly affair, the pudding contributing to the fun by yielding up a number of amusing objects placed therein by the makers in pursuance of a quaint old English fashion.—Lindsay Free Press.

January Will Be A Normal Month; No Unusual Cold Snaps Or Storms

Prof. Irl Hicks Says First Month of New Year Will be Marked by no Unusual Blizzards Although There Will be Some Weather.

PREDICTIONS FOR MONTH

The predictions of Prof. Irl Hicks, in the current number of Words and Works, appear to indicate that January will be marked by normal weather, with no record-breaking storms or cold spells, although we are apparently in for a fair share of both. Prof Hicks says:

A regular storm period, which is central on December 31st, will culminate on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Falling barometer, attended by general cloudiness and rain southward, with snow and boreal gales northward, will result during the first three days of the month. High barometer and change to very cold will rush out of the northwest immediately behind these blizzardous storms, bringing progressively a few days of fair, frigid weather to almost the entire country.

A reactionary storm period centres on the 6th and 7th. At this time earth is in perihelion, or nearest the sun, with Uranus in opposition and Neptune in conjunction with sun and earth. Full moon at extreme north declination is on the 6th. Decided reaction to falling barometer and warmer will pass eastward over the country at this time, resulting in general rains and snow storms on and touching the 6th and 7th. Don't be surprised if blizzards hit many sections at this time, with cold wave and high winds following from northwest. The 4th to 9th is a seismic period, centering on the 6th. Such may not occur, but maximum tendency will exist.

A regular storm period extends from the 9th to the 14th, is central on the 11th. The mercury period is central on the 13th, reaching from the 6th to 19th. Falling barometer and marked winter storms will pass over the country from west to east from about Sunday the 10th to Thursday, the 14th. The crisis will fall on and touching the 13th. Heavy sleet storms, turning to blizzards northward may be expected. A cold wave, with cloudy, blustering weather will follow the storms for several days. Preparations and watchfulness should be your watchwords.

A reactionary storm period is central on the 16th and 17th. The Mercury disturbance is still in force and will help to incite storms of sleet and snow on and touching these days. Cold rains will pass over regions to the southward. High barometer and frigid gales will bring fair cold weather following these storms.

A regular storm period begins with new moon on the 21st, is central on the 23rd, and extends to the 25th. Decided change to warmer will appear westward by the 21st, with falling barometer and cloudiness. These conditions will advance eastward, resulting in decided winter storms from Friday, the 22nd, to Monday, the 25th. Look with confidence for these storms and for violent change to high barometer and cold, pushing close on western flanks of storm areas. The chances are that a "January thaw" may appear during this period, with winter thunder and lightning on and about the 25th, but cold will follow, and 'don't you forget it."

A reactionary storm period has its centre on the 28th and 29th, at which time the cold will relax, the barometer will fall and cloudiness with rain and snow will appear. At this closing period for January, the indications are that disturbances will be comparatively moderate. The conditions existing at the preceding period, the 21st to 25th, promise much more general and active storms, in which cases the disturbed periods as a rule are longer continued, and the reactionary periods following are marked with less intensity. This is especially true when no other astronomic causes are bearing on the reactionary period, as is the case in this closing period for January.

We are reasonably certain tha January will not prove the most severe and disagreeable month of the present winter. Of course there will be some severe winter storms, and cold waves will follow each storm period in due order; but these will be what may be called normal. There are no apparent causes for phenomenal weather conditions, such as are usually to be expected in this mid-winter month. Naturally the winter's cold reaches its maximum in January, but such maximum cold is not always attended by storms out of the ordinary. It is the natural result of cumulative cold, arising from the fact that continued long nights and short days have allowed the boreal influences to reach high tide in the northern hemisphere. When aggravating combinations of astronomic causes fall in January, thus antagonizing and intensifying the natural tendency to maximum cold, our worst blizzards and greatest cold waves occue. As stated above, no such concentration of astronomic causes falls in the month.

Acreage Of Grain In Western Canada Will Be Much Increased

Manager of Ogilvie Flour Mills States That Area of Broken Land Will be Much Larger—Railroads Handled the Crop Well.

BUSINESS CONDITIONS GOOD

"General conditions throughout the West are steadily improving as a result of the excellent harvest and the satisfactory prices being obtained for everything the farmer has produced this year," said Mr. W. A. Black, general manager of the Ogilvie Flour Mills Co., Limited, in a recent interview.

"There has been an unusually large amount of fall ploughing the past season, and the quantity of moisture has been rather above the average, thus assuring most excellent prospects for next year's work.

"It is important to note," said he, "that there has been a very large amount of breaking of land during the past summer, which indicates that there will be a very considerably increased acreage of all grain next year.

"The crop movement on the whole this year has been very satisfactory indeed, the railroads having shown their ability to cope with the situation, and there has not been anything like the same congestion of previous years, notwithstanding the crop of all grains was larger.

"There has been a fair number of settlers coming into the country, and this season's profitable results will unquestionably attract a very large immigration in the near future. A great many settlers have gone home, either to Europe or to the south, and each one of these is really the best kind of immigration agent. The fact that they are able to make these trips indicates plainly that they are in a prosperous condition.

"Wholesale houses at Winnipeg report their payments as very satisfactory."

HOW CELEBRATION OF ST. JOHN'S DAY IS BEING DONE IN MONTREAL

Montreal, Dec. 28—St. John's Day the feast of the patron saint of the Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons fell this year on Sunday and the celebration in most Canadian cities was spread over three days. In Montreal most of the lodges held the annual installation of officers on Saturday. Yesterday was marked by devotional exercises, an immense church parade in which all of the city lodges took part being the feature.

This evening the celebration will take a lighter and more jovial form banquets having been arranged by the different lodges. Each lodge will dine in their own rooms and fraternal visits will be made by some of the officers to the different banquet boards during the evening.

The church parade yesterday was probably the largest held in Montreal by a fraternal organization in many years. The service was held in Christ Church Cathedral, one of the largest Anglican churches in the city. The Masons met at their Temple on Dorchester street and marched to the church attired in full lodge regalia, and accompanied by several bands.

The sermon was preached by the Rev Herbert Symonds.

The officers of most of the Canadian lodges were installed to-day and on Saturday, and the lists have been announced.

Servant Girl Disappears With Money, Leaving Infant Alone

Friday afternoon while Rev. W. C. Riddiford, pastor of the Park St. Baptist Church, and his wife were visiting some friends, his servant girl disapeared with the sum of $3.50, leaving a five months old baby alone for four or five hours.

When they returned about three o'clock in the afternoon they were much surprised to find the door open and only the baby to greet them. On investigation it was found that the girl had decamped taking a few clothes of her own and the money. Mr. Kelso, of Toronto was immediately communicated with to see if he could locate the girl. Mr. Kelso is superintendent of the Industrial schools at Toronto, and it was through him that Mr. Riddiford secured the servant. It is thought that she will go back to Toronto as that is where she came from.

NEW YEAR'S DAY AT ST. PETER'S

Rule About Eating of Meat on Friday Will Not Likely be Changed

Friday next being New Year's Day is celebrated as one of the holy days of the Catholic Church. The masses will be at six, eight, nine and ten o'clock. It was not announced yesterday whether the fact that it fell on Friday would allow the members of that church the use of meat. By special dispensation in the past there have been times when such was the case but unless there is word received to the contrary meat will have to be dispensed with in the family meals as ordinarily.

CANADIANS PLACED IN THE HIGHEST OFFICES

At the Recent Convention of the Maintenance of Way Men—Local Boy Among Them.

W. H. Noyes, of Toronto, who was a delegate to the Maintenance of Way Employees' Convention at New Orleans, has returned and stated that Canadian delegates were elected to the most important offices. A. B. Lowe, of Kingston, Ont., was elected grand president; S. J. Pegg, of Winnipeg, grand secretary; A. F. Stout, Ivanhoe, Ont., first vice president; W. H. Noyes, Toronto, chairman of executive board; Henry Irwin, Portage la Prairie, secretary of the executive board.

(Mr. Noyes is a son of Mr. Charles Noyes, East City, one of the veteran employees of the G. T. R.)

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15 dozen Linen Huck Towels, grass bleached, extra good quality, fringed ends, with white or coloured borders, size 21x41. Regular 25c, Economy Sale, ea .19

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10 dozen only, white and coloured Turkish Bath Towels, good wearing qualities, size 18x42. Regular 30c pair, Economy Sale, pair ..... .23

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Heavy Wool Hosiery 19c.
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Felt Hat Shapes 19c.
White Bear Skin Coats 1.10
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Have you missed any remembrances for your friends—New Year's is quite an appropriate time to send belated gifts, and NOW is the time to buy. We are marking down to an astonishing degree all left over lines and broken lines to clear the week before stock-taking. If you have a want let us know.

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Predomination Of Heathens Still Shown In World's Census

Present Estimates Compared With Those of 1885 Show, However, a Gain for Christianity—Ratio is 3.46 to 5.33.

GREAT MISSIONARY FIELD

The growth of Christianity since 1885 as shown by a comparison of statistics prepared during that year, and a recent statement, is the subject of an article in the Canadian Baptist:

In a religious census which he has just published, Dr. H. Zeller, Director of the Statistical Bureau in Stuttgart, estimates that there are 1,544,510,000 people in the world. They are divided as follows:—

Christians	534,940,000
Mohammedans	175,290,000
Jews	10,360,000
Heathen	823,420,000
The latter he subdivides as follows:—	
Confucians	300,000,000
Brahmins	214,000,000
Buddhists	121,000,000
Other Bodies	198,420,000

In other words, out of every thousand of the earth's inhabitants 346 are Christians, 114 are Mohammedans, 7 are Israelites, and 533 are of other religions.

The estimate in 1885 was as follows:

Christians	430,285,000
Jews	7,000,000
Mohammedans	230,000,000
Heathen	794,000,000
Total...	1,461,285,500

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EGG THAT WEIGHS QUARTER OF A POUND

Mr. John Bickell Has a Monster Sample of a Hen's Egg.

If the housewives of Peterborough could get eggs that weighed a quarter of a podun each they would not mind very much paying mid-winter prices for the article. Mr. John Bickell who resides at the corner of Benson and Wolsley sts., brought into the Examiner office on Saturday an egg of this kind which tipped the scales at exactly four ounces. The dimensions of the monster egg were 7 2-3 inches by six inches. It came in the nature of a Christmas box being laid on the 24th, by a black Minorca hen.

CHURCH SERVICES AND NOTICES

Knox Church

The following are the meetings of the week—

Special meeting of Board of Managers in the Vestry at 8 o'clock tonight.

Young People's Guild Guild at 8 o'clock to-night by Sheriff Hall.

Full practice of Cantata at Mrs Patterson's, Stewart st. *to-night*

Wednesday evening 5 to 7 o'clock annual sunday school tea.

Cantata at 7.30 at Miss Prims Xmas Tree.

Thursday—3 30 Woman's Missionary meeting.

The Guide Has No Cause To Complain; Cavan Drain Benefits The Farmers; Gives Easy Access To Market

The Port Hope Guide complains because the Counties' Councils of the Counties of Northumberland and Durham gave a grant of six hundred dollars to assist in the completion of what is known as Cavan's Swamp Road, leading from Mount Pleasant to the Gravel Road, North Monaghan.

Its complaint is that the completion of this road and the shortening of the distance for the farmers of North Cavan, is diverting the trade from Port Hope and assisting Peterborough.

The attitude of the Guide is hardly to be commended. Mr. McNeil, the Reeve of Cavan, fully appreciates the advantages to be derived by the enlargement of the drain and the building of the road. Thousands of acres of swamp land will be redeemed and be made valuable, and the Guide should not complain if the farmers and their wives are able to do their shopping by driving eight miles instead of twenty-five or thirty.

When the member for West Peterborough, in the Local House, some years ago, prevailed upon the Government and the Legislature to grant aid to this work to the extent of four thousand dollars, he fully appreciated the benefit that it would be to the Township, to the City of Peterborough and the farmers who live adjacent to the road.

The Guide might as well complain of the Benafort Bridge diverting trade from Port Hope or Cobourg, but there are natural channels for business to be transacted, and Peterborough on account of geographical conditions is much more centrally situated for these communities to deal together. Shortening distances and making communication easier is what the farmers want, and our friend of the Guide must not complain.

Toronto Critic's Tribute To The Brilliant Work Of Miss K. E. Wallis

Speaking of the Women's Art Exhibit, a critic in the Toronto Star has the following complimentary reference to the brilliant work of Miss Katherine E Wallis, the Peterborough Sculptor, who is making a name for herself.:

The examples of Dutch sculpture in this exhibition of Dutch and Scotch art have already been noted in this column, and now to these have been added recently ten pieces by the Canadian artist, Miss Katherine E Wallis, which show intense personal feeling, as well as good technique. A little bronze figure of a chubby babe is most expressive of the yielding form of childhood, and has already found a purchaser in Montreal. "August's Child" is an ideal girlish head with crown of leaves.

Several animal pieces are full of action, and well felt, while the seated figure of a young woman, a bit of sketch work roughly built up from the model, is likely to be of interest only to an artist or one desirous of learning the artist's processes. What shows Miss Wallis' finished technique perhaps best is a low relief portrait in pewter of a woman's head, with fine attention to detail.

Miss Wallis is continuing her studies in Paris, where she is fast making for herself a place among the sculptors of that great art centre.

J. H. SMITH,
One of the forty-four nominations for the Council to-day.

EX-ALD. R. H. LEARY,
Nominated for the Council this year.

Presentation Made To Proprietor Of Royal Theatre By Members Of Staff

A pleasing function took place on Saturday night in the cigar store of Mr M. Pappas, George street, when the eight members of the permanent staff of the Royal Theatre gathered to show their appreciation of the courteous manner in which they have been treated by Mr Pappas since the opening of the amusement place, a week ago. The gathering took place at the conclusion of the last performance on Saturday night, and Mr Pappas was presented with a handsome piece of silver plate suitably engraved and an address containing congratulations to the recipient over the business at the Royal during the week and expressions of gratitude over the treatment received at the hands of the proprietor. Mr. Pappas who was greatly surprised by the presentation made a fitting speech expressing the pleasure he felt at being remembered by his staff on Christmas time. He remarked that the manifest success hitherto attained at the Royal was to a large extent due to the intelligent and thoughtful work of the staff.

Influx Of Strangers To The City Has Been Noticed In The Churches

The increasingly large number of strangers in the city has been remarked upon more than one occasion of late, and particularly has it been noticed in the local churches. These are not simply former Peterborough people returning home for the Christmas holidays, but entire strangers who have come here to reside. The churches, it may be said, are reliable indicators of the growth of a city's population, and when a very apparent increase in the size of the congregations is noted, it is because the whole community is greater numerically.

The explanation of this reported influx is not an easy one. It has been suggested that the anticipation of a business and industrial revival in the near future may be the drawing card. But apart from the reason of their incoming, it is some of the various church clubs and societies that are aware of the presence of strangers and they are meeting and receiving them, and assisting in welcoming them.

The Life History Of "Dutchy" Stone The Lakefield Salvationist

The Xmas No. of the War Cry contains the following story of "Dutchy" Stone of Lakefield:—

The conduct of some lone Salvationists has been nothing short of heroic. In a few small places where the Salvation Army has for a time been obliged to suspend operations, a few, or perhaps one, Salvation Soldier, has kept the flag flying in a noble manner, that has turned the tide of war and enabled the Army to renew operations on most successful conditions.

Some six years ago, a great stir was created at Lakefield, Ontario, by the promotion to Glory of "Dutchy" Stone, at the age of seventy-five years. He and his wife were the sole representatives of the Salvation Army in that little town, and for twenty years they kept the flag flying. They were remarkable characters in many ways, and surprised the people by regularly appearing on the streets, Sunday after Sunday, one beating the drum and the other carrying the flag. The costume of Father Stone was a marvel to all beholders; he always wore bright red pants, vest and coat, while on his head was an old German military helmet. To draw the attention of the crowd he carried a ram's horn which he blew at intervals.

People listened to this strange old man with the Dutch accent— listened in wonder and with pleasure, listened and were compelled to respect this fearless advocate of God and of the Salvation Army; they listened and were blessed.

In order to avoid the suspicion of keeping the Army money for himself he always took up the offerings in a G. B. M. Box, which was opened periodically by the officer specially appointed to that work. He was one of those earnest, cheerful, true hearted and believing souls, who are honoured of God in blessing hundreds of others and though, during his lifetime, the villagers had smiled at his oddities, they turned out en masse at his funeral, to pay their last respects to this fearless advocate of God and the Salvation Army.

His devoted wife was as loyal and faithful as himself and toiled hard at selling War Crys and collecting for special efforts. Though very poor, they gave a generous donation themselves. Two sons survive, one being the Rev. William Stone, a missionary amongst the B. C. Indians.

The old drum, which has a much battered appearance after twenty years' service, now hangs as a trophy in Peterborough Barracks, a silent testimony to the faithfulness of a humble but ardent Salvationist.

PRESENTATIONS MADE TO THE RETIRING CITY EDITOR

Mr. B. T. Huston Honored by the Examiner Employees and the B.A.C. on Eve of Departure for Toronto.

WILL BE MUCH MISSED

The job room department of the Examiner office on Saturday evening was the scene of a pleasing event when the employees of the establishment gathered to make a presentation to Mr. B T Huston, who has occupied the city editor's chair on the Examiner for the past thirteen months, and who has been a member of the editorial staff of this paper for the last three years, on the eve of his departure for Toronto where his good work has secured for him the responsible position of editor of the Canadian Grocer, one of the most important of the McLean Publishing Company's trade periodicals.

All the employees of the Examiner were present when Hon. Mr. Stratton in an appropriate speech referred to the regret which he and, he was sure every one connected with the Examiner, would feel at Mr. Huston's departure from Peterborough. Mr. Huston had been a most faithful member of the staff and had always done everything in his power to make this paper a success. In conclusion Mr. Stratton hoped that Mr. Huston would meet with every success in his new sphere of labour in Toronto.

Mr. F R Yokome, the editor of the Examiner added a few words of endorsation of Mr. Huston's many good points as a newspaper man. He had been faithful, painstaking and energetic and was an example to any young man who wanted to succeed.

Mr. Harry Lacheur then presented Mr. Huston with a neat travelling bag and a handsomely bound set of "Wit and Humour" on behalf of the employees of the Examiner.

Mr. Huston in reply thanked his friends for their kind words and gifts, and expressed his regret at severing his connection with the Examiner, his association with which he would always remember.

Ring From B. C. A.

On Monday night last Mr. Huston was the guest of honour at a pleasant little banquet at Hooper's Palm Parlours under the auspices of the B.A.C. of which organization Mr. Huston has been a member for some time. During the evening Mr. Wallace Wood on behalf of the members presented Mr. Huston with a very handsome gold signet ring suitably inscribed.

Mr. Huston who left this morning for Toronto, will take with him the best wishes of a very large circle of friends in this city. He was secretary of the City Hockey League and of the Peterborough Poultry Association and his departure will mean a loss to those organizations. He was also a member of the old Quaker Football Club, serving as secretary one year as well as being one of the Club's most valuable players, and secretary also of the lately formed Otonabee Athletic Club.

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STORY OF THE FIRST XMAS TREE

Dr. Vandyke's History Dates Origin to 336 A.D., Re-told by Rev. H. R. Trompour.

The Rev H. R. Trompour, rector of All Saint's Church, departed from the usual custom of giving a sermon last evening. Instead he retold Dr. Henry Vandyke's story of the first Christmas tree, which dates back to 336 A D.

Two men St Boniface and Gregory who had been converted in an English convent were sent as Missionaries to the Thuringians, who in those days worshipped their God Thor, the God of War. After preaching to them they persuaded them to cut down a large tree that they used to worship under. They built a church out of the lumber made from fallen timber. While they were working, Gregory pointed to a small fir tree among the ruins and standing up told them the Story of the Cross, telling them to take that small tree as the symbol of their faith.

There were large congregations at both morning and evening services.

HARD LUCK.

It is impossible to satisfy everybody at any one time, or place on any one subject. The old saying "that what is meat to one is poison to another," applies with equal force to other departments of life besides the table. A good example of this varied application is shown in the fact that the beautiful mild weather of the early part of the season, while pleasant to be out in, has caused much distress among the merchants of the country, who sell clothing and expect to sell at a profit early in the season. Failing to do this their stocks are on their hands, and bills coming due, failures and assignments are inevitable. We are sorry to see our friends, Lang & Maher, the men's clothing and furnishing dealers, are struggling under this disadvantage and have been forced to place their stock in the hands of a clearance agent to dispose of on short notice. The announcement of the affair will be in to-morrow's Examiner.

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Deaths Occur In Fires

Lives Are Lost at Sault Ste. Marie and Tory Hill, Ont.

A BIG BLAZE AT THE SOO

Hussey Block is Wiped Out and Alex. Kemp, Aged 65, is Missing—Said to Have Perished—J. H. Anderson, Postmaster of Tory Hill, Perishes in Flames Which Destroy Home—Other Fires.

Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., Dec. 28.—Another disastrous fire visited the Canadian Soo at three o'clock yesterday morning, by which the handsome Hussey block was completely destroyed, and the Coronation block adjoining badly damaged.

One man, Alex. Kemp, aged 65, is believed to have perished in the flames. He conducted a carpenter shop in the basement, and has not been heard from since, although his coat and hat, which he wore one hour earlier, were found. He entered the building at two o'clock Sunday morning in an intoxicated condition.

The business places burned are: Carcoonen's large confectionary store, insurance $1,200; Partlow's second hand store; Kemp's carpenter shop; St. James' Hall, meeting place of all local Catholic societies. The following, who occupied rooms, were burned out: Mr. and Mrs. J. Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. Balder, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Lemon, and Mr. and Mrs. F. Martel.

On the lower floor of the Coronation block, Bemroses' large clothing stock is almost a complete loss, and on the floor above the lodge room of Bessemer Lodge, I.O.O.F., was badly damaged.

The cause of the fire, which started in the confectionery store, is unknown, but those nearby say it followed an explosion. Yesterday search has been kept up for the missing man, Kemp, but in vain, although the ruins have been partially searched.

Great Loss of Live Stock.

St. Catharines, Dec. 28.—The large barns of Isaac B. Culp, about a mile east of Beamsville, were completely destroyed by fire Christmas night. While no cause of the fire is evident, the origin is attributed to tramps. The whole contents of the barn, except a couple of carriages, were burned. This includes sixteen head of cattle, five horses and a large quantity of chickens and other poultry.

When the flames were first noticed Mr. Culp ran into the barn to save the stock, but was kicked in the breast by one of the horses, and with difficulty found his way from the burning building.

P. O. Clerk Arrested.

North Bay, Dec. 28.—Edgar Cahill, aged 20, who has been employed in the postoffice at Elk City, is under arrest charged with forgery of a postoffice order for $30 in favor of W. Black of Cobalt. The order was endorsed and cashed.

Cahill is also accused of theft of a letter containing money.

He was released on bail of $1,000 to appear Jan. 5 for preliminary trial, T. W. McGarry, M.P.P., is defending Cahill.

Local Option For Alabama.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 28.—The record which Atlanta has been making under prohibition for a consistent decrease in the number of arrests for disorderly conduct, was marred Saturday when 233 such cases were tried in the recorder's court.

This was the highest number for any one day in the past two years. It included 74 arrests for drunkenness.

Autoing Fatal Exercise.

New York, Dec. 28.—While riding alone in his automobile near Spring Valley, N.Y., Hiram B. Berry, 63 years of age, a wealthy manufacturer, died of heart disease. He was found dead on the seat of the machine, which had run into a ditch when his hand fell from the steering wheel. The fatality occurred as the car was climbing a steep grade.

Young Student Slays Four.

Mainz, Germany, Dec. 28.—Because his demands for money was not gratified, a young student of astronomy committed a quadruple murder, killing his father, Dr. Racke, a former member of the Reichstag, and his three sisters, one of whom was betrothed on Christmas eve.

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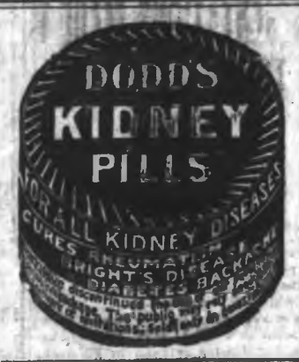

MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool and Chicago Grain Exchanges Closed—Live Stock —Latest Quotations.

Saturday Evening, Dec. 28.

Liverpool, Chicago, Winnipeg and other grain exchanges were closed to-day.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	$0 93	to $....	
Wheat, red, bush	0 93	....	
Wheat, goose, bush	0 89	....	
Rye, bushel	0 80	....	
Buckwheat, bushel	0 65	....	
Peas, bushel	0 89	....	
Barley, bushel	0 50	....	
Oats, bushel	0 42	....	

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 26
Butter, store lots	0 23	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 28	0 30
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 40	....
Eggs, cold storage	0 25	....
Cheese, large, lb	0 12½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11
Honey, combs, dozen	2 25	2 75

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Butter—Very firm; receipts, 4735; creamery, specials, 33½c; official price, 33c; extras, 32½c to 33c; western factory, 24½c.

Cheese—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 2021; weekly exports, 602 boxes.

Eggs—Easier; receipts, 3478; state, Pennsylvania and nearby, fancy, brown and mixed, fair to choice, 30c to 33c; western, first, 32c; seconds, 30c to 31c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Steady—Hogs Are Strong at Buffalo and Chicago.

LONDON, Dec. 28.—London cables for cattle are steady at 13c to 14½c per lbs., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10½c to 10½c per lb.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 28.—John Rogers & Co., Liverpool, quote to-day: United States steers, 12c to 14c; Canadians, 11c to 13c; ranchers, 10c to 11 1-2c; cows and heifers, 10c to 11 -2c; bulls, 10c. Trade is slow but firm.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Dec. 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 100 head; fair demand and strong.

Veals—Receipts, 200; active and lower, $7 to $9.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 6800 head; fairly active and strong; heavy, $6.10 to $6.15; mixed, $6 to $6.10; yorkers, $5.80 to $6; pigs, $4 to $5.25; roughs, $5.25 to $5.50; stags, $4 to $4.75; dairies, $5.50 to $5.90.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 3000 head; active; lambs strong; sheep 10c to 15c higher; lambs, $5 to $8; a few, $8.15; yearlings, $5.50 to $6; wethers, $4.50 to $4.75; ewes, $4 to $4.25; sheep, mixed, $3 to $4.50; Canada lambs, $7.60 to $7.80.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Beeves—Receipts, 2338; market strong; steers, $5 to $6.50; oxen, $3 to $4.75. Exports, 4590 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 336; veals steady; common to fair, $5 to $9.25; no prime or choice here; barnyard and western calves nominal.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 4083; sheep steady; lambs strong and fully 15c higher; no prime stock here; sheep, $2 to $4; culls, $2; a few yearlings, $5; lambs, $5 to $7.60.

Hogs—Receipts, 9257; full steady; medium hogs, $6; pigs, $5.75.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 400; steady; beeves, $3.50 to $7.60; Texans, $3.70 to $4.30; western, $3.50 to $5.50; stockers and feeders, $2.60 to $4.70; cows and heifers, $1.50 to $4.90; calves, $6.25 to $9.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 10,000; 5c higher; light, $4.95 to $5.75; mixed, $5.35 to $6; roughs, $5.25 to $5.60; good to choice, heavy, $5.60 to $6; pigs, $3.75 to $4.90; bulk of sales, $5.50 to $5.85.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2500; steady; native, $2.60 to $4.80; western, $2.60 to $4.90; yearlings, $5.10 to $6.25; native lambs, $4.50 to $7.70; western, $7.50 to $7.70.

Mistaken For Bear.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Dec. 28.—Mistaking an intoxicated man clad in a long buffalo overcoat for a bear, Thomas Deckman, a well-known farmer, shot and instantly killed Thomas Andrews.

Andrews had been in jail but was paroled that he might go home for Christmas. He visited several saloons and later sat down in the doorway of a residence, where he fell asleep. The family thinking Andrews was a bear, called Deckman, who prodded the form with his gun, and getting no response, fired.

A coroner's jury rendered a verdict of justifiable homicide.

Carnegie to Clean Up Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 28.—It is said that Andrew Carnegie has put up about $150,000 in order to clean Pittsburg up morally, following the municipal bribery scandal in which it is alleged 88 councilmen, all but six have been found to be venal.

The story told in the fashionable Duquesne Club and the Pittsburg is that the same men who told Pittsburg conditions to President Roosevelt also went to Andrew Carnegie and laid an array of facts before him.

The result, according to rumor, was that he authorized expenditure of $150,000 in detective work, etc.

French Ships to Call.

Montreal, Dec. 28.—The Compagnie Generale Transatlantique, the French shipping company, will extend its operations to Canada.

The steamships La Gascogne, La Touraine, La Bretagne and Chicago will call at Canadian ports, beginning next season, according to the announcement made here on Saturday.

Further Enquiries.

Kingston, Dec. 28.—Local officers and officials connected with the Canadian Militia and Justice Departments are anticipating investigations by Government commission.

If it is decided to hold such investigations the penitentiary will again be under review.

Women For School Board.

Kingston, Dec. 28.—It is possible that several women may be elected to the Board of Education this year. Their claims for trusteeships are being presented by the newspapers and the electors are urged to select them for positions.

Canada Invited To Conference

Roosevelt Asks Dominion to Participate in Conference.

WILL DISCUSS RESOURCES

Natural Wealth of North America and Means of Preserving It Will Be Subject of International Meeting Planned by President and Mexico, Canada and U. S. Will Take Part—Letter to Earl Grey.

Washington, Dec. 28.—Announcement was made at the White House yesterday of a proposed conference looking toward the conservation of the natural resources of all North America, to be held at the White House Feb. 18 next.

Letters suggesting the plan have been addressed by President Roosevelt to the Governor-General and to the Premier of Canada, and to President Diaz of Mexico. They will be delivered to the officials in person by Gifford Pinchot, chairman of the National Conservation Commission and chief forester of the United States, whom President Roosevelt has chosen as his personal representative to convey the invitations and to confer with the authorities of the two Governments.

Mr. Pinchot will first visit Canada, leaving to-day. He will then carry the invitation to President Diaz at Mexico City. The President's letter to Lord Grey, is in part as follows:

"In May of the present year the governors of the several states and territories of this union met in the White House to confer with the President and with each other, concerning the amount and condition of the natural resources of this country, and to consider the most effective means for conserving them. The conference included also members of the Supreme Court, the Cabinet, and members of both Houses of Congress, together with representatives of the great associations of citizens concerned with natural resources. The conference was followed by the appointment of conservation commissions of the nations and a majority of the states.

"It is evident that natural resources are not limited by boundary lines which separate nations, and that the need for conservation of them upon this continent is as wide as the area upon which they exist. In view, therefore, of these considerations, and of the close bonds of friendship and mutual aims which exist between Canada and the United States, I take especial pleasure in inviting you to designate representatives of the Government of Canada to meet and consult with representatives of the states and other departments of this Government, and the National Conservation Commission, in the City of Washington, on Feb. 18, 1909. The purpose of the conference I have the honor to propose is to consider mutual interests involved in the conservation of natural resources, and in this great field to deliberate upon the practicability of preparing a general plan adapted to promote the welfare of the nations concerned.

"I have this day addressed a similar invitation to the Republic of Mexico, expressing my hope that representatives of that Government will also be present and participate in the proposed conference of the natural resources of North America.

"The conclusions of such a conference, while wholly advisory in character, could hardly fail to yield important beneficial results, both in a better knowledge of the natural resources of each nation on the part of the others, and in suggestions for concurrent action for the protection of mutual interests related to conservation."

Escapes Lynching.

Little Rock, Ark., Dec. 28.—A startling story of an attempt at lynching was told yesterday by D. F. Jones, a negro of New Gascony, Ark., labor agent for the Gracie plantation.

Jones is in the hospital at Pine Bluff, where he is recovering from the effects of what he declares was an attempt to lynch him near Gilliam, La. He says a number of white men who were enraged because he was preparing to take out of the district a number of negro laborers, placed a rope about his neck and drew him up a pole, with the intention of hanging him. The pole broke, he says, and he managed to escape after being badly whipped. Jones is in a critical condition.

Found Dead In Bed.

Chatham, Dec. 28.—Mrs. Files of Dover, aged 27, was found dead in bed on Saturday morning. Deceased had not been ill, and when she retired at night she was in the best of health. At three o'clock in the morning the baby, which slept in the room, awakened Mr. Files, who tried to arouse his wife. It was then found that she was dead. Heart failure is supposed to be the cause of death.

Auto Ambulance Struck by Train.

Oakland, Calif., Dec. 28.—In a collision between an automobile and a train, Samuel Knela was perhaps fatally injured. John Petty of Oakland and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Riley of Berkeley were badly hurt. The machine was dashing along at a furious pace, carrying to the hospital a man who had been injured by a trolley car.

Tug Sinks; Four Drown.

Frankfort, Mich., Dec. 28.—The 15-ton fish tug Rhine of Frankfort, Mich., was wrecked against one of the harbor piers here Saturday night, trying to make the harbor in a strong southwest gale. The little vessel was broken in two and the four men comprising her crew were drowned.

Body Thrown on Track.

Vancouver, Dec. 28.—During a row with drunken companions, Odlin Lee of Wharnock, was murdered. Standing by the track side he was hit over the head with a bottle. His companions are believed to have thrown him across the track, and the incoming train from Seattle ran over him.

Italian Feud Ends In Fire

An Italian Fight at North Bay Causes Heavy Loss.

OCCUPANTS BARELY ESCAPE

Stabbing of Man Named Amanda Is Followed by Fierce Factional War Resulting in Burning on Sunday of Store Belonging to Carmen Sandrelli — Property Loss Is $5,000 — Money Burned.

North Bay, Dec. 28.—Early Sunday morning the store and dwelling of Carmen Sandrelli, Italian merchant, was burned to the ground, the occupants barely escaping with their lives. So quickly did the flames spread that nothing could be saved, and cash amounting to $350 was burned. The loss on the building is $5,000; contents $1,000; grocery stock $1,500; insurance $4,250.

The cause of the fire is attributed to incendiarism on account of the fierce feud existing between the Italian factions here which was intensified recently by the murderous stabbing affray in which an Italian named Amanda escaped death by a narrow margin. Amanda's deposition accused Sandrelli of the stabbing, but evidence was given throwing the blame on another Italian who left town the night of the affray, and Sandrelli was acquitted. Amanda is recovering and still accuses Sandrelli.

Revolutionists Fight Troops.

Moscow, Dec. 28.—Baron Cotte, chief of the secret political police, was killed and Col. Muraki was wounded in a fierce encounter on Saturday with revolutionists who were entrenched in a suburban villa.

Artillery was finally brought to bombard the place, which was taken at four o'clock in the afternoon, after holding out for 24 hours.

The attacking party were astounded to find only a single body inside the building, which was identified as that of the well-known revolutionist, Tehernoff, head of the central committee of social revolutionists, who, with a comrade named Siderkin, fired 80 rounds of ammunition from Mauser rifles.

Tehernoff killed himself with the last round. Siderkin was captured, having been seriously wounded.

The Government casualties were two killed and five wounded.

Runaway Boys Suffer.

Washington, Dec. 28.—After ten hours' exposure to a snowstorm in their bare feet, and with scant clothing, four boys who escaped from the reform school at Morganzea, were found half frozen, under a corn crib ten miles from Morganzea.

Assaulted and Robbed.

Belleville, Dec. 28.—Word has been received here of a daring burglary at Stocko; where the residence of Andrew Canniff was broken into and Mr. Canniff beaten into insensibility and robbed of $2.

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Running Athletics Hockey

PETERBORO' JUNIOR O.H.A. TEAM HAS SOME VERY PROMISING YOUNGSTERS

The junior team that has been selected for to-night's practice will in all probability represent the Peterborough Hockey Club in the junior O.H.A. game at Whitby on Friday, although of course the line-up is liable to be changed if the management see fit to make any substitutions. The seven selected, however, should give any opponents that they may be stacked up against, a lively battle. Len Giroux, who has been selected as goal keeper, guarded the nets for the Rough Riders last year, and gives promise of developing into a most useful player. He is quick and reliable and should be of great strength to the team. In front of him will be Fox and Wade of last year's Karnots. Both are husky hard working youngsters who check hard and who are capable of making occasional dashes that should make things interesting for their opponents. Charlie Ray who it is altogether likely will be found with the intermediates will play rover for the first couple of games. He is playing with the Strathconas last season was one of the features of the City League, and he should prove a king pin of what on paper looks to be a speedy forward line. Cyril Giroux, who has been slated for centre is a well built and aggressive player, who possesses that faculty of boring in all the time that will make him a dangerous opponent. Ken Pentland at right wing was one of the stars of the High Lifes' City League team last season, and will undoubtedly prove himself worthy of a place on the junior O. H.A. line-up. Hillier on the other wing was with the Knockers last year. He is a speedy skater, carries the puck well and will no doubt nick in with the other forwards. The team is an untried combination but it looks reasonably strong and with earnest practice this week will give Whitby a hard go on their own little rink.

EDMONTON AND WANDERERS PLAY FIRST STANLEY CUP GAME TO-NIGHT

Great interest is being taken in Peterborough in the Stanley Cup series, between Edmonton and the Wanderers, the first game of which will take place to-night. The general feeling in Peterborough seems to be that Fred Whitcroft's bunch of stars have a royal chance of beating the Wanderers, but others seem inclined to believe that the team work of the defenders will prove too much for the challengers. To-night's game should pretty clearly indicate the relative merits of the two teams. The following line-ups and officials have been announced for the first contest to-night:

Wanderers.	Edmonton
Goal.	
Hern	Lindsay
Point.	
Ross	Patrick
Cover point.	
Smaill	Pitre
Rover.	
Gloss	Whitcroft
Forwards.	
Gardner	Phillips
Smith	Miller
Johnson	MacNamara

Referee—Russell Bowie.
Judge of play—Chauncey Kirby.

CITY LEAGUE SCHEDULE TO BE DRAWN UP TO-NIGHT

The schedule for the senior City League will be drawn up this evening at a meeting to be held in the Y.M.C.A. at which all clubs intending to play this season are asked to be represented. Teams who are not represented and who have not paid their $20 deposit will not be included in the schedule. The League this year will be made up of the Strathconas, Belmonts, T.A.S., West Ends, Roughs Riders and Lakefields. Another important matter that will come up to-night is the election of a secretary-treasurer to succeed Mr. B T Huston, who has been forced to resign the office owing to his departure from the city.

ARTHUR BURN FAILED TO SHOW ANY CLASS IN THIS RACE

Calgary, Dec. 26—The Herald's annual road race, 6 1-3 miles, was run yesterday in the face of a bad dust storm. Thirteen started, but the conditions caused several to drop out. Mecklenburg won easily in 36.48 1-2. Jas. Fitzgerald of Edmonton, finished a strong second. Art Burn, who took the trophy twice previously, was badly out of condition, and did not figure prominently.

JOHNSTON FIRST COLORED HEAVYWEIGHT CHAMPION

Jack Johnson, the new heavyweight champion, and the only coloured man that ever held the championship, hails from Galveston, Texas, where he was born in March, 1878. He is big and rangy, and as quick as the proverbial cat in his movements. He is considered to be the showiest boxer since the days of Jas. J. Corbett, and his hitting power was demonstrated in his fight with Burns to be great. Johnson stands 6 feet, 2 inches. Johnson began his ring career in 1901, and has lost but two battles—one to Marvin Hart in twenty rounds, and the other to Joe Jeanette at Philadelphia on a foul. The most notable man he ever met before Burns was "Bob" Fitzsimmons whom he smothered in two rounds at Philadelphia This, however, was in 1907, when Fitzsimmons was but a shadow of his former self.

THE HOCKEY PRACTICE TO-NIGHT

Juniors Especially are Urged to be Out in Preparation for Whitby Game.

The members of the Peterborough junior O.H.A. team are especially requested to be present at to-night's practice of the intermediate and junior players inasmuch as the juniors have their first O.H.A. game in Whitby on New Year's night. Whitby have a fast team of Juniors and are a bad combination on their own ice, so that the local youngsters will have to be in the best possible shape for their game this week. A practice game will be played to-night between the following teams:

Intermediates.	Juniors.
Goal	
Derocher	Len Giroux
Point	
Glover	Fox
Cover	
Parnell	Wade
Forwards.	
Moore	Ray
Rose	Cyril Giroux
Dusty	Pentland
Weatherstone	Hillier
Seymour	

SCHEDULE FOR BOWLING LEAGUE THIS WEEK

Some Interesting Games are Billed for The Coming Week.

Some interesting games are promises in the Peterborough Bowling League at the P. B. C. alleys this week and the standing may be pretty well shaken up before the end of the week. There are three games postponed from last week which will have to be pulled off this week.

These fixtures are the B A C Migets. Grays, Frontenacs and Examiner A-Examiner B games. Following is the schedule for the week—

Monday—B A C—Belmonts.
Tuesday—Hams—Midgets
Wednesday—Bankers—Iroquois
Thursday—Grays—Exam B
Friday—Lock Works—Exam A
Saturday—Frontenacs—Pacifics

SPORTING ANNUAL IS COMPLETE

Sporting Editor Andrews Issues His List of Records Complete up to This Month.

T. B. Andrews, of Milwaukee, Wis., sporting editor of The Evening Wisconsin, has published his 1909 Sporting Annual Record Book, containing records of all the noted fighters, trotting, pacing, running, bowling, athletic, baseball, automobile, etc. The book contains many fine illustrations of the world's prominent fighters, and all the up-to-date records. It is now the leading Sporting Annual of the country. Copies can be had for 1½ cents by addressing the publisher.

ANOTHER PETERBORO BOY IN HOCKEY IN THE WEST

Mr Alf. Kemp, a Peterborough boy who went west a few years ago, and is now located in Edmonton, is another of the hockey enthusiasts in the western town who is in the limelight. He is one of those who are chiefly interested in the Edmonton Hockey Club which still has an amateur status. Many of its players practised with the Stanley Cup challengers. They are willing to turn "pro" if they can get other teams in the West to play with them.

ST. ANDREW'S TEAM AS IT WILL PRACTISE

The St. Andrew's Young Man's Guild Hockey team will practise to-night at Knox rink at 6.45. The following players are asked to be on hand, and any others wishing to turn out:—Russell Patterson, Norman Rae, Harry Rae, Geo. MacDonald, Frank Gillespie, Murray Miller, Elmer Curry, Wallace Flanagan, Ernest Reid, Harvey McCullough, Thos. Donaldson, Mort. Johnston, E. Dormer, Luther Sills, Arnold Stanton, Gordon Wright, Jack Logan, Jack Sharpe.

TOM BURNS MAY RETIRE A MAN OF WEALTH

Tommy Burns (or Noah Brusso, as his name really is), the defeated champion, was born June 17, 1881, at Hanover, Ontario. He is 5 feet, 7 inches in height, and stockily built. Burns began fighting in 1900, and in his numerous battles lost but four, one to Mike Schreck in ten rounds, one to Jack Sullivan in twenty rounds, one to Philadelphia Jack O'Brien in six rounds, and the recent fight with Johnson.

Burns is said to be wealthy, and the $30,000 purse he received last week will enable him to retire a wealthy man.

CITY HOCKEY LEAGUE NOTES

The Strathconas have signed Fred Roddy, the point player of the Charlotte street team, who were champions of the City League three years ago.

The T.A.S. had a good practice on Saturday night, and the Abstainers' teams in the junior and senior City League promise to be strong.

The Strathconas will practice tomorrow night between 7 and 8 o'clock, when the following men are asked to be out in uniform: Wilson, Dobson, Rossy, Fox, Barber, Dusty, Ray, Seymour, McMillan and Weatherstone.

Lakefield will be represented in the City League this season with about the same line-up that they had last year and they must not be overlooked. Some of those youngsters will be greatly improved this season and the team should be much stronger.

The West End City League team is somewhat of an unknown quantity, but it is said by those in the know, that the Jackson Park bunch will uncover a lively bunch of juniors when the League season opens.

The T.A.S. team have signed Ken Pentland, who played with the High Lifes in the City League last year. Pentland is a good forward, being a nice stick handler and fast skater, and he should prove a source of strength to the Abstainers.

Derocher and Meagher are the only members of last year's Strathconas who will not be with the High Commissioners this season. Derocher will guard the citadel for the T.A.S. this year and Meagher is not expected to play the game this season.

ORIENTAL HOTEL WILL GET RETURNS OF GAME

Will Have Complete Bulletin Service of Edmonton-Wanderers Game.

The Oriental Hotel, with its customary enterprise, has arranged for a complete bulletin service in connection with the Stanley Cup game at Montreal to-night, between Edmonton and Wanderers. The game is creating much interest in Peterborough, on account of the number of Peterborough boys who are connected with the challengers' team, and no doubt a big crowd will avail themselves of the opportunity to follow the game by means of the Oriental bulletin service. As each goal is scored it will be bulletined.

HOCKEY

The Belmont Hockey Club met yesterday and appointed Mr. Robert Hall, manager. Mr. Bert Rose is the sec.-treasurer.

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The Lindsay Intermediate O. H. A. team have fixed a list of their players with the O. H. A. secretary. On looking over the list it is seen that the only new player of much prominence is Reg. Blomfield, the former Lakefield boy and the old Argonaut forward. Blomfield is fast and will be a welcome addition to the Sougog line-up. Of last year's team Lindsay have Newton, goal; Koyl, point; Sullivan, cover-point; Stoddard, rover and Taylor, centre. The absentees being Cote and Randall, the two wings, the latter of which is with the Guelph pros.

Following is Lindsay's list of players:—

Kenneth Lane, Kenneth Randall, W E Stoddard, B. N. Sylvester, A Lyon Koyl, Byron Green, Joe Killen, J A Duck, Harry McConnell, Fred A. Taylor, C H. Sullivan, Basil R. Newton.

WRESTLING.

Hamilton, Dec. 26—A crowd of about 500 saw the wrestling and boxing tournament last night at the Armoury rink. The feature was to have been a wrestling match between Chrysler and Roehm, of Buffalo, but after eight minutes Roehm quit. They had agreed that only punching should be barred, but Chrysler gave Roehm several short-arm jabs which he objected to. Referee Hayes ordered him to go on, and Chrysler offered to cut out the objectionable tactics, but Roehm refused to go back, and Chrysler was given the decision. Charlie Conkle went on for a three-round boxing match with Bert Ten Eyck, which resulted in a draw. A Buffalo man, who was expected to meet Ten Eyck failed to show up. The three-round boxing match between Cox, National A. C., and Watt, Victoria A. C., also resulted in a draw.

CURLING.

A recent dispatch from London states that the Canadian curlers will play the London Caledonians at the Princess Skating Rink on February 11th, a date which synchronises with the passing of the Canadians through London to take part in the international bonspiel in Switzerland. Mr. R. M. Waddell, of the Peterborough Club, will be with the Canadian curlers.

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The ice Saturday night at the curling rink was very good and the following games were played—

Moore, skip 12	Foote, skip 13
Hall, skip 12	Webb, skip 10
Hicks, Skip 12	Tandi, skip 13

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The ice at the Charlotte street rink is almost uniformly good. Mr MacIntosh having seven good rinks and the fun is spreading. The personnel of the rinks will soon be selected by the skips and the games will be under way for the season.

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One of the interesting games played at the curling rink on Saturday was between Harry Foote and Archie Moore's rinks. The score was close all the way finally resulting 13-11 in favour of Mr Foote. A point claimed to have been made by Mr Moore would have evened up but the score was announced as above.

CHAMPIONS OF THE WORLD

1872—Jem Mace and E. Coburn fought a draw for $2,500 a side.

1885—Jem Smith beat Jack Davis for $50 aside.

1886—Smith and Greenfield, a draw, for $3,000.

1887—Smith and Jake Kilrain, a draw, for $10,000, in France.

1888—Sullivan and Mitchell, a draw, 30 rounds, France.

1889—Sullivan beat Kilrain, $10,000 a side, New Orleans.

1889—Smith and Frank Slavin, a draw, $2,500, championship of England.

1891—Fitzsimmons beat Dempsey, middleweight championship, 13 rounds, New Orleans.

1891—Corbett and Jackson, 61 rounds, draw, San Francisco.

1892—Corbett beat Sullivan, 21 rounds.

1894—Corbett beat Mitchell, 3 rounds.

1896—Fitzsimmons beat Maher, 1 round.

1897—Fitzsimmons beat Corbett, 14 rounds.

1899—Jeffries beat Fitzsimmons, 11 rounds.

1899—Jeffries beat Sharkey, 25 rounds.

1902 — Jeffries beat Fitzsimmons, 8 rounds.

1903—Jeffries beat Corbett, 10 rounds.

1903—Jeffries beat Munroe, 2 rounds.

1905—Jeffries retired and gave his title to the winner of the Hart-Root fight, which was Hart, 12 rounds.

1906—Burns beat Hart, 10 rounds.

1906—Burns drew with O'Brien, 20 rounds.

1907—Burns beat Squires, 1 round.

1907—Burns beat Moir, 10 rounds.

1908—Burns beat Palmer, 4 rounds.

1908—Burns beat Roche, 1 round.

1908—Burns beat Smith, 5 rounds.

1908—Burns beat Squires, 4 rounds.

1908—Burns beat Squires, 13 rounds.

1908—Burns beat Lang, 4 rounds.

1908—Johnson beat Burns, 14 rounds.

Bloodshed at Church Festival.

Gallipolis, Ohio, Dec. 28.—A bloody fight took place in the Baptist church at Bidwell at a Christmas entertainment. Panic-stricken men, women and children jumped from the windows and many narrowly escaped serious injury. The trouble started when Harrison Pounds, colored, of Vinton, pulled a pistol and shot Alfred E. McDaniel of Nelsonville, Ohio, three times. McDaniel stabbed Pounds several times with a knife. Both men are in a critical condition.

Robbers Torture Farmer.

Toledo, O., Dec. 28.—By burning his feet with lighted matches, two masked robbers on Friday compelled H. A. Schabew of Curtice, O., to open a safe in his farmhouse and turn over $180. After tieing their victim to his bed and placing a gag in his mouth, the bandits went to the barn, stealing a horse and buggy and escaped. A posse is in pursuit.

Germany Willing.

London, Dec. 28.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—Le Liberte, referring to Hon. Mr. Fielding's visit to Paris, says that Germany is watching the outcome of the hitch and will be only too glad to take the place of France with a German-Canadian commercial treaty.

Plot Against Wilbur Wright.

Demane, France, Dec. 28.—Just before making a flight on Saturday Wilbur Wright, the American aeroplanist, discovered that some one had filled the oil box of his aeroplane with gasoline. The discovery probably prevented a serious accident.

Amateur Cracksmen Foiled.

Neepawa, Man., Dec. 28.—Amateur cracksmen broke open two blacksmith shops and then broke into Crawford & Co.'s store, and with stolen tools made an apparently unsuccessful attempt on the safes.

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Hold-Up at Woodstock.

Woodstock, Dec. 28.—The police are working on a sensational case. Roy Ingles, a young man employed in the Thomas Organ Factory, was held up on Queen street Friday night by five men and robbed of $50.

They bound him and under threats sent him to Henry Craig, cooper, with a note which demanded $1,000 to be sent by the bearer under pain of having himself and his property burnt up.

So far the police have made no arrests, but developments are looked for. This is the second note of the kind that Mr. Craig has got.

Shoots Sister and Self.

Cincinnati, Dec. 28.—James Leary, a brakeman on the Cincinnati Southern Railroad, shot and killed his sister, Mrs. Lydia Dillon, at a family reunion at his father's home in Mount Zion Village, Kentucky.

After firing all the bullets in his pistol into the body of the woman, Leary walked into a store several blocks away, bought additional cartridges and returned. He went into the parlor where lay the body of his dead sister and killed himself. She had reproved him for drinking.

Juvenile Shoplifters.

New York, Dec. 28.—An unusual case of shoplifting developed in one of the big departmental stores on Saturday, when three little girls, the oldest 13 and the youngest eight years of age, were arrested by the store detective, charged with stealing goods valued at about $40.

The list of stuff included three teddy bears, seven dolls, a doll's dress, two veils, a set of dishes, rings, child's boots, a pistol and a sewing-box.

Shooting Was Fatal.

Cuthbert, Ga., Dec. 28.—Chas. Worrell, a member of Mercer law class, and son of Judge Worrell, Saturday afternoon killed Will Lew[illegible] negro, in a shooting affray here.

Alex. Glenn, another negro, was killed, the latter by Alex. Bridges, white.

The double shooting threw the negroes into a state of excitement and a general outbreak between the races is feared by some as a result of the trouble.

A Mountain Tragedy.

Chillicoate, W. Va., Dec. 28.—Edmund A. Williams, 41 years old, a typical mountaineer, was found guilty of murder in the first degree for shooting Beno Swiger, 74 years old, who was a guest in the Williams' home.

The defence was that Swiger had given one of the Williams' children so much whisky that the little girl became intoxicated.

The Lemieux Act.

Ottawa, Dec. 28.—Prof. Shortt, civil service commissioner, goes to Atlantic City this week, where he will address the legislation committee of the American Federation of Labor on the working of the Lemieux Act. The labor organizations of the United States are at the present time taking a good deal of interest in the working of the Canadian law.

Crazy Man's Crime.

Nicholasville, Ky., Dec. 28.—Becoming suddenly insane, Mat Young shot and killed his uncle, Deputy Jailer Logan Young, and seriously wounded Deputy Sheriff George C. Holloway. Young and Holloway had been sent to take Young into court for a lunacy hearing. The crazed man then escaped on horseback, heavily armed.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE

CANADIAN PACIFIC

Going East	Leave Peterborough
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal, Kingston	11.55 a m
For Indian River, Norwood, Havelock, Tweed	7.51 p m
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	12.31 a m
Going West	**Leave Peterborough**
For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	6.36 a m
For Burketon, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	7.05 a m
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points	4.35 p m

GRAND TRUNK.

	Arrive Depot
Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Gravenhurst, North Bay, Sturgeon Falls and Toronto	11.40 a.m. 9.35 a.m 9.30 p.m. 11.45 a.m
Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	9.30 a.m. 9.05 p.m. 9.30 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Toronto and Montreal and East	6.30 p.m 11.05 a.m 8.40 a.m. 9.05 p.m
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Lindsay Local	9.15 a.m. 5.30 p.m
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	9.30 a.m. 9.00 a.m 5.30 p.m. 1.40 p.m
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TOWN TOPICS

PROBS—West to south west winds fair to-day and on Tuesday. Tuesday Dec. 29th, higher temperature.

Bachelors' Dance

—The Bachelors of Peterborough will hold a dance in the Conservatory of Music Hall to-night.

Central Charity Board

—There will be a meeting of the Central Charity Board this evening at the City Clerk's office.

800 Puddings

Six hundred Christmas puddings from England arrived at Saskatoon Post Office, on one of the days previous to the holiday.

Choir Practice

The members of All Saints Choir will practice at the residence of Mrs. Dawson, 539 Bonaccord street, on Thursday, evening. All the members are expected to be present.

Piano Tuning

Piano tuning promptly attended to. Satisfaction guaranteed. A. F. Hoover, 122 McDonel street. 'Phones — Bell 199k, Mach. 198.

Back to the Woods

—Ten men were driven to the north country this morning by Mr. Gibbs to enter the employ of the Cavandish Lumber Co.

Particular

—If you are particular about the way your clothes look, send them to "My Valet," 204 Charlotte street, and and have them cleaned, dyed, repaired and dpressed. All particular people do.

Wires Broken

—The high wind last night broke one of the wires in the fire alarm circuit in the north ward. Chief Howard was out this morning looking for the leak

Salvation Army Will Serenade

—The Salvation Army Band are serenading all this week and the Song Brigade will also be around, going from house to house. Adj. Sheard, of Toronto, will preach at the Barracks next Sunday.

St. John's Night

—The annual installation of officers and banquet of Peterborough and Corinthian Lodges A. F. and A. M. will take place to-night This important function is invariably fixed for St John's night.

Passed the Examination

—Mr D. A Ross, 58 McDonel st., electrician, has received word from the Government Board of Engineers that he has passed the Stationary Engineers' Examination, and will receive his certificate for the same.

Your Piano in Tune

—The change of season effects pianos as well as everything else Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 32 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. MacDonald's drug stor

Poultry Association

—There will be an important meeting of the Peterborough Poultry Association in the Bank of Montreal Chambers to-morrow, (Tuesday,) night. Every member is expected to be present, as business of importance is to come up for discussion.

NEW YEARS NEAR

We mention a few of the Xmas necessities which we now have in stock. Table Raisins, Pulled Figs, Fresh Figs, Fresh Shelled Nuts, Golden Dates, Grape Fruit, California, Florida and Mexican Oranges, and the very best new Nuts. Also "Sealshipt" Oysters. S. A. OKE
376 George St.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

THE EXAMINER welcomes all Items of Interest for this column. Phone 234 or send post card with name and address.

Miss Annie McFadden is visiting friends in Chicago.

Miss Ada Minns, Toronto, is the guest of Miss Ola Cavanah.

Miss Acton, Toronto is the guest of the Misses Irwin, East City.

Mr. E S Clarry spent Christmas with his parents in Millbrook

Miss Olive Sheppard, Toronto, is visiting with Miss Muriel Rogers, City.

Miss Evyln Carey of Toronto is visiting Mrs. A. Campbell, George st.

Mr. Al. Speneeley, of Ottawa, is spending a week at his home in this city.

Miss Ada Minnns, of Toronto, is the guest of Miss Ola Cavanagh, London street.

Miss Olive Shepard, of Toronto, is the guest of Miss Rogers, George street.

Mr. Wilfred Cox, of Toronto, is the guest of Mr. Harry Hall, George street.

Miss Rosie Heintzman of Toronto, is in the city, the guest of Miss Alberta Gooding.

Miss Della Carey spent the Christmas holidays with her parents in Omemee.

Misses Lottie and Ethel McIlmoyle, street, are spending the holidays in Toronto.

Driver Sheppins of A Battery R C H A is the guest of his parents until Jan. 9th.

Mr. Gordon Cox, of Toronto, is the guest of Mr. Keith Lech, 416 Stewart street.

Miss Ione Heintzman, of Toronto, is the guest of Miss Alberta Gooding at "Strathmond."

Mr. Chas. Watson, of Toronto is visiting his sister Mrs. Archy Campbell, 436 George st.

Mr. L E Hand, of the Campbellford branch of the Standard Bank, was in the city to-day.

Mr. Will Harper, of the Gananoque branch of the Bank of Toronto, was home for Christmas.

Mr. W E Millhouse has returned after spending the holidays at his home in Shelbourne.

Mr David Drake left for Hamilton this morning having spent Christmas under the parental roof.

Mr. Frank Kennedy returned to Toronto this morning after spending the holiday with his parents

Mr. Gordon Cummings, of the Ottawa branch of the Bank of Ottawa, spent Christmas at his home in this city.

Mr. G H Clarke, of the Bank of Commerce, Peterborough, spent Christmas in town.—Lindsay Free Press.

Mr. Robt. Todd, of Toronto, was home for Christmas, the guest of his father, Mr. R. J. Todd, Aylmer street.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Campbell, Bailieboro, were guests of their son, W. S. Campbell, 511 King street, for Christmas.

Misses Sarah and L. Richards, of Belleville, returned to-day after spending the holidays with Mrs. S R Armstrong.

Miss Lottie Whitcroft left Saturday for Montreal, where she will be the guest of her brother at the Hotel Corona for the Stanley Cup Series.

Rev. Father Hurley, St. Michael's College, Toronto, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T Hurley, Hunter street.

Mr. B T. Huston, late city editor of the Examiner, left this morning for Toronto, to take the position of editor of the Canadian Grocer.

Mr. W S Kenner, of Pierson, Man., is visiting at the home of his parents, 209 London street. He is accompanied by his daughter, Kathleen.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cowland of Hamilton, spent the Christmas holiday in the city the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Campbell, King st.

Mrs A F. Choate, of Warsaw, and Mrs J R Donnell, left to-day for Pittsburg, Pa., to spend a couple of weeks the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. F Choate.

Mr and Mrs. Martin Whaley, of Caledonia, Ont., and Miss McKnight, Sherbourne street, Toronto, are at present in the city on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Carver.

Mr. and Mrs. R B Pearson, of Peterborough, spent the holiday in town.....Mr. and Mrs. John McCabe, of Peterborough, were visiting relatives in town to-day.....Miss Kate Milne, of Peterborough, is spending Christmas in town with her parents ,Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Milne.....Mr. John Kylie, of Peterborough, visited Lindsay relatives on Christmas Day.....Miss M Hurley, of Peterborough, spent the holiday with Lindsay relatives.....Mrs. F R J Macpherson and children, of Peterborough, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ald. McGeough.—Lindsay Post.

PROMINENT ELECTORS MEET TO CONSIDER CANDIDATES

Conference Held in the Interest of Nominating Good Aldermanic Candidates.

A meeting of about forty of the prominent electors of the city was held on Saturday evening to consider the nominations in the interests of the city of aldermanic candidates and to deal with the rumoured intention of Aldermen Morrow and Neill to retire from municipal life at the close of the present term. They were urged to consent to allow their names to be placed in nomination.

The meeting though held rather late in the day thoroughly canvassed the situation and decided upon a course of action, which it is hoped will result favourably to the representative interests of the city.

OBITUARY.

MELVILLE E. HERRON

The death occurred yesterday morning of Mr. Melville E. Herron, a very well known and highly respected resident of Cavan Township, near Springville. The deceased, who was twenty-six years of age, had a large circle of friends in Peterborough, where he resided for some years. He attended the Peterborough Business College, under the late William Pringle, and after graduating from that institution was employed for some time in the Kingan Hardware Company. Later he was in the employ of the Lindsay branch of the Metropolitan Life Assurance Company. About two years ago he was taken ill and he has been an invalid ever since, growing steadily worse, until death came yesterday morning. He was a bright and promising young man and his many friends in the district will regret to learn of his demise. He was the son of Mr J. J. Herron, lot 20, con. 11, Cavan, and is survived by two brothers, Messrs. Bruce, of the North-west, and Lloyd, at home, and two sisters, Mrs. W. H. Robertson, of South Monaghan, and Mrs. Lindsay Vance living in the Northwest.

The funeral will take place to-morrow at one o'clock to the Union Cemetery at Fraserville.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

There are a few people yet who have not paid their accounts to us and as our terms are cash, we will thank parties to remit or call and pay at once, as we do no twant 1908 accounts to go into 1909. If anyone has any accounts against us we will thank them to present same at once or before the end of this year when same will be paid. Respectfully
J.J. TURNES & SONS Yours
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ST. PAUL'S CHURCH CHOIR EMPLOYS SANTA CLAUS

Mr. John Crane, Choirmaster, Handsomely Remembered.

Santa Claus has honoured a draft on the bank of Peace and Good Will with happy results. On Christmas Eve the choir of St. Paul's church as a suitable expression of their feelings towards their, we may almost say, veteran choir leader, Mr. John Crane, by acding with their compliments and good wishes to his residence a handsome suit case. There's harmony in that choir in a double sense.

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Twenty dollars fine and bound over to keep the peace was the imposition Magistrate Dumble placed upon a young man who assaulted Elton York on the day before Christmas. York is a bartender at one of the local hotels and was deliberately struck by the other man, who was under the influence of liquor. A brawl resulted in which the defendant bit one of York's fingers and both men were cut and bruised.

PRESENTATION MADE TO THEIR SUPERINTENDENT

Mr. Alf. Johnstone Honoured by the Pupils of Bethany Tabernacle Sunday School.

At the close of the Sunday School exercises in Bethany Tabernacle, Mr Alf. Johnston, the superintendent of the Sunday School was agreeably surprised by the presentation to him of a beautifully upholstered Foster chair from the members of the Sunday school, accompanied by the following address:

Dear Mr. Johnston:— Will you please accept this chair as a slight expression of the esteem and respect with which you are regarded by us and as an acknowledgement in some part of our appreciation of your services as our superintendent. We thank you for your faithful attendance and the pains you have taken in instructing us in that knowledge which only is able to make us wise unto salvation and hope that when as scholars and teachers days and years are over on earth, we will again all assemble in that happy land around the Throne abovem singing 'Praise Him Who is Worthy."

Signed on behalf of the school.
WM CURTIS
W H STOCK
THEO THORNTON
HAM. GODFREY

Mr. Johnston made a suitable speech in reply thanking the members of the school for their kindness.

THE CANADIAN ALMANAC FOR NEXT YEAR IS OUT

It is a Little Library in Itself and Contains Much Important Information

Constant as Christmas comes the Canadian Almanac, that stalwart and sterling veteran of Canadian publications. The number which the Copp-Clark Company has placed on the Examiner's table is numbered the sixty-second, its life having extended over the space of two generations. All that need be said in praise of this year's Canadian Almanac, to anyone that has ever seen or used one, is that it is as complete as ever in its contents embracing every subject of current Canadian interest, upon which a work of reference needs to be consulted. In addition to the standard features of information this year's number contains the text of the Franco-Canadian treaty and the latest addition to titled Canadians. To show how the information is brought up to the present date, the book contains a complete list of the members of the Dominion Parliament elected the 26th of October last. In a word it is almost easier to tell what the Canadian Almanac for 1909 does not contain than to specify the fullness and completeness of information that packs its nearly 500 pages of close printed matter. The Canadian Almanac is a little library in itself. Price 50 cents at all the bookstores. Toronto Copp-Clark Company.

INTERESTING EVENT AT ST. ANDREW'S TO-NIGHT

Mr. Kennedy, Missionary for three years in Persia, will give an address on his work in St. Andrews Lecture Hall to-night. The lecture will be illustrated with lime-light views. Everybody is welcome. Offering for the work in Persia.

Card From Ald. Phelan

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

Having been again honoured with nomination for alderman, I have accepted the same at the solicitation of a larges number of influential ratepayers.

My record in the Council in the past is well known to all, and if again honoured with your confidence, I will endeavour to render efficient service. Such good business judgment as may have qualified me for being of service to the City, will be used to the best of my ability.

Wishing you all the compliments of the season,

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HARRY PHELAN

Card From Mr. Duffus

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

I have accepted nomination for Alderman at the request of numerous influential ratepayers of the City. If elected, I promise to give diligent attention to the duties of the office. Being a heavy taxpayer and having a good knowledge of City affairs, I feel that I should be of assistance in safeguarding the public interests; and I promise, if elected, to do all that careful judgment can do to promote the welfare of our progressive city.

JOSEPH J. DUFFUS

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Card of Thanks

To the Ratepayers of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

I take this opportunity of returning my sincere thanks for the confidence you have reposed in me, as expressed in my re-election by acclamation for a second term as your Mayor.

I have the honour to remain,
Your obedient servant
H. RUSH

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Board of Education

To the Ratepayers of the City

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

I am again a candidate for election as one of your representatives on the Board of Education of the City. By your kind favour I have been one of the members for thirteen years, and I trust that my services have been such as to merit a renewal of your confidence.

Respectfully,
ROBERT FAIR

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Superior quality Kid, principally Black and White, in sizes 5¾, 6, 6¼ ; formerly $1.00 to $1.50 per pair

CHILDREN'S HANDKERCHIEFS to clear, 12 for **20c**
Coloured, Bordered and Picture Handkerchiefs, formerly 3c each

MEN'S LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS to clear, each **10c**
Large size, pure linen hemmed Handkerchiefs, formerly 15c each

MEN'S LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS to clear, each **12½c**
Full size, pure linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs, formerly 18c each

CHIFFON AUTO SCARFS to clear at each ... **35c**
Full size, Silk Chiffon Scarfs ; Colours Tuscan, Cardinal and Reseda Green, formerly 75c

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Brother Murders Brother

Hawkesbury Syrian is Slain After Quarrel Over Money.

GIRL IS FATALLY WOUNDED

Because His Brother Would Not Lend Him Funds With Which to Start In Business Salem Assaly, a Peddler, Kills Him and Then Turns Revolver on Cousin—The Murderer Escapes in Confusion.

Hawkesbury, Dec. 29.—J. M. Assaly, merchant, of this town, was fatally shot here last night about 6.30 by his brother, Salem Assaly.

The murderer then turned the revolver on a lady, who was a cousin of both, and fired one shot at her, which took effect at the base of her brain.

Both victims are still living, but the doctors hold no hope of recovery.

J. M. Assaly, one of the victims, had been a resident of this town for the past five years, and was a model citizen. The lady, who was shot, was only recently from Syria. The three lived in a house on Regent street.

Salem Assaly has been peddling goods, which, he obtained from his brother, and for some time has worried the latter for money to start a business for himself. The refusal led to frequent quarrels.

Salem again last night demanded money as the three sat at the table, and being refused, jumped up, drew a revolver and shot both.

In the confusion Salem Assaly escaped, but it is thought he will be captured.

Grain Shipments.

Ottawa, Dec. 29.—The Trade and Commerce Department states that of the crop of 1908 there were shipped from Port Arthur and Fort William up to the close of navigation on Dec. 12: 43,835,598 bushels of grain, as compared with 23,482,497 in the corresponding period of last year. Wheat shipments amounted to 36,017,483 bushels, as against 20,545,850; oats, 5,953,201, as against 2,040,620; barley, 1,460,864, as against 578,523; and flax, 517,913, as against 317,493 bushels.

Of the season's wheat output from Fort William and Port Arthur, 563,374 bushels were carried in Canadian vessels and 12,418,109 in foreign vessels to United States points.

Canadian vessels also carried 1,186,196 bushels of wheat to Buffalo, so that in all 13,604,605 bushels of Canadian wheat, or a total of 16,286,157 bushels of grain, found their way to export points via United States route.

Future of Labor.

New York, Dec. 29.—"In the future, labor is to rise still higher. The joint stock form opens the door to the participation of labor as shareholder in every branch of business. In this, the writer believes, lies the final and enduring solution of the labor question. Nothing can stand against the direct management of owners. We are only pioneers whose duty is to start the movement, leaving to our successors its full and free development as human society advances."

These are striking statements found in an article by Andrew Carnegie in the January number of The World's Work. The article is taken from Mr. Carnegie's new book, "Problems of To-Day."

Yellow Syndicate.

Paris, Dec. 29.—The investigation by the police into the Mattis incident—Mattis is the unemployed waiter who on Christmas Day waylaid President Fallieres on the street of Paris and made an attempt to pull his beard—has revealed Mattis' relations with the "yellow syndicate," a royalist organisation, and as a result the police Sunday sealed up the offices of the newspaper published by the organisation, with the intention of making a thorough search of the premises.

The editor of the paper is Pierre Bietry, a deputy from Finisterre. Sunday night he defied the orders of the police and broke into his office.

Longboat is Married.

Toronto, Dec. 29.—At St. John's Anglican Church last night at seven o'clock Thomas Longboat was married to Miss Lauretta Maracle of Deseronto. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. H. Creegan, the rector in charge of the Indian Reserve at Deseronto.

As no announcement was made of the church in which the marriage would take place the wedding was a very quiet one. Miss Essie Clause of Albany, N.Y., was the bridesmaid, and Thomas Flanagan, Longboat's manager, acted as best man, while the bride was given away by her brother, Albert Maracle of the reserve.

Representatives Are Nominated

Electors of Ontario Municipalities Name Their Candidates.

THIRTY-SIX ACCLAMATIONS

Most of the Cities, Towns and Villages Throughout the Province Will See Good Contests — Ninety Places Will Vote on Local Option Measures — Bylaws Dealing With Others Things Are Few.

Municipal nominations were held throughout Ontario yesterday, the feature being the small number of elections by acclamation, candidates for the various offices being plentiful almost everywhere. There are not many important questions coming before the electors in the way of bylaws compared with last year, except that some ninety odd municipalities will vote on the local option question.

Following is a list of the mayors elected: D. McLachlin, Arnprior; C. Krug, Chesley; G. Sutherland, Ingersoll; A. Loerch, Listowel; W. S. Hall, L'Orignal; J. W. Horseley, Meaford; J. de W. Randall, Niagara; R. Rankin, North Bay; W. S. Davis, Oakville; C. Hopewell, Ottawa; H. Rush, Peterborough; I. Matthews, Port Arthur; M. Mullen, Preston; J. P. Henry, Ridgetown; W. Edwards, Rockland; J. E. Hayes, Seaforth; G. Geddes, St. Thomas; M. Sawtell, Woodstock.

The following reeves were elected by acclamation: H. C. Melin, Ayr; J. W. Gage, Barton; J. F. Dawson, Ernestown; J. A. French, Glanford; E. Meekley, Matilda; A. E. Baker, Merrickville; M. Ryan, Newburgh; E. Norman, Osprey; G. A. Wallace, Pilkington; J. H. Smith, Port Colborne; W. H. Pugsley, Richmond Hill; G. Telfer, South Dumfries; Dyoux, South Easthope; J. H. McKay, Tiverton; A. P. Potter, Tottenham; L. Boyce, Warkworth; W. Ronald, West Williams; J. J. Wilkinson, Woolwich.

Strathcona Will Stay.

Montreal, Dec. 29.—Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, who recently arrived from London, where he has been negotiating with the Imperial authorities on the cheap cable proposition, made an important statement touching the rumored retirement of Lord Strathcona from the High Commissionership last night.

There is, he declared, not a foundation for the many stories going the rounds of newspapers on both sides of the Atlantic regarding the retirement of Lord Strathcona. The Canadian High Commissioner, Mr. Lemieux stated, will, if he so desires, remain in London as the representative of the Dominion as long as there is breath in his body.

C.P.R. to Build to Gowganda.

Montreal, Dec. 29.—The Herald yesterday afternoon says: "It was learned yesterday on good authority that, although no actual decision had been arrived at, there is every probability of the C.P.R. building a railway to Gowganda, the new silver field towards which prospectors are being drawn from all parts.

"The C.P.R. is prepared, it is said, to construct the road without a subsidy, from its system at Sudbury, which would run in a north easterly direction into the heart of the new silver country by Gowganda, Miller and Estreit Lakes, Obushking and Hanging Stone, where thousands of stakes have been driven."

Mexican Power Conference.

Montreal, Dec. 29.—J. H. Plummer reached the city yesterday, and E. R. Wood, C. H. Cahan and F. S. Pearson, representing both sides of the Mexican Power Tramway's conference, are expected to-day.

There seems to be a somewhat more conciliatory feeling abroad, and it is doubtful now if the meeting will generate any spectacular display of fireworks.

There will be a conference of Mexican Power directors at the Bank of Montreal to-day, after which the situation will be more clearly defined.

The 'Frisco Relief Fund.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 29.—With a balance of $397,267 on hand, the relief corporation which had charge of the distribution of the fund donated to San Francisco during the time of the fire of 1906, will turn this money over to the various charitable organizations the first of the year.

During its existence the corporation distributed $9,553,149.

Crew Lost In Collision.

Newcastle, N.S.W., Dec. 29.—The British steamer Advance, a small coaster, and the British bark Iverna were in collision off here yesterday.

The Advance went down, and, with the exception of her first officer, all the members of her crew lost their lives. The Iverna put into Newcastle leaking badly.

Tailors on Strike.

Montreal, Dec. 29.—Operators, tailors and pressers, numbering some 25, and employed up to yesterday morning by A. Summer & Co., clothing manufacturers, have gone on strike as a protest against working with non-union hands.

Boy Shot by Companion.

Windsor, Dec. 29.—Gordon Little, seven years old, was accidentally shot by a companion who was handling a Flobert rifle. The bullet entered his eye and may cause death.

Frightful Disaster In Italy

Earthquake Kills Several Thousands in Southern Provinces.

MESSINA IS DEVASTATED

Two-Thirds of City Wiped Out by Worst Upheaval in Years — Huge Number of Dead Cannot Be Estimated—Inhabitants Are Flying From Stricken Places—Tidal Wave Works Havoc.

Rome, Dec. 29.—The three provinces of Cosenza, Catanzaro and Reggio di Calabria, comprising the department of Calabria, which forms the southwestern extremity of Italy, or "the toe of the boot," were devastated yesterday by an earthquake, the far-reaching effects of which were felt almost through the entire country.

The town of Messina, in Sicily, was partially destroyed, and Catania was inundated. In Messina hundreds of houses have fallen, and many persons have been killed.

The fate of entire regions within the zone of the earthquake is unknown, but reports received here up to a late hour last night indicate that the havoc has been great, and the destruction to life and property more terrible than Italy has experienced in many years. The uncertainty of the situation has filled all Italians with the deepest distress, for they still have fear that the day may come when that part of the country, which seems to have been most blessed by nature, will be destroyed by the blind forces of that same nature which nearly nineteen centuries ago overwhelmed Pompeii and Herculaneum.

All reports show that the present catastrophe embraces a larger area than the earthquake in 1905. The tidal wave which followed the earthshocks, on the eastern coast of Sicily sunk vessels and inundated the lower part of Catania. It is known that a number of people were killed in that place.

The Italian Government has proceeded energetically to concentrate at the points of greatest need troops and engineers. Members of the red cross were despatch to various places, and camps and provisions were immediately prepared, all available railway lines and warships being used for their transport.

The city of Messina has suffered probably more than any other place, the latest information coming indirectly from that quarter stating that two-thirds of the town was destroyed and several thousand persons killed.

The steamers Washington and Montebello, which were in the harbor later, proceeded to Catania, loaded with injured, who were so stupified by terror that they seemed unable to realize what had happened, simply saying that it looked as though the end of the world had come. Five steamers left Catania for Messina, to assist in removing the injured from that place, who are reported to number thousands.

At Catania, the panic-stricken people, fearing shocks, absolutely refused to re-enter their houses and are camping in the squares, which are free from water, and the surrounding country. The tidal wave sunk 500 boats there and did great damage to several large vessels and steamers, including the Austrian steamer Buda.

Not only did Catania suffer from the effects of a tidal wave, but a similar body of water inundated the handsome streets of Messina, which flank the harbor, covering them with a thick layer of mud, which rendered difficult the succoring of the wounded, many of whom could be seen lying under the wreckage. It is reported that the villages of Faro and Ganzirri, adjoining Messina, has disappeared. The effects of the earthquake were aggravated by fire from an explosion of gas, the flames of which swept along several of the streets, adding terror upon terror.

In Calabria, the region around Monteleone, was most affected. The village of Stefanaconi, the inhabitants of which number 2,300, was practically destroyed. Only five persons were killed, but many were injured. Mons. Morabito, the Bishop of Mileto, who distinguished himself in the earthquake of 1905, did valiant work again yesterday. He rushed into places where the ruin was the greatest and brought aid and encouragement to all.

Thousands of people abandoned their homes, although a terrific rainstorm prevailed, and filled the air with lamentations and prayers. In some places, such as Brizzo, Cotrone, Santa Severena and Piscopia, the people had the courage to enter the churches almost while they were falling and carrying out the saints. They bore these in procession through the open country, invoking the mercy of God.

In the mountainous regions inland the population has taken refuge in grottoes and caves, where peasants and priests, soldiers and persons of gentle birth are living in common. Their bed is the ground, and fires burn to keep off wild animals. In Albi alone there are 2,000 people homeless.

Cardinal Nava, Archbishop of Catania, exhorted the people to be calm. He promised that the body of St. Agatha should be carried around in procession. St. Agatha is regarded as the special deliverer from all scourges.

While the number of deaths at that place is not believed now to be large, there were several tragic occurrences. Among the children swept away by the tidal wave was a boy 15 months old, who was torn from the arms of his mother. The mother, too, was overcome by the force of the water and lost consciousness, but her body was caught by a raining and remained there until she was rescued.

Midnight reports state that Reggio, the capital of the Province of Reggio di Calabria, eight miles from Messina, on the opposite side of the strait, has met the same fate as Messina, but these reports have not been confirmed owing to the lack of telegraphic facilities.

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Back From Rome.

Ottawa, Dec. 29.—Dr. J. G. Rutherford, Dominion veterinarian, has arrived from Rome, where he was attending the international agricultural conference. He expresses himself as much pleased with the work done.

British Steamer Captured.

Hong Kong, Dec. 29.—The British steamer Tai-On was captured Sunday, by two Chinese cruisers.

The steamer several months ago ran down a junk and drowned a theatrical company which was on board.

Protests In P.E.I.

Halifax, Dec. 29.—Four election petitions have been filed in the courts of Prince Edward Island. The first petition is against the election of Hon. Jos. Reed, who was elected by the casting vote of the returning officer. Another is against the election of Murdock Kennedy, the only Conservative member returned in Queen's County. Others are a petition against the election of Hon. James Cummiskey and against the election of Matthew Smith as assemblyman on the usual charges of corrupt practices.

To Extend St. John Harbor.

St. John, N.B., Dec. 29.—Hon. William Pugsley, Minister of Public Works, has intimated to the city that if it and the C.P.R. will surrender to the Government control of certain property they own along the harbor front, the Government will at once begin dredging work along the lines of a further extension of the harbor facilities. The city is willing, and it is believed, the C.P.R. will be.

Waterworks Surplus.

Brantford, Dec. 29.—The Brantford waterworks system, at present the only municipally-owned public service of this city, declared the splendid surplus this year over and above payment of interest and sinking fund of $12,400.

The net earnings were $61,793.68, being $8,000 in excess of last year. This showing is the best yet.

Killed a Greaser.

San Diego, Cal., Dec. 29.—Wm. G. Morse is under arrest at Trinidad, Col., on a charge, it is said, of killing a Mexican. Morse, who is a son of Prof. S. F. B. Morse of telegraph fame, was a member of President-elect Taft's class at Yale.

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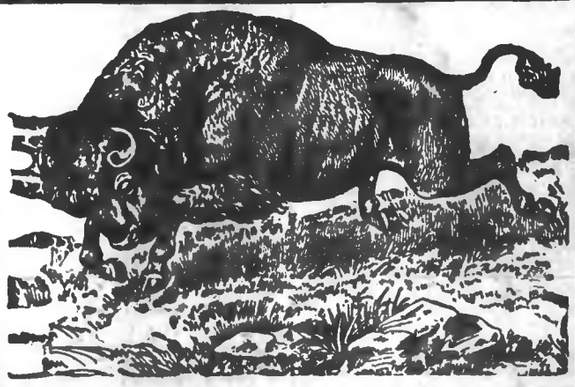

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When Elizabeth Came.

By CLARISSA MACKIE.

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"When the home is ready, Roger, send for me and I will come," Elizabeth Atwood had said when her lover bade her goodby.

Roger Blake had kissed her tenderly and gone into the western wilderness to make a home. He had little money, but strong hands and the sturdy ambition that overcomes stupendous obstacles.

In spite of these assets five years passed away before the Wyoming farm was declared to be in readiness for a mistress.

In the east Elizabeth taught school, sewed on her simple trousseau and enjoyed herself as a healthy, attractive girl cannot help doing. Every week she wrote a long letter to Roger.

One August day, when the five years had expired, Roger made a last tour of inspection about the ranch. On distant hill slopes his cattle grazed. Nearer home fields were undulating green seas of wheat and oats. Rustling cornfields spread away to the westward.

In the midst was the home lot, the low house surrounded by vine covered verandas, grassy lawn and thrifty young trees. Flowers and shrubs had been set out the first year with loving care.

The farm was paying at last. The poultry yards occupied a good acre. They were to be Elizabeth's special care. All the hard, drudgery work

SHE UTTERED A LITTLE CRY AND HASTILY THREW BACK HER VEIL.

had been done by Roger, and now the home was ready.

A month before he had sent Elisabeth $100. He had said he would expect her on the 10th of August and would meet her at the little station twenty miles distant.

This was the 10th of August, and Roger had not heard one word from his sweetheart. Nevertheless he harnessed the sorrel team to his buckboard and started forth to meet the 12:30 express from the east. Before they returned to the farm they would drive to the minister's and be married.

Roger whistled merrily as he rounded the sorrels before the lonely little station. The station master sauntered out and chatted about the weather and the crops.

There was a piercing shriek, and the express thundered along the platform. A couple of trunks were dumped from the baggage car, and a girl in brown alighted from one of the coaches. By the time Roger had reached her the express had pounded away into the west.

The girl's face was covered by a thick, brown veil, but it was Elizabeth without a doubt. Roger knew the straight, slim figure, with its almost boyish freedom of movement, and the curve of dark hair at the back as she turned her head.

"Elizabeth!" he cried exultantly as he grasped her hands in his.

"Yes," she answered quite coolly. "How do you do?"

"Fine," he said mechanically as he released her hands and fell into step beside her.

"You have a carriage here?" she questioned.

"Around on the other side. You are glad to get here, ain't you, Elizabeth? Or were you tired of waiting?" There was agonizing appeal in his blue eyes as they reached the buckboard and he assisted her to a seat.

"It was a long journey," she replied, with a puzzled glance at him. "I suppose *you* are one of the farm hands?"

"Elizabeth Atwood! Don't you know me—Roger?" He turned his cleanly shaved, sunburned face toward her.

She uttered a little cry and hastily threw back her veil. "Who do you think I am?" she gasped.

Roger Blake stared. It was the face of a stranger. Her eyes were soft and dark like those of his sweetheart, and her cheeks had the same oval framed in dusky hair. Save for these points of resemblance there was no likeness between the two girls. Elizabeth Atwood was very pretty, but the stranger was beautiful.

"I am afraid you are disappointed," she faltered at last. "I am Elizabeth Wood, and I have come to visit the Waylands, and I supposed you were one of Cousin Dick's pet cowboys. I thought it strange you should call me 'Elizabeth,' but I had resolved not to be surprised at anything out here," she laughed merrily, and Roger joined her with a faint heart.

"I came here expecting to meet a friend I hoped would be on your train," he admitted soberly. "Your appearance deceived me; you are much alike."

"I was the only passenger," she said sympathetically. "I hope your—your friend will come tomorrow. Where can my cousin's carriage be?"

They were sitting in the buckboard in front of the station, and the agent was trundling two trunks toward them.

"Seen a team from Wayland's?" asked Roger Blake.

"Nope. Want these on the wagon?"

"Too heavy. Wayland will send for them. If his outfit arrives tell them I've carried the young lady over to his place."

"I hope I'm not taking you out of your way," she protested. "I can wait. I sent a letter"—

"That's all right. I guess your letter went astray the same as the one I should have had. I've got plenty of time to spare," he added grimly. "I was going to be married this morning."

"Oh, I see. I am very sorry," she said sincerely. Then she maintained a sympathetic silence while Roger drove her over the long road across the prairie to the Wayland farm, which adjoined his own on the north.

"How long are you going to stay?" queried Roger just before their journey ended.

"Weeks or months perhaps. I have no near relatives and have been teaching school. My cousins have asked me to come here and enjoy a long rest. I hope your trip to the station tomorrow will be a more successful one—and thank you," she said, with a friendly smile, as they parted.

Ten days afterward Roger met her riding out of the canyon. Her face was prettily tanned, and her broad brimmed hat made an effective frame for her lovely face.

"May I congratulate you today?" she asked brightly.

Roger shook his head slowly, and for the first time she noted the tense, drawn look about his pleasant mouth and the misery of his haggard eyes.

"You have heard—I hope it is not bad news?" she said, with that frank friendliness he had found so attractive in her before.

He drew a letter from his pocket and extracted a newspaper clipping. "That's all the explanation I've had," he said bitterly.

"Married—to some one else—to James Farnham—how very strange!" she said in a low, agitated voice.

"Why is it strange? Do you know the man?" demanded Roger eagerly.

The girl's face whitened, and a look of distress came into her eyes.

"Don't tell me anything if it pains you," said Roger gently.

"I must. You see, I was engaged to him, and he jilted me for another girl. I didn't know her name until now. I couldn't stand it, and so I ran away, but now"— She paused and a dreamy contentment replaced the pain in her face.

"Now?"

"Of course he couldn't be worth being very sorry about, after all! And life is so good here—so clean and free. I love it."

"So do I," said Roger sincerely. "And about that other, I don't believe it is worthy of great sorrow. Shall we gallop?"

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Months afterward Elizabeth came to reign as mistress of Roger's home. But it was not Elizabeth Atwood.

It was that other Elizabeth who came to him in his great trouble and who, forgetting her own sorrow, sought to comfort him. And in the end each found a loyal, deep loving heart, and the home in the wilderness sheltered them as the man who builded it had dreamed.

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A CAT AND A CANARY.

They Went Away Separately, but Came Back Together.

A lady friend of mine, says an English writer, has as pets a canary and a cat. The two were the best of good friends, and when the bird's prison door was opened it would come out and perch on the cat's back while it trilled forth a song of gladness.

One day my friend left her two pets together, and on her return the bird was nowhere to be found. Pussy was curled up on a cushion, sleeping contentedly, and my friend jumped to the conclusion that the cat was answerable for the bird's disappearance, consequently she caught up the cat and, holding the supposed delinquent before the empty cage, beat it rather mercilessly. Poor pussy mewed piteously, but her relentless mistress put her outside and shut the door against her.

Next morning, feeling rather ashamed of her outburst, she made inquiries about the cat, but pussy was gone.

Some days later she heard a faint scratching at her window, and on opening the casement a cat crept in and laid a bedraggled canary at her feet. At first she did not recognize her pets in the two disreputable looking objects before her. When she did recognize them her delight was great.

Presumably the canary had gone out by the open window, and, finding liberty sweet, it had flown to a neighboring wood. How the cat found the bird and brought it back uninjured is a mystery.

DEATH VALLEY.

The Burning, Blasting Winds That Sweep This Arid Waste.

The prevailing winds in Death valley are from the west. Though originating in the Pacific ocean and saturated with humidity in traveling the intermediate distance, they are intercepted by the lofty peaks of four ranges of mountains, which absorb all of their moisture, so that by the time they reach the valley all humidity has disappeared. The blasts are as if heated in a fiery furnace, and no living thing can survive the intense heat. Even birds indigenous to the region die.

It is in the months of greatest heat that the sandstorms of Death valley are most deadly. They rage with intense fury, obliterating the landscape and dimming the light of the sun, withering the scanty vegetation and covering the trails deep in powdered dust. At all times the aspect of the valley is superlatively desolate. No spot on earth surpasses it in aridity or Tophet-like heat.

During the heated term an hour without water means death. Meat becomes putrid in an hour. Eggs are cooked in the blistering sand. Water is only palatable by means of large, porous, earthenware jars, common to all hot countries, suspended in drafts and reduced in temperature by means of the rapid evaporation of the moisture from the outside.

Wedding Ring Mottoes.

The custom of inscribing within the hoop of the betrothal or wedding ring a motto or "posy," as it was called, was formerly very prevalent. Hamlet asks, "Is this a prologue or the posy of a ring?" Some posies were very tender and beautiful. Among the more appropriate posies may be mentioned "Deux corps, un coeur," "My heart and I until I die" and "I am yours" from sixteenth century rings, "Love ever," "Love true, 'tis joy," and "Time lesseneth not my love" from the seventeenth century, "Love me," "My soul will keep thine company to heaven" and "En me fidelite je finirai ma vie" from the eighteenth. In the ring which "Florizel" (afterward George IV.) gave to the hapless Perdita were the words "Je change qu'en mourant—Unalterable to my Perdita through life."

Frenzied Financiering.

Columbus Washington Johnson Smith—W'at's de price er dem watermelons, Mr. Jackson?

Mr. Jackson (cunningly)—Ten cents erpiece and I picks 'em; 20 cents erpiece and you picks 'em, Mr. Smif.

Mr. Smith—All right, Mr. Jackson. I guesses I'll take 'em all, and you picks 'em, ef you please!—Puck.

What He Wanted.

"You are a poor young man?"

"I am."

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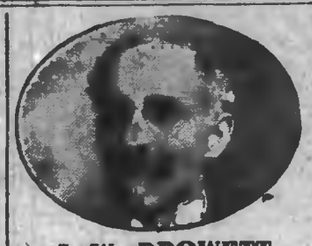
"Not at all. What I want is a rich, liberal wife."



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Chorus by school—"Men of the North."
Chairman's address.
Recitation—"A Tiny Tot," Stanley Mahood.
Recitation—"Naming the Baby," Jennie Paul.
Recitation—"Not a Candidate," Allie McGregor.
Song—Selected, Miss Alma Darling.
Recitation—"A Little Girl's Troubles," Mary Graham.
Recitation—"Back to Grandpa's," Geo. Tindle.
Recitation—"16," Irene Maitland.
Dialogue—"Brought to Trial For Blowin'."
Recitation—"The Dead Doll," Wilhelmine Archer.
Recitation—Ray Bell.
Recitation—Madeline Deyell.
Chorus by school—"Merry Christmas Bells."
Recitation—"Little Jack," Gertrude Archer.
Recitation — "Willie's Breeches," Gordon McGregor.
Recitation — "Going After the Cows," Luella Nurse.
Song—"Hurry Little Snow Flakes," Mary and Grace Graham.
Recitation—"When Papa is Sick," Mildred Archer.
Recitation—Wallace Darling.
Recitation—"What Are Little Girls Good For," Beatrice Nurse.
Recitation—Mildred Archer.
Reading—Reuben Maitland.
Song—Selected, Misses Alma Mc Gregor.
Rainbow drill.
Recitation — "Seein' Things at Night," Bruce Darling.
Song—"Jolly Old St. Nicholas," Wilhelmine Archer.
Recitation—"The Inventor's Wife," Lillian Scott.
Recitation—"The Little Chinese Lad," Harry Young.
Recitation—"My Neighbour's Call," Ruby Archer.
Song—"Christmas Chimes," by four girls.
Recitation—"The Speckled Hen," Grace Graham.
Recitation—"Visit of Santa Claus," Helen Moore.
Chorus by school.
Dialogue—"Down Down East."
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"I was watching a number of young Englishmen shooting at a target recently while I was on the other side," remarked an American army officer, "and at my elbow was a pompous Britisher of the old school, who, after shaking his head impatiently at the frequent misses that were made, at length said to me: 'That only goes to show how the young men of England are degenerating. All this sort of thing reflects on the British nation.'

"'It certainly is mighty poor shooting,' I agreed.

"At that the old gentleman flared up and exclaimed: 'I say! Perhaps you can do better, sir?'

"'If I couldn't shoot better than that, I'd be ashamed to eat breakfast,' I answered.

"Thereupon I was handed a rifle and told to show what I could do. I shot, and the first time I missed the target completely, so the laugh was on me, but before they could laugh twice I plugged the bullseye six times in rapid succession. At this the old gentleman was a trifle disconcerted, but he complimented me by saying: 'Really, now, you can shoot a bit, can't you? I say, there's nothing like a Yankee marksman with an English gun, is there, old chap?'"

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But the people were so nervous that, although the charge was only sixpence, none of them would venture in the newfangled invention. Then Burns was struck with a brilliant idea. He said to his wife, "You have got to come down to the palace three times a week and get into the first electric tram car as a decoy duck for the others." This was only temporarily successful. So Burns brought along his mother-in-law, "and," said the energetic labor leader when relating the incident, "when a husband, a wife and a mother-in-law co-operate success is assured."
—London Tit-Bits.

Towers.

The patient architect had just succeeded in getting Mrs. Drippingold to decide between the charms of renaissance, classic and Queen Anne for the plans of her magnificent new country house.

"The only details I ain't goin' to leave to your discretion," said the wealthy lady, "is the matter of towers. I want plenty of towers that folks can see for a long way off when they're ridin' by."

"But what kind of towers do you want?" inquired the unfortunate architect—"Norman, Gothic"—

Mrs. Drippingold closed the English novel of high life on which her soul had been feeding.

"Why, ancestral towers, of course."—Puck.

Friendly Advice.

A very matter of fact Scotchwoman called to see a neighbor, an elderly woman, who had been ailing for some time.

"And how do you find yourself today, Janet?" was the greeting.

"Ah, Martha, I'm very bad. This cold, damp weather 'll be the end of me. I'll be a dead woman before very long."

"Hoots, toots, woman! You've been saying that any time these last twenty years. I've no patience with you. I'll tell you what it is. You want firmness of mind. Fix a day for your dying—and stick to it."

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A Finland Festival.

Paul Waineman's "A Summer Tour in Finland" contains this pretty bit of folklore: "Midsummer is the great annual festival of Finland. From every height a bonfire leaps to the sky in honor of the mating of night and day, who are then united. The Finns possess a poetical legend relating to this annual custom. Kolt and Amarik, the sunset and sunrise, beseeched the lord of the sky to give them permission to be eternally a bride and bridegroom and once a year to clasp each other in their glowing arms."

A Lesson From Nature.

"Young gentlemen," lectured the eminent instructor, "you are old enough now to put away the childish and trivial amusements that sufficed for you when you were younger. Learn a lesson from the dumb brutes and even from the reptiles. When they arrive at maturity they comport themselves with a certain dignity."

"It isn't so with the rattlesnake, professor," objected the young man with the bad eye. "The older he grows the more rattles he plays with."

Stopping the Exodus.

During service in an English church on a warm Sunday many of the congregation, finding the air oppressive, rose and silently stole away. The minister, perceiving that the exodus was about to become epidemic, paused in his discourse. "Brethren," he said, "I am here to deliver a sermon, not a soliloquy!"

Women and Words.

Mrs. Stubb—Now, women are not impulsive, like you men. They always measure their words. Mr. Stubb (with a sigh)—Oh, if some of them would only give short measure!—Chicago News.

The Outcome.

The Doctor—Now that you are going to school, Johnny, perhaps you can tell me what happens when an irresistible force strikes an immovable object."

"People send for you, doctor."—Life.

As money increases the love of it increases.—German Proverb.

FREDERICK AND VOLTAIRE.

Stormy Relations of the Miserly King and the Lavish Author.

The world knows plenty about the elements of strength in the characters of great men, but less about their weaknesses. Here is a story that shows the other side of the natures of Frederick the Great and Voltaire:

Frederick the Great had a leaning toward literature. He wrote poems, plays and booklets that, in his opinion, possessed rare merit. So it seemed fitting to him that great literary men should fraternize, and he sent an invitation to Voltaire to be his guest. Accompanying the invitation was a sum of money to defray the great Frenchman's traveling expenses to the Prussian capital.

Let it be explained at this point that Frederick was extremely penurious and that Voltaire was not only extravagant, but had many of the characteristics of what we would now call a grafter. It should also be understood that Frederick despised grafting, and Voltaire abhorred miserliness.

Voltaire accepted the invitation—and then had an afterthought. Why not take a favorite niece with him? So he wrote to the king that if he would send an extra thousand louis he would bring the girl.

"Sir," replied the king, "I did not ask the young lady to do me the honor of visiting me, and I shall send nothing to pay her expenses."

"The old miser!" said Voltaire to a friend. "He has tubs of money in his treasury, yet will not grant me this wish."

However, Voltaire went to Berlin, but each found that he hated the other too much to make their friendship permanent.

The king once gave Voltaire a package of poems to revise.

"See," said Voltaire to a German nobleman, "what a quantity of dirty linen Frederick has sent me to wash!"

The king thought his guest was too free with the chocolate and sugar and gave orders that he be put on a restricted daily allowance.

Voltaire retaliated by gathering all the wax candles he could find in the halls and storing them in his trunk.

Soon the royal palace became too hot for him, and he began to pack up. Then Frederick missed his package of poems. At once he scented a plot. Voltaire intended to take the verses back home with him and palm them off as his own. Lord Macaulay has said that the poems were so bad that he was convinced Voltaire would not for half of Frederick's kingdom have consented to father them. But the king thought differently, being the author of the poems.

So the Prussian monarch had Voltaire thrown into jail at Frankfort and kept him locked up for twelve days. Sixteen hundred dollars that was found in his pocket was taken away from him. The king in the days of their friendship had given Voltaire a life pension of $3,200 a year, and the money that was confiscated was a semiannual installment.

Thus ended their friendship.

Spanish Nicknames.

One of the peculiar ways in which Spanish differs from English is in the names the language gives to all people with a certain infirmity or peculiarity. A blind man is referred to as el ciego, a man with but one eye is a tuerto, a pug nosed man is chato, one who is cross eyed is a bisojo, a cojo is a lame man, and a manco has but one arm. If he is humpbacked, he is a jorobado; if baldheaded, a calvo, and if his hair is very short he is a pelon. The feminine titles for the same classes are the same, with the exception that they end in "a" where the masculine terminato with "o." These short names are used most commonly. In fact, they are applied as nicknames in many cases, and especially among the lower classes persons are addressed or referred to only by these names.

A Wedding Present.

A widower in Scotland proposed to and was accepted by a widow whose husband had died but a month or two previously.

To celebrate the occasion he asked the widow's daughter what she would like for a present. She wanted nothing, she said, but being pressed to name something she replied:

"Well, if you want to spend siller you might put up a heidstone to my father."—London Telegraph.

The Ruling Passion.

"John! John!" called the excited little wife.

"W-what is it, Lucy?" muttered the big baseball player as he drowsily turned over in bed.

"Why, there is a man downstairs."

"W-what's he doing?"

"He's in the dining room after the plate."

"Trying to reach the plate? Put him out, Kelly; put him out at third!"

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"I suppose," said the sad eyed youth at the musical, "you know the difference between bel canto and coloratura?"

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A PAGE FOR MISSES

PRACTICAL FASHIONS FOR SKATING COSTUMES

IN order to be a true sport it is not necessary for a girl to array herself like a tomboy in unbecoming, ungainly garments simply because these chance to be particularly practical for the special form of athletics in which she may chance to indulge. It is quite as possible for a skating or tobogan costume to be at one time becoming and in keeping with the sport as it is for a party frock to be both pretty and suitable for the occasion, and the agile tennis player or clever skater will elicit double the admiration if she herself looks charming and smartly gowned. On the other hand, there is the reverse extreme to be avoided. Nothing is in worse taste than any elaboration or costliness in a gown for country or out of door wear.

Of all sports that of skating is surely the most delightful; unquestionably it is the most invigorating and most health giving, and the girl who can not skate forfeits half of the pleasures of winter. For the city girl a few lessons taken in a rink will give her sufficient idea of balance and of the rudiments of the sport to make it possible to soon become a proficient skater on real ice.

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The correct skating costume is of a rough material, with skirt shorter than the ordinary and a half fitted jacket of three-quarter length, while the hat should be small and should fit snugly on the head. Plaited skirts are not worn this year, but a skirt to be comfortable to skate in should have greater width and flare than is given in the regular fashionable model this season. An excellent style of skirt is one that closely resembles the old golf skirt of heavy tweed, made circular, with a deep double stitched hem at the feet to keep the material from blowing about in the wind. A plain gored skirt is also good for the purpose, but no matter what the design the material should be of fairly heavy quality.

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FOR outdoor skating a good length of skirt is one which reaches just to the top of the laced boots, but for the girl whose skirts are still short this one may be of the same length as the rest of her gowns.

The jacket for a skating costume should be made full large, to allow of a sweater being worn underneath, as there will be few days so mild as to make this added protection unnecessary. The old Norfolk jacket is an excellent model for this dress. A medium three-quarter length is best for a skating jacket, as, unless it is extremely cold, too long a coat is a great inconvenience. Straps of the same material or of leather may be used on this coat, and leather collar, revers and cuffs are always smart on the Norfolk jackets.

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Rough tweed, homespun, heavy ribbed serge, cheviot and camel's hair cloth all are excellent for a skating costume, while for a rather smarter style of costume corduroy is exceptionally pretty. The coarse ribbed serges are perhaps newer than any other of these textures, and in the bright reds and warm taupes and browns are most attractive. Strange to say, the Directoire coat, with its loose back and trimmings of straps and buttons, does not look too exaggerated for a skating costume, and many of the rough serges are made in a much modified Directoire design that is extremely smart.

The best color for a skating dress depends, of course, wholly upon the wearer, but red, if it is at all becoming, is sure to look charming, and all reds, from the deepest in tone to the most brilliant, have ever been the favorites for this style of dress. Brown, green and dark blue are all serviceable colors, while the lighter shades are sure to be attractive if not quite so useful.

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Corduroy is an excellent material for hard wear, and even in the light shades is frequently made use of for the skating costumes. Even white corduroy will not prove such a bad investment, as the material can be either washed or cleaned, and for the girl who spends all or a great part of her winter out of town a white corduroy costume will give an attractive change from the darker shades that have such constant wear.

Save in the most bitterly cold weather a fur coat is too warm for skating, and it will be but seldom that an ordinary well interlined coat, with sweater underneath and perhaps a wide fur collar or stole, will not be sufficiently warm. An extra wrap will be necessary, however, to slip on whenever an occasional rest is indulged in, and for this a medium length fur lined cloth coat is most useful. This wrap will be especially attractive if made of the same color as the rest of the costume.

A small hat is essential for skating, as any width of brim will make out of door life in windy weather a misery instead of a pleasure. The little fur turbans that can be bought so reasonably at this time of year make about the best skating hat procurable. Black fur is, perhaps, the most useful, as it can be worn with any gown, but the brown mink or fox and the gray squirrel will prove intensely becoming, besides being more youthful for young girls. The white toques are exceedingly becoming also, and these are undoubtedly the most effective of all.

For indoor skating a rather more elaborate style of dress is worn than is considered appropriate for the country. A simple but pretty gown throughout of smooth cloth or serge will be warm enough for active exercise, with a fur or fur lined coat to put on the moment that one leaves the ice. It is essential that the wrap be very warm and the dress itself not too heavy, as in a rink the damp air is peculiarly penetrating, although the cold is scarcely noticeable while one is actually skating. If proper precautions are taken that the coat be put on immediately one sits down and that too heavy garments are not worn while on the ice there is little or no danger of taking cold in a rink, but so soon as the skater becomes overheated and then rests in the damp, unnatural atmosphere a risk is incurred.

An ordinary walking suit with a silk or wash waist can be worn in a rink provided there is an extra wrap also at hand. The skirt is of course longer for indoors, and as the skates lift one some two inches from the ice the regular school dress will serve perfectly. Light colors are also often seen in a rink, the pastel blues and soft raspberry pinks and old rose being especially pretty. A gown throughout of deep pink cloth, with a long fur lined cloak of the same shade, trimmed with mink or white fox and a hat of the same fur, makes an extremely attractive skating costume.

The accessories also should be most carefully worked out if the skating costume is to be really smart. Upon the veil, gloves and boots much of the effect of the whole will depend. The girl with straight hair will do well to wear a fine thread veil with her little fur toque. This veil will not show, but her short ends of hair will be kept from blowing in her eyes and the veil will also help somewhat to keep her hat in place. Veils are not generally considered in good taste for a girl whose hair is not yet up on her head, and she should certainly not wear a dotted veil or one of a conspicuous pattern, but if her hair is not still worn hanging loose or in a braid, this fine veil is quite permissible.

In gloves, heavy pigskin or gray castor are both smart, while for the country fur lined leather or white woollen gloves are equally popular, the woollen being of course the more thoroughly comfortable as well as the more durable.

High brown laced boots are now the accepted skating shoes. A laced boot is practically obligatory for skating and the higher this shoe the more comfortable it will be. These boots can be lined with a soft fleece for the girl who suffers in cold weather, but as a rule heavy brown stockings will be sufficient.

PRACTICAL TALKS BY THE APRIL GRANDMOTHER

"CLOSE your eyes tight," exclaimed the April Grandmother as a shrieking whistle, a clanging bell and a frantically waved police club announced the approach of a fire company equipment. "Cinders or pieces of coal with projecting points lodging in the eye cause more acute pain than smooth objects, which almost invariably are passed on by the tears or by the action of the lids. But," she added, in tones gently expressive of annoyance, "the dust of a great city's streets is scarcely more harmful to the eyes than is the constantly looking at objects within close range of the vision such as a seemingly endless procession of rapidly moving vehicles and pedestrians.

"Still more trying is the going from darkened theatres into the strong sunlight of the streets, for, as the pupils of the eyes expand in the darkness, to be suddenly exposed to a bright light is extremely injurious. An abrupt transition from light to darkness is often attended with less serious but none the less certainly injurious consequences, particularly if there is a reflection of the light on snow. It is not because I am interested in the features of those perennially young and handsome musical celebrities that I linger before their photograph stands in the lyceum foyers when leaving an afternoon concert," she explained, "but because after prolonged use in an artificially lighted room the eyes should be gradually accustomed to the sunlight.

"But the damage that can be done to the eyes when one is in the streets is as nothing to that which results from indoor use. A sense of fatigue is often experienced from reading for a long time, in which event the vision, instead of being sharp and clear, gradually becomes blurred and misty, if not absolutely obscured. Of course it is possible to obtain temporary relief from this condition by bathing the eyes, but to persist in struggling against such a strain is apt to induce a headache, accompanied by dizziness or irritation. In any event it is well to intergupt the strain of long continued reading by occasionally raising the gaze from the page and looking into space, although in studying or perusing anything that requires thought this is likely to be done unconsciously. It is a mistake to persist in reading when overcome with sleep, as the constant tendency of the eyes is to diverge, and they have to be forced back by a supreme effort of the will. This often results in congestion of the blood vessels of the mucous membrane which covers the external surface of the ball of the eye and the inner surface of the lids.

"No matter how weary a girl may be with study or with pleasure she should never go to bed without first washing her eyes in order to remove any dust which may have gathered on their lids during the day. The sleeping room should be kept dark, as 'crows' tracks' will form under any sort of artificial light, particularly that of gas, which also consumes oxygen."

"The eyes should not be exposed to a bright light immediately after awakening in the morning. For a few moments after arising it is better to get about the room by the aid of whatever light may penetrate the drawn blinds, meanwhile bathing the eyes in pure, cool water. On no account should the lids be rubbed, as that process will wrinkle them as quickly as will weeping. But if such an expression of grief is unavoidable be sure to gently massage the cuticle beneath the eyes with a little cold cream, as that is where lines first of all form, and if the skin is thin they are quite as likely to arrive at sixteen as at sixty."

Novelties in Veil Pins.

COLLAR, cuff and veil pins contribute so materially toward the trim effect of the costume that every young girl should have a collection of them. With ordinary care such pins will last indefinitely, as they are substantially put together and fitted with a catch back and pin that are joined without the use of soldering or rivets.

They are of three distinct sizes and of innumerable pattern. The simplest designs are plain, flat surfaced oblongs, or curved, narrow ovals of rolled gold plate, dull or brilliant silver, jet or gun metal finish, mother of pearl, white or pink coral, crystal, Australian green stone, matrix, onyx and jade. Some of the pure and alloyed metals as well as those of composition have doubly bevelled edges, while others have beading borders or surfaces chased in Romanesque, Oriental and Greek designs.

Dutch silver pins of exquisite workmanship, similar to that employed on the brooches and stickpins, are of both flat and oval shape, and in some of them are set the tiniest of brilliants, emeralds and rubies.

Many of the French gold and silver pins have small brilliants, turquoise, pearls and corals sunken into their centres, designs picked out with tiny chips or jewel beadings and margins.

According to the length of the pin, rows of fresh water or Roman pearls, garnets, French emeralds, moonstones and rhinestones are set in gold, silver or platinum in such a manner that only the semi-precious mineral is in evidence. While these are exceedingly attractive looking the settings are naturally less trustworthy than are those of the sunken order.

Delicious Sandwiches for Afternoon Tea.

SANDWICH making is a culinary art which should be cultivated by the girl who likes to get up impromptu collations for her schoolmates. To make attractive looking sandwiches there should be provided an assortment of special cutters for the correct shaping of circles, diamonds and triangles, the square forms having utterly gone out of fashion. Another requisite is an exceedingly sharp knife with which to shave wafer thin slices from bread baked the previous day, as perfectly fresh loaves are apt to crumple unpleasantly while being cut.

In addition to fresh and potted ham, tongue and chicken sandwiches made by laying or spreading the meat upon buttered bread from which all the crust has been shaved, there are many kinds of appetizing cheese sandwiches. One variety is made of a mixture of cream cheese and finely chopped stuffed olives, and another has a marmalade and cream cheese filling. These are spread upon white or gluten bread. Rye bread is employed for the Swiss cheese sandwiches, which are slightly flavored with Dutch mustard; wheat bread for a filling of salted domestic cheese and graham bread for a paste composed of grated cheese and butter sprinkled with pepper and paprika.

Chicken, lobster and mixed salads that are stuck together with mayonnaise are all excellent for sandwiches of the more delicate type, while sour pickles mixed with ham, roast beef or chicken are more substantial. But for a really sustaining luncheon there is nothing better than lean slices of roast beef, chicken or turkey between thick pieces of bread over which hot dish gravy is poured.

Hard fried or hard boiled eggs, finely chopped or fried oysters make an excellent filling for a substantial sandwich, and still more satisfying are those of crisply fried bacon mixed with minced chicken placed between toasted bread.

An easily made sandwich is composed of finely chopped sardines covered with salad leaves and moistened with the box oil.

Sweet pickles chopped and spread between sliced bread make appetizing sandwiches, and still more sweet are those of powdered chocolate or maple sugar made by adding an equal number of spoonsful of boiling water, stirring it over a fire until smooth and then spreading it upon buttered bread. Melted chocolate cream and marshmallows are also excellent sweet sandwich materials, and so are any of the queer preserved fruits imported from China and Japan. The best known among these fruits are ginger and limes, but there are several others which have thick syrup or are themselves so liquid that they may easily be reduced to paste consistency.

Social Amenities for The School Girl.

GIRLS who are creeping out from under their mothers' protecting wings and are beginning to act for themselves in regard to things social often feel that one of the most trying of their new responsibilities is the writing of formal notes. Yet these should not be a bugbear, for there is a certain knack about them which, once acquired, makes them a really simple matter.

If they have not yet made their début girls rarely receive engraved invitations, as they belong distinctly to formal life, but they receive many formal written invitations, to which they must respond. These are usually written in the first person, but sometimes the third is employed when the writer wishes to be particularly formal and imitate the style of an engraved card.

When you sit down to respond to an invitation carefully study its form and imitate it as nearly as possible in your reply. If the first person is used reply in the first, but if the invitation reads "Miss Blank requests the pleasure of," &c., be as formal in your response and say "It will give Miss Smith much pleasure to be present," &c., which is a newer, smarter form than the stereotyped "Miss Smith accepts with pleasure," &c., so long used.

Be very careful about all the little details. If a note or an invitation begins "My Dear Miss Smith" do not make the mistake of replying "Dear Miss Brown" when you should say exactly what she does, "My Dear." But when she writes "Dear Miss Smith," why, then, you do the same. This is so simple a rule that there is positively no excuse for not following it. In regard to the ending of a note, too, the same rule applies. If the note to you ends "Sincerely" or "Most sincerely" it is very bad manners for you to end your reply "Cordially" or "Most cordially." There is a shade of meaning between the two which the words themselves convey, and when a person uses to you the warmer of the two etiquette as well as proper feeling requires you to respond in the same tone.

In correspondence two of the rules which girls should have by heart are promptness and brevity. The girl who answers her invitations at once endears herself for that if for no other reason. Reply the same day you receive it, even within the hour if you can. Remember you cannot do it too soon and that, after all, it is just as easy to do it that day as several days later. Remember, too, that if you are prompt in replying you put yourself on record as an extremely well bred young person, whereas if you are dilatory you are thought just the contrary and besides giving persons reason to have a poor opinion of you you cause them annoyance by leaving them in doubt as to whether or not they are to have you as one of their guests.

If the note you receive covers only one or two pages confine yourself to as few in replying. It is an art, of course, to be concise, but why should not you acquire the art? Are you not as clever as the person writing to you? If you feel that you are not, then make up your mind at once to become so, and go about it by imitating the style of the note to which you are about to reply. This, if your model is a good one, will teach you how to turn phrases and give you facility and felicity of expression.

Of course, invitations are not the only form of formal correspondence. Girls are required to write notes about all sorts of things, to acknowledge presents, to felicitate their friends on any new happiness, like an engagement, a marriage or the birth of a baby, and there are also the occasional notes of condolence. All of these, unless one is writing to an intimate, should be brief and to the point. In writing congratulatory notes do not use the words congratulation or congratulate. They are obsolete, and good usage now requires that one shall say "felicitate." Always put considerable warmth into a note of felicitation. You are writing of happy things and you should make your words convey a spirit of joy in the other's joyousness. But try not to gush, for that is overdoing it, and sometimes has a false ring.

Scented note paper has gone out of fashion, and so have vivid colors, huge monograms or anything that borders on the extreme. For formal writing the large correspondence cards of white linen are popular this season. They may be written on on both sides, but for the brevity of a very formal note one side suffices. A margin should be left on each edge just as one does with note paper.

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INGLES IS JAILED.

Youth Who Told Black Hand Story Is Trapped.

Woodstock, Dec. 29.—An alleged attempt to extort money by Black Hand methods from Henry Craig landed Roy C. Ingles, about twenty years old and of respectable family, in the police cells yesterday afternoon. Last Thursday night Ingles reported to Chief Thomson that he had been held up by four unknown men about 7.30 and robbed of fifty dollars, and he said they put in his hands to deliver a note for Henry Craig demanding $2,000, with a threat that he and his buildings would be burned if he did not comply. The chief thought the story a queer one and started to investigate, and yesterday arrested Ingles at the Thomas organ factory, where he is employed.

Under close examination the young man, it is said, confessed to the whole story. He said he was not held up or robbed, that he made his nose bleed, tied the rope on one of his wrists, wrote the note himself and then went to Craig's house with the note in an endeavor to frighten money out of him. He admitted sending two other threatening letters to Craig, and said he was alone in the transaction. The prisoner is charged with having sent threatening letters demanding money, and he will appear before Magistrate Ball to-day.

QUEBEC BYE-ELECTIONS.

Sir Louis Gouin Succeeds In Carrying All Four Seats.

Montreal, Dec. 29—Sir Lomer Gouin swept the green yesterday in the four bye-elections, the Conservatives losing two of the few seats won in June last.

M. J. Walsh defeated Ald. O'Connel in St. Ann's by 200 votes, while in Chateauguay M. Mercier carried the seat by 144. In Laval Hon. H. E. Leblanc, the Conservative leader, is again defeated, J. W. Levesque, who was elected in June by 6 being returned by 145 majority. In Quebec Centre Leclerc, the Government candidate, defeated Ald. Lavigueur, Independent, by 140.

Bad Fire at Bracebridge.

Bracebridge, Dec. 29.—Fire which broke out on Sunday night in L. E. Godson's law office, in the Sibbett Block, and spread to the McCosh Block, caused a loss of $100,000. The principal losers are: Thomas & Co., jewelry, books and stationery, and publishers of The Gazette newspaper, loss $20,000, insurance $7,000; John Carruthers, dry goods, loss $2,000, insurance $1,500; G. Simmons, goods, loss $6,000, insurance $3,000; Max Axler, general store, loss $1,500, insurance $800; James Whitton, hardware, loss $20,000, insurance, $10,000; Thomas E. Godson, law offices, loss unknown; G. W. Sibbett, on block, loss $14,000, insurance $8,000; John McCosh, block loss $16,000, covered by insurances.

Pope Sees Joan of Arc?

Rome, Dec. 29—The Italia publishes a report, which has caused a sensation in ecclesiastical circles, that Joan of Arc recently appeared in a vision to the Pope and addressed him solemn words of encouragement, exhorting his holiness to continue his present policy, which she promised would shortly be crowned with triumph.

It was while the holy father was plunged in devout prayer and meditation in his private oratory, immediately after the ceremony of reading the decree of beautification, that the apparition appeared.

It was noticed that when the Pope came out of the oratory he was very pale, and during several days maintained a marked silence.

Brutal Assault on Sister.

London, Dec. 29.—George Cook of St. Thomas was arrested yesterday on a charge of assaulting his sister, Mrs. Howell, a widow, with whom he had come to spend Christmas.

The police found Mrs. Howell hidden in a clothes closet at three o'clock in the morning with her face a mass of bruises and covered with blood. She did not regain consciousness for some hours.

Vancouver Terminals.

Vancouver, Dec. 29.—Counsel for the Hill railways announced yesterday that recent purchases of land made on the east end of Falls Creek were made, with a view to establishing permanent terminals in Vancouver. Approximately a million dollars' worth of property has changed hands during the last ten days in connection with the deal.

Mills' Case Postponed.

Welland, Dec. 29.—John F. Mills, the Toronto promoter, who is charged with defrauding Charles Asher of this place out of $1,500 in connection with the organization of an automobile manufacturing company, appeared before Magistrate Burgar again yesterday, but no evidence was taken, the case being further changed to Jan. 6.

Hottentots on Warpath.

Cape Town, Dec. 29.—The Hottentots in German South West Africa are again on the war path.

They recently raided some cattle posts near the Bechuanaland border, and murdered two Europeans.

Seven German soldiers were sent in pursuit of the raiders, but they were all shot down by the Hottentots.

Hostler Suffocated.

St. Thomas, Dec. 29.—Michael Holleran, hostler at the Duke House, was found dead yesterday standing in his room.

He had been ill and in the night walked between the dresser and the wall, where he became wedged, and suffocated.

New Depot For New York.

Hartford, Conn., Dec. 29.—It is learned here yesterday that the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad is about to make a most important move by establishing its own passenger station in New York in the vicinity of Third avenue and 34th street.

Six Months In Central.

Belleville, Dec. 29.—Wm. T. Woods, who pleaded guilty to stealing an overcoat and pair of gloves from the Temperance Hotel, was given six months in the Central.

MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool and Chicago Wheat Futures Close Higher—Live Stock—

Latst Quotations.

Monday Evening, Dec. 28.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day ¼d to ⅝d higher than on Thursday last, and corn closed ¼d higher.

At Chicago December wheat closed ⅝d higher than on Thursday last; December corn closed ⅛c lower, and December oats closed ¼c lower.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—January 97⅛c bid, December 89⅝c bid, May 91⅝c.
Oats—December 39⅛c bid, May 40⅛c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	$0 88	to $.....
Wheat, red, bush	0 88	.....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 85	.....
Rye, bushel	0 75	.....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 [illegible]	.....
Peas, bushel	0 [illegible]	.....
Barley, bushel	0 [illegible]	.....
Oats, bushel	0 43	.....

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 25
Butter, store lots	0 23	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 28	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 29	0 30
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 35	.....
Eggs, cold storage	0 25	.....
Cheese, large, lb	0 13½	.....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	.....
Honey, extracted	0 12½	0 13
Honey, combs, dozen	2 25	2 50

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Butter, firm; receipts, 4227. Creamery specials, 29½c, official, 28c; creamery extras, 27½c to 28c; creamery, thirds to firsts, 25c to 27c; creamery held, common to special, 23c to 29½c; state dairy, common to special, 21c to 29c; process, common to special, 18c to 25c; western factory, first 21½c to 22c; western creamery, firsts, 28c to 24c.

Cheese—Quiet, but firm; receipts, 1254; state full cream, specials, 14½c to 15½c; Sept. colored or white fancy, 14c; Oct. best, 13½c; late made best small, 13c; good to prime, 11¾c to 12¾c; common to fair, 10½c to 11½c; skims, full to specials, 2½c to 11¾c.

Eggs—Steady; receipts, 6[illegible]; state, Pennsylvania and nearby fancy selected white, 40c; do., fair to choice, 38c to 39c; do., brown and mixed, fancy, 36c to 38c; do., fair to cho. [illegible] to 35c; western firsts, 33c; seconds, 30c to 31c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables About Steady—Cattle and Hogs Firmer In U.S. Markets.

LONDON, Dec. 28.—London cables for cattle are steady at 12c to 14c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10¼c to 10½c per lb.

Toronto Junction Live Stock.

TORONTO JUNCTION, Dec. 28.—Trade at the Union Stock Yards today was fairly good and while receipts were exceptionally small, only 11 carloads, there was a good demand and everything was well cleaned up at steady prices.

Export—A few buyers were on the market and from the fact that they wanted the cattle to fill export space, there was a good demand created. There is said to be a good inquiry for really good export cattle, steers and bulls. Export bulls ran all the way from $3.75 to $4.25.

Butchers—For butchers there was a good active demand.

Milkers and Springers—Only a few milkers and springers were offered and for these from $30 to $50 was asked.

Lambs—Prices are steady and unchanged demand for both choice and medium, and the offering was soon cleared out; choice butchers' brought from $4.75 to $5; medium, $4 to $4.40; common, $2.50 to $4, and canners, $1.50 to $2.

Hogs.

Selects, fed and watered at the market, were quoted yesterday at $6, with $5.75 to growers, f.o.b., cars, at country points. These prices are practically the same as a week ago.

Montreal Live Stock.

MONTREAL, Dec. 28.—(Special.)—At the Montreal Stock Yards West End market the receipts of live stock for the week ending Dec. 25 were 1043 cattle, 253 sheep and lambs, 1442 hogs and 117 calves.

The offerings this morning for local consumption were 500 cattle, 400 sheep and lambs, 300 hogs and 100 calves.

A stronger feeling prevailed in the market for cattle, and prices were fully ½c per lb. higher than they were a week ago. This was attributed to the limited supply and the fact that the demand from local butchers was better than it usually is at this time of year, as they generally buy sufficient stock the week before Christmas to supply their requirements until the first market is held in the new year. There has also been some demand from local exporters, and sales of few choice loads were made last week at $5.15 per 100 lbs., and some heavy bulls at 4½c per lb. There was an extra choice load of Ontario stall-fed steers on the market to-day, for which 5½c per lb. was asked; but, as this figure seemed to be higher than buyers cared to pay for stock, they will likely be exported. Cable advices from Liverpool on Saturday stated that trade was slow but prices were firm at an advance of ½c to 1c per lb. as compared with those of a week ago. The top price here to-day for the best steers was 5c, but 5½c would have been paid for really choice stock. Good cattle sold at 4½c to 4¾c; fair at 3¾c to 4¼c, and lower grades down to 2c per lb.

There was no change in the condition of the market for sheep and lambs, prices being firm for good demand and small supply, and sales of choice lots of sheep were made at 4½c to 4¾c, and culls at 3½c to 3¾c per lb. Lambs brought 5½c to 6c for choice, and 5½c to 5¾c for good lots, per lb.

Calves met with a fair sale at prices ranging from $3 to $8 each, as to size and quality.

The market for hogs was stronger, owing to the small offerings and good demand for the same. Selected lots held at $6.75 per 100 lbs., weighed off cars.

New York Live Stock.

EAST BUFFALO, Dec. 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 1250 head; active and 15c to 25c higher; prime steers, $5.60 to $7; shipping, $5.50 to $5.60; butchers', $5 to $5.25; heifers, $4.25 to $5.50; cows, $3.50 to $5; bulls, $3 to $4.50.

Veals—Receipts, 500 head; active and 50c higher, $7 to $9.75.

Sheep—Receipts, 25,000; market, steady to 10c lower; natives, $3.60 to $4.85; western, $3.60 to $4.30; yearlings, $5 to $5.30; lambs, native, $4.60 to $7.60; westerns, $4.50 to $7.60.

Hogs—Receipts 13,600 head; active and 25c to 35c higher; pigs, 25c to 50c higher; heavy, $6.30 to $6.35; mixed, $6.25 to $6.30; Yorkers, $5.75 to $6.25; pigs, $4.50 to $5.75; roughs, $5.50 to $5.75; stags, $4.25 to $5; dairies, $5.90 to $6.15.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Receipts, 2200. Steers, active and fully 25c higher; bulls and cows, steady; fat bulls, 10c to 15c higher; steers, $5.65 to $7; oxen, $4.50; bulls, $3.25 to $4.75; cows, $3.50 to $4.65.

Calves—Receipts, 975; market, 50c higher; veals, $5.50 to $10.50; culls, $4 to $5; barnyard calves, $3.75 to $4.25; westerns, $4.25 to $4.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 7600; good sheep, higher; common grades, steady; lambs, 25c higher; sheep, $3.75 to $4.60; culls, $3 to $3.50; lambs, $4.25 to $8; yearlings, $5 to $6.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 12,477; market, higher; prime state hogs, $6.25.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 19,000; market 10c to 15c higher; steers, $4.10 to $7.60; cows, $3 to $5.25; heifers, $3.10 to $4.60; bulls, $3.25 to $4.60; calves, $3.50 to $8; stockers and feeders, $3.10 to $5.60.

Hogs—Receipts, 39,000; market 20c to 25c higher; choice heavy shipping, $6.10 to $6.15%; butchers, $6 to $6.10; light mixed, $5.95 to $6.05; choice light, $5.85 to $5.95; packing, $5.75 to $6; pigs, $4 to $5.15; bulk of sales, $5.75 to $6.

Bishop of 'Frisco.

Washington, Dec. 29.—Bishop D. J. O'Connell, rector of the Catholic University of America, has been appointed bishop co-adjutor of San Francisco.

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A RIGOROUS LAW.

South Australia Plans Drastic Measure Regarding Hotels.

London, Dec. 29.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—The Melbourne correspondent of The Chronicle writes that the South Australian Legislative Assembly has just accepted a most drastic licensed victuallers' bill. Some idea of the changes which the measure legalizes may be gathered from the following facts:

It proposes to close all hotels during Parliamentary elections days (federal or state), Christmas Day and Good Friday, renders illegal single women holding licenses, unless they at present do so; abolish duplicate barrooms unless special permission is given by the magistrates; requires travelers to journey ten miles from their homes before they become bona fide travelers; tightens the provisions of existing law.

Respecting closing at 11 p.m., if the bill passes the legislative council, South Australia will have in operation the most advanced liquor law of the whole Commonwealth.

BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

The C.P.R. have appointed a freight and passenger agent at Prince Rupert, B.C., the G.T.P. terminus.

The Finance Department at Ottawa have received $100 conscience money.

While Hon. Mr. Lemieux was in mid-Atlantic on his way west on the steamer Amerika he was surprised to receive wireless messages from Lord Northcliffe, Mr. King and Fred Cook, who were passengers on the Lusitania, going east.

W. L. Mackenzie King will visit India en route to China on Hindu immigration matters.

Hon. Mr. Fielding, now in Paris, is said to be quite hopeful that the French-Canadian treaty will be ratified.

Boy a Bad 'Un.

Windsor, Dec. 29.—The inquest into the shooting of Elijah Thompson, a Malden farmer, by his son, will be held at Amherstburg on Thursday.

Facts gleaned by Provincial Detective Campeau would indicate that the young parricide was subject to paroxysms of passion, during which he was in the habit of threatening to kill those who excited his anger.

After young Thompson shot and killed his father, his mother held him until an officer arrived. The prisoner buried his teeth in his mother's arm and struggled to free himself, but was prevented from escaping. The charge of murder will likely be laid.

Combination In Philanthropy.

New York, Dec. 29.—"If a combination to do business is effective in saving waste and in getting better results why is not combination far more important in philanthropic work?" In this question is set forth the text of an article by John D. Rockefeller, published in The World's Work.

The general subject of the article is "the value of the co-operative principle in giving." He says he has "seen the organization of the Roman Church secure better results with a given sum of money than other church organizations are accustomed to secure from the same expenditure."

Ask For Conciliation Board.

Ottawa, Dec. 29.—The Department of Labor has appointed Zebadie Berube and Felix Marois of Quebec to be the members of the board of conciliation under the Lemieux Act, in the dispute between the John Ritchie Shoe Co. of Quebec and its employes. This case is notable because it is the first instance in which employer and employes have agreed to submit their dispute to a board of conciliation.

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers has applied for a board on behalf of the employes of the Kingston & Pembroke Railway, but no action has yet been taken.

Drunkenness In Kingston.

Kingston, Dec. 29.—Dean Farthing on Sunday delivered his farewell message ere he became Bishop of Montreal. He said Kingston was on the whole a moral city, but he knew of no place where drunkenness was so evident. Surrounding the city hall were sixteen saloons. This was shameful. It was accountable for by failure of the Christian people to fight the enemies of the King of Righteousness.

Party politics also kept the liquor conditions in Kingston as they are.

Suspend the "Unfair" Lists.

Chicago, Dec. 29.—The Central Federated Union here has received from Mr. Gompers a letter saying that he has discontinued the "we don't patronize" list in future issues of The Federationist.

The Central Federated Union also decided to suspend its unfair list.

In Luck.

"It's no fun being married. My wife is coming to me all the time and asking for money!"

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PREDICTIONS OF THE FAYS LED TO A MAN'S SUICIDE AND ALMOST RUINED A PROVIDENCE STORE

Said Bank Would be Robbed and Certain Buildings Would Collapse, But the People Believed in Them in Spite of Their Trickery.

HAD TEMPORARY SUCCESS

A few days ago the report of the death of John T. Fay by his own hands was received from Oakland, Cal. During the week in which they appeared here there was more or less credence placed by the public in the "mind" or "telepathy" which he performed in conjunction with his wife Eva Fay. The notoriety which they attained was not alone confined to this side of the border, but was even widespread through the United States.

Those of the Peterborough theatre-goers who saw their performance here may be enlightened by the following expose from an American paper:

"The so-called mind reading of the Fays was the cheapest, tawdriest kind of trickery, and there was no more telepathic communication between the two performers than there is between two blocks of granite. But the people in the cities visited by the Fays took the tricksters at their own valuation, and for two or three seasons they enjoyed a heaping measure of success. Their entertainment was unwholesome in its effect.

"In this city a man committed suicide because of a so-called revelation by the Fays, and more or less excitement was occasioned by their prediction that one of the local banks would be robbed on New Year's day. Of course, the bank was not robbed, and although many people were naturally disappointed at the failure of the "prediction," they did not lose faith in the "prophet." At one time the Fays predicted that a certain store in Providence would collapse on a certain day. The store is still standing but the announcement kept patrons away from the place for weeks and almost ruined the owners. In a word, the Fays were fakers of the most blatant type, and the only wonder is that they were able to fool the people for so many years with such a crude form of trickery."

HAZEL BRAE CHANGES

Great Improvements Have Been Made at Local Dr. Barnardo Home for Girls.

SOME FACTS ABOUT THE WORK

A great many improvements have been made by the Hon. Geo. A. Cox at Hazel Brae, Dr. Barnardo's Home for girls. A large wing has been added to the north side of the old building. The first floor is used for a dining room and play room for girls. The second floor is a large dormitory which holds 40 beds and the third is also the same sized dormitory. In both of these rooms there are at present 32 beds. The old dormitories will in future be used for general sleeping quarters. These new rooms were the most needed of any improvements that were made as the old ones are very dark and low and have only one window in east.

What was formerly the dining room has been moved away about 50 yards from the main building and will be used as a school room for the children and a large play ground will be opened in the spring between this building and the main building. A large new laundry has been installed with all the modern improvements in the basement of the new wing also a new lavatory for the children. A new boiler and furnace was also put in which heats the whole building with steam. All floors through out the building have been relaid and the house thoroughly cleaned, papered and whitewashed.

The infirmary has been enlarged to hold ten beds, while before it only held half this many and a stair case has been put in connecting the front building with the third floor. Before there was only a very narrow staircase at the back of the house and it was necessary to go through the girls' rooms to get to them.

There are generally about 30 girls in the home, and since 1882, 5,183 girls have been brought out from England, 3000 of which the officers of the home are in touch with. 600 girls are boarding in different places their board being paid for them.

At the present time there are 13 persons on the office staff, four of these do nothing else but travel round visiting the girls to see how they are getting on and reporting their condition to the home in England. There are also six people on the horse staff to look after and keep the home in a sanitary condition and teach the girls the various duties which make them the best of housekeepers.

THE CELEBRATION OF ST. JOHN'S NIGHT BY LOCAL MASONS

W. G. MORROW,
Who was installed Worshipful Master of Corinthian Lodge A.F. and A.M. last night.

DESTITUTION IS LESS

Demands for Relief Are Not As Heavy as Last Year--No Xmas Tree This New Year's.

NO RELIEF KITCHEN IS NEEDED

Casual inquiry substantiates the opinion that the distress and destitution which was experienced at this time last year is fortunately not so noticeable at the present time. It is those connected with charitable work who are aware of the fact that the general condition of the poorer class is greatly improved. Mr. F W Millen states that he has found this to be the case and not nearly as many demands have been made during the season thus far as during the same period last winter. Mr. E L Goodwill remarked to a reporter this morning that he had found a similar state of affairs. He considered that many of those who had been a burden on the city last year had gone elsewhere during the summer, and others had probably benefitted by the former experience. It is not likely that there will be a relief kitchen provided this winter at least not from present indications.

The Christmas tree which had been held in the Market Hall last New Year's eve is also being dispensed with. Everything points to a fairly good winter, and it is believed to be an evidence of what is to be expected in the near future in the form of improved industrial conditions.

NOMINATIONS IN THE COUNTY YESTERDAY; SOME OF THE ELECTIONS BY ACCLAMATION

The nominations for the various ships yesterday caused considerable interest in some places while in others the representatives for next year were allowed to go in by acclamation. This is the case in Smith where Reeve R. N. Scott was re-elected for the fourth term and the deputy reeve and councillors were also returned by acclamation. There will be no contest in Galway either, where the council is returned by acclamation. There will be interesting struggles in South and North Monaghan, Dummer, Havelock and other places in the district.

The following is as complete a list of the nominations as could be obtained up to the time of going to press:

In Dummer

Warsaw, Dec. 28.—The nominations for Dummer township to-day resulted as follows:—

For Reeve—
C J Darling, and John L Kidd.
For Council—
W Carveth.
W Hanblin.
R Ferguson.
J J Crowe.
H McDonald.
J Graystock.
E Martin.
W J Elliott.

No Contest in Galway

Kinmount, Dec. 28.—Galway Council elected by acclamation for 1909 as follows—

Reeve—O Coben.
Councillors—J Clark, Wm. Hunter, James Allen and A Grigo.

The last two are new men. D. Curton and J Jackson resigned.

Smith

The nominations for Smith Township resulted in the re-election by acclamation of the old representatives. Reeve R. N. Scott was re-elected for the fourth time, and the other representatives re-elected were Deputy Reeve Thos. H. Graham, and Councillors J. H. Garbutt, Fred McKee and Wm. Davis.

Contest for Douro

The municipal nominations in Douro were interesting and with two nominees for reeve and eight for councillors there promises to be a close contest. The nominations were as follows:

For REEVE—
Dennis Maloney and Frank Mober.
FOR COUNCILLORS—
Michael Welsh.
Patrick Parley.
Bartholomew Leahy.
William Charlton.
Ambrose Coughlin.
Michael Maloney.
Edward Jury.

Four of these seven will be chosen for the Council.

Otonabee

The nominations for the municipal council of the Township of Otonabee resulted as follows:

For Reeve—John H. Fife, William J. Porter.

For Deputy Reeve—W. B. Stewart, elected by acclamation.

For Councillors—William A. Anderson, Donald K. Cameron, Thos. G. Hazzlett and John Miller.

The elections will be held on Monday next and are arousing much interest.

Havelock

Havelock, Dec. 28 — A nomination meeting was held in the Town Hall to-night, Monday, from 7.30 to 8.30 o'clock.

Following are the nominations for Reeve—

Joseph Knox, Jas. Thompson, Wm Mathison, R. J. Graham, Jesse Campney.

Withdrew—Jas. Thompson, Wm. Mathison and Jesse Campney.

Nominated for Councillors— George Young, Jas Scott, Thos. Wood, Geo Phillips, Jesse Campney, W A McMaster, Thos. Bennett, and Abraham Wallar.

Withdrew—Jesse Campney and T Bennett.

Nominated for Trustees—W.T. Curtis, Alf. Spencer, C. H. Brewster, Wm. Mathison, Chas. Taylor, Dr. Holcroft, Isaac Burton, W. A. McMaster.

Withdrew—Alf. Spencer and Wm. Mathison.

Belmont Nominations

The nominations for Belmont resulted as follows—

James Russell, Reeve, elected by acclamation

Councillors—W. E. Griffith, John Anderson, W. Rylott, and A. Wide elected by acclamation.

North Monaghan

For Reeve—Wm. G. Howden, R. A. Dobbin and John Brown. The two first withdrew, leaving Mr. Brown elected by acclamation.

For Councillors—W. G. Howden, R. A. Dobbin, H. J. Forster, G. H. May—members of last year's council—Walter McKee, Jos. S. Bell, Jas. Morrow, J F. Clarke, T. D. Young, Wm. Robson.

Great interest was taken in the nomination proceedings, more than one hundred ratepayers being present, and in the language of an elector "there was a warm time."

A MINOR ACCIDENT TO FREIGHT CAR ON C.P.R. CAUSED DELAY

Axle Broke Between Here and Kendry Siding Blocking the Line for Several Hours.

THE EXPRESS ONE HOUR LATE

A minor accident occurred yesterday afternoon on the C.P.R. a few miles west of Peterborough, blocking the main line for several hours and holding the west bound express at the local station for an hour.

The mishap occurred to one of the cars of an east bound freight. One of the axles broke, causing the car to leave the rails and after running along some distance the train was brought to a standstill.

The auxiliary was called out from Havelock and after a rapid run, temporarily repaired the damage and returned to Peterborough. The road was thus cleared. The auxiliary went back between five and six o'clock for the broken axle and after picking it up returned to Havelock.

ELECTED FOR THE FOURTH TIME AS REEVE OF SMITH

MR. R. N. SCOTT,
Re-elected yesterday by acclamation

BELMONT MAN WAS BADLY INJURED BY A FALLING TREE

Fred VanSickle Was the Victim of a Painful Accident on Saturday Last.

RESULT MAY BE SERIOUS

Havelock, Dec. 29—Mr. Fred Vansickle, who resides in the north part of Belmont Township, was severely hurt by a falling tree on Saturday last. Mr. Vansickle was felling one tree when it lodged in another one, and endeavouring to dislodge it he was struck by the falling tree. Dr. McKechnie of Marmora was summoned to attend the injured man and is unable to tell for a few days what the consequences will be.

Lakefield

The nominations at Lakefield resulted as follows:

For Reeve—Wm. Graham, John Bygott. Arthur Kidd.

For Councillors—J. A. Labell, Arthur Robenson, Henry Moore, Clare Bravender, Robert White.

For School Trustees—Chas. Tanner, Dr. Gibson, J. W. Ridpath.

Contest Certain For Election Of Aldermen And Board Of Education---Those In The Field

Most of the Old Council Will Run Again This Year—Eight [illegible] Candidates for the Board of Education.

MEMBERS OF THE CRAFT GATHER ON ST. JOHN'S NIGHT

W. H. HILL,
Worshipful Master of Peterborough A. F. and A. M.

75,000 DEAD AS RESULT OF EARTHQUAKE

J. N. Barber, (Special)

Rome, Italy, Dec. 29.—In its late edition to-day the Tribune estimates the number of earthquake victims at between 65,000 and 75,000 dead and twice that number as injured or suffering desperately from hunger and exposure.

Palermo, Sicily,—12,000 people are dead in Messina, according to the latest reports from that city. It is feared that hundreds of the inhabitants are still alive under the ruins and are doomed to perish in the flames that are sweeping what is left of the city.

Toronto, Dec. 29.—Geo. Dunstan, secretary of Standard Exchange, dropped dead this morning.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING OF KNOX CHURCH DECIDED ON

The Board of Managers of Knox Church held a meeting last night when it was decided that the annual congregational meeting would be held on Wednesday, January 23rd. The report of the recent concert was received and audited and a satisfatory result was formed.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the church are expected to provide tea which will be served prior to the meeting. Last year's affair was successful in every respect and even better results are expected on this occasion.

A NUMBER HAVE RETIRED

The chief topic on the streets today is the aldermanic race and there is considerable discussion as to the personnel of the field that will allow their names to go to the people on Monday next. There is certain to be a contest both for aldermen and Board of Education, although at 5 o'clock only eleven had qualified for the former. It is likely that about seventeen or eighteen will permit their names to go on the ballot paper, and about eight for the Board of Education.

Ex-Fire Chief Rutherford, who was nominated yesterday intended to be a candidate but discovered to-day that he had not the necessary qualifications in regard to property, which will prevent him from being a candidate.

The Examiner has endeavoured to obtain from as many as possible of the nominees a statement as to their intentions in regard to running or not but found considerable difficulty in the case of some who preferred to wait until the last moment to see who was qualifying before they fyled their own qualifications. The following aldermanic nominees have stated their intention of being candidates:

For Aldermen

Those who will run—
Ald. W H Bradburn.
Ald. H Phelan.
Ald. Geo A Gillespie.
Ald. Bailey.
Ald. Elliott.
Ald. Morgan.
Ald. R Nelll.
Ald. Turner.
Ald. Morrow.
Jas. Bogue.
J J Duffus.
Jos. R Metheral.
Archie Moore.
W H G Armstrong.

Will not run

Those who have signified their intention of not running are:
Benj. Shortly.
Ald. Tovey.
Dan Cushing.
John O'Brien.
B F Ackerman.

Board of Education

Those who will run for the Board of Education are:
Robt. Fair.
Dr. McClelland.
Dr. Frederick.
Wm. Madill.
W G Robinson.
B F Ackerman.
M A Morrison.

Will not run

Dr. Boucher.
R. Hicks.

Those who Qualified

The following had qualified at 2 o'clock this afternoon:
Ald. Bradburn.
Ald. Elliott.
Ald. Turner, Jr.
Ald. Phelan.
Ald. R Nelll.
Jos. R Metheral.
A R Moore.
Jas. J Duffus.
W H G Armstrong.
Jas. Bogue.
Geo H Duncan.

For Board of Epucation

R Fair.
B F Ackerman.
Dr. Frederick.
M A Morrison.
R R Boucher—withdrawn.

Broadcast Distribution Of Examiner Souvenir Number Secures The Greatest Publicity

A common objection preferred to the advertising value of a special edition is that its distribution is not made so general and judicious as to bring the greatest value to the city. This does not apply to the last issued special souvenir edition of the Examiner, which is ensured a wide and effective disposition in all parts of the country.

Among the large interests which have undertaken to distribute copies where they will do the most good in regard to making known the advantages and resources of the city are the Bank of Montreal, which has procured and undertaken the distribution of 100 copies of this souvenir number, the Quaker Oats Co., a similar number and the following banks and firms each a liberal quantity—Dominion Bank, Toronto Savings and Loan Company, Bank of Ottawa, Peterboro' Lock Manufacturing Co., Belding, Paul & Co., Ltd., Peterboro' Canoe Co., Ltd., Peterboro' Basket Co., Ltd., J. J. Turner & Sons, George Matthews Company, Curtis Bros., McDonald Estate, Brinton Carpet Co. of Canada, National Hotel, Oriental Hotel, Adam Hall, J. C. Turnbull & Co., The Canadian Cordage Co., The Peterborough Manufacturing Co. Besides these specified interests, many other business establishments have taken copies for distribution, not individually in so large numbers but aggregating numerous copies.

From the well-known character and enterprise of the interests mentioned and of the others we are certain that they have not purchased copies of the souvenir edition of the Examiner to gather dust in office corners but for distribution in places where they will do the most good in making known the resources, industrial, commercial, and the general advantages of the good city of Peterborough. It is to their interests to do this for every welfare of the city will gain from having reliable knowledge of it widely circulated; we have only to be known to be appreciated.

Large Generator Shipped From C. G. E. Works Recently

It was learned to-day that the C. G. E. Works billed a large 200 h.p. generator for the J. R. Booth Company, of Ottawa. It will be used at their large lumber mills at the Chaudiere Falls. The equipment supplied by the C. G. E. Company was loaded on four cars, and is considered an important contract. It was practically completed six months ago but was delayed in shipping because of the fact that the Booth Company could not use it at that time owing to a mishap to their plant, according to the explanation received.

WATCH NIGHT AT ST. LUKE'S CHURCH THURSDAY NIGHT

On Thursday night at 10.45 o'clock, a solemn service of prayer and thanksgiving will be held at St. Luke's church. The members of St. Luke's and friends are requested to spend the declining moments of the old year and the opening of the New Year in the House of God. Dr. Langfeldt will give an address appropriate to the passing of another period of time.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY,
Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25 cents.

JOURNEYMEN BARBERS' OFFICERS

Elected at Annual Meeting—Mr. Eli Hooey the New President.

The annual meeting of the local union No. 402 of the Journeymen Barbers' International Union, was held recently, when the following officers were elected:

Pres.—Eli Hooey.
Vice-Pres.—Ed. Wright.
Cor. Fin. Sec'y—Harry Gainey.
Rec. Sec'y—A W Brosseau.
Treas.—Breanna Brion.
Guide—Geo. Hall.
Guardian—Lou McBrien.
Trustees—Wilt. Patterson, Phillip Moore, Vic. Hudson.
Finance Committee—Geo. Campbell, H Kingdon and A Lewis.

Grand Trunk Will Abandon The Telegraph For Operating; The Telephone Is Much Quicker

Superintendent Nixon, of the Grand Trunk, has announced to The London Advertiser that as soon as is practicable the Grand Trunk will do away with the present system of operating their trains by telegraph and will install what is known as the telephone system.

Mr. Nixon states that this will not in any way reduce the number of operators required, but will give the railway a much quicker and fully as efficient a system of operating.

The change will probably be made within the next month or two.

A Year's Trial

"A year's trial of the telephone as a means of dispatching trains," said Mr. Nixon, "has proved its practicability; railway telegraph men recognize that the day of the ticker is past as far as they are concerned, and they are preparing to hasten the change all over the continent of America."

In December, 1907, the first installation of the telephone was made on the New York Central road, over a small stretch between New York and Fonda; to-day, the new system extends over 4,900 miles; and by the end of another year, it will cover fifteen thousand miles of track in the United States and Canada.

The Great Advantage

The great advantage of the telephone over the telegraph in railway work lies in the speed of transmission which allows for the transaction of a much greater volume of business. The cost of installation is great, about seven times as much as the installation of a telegraphic connection from the fact that two copper wires must be used instead of one iron wire; the cost of maintenance is greater and the cost of operation is about the same; but the increased facility of operation, especially over the congested portions of the railway are held to justify the change. Where the telephone is supplanting the telegraph the same operators are used, so that there is no change in this respect. The telephone has also the advantage that the operator may speak to any trainman direct and not necessarily through a second operator, a third party. It is claimed to be just as safe, if not safer than the telegraph.

The First to try it

The New York Central Railway was the first company to seek an improvement on dispatching by telegraph and during the year 1907 made a series of experiments with an independent telephone circuit before finally making a permanent installation. The tests were closely watched by the other railway companies of the continent, and immediately after the system was adopted in an experimental way.

At present it is in operation over 4,000 miles in the United States and Canada; over 6,700 other miles of road the construction of telephone equipment is authorized and in large part under way; while for 2,300 miles more it is under construction for the coming year.

On the C. P. R.

When asked regarding the use of the telephone system, the C.P.R. officials informed The Advertiser that while the system has been adopted on their lines east of Montreal, it is not talked of for the western division yet.

HAD USED GLOVE 15 YEARS--LOST IT AND REGAINED IT

A citizen of leisure was going the rounds of his friends last night, gladly telling that he had found the glove which he had lost on the day before Christmas. He had purchased the apair fifteen years ago. They were of buckskin, serviceable, if they were plain of appearance. They had primarily cost five dollars and the service of fifteen years without wearing out, was a splendid return for the money.

One of them was lost and every conceivable place was visited with the idea that it might have been dropped there. Finally it was found yesterday and everybody had to join in the rejoicing.

LUMBERMAN IN THE CITY ON WAY BACK TO WOODS

On the streets to-day and yesterday numbers of lumbermen were noticed in groups, on their way back to the woods, after spending Christmas in their homes. The Cavendish Company and Peterborough Company's men were among those noticed.

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UNION LABEL

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1908

HOME LOYALTY.

A letter is printed in another column in reference to the plans for the proposed new Public Library building, a letter which, it is hoped, is superfluous. The idea cannot surely be seriously entertained of going outside the city, not to speak of going outside the country, for plans for public library buildings. While it is desirable to have the very best type of plans for such a building we certainly, as "Citizen," in his letter points out, have architects capable of producing plans that will meet every essential requirement. The matter involved in going abroad for plans is hardly worth discussing—it is so absolutely beyond the possibility of being entertained. It is enough of humiliation, some of us think, to accept the money of a foreigner without going the length of placing dependence upon foreign brains. If we go to both lengths we could logically go further. If we go to the United States for plans, we can plead a similar justification or stultification for going there for material and workmen to erect the building. Let us be loyal to our home interests. Let us have as much Peterborough stock as possible in the Peterborough Public Library.

Every good citizen will do his buying, his planning and his building at home; will stand by the city in all its interests.

NEW TIMBER REGULATIONS.

The new timber regulations passed at the last session of parliament, and since incorporated in the new Dominion lands' act, are working most satisfactorily. Under the previous regulations, which date back to 1885, any person could have a timber berth put up to competition, the Government retaining power to fix the conditions under which the successful bidder might operate the berth. But the rapid settlement of the west during the past few years has naturally had the effect of greatly enhancing the value of standing timber, and a change in the system of disposing of berths was found to be advisable.

The new regulations provide that the maximum area of a timber berth is 25 square miles. Now berths are not sold by auction until after a survey has been made and the timber has been cruised and estimated by a Government cruiser, and in no case is a berth sold below an upset price fixed by the minister of the interior. The license is for one year, but is renewable as long as timber of the kind and dimensions described therein remains on the land in sufficient quantity to make it commercially valuable. The minister has power to require the erection of a mill and the operation of the berth, and the licensee may be required to do the cutting on any portion of the berth which the minister decides should be cleared for settlement purposes. As a protective measure there is a rule prohibiting unnecessary waste in cutting, and the destruction of young trees, and care is taken that trees which may be necessary for a seed supply shall not be disturbed. Licensees are required to exercise strict and constant supervision to prevent the outbreak and spread of fire.

The general license regulations apply to timber lands outside of the forest reserves and forest parks, but not to timber in the reserves and parks, these being governed by special regulations.

In addition to the sale of timber under license by public competition, it may be obtained under permit by settlers for their own use, for cordwood, mining purposes, construction of public works and a few similar objects. Another provision is for the granting of berths of not more than one square mile, without competition, to small mills, in order that settlers in districts where it cannot otherwise be easily and cheaply obtained, may be enabled to procure a ready and cheap supply of lumber. For this a fixed fee of $100 a mile, in addition to dues on timber cut is charged. This provision is of especial value in the newly opened-up districts.

TELEPHONE TO REPLACE TELEGRAPH.

The London Advertiser is informed by Superintendent Nixon, of the Grand Trunk Railway, that that line is preparing to substitute the telephone for the telegraph as a medium of train despatching. That this change is considered an improvement by the railway company is shown by the fact that the installation of telephone wiring and instruments will be much more expensive, but it is claimed this will be offset by greater rapidity of business. It is probable that the railways consider the telephone safer than the telegraph. If this be the case the change will be welcomed. It is stated that many accidents result from mis-reading of messages. If this difficulty is hoped to be eliminated by the use of the telephone, the experience of taking messages over private 'phones hardly justifies the conclusion. Especially in newspaper work the telephone affords a wide field for misunderstanding of certain words, or classes of words. Perhaps this difficulty can be overcome in railway telephones. If it can be done the change will be welcomed, especially in view of another possibility the use of the telephone suggests. Many times the mistakes of despatchers, which are liable to lead to disastrous collisions might be remedied, but for the inability to "raise" operators at way stations not kept open all night. It is difficult to picture the agony of despair of an operator who has through inadvertence, or oversight, or carelessness, lauched a heavy passenger train on its way to a very probable collision, when his frantic efforts to raise an intermediate station have been fruitless. It seems possible by the use of the telephone to keep in touch with an operator after he has closed up for the night. By having an instrument in his home or lodging place he would always be within reach of the despatchers on the system, and, even if he were absent, another person—for anyone can use the 'phone—who might know nothing about telegraphing, could take his place, receive the message and take steps to stop the train on its way to, perhaps disastrous collision. This much gained would represent a great advance in railway train movement. The saving of even one human life would be something worth working for.

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Mrs. R. Duncan, of No. 115 McDonel street, Peterborough, Ont., says: "Some thirteen years ago I suffered with a severe attack of la grippe that had until this spring left me in a weakened and miserable condition. The kidneys had been disordered through this and became so inactive that doctors had pronounced it Bright's Disease, and termed my case incurable. My back was very weak and the pains across the kidneys were most excruciating. The urine was highly coloured and contained a quantity of whitish sediment. I had become so discouraged through my years of suffering that I had no care for anything. Booth's Kidney Pills were advertised at the Market Drug Store and I tried them. The first box convinced me of their merits. I used five boxes of the remedy and I have been entirely cured. I am like a new person, well and strong and can sleep through the night and awake refreshed and ready for the day."

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

A Western Agricultural College has discovered a sure cure for hog cholera. Hamilton newspapers are suggesting a supply of the "serum" used for Toronto.

Last year the province of Alberta produced two million pounds of butter, which, at twenty-five cents per pound, netted the 40,000 farmers of the province an average of $13 each.

During November, of 1908, there were only three labour disputes in Canada, affecting 819 employees. The loss in working hours was 5,715 hours, as against 37,800 in October and 19,275 in November, 1907. The Lemieux Act seems to have had a beneficial effect. Conciliation is better than coercion.

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For Indian River, Norwood, Havelock, Tweed	7.51 p m
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	12.31 a m
Going West	**Leave Peterborough**
For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	6.35 a m
For Burketon, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	7.35 a m
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points	4.35 p m

GRAND TRUNK.

	Arrive	Depar
Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Gravenhurst, North Bay, Sturgeon Falls and Toronto	11:40 a.m. 2:00 p.m.	8:35 a.m. 11.45 a.m
Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	8:30 a.m. 5:30 p.m.	9:05 p.m. 5:40 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Cobourg Montreal and East	5:30 p.m	11:45 a.m. 9:05 p.m
Toronto, Lindsay, Stouffville, Uxbridge and Markham	11:40 a.m. 2:00 p.m. 10:10 p.m.	7:10 a.m 5:40 p.m. 11:45a.m
Lindsay Local	9:15 a.m.	9:10 p.m
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	9:10 a.m. 2:00 p.m. 5:55 p.m.	9:20 a.m 1:40 p.m 11:45 p.m
Lakefield and Stony Lake	10:00 a.m. 5:15 p.m.	9:20 a.m 12:20 p.m

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ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF WEST PETERBOROUGH

In the matter of the election of a member to represent the Electoral District of West Peterborough in the House of Commons of Canada.

His Honour, C. A. Weller, Esquire, Judge of the County Court of the County of Peterborough, upon the application of James R. Stratton, a candidate in the election held on or about the 26th October, 1908, of a member for the House of Commons of Canada in the above named district, has approved the following accounts or bills received by the undersigned Official Agent after one month after the date of the declaration of the election, and ordered that the same be paid.

F. L. Robinson $9.00; W. H. Hamilton, $8.20; The Peterborough Lumber Co., $17.75; R. Gibbs, $7.50; M. O'Brien, $8.00; A. Kingscote, $50.00; The Peterborough Examiner, $619.20; Akey & Milburn, $21.

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THE EXAMINER'S SPORTING PAGE

Running Athletics Hockey

ALF SHRUBB SAYS HE WILL RUN LONGBOAT OFF HIS FEET IN 3 MILES

Alf Shrubb is rubbing it into Tom Longboat in New York these days. In an interview in New York Shrubb says:

"I will beat Tom Longboat just as easily as I will beat Dorando Pietri, Johnny Hayes, or any other of the Marathon champions.

"I think that I can train harder than any athlete running to-day. But the results of my hard work speak for themselves, and I will continue to work hard as long as I am in the running game. I don't smoke and only take a drink at meal time. In all my races I never resorted to the use of dope. If my natural system cannot win for me I would rather be defeated.

"I never run unless I feel like it. I know there are many athletes that go out to train when they are not feeling quite well, but they do themselves more harm than good. When I do train I work just as hard as I do in a race. I never jog as some runners do. I run and run hard, and while formerly I ran about six miles now I have increased my distance to about fifteen miles a day.

"About Longboat, he will never be a real champion. I doubt if he could do four miles in 21 minutes, and that's not fast at all. In my coming race with Longboat, without praising myself I want to say that I don't think the Indian has a chance to beat me. I will find him out for three miles and run him off his feet. The Indian is overrated."

FRED SIMPSON AND TOM SLATER BOTH ANXIOUS TO RACE SHRUBB

New York, Dec. 28.—There will be plenty of men to race against Alfred Shrubb in his twelve-mile relay race at Madison Square Garden, on January 9th. In fact, applications for positions on the team who will each race four miles against the English champion distance runner are coming in so fast that it will be hard work to pick the team that will finally compete.

Among the aspiring runners who would like to trim Shrubb are Felix Carbajal, a Cuban; T. P. Morrissey, the Yonkers wonder; W. H. Feeney, of Brooklyn; H. B. Behmar, who claims he ran rings around everybody in Texas and Mexico; Fred Simpson the Canadian Indian; Tom Slater of Troy, the pedestrian; Frank Kenaly, who has competed against Shrubb in previous races; and Mike Spring.

JACK LONDON'S GRAPHIC STORY OF THE BURNS-JOHNSON BATTLE

Jack London, the well known author, has the following graphic reference to the Burns-Johnson fight.

Sydney, Australia, Dec. 28. — The fight! There was no fight. No Armenian massacre could compare with the hopeless slaughter that took place in the Sydney Stadium to-day. It was not a case of "Too Much Johnson," but of all Johnson. A golden smile tells the story, and a golden smile was Johnson's.

The fight, if fight it might be called, was like unto that between a Colossus and a toy automaton. It had all the seeming of a playful Ethiopian at loggerheads with a small and futile white man—of a grown man cuffing a naughty child; of a monologue by one Johnson, who made a noise with his fists like a lullaby, tucking one Burns into his little crib in Sleepy Hollow; or a funeral with Burns for the late deceased, Johnson for undertaker, grave-digger and sexton.

Start of the Battle

Twenty thousand men were at the ringside and twice twenty thousand lingered outside. Johnson, first in the ring, showed magnificent condition. When he smiled a dazzling flash of gold filled the wide aperture between his open lips, and he smiled all the time. He had no trouble in the world.

When asked what he was going to do after the fight, he said he was going to the races. It was a happy prophecy. He was immediately followed into the ring by Burns, who had no smile whatever. He looked pale and sallow, as if he had not slept all night, or as if he had just pulled through a bout with fever. He received a heartier greeting than Johnson and seemed a favourite with the crowd.

It promised to be a bitter fight. There was no chivalry or good will in it, and Johnson, despite his careless pose, had an eye to the instant need of things. He sent his seconds intently into Burns' corner to watch the putting on of the gloves for fear a casual horseshoe might stray in. He examined personally Burns' belt, and announced flatly that he would no fight if Burns did not remove a tape from his skinned elbows.

Tape is Removed

"Nothin doin' till he takes 'em off," quoth Johnson.

The crowd hooted, but Johnson smiled his happy golden smile, and dreamed with Ethiopian stolidity in his corner. Burns took off the offending tapes and was applauded uproariously. Johnson stood up and was hooted. He merely smiled. That is the fight epitomized — Johnson's smile.

The gong sounded and the fight and the monologue began all right.

"Tommy," said Johnson, with an exaggerated English accent, and thereafter he talked through the fight—when he was not smiling.

Several had they mixed when he caught his antagonist with a fierce uppercut, turning him completely over in the air, and landing him on his back.

There is no use giving details. There was no doubt from the moment of the opening of the first round. The affair was too one-sided. There was never a one-sided a world's championship fight in the history of the ring. It was not a case of a man being put out by a clever or a lucky punch. In the first or second round it was a case of a plucky, determined fighter, who had no chance for a look in at any single instant of the fight.

Burns Never a Factor

There was no fraction of a second in all the fourteen rounds that could be called Burns'. So far as damage is concerned Burns never landed a blow. He never phased the black man. It was not Burns' fault, however. He tried every moment throughout the fight except when he was groggy. It was hopeless, preposterous, heroic. He was a glutton for punishment, and he bored in all the time, but a dewdrop in Sheol had more chance than he with the giant Negro.

In all justice it must be urged that Burns had no opportunity to show what he had in him. Johnson was too big, too able, too clever, too expert. He was impregnable. His long arms, his height, his cool seeing eyes, his timing and distancing, his footwork, and his splendid outsparring and equally splendid infighting kept Burns in trouble all the time.

CITY LEAGUE SCHEDULE DRAWN UP; FIRST GAMES WEEK FROM THURSDAY

At a meeting of the senior City League executive held last evening in the Y.M.C.A. the schedule for the season was adopted. As will be seen the League season opens a week from Thursday and will be closed on Thursday, February 4th, a double header being played every Thursday night. President C G Graham was in the chair and there were present Leo Quinn, Lakefield; W J Macnaral, Strathcona; J McNirn, West Ends; R Hall, Belmonts, and J Beanard, T.A.S.

F D Craig was elected secretary-treasurer of the League to succeed B T Huston, who had to resign the office owing to his departure from the city.

The secretary-treasurer was ordered to refund to the Rough Riders their entrance fee of $2 in view of their having dropped out of the league.

A Board of referees consisting of Messrs. Geo Lynch, Ernie Wasson and Harry Morgan was decided upon.

The following schedule was adopted:—

Jan. 7 —T A S vs. West Ends.
Strathconas vs. Belmonts.
Jan. 14—Belmonts vs. Lakefield.
T A S vs. Strathconas.
Jan. 21—Belmonts vs. T A S
Lakefield vs. West Ends.
Jan. 27—T A S vs. Lakefield.
Strathconas vs. West Ends.
Feb. 4—West Ends vs. Belmonts.
Strathconas vs. Lakefield.

FIGHT ARRANGED FOR NEW YEAR'S NIGHT

New York, Dec. 28—Frankie Madden and Tommy Murphy have been finally matched to fight on New Years night after considerable haggling about the weight question. Madden has promised to make 133 pounds at six o'clock. Johnny White has succeeded in bringing the fight about and it promises to be a fast mill. Madden, fluaned with his recent victories believes he can knock Murphy out.

B. A. C. WON DOUBLE-HEADER; BEAT MIDGETS AND BELMONTS

To the tune of the "Campbells are Coming" and other Highland airs rendered by the Glee Club, the B A C's great Scotch trio, Bruce, McCrea and Campbell, jumped into the first division of the ten pin league last night at the P. B. C. by taking four games of their double header, two each from the Midgets and Belmonts thus tieing the last named club for sixth place in the league race. In their first engagement they met the Belmonts and by consistent work took the first two games, the losers with the exception of Pollard in the second game being decidedly off colour. In the third game, however, the Belmonts showed characteristic form and won out by over seventy pins, a margin that enabled them to show a larger pinnage for the evening than their opponents. Pollard, who is easily one of the best match bowlers in Peterborough, was high man with a total of 463, Bruce of the B A C was second.

In the second game the B A C's easily duplicated their earlier performance at their game with the Midgets, postponed from last week, taking the first two and losing the final game. A most peculiar feature of the last game was the fact that it was won by the Midgets on a foul committed by one of their own bowlers. Hanrahan had replaced Craig in this game and on his last frame fouled on a ball that left up an impossible split. When the pins were reset he got a spare and enough pins on the extra ball to give the Midgets the game.

In this game Ernie Bruce was again the best performer, running up a 200 score, in his first string and tieing with Pollard with 463 for the evening's high score. Campbell who was rolling his first game, created a most favourable impression.

To-night Hutch's team meet the Midgets and the Rams are counting on taking at least a couple of games. They have signed Gene Hartbise, the giant wrestler, and he will make his first appearance with the team to-night.

Last night's games follow—

B A C				
Bruce	181	133	152	466
Campbell	136	160	117	413
McCrea	122	176	168	466
	439	469	457	1365
BELMONTS				
Pollard	189	189	155	493
Tanney	139	99	173	411
Wareham	143	135	190	468
	421	423	528	1372
B A C				
Bruce	202	137	154	493
Campbell	163	133	120	416
McCrea	129	153	123	405
	494	423	397	1314
MIDGETS				
Giroux	131	138	109	133
V Craig	98	102	108	308
Hayes	104	131	129	424
	393	371	406	1170

BIG WALKING MATCH AT AUBURN; HOAGLAND WANTS LOCAL CRACKS

In sending to the Examiner the prospectus of the big walking match to be held in Auburn, N. Y., W. A. Hoagland, the well known walker, remarks that he would like to see Spencely, Harrison and Guerin take part in the race, which he says will be a great success. The following gives the particulars—

Sporting Editor Examiner—

Dear Sir—Company M, 3rd Regt., N. G. N. Y., of Auburn, N. Y., will promote a grand International 10 hour, 2 1-2 hours per night, "Square Heel and Toe" Walking Match at the State Armoury, on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, January 13th, 14th, 15th and 16th, 1909.

Contestants to walk from 8 o'clock until 10.30 each evening. 50 per cent. of the gross door receipts to be divided into six prizes. For full particulars, address J. O. Thomas, State Armoury, Auburn, N. Y.

HOCKEY TEAMS GOOD PRACTICE

Intermediates and Juniors Had a Practice Game Last Evening.

The best hockey practice of the season was held last evening, when there was a full line-up of seniors and juniors on the ice, and a lively practise game was played with Len Dobson as referee. The forward line of each team was worked against its own defence for a while and then the juniors and seniors had a go. The senior men out were Deropher, Glover, Parnell, Dusty, Seymour, McWilliams, Weatherstone and Rose, while the juniors out were L. Giroux, Fox Wade, Ray, C. Giroux, Hillier and Pentland. The boys are fast rounding into shape and will have another practice to-morrow night. The juniors have their first game in Wathy on New Year's night.

QUAKERS WIN THEIR FIRST GAME

Defeat Ackermans' in Exhibition Game at Brock Street Rink.

The Quaker Oats Hockey team defeated Ackerman's Leather Workers at the Brock Street Rink last night between ten and eleven o'clock. When the final gong had sounded the Quakers had kalsomined the leather men by six goals to nil. The Quakers lined up as follows: Goal, Callaghan; point, Fred Hyslop; cover point, Ira Moore; rover, Huard; centre, Bill Pratt; left wing, Gillman; right wing, Bellegbem. "Stan" Wade gave general satisfaction with the gong. The game was in the nature of a workout for the teams.

CURLING.

The games played at the curling rink last night were—

Webb, skip 14	Wightman, skip 20
Fitzgerald, skip 7	Hall, skip 12
Giroux, skip 7	Neill, skip 12

HOCKEY

An article on last night's sporting page is somewhat misleading. It stated that the "Belmont Club" met yesterday and appointed Mr. Robt. Hall manager." It would appear that the meeting had been held on Sunday, whereas the article had been written for Saturday's paper and referred to a meeting which had been held on Christmas Day when "Bobbie" was chosen manager. The article had been carried over to Monday's paper and had not been changed.

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All members of Knox Church Guild who intend to play hockey this winter are requested to be out for practise between 7 and 8 o'clock to-morrow night at Knox Rink. The juniors will practise on Thursday night.

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All members of the Y.M.C.A. interested in hockey are asked to be at the building to-morrow morning to arrange for teams for a game on New Year's day.

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The T. A. S. hockey team will practise to-night at the Brock Street Rink between 10 and 11 o'clock, when the following members are requested to be out: Callaghan, Hickey, Conroy, Gorham, Kennedy, Evans, Milloy, Hefferman, Coughlin, McFadden, Dercher, Galvin, Quinlan, Quigley, C. Giroux, Henry and Kelly.

The other members of the club, whose names are not mentioned here, are asked to be out on Saturday night. It has been found necessary to limit the number of men in this way, as there have been so many candidates out that it has been impossible to get full benefit of the practice hours.

The Stratheonas' City League team will practise to-night between 7 and 8 o'clock. The following players are expected out: Wilson, Barber, Roddy, Fox, Dusty, Long, Weatherstone, McMillan, Seymour, Ray and Dobson.

To The Electors of The City of Peterborough.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

I again solicit your votes to elect me to the City Council. I have served in the Council three years, and believe that the experience gained will enable me to give better service another year, and if elected I will do my best in the interest of every part of the city.

I have the honour to be,

Your obedient servant,

G. E. ELLIOTT

4d-125

For Alderman

ARCHIE R. MOORE

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

I respectfully request the support of the ratepayers in favour of my election for Alderman for 1909. I have lived among you all my life, and know the requirements of the City. If elected I promise to faithfully serve your best interests in every way.

Your support solicited.

ARCHIE R. MOORE

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Board of Education

To the Ratepayers of the City

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

I am again a candidate for election as one of your representatives on the Board of Education of the City. By your kind favour I have been one of the members for thirteen years, and I trust that my services have been such as to merit a renewal of your confidence.

Respectfully,

ROBERT FAIR

4d-124

Vote for the People's Candidate

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

Having been again urged to stand for Alderman, I have accepted the nomination and leave myself in your hands. If you re-elect me my motto will continue to be: to practice the same economy in civic affairs as any successful man must practice in his business affairs.

With best wishes for a Happy New Year and a low rate of taxes, I am, as ever, your obedient servant,

WILLIAM BULLER

4d-125

YOUR VOTE and INFLUENCE

respectfully solicited for the re-election of

J. J. TURNER, Jr.

for Alderman

4d-125

Card To The Electors

To the Ratepayers of the City of Peterborough.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

Having been urged by a large number of ratepayers to again stand for the Council, I have consented to do so, and I respectfully solicit your vote and influence for my re-election.

If elected, I will do everything in my power to forward the best interests of the City.

Thanking you one and all for past favours,

I remain, yours respectfully,

W. G. MORROW

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Vote for

W. H. G. ARMSTRONG

For Alderman for the year 1909

and

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Wm. Madill For BOARD OF EDUCATION For 1909

Re-Election of ALD. BRADBURN

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

I have consented to again accept the nomination for Alderman for 1909; if you think me still qualified to further your wishes for another year, the municipal experience I have had is again placed at your service. Being in touch with the unfinished business which goes over to the council of 1909, you will understand the extra responsibilities which go with my re-election.

Yours respectfully,

W. H. BRADBURN

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R. NEILL for Alderman for 1909

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Card From Ald. Phelan

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

Having been again honoured with nomination for alderman, I have accepted the same at the solicitation of a large number of influential ratepayers.

My record in the Council in the past is well known to all, and if again honoured with your confidence, I will endeavour to render efficient service. Such good business judgment as may have qualified me for being of service to the City, will be used to the best of my ability.

Wishing you all the compliments of the season,

HARRY PHELAN

4d-124

Card From Mr. Duffus

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

I have accepted nomination for Alderman at the request of numerous influential ratepayers of the City. If elected, I promise to give diligent attention to the duties of the office. Being a heavy taxpayer and having a good knowledge of City affairs, I feel that I should be of assistance in safeguarding the public interests; and I promise, if elected, to do all that careful judgment can do to promote the welfare of our progressive city.

JOSEPH J. DUFFUS

4d-124

Your **VOTE** and **INFLUENCE**

respectfully solicited for the election of

JOSEPH R. METHERAL

as Alderman.

Election: January 4th, 1909.

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CARD FROM

Mr. BOGUE

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

Having been honoured with a nomination as a candidate for Alderman for 1909, I beg leave publicly to accept the nomination and respectfully solicit your votes and influence. I appreciate the importance and responsibilities of this position, and if elected, I promise that the best interests of the City will receive my watchful attention.

Yours respectfully,

JAMES BOGUE

4d-125

RE-ELECTION OF

ALD. DUNCAN

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

Having accepted the nomination for re-election as Alderman of the City for the coming year, I respectfully solicit your votes and influence.

If I am favoured with your confidence and secure election, I shall do my very best to look after your interests and to faithfully discharge the duties pertaining to the position in such a manner as to, I hope, merit the approval of the majority of the electors.

Wishing you all a Happy and Prosperous New Year,

GEO. H. DUNCAN

4d-125

RE-ELECTION OF

ALD. GILLESPIE

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

At the request of many citizens largely interested in the welfare of Peterborough, I have decided to again accept nomination as Alderman. I trust that the confidence reposed in me last year has strengthened my candidature for a second term. If so, my aim will continue to be the advancement of the progress of our growing city. While I will oppose without fear or favour all useless expenditure, I shall support all wise measures calculated to build up our natural resources, irrespective of wards or boundaries.

Respectfully yours,

GEO. A. GILLESPIE

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NOTICE is hereby given that a Quarterly dividend for the three months ending December 31st, 1908, at the rate of

Six Per Cent. (6%) Per Annum

has been declared upon the Capital Stock of this Institution, and the same will be payable at the offices of the Company in this City on and after

Saturday, the 2nd Day of January, 1909

The transfer books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st day of January, 1909, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,

W. G. MORROW,
Managing Director

Peterborough, December 17th, 1908

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Notice is hereby given that a Quarterly Dividend for the three (3) months ending Dec. 31st, 1908, at the rate of eight per cent. (8%) per annum, has been declared upon the Capital Stock of this institution, and the same will be payable at the offices of the Company in this city on and after Jan. 1st, 1909.

The transfer books will be closed from the 20th to the 31st day of Dec. 1908, both days inclusive. By order of the board,
E. R. WOOD, Man. Dir.

LECTURE ON CUSTOMS OF THE FAR EAST

Given in St. Andrew's Church Last Night by Returned Missionary.

The lecture given in St. Andrew's Church by Missionary Kennedy last night was a great success. Mr. Kennedy represents Queen's Missionary Society of Kingston, and has travelled in Palestine for the last four years, returning a short time ago to study medicine. He intends to return as soon as his course is finished, and may possibly be sent to Constantinople. He is a graduate of Queen's University, and was sent as a master to Bithynia College, in Asia Minor, travelling through the country during his holidays and other spare time with Professor Calander, who worked under Sir Wm. Ramsay, the only great authority on Asia Minor.

The proceeds of this lecture were to go towards the support of two boys, who are being educated in the Far East. The lecture was profusely illustrated with limelight views and was very interesting throughout, Mr. Kennedy telling many stories of the customs of the Turks and Jews of that far country, which were listened to with great interest by all present. He left here this morning for Lindsay, where it is hoped he will meet with greater succes than he did here.

ARTISTIC CALENDARS

Messrs. Sanderson & Co. have issued a rich and attractive calendar for 1909. The handsome features of a fashionably dressed young girl of this period is artistically portrayed in pleasing colourings, making the calendar much sought after by the firm's customers. The design is one of Hamilton King's.

Mr. M Pappas has shown his fastidious taste for the beautiful in the choice of a pretty calendar depicting a bright, gay lady in red, and representing "The Parisian Model." The execution of the calendar is good, and brings out in true costume and coquettish art, the characteristics of the smart beauties of gay Paree. This calendar is by Bryson.

It is the request of Storey & Simpson that all accounts owing them be paid before Jan. 1st 1909.

DEMAND FOR EMPLOYMENT OF HOME ARCHITECTS

"Citizen" Thinks We Should Not Go to United States for Public Library Plans.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

Dear Sir,—Some time ago I noticed that a design for the proposed new library building had been submitted by an American firm of architects. I trust that the men in charge of the building of our new library, on the corner of George and McDonel streets—which is by all odds the most suitable site in the city—will not show such a lack of patriotism, or of faith in Canadian ability, as to go outside of Canada for an architect. We have architects in Canada, and in Peterborough too, thoroughly competent to design and carry out the building of a library which will be a credit to the city, and in proof of this assertion I need only point to our beautiful new Collegiate Institute.

ours truly,
"CITIZEN."

Peterborough, Dec. 28, 1908.

SUN AND SNOW.

Sometimes Help the Hair to go.

In any changeable climate the hair is apt to become brittle and to break off stubby here and there. This makes hair-dressing almost a necessity, especially to ladies. In using a hair-dressing why not get the best one that combines with it the efficiency in killing the dandruff germ, the germ that eats the hair off at the roots causing what is called fallout hair and in time baldness. Newbro's "Herpicide" is that kind of a hair dressing. You have no idea how delightful your scalp will feel, and how stylish your hair will appear, after an application of two of Herpicide. It is certainly a wonderful innovation as a scalp antiseptic and hair-dressing.

Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to the Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. Two sizes, 50c and $1. McDermid and Jury, and 3 boxes for $1.25.

ROYAL THEATRE WAS INSPECTED

Wiring Was Found According to Underwriters' Requirements—Exits Well Placed.

The Royal Theatre was inspected recently by Mr. Van Winkle and Chief Howard and found to be well laid out and the works of a finished order. The electric wiring has been installed in accordance with the demands of the Underwriters. Ample provision has been made for exits which are reported well placed.

Tea acquires a flavour under the peculiar climate of Ceylon that cannot be acquired anywhere else on earth. The delicate fragrance and delightful aroma of "Salada" Tea will please you. Buy a package to-day from your grocer. 104

LOCAL MASONS FITTINGLY CELEBRATE THE CUSTOMARY FESTIVAL OF ST. JOHN'S NIGHT

Installation of Officers and Banquet in Masonic Hall Last Night—Many Bright Speeches Made and Occasion Was Notable One.

THOSE WHO FILL THE CHAIRS

"There is a line, more royal more majestic, than is the sceptred line of mighty crowns."—King Lear.

In accordance with their time honoured custom the members of Peterborough and Corinthian Lodges, A.F. and A.M., gathered in the Masonic Hall last evening to observe the festival of Saint John's Day, by the installation of officers, followed by the annual dinner and post prandial entertainment. It was indeed a red letter night for the members of the Craft who were present in large numbers for the occasion.

The function was a brilliant success in every sense of the word, and was pleasantly marked by the presence of the oldest Mason in Canada, if not in the whole world—Bro. Mantel, of Tilsonburg, who will be 100 years of age next May. Mr. Mantel is hale and hearty, and is the guest of his grandson-in-law, Mr. Edwards, of Cressman's departmental store. Despite his great age he responded to the toast of the visiting brethren in a vigorous after dinner speech, replete with humorous reminiscences and anecdote. While admitting to have passed successively through the stages of childhood and manhood, and on to childhood again, the distinguished and thrice-welcomed visitor displayed a degree of intellectual vigour worthy of many a younger man.

Another exceptionally interesting number was the response of Rt. Wor. Bro. H R H Kenner to the toast of "Canada," his learned address including an instructive review of the comparative histories of France and Britain as empire-building nations, together with Canada's marked advance in science, art, education and literature since the Battle of the Plains of Abraham, that glorious event so recently celebrated at Quebec. In education he thought Canada leads the world. The eloquent speaker left his audience with the thought that Canada has two futures to choose from—that of independence or that of Imperial federation. The former state he characterized as selfish, and the latter as generous and of world-wide influence.

Bro. (Rev.) J R Webb also gave an intellectual treat in his much appreciated lecture entitled "Some Principles of Masonry as exemplified by the life of St. John the Evangelist."

During the evening very acceptable vocal solos were rendered by Bro. W Mellroy, W Bro. Walter Stocker, Bro. H W Morphet and Bro. C M Bennett. W. Bro. John Crane officiated as accompanist in his customary talented manner.

The menu was served by Bro. T Hooper, who catered for the occasion in a style that called for the commendation of all present. V. Wor. Bro. D Spence made a very capable chairman of the banquet, at which he was strongly supported by Wor. Bro. W H Bradburn.

The Installation

The following officers were installed by V. Wor. Bro. D Spence, whose splendid work elicited well deserved eulogy by those present:

Corinthian Lodge A. F. and A. M.

W.M.—W G Morrow.
I.P.M.—T F Matthews.
S.W.—R P Watt.
J.W.—M Comstock.
Chap.—H C Rogers.
Treas.—T A S Hay.
Secy—F D Kerr.
D. of C.—H R H Kenner.
S. D.—H T Gillespie.
J. D.—R M Waddell.
I. G.—H W Morphet.
S. S.—J F Allin.
J. S.—S T Medd.
Organist—W T Holloway.
Tyler—J D Craig.
Trustee—R E Wood.
Auditors—W H Bradburn and W. H. Morris.

Peterborough Lodge

W. M.—Wm. Hill.
I.P.M.—E E Lord.
S. W.—A P McLean.
J.W.—W J Henry.
Chaplain—Rev. J R Webb.
Treas.—A Gibson.
Sec'y—W H Walkey.
D. of C.—D. Spence.
S. D.—A Davidson.
J.D.—W R G Higgins.
I.G.—C E Anderson.
S.S.—A A Fowler.
J.S.—W S Campbell.
Organist—John Crane.
Tyler—E B Wilson.
Trustee—G I Rossel.
Auditors—H Rush and W Menzies.

Toast List

The King, the Protector of the Craft—Proposed by D Spence.

The Grand Master and the Grand Lodge of Canada, in Ontario—Proposed by Alex Gibson. Response by Duncan Walker.

Canada—Song by W Stocker. Response by H R H Kenner.

The Newly Installed Officers—Proposed by John Crane. Response by W G Morrow and W Hill.

Address on St. John the Baptist by Rev. J R Webb.

The Visiting Brethren—Proposed by Dr. Morrison. Response by Bro. Mantel.

The Absent Brethren—Proposed by W H Walkey.

The Retiring Officers—Proposed by R E Wood. Response by T F Matthews and E E Lord.

The Installing Master—Response by D Spence.

The Junior Warden's Toast—By M Comstock.

Acknowledgement Of Gifts To St. Joseph's Hospital

Presents From Those Interested in the Institution Who Recognize Its Charitable Work—Many of the Patients Cannot Pay Their Way.

GRATITUDE IS EXPRESSED

The Sisters in charge of St. Joseph's Hospital wish to return sincere thanks to the following friends of the institution, who have assisted in its maintenance by contributions at Christmas and during the previous year.

Peterborough Council, Knights of Columbus—Brass bedstead and oak furniture for private ward.

Young Ladies of the Sodality of the Blessed Virgin—Mahogany furniture for private ward.

Mr J. W. Fitzgerald, $50.00.
Rev. W. J. McColl, $5.00.
Rev M. J. O'Brien, $5.00.
Rev. P. J. Galvin, $5.00.
Rev D. O'Connell, $5.00.
Rev P J. Kelly, $5.00.
Mr. P McMartin, Otonabee, $5.00.
Miss Nora Devlin, $5.00.
Mr. P. W. O'Brien, $50.00.
Quaker Oats Company, $25.00.
Miss Mary Grady, $25.00.
Mr. M. McFadden, hall rack in handsome oak.
Dr. McNulty, air pillow and quantity of silver.
Miss Lundy, flowers.
Miss Mills, flowers.
Mr. Jas. Hayes, Skibbereen, six bags of apples.
Miss Moher, turkey.
Mr. M. J. Carroll, turkey.
Morris O'Brien, $10.00.
Jas. J. Lynch, candy.

It will readily be seen how very acceptable these donations are, for although this institution is looked upon as self-supporting, a large percentage of the patients are free of charge. During the past year ninety-seven patients, seventy of whom are residents of the city of Peterborough, have been unable to give any remuneration.

Barriers Prevented Jackson Park Toboggan Slide From Being Used

The difficulty between the management of the Radial Railway Company and the party who has a lease of the property through which the last part of the toboggan slide at Jackson Park runs, has not yet been settled, and a result the slide cannot be used. Both parties claim to have a lease for the property, and until the matter is threshed out the young people who were wont to indulge in the exhilarating pastime of tobogganing will have to seek some other place for the pursuit of their hobby. Last night, it is stated, that the gentleman who claims a lease of the property at the south end of the slide, placed a pile of ties across the slide at the beginning of the land claimed by him and thus prevented the slide being used. A large crowd had gone out to the park and they were unable to use the chutes after the first toboggans had gone into the barrier which, despite the protests of the management, was not removed.

THE BACHELORS' DANCE A SUCCESS

Most Enjoyable Affair in the Conservatory of Music Hall.

The dance under the auspices of the Bachelors of Peterborough in the Conservatory of Music Hall last night was a remarkable success, two features being the large attendance and the large number of visitors to the city that were present. Nearly every one seemed to have a visitor and they were all present at the dance. The floor was in excellent shape and the music which was provided by Frolick's orchestra from Toronto could not have been improved upon.

The hall was decorated for the occasion with flags and presented a most attractive appearance. Delightful refreshments had been provided for the occasion by Mr. T. H. Hooper, and these were served by the stewards. The light fantastic was tripped until an early hour.

The patrons of the most successful affair were Mrs. John Crane, Mrs. A. N. Montizambert, Mrs. J. A. Ardmer, Mrs. Peter Campbell, Mrs. W H Hill, Mrs. W. T. Hall, Mrs. R. R. Hall, Mrs. T. A. S. Hay, Mrs. J. R. Stratton, and Mrs. Geo. Rubidge.

The Stewards were Messrs. W S Davidson, W. B. Snow, C. Rogers, A H. Mulhern, D. Davidson, W. E. Hillhouse, Dr A. W. MacPherson, G K Rackham, M. Moore, B. Gillespie, N. J. H. Brown, C. A. Barber, W. C. Ferguson, and C. B. Cameron, hon. sec.

THE CENTRAL CHARITY BOARD

Accounts Passed and Statement of the Orders Given.

At a meeting of the Central Charity Board last night the tender of Wm. Anderson to supply 100 cords of hard wood at $5.30 per cord was accepted. Other tenders received were from the Peterborough Fuel and Cartage Company, Weir & O'Brien, John Johnston and J E A Fitzgerald.

The following statement of orders given was read:

	Since last Meeting.	During 1908
Groceries	$101 00	$845 35
Wood	130 62 1-2	744 17 1-2
Tickets		34 15
Sundries	11 25	420 05
	$242 87 1-2	$2,047 32 1-2

The following accounts were presented and ordered to be paid:

Nurse Ashton	$75 00
A Allison	2 00
R C Braund	4 00
Jas R Bell	10 00
J J Cocks	2 00
C S Curran	4 00
M J Dunford	7 00
J M Donovan	2 00
J E A Fitzgerald	3 75
S J Guthrie	2 00
Geo Goheen	6 00
R Hicks & Co	3 75
House of Providence	84 00
J James	4 00
J E Lillico	12 00
E F Mason & Co	4 00
Protestant Home	76 50
N Boutley	2 00
W J Routley	4 00
D Sullivan	2 00

There were present Messrs. Wm. Fowler, vice-chairman; G Cochrane, Wm. Yelland, Jos. Batten, W. Kemp and F W Miller.

Music and Drama

"AT THE GRAND"

A packed house greeted the Carl W. Cook Stock Company at their opening performance of a week's engagement at the Opera House last night. The piece presented was "Nature's Nobleman," a four act society comedy of Washington, D. C., life. The piece was well staged and every part was in most capable hands and every member of the cast did themselves credit. The costuming was of the best. Between the acts five specialties were offered, that made the performance continuous. They were all high class and a show within themselves. The Marvellous Vade, the feature of the vaudeville bill, presented an act in magic, juggling and balancing that was a headliner and brought forth a big encore. To-night the bill will be a new western drama, "Ranch 7-11," a story of the plains and one of the company's most pleasing bills. An entire change will be made in the vaudeville. Matinees will be given both New Year's day and Saturday afternoon.

A LARGE SHIPMENT OF COAL

Enormous Consignment of Coal Reported For C. G. E. Works.

Carloads of coal are being received almost daily just now at the C. G. E. Works, being part of a consignment which is reported to be of immense proportions. It was brought from Buffalo and unloaded in the yard of the company. It is learned that sometimes as many as ten carloads arrive, and a huge pile is being formed from which it is used as required.

BOTH TRY TO LAND THE COMPANY

Hamilton and Toronto After the Otis-Fensom Company.

Mayor Oliver, of Toronto, strongly favours that city selling the Otis-Fensom Elevator Company, of this city, twenty-two acres of land for $27,500. Some objection is being made because the price is thought to be too law. Mayor Oliver says the same objection gave Hamilton the smelting works. The company, if it goes to Toronto, will employ 500 men, later increasing the number to 1,000. The Board of Control is not unanimously in favour of the deal.—Hamilton Times.

This company is looking for a new location and it is apparently between these two cities as to who will get it.

An Invitation

We cordially invite every one interested in something for New Year's, to visit our store and note the fine lines, perfect quality and moderate prices here shown. Nothing more appropriate than some of the following suggestions.

Gentlemen's Gold Watches
Ladies' Gold Watches
Diamonds Rings
Pearl Rings, lots of designs
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Grecian Vases, Jardinaires and Ornaments, Statuettes, beautiful changing colourings, $5.00, 4.00, 3.00, 2.00, 1.00, all at ⅓ of the price marked.

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All last year and previous copyright books, 1.50, 1.25, $1.00, choice for..... **55c**

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Including: Henty, Alger, Harkness, Oliver Optics, L. T. Muade, Kingston. Before New Year's Price, 50c, 35c, 25c lines for **22c**

Fancy Goods at 1/3 off

Brush Comb Sets, Manicure Sets, Shaving Sets, all reduced ⅓ for New Year's.

Bags and Purses reduced for New Years. We sold more leather goods than any two stores owing to our quality and price. They're all reduced this week.

Pictures at 25% reduction. Some pretty subjects left at ¼ off the regular price.

New Year's Calendars and Cards at half price and lower. No use carrying over for another year.

We want a big New Year's rush to complete a very successful year.

Come and assist us. We thank you for past favours. Hope for a continuation of same.

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Our LINEN SALE

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Linen Damask, 60 ins. wide, half bleached, extra heavy quality. Linen Sale Price, per yard ..... **.23**

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163rd Bargain Annex Event To-morrow---8:10 a. m. to 5:30 p. m.

Flannelette Blankets

Good size Flannelette Blankets in Silver grey or white, best quality in the trade. Just 75 pairs in the lot to be sold in this week's Annex at less than the actual mill cost. Positively none sold to dealers. New Year's Annex Price **75c**

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Men's and Boys' Flannelette Working Shirts, light and dark striped materials, all sizes and regularly sold at 40c. This is an exceptionally large purchase and must be sold now' Note the reduction. Positively none sold to dealers. New Year's Annex Price.

15c

Two O'Clock Not Before

Flannelette—500 yds. light and dark striped Flannelette, full 32 ins. wide, always retailed at 9c. In the New Year Annex, lengths of 5 to 10 yards only

6½c

Men's Underwear

Two lines that must be cleared out in the New Year Annex:—

No. 1 — Men's Undershirts only, heavy Scotch knit, about 7 doz. in lot. Regular 50c, New Year Annex Price **.29**

No. 2—Men's Shirts and Drawers, elastic ribbed, easily the best line in the trade at 75c. New Year Annex Price **.49**

Heavy Wool Hosiery

33 dozen of Children's, Misses', Women's and Boys' heavy ribbed Wool Hose, a complete range of sizes from 7 to 10. Worsted finish, close ribbed, reg. prices 25c to 35c. New Year's Annex Price.

(See Window)

19c

Felt Hat Shapes

Nearly 100 Ladies' Felt Hat Shapes, in all styles and shades, reg. prices were 1.00 to 2.50. Must be cleared out before stocktaking. Annex Price **19c**

White Bearskin Coats

Only 32 in the lot, in straight or curl hair, these coats are just the thing for children of all ages, warm neat garments. Reg. $2 to $3. New Year Annex **1.10**

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Latest Productions arriving daily from the world's best composers—pianist at your service.

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LACK OF TEAM WORK BEAT EDMONTON; WHITCROFT AND PATRICK THE STARS

Montreal Dec. 28— The opening game for the Stanley Cup was not exactly a love feast, as hockey brand of hockey served up was not of championship order. What the game lacked in team play and mid-season perfection was made up by hard, close checking and general rough-house tactics. The result of the game is to give the Wanderers a tighter hold on the silverware and to make its removal to Alberta's capital a remote and doubtful prospect.

Seven to three is the tale that has to be told. The half-time score was 3 to 2 in favour of the Edmonons, and for a time their followers had visions of the Stanley Cup adorning the western captial. In the second half the game was all Wanderers, and they had the westerners played out. The fault of the Edmonton team lay in poor team work. Individually they compared very favourably with the Wanderers, and with proper team work would make a championship team. As it was there was practically no team work. Every man took a rush when he felt like it, and while at times it made a spectacular showing, it did not get goals. For Edmonton, Lester Patrick was easily the star, and no mar on the ice had anything on him. Not only was he able to break up the rushes of Ross, but his own rushes were always dangerous. He was ably seconded by Whitcroft and altogether Edmonton's defence was very strong. In addition to their lack of team work the westerners were hardly in condition to stand the fast pace set at the outset.

The game started off with a rush with close hard checking. For awhile the westerners has the Wanderers going, but the fine staying qualities of the latter stood them in good stead. In the second half Edmonton did not score a goal, while the Wanderers continued to rain shots on the westerners' goal. Tom Phillips was hardly in form to-night and failed to play his usual brilliant game. Smith of the Wanderers was also somewhat off colour. While an aggressive hard worker his shooting was off to the bad and as a result he missed many chances to score. Both teams appeared to be somewhat nervous, and overanxious and offsides and penalties were frequent. Referee Bowie and Judge of Play Kirby were very strict and penalized every offence.

The general opinion is that the Wanderers team is the better, probably due more to their superior condition and their better team work. With proper rounding into shape Edmonton could work up a team that would equal anything in the country, but this rounding-up process will come too late to help them to lift the Stanley Cup.

The line-up of the teams was as follows.

Edmonton—Lindsay, goal; Patrick, point; Pirie, cover; Whitcroft, rover; Vair, centre; Phillips, right wing; McNamara, left wing.

Wanderers—Hern, goal; Ross, point; Small, cover; H Smith, rover; Glass centre; Johnson, right wing; Gardner, left wing.

Referee—Russell Bowie. Judge of Play—C. Kirby.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

There are a few people yet who have not paid their accounts to us and as our terms are cash, we will thank parties to remit or call and pay at once, as we do no twant 1908 accounts to go into 1909. If anyone has any accounts against us we will thank them to present same at once or before the end of this year when same will be paid. Respectfully

J J. TURNES & SONS Yours

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WEDDING BELLS

POLLARD—COVENEY

A very pretty and quiet wedding took place Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Pollard, Syndicate Avenue, when Miss Florence Coveney, of Peterborough, became the bride of Mr. Wm. E. Pollard, of this city.

The bride looked charming in an Empire gown of bisque eolienne with trimmings of lace and pale blue vevet, her only ornament being a sunburst of pearls, the gift of the groom.

The impressive ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Haydon, pastor of the Bpatist Church, in the presence of just the immediate relatives.

Congratulations over the party sat down to a dainty wedding breakfast, after which the happy couple left amid showers of rice and good wishes, for their new home on Fredericа street.—Fort William Daily Times-Journal.

SIMPSON—McGUIRE

On Wednesday last the wedding took place of Miss Mary Alice McGuire, of Penetanguishene, to Mr. John M. Simpson, principal of the Bobcaygeon Public School. Mr. Ben Simpson, of the staff of the Hamilton Collegiate Institute, was groomsman.

Y.M.C.A. OPEN TO BOYS OF CITY ON NEW YEAR'S DAY

Open house on New Year's Day is the hospitable decree of the management of the Peterborough Young Men's Christian Association. All boys between the ages of nine and eighteen will be welcomed and entertained at the buildings, between the hours of nine and twelve o'clock, and all the privileges of the institution—gymnasium, reading rooms, parlours, etc., will be placed at the disposal of the visiting boys. All boys, and that means all boys, will be made welcome and a Y. M. C. A. welcome means what it says.

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY RECEIVES DONATION OF $100

The Children's Aid Society gratefully acknowledge the receipt of the following donations:

Executors of the Estate of the late Mrs. A. C. Dunlop	$100 00
Friend	5 00
J. E. A Fitzgerald	5 00
Geo. Lipsett	2 00
D. M. Moore	2 00

The New York Stock Market

(Furnished by J. N. Barber.)

	Opening	Closing
A.O.P	81⅛	83⅛
Atch	101½	101⅝
B.R.T.	68⅛	67⅝
C.P.R.	177½	177⅝
Erie	34⅝	34⅞
Great Northern	147⅝	146⅝
L.N.	124⅝	128
Mo. Pac.	66⅝	65⅛
Northern Pacific	143	143
N.Y.C.	124½	122⅞
Penna	131⅜	131⅜
R.I.	24⅛	24⅜
Rdg.	141⅛	140⅜
Smelters	85⅞	83⅛
Soo	133⅜	133½
St. Paul	151	150½
S.P	121⅛	121⅛
U.P.	148⅜	148⅛
U.S	55	54⅜
U.S. pf'd	112⅞	112⅜
Twin City	95⅛	96⅛
Nipissing	10⅛	10⅛
May-Wheat	108⅜	107⅛
" Corn	60⅜	61⅛
May Oats	51⅛	51⅞
" Pork	16.50	16.50

evening from 7 to 8, when a full attendance is requested.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to the many who extended to me their patronage during Christmas week.

I will do my best to merit a continuance of the same.

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Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 25 cents each insertion in either the Daily or Weekly Examiner.

BIRTHS.

MORGAN — At 333 Reid street, Peterborough, on Thursday, December 24, 1908, the wife of Mr. Harry P. Morgan, of a son.

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They are better than usual, embracing the newest ideas.

Our prices are as attractive as our goods.

So come early for the best pickings.

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TOWN TOPICS

PROBS—Fair to-day. Wednesday — Strong winds, occasional snow or rain in most localities.

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Piano tuning promptly attended to. Satisfaction guaranteed. A. F. Hoover, 222 McDonel street. 'Phones — Bell 190k, Mach. 199.

Particular

—If you are particular about the way your clothes look, send them to "My Valet," 204 Charlotte street, and and have them cleaned, dyed, repaired an dpressed. All particular people do.

Mr. G. Evans Spoke

—The Y. M. C. A. boys' meeting at 4.15 yesterday was addressed by Mr. George Evans, of Peterborough. The meeting was not large, but full of interest.—Hamilton Times.

Drivers' Ball

—The annual ball, under the auspices of the Drivers of Peterborough, will take place in the Ashburnham Hall on January 14th. A good orchestra has been secured for the occasion.

Is Your Piano in Tune

—The change of season effects pianos as well as everything else. Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, practical piano maker and tuner, with 28 years experience, attends to all orders left at Mr. H. S. MacDonald's drug store.

Joining Stock Company

—Mr Peter L. Grant left to-day for Rochester, where he is booked to join the New York Stock Company. He has been in the city for some months, prior to which he was with "The Perils of a Great City" Company.

Election in South Monagan

— South Monaghan, Dec. 28.—Considerable interest was taken in the nominations for South Monaghan to-day which resulted as follows:—For Reeve—G C Campbell, J A Whitee For Council—John Greer, Wm Waterman, Jas Jackson, Chas. Weeks, Jas. Latimer, Thos. Anderson, Robt. Thompson, H Dawson, M Willan and Thos Henry Perrin. Four are to be elected.

NEW YEARS NEAR

We mention a few of the Xmas necessities which we now have in stock. Table Raisins, Pulled Figs, Fresh Figs, Fresh Shelled Nuts, Golden Dates, Grape Fruit, California, Florida and Mexican Oranges, and the very best new Nuts. Also "Sealshipt" Oysters. S. A. OKE

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

THE EXAMINER welcomes all Items of Interest for this column. Phone 28½ or send post card with name and address.

Miss Grace Lee of Toronto, is the guest of Mrs. Harry Thompson.

Mr Arthur Vass returned yesterday from a week's visit in Toronto.

Miss Allison Hamilton of Rochester N. Y., is home for a few days holidays.

Dr. and Mrs. McWilliams of Keene were up for the Bachelors dance last night.

Miss Lillian Cox of Toronto, is the guest of her aunt Mrs Pearce, Walton street.

Mrs. R J Elliott has left to spend New Years the guest of her mother in Lindsay.

Mr. Samuel Caldwell, of Perrytown is visiting Mr. T. M. Caldwell, 89 London street.

Mr. Bert Armstrong of Ottawa, who was here for the holidays returned home to-day.

Miss Jessie Starr of Toronto is the guest of Miss Mary Gibson, George street, for a few days.

Mr. W. B. Snow of the Bank of Ottawa has returned from spending the Christmas holidays in Ottawa.

Miss Eva Firth of Toronto is spending the Christmas vacation with Mrs. C G Graham, 188 Dalhousie street.

Mrs R. E. Wood, assisted by her friend, Miss Knight, will receive at the National Hotel to-morrow.

Dr. W Pakenham spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E Pakenham, Manning avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. John R McBain, 107 Aylmer street, have returned from Madoc where they spent the Christmas holidays.

Mr A. J. Ritchie, Seattle, Wash. is home for the holidays, the guest of his mother, Mrs. John Ritchie, 620 Stewart street.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hardill, returned to Orillia last evening, after spending the Christmas holidays in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. George Koehler, of Rochester, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John Butcher, Burnham street, East City.

Mr. Albert Taylor, Divinity Student of Wycliffe College, Toronto, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. an dMrs. Taylor, Westcott street.

Mr. J. W. Wormald, carpenter and joiner, is leaving the city co-night to take up a constant situation at his trade in the Canadian Pacific Angus Car Shops, Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Goodwill spent Christmas at the home of the latter's parents in Kingston. Mr. Goodwill returned to Peterborough last night, but will rejoin his wife for New Year's.

Through inadvertence in yesterday's paper a mistake was made in regard to hte name of Miss Heintsman. Instead of Miss "Rosie" Heintzmann the notice should have read Miss Rose Heintzmann.

Mr Rich. Dawson, who has been a few days at his home in this city, returned to Orillia last evening.

Mr Ker Crane left to-day for Montreal for a few days' visit. He expects to see the Edmonton-Wanderers' Stanley Cup game to-morrow night.

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If you have overlooked giving a present in Furs for Xmas, what more appropriate time is there for choosing one for New Year's Day?

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10 dozen Beautiful Fancy Collars in silk and chiffon. Many sample collars, this season's newest styles. Worth regular 50c and 75c, all this week, your choice..... 25c and 38c

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These make pretty and useful Gifts when trimmed with ribbon. Regular value 25c. This week your choice for..... 15c

BOXED FRILLINGS

3 dozen Fancy Boxed Frillings, 3 large frills to the box, white and coloured, regular value 50c. Your choice, per box 25c

SAMPLE SILK BELTS

5 dozen beautiful Silk Belts worth regular from 50c to 1.00. Your choice this week for 25c

EMBROIDERED HANDKERCHIEFS

All this week we will offer some extra special values in Handkerchiefs at 8c, 10c, 12 1-2c, 15c

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Harry Adams

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To-night—"Ranch 7-11."

Local Vocalists Have Joined Operatic Company In Toronto

The two daughters of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Edwards, who recently went to Toronto, have joined an operatic Company formerly known as the Oriole Opera Company, but which will travel under a different name this year.

Miss Mae Edwards was well known as a soloist of the All Saints Church choir, and was greatly missed when she left to take her position in Toronto. Her voice which is very strong soprano, will be of great benefit to the chorus if indeed it does not raise her to the role of leading lady.

Mrs. Elliott, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwards, has also joined the same company. She has a very high soprano voice and was heard here in Peterborough but seldom, when she sang at concerts or evening parties. The company is to be congratulated on securing two such splendid voices, which are sure to do credit to the city.

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Mi-o-na tablets quickly arouse the stomach from its inaction and in a short time it is able to do its work properly.

Harry Dodd, of Bridge street, Hastings, Ont., says: "For seven years I had suffered and spent much money doctoring, but all to no avail. I could eat but very little, as the food would ferment and sour, making gas, which caused serious heart depression. I was in constant misery, sour gas would belch from my stomach, I was languid and weak and had no ambition. I did not feel like going anywhere or seeing anyone. There was a constant dull pain in the pit of the stomach. I was unable to sleep, was nervous, restless and would awake more tired than on going to bed. I tried Mi-o-na and soon found relief, and in less than six weeks Mi-o-na had completely cured me.

Wm. Madill, the druggist, sells Mi-o-na tablets at 50 cents a large box, under a rigid guarantee to do all that is claimed for them or money back.

OVERLOADED

On this account and by reason of the unusually mild and unseasonable weather, the well known firm of

Lang & Maher, Peterboro'

have been forced to place their stock in the hands of a Clearing Agent to dispose of and liquidate in the shortest possible time.

THE SALES MANAGER HAS BEEN INSTRUCTED TO TURN IT INTO CASH AT ONCE

Therefore—To the People of Peterborough and Vicinity; I as manager of Salvage and Clearing Sales make this proposition:— If you want these goods or will ever need them, buy now, buy before the 9th day of January 1909, as that day will see the close of the biggest Men's Clothing and Furnishing Sale ever placed before the Men of Peterborough.

Do Not Fail To Realize What This Means

A clean, new, seasonable, up-to-date stock, owned by a well known firm whose reputation for square dealing and honest advertising has never been questioned.

This is the kind of stock that is to be thrown on the market, that you are asked to buy, that is to be sacrificed without reserve to raise the necessary cash.

$17,000 of Men's and Boy's Clothing and Furnishings--- Suits, Overcoats, Raincoats, Pants, Sweaters, Shirts, Collars, Suspenders, Handkerchiefs, Gloves, Mitts, Socks, Underwear, Caps, Neckwear, Etc., Etc.

HERE ARE A FEW SAMPLE PRICES

Men's Linen Handkerchiefs	5c
Men's Working Suspenders, 25c kind	10c
Men's Working Wool Sox, 20c kind	10c
Men's Cashmere Sox, 35c kind	19c
Men's Fine Wool Underwear	39c
Men's Heavy Ribbed Wool Underwear	49c
Boys' All Wool Sweaters	49c
Men's All Wool Sweaters, $1.50 kind	98c
" Fine Dress Shirts	39c
All the Stock of Boys' Underwear, in Fleece, Wool, Merino, etc., selling at 50c. going at	27c
Men's Working Pants	79c, $1.10, $1.29
" Fine Worsted Pants, $4.00 kind	$2.49

Men's Single and Double Breasted Tweed Suits, reg. $7.50, and $8.50 for **$4.95**

50 Men's Suits, regular $15.00 and $18.00 qualities for **$10.00**
This is a well assorted line of Men's First-class Suits that it is imperative to clear out.

A Table of Boys' Suits. The regular prices of these Suits are $3.50 and $4.00, to be cleared out at **$2.45**
First Comers will get the plums

The Season's Stock of Men's Overcoats almost untouched. They must be unloaded this week, cost no object. Here's a sample.

Men's Tweed Overcoats, in all sizes, latest styles in patterns and cloth. Selling regularly for $8.50 to $10, to unload at **$4.90**

Extra Special in Men's Overcoats, Pure Wool, Scotch Overcoating, Velvet and Self Collars, newest styles, sold everywhere for $18.00, to unload for : : : **$10.00**

Store is closed for stocktaking till Wednesday, December 30th, 9 a. m. That hour will inauguarate the sale of all sales in the history of Peterborough. Don't miss it, if you do you'll regret it

STOCK OF LANG & MAHER

409-411 GEORGE STREET, PETERBOROUGH

In the Hands of F. J. HABGOOD, Sales Manager, for Disposal

Look for Announcement of Special Illustrated Service—"THE EARTHQUAKE DISASTER"

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THE EXAMINER has a much greater regular, average bona-fide CITY circulation than ANY OTHER Peterborough News paper. All Advertisements are accepted with this distinct GUARANTEE.

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THE GOLDEN LION STORE

PROBS—Strong winds and gales, southerly, shifting to westerly and northwesterly, mild with occasional rain or sleet to-night, decidedly cold during the night. Thursday, gales becoming very cold.

If you have overlooked or forgotten some friend, or received a gift from some unexpected source

New Year's Day

offers an opportunity of a graceful acknowledgment

A HOST of BARGAINS in GIVEABLE ARTICLES awaits you TO-MORROW (Wednesday) and THURSDAY at FAIR'S

HAND BAGS to be cleared at each **50c**
Leather and Steel and Jet Beaded Bags, formerly $1.25 to $1.75

FANCY SILK BAGS to be cleared at each.. ... **35c**
Prettily made Silk Bags in Black and Colours, formerly 75c to $1.25

65 PAIR KID GLOVES will be cleared at pair .. **35c**
Superior quality Kid, principally Black and White, in sizes 5¾, 6, 6¼ ; formerly $1.00 to $1.50 per pair

CHILDREN'S HANDKERCHIEFS to clear, *12* for **20c**
Coloured, Bordered and Picture Handkerchiefs, formerly 3c each

MEN'S LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS to clear, each **10c**
Large size, pure linen hemmed Handkerchiefs, formerly 15c each

MEN'S LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS to clear, each **12½c**
Full size, pure linen hemstitched Handkerchiefs, formerly 18c each

CHIFFON AUTO SCARFS to clear at each ... **35c**
Full size, Silk Chiffon Scarfs ; Colours Tuscan, Cardinal and Reseda Green, formerly 75c

CREPE-DE-CHENE AUTO SCARFS to clear each **50c**
A rich, silky Scarf in Reseda Green, Navy Blue and Cardinal, formerly $1.00.

HANDSOME SILK BLOUSE LENGTHS 5 only **5.00**
Beautiful fancy French Blouse Silk, formerly $7.50 ; 5 yards in each length

HAND MIRRORS 3 only **85c**
Bevelled Plate Glass with Nickel Frames, formerly $1.25

FANCY BLOUSES 6 only, to clear at each.... **6.50**
Black, White and Ecru, Allover and Net Blouses, formerly $9.00 and $10.00.

NET BLOUSES 5 only to clear at each. **3.50**
White and Ecru Net Blouses, very pretty styles, formerly $5.00 and $5.50

Owing to the extremely low prices on these articles, none will be exchanged or allowed out on approbation.

Robert Fair & Co.
LIMITED

THE GOLDEN LION STORE

ESTABLISHED 1873

New Year's Gifts

If Low Prices count, we will try and make the City Clothing Store the busiest in town until New Year's. Too heavy stock in

Men's, Young Men's and Boy's Suits
Men's, Young Men's and Boy's Overcoats
Men's, Young Men's and Boy's Reefers

No excuse for anyone celebrating the New Year without a new outfit.

Neckwear	Mufflers	Handkerchiefs	Gloves
Shirts	Collars	Cuffs	Hosiery
Braces	Sweaters	Umbrellas	Hats and Caps
Fancy Vests	Cardigan Jackets	Pyjamas	House Coats

Extraordinary Chances in Underwear of all grades.

H. LeBRUN & CO.
TWO ENTRANCES—GEORGE and HUNTER STREETS

The Royal Bank of Canada
is a Bank of
STRENGTH and PROGRESS

	Capital and Reserve	Deposits	Total Assets
1900	$3,700,000	$12,000,000	$17,000,000
1908	8,290,000	35,000,000	48,000,000

Peterborough — V. EASTWOOD, Manager

For New Year's

Fine Watches

If you are thinking of giving a watch New Year's then our large stock will be of interest to you. Remember, in buying a Watch quality is what counts every time. Some Watches are dear at any price. We pay most particular attention in selecting our movements.

FOR LADIES—In Gold Filled Cases, hand engraved designs, not common patterns, but all entirely new, with fine movements guaranteed by us, from $10.00 up. For Solid Gold 14 Kt. Cases, the prices start from $24 up.

FOR MEN—In Gold Filled Cases they are priced from $10 up. In Solid Gold 14 Kt. Cases, from $25.

FOR BOYS—We have a good, strong Knock-about, in a Nickel Silver Case for $3., and a finer finished one for $5.25.

AT
SCHNEIDER'S
Marriage Licenses Issued

Down Go the Prices of CIGARS AND PIPES

After Christmas, all our brand new stock goes at deep cut prices.

Come and get your supply for the New Year from one of the best selected lines in Canada. Can't be beaten in low prices and A No. 1 quality. Bargains for all.

M. PAPPAS
337 GEORGE STREET

ROYAL THEATRE
348 George St.
10 a.m. to 12 noon—1.30 to 6 p.m.
7 to 11 p. m.

TO-DAY'S NEW PICTURE

"The Test of Friendship"

A splendid clear film, one thousand feet long. First production.

Miss Guerin will sing —

"Yesterday"

ADMISSION 5 CENTS

DR. YOUNG
305 Stewart Street, Peterborough, Ontario. Specialties—Surgery and Diseases of Children. Both Phones 347. 1y-dw

Keep Warm This Winter

Now that the cold days are here you should provide yourself with a Chamois Vest.

This is the most comfortable thing you can wear, especially driving, as it keeps out the wind and protects the lungs.

All sizes for ladies and gentlemen.

NUGENT DRUG CO., 386 George Street

Appointments may be made at any time to have your eyes examined by **A. A. FOWLER**, Eyesight Specialist.

OFFICE PHONE 332. : : HOME PHONE 636

ENTERTAINED THEIR BIBLE CLASS

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Collier Were the Hosts of a Delightful Gathering Last Night.

The members of the Mispah Bible Class of the Charlotte Street Methodist Church were very pleasantly entertained last evening by Mr. and Mrs. H. B Collier at their residence, Weller street last evening. Some twenty young ladies were present and had a very enjoyable evening. The time passed very pleasantly in games and music and refreshments were served. During the evening some business in connection with the class including the election of officers took kplace. The gathering broke up at 12 o'clock after a most enjoyable evening in which the host and hostess did everything in their power to give the members of the class a good time.

THE PARK STREET WATCH NIGHT

Service Has Been Arranged for To-morrow Night.

Arrangements have been completed for a watch night service at the Park street Baptist church to-morrow night conducted by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Riddiford. The service will commence at 8.30 and for the first hour the programme will be of a literary nature. From 9.30 to 10.30 the service will be social in character and from 10.30 to 12 o'clock will be devotional.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

There are a few people yet who have not paid their accounts to us and as our terms are cash, we will thank parties to remit or call and pay at once, as we do no twant 1908 accounts to go into 1909. If anyone has any accounts against us we will thank them to present same at once or before the end of this year when same will be paid. Respectfully
J. J. TURNER & SONS Yours
4d—124

ENNISMORE TO HAVE A CONTEST

Messrs. Young and Perdue are in the Field for Reeveship.

There will be a contest in Ennismore next Monday, both for the reeveship and council, and considerable interest is being taken in the fight among the people of the township. The nominations were held on Monday of this week and resulted as follows:

For Reeve—Messrs. Young and Perdue.

For Councillors—Messrs. Costello, O'Connor, Cavanagh, Harrington, T. H Crough, O'Reilly and W H Crough.

COOK COMPANY SCORE BIG HIT

Mr. Cook's Own Play, "Ranch 7-11," Was Enthusiastically Received Last Night.

A well filled house, greeted the Carl W Cook Stock Company at The Grand Opera House last night, when they presented, Mr. Cook's own play, "Ranch 7—11" a new story of the plains. The bill was as far different as could be from the offering of the night previous, but pleased equally as well. It gave the entire company a chance to show their versatility. An entire change was made in the vaudeville and some new and novel numbers were offered that pleased. To-night the bill will be Mr. Mark Swan's great story of life along the coast of Maine, "In His Power," a piece that has plenty of strong dramatic situations, tells a pretty story, Plenty of heart interest pathos, and good wholesome comedy. The Vaudeville will again be changed. Matinees will be given both New Year's and Saturday afternoons.

The officers of St. Peter's Y.A.S. and their wives were entertained last night by Mr. P Kane at his residence on Rubidge street. An enjoyable time was spent in games, music and a pleasant evening was the result.

TWENTY CANDIDATES START IN THE MUNICIPAL RACE WHICH PROMISES TO BE ONE OF CLOSEST

Eight Contestants for the Four Vacancies on School Board—Time is Near at Hand When Citizens Will Make Their Choice.

NINE NEW CONTESTANTS

Twenty candidates for the city council and eight for the Board of Education had filed the required qualifications with City Clerk Armstrong at nine o'clock last night, when the allotted time had closed.

Those who will stand for aldermanic honours are given as follows, with the members of last year's council mentioned first,—Wm. Fuller, W. G. Morrow, Robt. Neill, W. H. Bradburn Geo. E. Ellis , J. J. Turner, jr., Hy. Phelan, George A. Gillespie, Harry W Morgan, A. A. Mein yre Robert Hicks, Jas R. Metherel, Archie R. Moore, Jos. J. Duffus, W. H. G. Armstrong, George H. Duncan, James Bogue, John D. Craig, Alex. Gibson, and Andrew Brown.

Of the 44 nominees, 24 failed to register their qualifications.

For School Trustees

Of the ten who were nominated for the Board of Education two have dropped out and the following eight will stand for election—E. A. Morrison, B. F. Ackerman, Robt. Fair, W. S. Robinson, E. V. Frederick, M. McClelland, Wm. Medill and E. F. Mason.

Twelve of the twenty nominees for the council will be elected and four vacancies are to be filled on the Board of Education.

The first four of those mentioned above were on last year's Board.

There was some discussion among those who were assembled in the city building last night, when the prescribed time was concluded and the last name received. It was remarked that there would be likely a large vote polled on account of the many friends of the candidates. It was generally considered that the list was almost without exception a strong one and a close contest would likely be the result.

This Solder Does Not Stick; Neither Does The Peddler

A lady residing in the West End of the city has asked the Examiner to sound a note of warning to the house wives of Peterborough in connection with the visits from door to door of *a certain individual who pretends to* be conferring a boon upon humanity in the shape of a solder that is supposed to be perfect in its results. He has been successful in disposing of a large quantity of the article in question and in leaving is careful to state that the article to be soldered must be left for several days to allow the solder to harden. The Examiner's informant states that the solder is as soft as putty and is useless, while there have been no signs of a return visit from the peddler.

Dry Goods And Clothing Stores Will Close At Ten On Saturdays

Commencing next Saturday night the local clothiers will close their stores at ten o'clock, and will continue to do so. This was decided some time ago and those who have been in the habit of shopping late will see to it that they procure their necessities earlier than in the past. This change will not affect some of the stores for they have been accustomed to closing at the hour of ten, but there are many who remained open before midnight until the last straggler had wended his way homeward and the streets were appearing deserted and lonely.

It is not known what action the other merchants will take. The most of them try to get away shortly after ten o'clock if possible. It is a business axiom that there is no money in turning away customers. The change will be appreciated by the clerks who have been used to late hours.

Contest In North Monaghan; Seven Candidates Running

There will be an election in North Monaghan this year and considerable interest is being taken in the contest for the council, as there are seven candidates in the field. The race promises to be exceptionally hot. All the old council which was composed of W C Bowden, Geo. H May, E A Dobbins, and H J Forster, is in the field, and the new candidates are Walter McKee, Jas. Morrow and John F Clarke. All are well known and the contest is likely to arouse much interest in the township.

Switchboards From Former Local Office In Lindsay's New Service

The Bell Telephone System in Lindsay has recently undergone a change similar to that which occurred in Peterborough last winter, and have besides enlarged the capacity. There are two local and three longdistance switchboards in the Lindsay service now and these were used in the old office that was situated on George street.

New Year's Reception At Y.M.C.A.; Cordial Invitation Extended

The Board of Directors and Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. will be "At Home" to the members and subscribers and their lady and gentleman friends on New Year's Day, between the hours of 2.30 and 5.30 p.m. The arrangements have been completed for the affair, which promises to be most successful, and a very enjoyable time may be expected, as no effort that will tend to make the occasion a notable one, is being spared. There will be a musical programme and refreshments will be served during the afternoon, while the guests will have an opportunity of inspecting the handsome building and its fittings. It is hoped that this invitation will be accepted by a large number of citizens, who will find that they can pass New Year's afternoon very profitably as the guests of the Y. M. C. A.

In the morning the building will be thrown open to the boys of the city, who are cordially invited to come and make use of all the privileges of the association.

Father Fitzpatrick Thrown From Sleigh And Injured

While driving into Peterborough on Monday afternoon, Rev. Father Fitzpatrick was thrown from his cutter on the road, north of the bridge, and seriously injured. He had taken the east road from the cross and was driving west towards the bridge when his team suddenly became frightened at something and ran away.

Father Fitzpatrick was bruised and cut about the head. He was assisted by neighbours, who took him to his home where he is confined to bed. The horses were stopped about a mile farther west.

Rev. Father Fitzpatrick's many friends sincerely hope that he will be around in a short time.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to the many who extended to me their patronage during Christmas week.

I will do my best to merit a continuance of the same.

V. E. CREBAR.
168 Charlotte street.
Fruit and vegetable dealer. Telephone 550. 8d124—1716

Whirr—Whiz—

—at the bottom

TOBOGGANING is a most exhilarating pastime. And when one is prepared with warm comfortable togs the pleasure is greater than ever.

Sweaters and Toques

Warm, natty garments in the latest styles and weaves at right prices.

Sweaters : all that is new—prices range,

$1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.25

Toques : in long or short styles, in natty colour combinations, prices

25c and 50c

Cressman's

Toggery Shop
389 George St., Peterboro'

Store open to-morrow night.

THE FARMERS' INSTITUTE MEETINGS

Supplementary Meetings Have Been Arranged for Next Week.

Arrangements for the supplementary meetings in connections with the West Peterborough Farmers' Institute have been completed. The series will open on Tuesday afternoon Jan. 5th at 1.30 o'clock in the Stewart's Union Hall, Otonabee and there will also be an evening meeting at the same place. On Wednesday, Jan. 6th there will be afternoon and evening meetings in the Temperance Hall fourth line of Smith, and on Thursday, an afternoon meeting in the Council Chamber, Peterborough; and an evening meeting in the Town Hall, N. Monaghan.

The special speakers sent out by the Department will be Messrs. C. F. Alward and E. W. Kitcher, Lovering, Ont.

Miller's Worm Powders, the medicine for children. Sold by J. D. Tully, druggist, Peterborough.

KICKS

They tell a story about two frogs. The frogs fell into a pail of milk. One lost heart, sank to the bottom and drowned. The other started to kick so vigorously that in a short time he had churned the milk into butter, and stepped out of the pail and his predicament at the same time, licking his feet.

If you have "a kick coming" it may be just as well to ventilate it. Write it on a postal card and send to the Kick Editor, Peterborough Examiner, for publication next Saturday. Your first chance to "kick" in the new year.

NEW HACKS AND HORSES FOR HIRING

Have Been Purchased for Livery on Hunter Street.

Akey & Milburn, livery firm, have purchased two new hacks which will be in use on the first of January. These hacks have all the latest furnishings, and are being shipped from London, Ont. They have also purchased two splendid teams for driving purposes, which will be shipped here at the same time from Port Perry.

Miller's Grip Powders cure. Sold by J. D Tully, druggist, Peterborough.

WANTED.

VETERANS' SCRIP BOUGHT. HIGHEST cash price paid at your home bank. Write J. H. McDiarmid, Saturday Night Building, Toronto. 6d 126 4769

MEN WANTED AT ONCE ON SALARY and Expenses. One good man in each locality with rig or capable of handling horses to advertise and introduce our guaranteed Royal Purple Stock and Poultry Specifics. No experience necessary, we lay out your work for you. $25 a week and expenses. Position permanent. Write W. A. Jenkins Manfg. Co., London, Ont. 6tf ecw wtf-45

WANTED — WORK OF ANY KIND, sawing wood, taking out ashes or any odd job by respectable man. Apply at this office. dh 3d

WANTED — ORGANIZER IN PETERborough for first-class social and beneficial order; good remuneration. Address R. B. A., Land. National Club, Toronto. 30d 112 4698

HOUSES AND ROOMS TO LET

TO RENT — SUITE OF ROOMS OVER J. C. Turnbull & Company's store, Hunter Street; the rooms have all modern conveniences. Rent $18.00 per month; immediate possession. Apply 427 George street. tf

TO RENT—OFFICE No. 12 IN BANK OF Commerce Building; heated, possession immediately. Apply at 427 George Street.

HOUSES TO RENT — MODERN, EASY Warmed, bath, water, light; rent low. Apply 376 Water street. Phones: House 547 L. Office 498 L. dtf

TO RENT — HOUSE No. 243 RUBIDGE street; hot water heating and all modern conveniences; immediate possession. Apply 427 George street. d-tf

HOUSES TO RENT

Houses to Let at reasonable rent. Apply for particulars at W. H. BRADBURN'S OFFICE over Dominion Bank, corner George and Simcoe Streets. dtf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE — BED COUCH, NEARLY new; small range and kitchen table. Apply 507 Water street. 3d 126 4784

FOR SALE — COW. APPLY TO MR. Butler, 468 Chamberlain street. 3d 125 4763

FOR SALE — TEN SHARES FULLY paid up stock in the Peterborough Sandstone Brick Co., worth $50.00 per share; 25 per cent. will be given if sold at once. Apply Examiner office. 1m 125 4637

FOR SALE — 320 ACRES RAW WHEAT Land, Moose Jaw, Sask., district, twelve hundred dollars cash. Owner: R. J. Healy, 134 Shuter street, Toronto. 1m-99-4444

ALL KINDS OF ADVERTISING NOVelties, Pocket Mirrors, Tape-Measures Hand Mirrors, Paper Weights, Match Holders, etc. Samples at the Examiner office.

FOR SALE—ALL KINDS OF RUBBER Stamps. Apply at Examiner office.

WE ARE SOLE AGENTS FOR PETERborough and the territory between Toronto and Kingston for the Parisian Novelty Co., and have samples of all kinds of advertising novelties on hand. Call and see them at the Examiner office.

FOR SALE

Nice Frame House corner lot, nicely painted and papered, city water, size of lot 40 x 80, for $1,650. This property is a snap—party leaving city.

Beautiful Brick House double parlors, winter kitchen, summer kitchen and wood shed, 4 bed rooms, bath room, complete electric light fixtures, furnace, cement cellar floor and cement walks to front and side entrance. This can be bought for $3800.

Snaps in Houses and Lots in all parts of the city. Send in your list of houses to rent or sell, we can handle them. Head Office of Northern Life Assurance Co; Ocean Accident and Guarantee Co; Peterborough Sandstone Brick Co., Ontario Coal Co.

R. A. ELLIOTT & CO.
Real Estate Agent

FOR RENT

Double House corner of Harvey and London Sts—all conveniences—good Furnace—Rent Low. apply

H. C. STABLER & CO.
350 WATER STREET
Houses and Lots for sale on easy terms.

FOR SALE

HOUSES
In variety, size, location and price.
LOTS
high and low in price.
FARMS
Several near the city.
INSURANCE
Good and Honourable Companies.
W. MIGHT, 326 George Street Both Phones

A NEW YEAR'S GIFT

Why not make your wife a good substantial New Year's gift in the shape of a house and lot? The place to secure this is at

A. Brown & Co.
306 Water St.
Phones: Office 126., House 474 L
Office open Saturday evening only

Good, Warm, Cheap, Second Hand
CLOTHING, BOOTS, ETC.,
JAY'S Second Hand Store
300 AYLMER ST.
TELEPHONE 623
Send Sales Bucket, Cases and Bags.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED — DINING ROOM GIRL. APply Munro House. 3d 125 4764

WANTED AT ONCE — EXPERIENCED Cook. Apply Snowden House. 3d 125 4760

WANTED — A PANTRY GIRL AT Oriental Hotel. 3d 124 4743

WANTED — A YOUNG LADY TO TAKE charge in the school in the Barnardo Home for two months — January, February. School to open January 4. Apply Miss M. E. Pierce, any morning between 11 and 12, or any evening between 7 and 8. 3d 126 4755

SITUATIONS WANTED.

SITUATION WANTED BY CAPABLE and respectable woman at housework where she can go home in the evening. Apply at this office. d dh

LOST.

LOST — ON TUESDAY EVENING, A small gray Hand Satchel, thought to be on George street, between Smith and Charlotte streets. Finder please leave at this office and oblige. 3d 126 4794

LOST — A DEER HOUND, MARKED yellow and white, answers to the name of "Togo." Finder will please communicate with the Examiner office. 3d 125 4763 0

LOST — SUNDAY EVENING, ON AYLmer street, or G. T. R. Track, a Sable Fur. Finder will kindly return to this office and receive reward. 3d 124 4747

MISLAID — A PAIR GENTS MOCHA Gloves. Will finder kindly leave at Examiner office.

EBONY CLOTHES BRUSH LOST ON Tuesday, Dec. 23rd, between Peterborough Bookstore and Richard Hall & Son. Finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving at Examiner office. dh

FOUND.

FOUND — A SMALL PARCEL ON Tuesday afternoon. Owner can have same by applying at this office. 1d

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If so, consult us. We handle all classes of property such as Dwellings, building lots, business places, Commercial Sites, Factory and Mill Property, Market Gardens and Farms. As this is the holiday season we invite attention to some of the real bargains we have to offer.

J. T. O'CONNELL & CO.
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Real Estate, Fire and Live Stock Insurance

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Orders for Pleasure-Driving, Weddings and other events promptly attended to.

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DEERS' HEADS A SPECIALTY. A stock of foreign and native birds always on hand for sale. Dealer in Eyes, Artificial Leaves and Frosting; also importer of Foreign Birds and Skins from all countries. Best Nature Study Books.
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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 30th

THE ITALIAN HORROR.

Words are utterly inadequate to express the horror and extent of the character of the earthquake catastrophe which overwhelmed Calabria and Sicily, the sections of Italy destroyed by earthquake. Imagination only can faintly picture the dreadful intensity and sweep of a cataclysm which has swallowed up in a few moments a population one hundred times greater than that of the city of Peterborough. The death roll is estimated to reach between 100,000 and 175,000 names. There has been correspondingly destruction of property and obliteration of dwellings and the suffering of the survivors will be widespread and intense. The Italian earthquake will go down in history as one of the greatest, if not the greatest seismic horrors of which there is record. From proximity we got a better idea of the San Francisco earthquake of April, 1906, in which only a thousand lives were directly lost. One can only compare the suffering when 100,000 or 150,000 lives are involved, can only dimly picture the horror of a scene where thousands of dwellings are shaken into ruins, burying their inmates, and where those who are not killed outright are burned to death in the succeeding flames. The suffering of our fellow men and women and children in Italy strongly appeals to the practical sympathy of all our people, and it is hoped that measures to send relief from Peterborough and all the rest of Canada will speedily be adopted.

Since the twelfth century—1137, earthquakes have destroyed 532,600 lives, accepting 150,000 as the total death roll of last Monday.

FINANCIAL CRITICISM.

It is understood from hints thrown out by the Conservative press that the line of attack to be assumed by the Opposition next session of Parliament will be an arraignment of the financial policy and administration of the government. Of course, Mr. Foster will lead the criticising cohorts, but the memory of the people is not so short as to permit them to forget that Mr. Foster was, in his day, one of the most reckless finance ministers the country ever had. They will remember that his financial ability consists largely in the faculty of finding fault—of telling how things should be done, but not in doing them. They have only to compare the Fosterian era of deficits, the millions added to the public debt with Mr. Foster at the helm of finance, with the regime of Mr. Fielding, to appreciate the contrast. The burden of debt imposed by Mr. Foster has been a hampering circumstance to the present government, with comparatively little to show from the obligations so incurred and necessary to meet. In the twelve years during which Mr. Foster, as Conservative finance minister, reigned, the total ordinary public expenditure exceeded the total revenue by $4,984,902. In the twelve years of Liberal administration the total revenue exceeded the total ordinary expenditure by the great sum of $113,039,106. Otherwise expressed, the average annual surplus in the twelve year period—nine and one-quarter millions per year—was twice as great as the deficit total of four millions odd under Mr. Foster's brilliant management.

No one will deny that there has been liberal expenditure under Liberal administration, and no one will deny that, in the main, it has been judicious, justifiable, defensible. It has been liberal expenditure in a double sense—Liberal because made by a Liberal Government, and Liberal in that it was incurred on Liberal principles—to meet the demands of a progressive policy, to provide means for national development and growth. As the country grew; as, under a vigorous Liberal immigration policy, settlement seized upon and population occupied new areas; as immensely enlarged production demanded increased transportation facilities; as demands for improved means of communication with our best market, the British market, became resistlessly exigeant, the government had to respond. The increasing commerce of the west, both outward and inward, called for improvement of our internal waterways and general improvement of transportation facilities. The enlargement of our canals, the continued construction of the Trent Valley Canal, the deepening of the St. Lawrence channel, the improvement of the harbours of our seaport metropolis, Montreal, and a thousand other allied improvements, and the construction of another transcontinental railway, were all indispensable wheels in the machinery of our national development. All these things cost money, and called for the liberal expenditure of public money, justified, both on the score of national necessity and on the score of having the money with which to do the work. Under Liberal rule we have had unexampled prosperity. When the Liberal party took power in 1896 the annual revenue was thirty-six millions of dollars. Under reduced rates of customs' taxation, with improved trade, increased prosperity, the revenue swelled each year under Liberal rule, until last fiscal year it reached ninety-six millions—nearly three times greater than a dozen years previous.

It is the duty of the Opposition to closely criticise the expenditures of the government. It is a pleasure to know that Mr. Fielding's record will stand the severest fair criticism.

The eighteen months' old Lemieux Act is receiving many compliments as to its effectiveness in the adjustment of the conflicting interests of labour and capital.

CANADA'S GREAT GOLD MINE.

Canada's harvest, in 1908, was worth 432 millions of dollars, enough to pay the national debt of 263 millions and leave a balance large enough to build the government section of the Grand Trunk Pacific, 1,800 miles, at the generous figure of $75,000 per mile, and have 94 millions left to deepen the Welland Canal to twenty-two feet, to complete the Trent Canal and build a wharf on the front of the city property from the "Quaker Oats" building to the C. P. R. bridge. Or, to put it another way, the balance after paying the national debt—169 millions—divided equally would give $26 to every man, woman and child in the Dominion. Last year's crop of 432 millions of dollars was five times greater than the whole mineral production of Canada in 1907. It could provide paid-up capital for four and one-quarter more chartered banks than we have in all Canada. The total bank note circulation of all our chartered banks would have to be increased six and one-half times to pay for the crop of 1908. The value of the soil crop of Canada for 1908 was three times greater than the gross earnings of the 22,000 miles of Canadian railways in 1907. The soil crop value—432 millions dollars—of Canada would pay for the total Canadian exports of 1907, the products of our mines, of our forests, of our fisheries, of our animals and our manufacturing establishments, and leave a balance sufficient to pay a year's wages to every man, woman and child employed in all the manufacturing establishments of the Dominion of Canada. The farm is the great source of riches and the farming guild gilds the land with wealth. Therefore "stick to the farm" is not bad advice to give the farmers' boys and girls. It is a bank that never stops payment.

The interest paid on the national debt of Canada in 1871 was $5,165,304, in 1901 it was $10,807,955, and in 1906 it had fallen to $6,712,771.

GRAFT IN THE KITCHEN.

All the graft is not confined to Government and Municipal departments. The evil seems to have fairly well permeated all classes of society. A complaint made to a New York newspaper by a butcher that he was the victim of grafting cooks employed by the well-to-do customers prompted an investigation that led to astonishing results. Practically it may be said as a consequence of the investigation that every householder who entrusts the purchases of food supplies to his servants has to pay the graft levied by these people upon the merchants with whom they deal.

Some dealers have at different times made efforts to break away from the custom, but unsuccessfully. The cook is too powerful. Denied her commission, she can very easily render the meat supplied by the butcher unsatisfactory. It is not a good thing to place meat under a hot water tap just previous to cooking it, and the cook knows it. She also knows other ways of attaining the same end and she utilizes them, so that the butcher is apt to lose this customer through no fault of his own.

It is true that he can appeal to the customer and tell him why he is getting poor results; but what is the use? When a man is fortunate enough to secure a good cook he thanks twice about summarily dismissing her.

Butchers asked their experience in this regard produced letters from their customers. One man wrote that it was easier for him to pay the 5 per cent. commission demanded by his cook than to find another as satisfactory, so would the butcher kindly add the 5 per cent. to his bill. That is the way of it. There is so much interior service offered that when a man who has money is lucky enough to find competent household help he is willing to pay much more than the market price for it—almost anything in fact—rather than have his domestic peace disturbed.

WHERE SAVAGES BEAT US

The rude, uncultured savage did not sit most of the day in a padded office chair, a carriage or car. His food was not prepared by a chef. He had to hunt for something to eat. And dinner, when he got it, was none too rich.

But the rude, uncultured savage did not suffer from indigestion, constipation, biliousness, headaches, as we civilized beings do. Exercise and the amount of fruit and fresh vegetables in his diet, kept liver, bowels and kidneys working right.

None of us want to go back to the days of wigwams and tomahawks but a lot of us certainly would like to have the digestion of the savages.

We can, by taking "Fruit-a-tives." "Fruit-a-tives" act directly on the stomach, liver, kidneys and skin, and keep these organs in perfect condition. "Fruit-a-tives" bring back lost appetite and sound digestion to the Dyspeptic—regulate the bowels of those who suffer from Constipation — and build up the whole system. Trial size 25c. Regular size 50c, or 6 for $2.50.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

To-day a letter addressed to the "leading minister," was placed in the post office box of a resident clergyman. The envelope contained a mass of closely typed matter relating to the 'second coming." The writer, a Toronto dentist,, has in the professional process of pulling the "wisdom" teeth of patients for years, perhaps drawn more than his share of wisdom from the mouths of the public. Anyway he claims that "the God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob has commissioned him to declare the end of the world forty-five years from December 12th, 1908." So we have till 1953 to get our change ready for ferryman, Charon.

PRESENTATION TO MISS J. CONDON

Remembered by Her Pupils at S. S. No. 8, Douro.

On Tuesday evening, December 22nd, the pupils and teacher of S. S., No 8, Douro, entertained the parents and others in the section.

The programme consisted of recitations, readings and dialogues. The musical part of the programme was very ably looked after by Miss Mary Quinlan and Mr. George Whibbs.

One of the chief features of the entertainment was the Christmas tree and Santa Claus, who presented the children with their presents.

The children presented their teacher with a handsome lamp, accompanied by the following address: Miss Josie Condon, Douro, Ont.

Dear Teacher,—We, the pupils of S. S. No. 8, Douro, take this opportunity to make a few remarks to you.

We cannot review the past without thanking you for all you have done for us, yet we are sorry we have not been more attentive, but we hope you will pardon our youth and waywardness. However, rest assured that your labour has not been in vain, for in you we recognize a devoted teacher and constant friend.

Although we know that when we enter our class room next year, you will not be here to greet us with a pleasant "good morning," and your kind disposition, which made our school life a pleasure, we are pleased to learn that you are not going far from us, and we may often have the pleasure of seeing you.

In recognition of your untiring zeal on our behalf, and the many noble qualities which you possess, and which claim for you a warm place in our affection, we beg of you to accept this lamp, not at all for its intrinsic value, but to try in some way to show the esteem in which you are held by us, your pupils.

Wishing you a merry Christmas and a happy and prosperous New Year.

Signed on behalf of the school.
Maggie Coughlin, Willie McCarthy, Maggie Whibb, Odo O'Toole, Willard Slater, Vina Farley, Edith Slater.

REPORT OF S. S. NO. 8, DOURO

The report for S. S. No. 8 is as follows. Names are in order of merit.

Senior IV.—Maggie Whibbs, Vina Farley, Edith Slater.
Junior IV.—Cecil McCliggott, Willard Slater.
Senior III.—Maggie Coughlin, Joseph Whibbs, Odo O'Toole, Wm. McCarthy.
Senior II.—Mattie McCarthy, Clayton Cranley.
Junior II.—Roy Slater, Irene Farley.
Part II.—Minnie McCarthy, Lillie McCarthy.
Part I.—Nellie McCarthy, Esther McCarthy, James McCliggott, Thos. Whibbs.
Teacher—Miss Josie M. Condon.

EMILY COUNCIL IN BY ACCLAMATION

Emily council has been re-elected by acclamation. A nomination meeting was held in Omemee Monday and the Clerk, Richard J. Grandy, received nominations as follows—

Reeve—Robt. Boate.
Councillors—Wm. Cottingham, Robert Wilson, Wm. Herlihey and Jas. Courtney.

These men comprised the council of 1908 and will be in office for 1909 also.

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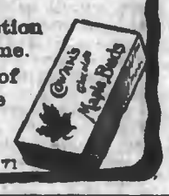

The Cowan Co. Limited, Toronto. 71

Card of Thanks

Peterborough, November 10th, 1908.

Messrs. Dunis-Thompson Co'y, Limited, Peterborough, Ontario:

Dear Sirs,—I beg to acknowledge receipt to-day of cheque from The London Mutual Fire Insurance Company in full settlement of my claim for loss by fire, which occurred just three weeks ago.

I wish to thank you and your Company for the liberal and satisfactory manner in which my loss has been adjusted and paid, and would heartily recommend the London Mutual to the insuring public

Yours truly,
[Sgd.] THOMAS YOUNG.

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Capital Paid Up, -	$14,400,000
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	$26,400,000

The Bank of Montreal at the end of its fiscal year, October 31st, 1908, added another $1,000,000 to its Reserve Fund, thus further emphasizing its great strength and stability.

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A Savings Bank account is the best safeguard against misfortune, being always ready and available, and earning interest all the time.

Consideration for one's family demands that all heads of households should provide against the day of adverse conditions, and there is no simpler way than by laying systematically from time to time a portion of income or earnings in a Savings account.

Deposits can be made from One Dollar up, and withdrawals can be made at any time, without notice or delay.

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CHIEF MALONE HAS BEEN ARRAIGNED

Chief of Police at Simcoe Sent For Trial at Assizes.

WILKINS TELLS OF CRIMES

Victim of Shooting Goes on Stand and Gives List of Fires Started and Places Robbed by His Superior—Was Afraid of Malone, Who Had Threatened to Kill Him—May Plead Insanity.

Simcoe, Dec. 30.—Ex-Chief of Police A. W. Malone was committed for trial at the Assizes in February by Magistrate John Beemer yesterday afternoon on a charge of attempting to murder Constable Wm. Wilkins in Lynwood Park shortly after midnight Dec. 1.

When the magistrate announced his intention of sending the accused up for trial a decided murmur of approval swept over the 1,500 spectators.

But the real climax was reached when, after Mr. Kelly had entered another impressed plea for bail on the ground that Constable Wilkins, who laid the charge, was admittedly a thief and as deserving of being locked up as the prisoner, the venerable magistrate refused. Thunderous cheering and applause shook the auditorium as the vast crowd gave vent to its long pent up feelings. It was fully five minutes before order was restored.

Never was so much interest evinced in a trial here. For hours before the court house opened the steps and lawn weres warming with eager people. Rigs drove in from every direction, some coming 20 miles. Many families brought lunch and remained in the building through the noon intermission in order to be assured of standing room.

Wilkins and Dr. Stanton were the only witnesses produced by Crown Attorney Slaight.

Defence Counsel Kelly did not call any witnesses, and it is hinted that in the failure to balk a committal he may plead insanity of the "dementia paresis" species on behalf of his witness.

Wilkins was pale, and showed the effects of his painful experience, from which he has not fully recovered. His left eye was covered with a white patch. The sight is gone.

Briefly he rehearsed the story in what was thought to be his anti-mortem statement while in the sanitarium on Dec. 1. He further told of two robberies and several fires in which both he and Malone were implicated and assigned a motive for the shooting to the fact that Malone was afraid of him because he "knew too much" and that "dead men tell no tales."

In fact, he declared that it was Malone who did all the thieving, the holding-up of fakirs at the county fair for hush money on threats of arrest and the ignition of several buildings, including Madden's fire June 16, the race track barn Sept. 10, Assistant Crown Attorney Agar's barn, West & Peachey's boiler house and Schuyler's cellar.

Wilkins disclaimed any belief that himself was guilty of theft, so long as the plunder was given to him second hand. The best that the attorney for the defence could get from him was: 'He did it and I was there."

As the regular night duty man, it was Wilkin's duty to enter all occurrences in a book, and this volume was produced. Witness admitted that all the details of the above depredations, which were skilfully disguised so as to look quite natural, were penned by his hand; but he insisted that Malone dictated them to him. He practically had to do everything Malone told him to do, "because," he faltered, "I was afraid of him."

He said that Malone had fired Agar's barn while he was standing near, in order to get even for an unpaid bill for $5 for getting out an affidavit in a horse-stealing case.

Witness said that on one occasion when he expressed some fear of discovery if these pilferings kept up, the chief said to him: "Keep your mouth shut. Don't let anyone pump you. If you do your life won't be worth a candle."

Brantford Has Scandal

Brantford, Dec. 30.—An investigation is promised here to probe into charges which are being formulated against certain aldermen, in reference to the recent killing in council of the local option bylaw.

Bribery is hinted in connection with other matters before last year's council. A sensational scandal, it is said, will be the outcome, when charges are laid.

Wrestler Fights For Freedom.

Stratford, Dec. 30.—Frederick Hanson, the Danish wrestler, sentenced to Kingston Penitentiary for three years for carrying explosives, made a desperate effort to escape when being taken to the station yesterday morning. Before he could be handled he was shackled hand and foot and loaded into a truck. He fought three officers viciously.

Those Dangerous Films.

Manchester, Conn., Dec. 30.—A film caught fire in a moving picture show in the American Hotel block Monday night, and the 35 persons were obliged to make their escape through windows. Sixteen guests of the hotel also made a hurried exit. The building was destroyed.

Elected by Acclamation.

Dublin, Ont., Dec. 30.—Nominations held in the police village of Dublin for police trustees resulted in Dr. Mitchell, Alex. Darling and Frank McConnell being elected by acclamation.

Bartender Suicides at Calgary.

Calgary, Dec. 30.—Richard Sydow, a German bartender, blew out his brains yesterday morning while demented. His widow is in Brockville, Ont.

Leg Broken While Coasting.

Stratford, Dec. 30.—Mary Keyes, aged 12, had her leg broken while coasting on the postoffice hill yesterday afternoon.

Fourteen Years For Ruef.

San Francisco, Dec. 30.—Abraham Ruef, formerly political boss of San Francisco, yesterday was sentenced to 14 years in the state penitentiary at San Quentin.

Sentence was pronounced by Judge Wm. P. Lawlor, who presided over Ruef's trial on the charge of bribing a member of the Schmitz board of supervisors in the award of an overhead trolley franchise to the United Railways.

Excitement In Guelph.

Guelph, Dec. 30.—This city is experiencing the most exciting municipal contest in years. There are five candidates for mayor and 62 for aldermen, and two tickets, civic reform and the retail merchants, are pressing the claims of their respective candidates. Last night a mass meeting was held and excitement ran high.

Will Move the Address.

Ottawa, Dec. 30.—The honor of moving and seconding the address in the Commons in reply to the speech from the throne has been entrusted by the Government to W. F. Todd, M.P. for Charlotte, N.B., who defeated G. W. Ganong, ex-M.P., and I. Turcotte, M.P., who defeated M. Robitaille, ex-M.P., in Quebec County.

Toughs Assault Police.

London, Dec. 30.—At one o'clock yesterday morning at the corner of York and Wellington streets, Police Constables Robinson and MacRae were set upon by a gang of toughs. Robinson was badly injured, sustaining internal injuries caused by the thugs jumping on his stomach.

Report Delayed.

Stamford University, Calif., Dec. 30.—By order of the State Department and the British Foreign Office the date for the report of the International Fisheries Commission has been postponed from Jan. 1 to June 30.

Snowstorm In Britain.

London, Dec. 30.—The British Isles are experiencing a severe snowstorm. In Scotland the train service is tied up and many factories have closed down. In London a fine snow is falling.

Bishop Farthing Honored.

Kingston, Dec. 30.—A gold pectoral cross from the Clerical Club of Ontario Diocese and a pastoral ring from St. George's Cathedral were given the bishop designate of Montreal yesterday. Dean and Mrs. Farthing were also given a parting tribute from the congregation, an address and a handsome solid silver service.

Bye-Election In Alberta.

Edmonton, Dec. 30.—A bye-election to fill the vacancy in Lethbridge, caused by the resignation of W. C. Simmons, will be held Jan. 19, nominations Jan. 8. Donald McNab, Laborite, is the only nominee in the field.

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4d-125

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

Having been nominated for the position of Alderman, at the request of a large number of the ratepayers, I have consented to become a candidate.

I am opposed to personal solicitation, believing that the office should seek the man.

Through the medium of the public press I respectfully solicit your vote and influence to secure my election, and, if elected, I will endeavour to discharge the duties pertaining to this office to the best of my ability.

Respectfully yours,

ALEX GIBSON

3d-126

Re-Election of

ALD. BRADBURN

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

I have consented to again accept the nomination for Alderman for 1909; if you think me still qualified to further your wishes for another year, the municipal experience I have had is again placed at your service. Being in touch with the unfinished business which goes over to the council of 1909, you will understand the extra responsibilities which go with my re-election.

Yours respectfully,

W. H. BRADBURN

4d-125

RE-ELECTION OF

ALD. GILLESPIE

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

At the request of many citizens largely interested in the welfare of Peterborough, I have decided to again accept nomination as Alderman. I trust that the confidence reposed in me last year has strengthened my candidature for a second term. If so, my aim will continue to be the advancement of the prosperity of our growing city. While I will oppose without fear or favour all useless expenditure, I shall support all wise measures calculated to build up our natural resources, irrespective of wards or boundaries.

Respectfully yours,

GEO. A. GILLESPIE

4d-125

Board of Education

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

Your Vote and Influence are respectfully solicited in behalf of my re-election, as member of the Board of Education for the coming year. I have endeavored during the past two years to serve your interests faithfully, and if favoured again with your confidence will use my best efforts for the advancement of Education in this city.

Respectfully Yours,

W. S. ROBINSON

3d126

To the Electors of the City of Peterboro

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

I have again accepted the nomination for the position of Alderman for the coming year. If I am elected I will endeavour to do my utmost for the best interests of the City. My position on all matters has heretofore been clear, and I will continue to act in this manner if I am elected.

Thanking you in anticipation of your support, I beg to remain,

Your obedient servant,

HARRY MORGAN

3d-126

Dr. McClelland,

For Board of Education

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—

In deference to the wishes of many of the ratepayers, I have consented to my nomination for the Board of Education. I will, therefore, esteem it a favor to have your support on behalf of my election.

M. McCLELLAND

Re-Elect M. A. Morrison

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

Your VOTE and INFLUENCE for the re-election of

M. A. Morrison.

3d126 for Board of Education for 1909

To The Electors of The City of Peterborough.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

I again solicit your votes to elect me to the City Council. I have served in the Council three years, and believe that the experience gained will enable me to give better service another year, and if elected I will do my best in the interest of every part of the city.

I have the honour to be,

Your obedient servant,

G. E. ELLIOTT

4d-125

For Alderman

ARCHIE R. MOORE

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

I respectfully request the support of the ratepayers in favour of my election for Alderman for 1909. I have lived among you all my life, and know the requirements of the City. If elected I promise to faithfully serve your best interests in every way.

Your support solicited.

ARCHIE R. MOORE

4d-125

Board of Education

To the Ratepayers of the City

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

I am again a candidate for election as one of your representatives on the Board of Education of the City. By your kind favour I have been one of the members for thirteen years, and I trust that my services have been such as to merit a renewal of your confidence.

Respectfully,

ROBERT FAIR

TO THE ELECTORS

Ladies and Gentlemen

Having been nominated for Alderman, and having been urged by a large number of all classes of citizens to remain in the field, I have decided to do so. If you think I will represent you well, I will be pleased to secure your vote and influence to insure my election. I have always been very much averse to personal canvassing, but I assure you I will appreciate your support all the more because it is given unsolicited, and I promise, if elected, to do my best without fear or favour.

Yours respectfully,

ANDREW BROWN

3d 126

Vote for the People's Candidate

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

Having been again urged to stand for Alderman, I have accepted the nomination and leave myself in your hands. If you re-elect me my motto will continue to be: to practice the same economy in civic affairs as any successful man must practice in his business affairs.

With best wishes for a Happy New Year and a low rate of taxes, I am, as ever, your obedient servant,

WILLIAM BULLER

4d-125

YOUR VOTE

and INFLUENCE

respectfully solicited for the re-election of

J. J. TURNER, Jr.

for Alderman

4d-125

Card To The Electors

To the Ratepayers of the City of Peterborough.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

Having been urged by a large number of ratepayers to again stand for the Council, I have consented to do so, and I respectfully solicit your vote and influence for my re-election.

If elected, I will do everything in my power to forward the best interests of the City.

Thanking you one and all for past favours,

I remain, yours respectfully,

W. G. MORROW

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1909

Card of Thanks

To the Ratepayers:—

In retiring from the Municipal arena on this occasion, I wish to thank most heartily the gentlemen who moved and seconded my nomination on Monday and also the public generally for the support they have always given me during the past five years and that I have been their representative, I am most grateful for the confidence that they have shown in me during that time and regret that owing to pressure of business it will be impossible for me to accept the nomination so kindly offered me on Monday. Again expressing my thanks to my Mover and Seconder, I am, Yours faithfully,

W. J. JOHNSTON

Card From Ald. Phelan

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

Having been again honoured with nomination for alderman, I have accepted the same at the solicitation of a largest number of influential ratepayers.

My record in the Council in the past is well known to all, and if again honoured with your confidence, I will endeavour to render efficient service. Such good business judgment as may have qualified me for doing of service to the City, will be used to the best of my ability.

Wishing you all the compliments of the season,

3d-126

HARRY PHELAN

Card From Mr. Duffus

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

I have accepted nomination for Alderman at the request of numerous influential ratepayers of the City. If elected, I promise to give diligent attention to the duties of the office. Being a heavy taxpayer and having a good knowledge of City affairs, I feel that I should be of assistance in safeguarding the public interests; and I promise, if elected, to do all that careful judgment can do to promote the welfare of our progressive city.

JOSEPH J. DUFFUS

4d-126

Your **VOTE** and **INFLUENCE**

respectfully solicited for the election of

JOSEPH R. METHERAL

as Alderman.

Election: January 4th, 1909.

4d-126

CARD FROM

Mr. BOGUE

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

Having been honoured with a nomination as a candidate for Alderman for 1909, I beg leave publicly to accept the nomination and respectfully solicit your votes and influence. I appreciate the importance and responsibilities of this position, and if elected, I promise that the best interests of the City will receive my watchful attention.

Yours respectfully,

JAMES BOGUE

4d-125

RE-ELECTION OF

ALD. DUNCAN

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

Having accepted the nomination for re-election as Alderman of the City for the coming year, I respectfully solicit your votes and influence.

If I am favoured with your confidence and secure election, I shall do my very best to look after your interests and to faithfully discharge the duties pertaining to the position in such a manner as to, I hope, merit the approval of the majority of the electors.

Wishing you all a Happy and Prosperous New Year,

GEO. H. DUNCAN

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NOTICE is hereby given that a Quarterly dividend for the three months ending December 31st, 1908, at the rate of

Six Per Cent. (6%) Per Annum

has been declared upon the Capital Stock of this Institution, and the same will be payable at the offices of the Company in this City on and after

Saturday, the 2nd Day of January, 1909

The transfer books will be closed from the 17th to the 31st day of January, 1909, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,

W. G. MORROW,
Managing Director

Peterborough, December 17th, 1908

CENTRAL CANADA LOAN & SAVINGS COY.

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Notice is hereby given that a Quarterly Dividend for the three (3) months ending Dec. 31st, 1908, at the rate of eight per cent. (8%) per annum, has been declared upon the Capital Stock of this Institution, and the same will be payable at the offices of the Company in this city on and after Jan. 1st, 1909.

The transfer books will be closed from the 20th to the 31st day of Dec. 1908, both days inclusive.
By order of the board,
E. R. WOOD, Man. Dir.

JUDGE FRANK SMITH IS ALL RIGHT

It Was Not the Buffalo Horseman Who Was Involved in Last Week's Tragedy.

The Toronto Star says:—When it was reported that Judge Frank Smith, the starter, was the victim of a tragedy in Detroit, there was a general wave of disappointment among the horsemen, but it develops that the report sent out was an erroneous one, and that Smith is alive and well at *his Buffalo home*, and will be on hand to send the horses away on Friday at Dufferin Park. The man they thought was Smith, and who was supposed to have shot a woman, and then killed himself was a Pole with a name almost unpronounceable, who had changed it to Smith for convenience. Secretary Eddie Baker was in communication with Smith at Buffalo yesterday, and he said he would be on hand a day before the meeting opens.

REUNION AT HOME OF MR. AND MRS. T. PETRIE

Pleasant Affair Was Spent on Christmas Day.

Christmas Day was very pleasantly spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Petrie, Otonabee, where a reception was given to his sister, Mrs. J. B. Girven and son Arthur of Kinbrae, Minnesota.

The members of the family present were Mr. and Mrs. Petrie, Sen. her aged parents, Mrs. W. Girven, Otonabee, Mrs. Shannon, city, Mrs. Crawford, Toronto. Amongst others present were Mr. W. Girven, Mr and Mrs. Kruger, City, Mrs. Cober, Kirkmount Mr. and Mrs J. Girven, city.

During the afternoon and evening the company were entertained with music and the songs of their youth, recitations were given by the younger members of the company.

Supper was served at eight o'clock and after an hour spent in social enjoyment, Auld Lang Syne was sung and all prepared to go to their homes feeling that they had spent a very pleasant evening.

CURE IT IN ONE DAY

Coughs and Colds Disappear Like Magic When Hyomei is Used.

If the thousands of people who suffer from hacking coughs and agonizing colds would arouse themselves sufficiently to follow this advice, they would cease to complain within 24 hours.

Here is the advice, if you take it and you are afterwards sorry that you did, it won't cost you a penny.

Go to Wm. Madill, the druggist, and purchase from him a Hyomei (pronounced High-o-me) outfit. It will only cost you $1.00. Take it home; use it according to directions and if it does not cure your cough or cold, take it back and he will refund the purchase price.

Mr. I. Coon, of John street, Actop, Ont., says: "I had a swelling come near my eyes which was caused by the catarrhal condition. I had to cough up the bad impurities that dropped into my throat, and it felt as if a hard cold had attacked me, right in my head, nose and glands near. A week's treatment of Hyomei overcame my trouble. I am glad to endorse Hyomei."

When you use Hyomei you don't swallow nauseating drugs. You simply breathe in the soothing, pleasant and antiseptic Hyomei air through the little pocket inhaler that comes with each outfit. As this medicated air passes over the inflamed parts, relief comes almost at once and cure follows.

Hyomei is also guaranteed by Wm. Madill to cure catarrh croup, grip and asthma.

RELATION OF SUN SPOTS TO EARTHQUAKE THROES

Italian Catastrophe Confirms Theory of Inter-Relation of These Phenomena

Yesterday Dr. Marsh, while "telescoping" the sun, noticed two large areas of violent disturbance of the photospheen, one on the eastern limb and the other on the western. The effect of these juxtaposed centres of photospheric currents creathe a powerful magnetic fluid in the intervening space. This magnetic condition co-incidently affects the earth, with the result that we have severe terrestial magnetic influences disturbing the poise of the needle of the mariner's and other compasses, and after exhibited in the form of auroral displays, and seismic upheavals.

Astronomers have noticed that these double disturbances in the solar surface and the reflex magnetic conditions develoed on the earth have a fairly constant relation to earthquakes. For some time records have been kept in order to furnish data for test of the theory. Dr. Marsh on Monday on noticing the sun disturbances on the respective eastern and western limbs of the sun, communicated with some of his astronomical friends and suggested the probability of serious magnetic disturbances or earthquakes. As if in confirmatio of the theory that the sun disturbances mentioned have a distinct relation to seismic manifestations, the terrible earthquake in Italy was in progress about the time of the observation of the disturbances. Neither in the material nor moral world does there seem to be such a thing as independent influence. There is perpetual interrelation and reaction between the heavenly bodies and the earth and between the moral forces of mankind.

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Great credit is due the Peterborough Lubricator Manufacturing Co., for the marvellous rapidity they have made in getting their machinery placed for the manufacture of the automatic compressed air grease cups of which they have the patent right for the Dominion of Canada. Their machinery is all of the latest design some of the machines having to be specially made for the company.

The two last machines ordered are now on the way, consisting of two large presses which are used in pressing out the steel parts of the cup. One of these machines is well worth a trip to the factory to see in operation, when Mr. Pennington, the efficient superintendent, will gladly show how the machine will handle a flat piece of cold steel like a child would a toy and a fully shaped cup is produced in a moment of time.

Great pressure is required to do this work, one of these machines having a crushing pressure when the two parts come together of 60,000 pounds.

Very much credit is due the Managing Director, Mr. Boerema, as he has been untiring in his efforts to push everything to a successful finish. Owing to the large amount of orders to be placed in the city of Toronto alone. The President and Board of Directors found it advisable to open up a sales department and demonstrating office at 12. Bay st., where they have secured spacious offices on the ground floor.

The success of the company is assured and it will be doubt be one of the best dividend paying concerns in the Dominion. Orders are continually pouring in which will require the factory running overtime from the very start, which at once goes to show how much the article is appreciated. In our interview with the president Mr. Wm. Haraton, it is needless to say he is more than delighted with the prospects of the new company.

Another Addition To The Library Of St. Peter's T.A.S.

Nearly Two Hundred New Volumes of Standard Literature Have Arrived—Ladies' Parlour Has Been Handsomely Furnished.

AN ILLUMINATED SIGN

Another addition is being made to the already well-stocked library in connection with St. Peter's T. A. S. From time to time careful selections of new books are being made, with the result that a large number of splendid works are to be found on the shelves. Books are found under nearly every classification in a modern library, and the plan of the society to continually increase the number, has been responsible for the splendid condition which now exists. Between one hundred and fifty and two hundred volumes constitute the latest addition, which has just arrived at the local customs office. They were carefully selected, are well bound and will be a decided improvement. Rev. D. O'Brien, who has given special attention to the library and reading room, was largely responsible for the choice of the works, which possess literary value that will benefit their readers.

Formerly a fee was imposed for the privileges of the library, but some months ago this was removed, with the result that all the members enjoy the use of the books, the only cost being the monthly membership fee.

The Ladie's Parlour

The ladies' parlour is now the finest room in the building. It has been thoroughly repaired and is as comfortably and handsomely furnished as any club room in the city. A noticeable feature is the taste that is evident in the choice of the wall paper, carpet, chairs, electric fixtures and pictures. A number of the ladies selected the furnishings which gives the room a homelike and appealing appearance.

There are women's magazines, periodicals and papers found on the reading tables and everything has been provided for the comfort of the lady members of the society.

Annual Concert

The entertainment which will mark the ninth anniversary of the foundation of St. Peter's T. A. S. will be held on January 8th, and promises to be an unusually enjoyable event. A feature will be an illustrated lecture by Rev. Dr. O'Brien. Further particulars will be given later.

An Illuminated Sign

An illuminated sign will be hung over the George street entrance, as provided by a recent decision of the Board of Trustees.

Poultrymen Are Enthusiastic; Bright Prospects For Show

The outlook for the big poultry show in the Market building next week under the auspices of the Peterborough Poultry Association are very bright, judging from the large and enthusiastic attendance at the meeting of the Association held last night in the Bank of Montreal Chambers for the purpose of making final arrangements for the show. About forty enthusiastic poultry fanciers were in attendance and they entered into the work with a vim that presages a most successful undertaking. All arrangements for the show were completed, committees appointed and everything is in readiness. Already nearly 100 entries have been received and the indications point to 1,000 birds being shown.

The farmers of the surrounding country are taking an active interest in the undertaking and rightly too, as the poultry department should be a leading feature in farm work. The farmers should make it a point to attend next week's event as it cannot fail to be of profit to them. Mr. Geo. Putnam, the superintendent of the Institutes branch of the Department of Agriculture has arranged to have Miss Mary Yates, one of the lecturers in connection with the Department, visit Peterborough on Jan. 6th, the second day of the show, and give lectures in the afternoon and evening on subjects of interest to poultrymen. This feature alone should insure the success of the show. It is expected that there will be large contingents from the surrounding districts on Jan. 5th, 6th and 7th, the three days of what promises to be by far the most successful affair of its kind that has ever been held in Peterborough.

ST. PETER'S T. A. S. AT CHURCH

Will Receive Holy Communion in a Body on Sunday Next.

Next Sunday the members of St. Peter's T. A. S. will receive holy communion in a body at the 8 o'clock mass. They will assemble at 7.45 in the basement of St. Peter's school and will march to the church where they will occupy the centre seats in the body of the church. A large turnout will likely be witnessed as this is the ninth Christmas time when the society has attended in a body.

FAMILY REUNION LAST NIGHT

At the Home of Mr. Wm. Kemp, Bethune Street.

A very enjoyable time was spent at the home of Mr. Wm. Kemp, 548 Bethune street, last evening when the family gathered for another occasion. The guests were Mrs. John Kemp, the mother, a resident of Douro. Mr. and Mrs. John Kemp of Otonabee, Mr and Mrs. Ed. Kemp and son of Douro; Mr and Mrs Lance Kemp and family of Douro; Mr. and Mrs. T. Kemp of Douro, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, of East City and Mr. W. J. Kemp, of Sarnia, who is spending his holidays in Peterborough. Supper was served at 8 o'clock and the party broke up at midnight after a most pleasant evening.

COMPLAINTS ABOUT THE PAVEMENTS

One Citizen Says That the Snow Should Be Left on Sidewalk.

"Carlyle is right, men are mostly 'fools,' remarked a well known citizen, as he made his way into the Examiner sanctum this morning, with ire in his eye, and when asked for an explanation said that no one but an idot would clean the snow off the pavements and leave them bare in the event of a thaw. He complained that it was utterly impossible to walk upon the pavements *in some spots* today and that he had been compelled to walk in the road with many other citizens in the same predicament. The citizen thought that it would be a far better policy to leave the snow on the pavements pointing out that it made good walking when tramped down, and that it was not so dangerour in the event of a thaw.

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New Year's Calendars and Cards at half price and lower. No use carrying over for another year.

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One of the most successful entertainments that has been held in St. Andrew's school room for the past twelve years was the annual tea and programme of the Sunday school last night. Unlike other years all the departments combined and the result proved very enjoyable both from the point of attendance, interest and character of the entertainment. A big crowd was present, and the children were out en masse. Supper was served from 5.30 until 7.30 o'clock, and this was followed by a half hour of play for the children. At eight o'clock the programme was started and it consisted of a chorus by the primary and kindergarten department. Miss Billings of Auburn, gave "The New Church Organ," as a recitation, and the Mandolin Club rendered several selections.

The cantata "The Wait's Christmas," was presented by the children in a manner which showed very careful and thorough training as well as talent. Miss Bella King is responsible for the training of the youngsters. Miss Ethel Tully assisted her at the piano.

Miss Grace Evans took the part of Fairy Queen very acceptably, and Stewart B. Laing made an ideal Santa Claus.

The programme was followed by the Christmas tree and the distribution of presents to the primary and kindergarten classes.

Rev. J G Potter read the list of prize winners. Prizes were awarded for attendance at Sunday School, and for the highest percentage of marks. A number of prizes were also donated by the session for attendance at church.

There were 20 prizes for those receiving over 85 par cent.; 20 prizes for over 75 per cent., and 20 prizes for over 65 per cent.

Miss Jessie Stevens and Miss Laura Grant won Mr. C & McClelland's general proficiency prize.

Victor Thorndike received a special prize as he was at Sunday School 52 Sundays during the year.

The prizes were presented by Mr. R. Lees and at the close Rev. Mr. Potter expressed appreciation to those who had taken part in the programme, and who assisted in making the evening so pleasant.

Five Young Ladies Received Into Sisterhood Of St. Joseph

Impressive Ceremony at Mount St. Joseph This Morning—Postulants Become Novices—Ceremony Performed by Bishop O'Connor—Many Witnessed the Event.

SERMON BY FR. DOWDALL

The reception of five young ladies into the Sisterhood of St. Joseph constituted a very impressive and interesting ceremony, performed by His Lordship Bishop O'Connor, in the chapel at Mount St. Joseph this morning.

The names of the young ladies are given as follows, with the names they will bear hereafter in their religious life:

Miss Mary Hamilton, Eganville, Ont.; Sister Sylvester.

Miss Sarah O'Neill, of Shanoway, Cork County, Ireland; Sister St. Felix.

Miss Elizabeth McNulty, of Douglas, Ont.; Sister Margaret.

Miss Elizabeth Guinea, of Montreal; Sister Mary Leona.

Miss Blanche Coutourier, of North Bay; Sister Mary Antoine.

Their First Step

These young ladies have been on probation for some months and took their first step, which is the reception of the holy habit. Two years from now they will make their final vows, the concluding step to the sisterhood.

High mass was celebrated in the chapel by His Lordship Bishop O'Connor, and the following members of the clergy were present: Rev. Father Dowdall, of Eganville; Rev. Father McColl. Rev. Dr. O'Brien, Rev. Father Kelly, Rev. Father Hurley, of St. Basil's, Toronto, and Rev. Father McGuire, of the Oblate Order of Ottawa. There were also a large number of the friends and relatives of the novices, who had come from the respective towns to witness the ceremony. The music during the mass was sung by the Sisters' choir of Mount St. Joseph. The chapel, which was appropriately ornate for the occasion, was crowded.

During the past week the five young ladies were on a retreat, which was preached by Rev. Dr. O'Brien.

The Sermon

During the mass Rev. Father Dowdall, D.D., of Eganville, preached a special sermon from the text, "What will it profit a man if he gains the whole world and loses his own soul." It was an eloquent discourse upon the responsibilities of the young woman who enters the Sisterhood and also emphasized the sacrifice which had to be made. God had placed His people on this earth that they might save their own sould. The young ladies might do this in their lives with the rest of the world, but by their call to the religious life He had chosen them to be nearer Him for their salvation, for caring for the sick and poor, and teaching the ignorant. Rev. Father Dowdall portrayed the beauty of the religious life, and throughout his sermon uttered words of good advice that would be of assistance to the novices.

His Lordship Bishop O'Connor also addressed them.

SHERIFF HALL GIVES LECTURE

Spoke on the English Language at Knox Church on Monday.

The Knox Church Young People's Society held a literary evening on Monday night when Sheriff Hall gave a very interesting lecture on the subject, "English, and how it is Spoken." He pointed out the unnecessary use of profane language of those in positions of authority. Those under them hearing the slang uttered would of course learn to use the same. The speaker, referred to writers of poems, etc., that put these words in, that would not aid them any, to make the poem, etc., strengthened in its expression, in fact it showed a weakness in speech. Mr. Hall regretted very much the free use of these blasphemous phrases on the lips of boys of the school age. It was urged upon those present to do what they could to put a stop to this habit. The lecture was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

SEVERAL ACCIDENTS OF A MINOR NATURE

Miss Logan Injured at C. G. E.—John Aspey Had Artery Cut.

On Monday several accidents of a not very serious nature took place. One of these was at the Canadian General Electric Company, where Miss Logan, Brock street had her foot crushed by a truck running over it. Dr. Young was called and rendered medical attention. Mr. John Aspey was the the victim of a painful accident at the Brinton Carpet Works having an artery in his left arm cut Dr. Young tied up the wound and several stitches had to be put in it to close up the cut.

The New York Stock Market

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	Opening	Closing
A.C.P	83⅜	83½
Atch	100⅜	100
B.R.T.	67⅛	67⅜
C.P.R.	176⅜	176⅜
Erie	34⅜	34⅜
Great Northern	140⅜	140⅜
L.N.	124	124⅛
Mo. Pac.	66	65⅜
Northern Pacific	142⅜	142⅜
N.Y.C.	122⅛	121⅝
Penna	131½	131⅜
R.I.	24⅜	24⅛
Sdg.	141	141⅜
Smelters	82⅝	82
Soo	132½	132⅜
St. Paul	150⅜	150⅛
S.P	121	121⅜
U.P.	168½	168
U.S	54⅜	54½
U.S. pfd.	112⅜	113⅛
Twin City	—	—
Nipissing	10½	10½
May. Wheat	107⅜	108⅜
" Corn	61½	61⅜
May Oats	51¼	52
" Pork	16.40	16.55

VICTIM OF PAINFUL ACCIDENT SUNDAY NIGHT

On Sunday night, while Mr. C. M. Bidewett, real estate agent, on George street, was leaving his house on Rubridge street to go to church, he slipped on the sidewalk, spraining the muscles in his side. He will be confined to his bed for a few days, as a result of the fall.

Suspended Hook Caught In Young Man's Eye In Passing

Adolphus Picard, son of Mr. Adolphus Picard, Queen street, met with a painful accident at noon to-day, in which he narrowly escaped losing one of his eyes. He was passing through the bicycle room at F. R. J. MacPherson's establishment, on his way out at twelve o'clock, when a hook on which bicycles are hung caught in one of his eyes. Doctor Morgan attended the young man and will likely save his sight.

LARGE FUNERAL OF THE LATE MELVILLE HERRON

On Tuesday the funeral of the late Melville Herron was held from the residence of his father, one mile west of Springville. The funeral was one of the largest ever held in the vicinity, over one hundred vehicles forming the procession from the house to Fraserville Cemetery. The deceased was very much esteemed, especially among his fellow young men who expressed their sympathy by suitable contributions of a floral character.

METER COMPANY VERY BUSY

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The Peterborough Electric MeterCo is fast picking up a very large and extensive business throughout Ontario, sending meters into all the large cities and towns of the province.

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OBITUARY.

ALFRED SAMUEL WRIGHT

At South Bend, Ind., on Sunday last the death occurred of Mr Alfred Samuel Wright, in his 53rd year. Mr. Wright was employed on the office staff of the Stewart Baker's large carriage and automobile firm of South Bend. He died after an illness of only half an hour and leaves his mother and one brother, Albert, who resides at 192 Sherbrooke street.

The funeral was held to-day to Little Lake Cemetery.

MISS BELLA WILSON

At Calvin, Ont., on Christmas night, the death took place after a very short illness, of Miss Bella Wilson, at the age of eighteen years. She leaves four sisters, Mrs. Barrer, Mrs. Nesbitt, Mrs. Davidson, all residing near Calvin, and Mrs. T. Foster, of this city; two brothers, Daniel, of Muttawa, and Allen, of Larchwood, and her father.

The funeral was held yesterday afternoon to the Calvin Cemetery for interment.

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THE LADY TRUE BLUES ELECT THEIR OFFICERS

The completion of organization of the new Lodge of Lady True Blues Searchlight Lodge, No. 7, was completed last night by the election and installation of the following officers:

W. M.—Sister Ethel Bell.
D. M.—Sister Mrs. Mary Picken.
Rec. Sec. — Sister Mrs. Florence White.
Fin. Sec. — Sister Miss Maggie Weart.
Treas.—Sister Mrs. Elma Mark.
Chap.—Mrs. Helen Carnalt.
D. of C.—Sister Miss Ruth Waldie.
Con.—Sister Maud Cook.
1st Com.—Sister Bert Van Natto.
2nd Com.—Sister Mrs. Charles Wright.
3rd Com.—Sister Miss Zada Bell.
4th Com.—Sister Mrs. Edith Southwall.
5th Com.—Sister Miss Carrie Bell.
I T.—Sister Mrs. J. Carr.
O. T.—Sisters Miss Laura Lang.
Auditors—Sisters Misses Zada Bell and Laura Lang.

The next night of meeting will be held on the second Tuesday in January, 1909.

A COWBOY GIRL

Miss Sue Marshall Will Appear at the Grand January 4th in the Latest New York Success, "A Cowboy Girl."

Clever Sue Marshall will be with us soon at the head of the new Kilroy and Britton melodramatic, comique musical show called, "The Cowboy Girl". Miss Marshall is a bright and talented little woman and associated with her in the musical success are her Funky Broncos". A name given the chorus of vivacious soubrettes who dance, sing, look pretty and represent a superb ensemble of fetching show girls. The dramatic part of "A Cowboy Girl" is of the better sort and though the play possesses several rather sensational scenes, yet they could not be termed lurid and are relieved by the comedy element and catchy special musical numbers. Among the original song hits that were written for the play are the following— The Life of a Cowboy Girl," "All the World's in Love," "He Treated Me Polite," "No Fool like an Old Fool" "Whittling", "The Boston Tourist Girls," "Four Bad Men from Arizona", etc.

"The Cowboy Girl" is from the prolific pen of Lem B. Parker, who has long since won an enviable reputation as a playwright of popular successes. The music is of the whistling kind and was composed by W. R. Williams who is noted for tunes that possess a happy swing.

Kilroy and Britton are presenting "The Cowboy Girl" with an extravagant scenic display, a full dramatic company, comedians of ability and a chorus of attractive girls who lend life and pleasing atmosphere to the production. "The Cowboy Girl" is a big hit from curtain to curtain and decidedly the newest thing in modern theatricals and will be seen at the Grand next Monday, January 4th.

One of the funniest stunts that has been done with any theatrical company this year is the really comical character quartette skit called "Four Bad Men from Arizona" which introduces one of the best comedy singing quartettes entour. They amuse, wear funny makeups, and they can sing. This is but one of the few features with the new play 'The Cowboy Girl.'

Home, Sweet Home

is no mere sentiment if one of our Pianos has a place therein, and the Holiday Season would be a suitable time to present the home with one.

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MESSINA A MASS OF RUINS

Flames Supplement Devastation of Earthquake and Tidal Wave and Thousands Are Roasted to Death —Panic Is Widespread and Looters Are Being Shot on Sight— Pestilence Is Now Dreaded.

Rome, Dec. 30.—One hundred thousand dead; Messina, in Sicily, and Reggio, and a score of other towns in Southern Italy overwhelmed; the entire Calabrian region laid waste. This is the earthquake's record so far as it is at present known from the reports that are coming slowly into Rome on account of the almost complete destruction of lines of communication to the stricken places.

The death list in Messina ranges from 12,000 to 50,000; that of Reggio, with its adjacent villages, numbered 45,000 people, includes almost the entire population. At Palmi 1,000 are reported dead; at Cassano, 1,800; at Cosenza, 500; and half of the population of Bagnara, about 4,000.

The Monte Leone region has been devastated, and Bipesta, Sambiase, San Giovanni, Scilla, Pizzaro and Cannitelle, and all other communes and villages bordering on the straits are in ruins.

The King and Queen of Italy are now on their way to Messina, having sailed last night from Naples, aboard the battleship Vittorio Emanuela. The Pope has shown the greatest distress at the calamity, and he himself was the first to contribute, a sum amounting to $300,000, to the relief of the afflicted. British, French and Russian warships are steaming towards the south, and already several of the ships of Great Britain and Russia have reached Sicily. Officers and men of these ships have performed heroic services in the work of rescue.

It is feared that many foreigners have been killed, as a number of the hotels at Messina, and doubtless at other places, were crowded with tourists. Little is known of the fate of the diplomatic representatives of the foreign powers stationed at these posts, although the Italian Government is using every effort to relieve the anxiety felt on their account.

Pestilence Is Feared.

There is the gravest danger that a pestilence will follow the destruction of the towns, where, on account of the vast havoc wrought, bodies will lie buried for days and weeks. Those who escaped death, many of whom are badly injured, are making their way by the thousands to the nearest place of refuge. Their sufferings even now must be intense, as they are without food or clothing.

Stunned at the magnitude of the calamity which has overtaken fellow-countrymen, all Italy mourns to-night for the stricken Province of Calabria and the Island of Sicily.

Accustomed for centuries to earthquakes, Italy stands ever in dread, but none was prepared for the disaster which in the fraction of a minute Monday devastated cities and towns and caused the death of thousands.

Messina, whose tragic history has been marked by tidal waves and war and which was the centre of Monday's torrential maelstrom, was shaken to ruins. Flames burst forth to complete the city's destruction and to burn alive untold numbers, helplessly pinioned beneath fallen walls and broken timbers. The Straits of Messina was shaken and twisted by the earth's trembling, for mariners report the channel altered beyond recognition. The ports and villages on both the continental and Sicilian sides were wrecked or inundated and all lighthouses along the coasts were swallowed up. Navigation now is dangerous and in some places impossible.

In the Calabrian district, which was only beginning to recover from the effects of the earthquake of 1905, Reggio was the centre of the earth's upheaval. The seaport of Reggio is reported as no longer existing, and the city proper is in ruins. The loss of life on both sides of the strait and in Eastern Sicily was enormous.

Fleeing In All Directions.

Starving, bleeding from injuries and almost insane from their terrifying experience, Messina's survivors are fleeing in all directions, abandoning hundreds of their fellow-citizens to their fate, imprisoned in the wreckage of

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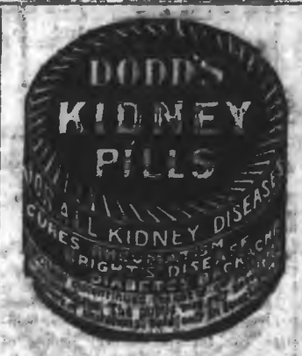

tumbling buildings.

One of those who escaped said: "The earth seemed suddenly to drop and then turn violently on its axis. The whole population who practically were precipitated from the houses rent in twain, were spun round like tops as they ran through the streets. Many fell crushed to death and others, bewildered, took refuge for the breath, beside the tottering walls, where they soon met the fate of their companions."

Already British and Russian squadrons have arrived at Messina. Sailors and marines have been disembarked and they have performed courageous acts in rescuing the injured and removing the wounded.

A large number of survivors have been transferred to the warships, which are transformed into great floating hospitals. It is imperative that the dead be removed form the ruins in order to avoid a pestilence. Steamers with doctors, druggists, firemen and workmen have arrived at Messina from Cavania and other places.

Special despatches received here from Calabria confirm the destruction of Reggio. They report that the situation there is as bad as, if not worse than, at Messina. The streets in Rome are jammed with people, who snatch the special editions from the newsboys. The people are plunged in grief and lamentations are heard on all sides. Here and there one asks another "when will end this awful repetition of devastation and death in our country?"

Nations Will Help.

The hands of all the nations have been extended to Italy in her affliction. From rulers have come messages of condolence, and from the people spontaneous promise that aid which brings the world closer together in times of great calamity. Great Britain, France, and Russia have sent their warships, quick as the flash of the telegraph could carry the orders, to lend assistance to the stricken cities. Relief funds have already been started and a hundred ships and trains are on their way carrying supplies and reinforcements to the south. Rome, Milan, Florence, Naples and other cities are sending physicians, police and firemen. Yesterday all the ambassadors and ministers expressed sympathy with M. Tittoni, Minister of Foreign Affairs, whose emotion was profound.

The bourses and theatres have been closed throughout Italy and despatches of sympathy continue to pour in from all quarters of the globe.

Robbers at Work.

Eight sailors from the Sapho were landed and took up the work of rescue. Officers and men from Italian and British steamers also went ashore as soon as possible, the Britishers saving a family of five who were imprisoned in a burning house. Many prisoners from the jails made their escape and looted right and left. Hundreds engaged in the work of robbing the banks and business houses. In the opinion of the officers of the Sapho half the population of Messina perished.

Robbers pillaged the ruins of shattered buildings and even stole clothing and valuables from the corpses of the victims.

Everything possible is being done to succor the wounded, but the relief measures are still utterly inadequate owing to the immensity of the disaster.

The finest palaces, churches and theatres of Messina are now heaps of ruins. Countless dead bodies are scattered through the wreckage, and their decomposition will doubtless bring pestilence to add to the horrors of the situation.

The devastation over the entire district was more or less complete. No part of the Province of Reggio de Calabria escaped.

Wave Sweeps Catania.

Catania was flooded by a tidal wave which swept into the port. The intensity of the shocks may be estimated from the fact that they extended right through Italy, from Calabria to the Alps, having been appreciably felt at Somodossola, on the Simplon route, and at Moncalieri, near Turin.

Thousands of people have abandoned their homes, notwithstanding that a terrific rainstorm prevailed. They filled the air with lamentations and prayers, and in some places, such as Prizzo, Catrone, Santa Severina and Piscopia, the people had the courage to enter the churches almost while they were falling, and carry out the saints.

Woman Describes Scene.

Catania, Dec. 30.—The following graphic story is told by a woman who arrived here from Messina yesterday morning. She was herself badly injured. She described the horrors that accompanied the disaster at Messina in these words:

"Inferno is the only word that will adequately describe the fearful and terrifying scene. When the first shock came most of the city was fast asleep. I was awakened by the rocking of the house, windows swayed and crockery and glass crashed to the floor. The next moment I was violently thrown out of my bed to the floor. I was half-stunned, but knew that the only thing to do was to make my way outdoors.

"The streets were filled. Everybody had rushed out in their nightclothes, heedless of the rain falling in torrents. Terrified shrieks arose from all sides, and we heard heart-rending appeals for help from the unfortunates pinned beneath the ruins.

"Walls were tottering all around us, and not one of my party expected to escape alive. My brothers and sisters were with me, and in a frenzy of terror we groped our way through the streets, holding our own against the panic-stricken people, clambering over piles of ruins, until we nearly reached a place of comparative safety. But this was not done before I was struck down and badly injured by a piece of furniture that fell out of the upper storey of a house.

"All along the road we were jostled by scores of fleeing people, half-clad like ourselves. The houses seemed to be crashing to the ground in whatever direction we turned.

"Suddenly the sea began to come into the town. It seemed to me that this must mean the end of everything. The oncoming water rolled in a huge wave, accompanied by a terrifying roar.

"The sky was aglow with the reflection of burning pieces and other buildings, and, as if this was not enough, there suddenly shot up into the sky a huge burst of flame, followed by a crash that seemed to shake the whole town. This probably was the gasworks blowing up."

TO PROTECT TRAINMEN.

Orders Are Issued by Railway Commission to Ensure Greater Safety.

Ottawa, Dec. 30.—After many conferences with the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and officials of the different railways, the Railway Commission has promulgated orders for the better protection of railway employes.

Every locomotive engineer must have at least one year's continuous experience as a fireman and pass a satisfactory examination in regard to the proper care of locomotive engines, the handling of air brakes and train rules and regulations.

Be at least 22 years of age and undergo an eye and ear test by a competent examiner, before being eligible for appointment as such engineer.

Except in cases of emergency, every conductor of such companies must have at least one year's experience as brakeman or conductor, and be at least 21 years of age, before being eligible for appointment as such.

The telegraph operators of such companies, required to handle train orders, shall be at least 18 years of age, able to write a legible hand, to send and receive messages at the rate of not less than 20 words a minute, and be thoroughly familiar with and required to pass an examination upon train rules, before a competent examiner.

Every employe of such railway companies, engaged in operating trains, shall, before undertaking such duties, be required to undergo a color test by a competent examiner.

TARIFF ON COAL.

U. S. Company Thinks Canada Should Make a Concession.

Washington, D.C., Dec. 30.—A suggestion has been made that a way out of the tariff difficulty could be found by copying the law recently enacted in Great Britain, which makes it necessary for all patented articles for consumption there to be manufactured in that country. The House committee may investigate.

A West Virginia coal company has entered a strong protest against the free entry of coal unless a similar concession is obtained from Canada, claiming that Canada derives five times as much revenue from its importations of American bituminous coal as that received by the United States from its importations of Canadian coal, although it is claimed there were five times as much American coal sold in Canada as there was Canadian coal sold in the United States during 1907.

It is rumored that the new bill will put hides on the free list, and provides for a substantial reduction in the duties on shoes and leather products.

Boom For Cape Breton.

Glace Bay, N.S., Dec. 30.—It is reported on good authority that the North Atlantic Collieries Co. of Port Morien, C.B., and the company owning the Broughton Areas, will shortly join forces and also that lands owned by Manager Cowans of Springhill Collieries near Morien will be taken over by the combined company.

Manager Richardson of the first named organization is at present in England and it is expected that the deal will go through within a few weeks. If the merger goes through it will mean a big boom for Cape Breton.

71 Elopes With 64.

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 30.—The filing of the marriage certificate yesterday revealed the elopment to this place on Saturday of Thomas J. Fales of Fall River, Mass., 71 years old and divorced, and Mrs. Ella M. Armstrong, also of Fall River, a widow of 64.

They came by separate routes, met and took out a license in the City Hall. The ceremony was performed by Justice of the Peace Pond. They then started on a wedding trip.

Both Victims Will Die.

Montreal, Dec. 30.—Mrs. M. Buterus, a cousin of J. M. Assaly, the Syrian merchant who was shot at Hawkesbury Monday, was brought to the Royal Victoria Hospital, and but slight hopes are entertained for her recovery.

Assaly has since died, and Salem Assaly, a brother of the dead man, who shot both, is still at liberty.

Will Ratify Treaty.

London, Dec. 30.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—The Times' Paris correspondent says there is every reason to believe that Mr. Fielding will succeed in obtaining the ratification of the Franco-Canadian treaty, and points out if Germany also obtains the advantage of the Canadian middle tariff the value of the British preference will almost disappear.

IS BEING CHARGED WITH FORGERY

St. Kitts Mayoralty Candidate Is Sent For Trial.

SIGNED SPONSOR'S NAME

Man Whose Signature Appears on Landis C. Bradt's Nomination Form as Proposer Says He Never Signed It—Disqualification of Bradt Will Re-elect Mayor Campbell by Acclamation.

St. Catharines, Dec. 30.—A sensation was caused yesterday afternoon when Chief of Police Parnall, acting on instructions from County Crown Attorney Brennan, laid information against Landis C. Bradt, charging him with forgery, and upon a warrant issued later by Police Magistrate Campbell, Bradt was taken into custody.

At nomination meeting on Monday Bradt handed to City Clerk Pay a paper properly filled out, proposing himself for mayor for 1909. The paper was supposed to have been signed by Jacob Haynes and Michael McGlade.

When Haynes read in the papers that he had signed Bradt's nomination papers, he at once proceeded to make people understand that such was not the case, and to strengthen the matter, made out and signed a statutory declaration to that effect. When this reached the authorities it was considered sufficient to warrant an enquiry and reference to the nomination paper showed that all the names were in practically the same handwriting.

Chief Parnall walked out of the town clerk's office, met Bradt on the street, and in five minutes the would-be mayor was a prisoner.

Hearing was set for Thursday morning. Bradt was admitted to bail, giving bonds for $2,000 himself and $2,000 by Charles Elliott.

Bradt appeared at the city clerk's office to file his declaration of qualification, but City Clerk Pay refused to accept it, claiming his nomination was irregular. Mayor Campbell is, therefore, re-elected for a second term.

Tenders For Winnipeg Power Plant.

Winnipeg, Dec. 30.—Tenders closed at noon for two millions of construction on the city power plant. Eastern firms tendered as follows:

General work—Heney, Quinlan & Robertson, Montreal.

Transmission cables — Eugene T. Phillips, Montreal; Dominion Wire Manufacturing Co., Montreal; Northern Aluminum Co., Shawinigan Falls, Quebec.

Steel towers—Canadian Bridge Co., Walkerville; Goold, Shapley & Muir, Brantford; W. F. Klamp, Montreal; Canada Foundry Co., Toronto.

Erection of transmission system—R. MacManus & Co., Hamilton.

Say Hains Was Crazy.

Flushing, L.I., Dec. 30.—The defence of Thornton J. Hains, indicted with his brother, Capt. Peter C. Hains, Jr., for the killing of Wm. E. Annis, called two witnesses in yesterday's session of the trial to show certain acts of Mrs. Claudie Hains, which the lawyers of the defendants claim so affected Capt. Hains that he became mentally unbalanced.

Samuel Chester Reid of Chicago, a friend of the Hains' family, swore that Capt. Hains told him of all his marital misfortunes, and that the captain evinced signs of being irrational.

Children's Temperance Parade.

Toronto, Dec. 30.—A unique demonstration will take place this afternoon in behalf of the license reduction movement, when a parade of several hundred Sunday school children will take place.

Just how many will turn out is not known, but it is expected that the quota from each of the many Sunday schools will result in a string of some 200 or more autos and carriages. The children will carry bannerets suitably inscribed, and will sing campaign songs.

Walking 9,000 Miles in 400 Days.

San Francisco, Dec. 30.—J. A. Krohn of Portland, Maine, arrived in this city yesterday on a walk of 9,000 miles, which he is to make on a wager in 400 days. Krohn must push a wheelbarrow en route. He has already walked 4,800 miles, an average of 26 miles a day, and to complete the walk on schedule must walk 23 miles a day. In spite of eleven days lost on account of illness he is far ahead of requirements.

Suicides With Wife Dead.

Syracuse, N.Y., Dec. 30.—Vinal Gifford, a farmer in the Town of Spafford, ended his life by cutting his throat, while the body of his wife lay in a casket under the same roof. Mrs. Gifford died suddenly, and Coroner Weller had concluded that her death was caused by "shock from injuries inflicted by Vinal Gifford." Gifford was 50 years old and his wife five years older.

New Radial Railway.

Stratford, Dec. 30.—W. A. and N. A. Bugg were in Stratford yesterday in the interests of the People's Radial Railway, conferring with local authorities. The new line proposed will run from Woodstock to Arthur, a branch being run from New Hamburg to Stratford.

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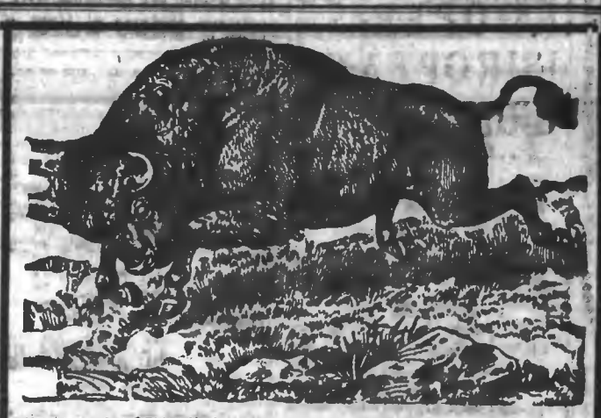
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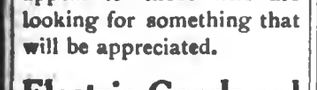

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Rugby Basketball Wrestling

THE EXAMINER'S SPORTING PAGE

Running Athletics Hockey

FRED SIMPSON TO HAVE CHANCE TO RUN ALBERT COREY OF CHICAGO

The Toronto Star says:—Another Canadian Indian will have a chance to get the coin Marathon running.

To-day Lou E Marsh received a wire from George Kennedy, the Montreal man, who handles the big wrestlers from Chicago, offering a big guarantee for a Marathon race at Chicago between Albert Corey, the western champion, who wants to meet Longboat, and any Canadian runner Marsh may select. He preferred an Indian, and Marsh immediately communicated with Fred Simpson, the Mississaugan; Henry Jackson, the Huron, and Hilton Green, the Mohawk, and the chances are that he will sign up either one for the big race.

While Corey is a good man, any one of the three Indians would give him a gallop. Indeed, Simpson, in form, should hand him the small end of the purse without any great amount of difficulty. Green, in shape, is a grand indoor runner, and a great boy to create trouble along the route. The gingery Mohawk, if he is right, is possibly the best man to send along to try Mr. Corey out Jackson, the Midland Indian, is the lad who won the Junction Marathon Christmas day. He is in pretty fair condition right now, and should be able to go the route, though he has never tried the longer distance. He was entered in the Ward Marathon, and the Hamilton Herald races, but did not start in either. He won the Junction 15-mile Marathon against a pretty good field, and won it away off. He had a mile lead nearly at one stage of the game, but loafed coming home. Jackson and Simpson are both eager to turn "pro." Simpson wired Tom Flanagan the other day, offering to turn "pro" if Tom would manage him, and friends have written New York on his behalf, offering his services to run against Alf Shrubb in the Jan. 9 relay race for the Little Englishman.

Corey is the Chicago soldier boy who chased Sidney Hatch so closely at St. Louis and Chicago Marathons in 1907, and who finally beat Hatch last year. He is a French-Canadian, by the way, and is about as fast a man as Dorando. He is the man T J McAughey, the Toronto-to-New York grinder, says he is to run a 100 mile race at Jersey City, or Newark, some time early in January.

WHITCROFT MAY BE OFF TEAM TO-NIGHT
WRITES PETERBORO' BOY IN MONTREAL

A former Peterborough man who is in Montreal for the Stanley Cup games writes the Examiner as follows in connection with Monday's contest:

Montreal, Dec. 29, '08.

Although the challengers have lost the first game of the Stanley Cup series their chance for final victory is not altogether lost. The forward line will be completely changed. Whitcroft will likely be dropped and Ross Deaton and Miller will fill vacancies. Ross in proper place should play cover, but will likely be placed at rover; Miller will take the place of Phillips, who is in the Western Hospital with a broken ankle, and is the great hope of the challengers. Deaton, while not a fast player, is consistent and will help some.

The Edmonton team are great players individually and before the season is out will easily be the greatest team in Canada. McNamara is out of the game with a twisted knee.

EUREKAS WANTED GAME NEW YEAR'S BUT COULD NOT BE ACCOMMODATED

Albert Sanagan, manager of the Eurekas of Toronto Junior O.H.A. team has written the secretary of the Peterborough Hockey Club, asking for an exhibition game with the local junior O.H.A. team on New Year's night in Peterborough. The locals would have liked to have arranged the game with the Eurekas, but it was impossible owing to the fact that the locals are playing in Whitby that night. The Strathconas City League team considered the offer but figured out that it was too late to arrange a game for the holiday and the Eurekas were communicated with to-day to the effect that it would be impossible to give them a game here on New Year's night.

HAMS SURPRISED THEMSELVES AND EVERYONE ELSE BY SCORING WIN

In a ten pin league fixture at the P. B. C. last night in which only 45 pins separated the teams on the three games, Hutchs Hams last night started to climb the percentage chute by taking two out of three from the Midgets. Gene Hurtubise made his initial appearance with the Hams and his splendid work contributed materially to the victory of his team. He had third high score for the evening and his addition to the team has greatly strengthened it and should make the tau enders a factor in the race from this forth.

The opening game was the hardest fought of the evening, the Hams eventually winning out by a margin of eighteen pins.

In the second contest it was all Midgets from beginning to end, Carol Hayes' splendid effort sealing the fate of the losers. The third and last game was just as easy a proposition for the Hams as the previous one had been the reverse.

The scores follow—

HUTCH'S HAMS

Hutchinson	114	118	110	342
Hurtubise	160	120	154	434
Hay	195	134	183	512
	469	372	447	1288

MIDGETS

Hayes C.	139	187	143	469
Brown	139	141	112	392
Giroux	182	129	84	369
	450	451	339	1240

BROWNIE BASKETBALL TEAM

Local Crack Five Will Play in Montreal on New Year's Day.

The Montreal Herald says — The secretary of the Fairmount basket ball club has received a letter from F. C. Cressman, of the Peterborough "Brownies" advising him that they will very probably line up as follows for the game on New Year's night in the Fairmount gym

Forwards—G. Millar, F. Cressman centre, T. Millar defence Sutherland and H. Hall. Mr. Collings, the physical director of the Peterborough Association will accompany the team on its trip.

Fairmount's team will be picked from the following—H. Cobb, J. N. McCuaig, W Dunwoody, G Robinson C. E. Bowen and R. Graham. The boys have been putting in a lot of practice and may be expected to give the Brownies a hard tussle.

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LINDSAY CLUB'S FIRST PRACTICE

Most of the Old Players Were in Line on Monday Night.

The Lindsay Watchman Warder—Lack of skating practise was evident as it would naturally be expected last night. The finished play which characterized to work of the team towards the end of the season last year was lacking. Inside a week, however, there will be a different bunch.

Kyoi and Randall were in good shape, especially the latter. He worked like a horse during the practise last night. Bill Stoddard, Goosie Taylor, Basil Newton, Kenny Lane, Livingston, Karl Sylvester, and a number of others were out last night, and there will be a number contesting for the vacancies on the team

Altogether the first practise was very satisfactory. Dr. Brown and Manager Simpson were witnesses of the practise.

A meeting of the Executive of the Junior City Hockey League will be held to-morrow night at 7.30 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. for the purpose of drawing up the schedule. Every team that intends to enter is requested to have a representative at the meeting as only those who are represented will be included in the schedule.

THE CHURCH LEAGUE SCHEDULE

Will be Drawn up at Meeting of Representatives To-night.

A meeting of the schedule committee of the Church League is called for Wednesday night at 7.30 sharp in the Y. M. C. A parlours. The following members are urged to be present—E. Reid, St. Andrew's; Stanley Hughes, Park street; Fred Reed, Knox and E Lebar, All Saints. Any teams wishing to enter the junior series must do so at this meeting when the junior schedule will be drawn up

BIG HOCKEY PRACTICE TO-NIGHT

Junior Team to Play in Whitby Will be Selected After Workout.

A special turnout of the junior O. H.A. team is requested for to-night at Brock street rink in preparation for the junior O.H.A. game in Whitby on New Year's night. The following juniors are asked to be out to-night: Goal, L Giroux, point, Fox; cover-point, Wade; forwards, Giroux, Pentland, Gorham, Hillier and Ray. The intermediates will also be out to-night and will stack up against the juniors. The following are requested to be at the rink and the team to play the juniors will be chosen from them: Derocher, Glover, Moore, Dusty, Parnell, Rose, Dobson, Weatherstone, Long and Seymour.

SKIPS ARE CHOSEN FOR BONSPIEL

Skips of the Peterborough Curling Club Met Last Night.

A meeting of the skips of the Peterborough Curling Club was held last night in the club room at teh curling rink for the purpose of selecting the skips who will represent the Peterborough club in the big bonspiel to be held here commencing Jan. 12th and also to choose the skips for the District cup competition the date of which has not been arranged. It was decided that Messrs. R. Neill and Dick Davidson should be the skips for the bonspiel and Messrs. T. F. Matthews and Robt. Hicks for the District Cup

The bonspiel promises to be a great success and the members of the local club are working energetically with this end in view.

HOCKEY

A Montreal despatch says: The individual work of both teams was at times marvellous. Whitcroft's mystic moves fooled the Wanderers time and again, and when they resulted in the second goal he was heartily applauded. Vair at centre had a hard position to fill and for a fight man did himself credit.

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The Strathconas City League team had a great practice last night at Brock street rink with a big squad of men on the ice. Among those out were Derocher, Roddy, Fox, Dusty, McMillan, Weatherstone, Seymour, Long, Ray, Dobson, Parnell, Ellis and Curtis.

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The T.A.S. City Leaguers were out in force at Brock street rink last night and had a lively practice between 10 and 11 o'clock. The Abstainers will be able to put a strong team on the ice this winter.

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Vair seems a bright, fearless player, and Whitcroft, though not too strong apparently, might do well in the best company in this part of the country, while Lindsay will be snapped up some day as a first rate goalkeeper. —Montreal Star

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Whitcroft has been touted as a sensation for a couple of seasons, but like most of the "good ones" doesn't race in his work-out form —Montreal Herald.

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Vair and Whitcroft are good in the mid-ice positions.— Montreal Herald

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A special meeting of all junior and senior players is called for 7.30 this evening sharp in the T A S hall. A full attendance is requested as business of importance will be transacted.

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Belmont City League team practises from 6 to 7 o'clock at Brock street rink to-night.

CURLING.

The games played at the curling rink last night were:

Montgomery, sk., 19; Webb, sk., 8.
Davidson, sk., 9; Brown, sk., 14.
Dr. Greer, sk., 9; Foote, sk., 5.
Ald. Morrow, sk., 8; Brightman, sk., 10.

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WILL CONTINUE TO CARRY ON BUSINESS

Mr. Fred A. Clarke Still in Charge of the Crown Hotel, Water Street.

The License Commissioners of West Peterborough have refused to sanction the transfer of the license of the Crown Hotel from Mr. F. A. Clarke to Messrs. Cottingham and Parker and as a result Mr. Clarke will continue on the business himself along the same successful lines that have characterized his management of this well known hostelery.

NOMINATIONS FOR SEPARATE SCHOOL BOARD

These Who Have Been Named to Represent the Different Wards.

Nominations for Separate School Trustees were held to-day at noon at St Peter's School.

The following nominations were made—

Mr. M. L. Hency for the First Ward.

Mr. James Murty for the second Ward.

Mr. John J. Lynch for the Third Ward.

Mr. Thos. J. Lane for the Fourth Ward

Mr. Wm. Collins for the Fifth Ward.

Only the required number having been nominated they were duly elected

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For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal ..... 12.31 a m

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For Burketon, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto ..... 7.30 a m
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points ..... 4.35 p m

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	Arrive	Depart
Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Georgian Bay, Bracebridge and Toronto	11.00 a.m. 8.05 p.m.	8.55 a.m. 11.45 a.m.
Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	8.05 p.m.	8.55 p.m. 8.55 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Orillia, Parry Sound, Muskoka Wharf, Montreal and Boston	8.05 p.m.	11.45 a.m. 8.55 p.m.
Toronto, Lindsay, Stouffville, Uxbridge and Markham	11.00 a.m. 7.10 p.m. 8.05 p.m. 10.10 p.m.	11.45 a.m. 11.45a.m.
Lindsay Local	8.05 a.m.	8.55 p.m.
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Tweed, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	8.05 a.m. 8.05 p.m.	8.55 a.m. 8.55 p.m.
Lakefield and Stony Lake	10.00 a.m. 8.15 p.m.	8.55 a.m. 12.30 p.m.

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We wish all our customers and friends A Merry Xmas and Many Prosperous New Years.
Signed J. J. Turner & Sons

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For the orders you have given us during the past year
For COAL And WOOD
Rest assured we more than appreciate your favours, and will endeavour in the future to continue to serve you right and merit your future favours.
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3 lbs. New Currants	24c
3 lbs. New Raisins for	30c
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New Citron Peel, per lb.	25c
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Tickets for the season entitling the holder to all skating privileges, now now on sale at the Rink only.

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To make your selections for Xmas and New Years Presents. We have an elegant stock of goods that are just suitable. Fine Perfumes in Bulk, Bottles or Fancy Cases — from the best makers. Toilet, Brush, Comb, Mirror Cases, a great variety at all prices. Ebony Goods, a fine assortment. Also Lowney's Chocolates in fancy boxes selected for the holiday trade.

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ROBERT DI BARNARDO

TOWN TOPICS

PROBS — Strong winds and gales southerly shifting to westerly and northwesterly, mild with occasional rain or sleet. Decidedly cold tonight. Thursday northwesterly gales and becoming very cold.

Barber Shops Closed

—The barber shops in the city will be closed all day on Friday.

Private School

—Miss D. J. Hall will re-open her private school at 334 Charlotte street on Monday January 4th. 1909. 3d12c

Piano Tuning

Piano tuning promptly attended to. Satisfaction guaranteed. A. F. Hoover, 222 McDonel street. 'Phones — Bell 1998, Mach. 195.

Watch Night Service

—A watch night service will be held in the Salvation Army Barracks on Thursday night, at half-past ten. Every one is cordially invited to attend.

St. James' Church

—The mid-week prayer meeting in connection with St. James' Methodist church will be held at the residence of Mr. O. J. Hicks, 105 Romaine street, to-night.

Particular

—If you are particular about the way your clothes look, send them to "My Valet," 204 Charlotte street, and and have them cleaned, dyed, repaired an dpressed. All particular people do.

At All Saints

—At All Saints' Church on Sunday next Holy Communion will be celebrated at 10.30 in the morning. The president of the Women's Guild wishes all members to be present and make this a corporate Communion.

Pocket Book Found

—On Thursday—the day before Christmas, a pocket book containing a sum of money was picked up on Hunter street, east of the bridge. It was left at the police station where the owner on proper identification of the purse may obtain his property.

Free Subscriptions

—The Lady Superior of St. Joseph's Hospital has asked the Examiner to state that in acknowledging donations to the hospital she forgot to mention the fact that the Review and Examiner have sent their dailies to the institution free of charge.

Pocket Book Lost

—Mr. John Tighe, of the Fourth Line of Smith, lost a pocket book in Peterborough this morning containing about $80 in bills, some silver and a number of papers with Mr. Tighe's name upon them. The finder is requested to return the pocket book to the Examiner office and a reward will be given.

Met old Friends

—Mr. Jas. McBride, the advance agent, of the Carl W. Cook Stock Co. Who was in the city in the interests of that company is a member of the Elks order and while here met a number of members of the same order with the result that a very pleasant little re-union was held. Mr. McBride's home is in Detroit and he has across a number of Western acquaintances while in Peterborough. He left yesterday for Belleville.

The Biggest Play

—"Onlooker" in Toronto Star, writes: "I noticed in your paper on Saturday that you said the largest Union Jack had just been made in Toronto. In this you are mistaken, because the largest Union Jack that was ever made in Canada was made by J J Turner & Sons, of Peterborough, and was exhibited at the National Exhibition at Toronto two years ago and was awarded the diploma. This flag was 20 ft. wide and 40 ft. long, and was made from the best all-wool English bunting."

NEW YEARS NEAR

We mention a few of the Xmas necessities which we now have in stock. Table Raisins, Pulled Figs, Fresh Figs, Fresh Shelled Nuts, Golden Dates, Grape Fruit, California, Florida and Mexican Oranges, and the very best new Nuts. Also "Sealshipt" Oysters. S. A. OKE
376 George St.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

THE EXAMINER welcomes all Items of Interest for this column. Phone 296 or send post card with name and address.

Miss G. Tate, of Lakefield, was in the city to-day.

Mr. S. R. Leggott, of Lakefield, was in the city to-day.

Miss Simpson, of Campbellford, is visiting friends in the city.

Miss Grace Lee, of Toronto, is the guest of Mrs. Harry Thompson.

Miss Lenore Sanderson is spending the holidays at her home on Brock street.

Mrs. G. Learmonth, Stewart street, spent Christmas with friends at Norwood.

Miss Mildred Fee, of Omemee, is the guest of Mrs. W. A. Mewry, Cedar street.

Miss Marjorie Brodie, of Toronto, is the guest of Judge Edmison, Rubridge street.

Miss Matilda Robertson is spending the holidays at her home on Water street.

Miss Etta MacGregor and Mr. Glen Sisson spent Christmas with friends in Blackstock.

Mr. Thomas Allan, of Millbrook, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. King, Stewart street.

Miss Jessie Allen, of Millbrook, is the guest of Miss Geraldine King, Stewart street.

Road Master Mitchell and General Road Master Bibby, of the G. T. R., are in the city to-day.

Mrs. Herbert W. Richards, of Chicago, is in the city the guest of Mrs. Kilgour, Weller street.

Mr and Mrs. Lingwood, of Simcoe, Ont., passed through the city to-day on their way to Lakefield.

Mr. George Jones, Scotia Junction, spent Christmas with his brother, R. W. Jones, Bethune street.

Miss Helen Denne, who is a student at Queen's University, is spending the holidays at her home on George street.

Miss Lulu Jones, daughter of Chief Jones, Fenelon Falls, is spending Christmas and New Year's with her uncle Mr. Robert Jones, Bethune st.

Miss Luella Knapp, organist of the Brock Street Methodist Church, Kingston, and Mrs. Frank Dunbar, of Napanee, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Collier, Weller street.

PRISON TERROR.

French-Canadian Whose Conviction Fills Prison Officials With Dread.

A French-Canadian, convicted in London recently, was said to have been in and out of prison since 1886, and to be so troublesome to the jail authorities that they receive him into their care with considerable dread. His name is Albert Max Martin, aged 56, and he was found guilty of obtaining food and lodging by false pretences.

Martineau had posed as secretary to a "Baron Lichtenfel," a bogus nobleman. The prosecution said he had had "a most extraordinary career."

Detective William Steel said Martin was only at liberty a fortnight when he committed the present frauds, and he was arrested as he left prison after serving a week in jail for being drunk.

According to the prisoner's own statements he was educated in Germany, Italy, Switzerland, and England. He was at Eton, Harrow, and also at the Universities of Oxford, Cambridge, Bonn, Heidelberg, Konigsberg, Berlin, Geneva, Bologna, and Rome. He claims to have studied as a doctor, and to have had five medals given to him for bravery during the Franco-German war, 1870, and three during the Bulgarian-Turko war.

Accused said he was aide-de-camp, private secretary, and interpreter—he says he speaks twelve languages—to Marechal MacMahon and Marechal Bazaine. Thirty years ago he had a beautiful hotel at Lucerne, Switzerland, and through family complications lost a fortune of $200,000.

Sentence of three and a half years' penal servitude was passed.

TRIUMPHANT TOHUNGAS.

On Cook Islands the March of Progress Does Not Prevail.

News from the Cook Islands brings the intimation that, notwithstanding the march of progress in other directions, the Tohunga still continues to maintain his pre-eminence. Col. Gudgeon, the Resident Commissioner, in his new report on the administration of the islands, declare that the Tohunga is as dangerous to the well-being of the people of the Cook Islands as he has been in New Zealand for any time during the last five years, and in either place he will not easily be suppressed, for the simple reason that the Maori has such amazing faith in him. The Tohunga, it may as well be explained at this point, is a kind of Maori witch-doctor, and his ascendancy is due to certain peculiar qualities of the Maori mind. For instance, if a Maori is sick and the first dose of medicine does not effect an immediate cure, it is no good, and he will have no more of it. Again, he cannot see that the food he is eating can have any connection with or effect on the malady from which he suffers, and therefore if his complaint be dysentery he will continue to eat unripe mangoes, and his wife will neglect to cook him proper food, because she cannot see the necessity for so doing. To these peculiarities the Tohunga administers with a fine knowledge of human nature; and flourishes accordingly, The Maori, however, generally dies.

Maoris Unmoved.

"When the United States fleet steamed into New Zealand waters," writes an Auckland correspondent to The Standard of Empire, "the magnificent array of warships left one section of the community wholly unmoved. No Maori could be brought to see anything wonderful about it. They have traditions of their own about navigation, and when they recall the fact that their ancestors explored the Antarctic in their big decked canoes, discovered America, populated Japan, and sailed the Pacific from end to end, you cannot persuade them that there is anything remarkable about the visit of the United States battleships. All the way from the Siam Peninsula to New Zealand, and up to the northward beyond Sagahalien, the Maoris, according to their own legends, have left their traces; and it is certainly a curious fact that there are hundreds of words in Malaysian dialects which are still part of the Maori vernacular of to-day."

"Practice and Be Sure."

Viscount Wolverhampton—better remembered, perhaps, as Sir Henry Fowler—who has recently been appointed Lord President of the Council, has declared that, when he made his first speech in the House, he felt that it was the crisis of his life. He does not write out his speeches; his plan is to saturate his mind with the facts, and then to make a few notes of the order in which he proposes to deal with them in his speech, these notes being confined to the facts and their verification. He is strangely free from mannerisms and affectations, and there are very few men who approach him in lucidity. "If you would become a great speech-maker," says Lord Wolverhampton, "practice, practice, practice, and always be sure of your facts!"

Venezuela Factions Battle.

Port of Spain, Trinidad, Dec. 30.—There has been fighting at Macure on the Venezuelan coast between adherents of Former President Castro and the crew of a gunboat working in the interests of the new President, Juan Vicente Gomes.

About twenty men were killed and some fifty were wounded. The Gomes party was obliged to withdraw temporarily, but later it returned to resume the engagement.

Flue of Engine Blows Out.

Guelph, Dec. 30.—Engineer John Taylor and Fireman Richard Brookbank had a narrow escape from serious injury as they were about to leave yesterday morning on the 8.30 C.P.R. rain, a flue in the boiler blew out, throwing open the fire door and covering them with red hot ashes. Brookbank was near the opening and was scalded, though not seriously.

New Year's Goods at China Hall

China Hall is now ready for New Year's Shoppers with the most complete stock of New Year's Goods ever shown in Peterborough.

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MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Close Lower, Chicago Higher—Live Stock —Latest Quotations.

Tuesday Evening, Dec. 29.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day ¼d to ⅝d lower, and corn closed ¼d lower than yesterday.

At Chicago, December wheat closed ⅛c higher, December corn closed ⅛c higher, and December oats ⅛c higher than yesterday.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—January 99½c bid, December 97⅛c bid, May 1.03⅝.
Oats—December 39⅛c bid, May 42⅜c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	$0 98 to $	....
Wheat, red, bush	0 98	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 98	....
Rye, bushel	0 60	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 60	....
Peas, bushel	0 80	....
Barley, bushel	0 50	....
Oats, bushel	0 45	....

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 26
Butter, store lots	0 23	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 28	0 29
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 40	....
Eggs, cold storage	0 32	....
Cheese, large, lb	0 13½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11
Honey, combs, dozen	2 25	2 75

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 29.—Wheat—Spot No. 2, red western, winter, easy, 7s 11d; futures quiet; Dec., 7s 11½d; March, 7s 7¼d; May, 7s 6¼d.

Corn—Spot, steady; new American mixed, via Galveston, 5s 5d; futures, quiet; Jan., 5s 3½d; March, 5s 2½d.

Bacon—Long clear middles, light, easy, 45s 6d.; do., heavy, dull, 45s 6d; clear bellies, weak, 45s 6d.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, firm, 46s 6d; American refined, in pails, steady, 46s 3d.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Butter—Receipts, 11,758; creamery held, common to special, 28c to 32½c.

Cheese—Quiet; unchanged; receipts, 1464.

Eggs—Easier; receipts, 5429; state, Pennsylvania, and near-by fancy, selected, white, 36c to 40c; fair to choice, 35c to 37c; brown and mixed, fancy, 33c to 35c; fair to choice, do., 30c to 32c; western firsts, 31c; seconds, 30c to 30½c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Higher—Hogs and Cattle Steady at Chicago and Buffalo.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—London cables for cattle are steady at 12c to 14c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10½c to 10½c per lb.

Toronto Live Stock.

TORONTO, Dec. 29.—The receipts of live stock at the City Market today were on a par with the prevailing holiday feeling, and prices, while they were inclined to be firm, were not sufficiently buoyant to induce any general rally. The deliveries totaled altogether only about thirty-five carloads, comprising about 600 head of cattle, 500 hogs and a small run of sheep.

Exporters.

One good load of export cattle, weighing between 1300 and 1400, sold at $4.25 per cwt., while another lot sold at $4.15; export bulls were firm at from $4.25 to $4.50, while medium quality bulls were wanted at from $3.75 to $4.

Butchers.

There was a good demand for this class of cattle, and with the comparatively small offerings there was no difficulty experienced in cleaning up anything negotiable.

Lambs and sheep were steady and unchanged at last week's quotations of $5.25 to $5.35 for the former and $3.25 to $3.40 for sheep; rams are worth from $2 to $2.50 per cwt.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Dec. 29. — Cattle—Firm; prime steers, $5.90 to $7.

Veals—Receipts, 75 head; active and steady.

Hogs — Receipts, 1700; active and steady; heavy, $5.30 to $5.35; yorkers, $5 to $5.20; pigs, $4.50 to $5.25; roughs, $4.50 to $4.65; stags, $3.50 to $5; dairies, $5.20 to $5.25.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1200 head; active and steady; lambs, $5 to $6; a few at $6.05.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Beeves—Receipts, 239; none for sale on live weight; feeling steady, with moderate receipts, expected Wednesday.

Calves—Receipts, 29; market full steady; veals, $7 to $10.50.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 400; feeling firm on limited supply; prime lambs sold $7; medium, do., $7; culls, sheep, $2.

Hogs—Receipts, 760; none for sale; feeling firm on Buffalo advices.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—Cattle—Receipts, 4500; market strong; steers, $4.60 to $7.30; cows, $2 to $5.25; heifers, $3.60 to $4.80; bulls, $3.75 to $4.90; calves, $3.50 to $9; stockers and feeders, $3.50 to $5.

Hogs—Receipts, 22,000; market 5c to 10c lower; choice heavy shipping, $5.90 to $6; butchers, $5.85 to $6; light mixed, $5.40 to $5.85; choice light, $5.20 to $5.75; packing, $5.15 to $5.85; pigs, $4 to $5.15; bulk of sales, $5.50 to $5.85.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 12,000; market steady; sheep, $4to $5.25; lambs, $5.25 to $6.75; yearlings, $4.25 to $5.60.

Time to Stop.

Mrs. Benham—Henry, I am more than glad that you don't drink now, but how did you come to leave off? Benham—You remember the last time your mother was here? Mrs. Benham—Yes. Benham—Well, one night while she was here I came home in pretty bad shape and saw three of her. That settled it.

An Easy Task.

"Johnny, I will give you a quarter if you can get me a lock of your sister's hair."

"Gimme 4 bits, an' I'll git you de whole bunch. I know where she hangs it nights."

PORTRAIT WAS HIDDEN.

Valuable Picture Found in Gravesend Was Covered by a Landscape.

A remarkable second discovery has followed upon the finding of a picture at Gravesend, England, and now on view at the Gravesend Public Library.

When purchased at auction the work was a French landscape of a very ordinary school, but when it was being cleaned signs that a second picture underlay the landscape were noticed. The underlying painting proves to be the portrait of a woman, evidently the work of a master, although no signature is attached. It is now revealed that the woman bears a striking resemblance to a picture of Madame Tallien in Paris, and subsequent comparisons with two other reputed portraits verify the opinion that the picture is actually a portrait of this notable woman.

The pictures of Madame Tallien are believed to have been painted after her death from memory, and noticeable divergencies are thus accounted for. Her features have been variously described by writers of the period, but they are unanimous on one point—that she was exceptionally beautiful. She is said to have dyed her hair, and to have varied or accentuated her beauty by artificial means, as the whim took her.

Madame Tallien, or, as she was then, Madame Fontenay, had many exciting experiences during the French Revolution. She was caught endeavoring to escape from France with Fontenay, her husband. Tallien was struck with her charm, and rescued her from the mob and from the yet more merciless tribunals.

Eventually Madame Fontenay became Madame Tallien. The horrors through which she had passed made her tender-hearted, and she succeeded in repressing Tallien's lust for blood, while reaping much pecuniary advantage from his clemency. She took an active part in the intrigues of the day, and led a life of luxury and gaiety during this respite from the troubles which pursued her.

SPITEFUL WILLS.

Hatred That Testators Wish to Carry Beyond the Grave.

One of the uniformed officials of an English railway line who died recently, leaving estate valued for probate at $1,500, made in his will some unkind remarks directed against a certain person, of whom he states that:

"My estate would have been considerably larger if it had not been for my association with this perambulating human vinegar cruet and the cleverest known legal daylight robber."

These associations he estimated to have cost him considerably over $2,000.

Vindictive wills of this nature, says The London Daily Telegraph, are very uncommon, although such few as have been noticed have been directed against women. Some years ago the will was proved of a man who left to his wife the sum of one farthing, and directed that it should be sent to her by post in an unstamped envelope. His will was made two years before his death, and he gave as the reason for his action that his wife had called him names.

Another case was that of a man who left his property to his daughter on the condition that she paid to a certain person the sum of seven cents for the purchase of a hempen cord or halter for the use of the dear wife of that person, expressing the hope that she would make use of the same without delay.

"Looked Like a Fool."

It is a remarkable fact that the highest appointments in the Church of England to-day are held by Scotsman. The Archbishop of Canterbury and the Archbishop of York both hail from the land of the Shorter Catechism, and if rumor speaks truly the next Bishop of London will be Dr. Cosmo Gordon Lang, at present Bishop of Stepney, the son of Dr. Marshall Lang, principal of Aberdeen University. Queen Victoria held Dr. Cosmo Lang in considerable esteem, and frequently had him down to preach at Osborne. On one occasion, however, his mannerism while in the pulpit brought a piece of candid criticism down upon him from a lady of his acquaintance. He was preaching in Westminster Abbey, and during his sermon closed his eyes in order to concentrate his mind on the subject. The lady, when he met her, commented upon the fact thus: "You may think with your eyes shut you looked like a saint, but you really looked like a fool."

Deceitful.

"I admire patience an' self control," said Uncle Eben, "but when I see a man dat kin keep on smilin' after he done bruise his thumb with a hammer I can't help bein' s'picious of his capacity foh deceit."—Washington Star.

Steadiness of national character goes with firmness of foothold on the soil.—David Starr Jordan.

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THE DEATH LIST STILL GROWING

Fatalities Number 110,000 in Two Big Cities Alone.

KING AND QUEEN AT SCENE

Wounded Who Cannot Live and Sufferers From Starvation Will Bring Deaths Up to 200,000—Thousands Are Roaming About Half Dead With Hunger — Looters Are Being Shot Down on Sight.

Rome, Dec. 31.—The immensity of the disaster in Southern Italy and Sicily can only be measured by the fact that it is now estimated that 110,000 people perished in Messina and Reggio alone.

A score of others towns have been devastated, and thousands of victims in these places must be added to the roll. In the face of this awful total, all Italy stands appalled.

Nor has the full death list yet been reached. Shiploads of fugitives have arrived at Naples and other ports, and the vast majority of these are sorely injured. Other thousands remain near the ruins of their homes, or wander half-starving, half-naked over the land. The forces that on Monday overwhelmed cities also destroyed the means of subsistence. Telegraphic communication has been established with Messina, the apparatus having been installed.

King Victor Emmanuel and Queen Helena were in Messina yesterday. The King explored the ruins regardless of the danger to which he exposed himself. He was often moved to tears at heart-rending scenes he came upon at every turn. The King was loud in his praise of the fine work accomplished by the British, Italian and Russian bluejackets, who saved many who otherwise would have inevitably perished.

The Queen spent the day in the wards of improvised hospitals visiting the wounded, many of whom have lost all that was dear to them. Her Majesty did her best to cheer them with womanly words of consolation, often breaking into sobs as she listened to their dreadful tales of suffering. The King left for Reggio last night.

Miraculous Escapes.

The refugees are beginning to tell tales of their marvelous escapes. After the first shock they were for a while imprisoned in their ruined houses. The piles of wreckage made egress impossible. Many waited in terror for the coming of light. They then made their way out, and climbing over the countless obstructions in the streets, escaped to the open. They had to leave behind them under the ruins countless victims who called for help in heart-rending tones. It was impossible to give succor.

A large proportion of those who escaped sustained injuries. It is asserted that probably half the fatalities occurred because it was impossible for the survivors to render assistance. Not the least of the suffering was caused by the torrential downpour of rain.

The devastated district is still filled with half-demented survivors who cannot get away. They are naked and starving and wander aimlessly in a downpour of rain. The ruins are still burning.

Every possible thing is being done to forward the work of relief, but trains with supplies are halted long before they can reach the scene. The railroads have been put out of operation and in many cases transportation by rail is impossible.

Bagnara, a town of 10,000 people, north of Reggio, is reported as annihilated. The entire population is said to have perished. A wandering survivor has raised a cross over the smouldering ruins of Bagnara. Reggio, a city of 50,000 people, has been practically demolished.

Islands May Have Suffered.

Cable communication with the Aeolian Islands, 20 miles north of Sicily, is interrupted. It is evident that the line is broken, and it is thought that the islands also have been devastated.

The largest of the group is the Island of Lipari, and the capital town has a population of 12,000.

It is feared that vast treasures have been looted at Messina. The local branch of the Bank of Italy had $2,000,000 on deposit there and other banks had large amounts of money in their vaults.

A despatch received last evening from the British cruiser Sutlej, at Messina, says that Arthur S. Cheney, the United States consul at Messina, and his wife lost their lives in the destruction of the city.

National Relief Committee Formed.

Taking prompt action in the name of Italy's earthquake sufferers, a great national committee has been formed to collect funds for their assistance. The committee is headed by the Duke of Aosta, and include the presidents of the Senate and the Chamber of Deputies, the mayor of Rome, and all prominent men in the leading towns. The subscription list has been opened with $40,000 contributed by King Victor Emmanuel. All banks, clubs, civic and commercial associations and the newspapers have opened subscription lists.

The Lord Mayor of London has telegraphed that subscriptions have also been opened in British colonies, including the resident colonies in the United States.

Pierpont Morgan has telegraphed promising a $10,000 donation in aid of the sufferers.

Refugees at Naples.

Naples, Dec. 31.—Time only confirms the unspeakable horrors of the overpowering catastrophe in southern Italy for earth and sea ruthlessly claimed thousands of human beings, and the flames mercilessly completed the unfinished devastation.

Naples, vibrant with the memory of Vesuvius, is prostrated anew by the misery and woe from Messina confided to her care. The hospitals, hotels and homes are crowded with refugees, and the people are vieing with one another in aiding the stricken.

Those who have expert knowledge on the subject agree that the centre of the cataclysm was the Strait of Messina, which also is the centre of the volcanic zone, the highest peak of which, Mount Aetna, is now silent. From this base, the telluric disturbance extended, abating little by little, northerly as far as Cape Vaticano and southerly as far as the Bay of Catania, ravaging the western region of Calabria and the eastern coast of Sicily for a distance of nearly 160 miles.

It is impossible to accurately ascertain the extent of the movement east and west in the inland regions, but it is certain that the beauty of one of the most charming sections of southern Italy has been irrevocably despoiled.

Vineyards are no more; waving rows of lemon, orange and olive trees have been torn up and the enchanting coastline, with its soft and fragrant foliage has been converted into a hideous desert. Reggio, whose gay aspect set off the severity of the mountains, and Palmi, perched jauntily amid orange and olive trees, have become mere blots.

Looters Shot Down.

Catania, Dec. 31.—The latest news sets forth that some progress is being made in the work of succoring the wounded survivors, but no attempt is being made to remove the wreckage. The troops and sailors have been obliged to shoot down robbers caught looting. All the funds of the Messina branch of the Bank of Italy, some $2,000,000, has been saved and is on board an Italian warship.

The rescuers at Messina are rapidly becoming exhausted. The fires have not yet been put out, and there is no water with which to combat the flames. Many of the people still refuse to leave the ruins of their houses. Force often is necessary to get them to the ships in the harbor. There are, however, large numbers of persons in the suburbs of Messina who will not come back into the city for fear of a re-occurrence of the shocks.

A despatch from Deputy Felice at Messina says: Organize squadron of volunteers for rescue work. Send us food, for we are dying of hunger. A number of the survivors are leaving for Catania. It is the duty of every family in Catania to shelter a family from Messina.

Only two members of the municipal council of Messina survived the disaster.

The bluejackets from the Russian warships at Messina have performed valorous service. They risked their lives recklessly in the work of extricating the wounded. Hospitals have been improvised in the railroad station, which is partially standing, and in another building on First of September street, and on board the steamer Reina Margherita, but they already are full. A roll call of the Eighty-Ninth Regiment of Infantry reveals the fact that the organization has only ten survivors. A man named Roberto, the sole survivor of his family, became mad from grief in Catania yesterday and committed suicide.

Sympathy From Montreal.

Montreal, Dec. 31.—The City Council yesterday passed a resolution of sympathy with the sufferers in Sicily, but, according to their charter, cannot send any money.

French Relief.

Toulon, Dec. 31.—A French relief squadron carrying food, clothing, medical supplies and money for the relief of the Messina sufferers left here yesterday for that port.

Municipal Water Pays.

Guelph, Dec. 31.—Municipal ownership in Guelph continues to pay.

Yesterday morning the water commissioners handed over to Mayor Newstead a check for $17,000, which is a portion of their earnings for 1908. There will be more when the commissioners complete their financial statement for the year.

At a cost of $125,000, an almost entirely new system of waterworks will be completed in a few days. It includes an addition to the pumping house, with two new powerful pumps and a 24-inch pipe line laid to a number of springs five miles out. A concrete reservoir, with a capacity of half a million gallons and a hundred foot standpipe of the same capacity, on the highest elevation in the city, are also features of the new system.

Laymen Take a Hand.

Guelph, Dec. 31.—The civic section of the Laymen's Missionary Movement have taken drastic action in connection with a story of graft in the city council. It is alleged that Harry Norrish gave it out that it cost him $33 to secure the passing of a bylaw by the council to lengthen the hours of the pool-rooms of the city until 11 o'clock Saturday night. An investigating committee has been formed with the view of exposing the guilty parties.

THE GATHERING WAS A STORMY ONE

License Reduction in Toronto Produces Riotous Meeting.

SPENCE IS HOWLED DOWN

Temperance Speaker Tries In Vain For Twenty Minutes to Get a Hearing—Partizans on Both Sides Pack Massey Hall and Interrupt Orators For Other Side—Fight In Hall—Policeman Was Called.

Toronto, Dec. 31.—An exhibition of rowdyism has seldom been paralleled at a public gathering in the city, ended in the breaking up of the mass meeting held in the Massey Hall last night in the interests of the anti-license reductionists. The announcement that both sides were to be represented at the demonstration had excited the keenest interest among supporters of both parties, and long before the proceedings were timed to start the hall was besieged by a large crowd eager to obtain admission. By eight o'clock the large auditorium was filled to its utmost capacity, and still hundreds struggled to get in, with the result that it was eventually found necessary to close the doors. It was evident from the first that the parties were pretty evenly represented.

The trouble really started when Mr J. H. Kennedy, the president of the District Trades and Labor Council, got to his feet and proceeded to explain why he, as representing trades unionists, was opposed to the reduction bylaw. His remarks apparently did not meet with the approval of a considerable section of the audience whose sympathies were with reduction, and throughout he was subjected to a running fire of interruptions.

The climax came when Controller F. S. Spence rose to reply on behalf of the reductionists. It seemed as if many of the audience opposed to reduction had made up their minds to retaliate for the interruptions of the previous speakers by preventing Mr. Spence from being heard.

Pandemonium Breaks Loose.

Whatever the reasons, the controller's rising was the signal for a pandemonium. The cheers seemed to predominate, but the booing and hissing, were more persistent, and the more he endeavored to make himself heard the greater the din became.

Controller Spence, vainly striving to make himself heard, appealed to the opponents of license reduction to be as fair to him as the chairman and Mr. Wright had been, but the noise became louder. Then the reductionists took a hand in the game and struck up the hymn "Hold the Fort." Again the chairman intervened with a threat that unless the disorder ceased he would close the meeting. This had some effect, and for a few minutes Mr. Spence was allowed to proceed, though with great difficulty.

A Fight in the Hall.

He had scarcely completed his first argument, however, when the interruptions were renewed, and the excitement was increased by a fight which took place in the body of the hall.

Recognizing that drastic measures had to be adopted the chairman called for a policeman, who, amid much excitement, marched down the hall and ascended the platform, where he took up a position ready to pounce on the first man who made a disturbance. But even this action failed to have the desired effect. Mr. Spence made a final effort to be heard and then wisely gave up, and after Mr. Wright had made a few remarks the gathering broke up in disorder.

CHILDREN IN PROCESSION.

License Reduction Parade In Toronto Draws 1,500 Youngsters.

Toronto, Dec. 31.—The children's license reduction procession enlivened the campaign yesterday afternoon.

President Martin of the Canadian Temperance League was grand marshal, and delighted the juveniles by his equestrian skill. The procession was divided into two detachments, each headed by a band from the Salvation Army. Sixty vehicles were in the procession. They ranged from a Shetland pony team and children's carriage to monster drays holding 50 children. About 1,500 children took part.

In each wagon load of children several of them held aloft cartoons with the picture of a boy and a barrel, and the query, "The boy or the barrel?"

Other campaign inscriptions were "Vote for Us," "Greater Toronto needs Sober Citizens," "Don't Kill Toronto Citizens," "Save the Boys and Keep the City," "Less Bar-rooms," "We Need the Boys to Save the Flag."

Throughout the parade the children kept up an incessant shout of:

Local option, local option,
Sis, boom, bah!
Reduction, reduction,
Rah! Rah! Rah!

Chokes Wife to Death.

New York, Dec. 31.—Their suspicions aroused by the fact that Carl Breitag, a laborer of South Brooklyn, had the floor of his house cellar concreted the day after his wife Matilda disappeared three weeks ago, the police yesterday made a visit to the Breitag house, and in a corner of the cellar, two feet under the concrete, disinterred Mrs. Breitag's body.

Breitag, who had made strenuous objections, finding the police in earnest about the task, pointed to a corner and said: "You'll find her anyway; she's over there." They did.

The police say he told them he choked her to death.

"She bothered me too much," he explained.

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Canadians and Englishmen Now Control Corporation.

Philadelphia, Dec. 31.—Horatio G. Lloyd has announced that Robert Fleming of London and New York was the purchaser of the Lake Superior Corporation securities from Philadelphia institutions.

This was indicated by the fact that a New York house with which Mr. Fleming has close relations has been a considerable purchaser of the securities of the Lake Superior Corporation since the purchase of the bank's collateral was consummated.

It is understood that Mr. Fleming, who is well-known from his prominence in the Reading, Texas & Pacific and other re-organizations years ago, represents some very substantial English and Canadian capitalists, who, with Edward J. Berwind and his associates, now fully control the Lake Superior Corporation. These capitalists have now fully control the Lake Superior Corporation. These capitalists have not only purchased the Philadelphia bank collateral, which consisted of $1,000,000 of Lake Superior Corporation stock and lands, but they have also negotiated and acquired all the other holdings of the Canadian Improvement Co.

HON. THOMAS BERNIER DIES.

Western Politician Passes Away at St. Boniface, Man.

Winnipeg, Dec. 31—Hon. Thomas A. Bernier died at noon yesterday at his home in St. Boniface. He had been in a critical condition for the past week.

Born at Henryville, Que., Aug. 15, 1844, he was educated for law at St. Hyacinthe and called to the bar in 1869. He became district crown attorney at St. Johns, but in 1880 removed to Manitoba. A year later he was appointed a member of the commission to investigate the working of law regarding half-breed lands. From 1881 to 1890 he acted as superintendent of education for the Catholic section. During this period he was also assistant clerk of Legislature, a member of the executive committee of the board of agriculture, chairman of the eastern judicial district board, and registrar of the university. The first mayor of St. Boniface, he was re-elected five times.

In 1892 he was appointed to the Dominion Senate. He was in politics a Conservative.

Tax Collector Held Up.

Glace Bay, N.S., Dec. 31.—Archibald McLean, one of the county tax collectors, was held up Tuesday night by two masked men on the road leading to Glace Bay and robbed of $300. McLean was thrown down and gagged while one of the robbers went through his pockets. Both escaped.

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For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal ..... 12.21 a m

Going West — Leave Peterborough

For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago ..... 6.25 a m
For Burketon, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto ..... 7.01 a m
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points ..... 4.35 p m

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	Arrive	Depar
Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Gravenhurst, North Bay, Sturgeon Falls and Toronto	11:40 a.m. 9:20 p.m.	9:35 a.m. 11.45 a.m.
Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	2:30 a.m. 6:00 p.m.	9:05 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Cobourg Montreal and East	5:30 p.m	11:45 a.m. 9:05 p.m
Toronto, Lindsay, Scottville, Uxbridge and Markham	11:40 a.m. 7:10 a.m. 5:30 p.m. 10:10 p.m.	11:45a.m
Lindsay Local	9:15 a.m.	9:15 p.m
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	9:10 a.m. 2:50 p.m.	9:30 a.m 1:40 p.m
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SINKING INTO THE SEA

PROFESSOR SAYS AUSTRALIA IS SLOWLY DISAPPEARING.

Prof. David of Sydney University Says That Eastern Coast Line of Island Continent Is Subsiding—Peaty Formations Not Yet Fossilized Are Found Below the Sea, Showing Fall Took Place Recently.

Prof. David, who holds the chair of Geology and Physical Geography in Sydney University, and is at present enjoying a holiday in company with Lieut. Shackleton's Antarctic expedition, is a man of many unorthodox ideas, and among them is one to the effect that the eastern coast line of the Commonwealth, including the New South Wales Metropolis, is gradually slipping into the Pacific Ocean. It appears, says The Globe, that some few months ago the Government of that state had a test cylinder sunk in Sydney Harbor with a view to ascertaining the nature of the formation on which will rest the piers intended to support the proposed bridge to connect the two opposite shores. The professor descended the cylinder to a depth of 90 feet below highwater mark, where he found the formation to consist of peaty material—stems, leaves, and seeds of plants—intermixed with a tough unctuous clay. This was at a depth of about 40 feet below the bed of the harbor. From the harbor bottom down to the level reached by Prof. David, the deposits consisted principally of sand, with marine shells.

The peaty formation was not fossilized, and could not have been more than a couple of thousand years old. The professor thinks it probable that when the peaty material was laid down the harbor was much shallower than at present. Evidence in favor of this view has been afforded by the results of investigations in other parts of the harbor, and at different places on the coast. In boring for coal a few miles north of Sydney peat beds were encountered about 20 feet below sea level. When sinking for the foundations of the great railway bridge across the Hawkesbury river, trunks of large trees were met with at a depth of about 70 feet below sea level. Further north, during the sinking in connection with the Hunter river delta collieries, near Newcastle, a large amount of woody material and coarse river gravel, was passed through at depths, in places, of considerably more than a hundred feet below sea level, the material marking the former level of the old valley before the submergence took place.

At Fingal's Bay, Port Stephens, north of Newcastle, beds of peat can be traced down to the low-tide level, dipping considerably thence; while bores for coal in the vicinity have passed through a bed of peat 100 feet below sea level. In cutting a canal in one of the creeks in Sydney Harbor, a submerged forest of large honeysuckle trees, together with a bed of peat, was found at a depth of 15 feet below highwater level. A remarkable circumstance in connection with the discovery was the finding of a couple of aboriginal stone tomahawks in the peat, showing that the work of submergence must have taken place within a comparatively recent period. All this evidence, according to Prof. David, points to the fact that there has been, in recent geological days, a subsidence of a considerable portion of the New South Wales coastline, amounting to something like a couple of hundred feet.

"This," he says, "has admitted the waters of the Pacific Ocean to the old land valleys, and thus the great estuaries, such as Broken Bay and Port Hacking, and harbors like Port Jackson and Botany Bay, are simply what American geologists term 'drowned valleys.'" This raises the question as to whether the work of submergence is still going on. But the evidence on this point is somewhat scanty. At Largs, on the Hunter river, there are extensive beds of marine shells, of recent origin, elevated 15 feet above sea level; and in some parts of Sydney Harbor incrustations of oyster-shells are frequently met with at a distance of 10 feet above high-water mark. The difficulty in making observations and calculations extending over a number of years consists in the fact that the sea level is not an unalterable quantity. The constant shrinking of the earth, owing to its cooling, is supposed to have the effect of making the oceans deeper and narrower, and the land surface more extensive.

In the course of his remarks Prof. David explained that if there should occur, by any phenomenal change, such a rise of temperature in the Arctic and Antarctic regions as would convert the ice collected there into water all the low-lying portions of the New South Wales coast would become submerged. The ice-bound regions, representing about one-fortieth part of the surface of the globe, hold sufficient ice, if melted, to raise all the oceans of the world several feet. Such a contingency is, however, unlikely, by reason of the cart hbecoming cooler instead of warmer. But a theory has been raised as to whether the slipping away of the New South Wales coast is not in some measure due to the gradual moving of a "fold" in the earth's crust, which is visible in the geological strata in portions of the coastal side of the Blue Mountain ranges. This view of the matter is being carefully investigated. Meanwhile, it has been pointed out that when there are large accumulations of flood waters in the bed of the Nepean river, the upper part of the Hawkesbury, their weight causes a disturbance in the land level, which is distinctly noticeable in the instruments at the Sydney Observatory, and which disappears as the floods subside.

Clipping Their Wings.

The costume of the Pu Yuan Pen-jen women in the Shan states is very striking, consisting of a cloth hood, an open jacket and a pair of short white trousers reaching barely to the knee. But the most important though the least noticeable part of their costume is their colored cloth gaiters. These the women are obliged to wear, as without them it is believed they would be able to fly away, leaving their husbands and sweethearts sorrowful.

BESIEGED BY CANNIBALS.

Jack London and Wife Have Exciting Time In South Seas.

News has just come to hand by way of Sydney, New South Wales, of a remarkable adventure experienced by Jack London, the American novelist, and his wife, during a cruise they are now making in the Pacific.

Mr. London's yacht, the Snark, it is stated, became disabled some weeks ago, and as the pieces of machinery required to re-equip it had to come from Sydney, the vessel was laid up on the island of Guadalcanar. Mr. and Mrs. London subsequently decided to board a labor-recruiting vessel, the Minota. After joining this boat the novelist and his wife were carried one night on to the Mallua Reef, which is close to the dreaded cannibal island of Malaita, the gory doings of whose inhabitants outvie the wildest fiction.

According to the story told to the Sydney Press by the officers of H. M. S. Cambrian, Mr. and Mrs. London were stranded on the reef for two days and two nights, during which time they were surrounded by the canoes of the hideous man-eaters. The novelist was fully armed, as were the crew of the Minota, but the savages were so treacherous and numerous that watch night and day had to be kept to avert surprise and a hideous death.

The safety of the party during the time taken to refloat the Minota was more due, however, to Mr. Caulfield, one of the few missionaries in the Pacific who have influence over the natives of Malaita. Mr. Caulfield induced the mission boys to form a bodyguard for the protection of the Minota's passengers and crew. Eventually the Minota was made seaworthy again and the peril disappeared.

"MURPHY MARATHON."

Peeling Potatoes Is Novel Contest at Cookery Exhibition.

Exactly at eight o'clock one evening recently 12 white-clad cooks set to work peeling potatoes at the Cookery Exhibition, Horticultural Hall, Westminster, Eng. There was a large audience to watch this "murphy marathon," and stern-faced judges of both sexes watched the peelers' every movement from a raised jury box. A great tin pail containing 28 pounds of potatoes was in front of each competitor, who was armed with a patent Lancashire peeler resembling a gigantic J nib. At the word "Go!" the 12 began work, and the silence was only broken by the clattering of the potatoes in the tin pails and the heavy breathing of the competitors.

No. 12, who was left-handed, was much fancied at the start. His left hand worked with incredible swiftness, but he could not stay, and No. 1 (Mr. H. Webb), pale and perspiring, soon forged ahead, and poured a perfect avalanche of peeled and eyeless potatoes into his pail. As each competitor consigned the last potato to the paid he cried "Done!" and finally, amid much enthusiasm, the result was declared as follows: H. Webb, 9 mins., 18 secs.; J. Jones, 10 mins.; W. Cheshire, 10 min., 50 secs. The competitor who came in last pealed the 28 pounds of potatoes in 13 minutes. Last year the slowest time was 18 minutes.

Madame Melba, Billposter.

Who would ever imagine that Madame Melba, whose farewell concert at the Albert Hall took place recently, once went forth, armed with a pail of paste in one hand, a huge paste-brush in the other, and a roll of bills under her arm? But this actually happened in the early days of her career, when she was hungering for opportunities to sing in public. While she was still a schoolgirl, she got up a concert at Sorrento, in Victoria, in aid of one of the local charities. Her father, however, in the hope of stifling her leaning toward a professional career, refused to give her any financial aid whatever, and she had to carry the matter through without any assistance. All her own savings had been swallowed up by the preliminary expenses, and she had not a penny left to pay for posting the bills on which she relied for advertising the entertainment. So she determined to be her own billposter. Marching straight to the kitchen, she persuaded one of the maids to make her a quantity of paste, and this she put into a pail. Then she borrowed a billposter's brush, and, when all was dark, set off on her adventurous round, and posted up all the bills she had had printed. The result was a big house and a bigger success for the young songstress—a success which was a fitting omen of the world-wide renown she was destined to achieve.

Jefferson's Joke.

Joseph Jefferson, America's great actor, who died a couple of years ago, was the author of a joke which had its scene in Montreal. It is, moreover, the last scene of all in the drama set for him in the Masterpieces. Mr. Iles was pointing out to the veteran actor where the Ice Palace had stood on Dominion Square during the carnival of the previous winter (1885-86). On the right Mr. Jefferson saw a building which, he was told was a Methodist church; and on the left the Roman Catholic Cathedral. And I suppose, he remarked, 'there was a coolness between them." Mr. Jefferson was interested in Montreal's art collections. The canvasses of Corot in Sir George Drummond's gallery greatly pleased him.

Hunter and Wolves.

Thomas Garvin of Hull recently had a hair-raising experience with wolves near Baskatong, Que.

Being pursued by a pack of eight wolves and finding escape by flight impossible, he turned and faced them.

Before they could close in on him he shot the two leaders and the others became frightened and escaped into the bush.

Wolves are reported to be unusually numerous and ferocious for this season of the year.

Big Gold Output.

Dr. Barrett of Dawson City, Yukon Territory, was a visitor to Vancouver recently. He states that the output of gold from the territory this year will be $2,000,000 in excess of last year.

A FORGOTTEN HEROINE

MRS. SARAH DEFIELD'S ACT IN WAR OF 1812.

Thrilling Incident of the Niagara Frontier That Has Been Almost Lost Is Adventure of Woman Who Pluckily Saved Young British Captain From Capture by American Soldiers—Rewarded With Land.

During the interval between the defeat of the British at Chippawa on July 5 and the Battle of Lundy's Lane, July 25, 1814, our Niagara frontier, with the exception of the forts at the mouth of the river, was in possession of the invading American army. One hot July day at this time a British officer rode leisurely down Lundy's Lane, little thinking a great decisive battle would soon be fought under his very feet, or of the danger awaiting himself. The officer was the vigilant young Captain FitzGibbon, the hero of Beaven Dams, to whom 600 Americans, with two field pieces, their colors and cavalry, had surrendered the year before through the timely warning of the renowned Laura Secord.

As FitzGibbon approached a tavern near the corner of Portage road he noticed a woman making signals to him, but not comprehending her meaning, he dismounted and tied his horse to a chestnut tree. On coming forward he was suddenly intercepted by two American soldiers, a horseman and rifleman. FitzGibbon, undaunted, exclaimed, "Boys, surrender!" but they immediately levelled their firearms at him. Mrs. Defield (who had tried to warn him) instantly picked up a stone and with it struck the flint out of one musket and thrusting up the cover spit on the powder in the pan of the other—thus rendering both innocuous. A desperate struggle now ensued, which is best told in FitzGibbon's own words:

"Having seized hold of a rifle and musket presented at me by the two American soldiers, which I could neither wrest from them nor could they from me, the rifleman, retaining hold of his rifle with one hand, drew my sword with the other, and attempted to stab me with it in the side. While watching his uplifted hand, with the intent if possible to receive the point of the sword in my arm, I saw the two hands of a woman seize his wrist and carry it behind his back, where she and her sister forced the sword from him."

Pointing the captain's sword at the Americans, she threatened them with death, while her sister, Mrs. James Kirby, grasped their arms behind and thus the soldiers were made prisoners. An American detachment of 150 men was within one hundred yards, at a neighboring house, but were screened from view by a few young pines.

Robert Gourlay (the banished Briton) in a letter years afterwards, expresses his admiration of her deed in the following manner: "Say, O, Heroic Muse, if you ever sung the praises of anyone more deserving in deeds of arms than Mrs. Defield! So prompt, so collected, so brave, so efficient, so successful, and I repeat that Sarah Bloomfield, wife of Edward Defield, is worthy of fifty pounds a year from the Government . . . that an American detachment of 150 men was within a hundred yards heightens admiration of our heroine; and when the painter does his part in illustrating her gallant achievement, a few young pines in the background, with the star-spangled banner waving over them, will indicate where lay the detachment."

After the end of the war Captain FitzGibbon waited on His Excellency Governor Gore, and represented her conduct to him, asking to have her rewarded. The governor recommended the Executive Council to make a grant of land, and an order was accordingly made for four hundred acres from the best land in the Talbot Settlement.

Twenty-seven years afterwards a son of the same Mrs. Defield took up arms against the Government, under William Lyons Mackenzie. He was taken in arms at the Windmill, near Prescott, in 1838, with the rebels who crossed from Ogdensburg and was condemned to suffer death as a traitor. Col. FitzGibbon with Mr. Alex. Hamilton, sheriff of the Niagara district, and Mr. David Thorburn, M.P., prayed His Excellency, Sir George Arthur, to pardon the son in consideration of the former good conduct of his mother, and after the lapse of some months a pardon was granted.

Such is one of many thrilling incidents little known, and in many cases entirely forgotten, that occurred along the Niagara frontier one hundred years ago; when year after year powerful invading armies poured into this country; when the border was torn by no less than eight battles and engagements fought from Niagara to Fort Erie, and the torch of the enemy destroyed all the towns and villages, with every house from Queenston to the Falls, Chippawa and Fort Erie—when death and desolation and ruin reigned alone. In strong contrast are to-day's handsome cities and towns, and glorious countryside, with the rich landscape it presents, its beautiful farms and gardens.

"Orchards and vine-clad hills,
On which the power of cultivation lies,
A veritable land of fruits and flowers,
Hallowed by historic memories.
Heavens! What a goodly prospect spreads around,
Of hills and dales and woods and lawns and spires,
And glittering towns and gilded streams."

Born In the Year of Trafalgar.

Mrs. Amelia Fidgett, of Mistley, Essex, England, celebrated her 103rd birthday last month. She has been photographed with a daughter, aged 73, granddaughter, aged 48, and several great and great-great-granddaughters.

A Plowman at 91.

Atkinson Township, Frontenac County, has probably one of the oldest plowmen in Canada, in the person of Henry Johnston, 91 years of age. Recently he plowed with a team of colts, and drives as straight a furrow as a farmer half his years.

DRIFTED MONTHS AT SEA.

Caroline Islanders Show How the Pacific Isles Were Peopled.

A few natives of the Caroline islands have again answered the old conundrum how the widespread islands of the Pacific came by the people who were found on them. The Caroline islanders are born seamen, and no mariner who knows their skill and daring will be surprised to hear that in March last year six of them confidently put to sea to visit Japan, over 1,200 miles away.

They were out less than a week when the terrible typhoon that in four days brought complete destruction to some of the islands wrecked the little vessel. She still floated, but had no rudder, mast, sails or oars. The men aboard her were helplessly adrift.

For two months they saw nothing but the heavens and the sea till one night a light shone out. But the castaways feared unfriendly natives and did not try to reach the light, though that very day their last bit of food had been eaten.

They caught fish and turned their provision boxes into firewood to cook them. They partly assuaged thirst by spreading their garments to catch the rain. So on they drifted, half dead, and no one knows exactly how long, for the time was not recorded, when they were pulled out of their boat on the shore of north Formosa. All but one were senseless. Two died in a few hours, and the others recovered. The distance between their starting and landing points is 1,700 miles.

Some years ago all the records of drifts or long sea journeys of Pacific islanders were collected, and this mass of evidence left practically no doubt that the myriad islands were populated by such voluntary or involuntary wanderings.—New York Sun.

Would He Like It?

In defense of dress reform Mrs. J. Gardiner Merritt, the sculptress, said at a recent luncheon in Washington:

"Isn't dress reform needed—at least for all of us except the very slender? I heard a young man, a rather lazy young man, tell a pretty girl the other day that he envied woman her idleness; that he would like to have been born a woman.

"The girl, tossing her head and snorting, answered:

"'You'd like to be a woman! Oh, yes! Just try it for a day. Fasten a blanket and a counterpane around your legs, buckle a strap around your waist so tight you can't draw a full breath or eat a hearty meal, have your hair all loose and fluffy, so that it keeps tickling your ears and getting into your eyes; wear high heeled shoes and gloves a size too small for you, cover your face with a veil full of spots that make you squint, fix a huge hat on with pins, so that every time the wind blows it pulls your hair out by the roots, and then, without any pockets and with a three inch square of lace to blow your nose with, go for a walk and enjoy yourself. You would like it!'"

Wind Gauge For Trains.

A singular device for the protection of railway trains crossing a viaduct exposed to heavy winds has recently been employed at Ulverston, England, says Professor R. DeC. Ward in Science. It consists of a wind gauge fixed at the west end of the Levens viaduct. When the wind pressure reaches thirty-two pounds to the square foot an electric contact is made automatically and bells ring in the signal cabins on each side of the viaduct. Upon this all trains are detained until the force of the wind abates. The interruption is telegraphed along the line. In February, 1907, a wind velocity of sixty-five miles an hour was recorded. The danger of very high winds to trains on an exposed bridge or viaduct was tragically illustrated many years ago by the lamentable Tay bridge disaster in Scotland.

Our Future Population.

Many estimates have been made of what the population of the United States will be in 1950. They vary all the way from 175,000,000 to 200,000,000. The latest person to make an estimate, however, takes quite a different view. In the Atlantic Monthly W. S. Rossiter, a census expert, shows that the rate of increase in population is steadily declining. From 1870 to 1880 the increase was 31 per cent, from 1880 to 1890, 20 per cent, and from that date to 1900, 21 per cent. In view of this steady decrease in the rate Mr. Rossiter estimates that the population in 1950 will not be over 130,000,000 and after that date will tend to become stationary.

Rotted Money Restored.

Mrs. A. E. Brown, for twenty-five years an expert in the United States treasury, recently finished a task that called for exceeding patience and deftness. A roll of bank notes which had been hidden in a tin can and buried in the earth for two years was given to Mrs. Brown to examine. The money had rotted and was little better than green tinted pulp. She was so successful in separating the decayed paper, piecing the bits and deciphering the letters and figures that practically the entire amount was redeemed and made good to the distressed owner.

A pretty schoolteacher, noticing one of her little charges idle, said sharply: "John, the devil always finds something for idle hands to do. Come up here and let me give you some work."

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Mr. Richard Lees, B.A., Formally Opens New School In Havelock

Interesting Event in Railroad Town —Concert Was a Success— Hockey Club to Give Another Dance—Personal Items.

LOCAL OPTION DOINGS

Havelock, Dec. 30.—The School Concert which took place on Tuesday night of last week, was greeted by a crowded house, and the programme consisting of twenty numbers, given by the school children, was highly appreciated by all. The flag drill by 24 girls proved to be the most pleasing to the eye, and much credit is due those taking part in it ,and also the teacher, Miss Jewel, who trained them, the drill being especially clever and well worthy of commendation. The many other numbers were also enthusiastically received and showed plainly that many of the young pupils possess marked ability and cleverness. The receipts amounted to about $75.00.

A large number of the citizens were also present at the formal opening of the new school which took place in the afternoon of Tuesday, Dec. 22nd. Hon. J R Colquohoun, Deputy Minister of Education, was unable to be present, and School inspector Mr. Richard Lees, B.A., declared the building open and ready for use. Mr .Lees afterwards gave a short address on educational matters, and complimented the School Board on their enterprise and ability, in the building of such a fine School for the accommodation of the pupils of Havelock and vicinity

Messrs. J A Sexsmith, M.P., Jas. Thompson ,M.L.A., Wm. Matheson, Jas. Knox, Rev. D Balfour, Rev. H Caylan and J A G Stirling, also delivered interesting addresses.

Miss Loretta Bennett entertained a few friends on Saturday evening to a card party.

Miss Lillian Campbell returned home from London on Saturday where she spent Christmas with her sister, Mrs. Thos. Brady, of that city.

A temperance sermon was preached in both the Methodist and Presbyterian churches on Sunday evening, by the resding ministers of both the churches.

Messrs. Linton, Owen and Douglas, of Campbellford spent Sunday in town.

Messrs. Horwich and Carl of Delora Mines, were guests in town Sunday.

Miss Katie Falkner, of Peterborough is the guest of her brother, Mr. Harry Falkner, town.

Mrs. Davidson and daughter, of Toronto, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Matheson.

Miss Hilda Caplan returned to Toronto on Monday after spending Christmas with her parents, Rev. and Mrs Caplan.

Dr. and Mrs. Hourigan, Woodstock, are the guests of the latter's sister, Mrs. A E McGuire.

On Sunday next Mrs. Hitchcox will give an address on the temperance question in the Presbyterian church in the morning and at the Methodist church in the evening.

The Independent Order of Foresters at their meeting on Wednesday night last passed a resolution of condolence to Bro. H P and Mrs. Morrison, sympathizing with them in the loss of their daughter, Little Miss Edith Elizabeth.

The Rockey Club were so delighted with their last dance that they have decided to hold another on New Year's Eve, and every effort is being made by the management to make at a huge success. Invitations have been issued.

Mr. and Mrs. McGregor and children returned home on Monday after spending the holiday with friends at Niagara Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. R J Graham and Miss Maude Graham returned home on Monday from Toronto.

Mr. P. Wright, manager Bank of Toronto, returned home from Toronto on Monday.

Messrs. Alex. Innes, Wm. Cole, Thos. Patterson, Jack Hart, and E Burnett, all of the Sudbury line, who were home for the Christmas holiday, returned to-day.

Mrs. Ostrauder and daughter, Hazel, left on Monday for Winnipeg, where Mr. Ostrauder has decided to reside in future, and where he has started in business for himself, having opened up a large photograph gallery.

Mr. and Mrs. Spurr returned to their home in Madoc on Monday.

Miss Lillian Campbell left on Monday for Toronto where she will remain a few days.

Mr. Coghill returned from Stratford on Monday where he spent the Christmas holidays.

School Closing At No. 3, Otonabee; Delightful Programme Given

Indian River, Dec. 30—The concert given under the direction of Miss Rosie Spence, the popular teacher of No. 3 school, Otonabee, was a decided success. A lengthy programme was made out and a pleasant evening was spent.

Mr. Wm. Borland occupied chair gave a brief address after which the following programme was presented

Song — How can we truly keep Christmas—by the school children

Dialogue—A visit from the smith by school children.

Recitation—Violet Dickson.

Song —Mr. Roland Kidd.

Recitation— Hazel Hall

Instrumental duet—Messrs Dalton and Ross. Miss Mary Rhubat presided at the organ.

Dialogue--Cured— Miss Jennet Breckenridge; Messrs Wm. O'Leary, John Sullivan, Arthur Devlin and David Kidd.

Solo—Miss May Herdren

Recitation—Miss Edith Robinson

Dialogue—Pats' Letter— Wm Paterson and Harry Evans.

Song—Mr John Hall

Recitation—Frank Grady

Duet—Misses Mabel and Ada Elmhirst.

Recitation— Annie Fitzgerald

Song—Edith Robertson.

Dialogue--Taking the Census — by Jas. Whibbs and France Fitzgerald

Musical Asters—Miss Rosie Spence Mr D Kidd, Miss Nellie Borland Mr W Kidd, Miss Jennet Breckenridge Mr W Breckenridge and Miss Pearl Borland.

Dialogue—Miss Edna Paterson. N. Borland and Mr W Brechenridge.

Recitation—Miss Edna Paterson

Recitation— Miss Cec. Grady.

Song—Mr Roland Kidd.

Gypsy's Warning —sung by Miss Spence and Miss Borland and Mr D Kidd.

At the close of the concert an address was read by the pupils and a present made to the teacher. The pupils asked her to accept the same and excuse them for the many mischievous acts while under her guidance and that they would long remember the kindness of their dear teacher and closed by wishing her a Merry Christmas and a happy New year.

Miss Spence thanked the ratepayers for their kindness to her while in the school section and also the children for their conduct at school. She also thanked those who assisted her with the concert and said she would not soon forget her teaching days at Indian River

Miss Spence wished all a Merry Christmas and a happy New Year and many happy returns.

The ended a most enjoyable evening.

Miss Waterman of Madoc is engaged to teach in school No. 3 Otonabee.

Mr. Frank Sullivan of Peterboro spent Christmas at his home here

Mr. Valentine Cavanagh of Buffalo is spending a couple of months here with his parents.

Miss Shannon of Campbellford is engaged to teach in School No. 1, Douro recently vacated by Miss Irene O'Shea of Peterborough.

Otonabee is going to have an election contest for the Reeveship for the first time in nearly twenty years. Mr. Fife the present Reeve and Mr. Potter, the present D. Reeve are the opposing candidates.

Mr. Fife will no doubt take a large vote in his own ward. And Mr. Potter will also take a good vote in his ward. Both men have had a good many years in the Township Council and have both been in the County Council for two terms. Both are strong men and will no doubt have a close contest.

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S. S. NO. 10, SMITH, REPORT FOR DECEMBER

The following is the report of S. S. No 6 Harvey for the month of December. Following each name is the percentage gained through examinations held during the month.

Senior IV Class—Charlie Flynn 63 Lorne Chesney 62; Edith Guthrie 60; Pearl Guthrie 44.

Jr IV Class—Maggie Spence 48.

Sen. III Class—Clifford Spafford 45 Blanche Bennett 35.

Jr. III Class—Hilda Flynn 72; Irene Traynor 50; Melville Simpson 49 Chester Winnover 44.

Sr II Class—Lottie Winover 59; Nellie Mooney 56; Ben Irwin 49; Mary Mooney 47; Mae Armstrong 38.

Jr. II Class—Violet Monorief 68; Coleman Guthrie 59; David Irwin 42 Lorne Guthrie 39.

Sr part II Class—Evan Traynor 56 Britain Bennett 45.

Jr part II Class—Stu Barcroft 50 per cent.

Part I—Frank Pluard, Harry Pluard, Cora Mooney, Hannah Monorief George Monorief, Willie Bennett, Gladys Irwin, Mona Bennett.

Aggregate attendance for the month 365; average attendance 21.

School opens Monday, Jan. 4th, 1909

ORGAN RECITAL AT HASTINGS

New Instrument in St. George's Church is Giving Satisfaction—One of the Villagers Had Shoulder Dislocated.

MANY CHRISTMAS VISITORS

Hastings, Dec. 30.—Mrs. Armstrong is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. H McClelland, of town.

Miss Blanche Humphries, of Peterborough Normal School, is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs Adam Humphries.

Our schools have closed for the Christmas vacation, and Principal Mr. Michael has returned to his home.

Mr. J. Thompson, of Wheatley, is home on a visit to his parents, Rev. D. A. and Mrs. Thompson.

Mr. George Oakman, of Melfort, Sask., is spending his Christmas holidays at his old home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Christie and daughter, Annie, of Peterborough, spent Christmas at the home of Mr. Christie's uncle, Mr. Nelson Beavis.

Miss Annie Walsh, of Loretta Academy, Hamilton, is visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs. J. Walsh.

Mr Harry Wilson, of Toronto, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Wilson.

Miss Josie Collins, of Toronto, is home for the holidays.

Master Beverley Burns, of Grimsby, is home for Christmas and the vacation.

The organizer of the Canadian Order of Foresters spent a few days in town recently, in the interests of the order.

Miss M. Kelleher, of Campbellford, has been visiting her friend, Mrs. J. N. Godfrey.

Mr. D. Streight is making an extended visit at his home in Kemptville.

Mr. T. Coughlan, of Toronto, is home for the holidays.

Misses Teresa and Celia Coughlan, Loretta Academy, Hamilton, are home on a visit to their mother Mrs. Doctor Coughlan.

Mr Henry Johnston met with a painful accident on Monday afternoon by a fall on the icy pavement, which caused a dislocation of the shoulder. Doctors Wade and Edmison were summoned and succeeded in putting the shoulder back into place, and Mr. Johnston is getting along remarkably well, considering his age.

The manager of the skating rink is prepared to sell season tickets to any who may desire them. Gentlemen's tickets are selling for $3.00, and ladies' for $2.00.

Mr. A. H. Lye, solo organist of Ed. Lye & Sons, organ builders, has been in town in connection with the new pipe organ, which has been placed in St. George's Church. Mr. Lye gave a recital on the instrument on Monday evening, which was a rare musical treat. In the different selections rendered he not only displayed his ability, but brought out the grand tones of the organ in such a manner that all lovers of music could not fail to be pleased. The instrument was donated by Mr. Henry Johnson.

The Rev. D. A. Thompson, pastor of the Presbyterian Church here, will address the people at Roseneath Church on New Year's Day, in connection with the induction of Rev. J. R. Black, of Toronto, to the pastorate of the congregations of Bethesda and Roseneath.

Social Christmas music was given by the choir of the Methodist Church on Sunday evening, which was much appreciated. At this service Mrs. (Dr.) Edmison rendered a pleasing solo.

A meeting in the interests of local option was held in Bethany Church on Tuesday night, and was well attended. A short address was given by Mr. G. Carlaw, president of the township association. The friends of temperance in Percy Township are looking forward to a great victory for their cause. We wish them success.

Monday being Nomination day all the candidates for municipal honours are wearing their nicest smile and extending "the compliments of the season" to every one they chance to meet.

The town council met for the last time this year on December 15th, at which the tax collector was authorized tto give several rebates on property which was assessed too high.

Mr. and Mrs. (Rev.) Francis Johnson, of Cambourne, spent Christmas with their daughter, Mrs. L. F. Cherry.

Miss Jennie Johnson, of Campbellford, visited friends in town over Sunday.

Mr. Asa Huycke, of Peterborough, spent the holidays at the home of his uncle, Mr. L. T. Huycke, of town.

Mr. Howard Fife, of the Norwood High School, is spending his vacation with his father, Mr. Duncan Fife.

SILVER LAKE SCHOOL CLOSING AND XMAS TREE

The entertainment and Christmas tree held at the Silver Lake School on Monday, Dec. 21, was in every way a success.

The programme consisting of recitations, readings, dialogues, etc., was given by the scholars, all of whom got great praise for the way in which they acquitted themselves.

The presents for the Christmas tree were furnished by Mr. J R Stratton, M. P., for West Peterborough. This is the second time that Mr. Stratton has so kindly remembered the scholars at the Lake and all are unanimous in thanking him for his liberality and for the interest taken in the scholars by both himself and Mrs. Stratton. Each scholar was given a handsome and useful present.

GALWAY-CAVENDISH COUNCIL

Statutory Meeting Was Held to Arrange for Elections—Settlement of Smallpox Account.

ACCOUNTS WERE PRESENTED

Galway, Dec. 30.—The statutory meeting of the Township Council of Galway and Cavendish was held on Thursday, December 15th, 1908. All the members present, Charles Coben, reeve, in the chair.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

Moved by Wm. Hunter, seconded by David Curtin, that polling division No. 1 be held at Mr. John McGee's house, and polling division No. 2 be held at John Jackson's house and that Robert White be Deputy Returning Officer.

Moved by John Clark, seconded by Wm. Hunter, that By-law No. 228, regulating the fees and hours to be kept open for parties conducting billiard and pool rooms in the municipality of Galway and Cavendish receive its several readings and be passed.

Moved by Wm. Hunter, seconded by John Clark, that the reeve be authorized to accept offers for all hardwood timber on road allowance, lot 1, con. 1, lot 1, con. 2, lot 1, con. 3, said timber to be sold on 23rd day of December, 1908, and that the clerk send notice of said sale to Silver Lake P. O., where said sale will take place at the hour of two o'clock p. m. Terms cash.

Moved by John Clark, seconded by D. Curtin, that Wm. Hunter and David Curtin be commissioned to meet Dr. E. A. White, to arrange a satisfactory settlement re a small pox account, with power to act, and also that David Curtin be refunded $4.60, being taxes for lot 20, con. 6, Galway, error in assessment.

Moved by D. Curtin, seconded by Wm. Hunter, that the following accounts be paid:

F. Herlibey, for burying F. Spenly's child, a case of diphtheria	$3 50
Chas. Coben, sessional allowance	6 50
David Curtin, sessional allowance	4 50
John Clark, sessional allowance	4 50
Wm. Hunter, part sessional allowance	3 00
John Jackson, part sessional allowance	3 00
Mrs. McGee, use of house for council	2 50
Patrick Collins, postage and express charge	5 00

Council adjourned.

INTERESTING NEWS FROM DOWNEYVILLE

Downeyville, Dec. 26.—The people of Downeyville learn with regret of the sad death of Miss Matilda O'Neill, in Rochester on Wednesday, Dec. 23rd. The corpse was brought to Omemee Thursday evening, accompanied by her sister, Miss Mary Ann, who was with deceased at the time of her death and during her short illness of two days. Owing to her many noble qualities Miss O'Neill had numerous friends here. The funeral took place on Saturday morning at nine o'clock from the old homestead, one mile east of Downeyville, where she spent her childhood days and lived until a few years ago, when she went to Rochester. Despite the disagreeable weather a large procession followed the hearse to the church and thence to the new cemetery. Deceased lady leaves an aged mother, two brothers, Dan and Ned, of this place, and three sisters, Ellen, at home, Mary Ann, of Rochester, and Sister M Thecla, of St. Joseph's Convent, Peterborough, who were all present.

The weather Christmas Eve and Christmas Day was exceedingly mild and the country people feared there would be no merry sleigh bells ringing soon, but Saturday was so severely cold that those fears were soon set aside.

Miss Flossie O'Brien and Miss Mary and Ethel Harrington, of St. Joseph's Academy, Lindsay, spent Christmas holidays at their respective homes.

Mr. Daniel Duffy who has been away for about fourteen years returned for Christmas and introduced to the Downeyville people his bride.

Miss Delphine Leggott who has been teaching at Fenelon Falls, is home for the holidays.

Miss Gertie Lucas, teacher at Tweed, and Miss Lottie Fitzpatrick, who is attending Normal School in Peterborough, spent Christmas under the parental roof.

Miss May Murtha, Lindsay, spent the great feast day at the home of her uncle, Mr. Frank Milloy.

Mr. Daniel Connell, of Toronto, was also welcomed to Downeyville by his many friends.

Mr. John Rudden, Nephew of Rev. Father McGuire spent Christmas at the Presbytery.

On Dec. 22, the people of Lindsay held a Christmas Fair which was a great success, and owing to the hens, turkeys, geese, ducks, eggs, beef and hogs we should judge that the people in this vicinity have been making good use of their time and need not fear poverty. The horse show created great excitement when the main street was crowded with magnificent horses, all colours and sizes, and seemed anxious to walk over their opponents. The most pleasing feature of the day was the baby show in the Academy of Music when twenty-nine babies were cooing and pouting from the stage, when the curtain rose. Baby Rose Calvert won the prize, which was five dollars, presented by Major Begg. This was the first Christmas fair and was a huge success.

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Apropos of the presence of much large game in the settled portions of British Columbia this year, the following account of a hunter's encounter with a wounded bear near Fernie is worth reproduction, writes a correspondent in Victoria. Bears have been so plentiful in the vicinity of Fernie, and have ventured so near the settlements, that many local sportsmen have made successful trips into the adjacent mountains in search of big game.

One of these excursions on Oct. 12 narrowly escaped ending in tragedy, and, as it is, the hunter is still in the hospital suffering from severe wounds inflicted by the infuriated animal he had wounded. The wounded man, named Price, proceeded a few miles north of here, in the Woods-McNab Co.'s timber limits, where several bears had been seen, and soon discovered the tracks of one of the animals. About two miles above the company's mill Price came on three bears, and he shot, wounding one, which, however, made off into the woods. He tracked the animal for a couple of hours, and was about to give up the chase, when, on entering some heavy underbrush, he came suddenly on his quarry, not a gun's length from him. He fired point blank at the animal, and before he could get out of its way it struck him a heavy blow on the head, and before he could recover himself the maddened animal had sprung on him and inflicted some terrible wounds with its claws and teeth. The injured man fought desperately in the unequal contest, and, though of powerful physique, was rapidly becoming exhausted, when the animal for some unaccountable reason left its prey and wandered into the bush. Price bound up his wounds as best he could and dragged himself down the mountain, where he was discovered by another hunter, who assisted him to the lumber mill, where a conveyance was secured and the injured man was driven into Fernie and his wounds dressed by Dr. Corsan. The man's leg and arm had been badly chewed by the bear, and, though weak from loss of blood and the terrible experience through which he had come, it is thought he will recover.

How Fires Start.

What starts the forest fires? This question has been asked over and over again this year. Campers and locomotives, is the usual answer. Many of the other things which start blazes in the forests are forgotten. It is true that perhaps one-half to three-fourths of the forest fires do begin as a consequence of the carelessness of some camper or from sparks flying from locomotives, but there are a number of things which set the woods afire.

For more than one-third of the fires the cause is not known. This is not strange when it is remembered that a fire may smoulder for days if the air is too thick to permit the smoke to be seen at a distance by the forest officer.

If campers would be sure to extinguish their fires before moving, and if the railroad companies would use efficient spark arresters, it is reasonable to think that the annual forest fire loss could be reduced more than one-half. In the case of lightning, man has no greater responsibility than to put the fire out as soon as possible after discovery. Careless brush burning by homesteaders and persons clearing land is said to be the cause of many of the fires which have started this year, particularly those which have swept over the Lake country.

Seeking Rare Caribou.

In search of the fabled Rangifer Dawsonei, the caribou of an undescribed species which is supposed to have as its habitat the Queen Charlotte group of islands, Frank Kermode, curator of the British Columbia provincial museum, left recently for the north on the steamer Amur. He will be accompanied by Samuel Whittaker, his assistant, and it is hoped that in this wild and inaccessible district some specimen of the animal, if it exists, will be found. The belief in the existence of the species is based upon the discovery of a fragmentary skull and one horn, but the description of the skin by a gentleman who saw it warranted Ernest Thompson-Seton in his conclusion. Any doubt in the mind of the naturalist was set at rest by Commander Hunt and Lieut. Bills, formerly of H.M.S. Shearwater, who found tracks of the animal and a shed antler upon the occasion of a visit there some years ago. Mr. Kermode has longed for a specimen for many years and believes that his present tour will be successful.

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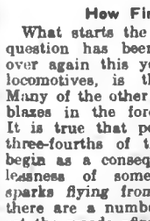

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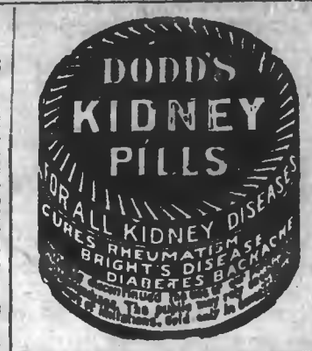

HELPED LOUIS RIEL.

Honore Jaxon Ran For Member of the Dominion Government.

Honore Joseph Jaxon, who was prominent in the United States last year because of his correspondence with President Roosevelt upon the Haywood-Moyer-Pettibone "undesirable citizenship" question, created much comment in the country west of Winnipeg during the recent elections by appearing as a candidate for the Ottawa Parliament.

He came to the northwest several months ago and was put forward as the candidate of an independent element that has arisen among the workingmen and seemed to have strength. In his appeal to the voter Jaxon attacked both leading political parties and put forth a statement which struck radically at Canadian claims to govern the northwest.

Mr. Jaxons' candidacy brought up the question whether he is a Canadian, or belongs under the United States flag by birth. He claimed, when living in Chicago, to have been born in Jaxon's buffalo camp, between Montana and the Northwest Territory, the location of the camp to the international boundary line being doubtful. His father was a hunter and trader and his mother was a woman who had been educated in England.

Jaxon claimed kindred with the Meti Indians, and said he had also Welsh, Scottish, English, French and Spanish forebears. He was educated at Toronto University and associated with Louis Riel in his rebellion.

Captured by the Government troops he escaped into the United States and lived for several years in Chicago. In May, 1907, he left Chicago, announcing that he was going to join the Cree Indians.

A SLEEPY MALLARD.

Wild Duck That Joined a Tame Duck Flock.

To find a wild duck asleep on the lake shore seems an impossible experience, but "impossible" is always a dangerous word.

Whatever may have been the impelling motive, a mallard, the largest of our inland wild ducks, took a sound sleep on the shore east of Toronto recently, and was surprised to awaken in the hands of a delighted friend. He showed no evidence of wounds, sickness, or any kind of disability except soporific weariness, and he soon shook that off to demonstrate the strength of his wings.

The sleepy mallard is already happy and contented in an open pond, fraternizing with gorgeously colored wood ducks and still more brilliant mandarin ducks from the eastern continent. Conscious of the uneven balance of a few short-end quills, he shows no desire to continue his journey southward. These ducks are agreeable migrants, nesting in convenient situations about the lakes, as well as along their routes to the Arctic coast. Their ways are familiar, their nests have often been found, and their eggs have been successfully hatched under domestic ducks. But Toronto has the only record of a fine, healthy mallard found confidingly asleep and reduced to a state of domestication.

Good Shooting In B.C.

One sportsman at least has found good sport on Vancouver Island this season, judging from the short but pithy letter he wrote to "Field and Stream" from Victoria. He says: "In two days, ending Sept. 7th, and within thirty miles of this city of 35,000 people, over seventy deer were shot and brought into town from right along the line of the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railroad. Twelve of these deer were shot only seventeen miles out, and a panther eight feet long was downed with buck-shot by E. J. Cameron, a resident here.

"From farther up the island, say around Alberni, reports come that the deer are as thick as flies. I have tasted no finer venison than on Vancouver Island, and twenty-pound "spring" salmon are so numerous on trains that they create no comment. In a walk of eleven miles along a forest highway yesterday I saw four deer, and flushed hundreds of blue and willow grouse."

Whitney's Recreations.

Sir James Whitney is one of the few prominent men still riding the bicycle for pleasure. He takes a real delight in playing with his grandchildren. Another of the Premier's amusements is to walk down Yonge street and look in the store windows. This amusement is perhaps not deliberate, but anyone seeing him must be aware of the keen, though unconscious, delight which he takes in the pastime. The general public is possibly not aware that Sir James is an authority on the prominent men and women of England, especially upon the statesmen of the home country. He passes much of his spare time in reading the English newspapers, and also gets an insight into United States politics by reading papers and periodicals from across the line.

C.P.R.'s Growth.

In the six years, 1902 to 1908 there was an increase in the equipment of the C.P.R. of 659 locomotives, 842 sleeping cars and day coaches, and 25,190 freight cars, at an approximate cost of $37,000,000. This is equivalent to one locomotive every three working days, one passenger car every two days, and fourteen freight cars each day during the entire period of six years.

CANADA FAKERS.

Arthur Stringer Severely Censures Sir Gilbert Parker.

Mr. Arthur Stringer has recently written a severe article arraigning what he calls the "Canada faker." Mr. Stringer has little patience with the authors who profess to write of Canada and produce work full of glaring inaccuracies. Sir Gilbert Parker is one of the culprits, says the writer.

"Strange," he declares, "are the errors of Sir Gilbert Parker, who is Canadian-born and was for many years a school teacher in his native country. Thus, in his book, 'The Chief Factor,' he has two of his characters about to fight a duel, with swords. It is natural, of course, that two such combatants would search for passably level ground. Sir Gilbert takes them from the Hudson Bay Co.'s post and brings them to a moose-yard. Now it is my fixed conviction that the author in question has in some way confounded the word 'moose-yard' with 'barn-yard.' It is equally my conviction that Sir Gilbert has never looked upon a moose-yard, much less tried to travel through one in the winter-time. For a moose-yard is nothing more than an intricate net-work, a wandering maze, of deep tracks, or, rather, of deep gutters, an irregular series of trap-holes two feet and more to the bottom. And a delightfully odd and uncertain place indeed in which to indulge in combat by sword! Still again, Sir Gilbert's tendency to sentimentalize the situation leads him to depict his characters as marching across the snow in the dead of winter while one member of the band blithely defies sub-zero weather and trippingly plays a flute. Now just how this placid-souled gentleman fingered the stops is a very nice problem, when an unmittened hand will show signs of frost-bite before even the aria of 'Annie Laurie' could be rendered."

MONTREAL'S NEW SQUARE.

Site of Old Ship Fever Hospital Station Is Chosen.

Another square has just been completed by the road department of Montreal and next spring will be laid out in walks, with grass and trees planted. It blots out what has been an eyesore to the residents of McCord street and the locality for more than a quarter of a century. The new square has been laid out on the north side of the approach to the Wellington Bridge, almost facing St. Ann's Roman Catholic Church.

The site during the ship fever days of 1847 was a hospital station for many of the brave sisters, priests, doctors and laymen, who faced death in ministering to the wants of the stricken victims. Many of these noble spirits fell in the performance of a Christian duty. Among others, Mr. John E. Mills, who was at the time Mayor of Montreal, and courageously did his duty as first citizen and magistrate. Wellington and McCord streets were barricaded at this point, so that those attending the fever patients could not enter the city. Probably the venerable Canon Ellegood is the only survivor of the workers of those terrible days. There is a feeling among the citizens that it would be an appropriate act to name the new square after the heroic Mayor Mills.

The property was acquired by the city at the price of $50,000 for a square, on the south side approach to the bridge, where is deposited the huge boulder to the victims of 1847.

Whale Catch Good.

The whale fisheries off the coast of Vancouver have been phenomenally successful this year, the total catch being half as much again as it was in 1907. The number of whales taken is 556, of an aggregate estimated value of more than $1,000,000 ($1,025,000). The Blue Funnel liner Bellepheron carried as part cargo 5,000 barrels of whale oil consigned to Glasgow, the largest single shipment ever made. A remarkable feature of this year's hunting is the number of sulphur bottoms that have been captured. At the Kyuquot station more than one-third of the take has been comprised of this species, which is the largest of the whale family in the Pacific, averaging from 70 to 80 feet in length and weighing anywhere from 70 to 85 tons. Each of these mammals is worth about $3,500. A couple of years ago, when the whaling industry was started in these waters, the prophecy was hazarded by experts that the mammals would become extinct after a couple of seasons. Far from this proving the case, they have grown more numerous each year.

A Lavish Steward.

The owners of the barkentine Everett G. Grigs, got Victoria, B.C., did not long retain the services of a new steward engaged for the vessel at San Francisco some time ago. When Simon Palmer, the newly employed of the six-masted barkentine was ordered by Capt. Delano to provision the vessel for a voyage of eight months, he gave the matter considerable study and finally ordered for the use of the crew the following: Four hundred and fifty barrels of beef, 200 barrels of pork, 100 quart bottles of wine, 100 pounds of pepper, 300 pounds of salt, 400 bags of potatoes and 100 pounds of salted almonds. The item of salted almonds, when it fell under the captain's eye, furnished the safety valve for an impending attack of apoplexy. The steward admitted that his knowledge of supplies was based largely upon an account of the supplies needed by the battleship fleet when it sailed from the Atlantic coast. The Griggs sailed with another steward and the magnificent order was cancelled.

Dreams of Children.

Mr. and Mrs. John Creamer, father and mother of the two children who disappeared so mysteriously from their home at Spence Settlement one Sunday several years ago, are now living at Roxbury, Mass. In a letter to her sister in Sackville, N.B., recently Mrs. Creamer says: "John has been dreaming of the children lately. He seems to think that we will hear of them. That will never be, I guess. They seem to be able to find everything but them."

The Modern Husband.

Mrs. Knicker—We are to have a thousand foot skyscraper. Mrs. Bocker—I suppose that means that Henry will be detained at the office 500 feet later.

THE PARACHUTE.

Leonardo da Vinci Was the First One to Suggest It.

Credible accounts exist of an English Benedictine monk, Oliver of Malmesbury, in the eleventh century having tried to fly by precipitating himself from the height of a tower with the assistance of wings attached to his arms and his feet. It is said that, having gone along a little way, he fell and broke his legs. He attributed his accident to failure to provide his apparatus with a tail, which would have helped preserve his equilibrium and made his descent a gentler one.

In the sixteenth century Leonardo da Vinci first demonstrated that a bird, which is heavier than the air, sustains itself, advances in the air, "by rendering the fluid denser where it passes than where it does not pass." In order to fly it has to fix its point of support on the air. Its wings in the descending stroke exert a pressure from above down, the reaction of which from below up forces the center of gravity of its body to ascend at each instant to the height at which the bird wishes to maintain it. Some sketches which have come down to us prove that Leonardo occupied himself, like Oliver of Malmesbury, with giving man the power to fly by the assistance of wings suitably fixed to the body.

We owe to Leonardo also the invention of the parachute, which he described in the following terms: "If a man had a pavilion each side of which was fifteen braces wide and twelve braces high he might cast himself from any height whatever without fear of danger." It may be said, too, of Leonardo da Vinci that he was the first to suggest the idea of the screw propeller.

A SAUCY DUCHESS.

Her Audacious Fight For Gay and His "Beggars' Opera."

When the "Beggars' Opera," by Gay, was produced in 1728 it took positively by storm. The king still clung to Handel, but the nobility, with the Duchess of Queensberry among them, flocked rapturously to the "Newgate pastoral." The "Beggars' Opera" had a run of sixty-two nights, unprecedented in those days, and as one result of its success Handel became bankrupt. Suddenly there came an order from the lord chancellor to stop the new piece. Why, is not exactly known unless it was because the prime minister considered himself to be too faithfully represented therein. However that may have been, the theater had to be closed, whereupon the Duchess of Queensberry took up Gay's cause and vehemently championed it.

Very busy was she in those days, driving about in her coach asking for guinea subscriptions for printing copies of the forbidden play. And so heedless was Kitty that she carried her list to the queen's drawing room itself and had the audacity to ask the king for a subscription. This was a little too much, and her grace was requested to withdraw from the court, Kitty announcing, with characteristic composure, that the command was very agreeable to her, as she had never gone there for her own diversion, but to bestow civility upon the king and queen.

Papua Island.

Papua island was so named by the Malays, and the word means "frizzled," in reference to the hair of the inhabitants. It is generally supposed that Papua or New Guinea was originally part of the mainland of Australia. It was discovered by the Portuguese in 1526, though it was probably sighted by A. Dabreu during his voyage fifteen years earlier. The Australian government, realizing the danger that would arise if an enemy seized land so near their coasts, frequently urged England to annex the eastern portion of the island, and after two or three unauthorised annexations a British protectorate was established there in 1884.

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Billy's New Year's Eve

By Mary K. Hyde

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BILLY woke up and couldn't get to sleep again. First he thought he had the stomach ache, but when he remembered what his mother said about that second piece of chocolate cake he concluded he hadn't. Then he thought he must be thirsty, so he called Norah. He knew Norah was to sit up until his mother and father came home from the party where they were to "see the New Year in," whatever that was. But Norah was fast asleep in the morris chair by the window and just wouldn't wake up. So Billy decided to go to the bathroom himself for his drink of water.

As he pattered his way back toward his room Billy heard the big clock in the hall give the funny kind of "cluck" it always makes about three minutes of and wondered what time it was. The moon was shining bright into the dining room, and Billy dropped down on the big bearskin in front of the mantel to wait for the hour to strike, wondering what his mother would think of his being out of bed and prowling around the apartment at this time of night, for he was sure somehow that it was very late.

The big clock in the hall struck. Twelve times it struck.

"Gee!" exclaimed Billy. "Twelve o'clock—midnight! Why, I'm seeing the New Year in! Wonder what happens!"

Of course Billy knew all abo[illegible]hat happens at Christmas, and he amused himself by starting off into that fascinating game of "if."

"If it was Christmas instead of New Year's, and midnight the way it is, and moonlight the way it is, and if my grandpa lived in the country instead of in a brownstone house downtown, and if I was making him a visit, and if he had a barn, and if there was snow on the ground, and if everybody but me in the house was asleep, and if I got out of bed and ran to the barn and went in quietly to listen, and if the cows should begin to talk—oh, dear!" said Billy right out loud. "Oh, dear" –

"Well, what is it?" asked a gentle voice with a peculiar, soft, furry tone, quite unlike Norah's or any one else's Billy had ever heard before.

"Why did you call me, Billy? Look up here and tell me."

Yes, it was the deer's head over the fireplace speaking to him!

"Why, can you talk?" asked the astonished boy. "I knew live animals could talk at Christmas, but you"—

"You didn't know this was Stuffed Animals' night, did you? Well, you're in luck, and we're in luck, too, for we've often wished we could have a little chat with you. All you have to do is to call us. What shall we tell you about?"

"Let's play 'if,' same as I've been. You go on. What would you do 'if?'"

"If I were visiting my grandpa at his home in the country," said the deer, "and if it was moonlight, and if there was snow on the ground, I should probably be stalking through the Adirondacks to get a midnight drink at a little brook I remember, and it really makes me shudder after resting comfortably over this fireplace so many years to think of walking through the snow and wading down into that brook and drinking that icy water! Thank you! I'm contented where I am! So here's a happy New Year to you, and may I continue to look down upon you for many a year! Would you care to leave this happy home for the simple life of a wild deer?"

"Well, you must think I'm a looney!" began Billy.

"No, you don't!" called out a shrill voice, with a laugh that ran up and down Billy's backbone. "Don't flatter yourself that you show any resemblance to our family!" and the loon that hung by his legs on the wall near the door laughed so hard that the board behind him rattled against the casement.

"Well, what would you do 'if?'" asked Billy.

"Like my deer brother who has just spoken," said the loon, who is a great joker, "it makes me shiver to think of leaving my quiet roost over this comfortable radiator for a return to my old home. But just to please you, Billy, I'll tell you what I should do 'if.'

"If I were paying a visit to my grandfather's home and it was moonlight, I should doubtless be sailing around on some New Hampshire lake and laughing loud enough and long enough to scare every little boy within a mile and send him creeping down inside the clothes where he couldn't hear," and at the recollection of such doings the loon laughed again until the board behind him rattled and Billy's teeth chattered.

"Oh, stop, I say!" cried Billy. "I don't like that noise. Now, who"—

"Whoo—whoo—whoo!" came the words from the library.

"Well, who—who—who are you?" cried Billy.

"Oh, it's that old owl!" snapped the loon. "She's stuck up because she's on top of the bookcase!"

Sure enough, the big yellow eyes were staring right through the doorway at Billy, as if wondering why so wise a person had been left out of the game.

"All right, Mrs. Hoot. What would you do 'if?'"

"If I could leave my position here as supervisor of the library"—

"Wouldn't that jar your feathers!" snapped the loon.

"If I could leave, and if I should visit my grandfather's home among the leaves of the forest, and if it were moonlight and midnight, and if I saw a nice fat little mouse running along the snow"—

"Oh, rats!" snapped the loon.

"And if I could have one more nice fat little mouse to eat"—

"Oh, don't!" said Billy. "I'm afraid of mice. I can't bear"—

"Oh, you can't, can't you? Get up, then!" growled a bass voice coming directly from where Billy's hand was resting on the rug. As the boy sprang up, however, the growl changed into a deep laugh.

"Don't be afraid of me, Billy, after all these years!" said the bear. "You've taken too many naps on my back to be afraid now. What fur, eh?"

As soon as Billy dared to sit down again he stroked the bear's head and asked him to go on with the game.

"Oh," growled Mr. Bear, "if I should crawl away from this good warm room, and if I should visit my grandfather's home, whether it were midnight or moonlight, New Year's or Fourth of July, 'twould be c-o-l-d, oh, so c-o-l-d!" and he shivered until Billy nearly had a chill. "And if little boys get out of bed at midnight in the moonlight they get so c-o-l-d"—

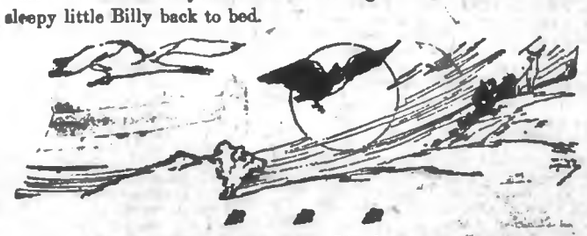
"If it hadn't been for that Welsh rabbit," broke in a voice very much like mamma's.

"Dear me, do Welsh rabbits talk, too?" said Billy. "Well, they have sweet voices anyway. I wish mamma"—

"Why, of all things!" the voice went on. "If here isn't Billy asleep on the rug! What on earth, child, are you doing here at this time o' night? Now, didn't I tell you that chocolate cake"—

But Billy stared blindly around the lighted room and began to explain about animals, deer and bears and loons and owls.

"Look here, young[illegible]ster," said his daddy, "the kind of animal you've had is the nightmare!" and he marched sleepy little Billy back to bed.



The Kaiser's Christmas.

When the bescheerung (the distribution of gifts under the Christmas tree) is in full blast, everywhere are heard cries of "Oh!" and "Ah!" delight, surprise and gratitude on all sides, mother and father smothered under a shower of kisses, their children running to and fro, inspecting breathlessly newly unearthed treasures or eying those of brother and sister. Most captivating the stern kaiser is then. Standing before his own "layout," he shows all the boyish good nature and curiosity of his sons—poking his nose into this box or that case, making pretense of being unable to untie a parcel wrapped up with particular cunning, glancing through some new books or a portfolio of rare prints, smiling, laughing and shouting and being a child again among children.—Wolf von Schierbrandt in Lippincott's.

Where Christmas Comes In January.

In remote places in eastern Kentucky they still observe Jan. 6, or old Christmas, never having changed the calendar. Their ancestors came from England about the middle of the eighteenth century, just when the change was being made there. They have been shut in here for these 150 years, with almost no communication with the outside world, and have learned nothing of changes.—Travel Magazine.

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After Long Time In Which They Have Been Driven Back and Forward Across the U.S.-Canadian Border Indians Discover Old Woman and Daughter Desperate With Hunger In Desolate Region.

Winnipeg, Dec. 31.—Wandering about in the wilds of the north, among the haunts of innumerable timber wolves, Margaret Romaro, a Mexican woman, old and frail, together with her daughter, a child of thirteen, have been found by Indians in a starving condition, almost frozen and desperate from hunger.

The place where the two were found was at Calling Lake, 75 miles west of Athabasca Landing. The pitiful story came to the immigration offices of Mr. J. Bruce Walker yesterday. The place is uninhabited, and only wolves and big game abound in the bush and swamps, which in winter are buried in mountains of snow. Evidently the victims have endured unknown hardships for a long time. Both have been driven from Canada into the United States, and from the States into Canada again.

New Brunswick's Good Year.

St. John, N.B., Dec. 31.—The first financial statement of the Hazen Government was made public yesterday for the fiscal year ending Oct. 31, of which they had control for about seven months. The statement shows revenue of $1,86,738.34, and expenditure of $1,042,196.45, leaving a surplus of $44,541.89.

The revenue was the largest in the history of the province and the expenditure was $69,000 greater than in 1907.

The new Government, on taking charge in March last, found a floating debt of $215,781, which they funded. The territorial revenue was $343,000, the largest in the history of the province, although the lumber cut was much smaller than in many previous years.

Eight Million For Mine.

Montreal, Dec. 31.—The statement was made at the Windsor last evening on the authority of several mining men who had come from Cobalt that the O'Brien Mine had just been sold to a foreign syndicate for the sum of $8,000,000.

It has been known for some time past that M. J. O'Brien of Renfrew, the almost sole owner of the mine, has been negotiating with a view to a sale; consequently the news of a final transfer will be no surprise in Cobalt. Mr. O'Brien said last year that he would not take less than ten millions for the property, but that was considered a pretty high figure even for the O'Brien.

Lord Rosebery's Warning.

Leith, Dec. 31.—At a dinner composed largely of financiers and notables, and at which Lord Rosebery was the guest of honor, those present were surprised to hear him sound a warning to Germany.

His remarks were in response to "war days." Lord Rosebery did not believe there would be an attempt by Germany to invade this country. Great Britain, however, must ensure herself against all risks.

His speech was vociferously received, the guests going so far as to stand upon their chairs and wave frantically the Union Jack.

Fire at Port Arthur.

Port Arthur, Dec. 31.—Six small shops on South Cumberland street, damaged by an early morning fire to the extent of $7,000, included W. F. Fortune, furnishings; Henderson Bros., furnishings; Carroll & Thornton, butchers; Rogers' Photo Studio and a Chinese restaurant.

Huge Airship Company.

New York, Dec. 31.—Announcement was made yesterday of the proposed organization of the Aerial Navigation Co. of America, with principal office in New York City and a capital of $60,000,000.

Thurlow Wood Barn known in connection with large Chinese railway operations, is to be president of the new company.

Shot by a Woman.

Norfolk, Va., Dec. 31.—A despatch from Washington, North Carolina, says: John Emerson Stone, aged 23, highly connected in Boston and New York, was shot and killed early yesterday by May Woolard, who then shot herself twice.

The tragedy followed Stone's call on the woman to say he was leaving her forever.

Will Reach Fifty.

Ennis, W. Va., Dec. 31.—The fatalities in the Lick Branch Mine, as the result of the explosion on Tuesday afternoon, will probably reach fifty. Twelve bodies have already been taken out.

There are 38 men in the mine with little chance of their recovery alive. The cause of the explosion is unknown.

Three Monthes For Stabbing.

Ottawa, Dec. 31.—Andrew Pritchard of Kazabazua was yesterday given three months for stabbing William Stephenson at that place a week ago. Pritchard was drunk and disorderly, and was being removed from the skating rink when the stabbing took place.

May Eat Turkey.

Toronto, Dec. 31.—Word has been received from Rome that dispensation has been granted Catholics of Canada to allow of the eating of turkey on New Year's Day.

Fruit Prices Advance.

Montreal, Dec. 31.—As the result of the earthquake in Sicily, the wholesale fruit men report that the prices of oranges and lemons have already advanced.

MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool and Chicago Wheat Futures Close Higher—Live Stock—Latest Quotations.

Wednesday Evening, Dec. 31.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day ½d to ⅝d higher than yesterday, and corn closed ½d higher.

At Chicago December wheat closed 1⅛c higher than yesterday; December corn 1½c higher, and December oats closed unchanged.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—January 99c bid, December 91 bid, May $1.05⅝.

Oats—December 39½c bid, May 40½c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	$0 88	to $....
Wheat, red, bush	0 88	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 86	....
Rye, bushel	0 60	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 55	....
Peas, bushel	0 65	....
Barley, bushel	0 50	....
Oats, bushel	0 42	....

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 26
Butter, store lots	0 23	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 28	0 29
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 40	....
Eggs, cold storage	0 28	....
Cheese, large, lb	0 15½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 12½	0 13
Honey, combs, dozen	2 00	2 50

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Dec. 31.—Wheat—Spot, easy; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 11d; futures, steady; Dec., 7s 11⅝d; March, 7s 7½d; May, 7s 7½d. Corn, spot easy, American mixed, via Galveston, steady, 5s 5d; futures, quiet; Jan. 5s 2½d; March, 5s 1½d. Hams, short cut, dull, 63s. Bacon, long clear middles, light, easy, 46s; do., heavy, dull, 45s; clear bellies, easy, 54s 6d.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—Butter—Firm; receipts, 4673; held creamery, common to special, 23c to 28c.

Cheese—Quiet, unchanged; receipts, 1833.

Eggs—Steadier, unchanged; receipts, 5597.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Steady—Hogs Make a Sharp Decline at Buffalo.

LONDON, Dec. 31.—London cables for cattle are steady at 12c to 14c per lb. dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10½c to 12½c per lb.

Montreal Live Stock.

MONTREAL, Dec. 31.—(Special.)—At the Canadian Pacific Live Stock Market the offerings were 850 cattle, 50 milch cows, 350 sheep and lambs, 50 calves and 500 hogs. There were a number of superior northwest steers in the pens, which are to be shipped to Britain. Trade was slow, but the prices are firm. A few of the best cattle were sold at 4½c to 4¾c per lb. Pretty good animals sold at 3½c to 4¼c, and the common stock at 2½c to 3¼c per lb. Milch cows sold at $30 to $55; calves sold at 3½c to 5c per lb. Sheep sold at 4c to 4½c per lb. Lambs, at about 5½c to 6c. The demand for hogs was good and prices were firm, with sales of selected lots at $6.75 per cwt., weighed off cars.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Dec. 30.—Cattle—Steady; prime steers, $6.60 to $7.

Veals—Receipts, 250 head; active and 25c lower, $7 to $9.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 15,200 head; slow and 25c to 35c lower; heavy and mixed, $6.35 to $6; yorkers, $5.50 to $6; pigs, $4 to $5.50; roughs, $5.25 to $5.40; stags, $4 to $4.75; dairies, $5.50 to $5.75.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 12,600 head; sheep, active and steady; lambs, slow and 40c to 50c lower; lambs, $5 to $7.60; closing, $7.50; yearlings, $6 to $6.25; wethers, $5.50 to $6.25; ewes, $4.25 to $5.50; sheep, mixed, $2 to $4.25.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Beeves—Receipts, 1120; steers, firm to 10c higher; bulls, steady to 10c to 15c higher; medium and fat cows, steady to 10c higher; thin cows, 10c to 15c higher; steers, $4.50 to $7.10; oxen, $4.50 to $5.65; bulls, $3.35 to $4.65; cows, $1.90 to $4.25; tops, $4.60 to $4.70.

Calves—Receipts, 1061; market strong; veals, $6 to $10.50; barnyard calves, $3 to $4.25; Indiana calves, $4 to $5.25; dressed calves, steady to firm.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 70,621; sheep, steady; lambs, about steady, with easier feeling at close. Sheep, $3 to $4.50; culls, $2 to $2.50; lambs, $6 to $8; culls, $4 to $5; yearlings, $5.50 to $6.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 5562; market, 25c lower; state hogs, $6.05.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—Cattle—Receipts, 19,000; market steady to strong; steers, $4.60 to $7.90; cows, $3 to $5.35; heifers, $3.50 to $4.60; bulls, $3.75 to $4.50; calves, $3.50 to $8; stockers and feeders, $3.50 to $5.

Hogs—Receipts, 50,000; market unchanged to 5c lower; choice heavy shipping, $5.85 to $5.95; butchers', $5.80 to $5.90; light mixed, $5.30 to $5.45; choice light, $5.50 to $5.65; packing, $5.55 to $5.80; pigs, $4 to $5; bulk of sales, $5.40 to $5.85.

Sheep—Receipts, 20,000; market, strong to 10c higher; sheep, $4 to $5.25; lambs, $5.25 to $8; yearlings, $4.25 to $7.

For Selling Dangerous Coal Oil.

Alexander, Man., Dec. 31.—The first information for the sale of dangerous coal oil has been laid by Inspector Earl of the Inland Revenue Department against D. A. McIlquhan, a hardware merchant, who, it is alleged, sold the kerosene which caused the death of Miss Raymond about three weeks ago. Inspector Gosnell obtained a sample from the barrel, which flashed at 65 points, twenty points below the required standard.

Trade Commissioner Changed.

Ottawa, Dec. 31.—The following changes have just been made in the trade commissioner service of Canada: W. A. MacKinnon, for some years trade commissioner at Bristol, transferred to Birmingham; E. D. Arnaud, trade commissioner at St. John's, Nfld., transferred to Bristol; J. E. Ray, connected with the commissioner's office in Birmingham, is appointed trade commissioner at St. John's.

Bishop Farthing Welcomed.

Montreal, Dec. 31.—The Rev. Dr. Farthing, bishop-elect of Montreal, arrived in the city last evening. A large representative gathering of Anglican clergymen and laymen were present to welcome the new bishop and his family, who will be the guests of Archdeacon and Mrs. Morton.

A complimentary luncheon will be tendered by the clergy and laity of the diocese to the bishop at the Windsor Hotel on Wednesday, Jan. 6, at 1.30 p.m.

The enthronement will take place in Christ Church Cathedral on the feast of the Epiphany, Wednesday, Jan. 6, at 8 p.m.

Discusses Canada's Investments.

London, Dec. 31.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—British Empire Trust issues a statement wherein it deals lengthily with Canadian securities.

A warning note is sounded regarding municipal extravagance and the view is expressed that unless greater caution is exercised in spending money which can be easily borrowed Canada may have to face a financial crisis.

At the same time the trust declares that Canada is given as good if not better opportunities as any other country in the world provided care is exercised in the selection of investments.

New Year's Goods at China Hall

China Hall is now ready for New Year's Shoppers with the most complete stock of New Year's Goods ever shown in Peterborough. . . . . .

Dinner Sets, Tea Sets, Toilet Sets, Fine China, Cut Glass, Hand Painted China, Glassware, Jardinieres, Gift Cups and Saucers, Sugar and Cream Sets, Lamps, etc. . . .

We positively undersell all other dealers—Dinner and Tea Sets our specialty. An entire flat devoted to Dinner and Tea Sets. . . . . .

OPEN EVENINGS DURING DECEMBER

China Hall for Value in Dinner and Tea Sets

Found Dead In Barn.

Toronto, Dec. 31.—Cranswick Craven, whose home was on Woodbine avenue, was found dead in a barn in Norway in connection with McCann's Hotel yesterday morning. Craven, instead of going home late in the evening, asked and obtained permission to sleep in the barn, and this was the last seen of him until yesterday morning, when found by a workman. Life was extinct, and the indications pointed to smothering in the straw.

Purse For Magistrate.

Windsor, Dec. 31.—Magistrate Bartlet, who will retire to-day after thirty years, was presented with a purse of $300 by the citizens last night. Although nearly 90 years old, he proposes to take a trip to Scotland.

Mayors of Eastern Towns.

Ottawa, Dec. 31.—James S. Fraser is re-elected mayor of Pembroke, and Arthur Gravelle becomes mayor of Renfrew.

Blizzard In West.

Winnipeg, Dec. 31.—The worst snowstorm of the season, driven by a hard northern gale, had the Canadian prairie province in its grip yesterday.

The low temperatures are working down from the west, thirty below being recorded Tuesday night at Edmonton, with the thermometer just at zero here, but the glass is still falling. The trains are much delayed and street cars are being operated with difficulty. Brandon reports traffic dislocated.

Western Premiers Confer.

Winnipeg, Dec. 31.—The Premiers of Alberta, Manitoba and Saskatchewan held a private conference yesterday, but refused to divulge either the results or the matter of their discussion.

Premier Scott has been confined to this room at the Royal Alexandra by cold, but is better.

Premier Rutherford went west last night.

Major Hains Testifies.

Flishing, N.Y., Dec. 31—Major John Hains, U.S.A., a brother of Thornton Hains, now on trial as a principal with his brother, Capt. Peter C. Hains, for the killing of William E. Annis, was the principal witness for the defence yesterday.

Major Hains told the jury of the changes that he had noted in Capt. Hain's mental condition. All through his testimony the tears fell from Major Hains' eyes.

Minnie Rohn, cook in the Hains' household, said she overheard at two o'clock Sunday, two days following Capt. Hains' arrival from the west, a confession of Mrs. Hains to her husband. The witness further declared that Mrs. Hains told her of a trip to New York last spring.

Retrenchment on I.C.R.

St. John, N.B., Dec. 31.—A policy of retrenchment is to be adopted all over the Intercolonial Railway. In accordance with the decision the midnight express trains between St. John and Halifax are to be discontinued.

Qualification of Teachers.

Ottawa, Dec. 31.—Archbishop Duhamel has authorized a plea for the re-election of the separate schools' trustees till a vexed question regarding the qualification of the Christian Brothers and the nuns is settled.

Must Nominate Again.

Deseronto, Dec. 31.—Owing to the dropping out of all three councillors there will be nominations held here again on the 8th of January.

Brantford Favors Hydro.

Brantford, Dec. 31.—A meeting in the interests of the power bylaw was held in Eagle Place on Tuesday night addressed by Ald. Andrews and Hartman. When Julius Waterous, a prominent manufacturer, and other residents, declared themselves strongly in favor of municipal ownership.

Hon. Adam Beck will speak here New Year's night.

New Liner Arrives.

Vancouver, B.C., Dec. 31.—The new C.P.R. steamer Princess Charlotte arrived at quarantine in Victoria from the Clyde yesterday.

One on the Judge.

"Here you are," said the judge to the colored prisoner, "complaining that you can't get along with one wife, and yet Solomon had hundreds of 'em."

"Yes, yer honor," was the reply, "but you must rickollect dat de last testimony he give in wus dat dey wus all vanity an' vexation of spirit!"

Still Holds Good.

"There was a time," exclaimed young Spenders, who had gone through a fortune, "when people used to say I had more money than brains. They can't say it now."

"No?" queried the caustic cad.

"No. I'm down to my last penny."

"Ah, but you have the penny."

THE PRISON BIRD.

Tyrannical and Jealous Feathered Beauty of Africa.

The peculiarity of the prison bird, a feathered beauty of Africa, is that he is the most tyrannical and jealous of husbands, imprisoning his mate throughout her nesting time. Livingstone watched the bird's habits while in Monpour, and in his subsequent observations referred to the nest as a prison and the female bird as a slave.

The nest is built in the hollow of a tree through an opening in the bark. As soon as it is completed the mother bird enters carefully and fearfully and settles down in it. Then papa walls up the opening, leaving only just space enough for air and food to pass through. He keeps faithful guard and brings food at regular intervals without fail. The female thrives under her enforced retirement. But if the prison bird is killed or in any other way prevented from fulfilling his duties the mother and her little ones must die of starvation, for she cannot free herself from bondage.

Normally the imprisonment lasts until the chicks are old enough to fly. Then the male bird destroys the barrier with his beak and liberates his family. "It is charming," writes Livingstone, "to see the joy with which the little prisoners greet the light and the unknown world."

THE NORMAN "OYEZ."

A Legacy of William the Conqueror to the Courts.

Everybody who has ever been in a United States courtroom knows that when the judge walks out of his chambers and ascends the bench the court crier drones out:

"Oyez, oyez, oyez, the honorable court of the (whatever district it may be) is now in session."

Not many persons, however, realise that the crier says "oyez, oyez, oyez," instead of "harken, harken, harken," because of a chance visit that William the Conqueror made to an English court almost 900 years ago.

William had overrun England, seized the government and placed himself at its head. Happening to enter a courtroom, he heard the crier call the assemblage to order in English. William rebuked him and on the spot decreed that the business of all English courts should be transacted in Norman French, his native tongue. Afterward the courts went back to English, but to this day "oyez, oyez, oyez," clings to court customs wherever the English language is spoken as a reminder of the great Norman who whipped King Harold in the battle of Hastings.—Scrap Book.

One of Life's Tragedies.

He had expected a tender embrace from his sweetheart, but her greeting of him was cold. He could not understand it.

"Darling," he exclaimed in agony, "what is the matter?"

But she remained silent, her lips tightly closed, and motioned him from her.

He fell upon his knees.

"My love," he cried, "tell me what I have done to offend you? I swear I have done nothing wrong! I confess I kissed the Simpson girl last night at the party, but on my oath I—I thought she was you."

Her lips closed even tighter, but she uttered not a syllable, and, in despair at her unbending demeanor, he fled from the place, he knew not whither.

Would you know, oh, reader, the reason of the conduct by which a woman blighted two young lives? 'Twas simply this: She had left her false teeth in the bathroom.

Probably She Meant It.

Lucile, a carefully brought up little girl of five years, returned from her first party in great glee.

"I was a good girl, mamma," she announced and talked nice all the time."

"Did you remember to say something pleasant to Mrs. Townsend just before leaving?" her mother asked.

"Oh, yes, I did," was the enthusiastic reply. "I smiled and said: 'I enjoyed myself, Mrs. Townsend. I had a lot better dinner than I thought I'd have.'"—Delineator.

Talk.

"It takes a baby mos' two years to learn to talk," said Uncle Eben, "an' den it takes de res' of its lifetime to learn to keep f'um talkin' too much."

Two Bad Bites.

Diogenes being asked "What is that beast which is the most dangerous?" replied, "Of wild beasts the bite of a slanderer and of tame beasts that of the flatterer."

The Kings and Barons

Of yore, ye olden time could not have enjoyed better Beef than that prepared at Kennedy's Meat Market for the Holiday Season. Our Animals were fed by practical feeders and breeders all over the province. What is true about our Beef, is also true about other lines of Meats, Ham, Poultry, etc.

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If your custom is to have something good to drink, as well as something good to eat in temperance and moderation, leave your requisitions at Elliott & Co's Liquor Store. We have imported some very choice Port and Sherry Wines, Champagne, Scandinavian Gin, etc., that will add zest to the Bill of Fare. Also Medicinal Liquors for Winter emergencies—Favourite Old Scotch, Irish and Canadian Brands, in bottle or bulk. Wishing all our patrons the compliments of the season and thanking them for past favours.

Snowden Block, Simcoe Street, Peterborough

New Year's Specials

2 lbs. Cream Candies	25
1 lb. Chocolates	15
New Grenoble Walnuts, 2 lbs. for	35
New Taragona Almonds, 2 lbs. for	35
Malaga Grapes	20
California Seedless Oranges, per doz.	35c, 40c, 50
Mexican Oranges, per doz.	20c, 30

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PETERBOROUGH THURSDAY DECEMBER 31 1908

STOLEN GOODS SAID TO BE IN BUFFALO, N.Y.

Toronto, Dec. 31.—Latest developments tend to confirm the story of Policeman Wilkins as to wholesale thefts from tamcoc stores. It is said some $1,200 worth of goods have been found in Buffalo, of which $900 worth are furs from Falls' store. This is taken to indicate that Malone had some provincial detective as confederate.

THE MEN WHO WILL REPRESENT CANADA

Examiner Special.

Ottawa, Dec 31— Amongst those likely to represent Canada at Washington at the convention of the natural resources of North America to be held in Washington, D. C., February 18th, are Professor Fernow, of Toronto University; R. H. Campbell, superintendent of the Canadian Forestry branch, Ottawa; and W. Robertson, Principal of the Macdonald Agricultural College: Earl Grey has accepted the invitation tendered by President Roosevelt and it is likely these three or one or more of the trio will be officially appointed to represent Canada at the United States capital.

YOUNG BOY BADLY BITTEN BY HIS DOG

Marvin Lee, son of Mr. T. J. Lee, 492 Albert street, while playing with his dog last night was rather seriously bitten. He was lying down teasing the animal when it suddenly turned on him, fastening on his lip and making an ugly gash. He was immediately conveyed to the residence of Dr. Scott, who found it necessary to put in two stitches to close up the wound.

57th Band at Brock Street Rink, to-morrow, New Year's afternoon.

THEY ENTERTAINED THE LITTLE CHILDREN

Mr. and Mrs. C Rutherford entertained the children of the House of Providence at their residence, London street yesterday afternoon and evening and the little folks had an outing that they will long remember. During the afternoon they were treated to a sleigh drive around the city which was greatly enjoyed. Afterwards a delightful fowl supper was served to which the little ones with their appetites sharpened by the drive, did ample justice. A large Christmas tree in the hall was loaded down with an abundance of gifts for the children ,and no one was forgotten. Afterwards all the children gave a very enjoyable programme of songs and recitations their finished work showing that they have received very careful training. Mr. and Mrs. Rutherford have made this treat for the children of the House of Providence an annual affair, and it is eagerly looked forward too,

57th Band at Brock Street Rink, to-morrow, New Year's afternoon.

OBITUARY.

IVY DEEN RENOUT

The death took place of Ivy Deen Evelyne Renout, infant daughter of Mr .and Mrs. Edward Renout, 469 Elm street, at the age of 2 years and 8 months. The funeral will leave the family residence on Saturday afternoon and proceed to Little Lake Cemetery for interment. Rev. H B Trumpour will officiate.

TYPICAL SCENES FROM EARTHQUAKE DISTRICT.

One of the principal streets in the City of Reggio in Sicily.

FAMILY OF LOCAL ITALIAN LIVES AT TERMINI, SICILY, NEAR ILL-FATED MESSINA

The Longo cousins, proprietors of the fruit store on Hunter street, east of George street, are but three years out from Sicily, and one of their families is living in the town of Termini situated about twenty-five miles from Palermo on the coast of the Tyrrhenian Sea.

When seen by an Examiner reporter last night, Mr. Longo stated that he did not consider that any of his relatives had met with injury as the reports seemed to indicate that the western part of the island had escaped the disaster. It is hoped that this surmise is correct but it may possibly be that Termini was affected as the shock was plainly felt in Palermo.

His Family There

The town of Termini is almost on a straight line between Palermo on the west and Messina and Reggio on the east. It is a strange coincident that Joseph Longo is the name of each of the two men referred to. They stated that they are cousins and before coming here lived next door to each other in a double house. One is taller than the other and of darker [illegible] his family out to Canada, but the other man who is known widely in the city, from his peddling fruit in the summer with a waggon, has his own family and his father in his native town. He sent a letter home yesterday inquiring about the safety of his family, but expects to have one from them soon, sent before the arrival of that which he has dispatched.

Experienced a Quake

Just before they came to Canada, their town was visited by an earthquake of minor force when compared with that which has devastated the beautiful Calabrian and Sicilian cities. Mr. Longo in describing its effect said "it was just like a great big stone hitting the roof of your house and you never expecting it. It shook from top to bottom and you would think it was going to pieces and would fall about you. Our houses were badly shaken and the people badly frightened. They thought a worse one would come so they went out on to a plain outside the town and camped in tents until their fear passed away."

Messina the Fruit City

The fair, progressive city of Messina has suffered sadly. Probably everybody knows that most of the lemons and many of the oranges that we use are shipped from that port. Mr. Longo pointed to a crate of lemons and there on one end was the name Messina, showing that it had been packed and shipped from that city. Termini is about one hundred or more miles from this port, and it is likely that a more or less severe shock was felt in the home city of the Longos. One's imagination makes no mistake in the supposition that large amounts of lemons, oranges and olives were lost in the earthquake. Mr. Longo says that he is confident that such has been the case. To substantiate his belief a late despatch from Montreal is as follows:

Montreal, Dec. 31.—As the result of the earthquake in Sicily the wholesale fruit men report that the prices of oranges and lemons have already advanced. That portion of Sicily affected is in the centre of the lemon and orange district, from which Canada receives a very large share of her supplies.

Mr. Longo stated that he knew a Toronto firm who had a consignment of 1700 crates of lemons ordered from Messina which were to be shipped on Tuesday. Needless to say that shipment did not get far on its journey.

The reporter gained many other interesting items of information regarding Sicily from Mr. Longo who said that his home town is the centre of one of the best olive districts in the world.

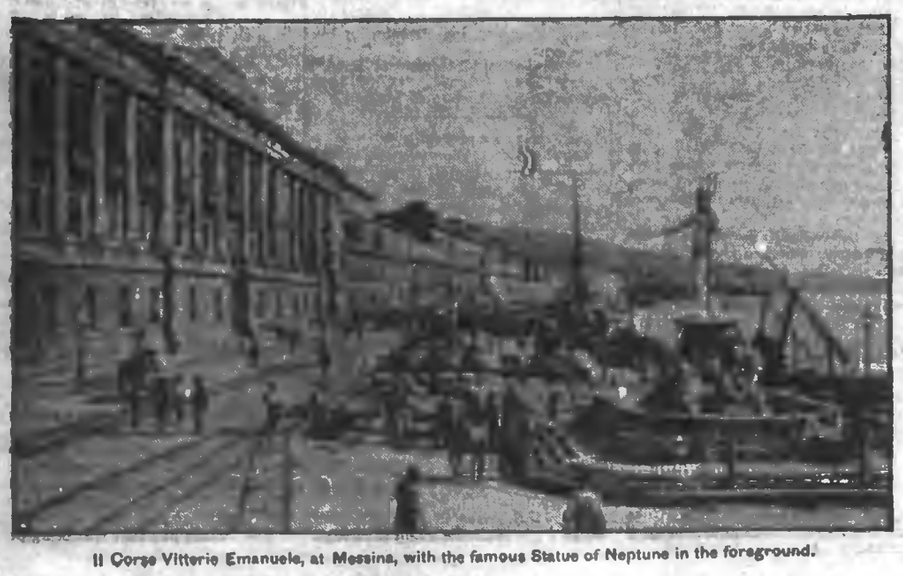
AFTER FIFTY YEARS OF WEDDED LIFE HUSBAND PRESENTS ANOTHER RING

Lakefield, Dec. 31.—Mr. and Mrs. Jacob White, Dummer Township, celebrated on Monday the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage, when the brothers and sisters or representatives of their families, assembled at the home, "Pleasant Valley." A unique feature was the presentation to each by the host and hostess of suitable memorials in gold of the enjoyable event. The groom of fifty years presented the bride with a handsome wedding ring, and the bride and groom gave a duet of original composition, recalling incidents of their early life. Rev. Dr. Mervin, pastor of Wesleyan Methodist Church, and his wife, were among those present, the former officiating as chairman. Mrs. Geo. Grant and three children, Paisley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. White, were present.

WHITE & GILLESPIE FURNISH THE EQUIPMENT FOR NEW BUTTER PLANT

Messrs. White & Gillespie have just installed a modern butter plant in Oakwood factory, a few miles west of Lindsay. A rather tangled history is connected with this factory. Two years ago its butter and cheese equipment was placed on the market and purchased by Mr. Gillespie. Since that time there has been no business carried on at Oakwood and recently it was decided to install a butter plant. The machinery was secured from the local store and Mr. Gillespie stated that there are several other factories contemplating changes.

TYPICAL SCENES FROM EARTHQUAKE DISTRICT.



Il Corso Vittorio Emanuele, at Messina, with the famous Statue of Neptune in the foreground.

SENTENCE WAS DEFERRED UNTIL MONDAY NEXT

The trial of William Rattray for the theft of nearly $700 from Mr. Martin Connors during the summer, was continued this morning when all the evidence was received and Magistrate Dumble deferred judgment until Monday morning.

The principal witness to-day was P. C. Newhall, who went to Toronto on December 17th with Mr. Connors when it was learned that Rattray had been apprehended. They went to the police station, where he was in custody, and while Mr. Connors spoke to the prisoner through the bars, P C. Newhall remained in the corridor and afterwards, when Mr. Connors had gone. The conversation he overheard was rather damaging against the prisoner, as it was with another man in an adjoinint cell.

P. C. Newhall Testifies

Part of the officer's testimony was as follows:

I heard Mr. Connors say to the prisoner, "You've got yourself into a nice box," and referred to the theft. Rattray replied that he never had any money and stated that he had been with a number of Peterborough fellows sitting on the tombstone at the corner of George and Charlotte streets about one-thirty of the night in question.

Witness said Mr. Connors told prisoner that he had tried to get young O'Toole and another fellow to help him do the job. Part of the reply Rattray made was as follows: "If they say so it must be true, for I was boosed. I had been hitting it up good." He denied having an accomplice. He said he went along Charlotte street to Aylmer, and thence to the C. P. R. He caught a freight about 1.30 a. m.

It Looked Bad

Mr. Connors remarked that the fact that he was well acquainted with the hotel looked bad against him. Rattray replied that it did, as he knew where the money was kept and how to open the window, but "other people knew as well as myself."

P. C Newhall stated that he heard a prisoner in an adjoining cell say, "You gave yourself away when you told about being on the tombstone and being boosed, etc., but there is only his and your word for it." Rattray replied, "They can't do anything to me, as nobody seen me and they said there was another man with me."

The voice asked again, "What about them rubber shoes?" Rattray replied, "They were my ball shoes. We took the spikes off them. Connors said somebody told him I got them to do the job."

The voice said, "It looks bad your skipping out when you had just got there." Rattray said, "We had arranged to come down. Was with another fellow for work, but the other fellow backed out and he came alone.

P. C Newhall gave an account of that part of the conversation which referred to Rattray's trip to Chicago. It took him five days and nights to do the journey, and after staying two days in that city started back again. He had slept around the docks in Toronto for a time, and the first night he spent at home he was arrested. Later he said no one had found any money on him. One of the prisoners said, "You were foolish to tell that hotelkeeper that it must be true if the fellows he had been with said so."

PICTURES OF THE DISASTER.

To-day the Examiner is able to publish the first of the series of cuts illustrative of the terrible disaster in Sicily and on this page are found a number of photographs, which give a good impression of the appearance of the cities that were destroyed in one of the most awe inspiring fatalities that the history of the world has ever recorded. These photographs will be published from day to day in the Examiner and will no doubt prove a popular feature As soon as possible pictures of the disaster itself will be published.

FOUR VIADUCTS FOR TORONTO ARE ORDER E

Examiner Special.

Toronto, Dec. 31.—The Railway Commission has ordered four-track viaduct for Toronto, the city to pay one-third.

MR. WADELEY THE NEW MANAGING DIRECTOR

At a Board meeting of the Brinton Carpet Company, of Canada, Limited, held at their head office at Kidderminster ,England, on December 17th last, Mr. Harold E Wadely was appointed Manager of the Peterborough Works to succeed Mr. Preen, who has accepted a position with Messrs. Brintons, Limited, Kidderminster.

TYPICAL SCENES FROM EARTHQUAKE DISTRICT.

A select portion of the City of Messina which was devastated by the earthquake

LATEST SUMMARY DECLARES DEAD MAY YET TOTAL 200,000

Rome, Dec. 30.—The details of one of the most appalling disasters recorded in the history of the world are being unfolded in the despatches coming in to-day from Calabria and Sicily. It is a story of indescribable horror and calamity. The earthquake of Monday morning wrought havoc and destruction that cannot be estimated. Italy is stunned. Italy is weeping. The country is crushed by a visitation described as the greatest disaster in the memory of man, yet the full measure of the catastrophe has not yet been taken.

The calamity grows with the receipt of every fresh despatch from the south. Calabria is dotted with small towns and villages ,and new localities are reporting almost hourly casualty lists that run from the hundreds into the thousands.

It is still impossible to reach any accurate estimate of the dead, but the total number is placed anywhere between 100,000 and 150,000. In some quarters it is declared that the final numbers will be as high as 200,000 persons.

Countless thousands of wounded persons, men, women and children, are dying to-day in the ruins. It is utterly impossible to succor them all. They cannot be reached before death puts an end to their misery. Numberless wounded of the survivors who have made their way to other cities, are still without medical attention. The facilities for proper care even in the cities that did not suffer are inadequate.

The devastated district is still filled with half-demented survivors who cannot get away. They are naked and starving, and wander aimlessly in a downpour of rain. The ruins are still burning.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION HELD LAST NIGHT

The annual meeting of the Sunday School Teachers' Association of St. Andrew's Church was held last night after a short prayer meeting. The work of the Sunday School was reviewed and arrangements were made for the conduct of the work during the new year. The main business was the appointment of the officers and permanent teachers. The financial statement showed a very favourable year and it will be presented to the congregation at their annual meeting.

The teachers for the primary department were elected as follows—Miss Ethel Richardson, Miss Roma Langford, and Miss Margaret Girvan. John M. Lang will have a senior boys 'class

Officers for 1909

Superintendent — Rev. J. G. Potter.
Asst. Sup.—R. Lees, M A
Sec. Treas.—W. S. Lang.
Assistant—Colin Lees.
Librarian—Wm. Richardson
Assistants—Geo. Evans, Miss Mildred Brightman and John Brightman
Organist—Miss Ethel Tully.
Leader of Praise—Gordon Wright
Children's Instructor — Miss Bella King.

Arrangements were made to have a class for the Normal students on Wednesday evenings at 7.30 for half an hour before prayer meeting during the winter months.

TYPICAL SCENES FROM EARTHQUAKE DISTRICT.

The Cathedral at Messina with its famous fountain.

SUBJECTS ARRANGED FOR LECTURE AT BIG POULTRY SHOW HERE NEXT WEEK

Miss Mary Yates, the talented lecturer who is being sent here by the Institutes branch of the Department of Agriculture, to lecture on the second day of the big Peterborough Poultry show next week has sent to the secretary of the local Poultry Association a synopsis of her subject for next week's lecture which promises to be well worth hearing. The subject will be the "Management of Poultry," in which Miss Yates will give much interesting and valuable information on egg production, table poultry, preparation for showing, hatching and rearing, food and feeding stuffs, etc. She will also give demonstrations in killing, plucking and shaping birds for market, packing, trussing for table, boning and carving.

The first show of the Peterborough Association gives every promise of being a grand success Certainly the members of the Association have their shoulders to the wheel ,and if determined hard work can accomplish anything the success of their efforts is assured.

WELL KNOWN NORTH MONAGHAN MAN ELECTED MAYOR OF ALAMEDA, SASK.

From the Alameda, Sask., Despatch, it is learned that Mr J J Brealey, a former resident of North Monaghan whose name is kept in memory in the township by "Brealey's School House," at the recent municipal elections in Alameda was elected Mayor by a majority of 9. The report of the voting indicates that Mr. Brealey has somewhat departed from the strenuous and lively methods which marked the assertion of his citizenship in this vicinity some years ago. It states that Mr. Brealey sat quietly in his head quarters during the polling, but that at the close of the poll "Jim" received congratulations and passed round the cigars."

"BLACKLISTED" MAN PAYS FOR BREACH OF LAW

Two bottles of Calcutt's lager found in the pockets of a man who has been on the "Indian list" for the past five or six months was the primary reason for the imposition of a fine of ten dollars at this morning's police court.

The two pints were produced in court and were certainly not perfumery or soft water. The prisoner appeared to have been on a spree and although P. C McGinty testified that he had smelt liquor on him when he arrested him, he stated that he had not had a drink in weeks.

His explanation of the bottles was that he had bought them from a man in Calcutt's brewery before he was "listed" and had them hidden in his father's cellar during that time.

"I suppose you passed and repassed them as a practice in self control," Magistrate Dumble caustically remarked. The prisoner had asked for a drink in a local hotel and was being served with it when another bartender entered and seeing him, took the bottle and glass from him.

DRY GOODS STORES EARLY CLOSING HOUR

In yesterday's issue an article appeared stating that the dry goods and clothing stores would close on Saturday evenings at ten o'clock. It has since been learned that the clothiers have this hour, but during the months of January and February the millinery and dry goods stores will be closed on Saturday evenings at 9 o'clock. This is to encourage earlier shopping and to give the clerks better hours. The buying public and especially the women are requested to try and finish their purchases an hour earlier than in the past.

Band at Street Railway Rink New Year's afternoon.

GOSELIN'S MEAT MARKET; SPECIAL HOLIDAY MEATS

Get your supply of meats, the best the country can produce at the closest prices in the city, from Goselin's Meat Market, 241 George street, and save money. Special for Saturday, a 14-pound rib or shoulder roast, $1.00.

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Hind quarter beef, 6c.
Fore quarter beef, 5c.
Loin of beef, 8c.
Round of beef, 7c.
Hind quarter lamb, 12c.
Fore quarter lamb, 10c.
Loin of lamb, 12 1-2c.
Leg of lamb, 12 1-2c.
Fresh pork, 12 1-2c.
Hind quarter pork, 11c.
Fore quarter pork, 10c.
Hind quarter mutton, 9c.
Fore quarter mutton, 8c.
Loin of mutton, 10c.
Leg of mutton, 12c.

With every dollar's worth of meat I will give one pound suet, 5c, or 4 lbs. head cheese 20c, or 3 lbs. sausage, for 20c.

These prices are good for this week and next week.

F. J. Goselin, 241 George street. 'Phone Bell 316K. These prices are strictly cash.

Band at Street Railway Rink New Year's afternoon.

MR. M. KENNEALLY OF KEENE IS INJURED

Examiner Special.

Keene, Dec. 31.—While walking in the hotel yard on Monday afternoon Mr. Martin Kenneally, father of Mr. Michael Kenneally, proprietor of the Victoria House fell on the ice fracturing his thigh bone. He was carried into the house and a doctor called. To-day he is resting as well as can be expected.

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LOST — ON TUESDAY EVENING, A small gray Hand Satchel, thought to be on George street, between Smith and Charlotte streets. Finder please leave at this office and oblige. 2d 126 4794

LOST — A DEER HOUND, MARKED yellow and white, answers to the name of "Togo." Finder will please communicate with the Examiner office. 3d 125 4783 6

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EBONY CLOTHES BRUSH LOST ON Tuesday, Dec. 22rd, between Peterborough Bookstore and Richard Hall & Son. Finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving at Examiner office. dh

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THE OLD YEAR AND THE NEW

At this season of rejoicing and festivity, as we close the volumes of 1908 and welcome the new year with its joys and sorrows, its duties and responsibilities, its toil and its rest, one naturally casts a retrospective eye over the year just closed. As the light of the rising sun dims the stars, so does the joyous light of the Christmas tide soften and make trivial the vexations and trials of every day life—the bickerings and bitterness, the heart-burnings and hardnesses of 1908—that sprang from the inevitable contentions and conflicts of interest or ambition in social emulation or business rivalry. They grow small as they sink into the distance of the past. They lose the power to bring the vexation of spirit and sadness of heart which they carried with them at the time. Viewed from the vantage ground of the higher ideals that Christmas time creates, they recede and fade from the sight of the eye, from the harbour of the heart and from the shelter of the mind.

In the heat of political contention, in the strife for social supremacy, in the race for wealth and business success, and in all the ambitions of human achievement, it has been inevitable, that words should have been said and acts done that are to-day recalled with regret, to be forgotten, let us hope, as to ourselves, to be forgiven as to others, and wiped out of recollection with honest satisfaction as we close the old book and open a new record with an unsullied page.

So long as mankind is as human as we find it, so long as so much variation of temperament, so much capacity for honest difference of opinion exists, so long shall we see men grouped in party camps, civic, provincial and national, both honestly holding opposing ideas as to policies and theories of government and administration. This is a condition that tends to maintain the body politic in healthy condition. The sea of political and civil life but for the storms of contention would become a standing pool, a dead sea of ambitionless and fruitless stagnation. Where danger lies is when the rivalry of principles, and the conflict of theories degenerate into personal hostilities: when we fail to agree to disagree, and so, in effect, impeach the sincerity of others in regard to the opinions they hold and fail to respect convictions as honestly held and with as good warrant, perhaps, as our own. Mutual tolerance and charitable regard for the opinions of others are not incompatible with the widest divergence of viewpoint in all the matters that enter into the composition of the complex human organism, that constitutes civilized and Christian society. With all our contentious activities, all our rivalries and struggles, we should be large enough of soul to recognize that all are marching, though by seemingly different divergent paths, towards the common goal—the common good. Whatever be our social shibboleth, our civic theories, our religious or political faith, we can, consistently with loyalty to our belief, remember that we are citizens of one country and that "no mean country"—brothers of one race, with common interests, with common aims, with a common ambition and with a common patriotism.

The forward movement in which Canada is so splendidly engaged appeals to the universal Canadian instinct of patriotism, regardless of party differences, which are after all of light importance when weighed in the balance with the moral well-being and material progress and general prosperity of our common country.

Harmony and co-operation—standing shoulder to shoulder as citizens—will accomplish much, not only to elevate the standard of political and national life, but to promote the welfare of the country. In this view we shall, to borrow with reverence, the language of St. Paul, "forget the things that are behind—the asperities and bitterness that have too much marked national life in all its features "and press forward to the mark of the prize of our high calling" as a heaven-dowered national unit in a heaven-dowered Empire.

Passing from the more general to the more concrete it could, with profit, be remembered that under our system of government, the Opposition in Parliament have duties, as distinct, and responsibilities, as exacting, as have the Ministerial members. By frank and fair discussion, and wholesome and honest criticism, dealing with interests not individuals, an Opposition in Parliament becomes an essential factor in good government.

The rivalry of men of differing political sentiments, in the pursuit of public favour and a healthy emulation in performance of public duties, ought not necessarily to engender injurious acrimony or hostile parliamentary or personal relations. The call of duty to a government and government party is to faithfully discharge its trust and to regard an Opposition as co-workers. The duty of an Opposition is to regard a Government as an expression of the voice of the people, the representative embodiment of the popular will, to accept the verdict of the nation, and, when no surrender of principles is involved, to agree to disagree on points of difference in policy and practice. With such relations established and maintained our legislators will raise themselves to a plane of disinterested patriotism, immeasurably higher than all considerations of politics—where all can unite on common ground as instruments in the accomplishment of the manifest destiny to which the bounty of nature and the ties of Empire point the way.

It, in this spirit, we meet the responsibilities of the New Year, each doing his duty faithfully in his place in the ranks of human activity, each living in love and charity with his neighbour, each squaring his life to the line of the Golden Rule, it will be no mere amiable formality to wish to Canadians all, as the Examiner wishes to its readers and all the world,

A HAPPY NEW YEAR.

Quebec has 165,474 square miles of forest reserves, and Ontario 16,300 square miles of forest reserves, which are estimated to contain seven billion feet of pine.

NAILING DOWN THE WINDOWS

This is the time of the year when a great many citizens nail down the windows. The price of coal is high, and the family expenses are large. In order to keep down the expense the houses must be closed up tightly, and the fresh air must be kept out. Storm sashes are placed in the windows of the sleeping-rooms even though this practice is not as common as it was ten years ago. The average house is closely guarded against fresh air with the consequent result that coughs, colds, and tubercular diseases run riot through the land.

However, the fresh air theory is making progress. More and more people are learning that fresh air is the greatest medicine in the world. The only difficulty in Canada is the fear of the ordinary individual that cold air is bad for the lungs. It is hard for him to realise that hot air is more harmful than cold air. Moreover, there are few inducements for people to remain outdoors in the cold weather. The younger people indulging in skating, snowshoeing, tobogganing, and sleigh-riding get more or less fresh air during the winter months; the older people who spend their time in churches, theatres, and homes get very little fresh air, and are continually breathing air which is not fit for human consumption.

In the cities, people have much less chance of getting fresh air than in the country. The restaurant, the street car, and the public buildings are over crowded and badly ventilated. As Dr. Geo. D. Porter says in a paper read before the Canadian Medical Association—"Many a man blames the rise and fall of the thermometer for his failing health, when the rise and fall of the stock market have had far more to do with it. Most of us know of some invalid who has gone to Colorado, changed his mode of life and recovered his health, and then attributed it all to the climate, when he might have been cured much easier and at less expense by hieing himself to the pure air and the simple life of the country in his own neighbourhood."—Canadian Courier.

Left Him In Doubt.

A certain young artist in New York who is on terms of comparative intimacy with the janitor of the apartment house wherein he maintains his studio is in some doubt whether the said janitor is a cynic or something of an art critic, or both.

"One day while doing a bit of repair work in the studio," says the painter, "Mike scrutinized a bit of my work with ominous solemnity. When I indicated a portrait of myself the blow fell. Said I:

"'The paint on this is badly cracked, which spoils the likeness.'

"With no more expression in his countenance than is to be seen in the face of a representative of Buddha Mike replied:

"'Not at all, sir.'"

Training Canaries.

In the canary breeding establishments of Germany only the male birds are valued, because the females never sing. The method of training the birds to sing is to put them in a room where there is an automatic whistle, which they all strive to imitate. The breeder listens to the efforts of the birds and picks out the most apt pupils, which are then placed in another room for further instruction. These are the best singers and ultimately fetch high prices.

Lived Up to His Belief.

Hobo—No, madam, I am neither a socialist nor an anarchist. I am a passive altruist. Housekeeper—And what in the name of common sense is that? Hobo—I believe in being helped all I can.

A FAMOUS CEMETERY

Pere Lachaise Is One of the Landmarks of Paris.

IT HAS A STORMY HISTORY.

This Picturesque Burial Place Has Served as a Battleground as well as a Graveyard—Its Monuments, Lovers and Disconsolate Widows.

Pere Lachaise is the largest and quite the most interesting of the Paris cemeteries and named after the Jesuit confessor of Louis XIV., whose country seat occupied the site of the present chapel until the ground was made a cemetery in 1804. It covers 110 acres of ground, is picturesque, but quite unlovely. Hare wrote about the tombs that "weight was their chief peculiarity and that all the monuments looked as if each family had tried to pile as much marble as possible on to their deceased relatives."

Pere Lachaise has a stormy history. In 1814 the Russians fought the French there and gave them a beating. During the commune the Versaillais and Communards fought several pitched battles among the tombstones and did considerable damage. But it is not so much with the history of the cemetery as with the people buried in it that we have to deal. A volume might be filled with the mere list of all the celebrated men and women buried in it, for, as Victor Hugo wrote, "being buried in Pere Lachaise is like having mahogany furniture—a sign of elegance."

In Pere Lachaise the monument which attracts most visitors is that of Abelard and Heloise, the two most famous lovers in the world. The monument was first erected 637 years after their death and brought to Pere Lachaise in 1817 from the museum where it had been during the revolution. Another famous lover, Alfred de Musset, lies buried not far from the two willows over the graves of Heloise and Abelard. David, the painter; Rachel, the actress; Balzac, Scribe, Michelet and many other well known folk lie near at hand. Admiral Sir Sydney Smith, Lord Seymour and other well known Englishmen are to be found in other portions of the cemetery, while literature is represented not only by great authors, but by Lesurques, the victim of Dubosc in the famous legal Lyons Mail imbroglio.

But Pere Lachaise has more romance than in its tombstones. Chatting one day with one of the old soldiers who are the keepers of this grim park, I learned some curious facts about it.

"We never have a dull moment," the man said. "You may think that our time here is monotonous, but you are quite wrong if you do so. To begin with, there are the burglars. The cemetery is overrun with them. There are three kinds of burglars. There are the connoisseurs who often get away with valuable prizes, for you will be surprised at the works of art of small size which people put in their chapels. The window is broken, a stick slipped through the hole, and all sorts of things worth having are fished out; then the bronze stealers, who take away as much as they can carry in their special pockets and make from 15 to 20 francs a day at the game until we catch them.

"A little while ago a bust weighing forty pounds was taken out of the cemetery over one of the walls. But the most curious form of robbery is, perhaps, that of the pearl wreaths. Women are the principal offenders. They select the new ones, which are not weather stained, flatten them with their backs against the tombstone, slip them under their dresses, and when they have got away with them (we have no right to search even suspicious looking customers) sell them to dealers, to whom they tell the well worn story of a poor workwoman who has need of food.

"You would hardly believe it, but Pere Lachaise," said the keeper, "is a favorite meeting place for lovers. We get lovers of all ages, and perhaps more schoolboys and schoolgirls than anything else. But the three most curious things we see here in the cemetery are the forlorn widows, the letter boxes and the cafe." "The cafe?" I asked. "Yes. There are hundreds of people in Paris who refuse to believe that their dead do not enjoy after death the good things they used to like when they were alive. Mothers bring apples and sweets and leave them on the tombstones of their children. People bring wine and glasses, and there is one old gentleman who leaves a potato salad on his son's tombstone regularly every Sunday. Of course the children soon find out these things, and we have never been able to convince the people who bring them of the absurdity of doing so. It is a very harmless superstition, after all."

"And the letter boxes?" I asked. "Lovers' letter boxes?" said the guardian. "There are dozens of them in all parts of Pere Lachaise. Sometimes they are holes in the trunks of trees; sometimes they are little hollows under stones.

"The inconsolable widow is a frequent visitor. She is a pretty woman, and black suits her. She kneels down by a tombstone, rarely the same one, and when a likely looking mourner of the other sex appears bursts into tears. He consoles her pretty soon, and the two leave the cemetery arm in arm. One of these widows invited me to her wedding, six months ago, and last month I was called to give evidence about her meetings with her victim, for she had seven other husbands living."—St. James' Gazette.

Those who want friends to whom to open their griefs are cannibals of their own hearts.—Bacon.

THE LOWER LACHINE ROAD.

Ah! Well you know
The old grey road where shafts of gleaming light
Strike through the trees and lie so cool and white
'Neath stately elms;
As near the river brim upward they sweep
To arch o'erhead their branches bending deep,
Seeming to heed
The murmur or the roar of waters vex't
Lashed by the storm or lulled, perchance, to rest.
Where rushing on,
O'er shelves of rock, the rapids foam and toss,
Forever turning, churning, without loss,
As when La Salle
Bartered for furs and watched the Indians ply
Deftly their paddles as they came to buy
Here were his hopes,
Bright with youth's ardent glow, and here, perchance,
He dreamed new glories for his well-loved France.
* * * * *
Long, long ago,
Slain with his quest unended! Well you know
The old grey road where purple iris grow,
For there a rill—
Silvers with joy and ecstasy, to meet
From out the woods an incense warm and sweet.
While a deep voice
Comes from the distant hills, "Look—look, for we
Mark time and place for long Eternity."

A. I. W.

NEW BRUNSWICK PIONEER.

Mrs. Janet Patterson of Kent County, N.B., is 107 Years of Age.

There lives to-day in Kouchibouguac, Kent County, one of the oldest women in the province, and in fact all Canada. It is nearly one hundred and seven years ago that Janet Patterson was born in the parish of Kirkmichael, Dumfries-shire, Scotland. Her maiden name was Janet Potter. In the year 1833 she emigrated to Canada and settled in that province, in the parish of Carleton. With her husband, the late James Patterson, she lived the strenuous life and endured many hardships when the country was young. She raised a large family. Robert, John and Margaret live in Kouchibouguac, the latter having the care of the mother; two, Mrs. Kee and Mrs. Cummings, reside in the United States, while four others with her dear husband have gone to the "palace o' the King."

That Mrs. Patterson's health is exceptional for a lady of her years goes without saying. She regrets that her eyesight is failing so that, as she herself puts it, it is difficult to make sure of what she reads, and that her memory also is failing, and yet she can converse intelligently upon many things, and asks questions about persons and events which really surprise one. She has been a member of the Presbyterian church for many years, and her faith in the eternal truths is strong. She occasionally lapses into the dialect of "my ain countrie" and you have to listen with all your ears. When asked if it was her strong constitution that had brought her through so many years she said, "No, is was just the goodness of God."

Labor Conditions Better.

There was further improvement in industrial and labor conditions during October, according to the November issue of The Labor Gazette. Generally speaking, the outlook is for steady improvement of trade and general industry.

Manufacturing, though more active than in September, was characterized by caution. Lumbering remained dull, coal mining less active than in September. In cities the general labor market was well supplied. There was marked activity in railway construction.

There were only four labor disputes during the month, a decrease of 18 as compared with October, 1907. Three were settled. The number of employes affected was 8,512, and the loss of working days 37,880. During the month industrial accidents occurred to 241 work people, 79 of which were fatal.

Met Him Before.

Here is a story going the rounds of the English press concerning Dr. Ingram, Bishop of London, who made such a favorable impression in Canada on his recent visit.

Lord Salisbury, as is well known, was a very absent-minded man, and his memory for faces was just about as bad as King Edward's is excellent. Now, on one occasion, when both the Bishop of London and Lord Salisbury were visiting at Sandringham, the former observed that the Premier did not seem to recognize him. His prognostications were correct. Lord Salisbury knew the face, but just whom it belonged to he couldn't think.

"I've met that man before, I know!" declared the Premier to his royal host.

"Well, I should think you have," replied King Edward, "seeing that you made him Bishop of London!"

Hairs and Feathers.

Hairs are found on almost everything that grows, and, if we may so call the fine fibers of asbestus, they even invade the mineral world. From a piece of mineral asbestus quarried from the earth and looking like a stone with a satiny fracture the silken fibers can be rubbed with the finger till the lump is worn away.

Secure a feather somewhere—it will be much better than a picture—and you will see that it has a main stem or midrib. Along each side of this extends the thin part known as the vane. Look closely and you will see that this vane is composed of tiny feathers, called beards, fastened together throughout their whole length from where their bases join the midrib to their tips. You can easily separate one of these from the rest, when you will see how like a tiny feather it is, with what seems a fine fussiness along each edge. —St. Nicholas.

HABITANTS IN THE WEST.

French-Canadians Are Steadily Colonizing District Around Edmonton.

The French-Canadians have an ardent and growing colony in Edmonton, and a few years ago Morinville and St. Paul des Metis were started and have become thriving towns. The tide of French immigration has largely increased recently and 20 miles north of St. Paul there is now the parish of St. Vincent, with 150 families, where a year ago there was nothing.

But these settlements are not far enough north to suit the French-Canadians. A regular press campaign has been made in the French eastern press in favor of the Peace river country, a vaguely understood country known to be beyond Athabasca Landing, and it has found a responsive chord among the sons of old trappers, who find kinsmen among the halfbreeds settled at the old Catholic missions. The French-Canadians are doing their share in the transformation that is so fast taking place in the far north. A generation ago flour and potatoes were a novelty to the Indians of the country, and the introduction of the first horse is still of more recent date. The hardy pioneers who were settled at Lesser Slave Lake not ten years ago, thought only of the prospects of barter and the chase and the fishing. Now the newspapers are read at least weekly, the news-gatherer is here, and politics and the crops are being discussed in as lively a manner as in any part of the country. Very good cereal crops were at Lesser Slave Lake this year, and a circuit court of justice, which sat here a few weeks ago for the first time, marked the passing of the country into the realm of organized society. The advent of the railway will complete the transformation and start an early stampede for homesteads.

GAME ACT CHANGES.

Six Provinces Make Amendment in Laws Governing Sportsmen.

Six of the Canadian provinces amended their game acts during 1908. The practice is growing in the provinces to delegate to the lieutenant-governor-in-council authority to make or alter certain provisions concerning game. In British Columbia this year this officer was authorised during the present year to set aside tracts of crown lands for game reserves and make the necessary regulations therefor. In Quebec the lieutenant-governor was authorised to fix fees from time to time for the incorporation of fish and game organizations. Such powers, which are becoming rather numerous, while they make it more difficult to keep track of existing provisions insure at the same time greater flexibility in the laws, which is undoubtedly an excellent thing.

In the legislation of the year in the States a marked tendency is shown to increase restrictions on the market-hunter.

B. C. makes an exception to its non-export laws in favor of export of big game for scientific, zoological, or Government purposes.

The most noticeable feature in U. S. game laws is the growing popularity of the license system as a means of raising revenue and regulating hunting, licenses for residents being established in several states for the first time.

Canadian Exports to Japan.

Ten years ago exports from Japan to Canada were insignificant, amounting to a little over $100,000. To-day, they amount to $700,000. If these figures are not very large they are pregnant in meaning.

The export of Canadian flour to Japan inaugurated by the visit to Japan by Hon. Sydney Fisher five years ago amounts to 30,000 barrels, valued at $130,000; fishery products, thanks to Japanese enterprise in British Columbia, amounting to two (in some years,) $300,000; the forests of the same province send products worth $60,000 or $70,000. Especial significant is the export of Canadian condensed milk, although it was started only after Canada joined in the treaty between Great Britain and Japan in 1906. Until then it was impossible for Canadian condensed milk to compete against the American goods in the Japanese markets, for the former has been barred from enjoying the benefit of the lower rates of the preferential tariff.

Queensland's Upas Tree.

Queensland, Australia, has a curious tree which ensnares and kills insect life and sometimes birds also. A traveler says of it: "The seed vessels of the Queensland upas tree, 'ahmoo' of the blacks (Pisonia brunoniana), which are produced on spreading leafless panicles, exude a remarkably viscid substance approaching birdlime in consistency and evil effect. Sad is the fate of any bird which, blundering in its flight, happens to strike against any of the many traps which the tree in unconscious malignity hangs out on every side. In such event the seed clings to the feathers, the wings become fixed to the sides, the hapless bird falls to the ground and as it struggles heedlessly gathers more of the seeds, to which leaves and twigs adhere, until by aggregation it is inclosed in a mass of vegetable debris as firmly as a mummy in its clothes."

Britain's Latest Admiral.

The British navy has another royal admiral. Official approval has been given for the King of Sweden of the Gotha and the Venda to be appointed honorary admiral in His Majesty's fleet. The other honorary admirals in the British fleet are: Admirals of the Fleet: The Kaiser, the Czar. Admirals: Prince Henry of Prussia, the King of the Hellenes, the King of Norway.

Sweet and Low.

A young man named Sweet engaged to marry a young woman named Lowe. A few Sundays previous to the wedding the happy couple attended church together, and as they walked along the aisle the choir began singing the song "Sweet and Low," entirely unconscious of the musical pun that was being perpetrated.

RUGBY BASKETBALL WRESTLING

The Examiner's Sporting Page

ROWING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

MIDLAND TEAM HERE TO-MORROW

Northerners Will Play the Local Tiger Team at "Y" Gym.

The chief sporting attraction for New Year's Day in Peterborough will be the basket ball game to-morrow night between the Union of Midland and the local Tigers. The Midland team has the reputation of being a very speedy outfit and their visit not to Peterborough is creating considerable interest. The local team will be strong and expect to take the visitors into camp although they realize that they have their work cut out for them. There should be a big crowd on hand for the game which takes place in the Y. M. C. A. gym. to-morrow night.

OTTAWA PREPARING FOR THE BROWNIES

Senior Team is Practising Hard for Game With Locals on Saturday.

Ottawa, Dec. 30—The senior basket ball players of the Y. M. C. A. were out in full force last evening preparing for their game with the famous Peterborough team, who are due here Saturday night. Instructor Lee kept the men hard at work for over an hour. All the players showed up well, especially the new players of whom there were several in line. Both sides showed good combination and shooting, and there was little to choose between them. There will be another practice Thursday evening at 6.45 after which the team for the game will be selected. the following players were on the floor last evening Storey, Neelin, McCann, McLaughlin Dillon, Cleland, Woodland, Talbot, Cole, McGregor and Swain.

HAD A GOOD PRACTICE LAST NIGHT

The Peterborough junior O. H. A. team had a good practice last night in preparation for the first O.H.A. game of the season to-morrow in Whitby. The eight candidates for the team were out last night and had a rattling practice against the intermediates. The kids are going at a surprising clip and some of the hockey talent who have not been watching the practices lately are in for a surprise when they see them in action. Following will be the team for Whitby to-morrow, the boys leaving on the 8.20 a.m. G.T.R. train:

Goal—Len Giroux.
Point Fox.
Cover—Wade.
Rover—Ray.
Centre—O Giroux.
Left Wing—Pentland.
Right Wing—Hillier.
Spare—Gorham.

Trainer "Bill" Milburn will accompany the team who will practise again to-night in final preparation for the game.

POINTS FOR BOWLERS

Don't step or slide over the foul line, even though no one is looking.

Don't swear when you miss an easy spare or even a strike. Your day will get it the next time.

Don't allow your head to grow too large for your hat, should you be lucky enough to make a record string.

Don't find faults with the pinboys, even though the pins refuse to fall. It's not their fault.

Don't try to jolly your opponent in a match game; he might do the same to you. Besides, it's bad manners.

Don't get mad when your captain has another man roll in your place when you are hitting them poor. Remember that he has the interests of the team at heart.

Don't follow your average too closely; you will never get anything that way. Instead, watch and see where you are rolling the ball. That's the only way to fatten your average.

Don't try to imitate another bowler; you may be just as funny looking yourself. Who knows?

Don't try to roll duck, candle and bottle pins at the same time; you can only be good at one or the other.

Don't roll too much, as you are liable to go stale, and no stale roller is wanted on any team.

Don't roll unless you have rubber shoes, for you can slide better.

Don't smoke and bowl at the same time, for the smoke is liable to get in your eyes and thus throw your arm out.

Don't go inside the benches during a match game unless you are in the line-up. You are only keeping some man out of his place who has more right there than you have.

Don't kick and complain of the poor condition of the alleys just because you make a low score. Just remember that others can make a high score on the same alleys.

Don't try and swing your captain for the price of a string and then tell everybody what a lobster he is.

Don't lift the ball; the owners of the alleys don't like it and the alleys won't stand it.

Don't complain of a lame foot, of a sore finger, of a sore face, of a toothache, or any other ache or pain when you are unable to make a good score. Remember that they have all been given before you knew how to bowl. Try something new.

Don't forget to read these twice.

JUNIOR CHURCH LEAGUE HAVE THEIR SCHEDULE ARRANGED

The schedule committee of the Junior Church League met in the Y. M. C. A. last night and arranged the games that are to be played, which will be played on the rinks also mentioned. Four churches are represented. They are St. John's, Knox, Murray Street Baptist and All Saints'. A double schedule has been prepared and should furnish some good games before the season is over.

The series is as follows:

St. John's vs. All Saints', on Knox rink, Jan. 8.

Murray Street vs. Knox, on Park Street rink, Jan. 11.

Murray Street vs. All Saints', on Knox, Jan. 15.

Knox vs. St. John's, on Park, Jan. 18.

Knox vs. All Saints', on Knox, Jan. 22.

St. John's vs. Murray Street, on Park, Jan. 25.

All Saints' vs. St. John's, on Knox, Jan. 29.

Knox vs. Murray Street, on Park, street, Feb. 1.

All Saints' vs. Murray street, on Knox, Feb. 5.

St. John's vs. Knox, on Park, Feb. 8.

All Saints' vs. Knox, on Knox, Feb 12.

Murray Street vs. St. John's, on Park, Feb. 15.

Efficient referees will be secured and the prospects that a fast league will be the result.

EDMONTON WON LAST GAME BUT WANDERERS HOLD THE CUP

Montreal, Dec. 30.—Wanderers retain their title of champions, and the Stanley Cup remains in Montreal to adorn the Wanderers' quarters. But Wanderers were lucky to win out on the series. They were out-played to-night, and lost by a score of 7 to 6, but on the total they net 13 goals to Edmonton's 10.

To-night's match was an exhibition of real championship hockey, and was a complete reversal of the form shown on Monday night. The game to-night was all Edmonton's. They set a fast pace at the outset and led all the way, except for a bad ten minutes in the middle of the second half. During these ten minutes Wanderers rallied and evened the score. Even at that Wanderers were lucky to win out. Three of their tallies were flung round with horse shoes and with ordinary luck would not have been registered as goals.

Lindsay played a star game in goal, but on two occasions he fell and goals were netted. Another one glanced off one of his own side and counted. Wanderers had all the good luck and Edmonton all the bad.

The game opened with a tremendous rush that made Monday's best efforts look like a game of ping-pong in comparison. Edmonton had Miller in Phillips' place, Deeton as centre, and Vair as rover. Miller played a good game during the first half, but in the second he was not so effective. Deeton and Vair were in the game all the way through. The plucky little chap from Barrie had speed to burn and put up a star game. He stood a lot of punishment and finished strong and fresh.

About 5,000 people saw the game and the Wanderers were able to tie the score. Whitcroft did not shine in to-night's game. He played hard and was always in the game, but has a bad habit of bringing the puck out in front of his own goal. This bad habit cost his team a couple of goals. While Edmonton was beaten on the series, they have the satisfaction of knowing that they won out to-night. Had they played anything like as well on Monday night they would be champions.

ANNUAL MATCH BETWEEN THE PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT

The annual match between the President and Vice-President will be the feature of New Year's Day at the curling rink and the building will resound with the merry shouts of the players and the ring of the "stanes", from 9.30 in the morning until late at night, thirty-two rinks taking part in the festivities. Following is the draw, the President's side being named first:

9.30 a.m.—
T Brightman vs. W Talbot,
R Hicks vs. D Fraser.
D Davidson vs. R Neill.
H Foote vs. W G Reid.
S Ray vs. T F Matthews.

3 p.m.—
C N Brown vs. R M Waddell.
Dr. Greer vs. Dr. Eastwood.
W M Lang vs. J H Ferguson.
D Hall vs. H R H Kenner.
J B Burnham vs. W G Ferguson.
G M Roger vs. W G Morrow.

7.30 p.m.—
Gus Hay vs. J H Connal.
F M Dein Fosse vs. H A Morrow.
Geo. Giroux vs. S T Medd.
A Blade vs. E H Clegg.
W Stocker vs. A Moore.

PETERBOROUGH CURLERS WERE SUCCESSFUL IN 'CAYGEON

A rink of Peterborough curlers composed of the following players, Messrs. W T Hall, H Morrow, Geo. Boucher and T F Matthews, journeyed to Bobcaygeon yesterday and besides having a very enjoyable time gave a good account of themselves in the two games which they played with home rinks. In the afternoon Mr. Boucher was skipping against Mr. Will Boyd, and lost by 9 to 8 in a close game. In the evening the locals were led by Mr. Matthews and more than redeemed themselves by defeating Bobcaygeon by 16 to 8, Mr. W. Davis skipping for the latter team. The local quartette were accorded most hospitable treatment and thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

Band at Street Railway Rink New Year's afternoon.

TURKEY SHOOT AT LAKEHURST TO-MORROW

—The Goal Lakehurst Club will hold a turkey shoot at 9 o'clock sharp on New Year's day at Jackson Park Range.

Rule No. 1—From shoulder standing.

No. 2—Open to all guns: but no slings or straps.

No. 3—No man to shoot 2 shots in succession, must be at least two shoot between.

No. 4—All disputes of distance shall be measured from centre of bull's eye to edge of shot.

HOCKEY

The Peterborough Intermediate O. H. A. team has applied for certificates for the following players: P A Weatherstone, Jack Seymour, S W Ross, C G Graham, C Ray, Herb Long, Len Dobson, R M Moore, R McGlover, Ben Dusty, W E Wasson, Len Giroux, Leo Derocher, H McMillan and Wallie Parnell.

The Juniors have applied for certificates for Len Giroux, Elmer Fox, Stanley Wade, Cyril Giroux, Ken Pentland, Charlie Ray, Stanley Gorham and D Hillier.

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The West End hockey club practice to-morrow night at the Brock Street Rink between 7 and 8. A full turnout is requested as the players will be selected from this practice for their game next Thursday with the T. A. S.

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St. Andrew's Young Men's Guild rockey team will practise to-morrow morning, New Year's, at Knox church rink at 10 o'clock sharp. The following players are asked to be out, McCullough, Donaldson, MacDonald, Johnston, Flanagan, Stanton, Miller, Gillespie, Harry Rae, Elzie Curry, McRae, E. Reid, Jack Logan, Sharpe, G. Wright, and any others wishing to catch the team.

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Edmonton is out of the running for the Stanley Cup title and the people of Pehterborough, as a whole, will be sorry to learn that the enterprise for which Fred Whitcroft has done so much has been doomed to failure. The well known Peterborough boy has been coming in for a lot of criticism, especially at the hands of the Toronto press. Not having seen the game it is impossible for local people to estimate just how true the reports concerning his playing are, but it is certain that Whitcroft has done his best for Edmonton. When in Peterborough he was instrumental in helping the locals to win several championships, and he always gave the best that was in him for the sake of his home town. He may have made mistakes in Montreal, but local fans are willing to believe that he did everything in his power to give Edmonton the championship.

BOWLING

The Examiner A.'s beat the Examiner B.'s in a postponed bowling league game last night at the P. B. C. alleys, taking three games. The feature was George Sairns' bowling, The anchor of the A team put on the first 600 score in the league race, rolling splendid games of 200, 181 and 219. Lack of space prevents the publishing of all the scores.

Music and Drama

The New York Stock Market

(Furnished by J. N. Barber.)

	Opening	Closing
A.C.P.	88½	88½
Atch	100½	100½
B.R.T.	68	67⅞
C.P.R.	177	177
Erie	31	31⅛
Great Northern	146⅝	147½
L.N.	124	123⅝
Mo. Pac.	65	65
Northern Pacific	143½	142⅝
N.Y.C.	124	125⅛
Penna	131	133
R.I.	24½	24½
Rdg.	143½	142⅝
Smelters	81⅞	83½
Soo.	128½	130⅝
St. Paul	150	151
S.P.	120⅜	120⅝
U.P.	183½	183⅝
U.S.	53⅞	53⅝
U.S. pfd.	113½	113½
Twin City	—	—
Nipissing	10⅛	10⅛
May Wheat	108⅜	107⅜
" Corn	61⅜	61½
May Oats	51½	51⅜
" Pork	16.60	16.55

BE A CHARMING WOMAN

You never saw a beautiful woman who didn't have beautiful hair. The charms of a beautiful woman lie in her hair. Many women do not realise the attractions they possess because they do not give proper attention to the care of the hair.

The woman of the "400" are famed for their beauty, not because their facial features are superior to those of other women, but because they know how to keep young by supplying vigour, lustre, and strength to the hair.

Up to a few years ago Parisian Sage could dhardly be obtained in America. But now this delightful hair restorer can be had in every town in America. Wm. Madill sells it in Peterborough for 50 cents a bottle, and he guarantees it to grow beautiful, luxuriant hair; to turn dull, lifeless hair into lustrous hair; to stop falling hair; to stop itching scalp. Understand, Mr. Madill will give you your money back if it fails.

BAND CONCERT

At Roller Rink to-morrow afternoon and evening. Also mask carnival and dance.

ROLLER RINK
TO-NIGHT
Skating to all 15c, Band Concert, New Year's Eve, afternoon and evening, skating till 12 o'clock, old year out, New Year's Mask.
Carnival and Dance

WM. MADILL
for
Board of Education
for
1909

Your Vote and Influence
RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED FOR THE ELECTION OF
DR. E. V. FREDERICK
FOR MEMBER OF
BOARD OF EDUCATION
FOR 1909
Election January 4th, 1909
3d-126

R. NEILL
for
Alderman for 1909
4d-126

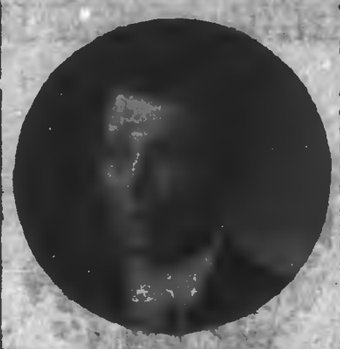
To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

Having been nominated for the position of Alderman, at the request of a large number of the ratepayers, I have consented to become a candidate.

I am opposed to personal solicitation, believing that the office should seek the man.

Through the medium of the public press I respectfully solicit your vote and influence to secure my election, and, if elected, I will endeavour to discharge the duties pertaining to this office to the best of my ability.

Respectfully yours,
ALEX GIBSON
3d-126



TO THE ELECTORS
Ladies and Gentlemen

Having been nominated for Alderman, and having been urged by a large number of all classes of citizens to remain in the field, I have decided to do so. If you think I will represent you well, I will be pleased to secure your vote and influence to insure my election. I have always been very much averse to personal canvassing, but I assure you I will appreciate your support all the more because it is given unsolicited, and I promise, if elected, to do my best without fear or favour.

Yours respectfully,
ANDREW BROWN
3d 126

Vote for the People's Candidate

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
Having been again urged to stand for Alderman, I have accepted the nomination and leave myself in your hands: If you re-elect me my motto will continue to be: to practice the same economy in civic affairs as any successful man must practice in his business affairs.
With best wishes for a Happy New Year and a low rate of taxes, I am, as ever, your obedient servant,
WILLIAM BULLER
4d-125

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

Having accepted nomination as Alderman for 1909 I most respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

I have been honoured in representing the City on the Aldermanic board for the past four years, my efforts in this time have always been to serve the city's best interests My record is before you and on this I ask your support.

Wishing all a Happy and Prosperous New Year,
A. A. McINTYRE

YOUR VOTE
and INFLUENCE
respectfully solicited for the re-election of
J. J. TURNER, Jr.
for Alderman
4d-126

Card To The Electors

To the Ratepayers of the City of Peterborough.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
Having been urged by a large number of ratepayers to again stand for the Council, I have consented to do so, and I respectfully solicit your vote and influence for my re-election.
If elected, I will do everything in my power to forward the best interests of the City.
Thanking you one and all for past favours,
I remain, yours respectfully,
W. G. MORROW
4d-126

RE-ELECTION OF
ALD. DUNCAN

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
Having accepted the nomination for re-election as Alderman of the City for the coming year, I respectfully solicit your votes and influence.
If I am favoured with your confidence and secure election, I shall do my very best to look after your interests and to faithfully discharge the duties pertaining to the position in such a manner as to, I hope, merit the approval of the majority of the electors.
Wishing you all a Happy and Prosperous New Year,
GEO. H. DUNCAN
4d-126

J. D. CRAIG
(Furniture Dealer)
FOR
ALDERMAN
FOR
1909

Card From Ald. Phelan

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
Having been again honoured with nomination for alderman, I have accepted the same at the solicitation of a large number of influential ratepayers.
My record in the Council in the past is well known to all, and if again honoured with your confidence, I will endeavour to render efficient service. Such good business judgment as may have qualified me for being of service to the City, will be used to the best of my ability.
Wishing you all the compliments of the season,
5d-124
HARRY PHELAN

Card From Mr. Duffus

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
I have accepted nomination for Alderman at the request of numerous influential ratepayers of the City. If elected, I promise to give diligent attention to the duties of the office. Being a heavy taxpayer and having a good knowledge of City affairs, I feel that I should be of assistance in safeguarding the public interests; and I promise, if elected, to do all that careful judgment can do to promote the welfare of our progressive city.
JOSEPH J. DUFFUS
4d-124

Your **VOTE**
and **INFLUENCE**
respectfully solicited for the election of
JOSEPH A. METHERAL
as Alderman.
Election: January 4th, 1909.
4d-126

CARD FROM
Mr. BOGUE

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
Having been honoured with a nomination as a candidate for Alderman for 1909, I beg leave publicly to accept the nomination and respectfully solicit your votes and influence. I appreciate the importance and responsibilities of this position, and if elected, I promise that the best interests of the City will receive my watchful attention.
Yours respectfully,
JAMES BOGUE
4d-126

Vote for
W. H. G. ARMSTRONG
For Alderman for the year 1909
and
Honest, Efficient, and Economical City Government. No interests, but those of the City will receive his consideration.
4d-126

Re-Election of
ALD. BRADBURN

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
I have consented to again accept the nomination for Alderman for 1909; if you think me still qualified to further your wishes for another year, the municipal experience I have had is again placed at your service. Being in touch with the unfinished business which goes over to the council of 1909, you will understand the extra responsibilities which go with my re-election.
Yours respectfully,
W. M. BRADBURN
4d-126

RE-ELECTION OF
ALD. GILLESPIE

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
At the request of many citizens largely interested in the welfare of Peterborough, I have decided to again accept nomination as Alderman. I trust that the confidence reposed in me last year has strengthened my candidature for a second term. If so, my aim will continue to be the advancement of the progress of our growing city. While I will oppose without fear or favour all useless expenditure, I shall support all wise measures calculated to build up our natural resources, irrespective of wards or boundaries.
Respectfully yours,
GEO. A. GILLESPIE
4d-126

Board of Education

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
Your Vote and Influence are respectfully solicited in behalf of my re-election, as member of the Board of Education for the coming year. I have endeavored during the past two years to serve your interests faithfully, and if favoured again with your confidence will use my best efforts for the advancement of Education in this city.
Respectfully Yours,
3d126
W. S. ROBINSON

To the Electors of the City of Peterboro

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
I have again accepted the nomination for the position of Alderman for the coming year. If I am elected I will endeavour to do my utmost for the best interests of the City. My position on all matters has heretofore been clear and I will continue to act in this manner if I am elected.
Thanking you in anticipation of your support, I beg to remain,
Your obedient servant,
HARRY MORGAN
3d-126

Dr. McClelland,
For Board of Education

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
In deference to the wishes of many of the ratepayers, I have consented to my nomination for the Board of Education. I will, therefore, esteem it a favor to have your support on behalf of my election.
M. McCLELLAND

Re-Elect M. A. Morrison

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
Your VOTE and INFLUENCE for the re-election of
M. A. Morrison.
3d126. for Board of Education for 1909

To The Electors of The City of Peterborough.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
I again solicit your votes to elect me to the City Council. I have served in the Council three years, and believe that the experience gained will enable me to give better service another year, and if elected I will do my best in the interest of every part of the city.
I have the honour to be,
Your obedient servant,
G. E. ELLIOTT
4d-126

For Alderman
ARCHIE R. MOORE

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
I respectfully request the support of the ratepayers in favour of my election for Alderman for 1909. I have lived among you all my life, and know the requirements of the City. If elected I promise to faithfully serve your best interests in every way.
Your support solicited,
ARCHIE R. MOORE
4d-126

Board of Education

To the Ratepayers of the City

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
I am again a candidate for election as one of your representatives on the Board of Education of the City. By your kind favour I have been one of the members for thirteen years, and I trust that my services have been such as to merit a renewal of your confidence.
Respectfully,
4d 126
ROBERT FAIR

"SQUARE DEAL" TALKS OF COUNCIL

Refers to Some of the Actions of the Aldermen During 1908.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

Dear Sir,—On Monday next the electors of this city will have another opportunity of saying who the Aldermen shall be for the years 1909-10 and to my mind an infusion of new blood is really necessary to the extent of sixty per cent. In the early part of the year there was all sorts of fault found with our civic managers and not without cause, on account of the way they managed the affairs of the city.

A case in point, if you please—the reorganization of the Fire Department. The reorganization was badly handled and I know it. I am also aware of the fact that the aldermen who helped to put the thing through now see their mistake and would undo what they helped to do in that matter, if they could.

Then, there is the propensity the City Council of the present time have for experimenting with work—(and, at means the people's money)—and having to do their work twice over, such as paving streets at a large expense in the spring, and again tearing it up in mid-summer, for sewer purposes. It is not much wonder that the Board of Works tried to reduce the working man's wages. There had to be retrenchment some place in order to carry on this experimental street paving, and (back flow) sewer work. I think it most unfortunate that the ward system of electing councillors has been done away with in this city. However, the people have the say. If they fail to make a correct choice they not only suffer themselves, but others suffer as well. Let each elector do his simple duty on Monday next, and you will see some of the gentry who are heading for the City Hall, limping home after the votes are counted, looking as though they had been in a rear-end collision.

Yours truly,
"SQUARE DEAL."

Peterborough, Dec. 31.

IMPORTANT CHANGE IN CANADIAN PACIFIC TRANSCONTINENTAL SERVICE

During the months of January and February the C. P. R. 'Imperial Limited,' will not run between Montreal and Winnipeg, or between Calgary and Vancouver. This change will not, however, affect passengers from this district to any considerable extent. The departure time of the northwest express from Toronto is unchanged from 10.15 p. m., daily, there is no change in the fast time made to Winnipeg, and for passengers to Calgary and points east, no wait in that city. Passengers for points west of Calgary and the coast will enjoy a welcome break in their long journey, arriving in Winnipeg at 10.40 p. m., and after an afternoon and evening in which to see the attractions of the western metropolis, leave for their destinations at 10.45 p. m. This opportunity to explore Winnipeg, the gateway to the Northwest, and famous for its rapid growth and prosperity, will undoubtedly be welcomed by cross-continent travellers. The change takes effect January 1st. 3d1127-4800

GRATEFUL ACKNOWLEDGMENT

I desire through the columns of your paper, to speak on behalf of our family a few words of gratitude for the kind sympathy expressed to us, through the loss of our father, who passed away on Christmas morning. Speaking for all of us and in my humble way, I return sincere thanks for all your kindness. In our hour of sorrow and bereavement it is pleasant and helpful to remember, that we have many friends who sympathize with us, and by kind words and actions endeavoured to enlighten the gloom thrust upon us. My father was a plain honest and God-fearing man, who endeavoured at all times in his humble way to carry out the Golden Rule of doing unto others as he would have them do unto him. This was his motto in life, and we trust and believe he will get his reward.

We again thank all our dear friends and assure them that they carry our best wishes for their future success, and welfare, and while we may be separated on this earth we believe that if we are true and faithful we will meet to part no more in the world above, where all is joy and gladness, and sorrow and sadness will be no more.

J. LLOYD HAMILTON,
Wolseley Street.

Peterborough, Dec. 31, 1908.

An Invitation

We cordially invite every one interested in something for New Year's to visit our store and note the fine lines, perfect quality and moderate prices here shown. Nothing more appropriate than some of the following suggestions.

Gentlemen's Gold Watches
Ladies' Gold Watches
Diamonds Rings
Pearl Rings, lots of designs
Gold Cuff Links, 14 karat
Gold Lockets
Signet Rings, Gentlemen's
Pearl Brooches, nice pattern
1847 Rogers Cutlery. Special Prices

NO TROUBLE TO SHOW YOU GOODS, Call and Inspect Them.

WARNE'S
34 GEORGE STR ET

Saturday is Hall's Bargain Day

Since Saturday Was Set Apart by This Store as a

SPECIAL BARGAIN DAY

It Has Become Known by Hundreds of Shrewd Shoppers as "Economy Day."

And this Saturday will be fruitful of rare economies at this store that the prestige for value-giving which these week-end sales have given us will surely be increased in no small measure.

Almost every department in the Store is represented in this list of remarkable Underprice Offerings. If you have an unfilled need, you'll find its most economical solution here.

Skirts—Good heavy French Panama tailored Skirt, nicely trimmed with stitched bands of self, black only. Regular 10.00 each, Hall's Sat. Bargain **6.98**

Coats—Single breasted, shaped back Coats, trimmed with diagonal stitched self strappings, body and sleeves mercerized, lined, colours black, navy and myrtle. Hall's Saturday Bargain, each ... **12.50**

Gloves—Ladies' fleece lined Cashmere Gloves with 2 dome fasteners in colours of black, navy, grey, mode, red and brown. Hall's Saturday Bargain, pr. **.22**

Hose—Boys' and Misses' ribbed wool Hose, seamless, in sizes from 4½ to 10. Reg. 25c pair. Hall's Saturday Bargain, pair **.19**

Silk Petticoats—a good rustling Taffeta Skirt, made with deep flounce, finished at the bottom with 3 narrow ruffles, Black, Navy, Helio Grey and Vieu Rose. Regular 8.50. Hall's Saturday Bargain, each **5.29**

Cashmere Hose—Ladies' fancy silk elastic Hose, seamless throughout in sizes 8, 9, 9½ and 10, good quality. Hall's Saturday Bargain, pair .... **.20**

Supporters—Ladies' fancy silk elastic Hose Supporters with C.M.C. clasp and finished with ribbon bows in colours of pink blue and white. Reg. 85c, Hall's Saturday Bargain .... **.69**

Fur Rugs—3 only China Goat Rugs, size 36 x 12 inches, regular $7.50, Hall's Saturday Bargain... **5.83**

Furniture Covering—Heavy Tapestry Furniture Covering, 50 inches wide, in a good assortment of Patterns and Colourings up to 1.50, Hall's Saturday Bargain, per yard..... **.98**

Lace Curtains—43 Pairs only fine Lace Curtains 42 to 60 inches wide and 3½ yards long. Hall's Saturday Bargain, per pair.... **.93**

Heavy Tweed Cloakings—In a fine range of colourings, pure wool, suitable for children's coats and robe linings 56 inches wide, worth up to 1.75 per yard. Hall's Saturday Bargain, yd **.96**

Factory Cotton—200 yards only, good quality, factory cotton, closely woven and free from dressing, full 36 inches wide, the best in the trade at 8c a yard. Hall's Saturday Bargain, yard.. **6½**

Victoria Flannel—Outing Flannel in cream and medium dark grounds, dainty floral and small pattern effects, suitable for waists and dressing sacques. Reg. 15c to 18c yd. Hall's Saturday Bargain, yd **12½**

Cretonne—Heavy quality of English Cretonne single and double faced, splendid assortment of Floral and conventional designs in two toned combination colourings, regular up to 35c per yard, Hall's Saturday Bargain, per yard.... **.19**

Black Figured Panama—A rich hard wearing fabric, pure wool for a useful dress or skirt, only a limited number of yards, 44 inches wide. Regular 65c a yard. Hall's Saturday Bargain, yard..... **.42**

Stripe Suitings—Just 5 suits in the lot, in colours of Myrtle Green, Moss Green, Navy Blue, Mulberry, Green and Black, 56 inches wide, 7 yards in the pattern, worth up to 1.50 yard. Hall's Saturday Bargain, yard..... **.94**

Suiting Tweeds—Not all wool but goods hard wearing and just the right weight for a winter skirt or coat 42 to 44 inches wide, worth up to 40c yard. Hall's Saturday Bargain yard.. **.28**

Brussels Rugs—3 only English Body Brussels Rugs, size 12 ft. x 9 ft. regular 23.50. Hall's Saturday Bargain.... **18.00**

Handkerchiefs—Ladies' and Children's plain Linen Hemstitched and Fancy lawn Handkerchiefs with embroidery and Lace edge. Regular 10c each. Hall's Saturday Bargain, each **.7**

Belts—A good assortment of plain and fancy leather belts in all shades, and wide and narrow widths. Regular 50c each. Hall's Saturday Bargain, each..... **.39**

Vests—Ladies' extra fine quality, grey, cotton fleece lined vests with Long sleeves and High neck, buttoned front. Hall's Saturday Bargain, each..... **.29**

Wool Vests—Good quality vest ⅞ wool in Ribbed and Plain, grey and white with long sleeves and high neck, buttoned front, tailored cut. Regular price 75c each Hall's Sat. Bargain... **.59**

Ribbon—Good quality, pure taffeta silk, ribbon 5 inches wide, in colours, sky, white, yellow, pink, grey, green, purple and tuscan. Regular 25c yard. Hall's Saturday Bargain, yd.... **.16**

Linoleum Ends—40 Ends of Oilcloth and Linoleum in good size ends. Hall's Saturday Bargain.... **.19**

Sheeting—Extra heavy quality, unbleached sheeting fine even weave, plain or twill, free from dressing, frill 2 yards wide. Regular 30c yd. Hall's Saturday Bargain, yard.... **.24**

Wool Blankets—10 pair only fine quality, soft fleecy wool blankets, extra large size 66 x 86, Blue or Pink Borders. Regular 4.50 pair. Hall's Sat. Bargain **3.97**

White Quilts—20 only White Honey Comb Quilts, heavy quality, without any dressing, with or without fringe. Double bed size. Regular 1.25 to 1.35. Hall's Saturday Bargain.... **.99**

Pillow Cases—5 dozen only Hemmed Pillow Cases, made from a fine quality, English longcloth. Regular 40c a pair. Hall's Saturday Bargain, pair **.29**

Towels—10 dozen pure Linen Huck Towels, with fringed or hemmed ends, white or coloured borders, size 18 x 38 worth up to 35c pair. Hall's Saturday Bargain, each..... **.12½**

Wool Gloves—Ladies' and misses' Ringwood Gloves in colours of red, navy, white, brown, black and grey in all sizes. Hall's Saturday Bargain, pair **.22**

Satin Petticoats—Made of good Lustrous Sateen, with deep accordion pleated flounce, finished with narrow ruffles. Regular 1.35 Hall's Saturday Bargain, each..... **.99**

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353-355 George Street - Peterborough

CANTATA AND XMAS TREE HELD IN KNOX CHURCH LAST NIGHT

The Cantata and Christmas tree, held in Knox Presbyterian Church last night, proved a great success, both financially and socially.

A tea was given to the Sunday School children from six to seven o'clock, which was well attended, the children enjoying themselves immensely.

At 7.30 the cantata commenced and was a great delight to the audience, and showed the thorough training that the young people had received. The choruses and lyrics being well selected, were very funny and pretty solos were sung by Miss C. Bartley, Miss Jessie Miller, Miss A. Carr, Miss E Bartley, Master H. Hatcher, Mr. A. Davenport and Mr. Thompson.

The cantata consisted of Misses Barr, Morrison, S. Morrison, Carr, R Carr, Killinbeck, Macgregor, E. Bartley, F. Bartley, M. Bartley, C. Bartley and P. Jackson; Messrs. A. Davenport, M. Patterson, R. Smyth, H. Carr, J. Common, H. Hatcher and H. Thompson. Those who sang as the "canned goods" were Messrs. A. Davenport, beans; H. Carr, peas; J. Common, corn; and N. Patterson, tomatoes. The "sewing circle" were Misses C. Bartley, P. Jackson, Morris, S. Morris, Macgregor, Killinbeck and Thompson.

The baseball boys were N. Patterson, J. Common, A. Davenport, H. Smyth, H. Carr H. Hatcher and H. Thompson.

Sheriff Hall, president of the Sunday School, gave a short address on the progress of the Sunday School. His books show the average attendance for the quarter to be 140, which is an increase of 49 over last year's. The total attendance now on the roll is 300. The Sunday School started six years ago with a full attendance of 26. About 200 scholars received Christmas presents from the Christmas tree, Mr. Thompson acting as Santa Claus and Mrs. Patterson Mowry as the spirit of love.

During the course of giving the presents to the children Mr. Keith was presented with a beautiful book case, and Mrs. Keith with a box of flowers.

The following address was presented by the Men's Guild:

To the Rev. H. J. Keith,

Dear Pastor,—We, the officers and members of Knox Church Men's Guild, feel that we cannot let this festive season pass without taking advantage of the occasion to express to you in some slight degree our appreciation of your untiring zeal and effort on our behalf, both spiritually and socially. The past year has been one of great profit and pleasure to the members of the Guild, and we realize you have been greatly instrumental in its success. Your interest and devotion to the work of the Guild has called for a great deal of sacrifice on your part.

We would ask you to accept this book case and also these flowers for Mrs. Keith as an expression of our esteem.

Wishing you both a Prosperous and Happy New Year.

Signed on behalf of the Guild.

W. C. GALLEY.
H. J. McCANNON.
A. MACKENZIE.

Mr. Keith, in his reply, stated that he had tried his best to make everything a success, and that he was not teaching the young people for material returns but for the advance of their spiritual welfare. The pastor acted as chairman during the evening.

Special mention is due Miss Charlotte English, who, with Mr. Common, accompanied the cantata, and Miss Barr, who took the role of Miss Prim, Lady Superintendent of the Academy, where the scene of the cantata was laid.

DOES YOUR SCALP ITCH?

Are Your Hairs Dropping One by One?

If your scalp itches you are doubtless suffering from dandruff. The dandruff germ is digging up your scalp in little flakes, called dandruff and sapping the life of the fair bulb. No hair preparation that is a mere hair stimulant and tonic will cure dandruff, because it won't kill the germ that causes the trouble. Newbro's Herpicide is the best scientific discovery; and it will kill the dandruff germ. Destroy the cause, and you remove the effect; kill the germ and you will have no more dandruff, falling hair or baldness.

Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to the Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. Two sizes, 50c and $1. McDermid and Jury, and Payne's Drug Store, special agents. 3 boxes for $1.25.

Christmas Entertainment Of The Springville Presbyterian Church

The Christmas exercises in connection with the Springville Presbyterian Sunday School were held last evening, and proved a very enjoyable and successful affair. The reports presented showed that the year has been the best on record, from the standpoints of attendance, finances and study. A feature of the evening was the presentation of the cash prizes and diplomas to the pupils who have acquitted themselves creditably during the year. In the early part of the summer Mr. John McIntosh donated $5 in gold for this purpose. Mr. Hunter gave a similar amount and other members gave smaller contributions, with the result that the fund amounted to over $25.

Last night Melville Whitfield received $5 in cash and two diplomas, Mary L. Pierce $4 and two diplomas, Lillian Hooten and John Marsh $2 and two diplomas, Lizzie Sherwood $1.50 and two diplomas and Annie Brown, Vilda True, Pearl Bowles and Margaret Whitfield diplomas and smaller cash prizes.

In the primary department Beatrice Whitfield received diplomas and $2, and John and George Whitfield $1 and diplomas.

During the evening a very enjoyable programme was presented, in which the Misses Titterson and Miss Greta Lebar, of Peterborough, took part. The children of the Springville Church this year, instead of having a Christmas tree, sent a contribution to the Sick Children's Hospital, Toronto.

Those Who Received Prizes At St. Andrew's Sunday School

Below will be found a list of the prize winners in connection with the St. Andrew's Sunday School.—

Those who had over 85 per cent in lessons were—Jessie Stevens, Laura Grant, Adeline Grant, E. Sharpe C. Potter, F. Saunders, Gordon Henry Melville Saunders, Grace stevens C. Gardner.

The following will receive special recognition from the session for attendance—Chas. Gardner, Laura Grant E. Sharpe, V. Thorndyke, A. Grant, Myra Evans, C. Potter, F. Saunders, G. Henry, M. Saunders.

While the above list and the following attended Sunday School 46 Sundays and over—V. Thorndyke, Myra Evans, Jean Potter, Maggie Rae, Jennie Saunders, G. Thorndyke, Helen Henry, Stella Rae, Nelson Conover.

Those who had 75 per cent. and over were—Chas. Gardner, Gordon Henry, Melville Saunders, Gerald Thorndyke, E. Sharpe, C. Potter, F. Saunders, Laura Grant, Helen Henry, Maggie Rae, Jessie Stevens, Molly Potter, E. Robson, May Henry, Adeline Grant, Grace Stevens, Rea Potter, Myra Evans, Grant Mowat, Harold Lees.

Those with 60 to 75 per cent. were Leonard Hall, Fred McNeilly, Ethel Armstrong, H. Batten, Mary Carter, S. Rae, Bella Shearer, Jean Potter, Alex. Fortye, Ken. McClelland, Jack Tremain, Victor Thorndyke, Louise Robson, W Evans, G. Read, Jennie Saunders, Jennie Richardson. Mess Richardson, Bessie Shearer, Nelson Conover.

Those with 75 per cent. and over received a gold star and diploma, while those between 60 and 75 per cent. received a diploma and a silver star.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS
PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding, or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50 cents.

CARD OF THANKS

I take this opportunity of thanking my customers for their liberal patronage during the past year, wishing you all a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

J. J. SHADGETT,
Carriage and sign painter, 173 Murray street. 'Phone 448. Ad

SECOND ANNUAL

Blue Pencil Sale

STOCK-TAKING IS NOW ON WITH A SWING AND A DASH THAT IS CHARACTERISTIC OF THIS STORE. THE BLUE PENCIL MAN IS BUSY AGAIN MAKING USE OF THE BLUE PENCIL ON THE PRICE TICKETS OF ALL GOODS THAT MUST BE CLEARED OUT AT ICE --- ODD AND BROKEN LOTS MUST FALL BEFORE THE FINAL CLOSING UP OF THE EAR'S BUSINESS. EVERY DEPARTMENT MEETS WITH THE SAME UNMERCIFUL PRICE CUTING AS THE STOCK PASSES THROUGH THE HANDS OF THE BLUE PENCIL MAN. EVERY DAY WILL BRING FRESH VICTIMS OF THE BLUE PENCIL. WATCH THE DAILY PAPERS.

Women's Children's Ready-to-Wears Meet Their Fate — Second Floor

Suits—These are the most modish garments shown this season, but must be cleared out at once. Saturday, all $50.00, 40.00, 35.00 Suits for.... **29.75**
LOT 2: All $27.50, 25.00, 22.00 and 20.00 Suits, **17.50**
LOT 3: All $18.00 and 15.00 Suits, B. P. Price, **13.75**

Coats—$10.00, 12.00, 15.00 Coats in Green, Blue, Brown, etc.; the nattiest of the season's styles, but a manufacturer's overmake. Blue Pencil Price **7.75**

Misses' Coats—All new, natty 1908 and 1909 styles, warm, German cloths, Light and Dark colourings, $6.00, 8.00 and 10.00 values. B. P. Price.. **3.90**

Short Coats—Not the latest styles in length, but otherwise correct, splendidly lined and well made, values up to $10.00. Blue Pencil Price **1.90**

Bearskin Coats—Straight or curly hair, prettily trimmed, five different lines, ranging in prices $2.25, 3.75, 4.00, 4.75, 6.00. Blue Pencil Price, ***1/4 OFF***

Sweaters and Golf Coats—Ladies' and Children's, right in season, for tobogganing and skating. Blue Pencil values: $1.50 for ***1.29***, 1.98 for ***1.78***, $2.25 for ***1.98***, 3.75 for ***2.98***, 4.50 for ***3.80***

Furs—Mink-Marmot, Grey Squirrel and Imitation Ermine Ruffs, ranging in price at Blue Pencil values:
$5.00, 6.90, 9.25, 12.50, 18.00, 25.00

Muffs—Blue Pencil Values:
$3.75, 5.00, 6.40, 6.88, 6.90

Fur Lined Coats—This lot of Fur Lined Coats is undoubtedly the best coat chance you will meet. About eight in the lot, bought very cheap. Brown, Green, Navy and Black, fine quality broadcloth coverings, with best Hamster linings and Alaskan sable collars. Blue Pencil Price **46.75**

Woollen Petticoats — Plain and Fancy Weaves, all wool in Blue and White, Pink and White, and Plain Navy. Worth $2.75, 2.50 and 2.25. Blue Pencil Price **1.95**

Elderdown Sacques — Warm Dressing Sacques in Pale Blue, trimmed with Black, Grey with Black, Red with Black, and Plain Red. Blue Pencil Reductions:
$1.75 for ***1.39***, 2.50 for ***1.78***, 3.50 for ***2.60***

Heavy Moreen Underskirts — In all the best shades, neatly made and finished. Blue Pencil values:
$3.75 for ***3.40***, 4.50 for ***3.78***

BLUE PENCIL PRICINGS ON NEW DRESS GOODS — Main Floor Rear

Dress Goods—9 pieces of Tweeds, Cord de Soie, Panamas, Venetians and Camel Hair Cloths, colours, red, grey and blue, also black, 42 to 48 ins. wide. Regular prices 60, 75 and 85c. Blue Pencil Price **39c**

Tweeds—4 pieces including Coronation in Light and Dark Blue, Grey Mixture, and Black and White Checks, 40 to 52 inches wide, values 50c and 60c. Blue Pencil Price **25c**

Venetians—beautiful all wool fabric, 44 ins. wide in navy, brown, green and black. 75c values **59c**

Venetian Stripe—in bronze green, worth 85c, **65c**

Chevron Suiting—Light navy Chevron Stripe Suiting, 50 inches wide, value $1.25. This cloth is very new and is suitable for separate skirts or suits, only 15 yards. To clear at Blue Pencil Price ... **89c**

Beaver and Frieze Cloths—good heavy cloth Girls' coats, shades of red, blue, green and brown, 56 ins. wide, value $1.25. Blue Pencil Price.... **98c**

Cord de Sole—black hard finished cloth, 42 inches wide, value 60c. Also one piece of 42 inch New Satin finished stripe, value 75c. Blue Pencil Sale Price, choice **39c**

One Suit — 8 yard length, brown and blue chevron stripe, value $9. Blue Pencil Price **6.65**

Suit Lengths—5 Eight yard lengths, regular $6.80 per suit. These are the very newest, a nice weight, beautiful shades and finish in navy, green, brown and dark wine stripes. B.P. Price **4.50**

Skirt Lengths—ends 5½ yards long, dark grounds with check of suede grey, brown and navy. Reg. $6.75, Blue Pencil Price **4.90**

Cashmere—2 pieces of light and dark green cashmere, all wool, value 25 cents. Blue Pencil Price **19c**

All Wool Venetian—a fine cloth, 40 ins. wide and very special at 50c, colours, light and dark red, and green, also black. Blue Pencil Price **39c**

Panama Cloth—our special 42 in. cloth, all wool, hard finish, blue, red, green and black, at **44c**

Short Ends—Black Voiles, Crepe de Chene, etc., 4 to 5 yds in each. Regular $1 goods to clear out by the end. Blue Pencil Price, per yard..... **59c**

Special Chiffon Broadcloth—50 ins. wide, a cloth valued at 1.50 per yd., shades of Copenhagen blue, light and dark navy, light and dark brown, light and dark red, also black. Our special, per yard **1.00**

THE BLUE PENCIL AFTER WOMEN'S ACCESSORIES, ETC. — Main Floor Centre

Ladies' Underwear—Open Drawers, Watson's plain knit, winter weight, value 50c. Blue Pencil Price..... **39c**

Equestriennes—Black, fine quality, all wool, value 1.00 per. Blue Pencil Price..... **78c**

Childrens' Vests—Long sleeves, fine quality wool, value 45c for ***35c***, value 50c for ***40c***

Bon Ami C. Corsets—A few odd pairs to be closed out NOW—White French Coutil of good quality, in long hip style, with hose supporters attached. Value 1.00 and 1.25. B. P. Price **87c**

Ringwood Gloves — Jersey Wrists, well made, neat, ladies' sizes in Grey, Brown, White. Regular 40c. B.P. Price **25c**

Children's Cashmere and Ringwood Gloves—White, Grey, Brown and Navy. Regular 25c. Blue Pencil Sale **17c**

Belts—All styles, some worth up to 75c for ***25c***
also LEATHER BELTS—Regular 1.50. Blue Pencil Price ***50c***

Toboggan Mitts—White only, regular 75c values. Blue Pencil Price..... **49c**

Silk Shawls—Very fine knitted silk with fringed edges, suitable for fascinators or shoulder shawls. Reg. 2.75. Blue Pencil Price **1.49**

Silk Knitted Shawls—6 only, 1¼ yds square, finished with knitted lace. Regular 5.00. Blue Pencil Price.. ..... **3.75**

Black Satchels—Splendid styles, regular 1.00 for 59c and 69c, also Grey Fur Satchels with steel chain and mountings, worth 2.75. Blue Pencil Price..... **1.98**

Lawn Handkerchiefs—Plain lawn with narrow hemstitched hem. Blue Pencil Price, 7 for... ... . **25c**

Fancy Wool Shawls—Very fine wool with fringe, Plain White, White and Pale Blue, White and Pink. Regular 2.25. Blue Pencil Price..... **1.78**

Cushion Tops—At Blue Pencil Prices..... ***.76, 1.00, 1.75***

White Veiling—Blue Pencil Prices ..... ***20, 25*** and ***35c***

Black and White Veiling—Blue Pencil Price..... ***25c***

BLUE PENCIL REDUCTIONS ON Linens and Staples — Main Floor Right

Doylies and Tray Cloths — in hand embroidered and hand drawn linen, worth from 15 to 30c. B.P. Price, each .. **5c**

Hand Embroidered and Hand Drawn Tray Cloths, etc.—with up to 65c. Blue Pencil Price..... **19c**

Cut Work—in squares, table covers and runners, worth up to 45c. Blue Pencil Price.. ..... **22c**

Linen Pillow Cases—bolster covers and lunch cloth, runners and centre pieces worth up to 1.50 each. B.P. Price.. **59c**

Battenburg Centre Pieces—shams and runners, worth $1.75 and $2 each. Blue Pencil Price **69c**

Boiled Tablecloths and Napkins—cloths, 2, 2½, 3 yds. long, hemmed all round, guaranteed pure linen. Regular $2.00 for ***1.25***, regular $2.50 for ***1.89***. Regular $3.35 for ***2.49***. Reg. 2.75 for ***2.08***. During Blue Pencil Sale napkins reduced in price to correspond with cloths.

Bleached Table Linen—in heavy satin damask, 60 ins. wide. Conventional designs, regular 65c, for **39c**

Unbleached Cotton Cloths—floral, conventional and Roman striped designs, beautiful colourings, 300 yds. in the lot. Reg. 25c and 30c. Blue Pencil Sale at per yard **15c**

Wool Blankets—Large double bed size Blankets in cream with Pink or Blue Borders, worth 3.50. Blue Pencil Price **2.29**

BLUE PENCIL REDUCTIONS ON Home Furnishings — Third Floor

Nottingham Lace Curtains—Lace Curtains,—8 patterns, good designs, plain centres or conventional effects, 3½ yds long x 54 inches wide. Regular 2.50. Blue Pencil Price... **1.68**

Tapestry Table Covers—4 dozen 4/4 size in Rose, Green and Blue. Regular 75c. Blue Pencil Price..... **59c**

English Willow Rugs—9 x 12, in conventional and medallion patterns, colours, Green, Red and Fawn. 7 in all. Regular 40.00 values. Blue Pencil Price..... **29.75**

English Brussel Rugs—4 handsome Rugs, size 9 x 10 ft. 6 in. in Fawn and Red. Reg. 18.00. B. P. Price. **16.00**

Crossley Velvet Rugs—7 x 9. Regular 15 00. In Red conventional patterns. Blue Pencil Price..... **9.75**

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WEDDING BELLS

BUCHANAN—SMITH

The marriage of Miss Edith M. Smith, fourth daughter of Mr. William Smith, Aberdeen avenue, to Mr. James Joseph Buchanan, of Brandon, Man., and son of Mrs. Horsman, of Vancouver, B. C., was solemnized yesterday afternoon at two o'clock, at the residence of the bride's father. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Robert Pogue, of St. Paul's church. The bride was given away by her father, entering the drawing room to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march played by her sister, Miss Frankie Smith. The bride was assisted by the groom's sister, Miss S. Buchanan, of Vancouver, B. C., and the groom was supported by Mr. Garnet Neff, of Moosomin, Sask.

After the ceremony and hearty congratulations had been bestowed upon the young couple, a sumptuous wedding repast was partaken of.

Mr. and Mrs. Buchanan left on the 4.18 train for their future home in Brandon, Man.

BUTTERIL—DUFF

On Wednesday, Dec. 30th, a quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. John Duff, Waterhouse st, when his younger daughter Lillian May was married to Mr. Harold Ross Butterill, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Butterill, of Sharbot Lake. Rev. J. Webb being the officiating clergyman. The bride, wearing a dainty princess gown of crepe de Paris over silk, with veil and orange blossoms and having for her sole ornament a pearl necklace, the gift of the groom, entered the drawing room on the arm of her father to the strains of the wedding march played by her sister, Mrs. Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. Butterill left on the 6.38 train for Buffalo, the bride travelling in brown broadcloth with Persian Lamb coat, and brown hat to match.

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Start the New Year by opening a Savings Bank Account in the BANK OF OTTAWA 2d-127

POST CARD CORRESPONDENCE.

In this column will be published communications upon post cards only. It will remain open for the use of readers, who are invited to contribute suggestions, inquiries or replies. Anything of a scurrilous personal nature will be prohibited.

Editor Post Card Column.

Dear Sir—I see by to-day's World that the British Empire Trust issues a statement wherein it deals lengthily with Canadian securities. A warning note is sounded regarding municipal extravagance and the view expressed is that unless greater acution is exercised in spending money which can be easily borrowed Canada may have to face a financial crisis.

The moral is that we should vote for every new councillor that offers himself as a candidate, seeing that the council for 1908 has been so extravagant. Ring out the old, sing in the new.

Yours, etc.
Taxpayer.

Dec. 31st, 1908

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

There are a few people yet who have not paid their accounts to us and as our terms are cash, we will thank parties to remit or call and pay at once, as we do no twant 1908 accounts to go into 1909. If any one has any accounts against us we will thank them to present same at once or before the end of this year when same will be paid. Respectfully
J.J. TURNES & SONS Yours
4d—124

VAUDEVILLE ATTRACTION AT THE ROYAL THEATRE

The Great Selvin and Company in His Inimitable Specialties all Next Week

The management of the Royal Theatre have engaged a special vaudeville attraction for all next week—the Great Selwin and Company, illusionists—beginning on Monday evening at 7.30. It is acknowledged by both press and public that Selwin is one of the cleverest in his line. The act will be greatly appreciated by all who will have the opportunity of witnessing the performance. It is elaborately staged with special electrical effects, and is a clever, refined entertainment for ladies and children, as well as the public. You can see a comic opera any day, but the Great Selwin in his special illusionist specialties, but once in a lifetime. He is claimed to be the world's premier deceptionist. The regular picture show at the Royal will be run as usual during the day at the usual price of admission, 5c.

POSTMEN PRESENTED WITH XMAS GIFTS

Some of the postmen are wearing that cherry smile which is the result financial strength. All of them were remembered by people on their various routes, but some more than others. It has been learned that the total amount received by one of them was about $50. Some of their gifts are still coming in, but Christmas morning was the most fruitful of all.

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These two dozen odd Coats consist of broken sizes of this season's newest styles, which accounts for the sweeping price reductions. See samples in the south window.

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The Melodramatic Musical Hit—The Kilroy & Britton New One
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FIRE IN AN ASH BOX CALLED OUT BRIGADE

The fire brigade made a record run this morning at one o'clock when they were called from box 23 to a small fire at the Munro House. A citizen who saw them states that they were at the corner of Hunter and George streets in remarkably short time. The fire itself was only a small affair in an ash box. One chemical extinguished it.

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Season's Greetings

At this, the Festive Season, we offer our thanks to the public for their liberal patronage during the year now rapidly drawing to a close. It has been our constant endeavor to give satisfaction to everyone, and the results of the year's business would seem to indicate that we have in a great measure succeeded.

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196 Baptist Churches Now In The Four Western Provinces

These Figures Received From Western Convention—Majority Found in Manitoba—1150 Baptisms During Past Year.

TOTAL MEMBERSHIP 11,000

The Western Baptist Convention held some time ago in Vancouver was the first gathering of representatives from the Provinces of British Columbia, Saskatchewan, Alberta and Manitoba.

From one of the reports the following interesting figures were obtained

There have been many changes during the year—38 pastors have left the convention, 2 have died, and 48 have come into the Convention during the last 15 months, 20 churches have been organized, the present total being 196 in all the four Provinces with as many Mission stations. Of the churches there are 60 in Manitoba 53 in Saskatchewan, 53 in Alberta and 30 in British Columbia. The baptisms have been 1150, and the total membership is about 11,000. Last year the churches raised for Missions about $20,000, this year $30,000. The total expenditure in Mission work was $21,000. This year we entered, we should not only clear off the $30,000 debt but spend $70,000 in Mission work to do anything like what we ought to do.

Twenty thousand dollars was received from Ontario and Quebec, and $5000 from England for Mission work during the year.

SPAT ON POLICE COURT FLOOR, WAS SEEN BY P. C. NEWHALL AND FINED $1

P. C. Newhall had an eye for business this morning when he apprehended Mr. Victor Lebar spitting on the floor of the court room, while the evidence in one of the cases was being heard. Mr. Lebar pleaded guilty but said that it was not tobacco as he did not use it. He admitted that the habit was a dirty one and it is likely that the action was done unconsciously. His worship stated that he would not do it in his own home. Chief Rosser said that after court every morning the floor is a disgrace and he had cautioned the policeman to keep a sharp watch for offenders. Mr. Lebar is apparently a stranger here and was well dressed. He was fined one dollar which was paid forth with.

DOWNIE TOPICS

PROBS—Strong westerly to northwesterly winds, light snow falls or flurries, but mostly fair, turning decidedly colder. Friday fair and decidedly colder.

Barber Shops Closed

—The local barber shops will be closed to-morrow.

At St. Andrew's to-morrow

—Special New Year's service at St. Andrew's AChurch to-morrow at 11 a. m.

Boys Guild

—There will be a meeting of the Boys' Guild of Charlotte street church to-night at 7.30 p.m.

Private School

—Miss D. J. Hall will re-open her private school at 334 Charlotte street on Monday January 4th. 1909 3d1?2

New Year Service

—St John's Church will hold a New Year's service to-morrow morning at 10.30 o'clock. All are welcome.

Musical Festival

—The Salvation Army Band and songsters will give a musical festival in the Barracks to-morrow night.

Adjt. Sheard to Preach.

Adjt. Sheard, of Toronto, will preach at all the services at the Salvation Army Barracks on Sunday next.

Piano Tuning

Piano tuning promptly attended to. Satisfaction guaranteed. A. F. Hoover, 122 McDonel street. 'Phone—Bell 199k. Mach. 199.

An Expositorous Joke

—The Brantford Expositor truthfully remarks, "No wonder Peterborough is a progressive place. Its mayor's name is Bush."

Particular

—If you are particular about the way your clothes look, send them to "My Valet," 204 Charlotte street, and have them cleaned, dyed, repaired an dpressed. All particular people do.

Watch Night Service

—Watch night service will be held to-night at the George Street Methodist Church from 10.45 until 12 o'clok. All are cordially invited to attend.

Hockey Practice

—The Senior Knox Church hockey team will practice on its own rink to-morrow morning from 9 to 10—a practice game with the C. G. E. Mercantile League team.

Large Number of Policies

—Mr. Con. Young, the local district agent for the Standard Life Insurance Company, has written up the second largest number of policies for the year of any agent of his company agent throughout the province of Ontario and the Northwest Territories.

New Year's at All Saints

—Holy Communion will be celebrated at All Saints' church to-morrow (New Year's Day) at 10.30 in the morning. The president of the Women's Guild wishes all members to be present and make this a corporate Communion. This service was announced by mistake in last night's issue, to take place on Sunday.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

THE EXAMINER welcomes all Items of Interest for this column. Phone 324 or send post card with name and address.

Mr. Harry Crossman was in Toronto yesterday on business.

Miss Blanche Graham Lakefield, is the guest of Miss Kelly, Downie st.

Mr. A. E. Byrne, Division Superintendent of the T. C. S., is in the city on business.

Mrs. M Heron, of Ottawa, is visiting her cousin Mr. Robert Nichols, 89 Park street.

Miss Pauline Nealon, of Toronto, is the guest of Mrs. F. F. Garden, 660 George street.

Miss H. H. Kelly of Montreal is spending a few weeks holidays at her home, Downie st.

Mrs. G E Templeman and son, of Montreal, are the guests of Mrs. Geo. W Hall, Simcoe street.

Mrs. E. A. Langfeldt and children are spending a holiday in Orillia with Mrs. Langfeldt's parents.

Mr and Mrs. H. Henderson are spending the winter at the home of Mr. A. W. Crossman, Brock street.

Miss Rose Coulter, Peterborough, Ont., will be the guest of the Misses Clark, Riverdale, for the next few weeks.

Master Floyd McMaster who has been on an extended visit to his friends for a month, is expected home to-night.

Mr. F. J. MacDonnell, of Toronto, has arrived in Peterborough to assume the duties as representative of the International Correspondence Schools.

It is the request of Storey & Simpson that all accounts owing them be paid before Jan. 1st, 1909 1w-3d-127

PETERBOROUGH RACES ARE OFF

Officers Decide to Postpone Their Winter Meet.

The Peterborough Turf Club has decided to postpone its winter meet which was to have been held on Jan. 12 and 13. The local turfmen considered that there might be a disappointment in the attendance of horses as the dates clashed with those chosen by Landsay. It is understood that arrangements are in contemplation for races which will be announced later.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere thanks to the many who extended to me their patronage during Christmas week.

I will do my best to merit a continuance of the same.

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SPECIAL DISPENSATION ALLOWS USE OF MEAT

A special dispensation from Pope Pius has been issued to all Catholic churches permitting the eating of meat to-morrow. Every Friday is a fast day, but owing to the greatness of the feast of New Year's which is one of the Holydays in the church the use of meat has been allowed. This was not know last Sunday and was therefore not announced at St. Peter's Cathedral.

The masses to-morrow will be at 6, 8, 9 and 10 o'clock, the last mass being a high mass.

—The ice at the curling rink was extremely heavy last night owing to the thaw in the morning and only two rinks turned out, they were—Neill, 6; Talbot, 9. Lang, 17; Medd, 9.

THE OLD CIRCUS POSTER.

Pretentious Language With Which the Show Was Described.

The grandiloquent extravagance of language of the old time circus poster is illustrated by this reproduction, which is given verbatim:

"There will be presented a resplendent series of sublime, moral, interesting, instructive, amusing and wonderful scenes which would appear entirely the fabulous if expressed in an advertisement. They must be seen to be duly appreciated. Those great dramas will unfold in all the loveliness and beauty of enchantment, carrying the minds of the bewildered or spellbound spectators off on the gentle wings of the imagination to such pageantry as they might dream of after reading a few pages of 'Arabian Nights' Entertainments.' Words are really wanting to give adequate expression. Webster's unabridged falls most signally in language to fully portray a semblance of the reality. Zoonomy may be learned at this great college in a single evening. Here the visitor will see splendid specimens of the zygodactylous race that live upon the earth or float and poise upon the wings of gold and silver plume in the cerulean arch, and in reference to these the corps of superintendents in exactly dress will elucidate the peculiarities of each with guarded smaviloquence."

THE TWO ROMEOS.

Mrs. Siddons' Opinion of David Garrick and Spranger Barry.

David Garrick and Spranger Barry were both playing Romeo at the same time in London. Barry played it at Drury Lane on the Monday, and Garrick played it the next night at Covent Garden, and the town was divided as to which was the greater Romeo—in fact, there was quite a great excitement about it, and they acted it upon such different lines and with such marvelously different conceptions that the people argued the case as to which Shakespeare intended. The fact is that Shakespeare intended it to be acted well, and if one man's temperament suited it best to act in that way it would do for another temperament the other way.

So they asked Mrs. Siddons, who was the Juliet alternately with the same Romeo, which she considered better of the two, and she said:

"It is difficult to say. They are both wonderfully great, but I will tell you how they impress me in the balcony scene. In the balcony scene Garrick seems so eager, so intense and so full of fire and spirit that I'm afraid he'll jump on in the balcony to me, and Barry is so lovable and fascinating that I'm afraid I shall have to jump down from the balcony to him."

The Relationship.

"You say, madam," said the bespectacled lawyer to the woman in the witness box, "that the defendant is a sort of relation of yours. Will you please explain what you mean by that—just how you are related to the defendant?"

The witness beamed upon the court and replied:

"Well, it's just like this. His first wife's cousin and my second husband's first wife's aunt married brothers named Jones, and they were cousins to my mother's aunt. Then, again, his grandfather on his mother's side and my grandfather on my mother's side were second cousins, and his stepmother married my husband's stepfather after his father and my mother died, and his brother Joe and my husband's brother Harry married twin sisters. I ain't never figgered out just how close related we are, but I've always looked on 'im as a sort of cousin."

"Quite so," answered the lawyer. "Your explanations are perfectly satisfactory."

Forgetful.

An eminent painter was once asked if he thought art students did well to go to Europe to study. He said that undoubtedly the atmosphere was more artistic in Europe than anywhere else, but that Paris as a city to study and work in was overrated.

To illustrate his meaning he said that a certain rich man's son after three years in Paris wrote home to his father:

"Dear Father—I have made up my mind to set to work. Please let me know at your earliest convenience whether it was painting, architecture or music I came to Paris to study."

Humility.

It is a curious fact of human nature that humility draws forth from the world almost as much admiration as courage. As in the case of courage, it is almost impossible wholly to condemn a character in which we see it, and without it the greatest virtues leave us cold. If every good word which the Pharisee said of himself were proved true we should still dislike him. We even dislike his modern and far less offensive descendant, the prig.—London Spectator.

A Straight Tip.

Customer—Quick shave, please. Barber—Close, sir? Customer—See here, what business is it of yours whether I'm close or not? I'll tell you one thing, young man—I don't tip, if that's what you want to know.—Puck.

His Fears Realized.

"My heart is in my mouth. I am afraid to hear you answer."

"You may well be, Mr. Dollboy," retorted Ethel. "I never could marry a man whose heart was not in the right place!"

Garden Reveries.

"My eyes," exclaimed the potato, "but this is poor soil for a garden!"

"That's right," said the onion. "I don't get along worth a scent, and I'm losing strength every day."

"I'm going to leave," said the cabbage. "I'll never be able to get a head here."

"This spot isn't fit for a berrying ground," said the strawberry. "But here comes the sun, and we'll all have to cry up."—Harper's.

Why He Whistled.

Whistling is understood everywhere to signify coldness, confidence, carelessness. These may be virtues in their proper place, but that place is not the society of one's fellow creatures, whether one be acquainted with them or not.

A boy reprimanded, a servant dismissed, goes away whistling if he dares. He wishes to express contempt, and he succeeds at least in chagrining his master generally. A bobbledehoy who commits some breach of the proprieties commonly bursts into a whistle. This is to save his face, meaning no harm. But it signifies "I don't care!" which is just the reverse of the apology needed. At best it shows indifference; at worst, as the direst feel, insult and provocation.

Boswell tells a little story of whistling, illustrating the independent significance. Johnson and he were dining with the Duke of Argyll, who asked a gentleman present to fetch some curiosity from another room. The gentleman brought the wrong article, and the duke sent him back.

The exact position of this gentleman toward his host is undisclosed. However, Boswell says: "He could not refuse, but to avoid any appearance of servility he whistled as he went out of the room. On my mentioning this afterward to Dr. Johnson he said it was a nice trait of character."—Pall Mall Gazette.

Our Own Minstrels.

Tambo—Mistah Walkah, kin yo' tell me de diff'unce 'tween a waif an' an apahtment house?

Interlocutor — I give it up, Jerry. What is the difference between a waif and an apartment house?

Tambo—De one am a homeless kid an' de uddah am a kidless home.

Interlocutor—Ladies and gentlemen, Professor Howlan High Esnah, the renowned tenor, will now sing his great topical song, "I Love Him, Mamma; He Looks Like Fido!"—Chicago Tribune.

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ALEX. ROSE HAS BEEN CAPTURED

Scar Revealed Identity of Jail-Breaker Wanted in Toronto.

IS IN JAIL IN VIRGINIA

Man Who Robbed Houses and Assaulted Girl in Yonge Street Store Is in Custody at Huntingdon, West Virginia, on Charges of Robbery—Detectives Have Left on Extradition Proceedings.

Toronto, Jan. 2.—Identified by the scar left after an operation for appendicitis, Alexander Rose, the most-wanted of the batch of prisoners who broke out of the Toronto jail on the afternoon of July 17 last, is in custody at Huntingdon, West Virginia, under the name of John Mitchell, awaiting trial on several charges of robbery. Inspector Duncan and Detective Tipton left yesterday afternoon to bring him home as soon as possible. Although the police here have not been definitely informed as to what disposition is to be made of the charge at Huntingdon, the crown officers are going on and preparing the papers in the extradition proceedings which are to be launched. His extradition will be asked for upon three charges of robbery with violence, one being the case of Rebel Snitch, who was beaten and assaulted in Wellwood's store on Yonge street. Upon this last charge Rose was awaiting sentence by Judge Winchester when he escaped.

Word of the presence of Rose in the jail at Huntingdon reached Inspector Duncan of the Toronto Detective Department by way of Hamilton. No photograph or Bertillon measurements accompanied the communication, and, although the description fulfilled in important particulars, there was no mention of a scar made by the prisoner's knife. One of the officers offering a reward of $200 for Rose's capture was sent to the Huntingdon police to go through the preparation of the extradition papers.

BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

Earl Grey held his usual New Year's Day reception yesterday. The citizens of the capital attended in large numbers. The papal delegate also held a reception.

The two-cent postage rate between the United States and Germany became operative yesterday.

The United States Atlantic battleship fleet is due at Suez Sunday morning.

Premier Scott of Saskatchewan is ill at the Royal Alexandra Hotel, Winnipeg, having been attacked by a severe cold.

Viaduct For Toronto.

Toronto, Jan. 2.—Toronto is to have a four-track viaduct. An order to this effect has been given by the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada, and a copy of the draft order was received by City Solicitor Chisholm on Thursday morning. He at once notified Mayor Oliver, and the matter was brought before the Board of Control, which was in session a few minutes later. While the city has asked for a six-tracked viaduct, the Railway Commissioners' decision to have the four running tracks elevated was regarded with great favor. The commissioners' decision to order the railway companies to pay two-thirds of the cost of the viaduct was received with gratification. The cost of such a viaduct is estimated at about $2,000,000 with the city's share $500,000 to $750,000.

Asks Extension of Time.

Ottawa, Jan. 2.—The Toronto, Niagara and Western Railway is seeking an extension of time for commencing and completing these railways: Toronto to Niagara Falls; Toronto to Windsor and St. Catharines to Port Colborne, and increasing the bond issue.

The Dominion of Canada Burglary & Plate Glass Insurance Co. make application to Parliament for incorporation.

The Collingwood Southern Railway Co. will apply to Parliament for extension of time in which to construct the Abitibi & Hudson Bay Railway.

The British Columbia Life Assurance Co. is asking for incorporation.

No Smallpox In Paris.

Paris, Ont., Jan. 2—Dr. Logie, medical health officer, emphatically denies the report from St. Thomas that a case of smallpox there originated in a Paris hotel. There has been no smallpox here at all.

LICENSE REDUCTION HAS PASSED

Toronto Temperance Workers Score Signal Victory.

MAYOR OLIVER RE-ELECTED

Last Year's Chief Executive Secures Largest Majority Ever Given in That City—Controller Spence and Ald. Hales Go Down to Defeat—Heavy Vote of Women Electors Rendered Abolition Bylaw.

Toronto, Jan. 2.—The reduction vote to cut off forty liquor licenses passed by a majority of 1,182 yesterday after a historic municipal battle in which a record vote was cast. Mayor Joseph Oliver was re-elected with a majority of over 19,000 votes, the largest ever secured by a mayor in this city.

Controler F. S. Spence, leader of the reduction movement and general of the campaign, was defeated in his candidature for the board of control, and with him goes Ald. James Hales.

MAYOR OLIVER.

his companion in the prohibition work.

The feature of the day was the heavy vote polled by the women, a very large number of whom were canvassed and persuaded to exercise their suffrage by the W.C.T.U. and other workers in behalf of the temperance forces.

The keenest fight after that over the bylaw was for places on the board of control. The poll was headed by G. A. Geary with 19,027 votes. The other three were: Hocken 17,286, Ward 16,782, and Harrison 14,509.

The new aldermen for 1909 are: Ward one, Ghisholm, Hilton, McMillan; ward two, Church, O'Neil, Foster; ward three, Bredin, Bengough, Maguire; ward four, McMurrich, Vaughan, Welch; ward five, Graham, Dunn, Keeler; ward six, McGhie, Graham, Adams.

The referendum on the hospital grant passed by a majority of 4,509, and the Wilton avenue bridge bylaw was defeated.

James Lindala, the Socialist candidate, who ran simply for the purpose of keeping the educational propaganda before the eyes of the electors, polled a vote of 1,500.

Attacked By Wild-Cat.

Winsted, Conn., Jan. 2.—Edward Gillette, a farmer, of Bakerville, was attacked by a large wild-cat, or catamount, which had been caught in a trap set for foxes.

He started to drag the trap and animal to his home, when the catamount got loose and attacked Gillette, jumping at his head. When the animal sprang at him a second time he killed it with an axe. The animal weighed 30 pounds.

Looted Police Station.

New York, Jan. 2.—Burglars yesterday broke into the Criminal Courts building in Centre street and completely looted the police station situated there. When the court squad of about thirty policemen reported for duty yesterday they were astonished to find their lockers ransacked, their revolvers and all other personal effects of value stolen and the entire place in the wildest confusion.

Eight Hundred and Fifty Deaths.

Montreal, Jan. 2.—The morgue returns for the year show that there were 850 violent deaths.

Twenty-three died from foul play, ten Italians were murdered, 29 suicides, 79 drowned in the St. Lawrence, 50 killed in the railways, 25 by street railways, 15 by explosions, 218 sudden deaths, 57 burned and 6 scalded to death.

Rudders For the Sea Giants.

Belfast, Ireland, Jan. 2.—The Darlington Forge Co. of Manchester has secured the contract for the 160-ton stern frame and rudder brackets of the White Star Line's new sea-giants Olympic and Titanic, as well as for the immense rudders, weighing 100 tons each.

These are the heaviest castings ever undertaken anywhere, and mark a long step forward in marine architecture.

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MORE DESTRUCTION IS CAUSED

Tidal Wave Sa... Have Swept Straits of ...

TWO ST... MISSING

Vessels Loaded ... Have Not Arrived ... Wreck Is Feared—Lipa... Are Safe—Death List ... Three Hundred Th... Relief Work Is Pro... Quickly.

Naples, Jan. 2.—It is reported here that another tidal wave has swept through the Straits of Messina. Two steamers loaded with refugees and injured persons, that were expected in here, yesterday have not yet been sighted, and fears are entertained for their safety. It is impossible to verify his report.

Great relief was felt here when the announcement was made that the Lipari Islands, which were reported to have been destroyed, were only partially damaged from the earthquake.

Public opinion is especially concerned with regard to the safety of the King and Queen and their possible danger from aftershocks.

New Year's Day in Italy is usually the occasion of festivities and rejoicing as widespread as on Christmas. But these ceremonies and the festal spirit were wanting yesterday. Instead of rejoicings there is filled with lamentations; the flags wave at half mast and the bells of a thousand churches ring, not the Te Deum, but sad knells for requiem masses.

King Victor Emmanuel has supervised the entire work in the fallen city of Messina and has infused new courage and energy into the rescuers. Often he is surrounded by a crowd of victims, who cheer him enthusiastically and shout: "We have a king; we have a protector."

A large number of soldiers have been landed from steamers arriving at Messina and other stricken places, and all efforts are being directed towards embarking the wounded refugees who are crowding all available places. Some of these will be sent as far as Genoa.

A soothing feature of the material aid offered by all classes of people in Rome is the question of clothing and bedding which is being distributed freely by gifts to collecting residents. Reports from all parts of Italy indicate the same generous spirit. The King has placed the royal palaces at Naples and Caserta at the disposition of the injured.

The estimated number of dead in Messina, Reggio and all the towns of Calabria has now risen to 300,000.

In the list of dead and missing foreigners there are no names of Canadians.

The King and Queen of Italy continue their pious pilgrimage along what was once the beautiful and smiling eastern coast of Sicily, but which yesterday is a sepulchre of the dead, a desolated region still filled with thousands of unfortunates dying in anguish amid the ruins of their homes.

The Government has decided to concentrate its energies to removing the wounded to points where they can receive proper attention. Uninjured survivors also will be assisted from the devastated territory, and it is hoped that in this way serious epidemics can be avoided.

The survivors can be fed on board ship, for each vessel is provided with three days' rations for a full passenger list, and this leeway will give time for decision as to where the unfortunates had best ultimately be landed.

Two Royal Heroines.

This advantage of feeding, however, applies only to the survivors of Reggio and Messina. There are still scores of smaller inland towns and villages where it is impossible to send relief. Wherever it has been possible to get a message through from these localities the cry always has been for bread.

Two noble female figures stand out as guardian Angels watching over the afflicted population. They are Queen Helena and another Helena, the Duchess of Aosta.

The Queen looks far from well. She is exhausted and the terrible scenes she has witnessed have affected her strongly. She weeps frequently, and on more than one occasion she has covered the hands of some unfortunate woman with her tears. The King desired his wife ... to Rome, but this she refused ... she could not sleep from thinking of the miseries of her subjects, by remaining on the spot she feels she can do something to relieve the general misery. She has given also all of her worldly possessions, including the rings from her fingers.

The Duchess of Aosta, who still proudly signs herself a princess of France, is performing miracles of love, pity and endurance at Naples, where the wounded are arriving in great numbers.

Thousands of Helpers Needed.

Trains leaving here for the south are filled almost entirely with newspaper men, relatives of victims, or volunteers on rescue committees. These committees are composed of every nationality of Europe. Some of the volunteers do not speak a word of Italian, but they go forward simply because they have two hands with which to work. All volunteers are thankfully accepted, and there is room for thousands more.

Prof. Alfani of the Florence Observatory, predicts that the seismic activities will continue for three years to come. He recommends the enforcement of restrictive building laws in the earthquake zones of Italy.

Systematic Food Distribution.

Catania, Jan. 2.—A heavy rain continues to fall at Messina, and while it increases the sufferings of the injured and makes more difficult the work of rescue, it is quenching the fires, and having a slightly purifying effect on the air.

The distribution of food has been organized. Bakeries have been opened and slaughter-houses established, and it is hoped that by to-night no one need be without bread.

While it is not yet definitely known whether any Americans were in Messina at the time of the earthquake, it is learned that a party of twenty English-speaking persons, which may have included Americans, made their escape in the direction of Palermo.

Canada to Sicily.

Ottawa, Jan. 2.—At a meeting of the Cabinet Thursday afternoon it was decided that Canada should evince its sympathy for the sufferers in the appalling disaster in Italy and Sicily in the tangible form of a national subscription of $100,000. Parliament will be asked to ratify the Government's action, but no objection is anticipated from any source to this generous and prompt step on the part of the Dominion to help alleviate the terrible disaster which has befallen a sister nation. The money will be forwarded through the British Ambassador at Rome with as little delay as possible.

Mass For 'Quake Victims.

Ottawa, Jan. 2.—On Sunday morning at the Basilica, Italians will attend a requeim mass for the repose of the souls of victims of the earthquake in southern Italy. Among those who will attend will be Mgr. Sbarretti, papal delegate, himself an Italian.

For Italy's Relief.

New York, Jan. 2.—The ... Board of Trade has set out to raise $100,000.

San Francisco has so far contributed $75,720.

Boston has raised nearly $50,000.

Philadelphia has already forwarded $10,000.

Adolphus Busch of St. Louis has given $25,000.

The U. S. Red Cross have collected $110,000, of which $40,000 has been forwarded.

New York has subscribed $150,000, the Stock Exchange giving $21,000 and Italian societies $37,000.

A collection will be taken in the Catholic churches of New York tomorrow.

Mexico has collected a large sum.

Rio Janeiro bankers have given $1,600.

Monsignor Falconio, the apostolic delegate in the U. S., has issued an appeal to the church for contributions for the "vast multitude of sufferers" from the Italian earthquake.

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Half the hall heard him, and the speech was soon passed on to any out of hearing. A sp[illegible] cheer sputtered here and there, but most were silent. Rastatz gasped again, while Sterkoff frowned and scowled villainously. Hollbrandt whispered once more, then stood erect, shrugged his shoulders, bowed and walked back to his pretty friend. He sat down and squeezed her hand in apology. The pair broke into laughter a moment later. Baron von Hollbrandt felt that he, at least, had done his duty.

The three had drunk and drunk. Rastatz was silly, Sterkoff vicious, the giant Mistitch jovially and cruelly reckless, exalted not only by liquor but with the sense of the part he played. Suddenly from behind the glass screen rose a mighty roar:

"Long live Mistitch! Down with tyrants! Long live Captain Hercules!"

It was fuel to the flames. Mistitch drained his glass and hurled it on the floor.

"Well, who follows me?" he cried.

Half the men started [illegible]. The other half [illegible] tending current[illegible] the crowd. To [illegible] gave warning, to another [illegible]. They seemed poised on the point of a great decision. Yet what was it they were deciding? They could not tell.

Markart suddenly forgot his caution. He rushed to Mistitch, with his hands out and "For God's sake!" loud on his lips.

"You!" cried Mistitch. "By heaven, what else does your general want? What else does Matthias Stenovics want? Tell me that!"

Amid a dead silence he went out, his two henchmen after him. He and Sterkoff walked firm and true. Rastatz lurched in his gait. A thousand eyes followed their exit, and from 500 throats went up a long sigh of relief that they were gone. But what had they gone to do? The company decided that it was just as well for them, whether collectively or as individuals, not to know too much about that. Let it be hoped that the cool air outside would have a sobering effect and send them home to bed! Yet from behind the glass screen there soon arose again a busy murmur of voices, like the hum of a beehive threatened with danger.

Outside, big Mistitch had crossed the canal and come to the corner where the Street of the Fountain opens on to St. Michael's square. "What say you to a call at the Hotel de Paris, lads?" he said.

"Hist!" Sterkoff whispered. "Do you hear that step coming up the street there?"

The illuminations burned still in the square and sent a path of light down the narrow street. The three stopped and turned their heads. Sterkoff pointed. Mistitch looked and smacked his ponderous thigh.

Chapter Twelve

WHATEVER Marie Zerkovitch's feelings might be, fate had its hand on her and turned her to its uses. It was she who had directed Sophy's steps to the old house ten doors down the Street of the Fountain from St. Michael's square. It was no more than half a mile from her own villa on the south boulevard, from which the street ran to the square, and she had long known the decent old couple—German Jews—who lived and carried on their trade in the house over whose front hung the sign of the Silver Cock. The face of the building was covered with carved timbers of great age. [illegible] one door of the shop stood far back within a black and ancient porch. Behind the shop were a couple of rooms where Meyerstein and his wife lived; above it, one large room with a window which jutted far out over the narrow street. In this room, which was reached by a separate door in the left side of the porch and a crazy flight of a dozen winding stairs, lived Sophy.

By the window Sophy sat.

By the window she sat on the night of [illegible] name day, in low chair. [illegible]ture of [illegible] carrying a [illegible] specimen of her landlord's [illegible] stock—stood unemployed on the window sill. The room was dark, for the path of light from the illuminations, which made the roadway below white, threw hardly a gleam on to its somber walls, but Sophy had no need of a lamp and every need to save her money. She sat in the gloom, busy in thought, the fresh evening air breathing soft and cool on her brow from the open window.

Suddenly she raised her head. There was a wild, quick volley of cheering. It came from the Golden Lion, whose lights across the square a sideways craning of her neck enabled her to see. Then there was silence for a few minutes. Again the sound broke forth, and with it confused shoutings of a name she could not make out. Yes—what was it? Mistitch—Mistitch! That was her first hearing of the name.

Silence fell again, and she sank back into her chair. The lights, the stir, the revelry, were not for her, nor the cheers nor the shouts. A moment of reaction and lassitude came on her, a moment when the present, the actual, lapped her around with its dim, muddy flood of vulgar necessity and sordid needs. With a sob, she bowed her head to meet her hands—a sob that moaned a famine of life, of light, of love. "Go back to your scullery, Sophy Grouch!" What voice had said that? She sprang to her feet with fists clinched and whispered to the darkness, "No!"

In the street below Mistitch slapped his thigh.

Sophy pushed her hair back from her heated forehead and looked out of the window. To the right, some twenty yards away and just at the end of the street, she saw the figures of three men. In the middle was one who bulked like a young Falstaff—Falstaff with his paunch not grown. He was flanked by two lean fellows who looked small beside him. She could not see the faces plainly since the light from the square was behind them. They seemed to be standing there and looking past the sign of the Silver Cock along the street.

A measured, military footfall sounded on her left. Turning her head, she saw a young man walking, with head bent down and arms behind him. The line of light struck full on him. He was plain to see as by broadest day. He wore a costume strange to her eyes—a black sheepskin cap, a sheepskin tunic, leather breeches and high unpolished boots—a rough, plain dress. Yet a broad red ribbon crossed it, and a star glittered on the breast. The only weapon was a short, curved scimitar. It was the ancient costume of the bailiff of Volseni, the head of that clan of shepherds who pastured their flocks on the uplands. The Prince of Slavna held the venerable office and had been to court in the dress appropriate to it. He had refused to use his carriage, sending his aids-de-camp home in it, and walked now through the streets of the city which he had in charge. It was constantly his habit thus to walk. His friends praised his vigilance; his foes reviled his prowling, spying tricks.

Sophy did not know the dress, but the face she knew. It had been but lately before her dreaming eyes. She had seen it in the flesh that morning from the terrace of the Hotel de Paris.

The three came on from her right, one of the lean men hanging back, lurking a little behind. They were under her window now. The prince was but a few yards away. Suddenly he looked up, with a start—he had become aware of their approach. But before he saw them the three had melted to one. With a shrill cry of consternation—of uneasy courage oozing out—Rastatz turned and fled back to the square, heading at his top speed for the Golden Lion. In the end he was unequal to the encounter. Sterkoff, too, disappeared, but Sophy knew the meaning of that. He had slipped into the shelter of the porch. Her faculties were alert now. She would not forget where Sterkoff was! Mistitch stood alone in the center of the narrow street, his huge frame barely leaving room for a man to pass on either side.

For a moment the prince stood still, looking at the giant. Then he stepped briskly forward, and Sophy heard his clear, incisive tones cut the air:

"What extraordinary emergency has compelled you to disobey my orders, Captain Mistitch?"

"I wanted a breath of fresh air," Mistitch answered in an easy, insolent tone.

The prince looked again. He seemed even more disgusted than angry now. He thought Mistitch drunk—more drunk than in truth he was.

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"And [illegible]

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"vitch!" At least he was being as good as his word—he was acting up to the vaunts he had thrown out so boldly in the great hall of the Golden Lion.

"Tomorrow we shall both be cooler." He was almost up to Mistitch now. "Stand out of my way, sir!"

Mistitch did not budge. "There's room for you to pass by," he said. "I won't hurt you. But the middle of the road belongs to me tonight."

His voice seemed to grow clearer with every word. The critical encounter was sobering him. Yet with sobriety came no diminution of defiance. Doubtless he saw that he was in for the worst now, that forward was the word and retreat impossible. Probably from this moment he did not intend the prince to pass alive. Well, what he intended was the wish of many. He would not lack shelter, friends or partisans if he dared the desperate venture.

For a moment after the big man's taunt the prince stood motionless. Then he drew his scimiter. It looked a poor, weak weapon against the sword which sprang in answer from Mistitch's scabbard.

"A duel between gentlemen," the captain cried.

The prince gave a short laugh. "You shall have no such plea at the court martial," he said. "Gentlemen don't waylay one another in the streets. Stand aside!"

Mistitch laughed, and in an instant the prince sprang at him. Sophy heard the blades meet. Strong as death was the fascination for her eyes—aye, for her ears, too, for she heard the quick moving feet and the quicker breathing of a mortal combat. But she would not look—she tried not even to listen. Her eyes were for a man she could not see, her ears for a man she could not hear. She remembered the lean fellow hidden in the porch, straight under her window. She dared not call to warn the prince of him. A turn of the head, a moment of inattention, would cost either combatant his life. She took the man in the porch for her own adversary, his undoing for her share in the fight.

Very cautiously, making no sound, she took the heavy lamp—the [illegible] bronze figure of the girl—[illegible] it painfully in both her hands and poised it halfway over the window sill. Then she turned her eyes down again to watch the mouth of the porch. Her rat was in that hole! Yet suddenly the prince came into her view. He circled halfway around Mistitch, then sank on one knee. She heard him guard the captain's lunges with lightning quick movements of his nimble scimiter. He was trying the old trick they had practiced for hundreds of years at Volseni—to follow his parry with an upward ripping stroke under the adversary's sword, to strike the inner side of his forearm and cut the tendons of the wrist. This trick big Captain Mistitch, a man of the plains, did not know.

A jangle—a slither—a bellow of pain, of rage! The prince had made his stroke; the hill man of Volseni were justified of their pupil. Mistitch's big sword clattered on the flags. Facing his enemy, with his back to the porch, the prince crouched motionless on his knee, but it was death to Mistitch to try to reach the sword with his unmaimed hand.

The prince saw a bronze figure at his feet.

It was Sophy's minute. The message that had come ran fierce through all her veins. Straining to the weight, she raised the figure in her hands and leaned out of the window. Yes, a lean hand, with a long knife, a narrow head, a spare, long back, crept out of the darkness of the porch—crept silently. The body drew itself together for a fatal spring on the unconscious prince for a fatal thrust. It would be death—and to Mistitch salvation torn from the jaws of ruin.

"Surrender yourself, Captain Mistitch," said the prince.

Mistitch's eyes went by his conqueror and saw a shadow on the path beside the porch.

"I surrender, sir," he said.

"Then walk before me to the barracks." Mistitch did not turn. "At once, sir!"

"Now!" Mistitch roared.

The crouching figure sprang and with a hideous cry, fell stricken on the flags. Just below the neck, full on the spine, had crashed the virgin with the lamp. Sterkoff lay very still save that his fingers scratched the flags. Turning, the prince saw a bronze figure at his feet—a bronze figure holding a broken lamp. Looking up, he saw dimly a woman's white face at a window.

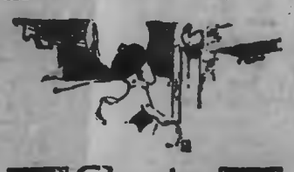
Then the street was on a sudden full of men. Rastatz had burst into the Golden Lion, all undone—nerves, courage, almost senses gone. He could stammer no more than, "They'll fight!" and could not say who. But he had gone out with Mistitch—and whom had they gone to meet?

A dozen officers were around him in an instant, crying: "Where? Where?" He broke into frightened sobs, hiding his face in his hands. It was Max von Hollbrandt who made him speak. Forgetting his pretty friend, he sprang in among the officers, caught Rastatz by the throat and put a revolver to his head. "Where? In ten seconds, where?" Terror beat terror. "The Street of the Fountain—by the Silver Cock!" the cur stammered and fell to his blubbering again.

The dozen officers and more were across the square almost before he had finished. Max von Hollbrandt, with half the now lessened company in the inn, was hot on their heels.

For that night all was at an end. Sterkoff was picked up unconscious now, [illegible] but never cringing. Mistitch was marched off to the guardroom and the surgeon's ministrations. Every soldier was ordered to quarters, the townsfolk slunk off to their homes. The street grew empty, the glare of the illuminations was quenched. But of all this Sophy saw nothing. She had sunk down in her chair by the window and lay there, save for her tumultuous breathing, still as death.

The commandant had no fear and would have his way. He stood alone now in the street, looking from the dark splash of Mistitch's blood to the virgin with her broken lamp and up to the window of the Silver Cock, whence had come salvation.



Chapter Thirteen

THE last of the transparencies died out. The dim and infrequent oil lamps alone lit up the Street of the Fountain and St. Michael's square. They reveled still down at the Hotel de Paris, whither Max von Hollbrandt and a dozen others had hurried with the news of the evening's great event. But here, on the borders of the old north quarter, all grew still—the Golden Lion empty, the townsmen to their beds, the soldiers to barracks, full of talk and fears and threats. Yet a light still burned in the round room in the keep of Suleiman's tower, and the commandant's servant still expected his royal master. Peter Vassip, a sturdy son of Volseni, had no apprehensions, but he was very sleepy, and he and the sentries were the only men awake. "One might as well be a soldier at once!" he grumbled, for the men of the hills did not esteem the regular army so high as it rated itself.

The commandant lingered in the Street of the Fountain. Sergius Stefanovitch was half a Bourbon, but it was the intellectual half. He had the strong, concentrated, rather narrow mind of a Bourbon of before the family [illegible]dence. On it his training at Vi[illegible] grafted a military pre[illegible]s a pedantry, and no little [illegible] of what [illegible]led liberty [illegible]ns called [illegible]rights. Wha[illegible]nts had a man against his country? His country was in his king, and to the king the army was his supreme instrument. So ran his public creed, his statesman's instinct. But beside the Bourbon mother was the Kravonian father, and behind him the long line of mingled and vacillating fortunes which drew descent from Stefan, lord of Praslok, and famous reiver of lowland herds. In that stock the temperament was different—indolent to excess sometimes, ardent to madness at others, moderate seldom.

And for any young man the fight in the fantastically illuminated night, the virgin with the broken lamp, a near touch of the scythe of death and a girl's white face at the window? Behind the commandant's stern wrath—nay, beside, and soon before it, for the moment dazzling his angry eyes—came the bright gleams of romance.

He knew who lodged at the sign of the Silver Cock. Marie Zerkovitch was his friend, Zerkovitch his zealous follower. The journalist was back now from the battlefields of France and was writing articles for the Patriot, the leading paper of Slavna. He was deep in the prince's confidence, and his little house on the south boulevard often received this distinguished guest. The prince had been keen to hear from Zerkovitch of the battles, from Marie of the life in Paris. With Marie's tale came the name and what she knew of the story of Sophie de Gruche. Yet always, in spite of her praises of her friend, Marie had avoided any opportunity of presenting her to the prince. Excuse on excuse she made, for his curiosity ranged around Casimir de Savres' bereaved lover. "Oh, I shall meet her some day, all the same," he had said, laughing, and Marie doubted whether her reluctance—a reluctance to herself strange—had not missed its mark, inflaming an interest which it had meant to balk. Why this strange reluctance? So far it was proved baseless. His first encounter with the lady of the red star—Casimir's poetical sobriquet had passed Marie's lips—had been supremely fortunate.

From the splash of blood to the broken virgin, from the broken virgin to the open window and the dark room behind, his restless glances sped. Then came swift, impulsive decision. He caught up the bronze figure and entered the porch. He knew Meyerstein's shop and that from it no staircase led to the upper floor. The other door was his mark, and he knocked on it, raising first with a cautious touch, then more resolutely, the old brass hand with hospitably beckoning finger which served for knocker. Then he listened for a footstep [illegible] the stairs. If she came not, the venturesome night went ungraced by its crowning adventure. He must kiss the hand that saved him before he slept.

Raising the old brass hand which served for knocker.

The door opened softly. In the deep shadow of the porch, on the winding, windowless staircase of the old house, it was pitch dark. He felt a hand put in his and heard a low voice saying, "Come, monseigneur." From first to last, both in speech and in writing, she called him by that title and by none other. Without a word he followed her, picking his steps, till they reached her room. She led him to the chair by the window. The darkness was somewhat less dense there. He stood by the chair.

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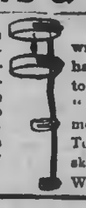

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"In the corral they are still more foolish. If a storm comes up they all move 'down wind' until stopped by the fence. Then commences the proceeding so much dreaded by sheepmen known as 'piling.' The sheep will climb over each other's backs until they are heaped up ten feet high. Of course all those at the bottom are smothered. Not one has sense enough to seek shelter under the lee of the fence, as a horse or dog would do.

"Again, if a sheep gets into a quicksand its fate teaches nothing to those that come immediately after, but the whole flock will follow its leader to destruction. No more exasperatingly stupid animal than a sheep walks."

A CHINESE STORY.

The Noted Liar Who Had a Fairly Competent Spouse.

A noted liar once told a friend that he had at home three precious things—a bullock which could run 500 miles a day, a fowl which crowed at the beginning of each watch, day and night, and a dog that could read books. The friend intimated that he would lose no time in seeing these marvels with his own eyes. The man did not expect this, as his house was somewhat distant, so he went home and told his wife that he had got caught at last and that tomorrow the man would arrive and he would be disgraced.

"Never mind," said the spouse. "Leave that to me. It will be all right, only you must keep out of sight."

Next morning the visitor arrived and, being met by the mistress, asked where her husband was.

"He has gone to Pekin," she replied

"When will he be back?"

"In eight or nine days."

"Why, how can he be so quick?"

"He has gone off on our fast bullock and so can do it easily."

"I hear you have also a wonderful fowl," said the visitor. And, behold, as he was speaking a small cock crew.

"That's it," said the wife. "He crows at the beginning of each watch and also when a visitor arrives."

"I would also like to see the learned dog," he said.

"Ah," said she, "I am sorry; but, you see, we are very poor, and so he keeps a school in the city."—Scrap Book.

Primate of England.

Dr. Maclagan, who has resigned the exalted office of Archbishop of York owing to failing health, began his career in the Indian army, sold out after five years of military service, and entered the Church. The stipend which he draws is £10,000 a year—and he was the first Archbishop who earned his salary by visiting every parish in his immense diocese, the self-imposed task taking three years of incessant traveling. The following story has often been told by the Archbishop against himself. On one occasion he wrote to the vicar in an outlying village suggesting that he should lead his church for the purpose of giving the clergy of the district a "quiet day" for meditation and fraternal reunion. The witty vicar of this sleepy hamlet in the Wolds promptly replied: "My Dear Lord Archbishop,—Your very kind letter to hand. But what the people in this village want most in their spiritual life is not a 'quiet day' but an earthquake." Riding is, or was, a favorite diversion of Archbishop Maclagan, and in addition to this he was a good whip, and frequently drove a pair; while another recreation in which he indulged in the winter was curling on the ice. He has also a great love of birds and animals.

Tee-tee-total.

About September, 1833, Dicky Turner, the converted weaver, when delivering one of his fervid speeches in the Temperance Hotel, Preston, the cockpit where the Earls of Derby formerly fought their cocks for three centuries, in favor of the new pledge, declared with emphasis that "nothing but the tee-tee-total pledge would do." Mr. Joseph Livesey upon hearing this immediately cried out amid great cheering, "That shall be the name." The newly-coined word was taken up by the succeeding speakers and was afterward used at all the meetings held in the town and neighborhood. It was soon adopted in every part of Lancashire and was eventually accepted as the true designation of total abstainers not only in the United Kingdom, but throughout the civilized world.—London Mail.

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Get a 50-cent case from your druggist now—you ought to have Diapepsin about the house always. Should one of your family eat something which does not agree with him or her, or for a Sour Stomach or Excessive Gas, one triangule will always give immediate relief.

Not Introspective.

The minister of a large parish in a certain western diocese had for some time been much troubled by the scandalous gossip that seemed to be occupying the minds of a portion of his flock and after exercising a great amount of tact and perseverance at last succeeded in running to earth the originator of most of the settlement's society slander. The guilty one was a regular attendant at the schoolhouse services, and the minister knew that should he take him to task personally and individually he would inevitably lose a sheep, albeit a black one, so he decided to sermonize him. Accordingly a special discourse was prepared and the following Sunday afternoon literally hurled at the offending member as he sat on a desk in a corner of the schoolroom. Everybody present appeared to fully appreciate the situation and at the close of the service departed quietly and somewhat thoughtfully for home—all except the black sheep, who lingered to assist "parson" to hitch up his team and to remark: "That were a fine sermon, sir. I'll bet that hit some on 'em pretty hard!"—Bellman.

The Japanese Cook.

The Japanese are a most imitative and observant people and copy everything they see with minute fidelity. A Newport man engaged a Japanese valet, who was very attentive and satisfactory. His duties rarely took him into the kitchen, but when he had a chance of watching the cook he did so with extraordinary interest.

The cook caught a severe chill and left somewhat suddenly. The lady of the house was in despair, as she could not replace her. At last the valet announced diffidently that he thought he could cook a little, and the mistress gladly agreed to give him a trial. The first thing he started on was the potatoes. He took off his shoes and socks and put his feet in a bath of hot mustard and water. The lady wanted to know what on earth he was doing. He replied that he saw the cook do that when she was peeling the potatoes and nothing would persuade him it was not a necessary part of [illegible].—New York Times.

Some Big Nuggets.

Poseidon, the newest Australian goldfield, is producing some remarkable nuggets. One, shaped exactly like a cricket ball, was recently found there lying on the surface, the finder at first mistaking it for mushroom. And now, from the same place, comes news of a nugget of 10 ounces closely resembling a nautilus shell. This was found by an Irishman, and on the adjoining claim a Scotchman, named Mackenzie, almost simultaneously impaled a 38 ounces nugget on the point of his pick. Furthermore, a boy driving a baker's cart over the Poseidon field saw the gleam of gold in the grass. He got down and picked up a nice little nugget of four ounces.

Lots of Work in West.

Rev. J. A. Bowman, Presbyterian representative at the immigration office, returned recently to the eastern provinces from a trip west as far as Estevan. Mr. Bowman went out for the purpose of locating married couples who have recently immigrated to Canada for the winter, and was successful in placing all those he desired. The farmers in the west have nearly all had a properous season, and were prepared to employ more help this winter than usual, so it is likely employment will be found for all desiring it.

A Valuable Cargo.

News from Clayoquet, B.C., records the arrival of the sealing schooner Thomas F. Dayard, the top liner of the sealing fleet, with a catch of 923 sea otter and 606 seal skins, valued at over $30,000. She lost two of her crew in northern waters, they being swept overboard by a sea shipped when the schooner was bound to Behring Sea.

A FAMOUS REGIMENT.

The Early History of the Black Watch —Guard to Watch on the Braes.

By far the most famous of the Highland regiments is the 42nd, otherwise known as the Black Watch. The date of its origin, says a writer in Blackwood's, is uncertain. The author of "A Short History of the Black Watch," recently published, a history in which the achievements of the Royal Highlanders are set forth with a modest and business-like simplicity, declares that the regiment came into being at least as early as 1725. Mr. Andw. Ross, in the "Military History of Perthshire," gives it a far earlier birth. He dates its "historic succession" from the 3rd of August, 1667, when Charles II., issued a commission under the Great Seal to John, second Earl of Atholl, to raise and keep such a number of men as he should think fit "to be a constant guard for securing the peace in the Highlands," and "to watch on the braes."

The chief duties of these men were to suppress the drivers of cowachs, "thieves and broken men" as they were called, and to bring to justice blackmailers and blackmailed, doubtless on the sound principle that the pigeon is not much better than the rook. That they performed these duties efficiently is certain, and they may have been drawn from the same classes from which the Highland regiments were presently recruited. But their duties were not the duties of soldiers, and though a "historic succession" of a kind may be continuous, it is not easy to connect the six companies of Highlanders raised in 1725 with the bodies of men who 50 years earlier watched on the braes. Those six companies, whose sombre tartans, a stern contrast to the red coats of the regular troops, gave them the name of the Black Watch, were enrolled for the plain purpose of guarding the highlands against disaffection. Though the officers were Whigs, the gentry of Perthshire and the neighboring counties eagerly enrolled themselves, glad that they were permitted once more to bear arms. Many of the privates were gentleman-soldiers, who, to the surprise of the English "had gillies or servants to attend them in quarters, and on a march to carry their provisions, baggage, and firelocks."

AEROPLANES FOR ALL.

English Enthusiast Says They Will Cost $500 Each In Ten Years.

"In less than ten years aeroplanes will cost no more than $500," is the prediction made by Frank Hedges Butler, the well-known English balloonist, who recently returned to London from Le Mans, France, where he made an ascent in Wilbur Wright's aeroplane. Mr. Butler thus continues his glimpse into the future:

"Lighthouses on land will be erected by the trinity board. To mark the way at night lamps on aeroplanes or fliers will be used. With the smaller planes the speed will be terrific, 200 miles an hour, and the twenty-one miles across the channel will mean a few minutes. Winds at sea blow more steadily than on land, and aeroplanes can be made to float on the water and raise themselves. If such machines now can carry what is equal to three passengers there is no reason why an aeroplane should not carry more with larger planes and engines.

"The north pole, the tropical forcats of central Africa, Australia and the Sahara desert will be new fields for the explorer to glide over."

Looking Over Wheat Areas.

A prominent visitor to Canada a short time ago was ex-Provost Marshall of Maybole, Ayrshire, Scotland, who has been in the Dominion on a trip round the world. Mr. Marshall is head of the large implement firm of Alexander Jack & Sons (Limited), and is one of Scotland's best known men. He has always taken a very great interest in farming, and is ready to do all in his power to make the work easier for the farmer by producing new machinery and implements. Mr. Marshall will visit Australia, New Zealand, India, and Europe before returning to Scotland.

Students Who Collect Souvenirs.

"That the souvenir habit has taken a strong hold in university circles is witnessed by the following set of facts," says the students' paper of Toronto University, editorially. "Since the beginning of the fall term the dining-hall has so far lost twenty-four dinner knives, twenty-three small forks and four teaspoons."

Last G.T.P. Survey.

The locating of the main line of the Grand Trunk Pacific between Edmonton and Prince Rupert has been completed. It has occupied nearly two years. Survey parties are employed in the vicinity of Fort George in central British Columbia forming the last of the big force in the field.

Earl's House as Cafe.

Dollis Hill House, Willesden, England, formerly the residence of the Earl of Aberdeen, has been acquired by the Willesden District Council for a refreshment house for the adjoining park. It was at Dollis Hill House that Mr. Gladstone stayed almost every week-end during the sitting of Parliament.

Period Pianos.

That the aesthetic sense of our people is undergoing rapid development, is shown by the demand for what are known as Period pianos. That is to say, if "My Lady" has the decorations of her drawing room done in the style of Louis XIV., XV., XVI., or in the days of the Empire, then she has a piano made to correspond. Or if she is a lover of the Antique, then she has a Chippendale or Sheraton piano to match the chairs, etc. "Dens," club rooms and bachelors' apartments, furnished with Mission furniture, likewise have Mission Pianos. The New Scale Williams Pianos are made in these Art Cases. The Williams Piano Company will submit designs and estimates free of charge to those who wish special Period Pianos not carried in stock. The reputation enjoyed by the famous New Scale Williams is a guarantee in itself that Period Pianos, made to order, will be eminently satisfactory. Many styles here. 6

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True Detective Stories

THE MAN WITH A LION'S HEART.

BY A. L. DRUMMOND,
Formerly Chief U. S. Secret Service.

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A BIG, square jawed, keen eyed man entered the office of Elmer Washburne, chief of the United States Secret Service, in Washington late in the year 1874 and introduced himself as George Albert Mason. He declined to tell his business to anybody but the chief, and said he would speak to Mr. Washburne only behind closed doors. He was shown into an inner office.

"Chief," said he, "what would you give to get hold of Peter McCartney?"

Mr. Washburne smiled. Peter McCartney was perhaps the most wanted man of his kind in America. A few years later a Missouri sheriff might as well have been asked what he would give to get hold of Jesse James. McCartney, sought as he was on every hand, was not only hard to catch, but when trapped he had a habit of refusing to stay caught. So expert a jail breaker was he that, out of sheer humor, he once stood behind the bars in a St. Louis prison and told a chief of the Secret Service that he would call upon him at his hotel at ten o'clock that night. More than that, he kept the engagement, to the great astonishment of the chief.

"I would pay a good big reward to get Peter McCartney," replied Mr. Washburne. "But I would want to see my man first and be sure there was no mistake. Why? Can you get him?"

"Yes, I can. Appoint me a special officer and give me a man to help me and I will bring McCartney in."

The appointment was made and an operative named Duckworth was sent out with Mason to make the arrest, which was to take place in St. Louis.

Now, a word or two about McCartney. If ever there was a jack-of-all-trades in crime he was one—and he was master of all. He was a wonderfully expert counterfeiter. He had just put out an imitation of a $5 note issued by the Traders' National Bank of Chicago that baffled everybody but experts. Nor did he, like so many counterfeiters, know only part of his trade. He was a fine chemist, a good engraver of plates and a good printer.

When business became bad in the counterfeiting line Pete could turn a hand to burglary and do a job of safe blowing or house breaking in a manner that stamped him no amateur. Once he set up shop as a dentist, but at this he failed. The only peaceful pursuit at which he was ever known to prosper was as a public lecturer. There may be still living in the West some persons who will recall a shaggy bearded speaker who gave minute directions with regard to how to detect counterfeit money. Pete was the man, though on such occasions he never went under the name of McCartney. At the conclusion of each lecture it was his custom to go about town and pass counterfeit right and left. Why he did these things, unless from a spirit of dare-devilry and humor, I have never been able to figure out. All I know is that he did them. It is true that in this way he distributed a good deal of counterfeit money, but that is no explanation. There are safer and better ways of putting bad bills into circulation.

It was to trap this man that Mason and Duckworth set out from Washington on the long journey to St. Louis. Mason knew McCartney and believed he had his confidence. The plan was for Mason to discover the room in which McCartney did his work, lead Duckworth to it and make the arrest.

Several days after the pair reached St. Louis Mason reported to Duckworth that he had obtained the desired information and everything was ready to make the capture. Shortly after nightfall they set out. On the way Mason suggested that they stop in a saloon that McCartney was known to frequent. Having entered the place, Mason made an excuse to go into a back room. After waiting for him a little while Duckworth went to look him up. Mason was nowhere to be found. The door through which he passed led to a back yard that opened into an alley.

Duckworth went back to the local headquarters of the Secret Service and reported what he regarded as Mason's breach of faith. While he was talking a report came from Police Headquarters that three men, one of whom claimed to be a Secret Service official, were in a hospital, badly slashed up. Duckworth hastened to the hospital and found Mason on an operating table. Surgeons were trying to sew up a gash across his abdomen that extended almost from one side to the other.

The other two patients were Peter McCartney and a well known counterfeiter named Joe Rogers. They had been clubbed and cut until they were weak from their wounds, but the condition of neither was as serious as that of Mason.

When the trio had revived enough to talk they told their stories. McCartney declared that Mason tried to extort money from him by threatening to arrest him. He said he had a large amount of currency in his possession—which was true—and that Mason, claiming to be a Secret Service official, said he would arrest him if he did not give it up. McCartney said he did not purpose to be blackmailed and therefore drew his knife and used it. Rogers corroborated McCartney's story.

Mason told a simple story of cornered criminals who tried to murder him when he descended upon them, and he turned over $5,000 in counterfeit money that he found in their room.

There was nothing to be gained by taking the word of McCartney and Rogers, as against that of Mason, so his story was accepted as true. And, as the hospital physicians reported that McCartney and Rogers would be flat on their backs for some time, Duckworth was ordered back to Washington. He had not been home more than ten days, however, before news was received from St. Louis that McCartney and Rogers had escaped from the hospital. Mason recovered and was given $1,000 for bringing about McCartney's arrest. He gave a plausible explanation of his disappearance from the saloon the night he left Duckworth, and, of course, the fact that McCartney escaped from the hospital was not to be charged up against him.

That seemed to end the case, but it didn't. The next spring a former chief of the Secret Service reported that he could obtain a set of rolls used to make counterfeit plates provided he were given a considerable sum of money to buy them from an informer who knew where to put his hands upon them. For reasons that it is not necessary to enlarge upon here I was ordered to shadow him. I did so, and quite by accident saw a transaction that convinced Chief Washburne that the former chief was not acting honestly.

The suspected man was brought before the chief, flatly accused of trying to sell rolls that he himself had captured when he was a government official years before, and told that it was idle to try to deny the charge.

"The question now is," said the chief, "what are you willing to do to buy your liberty? What criminal do you know that you can squeal on?"

"Well," he said, "I know George Albert Mason. He has been handling some of those counterfeit Chicago fives. He will be in New York next week. If you have a man who knows Mason and whom Mason doesn't know I can show him how to make the arrest."

Mr. Washburne had heard other things about Mason since the occurrence of the stabbing affray in St. Louis and was eager to capture him. So I was ordered to accompany the former chief to New York, and David H. Crowley and William W. Kennoch were instructed to accompany me. We found the former chief living at the Park Hotel, on lower Broadway—now the Broadway Central. He had a room on the third floor and we took one on the second. Mason upon his arrival in the city was to call at the former chief's room, and we were to capture him.

When the day came to make the catch Chief Washburne came up from Washington and with the rest of us went to the room in the Park Hotel. As I was not known to Mason, I wandered around the corridors, occasionally going down to the office, waiting for him to appear. A little after noon he came to the front door, walked up the stairs and went to the former chief's room. I went to our room and told the chief and the two others of his arrival. Mason remained in the room perhaps ten minutes. When he went down stairs I followed him, with the other three a few steps behind.

After reaching the ground floor Mason started to go down stairs to the barber shop. He had descended perhaps three steps when I reached over the bannister, grabbed him by the right arm and threw my weight on him. With his left hand he tried to reach a revolver that was in his right hand coat pocket, but before he could do so Chief Washburne had his own revolver in Mason's face and the other two detectives were swinging on his left arm.

"Surrender or I'll blow your head off!" shouted the chief, as he pressed the muzzle of his gun a little closer to Mason's face.

"You'll not blow anything off! Get out of here!" shouted Mason.

The chief did not shoot nor did he get out, and the fight went on. Mason was a powerful man and it was all the four of us could do to overpower him and put the handcuffs on him. All the while we were fighting he was hurling at us a volume of profanity the like of which I have never heard from that day to this. Nothing that he could lay his tongue to seemed bad enough to call us.

As soon as we had the handcuffs on him we began to search him. One of the first things we found was an envelope. On one side was an address, but before we could read it Mason, manacled as he was, grabbed the piece of paper and bit out that part which bore a name. We had to choke him until he was black in the face before he would give it up.

The half chewed paper bore the name and New York address of Kitty Wells. Kitty is dead now and the present generation does not know her even by reputation so it may be of interest to give some facts pertaining to her.

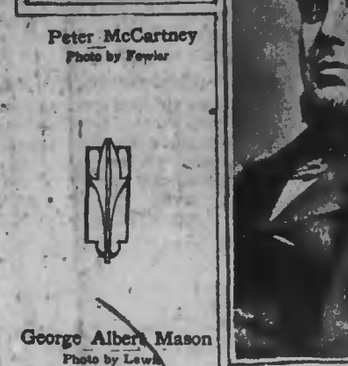
Kitty Wells was originally a London barmaid. Charles Bullard, a noted bank burglar, took a fancy to her and married her. She obtained a divorce and was next heard of when she startled the world by marrying Juan Terry, the Cuban sugar king. Terry saw her in London, fell a quick victim to her wiles and led her to the altar. About a year later he died, leaving in his will $5,000,000 to their child, born after his death, and $1,000,000 to her. She died in 1894.

It was after Kitty's divorce from Bullard and prior to her marriage to Terry that we found an envelope bearing her name and New York address in George Albert Mason's pocket. We went to her house and asked what it meant.

"You insult me," she replied, "by asking such a question."

"We are not here to insult you," I said, "but to find out what you know about George Albert Mason."

Peter McCartney
Photo by Fowler



George Albert Mason
Photo by Lewis

"YOU'LL NOT BLOW ANYTHING OFF! GET OUT OF HERE!"

Mrs. Kate Wells,
Alias Mrs. Charles Bullard,
Alias Mrs. Juan Terry
Photo by Hanney

"I know he is a fine gentleman," said she, "if that will help you any."

"Do you know that he is wanted in Rochester on a charge of counterfeiting?" I asked—which was true.

"I know nothing of the kind," she replied. "So far as I know he is a gentleman. How he makes a living is a question concerning which I have never inquired."

It was evident that if Kitty knew anything to the discredit of Mason she was not ready to tell it, so we took her to the Bleecker street office of the Secret Service, not as a prisoner, but as a witness, and then went back to search her rooms. In her bedroom was an old fashioned wooden bed with posts perhaps four inches square at the bottom and no castors. Under one of the bedposts was found $2,000 in big counterfeit bills.

Kitty was told of the discovery and asked for an explanation. She said she knew the money was there, but denied all knowledge of its spurious nature. She said Mason had given it to her to keep for him and she supposed it was genuine money. She adhered rigidly to this story, and after a week she was released.

About this time I received orders from Washington to go to Toronto and look up Mason's record in Canada. I found an amazing array of facts. First of all I learned that Mason was one of the men who forced an entrance into Secretary Seward's house the night President Lincoln was assassinated and tried to murder the Secretary of State. I don't know whether Chief Washburne knew this before I went to Canada, but I didn't, and he never told me. A man named Payne was the one who actually did the stabbing in the Seward house, but Mason was with him and for his part in the affair was sentenced to death. President Johnson commuted his sentence to twenty years' imprisonment, and, after serving a few years in the penitentiary at Columbus, Ohio, President Grant pardoned him.

I learned that prior to the assassination of President Lincoln Mason was one of the conspirators who, from their hiding place in Canada, plotted not only the assassination of the chief officers of the federal government but the burning of New York and other Northern cities.

Throughout all of these criminal proceedings Mason appeared purely as a mercenary. Born in England and reared in Canada, he had neither interest in the South nor a share in the animosity of any of its mistaken citizens. He was simply willing to kill Seward or burn New York for a financial consideration.

I also learned in Toronto that Mason had been arrested in the Dominion of Canada fifty-two times and convicted forty-eight times. His offences included almost all of the misdemeanors and minor crimes, as well as some of a serious nature. He had fought, stolen, assaulted with intent to kill, robbed in the highway, rifled houses by forcing an entrance at night and forged a few pieces of paper. Since his release from the Ohio Penitentiary he had spent most of the time in jail.

Mason was brought to trial before Commissioner Shields in New York city on a charge of having passed counterfeit money on Albert Ensor, of Rochester. He was quickly convicted, and when he was asked if he had anything to say why the sentence of the court should not be passed upon him replied by calling the Commissioner all the vile names that came to his mind. He was sentenced to serve twelve years in the penitentiary at Albany.

His life in prison surpassed anything of the kind of which I have ever read. Almost the first thing he did was to knock down all the guards within reach. A huge man, with broad, powerful shoulders, even the other prisoners suffered at his hands, and he was chained hand and foot to the stone floor of a dark cell, like an ugly animal. He had suffered this punishment for a week when the Warden, a kindly old man, ordered that he be unchained and brought upstairs to his office.

The shackles were taken from Mason's arms and legs. So stiff were his joints that he could hardly walk, but with difficulty he hobbled to the room in which sat the Warden.

"Mason, you have had a pretty hard time," began the kindly official. "Aren't you ready to behave like a man and receive the treatment that men get?"

Mason spit in the Warden's face without saying a word. He was taken back to the dark cell and chained to the floor.

A month passed by and again the Warden sent for him. Asked if he was not ready to be good Mason cursed the Warden to the extent of his vocabulary and swore that if he were let loose he would kill everybody about the place.

To make a long story short, Mason spent the entire twelve years in Albany Prison, chained to the floor. He was given a mattress to lie on, and a number of times was asked if he was not ready to obey the rules and come up into the daylight. But he refused to surrender and left the dark cell permanently only at the expiration of his term.

When he was released from prison the first thing he did was to visit me at my office in the Post Office building.

"Do you remember me?" he asked.

"Yes," said I, "you are George Albert Mason. What do you want?"

"I want to know where Washburne is. I haven't anything against you, but I am going to kill Washburne the first time I see him."

Mr. Washburne at that time had the contract for building a large reservoir in Westchester county, New York, but I told Mason I thought his old enemy was dead.

"Well," he replied, "if he isn't dead I'll kill him."

Without saying another word Mason left the office and I never heard of him again. He never molested Mr. Washburne, who is still alive.

I always thought Peter McCartney sized Miles up about right. Old Pete, who as the years crept over him came to look more and more like a German professor or a Russian admiral, finally fell into the hands of the police and served a term in prison. While in jail he heard how the man who betrayed him in St. Louis had chosen to remain chained to the floor of a dark cell rather than to promise to be good and remain in the daylight.

"That's just like Mason," said he. "He's got the courage of a lion, but the judgment of a jackass. He doesn't know enough to eat good food."

(THE NEXT STORY IN THIS SERIES WILL APPEAR NEXT SUNDAY.)

THE WEAR OF RAILROAD IRON.

MORE than one hundred thousand tons of steel is actually worn away from the surface of rails in the United States yearly. The tonnage of rails discarded as "worn out" every year is about one million, and at least ten per cent of the metal has disappeared in each case, while there has also been a change in the shape of the head, due to displacement of the steel by "flow." This loss is due to the rolling friction of the wheel on the rail. As to the wheels themselves, these lose from 17,000 to 18,000 tons of metal annually, of which the great bulk is rubbed off by the friction of the brake. The old cast iron wheels are being rapidly replaced by steel, and this will doubtless affect the wear on both wheel and rail, although the result is somewhat uncertain. It may be expected that the loss from steel wheels will be greater than that from the harder, though more brittle, cast iron. In spite of this loss, however, they may last longer, as the steel wheels will bear more wear than the iron ones before becoming unfit for use. Tests made by one of the largest railroads in the country indicate that the "life" of a steel wheel is likely to be three times as long as that of an iron one. The importance of a careful study of the conditions of wear appears from the fact that the thousands of tons of valuable metal thus dissipated by wear are not recoverable, and might as well be annihilated so far as their future use to the world is concerned.

"Ask Your Father"

Jack and Janet Go to a Restaurant for Luncheon.

BY TUDOR JENKS.

"NOW," asked Mrs. Townsend, when they were settled in their places at the restaurant table, "what shall I order for luncheon?"

"Let me see the bill of fare," Janet said, reaching for it.

"In a minute," Jack answered. "I just want to see what kinds of soup there are."

"I don't want soup," said Janet.

"Neither do I," her mother added.

"But I'd like some," Jack insisted. "Now, here's some of the mulligatawny. What's that like?"

"If you take soup we'll have to sit doing nothing while you eat yours," Janet objected. "And, besides, one portion is more than you can eat, and it will be wasted."

"It won't save it to eat it, any more than to leave it after it is paid for," was Jack's answer.

"You don't have soup usually at home," his mother remarked.

"That's why I want it. What's the use of going to a restaurant if you just eat what you get at home?"

"You're not here for amusement, but to get some food," Janet observed.

"All right," Jack agreed; "then you can just eat oatmeal with bread and butter. That'll be cheap and filling."

Janet began to look cross.

"Here," Mrs. Townsend said, "let me take the bill of fare. I will order the luncheon." After a moment, she looked up. "Suppose, Janet, you and I have some tea and fancy cakes, and for Jack, I will order—some baked chicken pie."

"I don't like chicken pie. I'd rather have mock-turtle soup and chicken salad and ice cream."

"That's too much," his mother replied, "and it's too expensive."

"Well, then," Jack grumbled, "if I can't have what I want I won't take anything."

"That's just like you!" Janet exclaimed. "You just go and spoil everything!"

"Well," Jack muttered, "I'm not going to guzzle tea and crumble dried up cake. I'd sooner take chewing gum!"

Mrs. Townsend put down the bill of fare in despair. "I do wish you wouldn't be so troublesome! I'm sure I can't suit you all without ordering a lot of things we don't want. And it is wasting money, too. All we need is a light luncheon so that you will not get too hungry before your dinner." She picked up the bill once more. "Let me see. What do you say to a nice salad with French dressing, and some rolls?"

"Don't like leaves," Jack muttered, while Janet looked equally unhappy, and asked, "Can't we have some dessert?"

"Dessert!" echoed Mrs. Townsend. "Yes, we could. Suppose we say rice pudding?"

This was the last straw. Jack went down to the depths of despair, and Janet's lower lip began to tremble.

"Well, children," their mother said, "shall I give the order?"

"I'd rather go without anything," was Jack's reply, and he turned indifferently from the table.

"So would I," Janet agreed.

"Have you ordered?" inquired a waiter, approaching briskly.

"Not yet," said Mrs. Townsend. "I'll let you know in just a moment. Come, children, what will you have?"

"You won't let us have what we want," Jack answered, coldly.

"I'm sure I don't know what to do. You suggest ridiculous things and won't say yes to anything else."

"Women don't know what men like for lunch," Jack observed grandly.

"Oh, very well," Mrs. Townsend replied. "We can't wait much longer. Your father wished us to be prompt so as to be in time for the matinee. Now he will be—— Here he comes. I'm glad. If you don't like me to order, you can just ask your father."

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Mr. Townsend came in briskly, smiling and gay. He made his way to the table, and greeted them affectionately. Then he noted the frost in the air.

"What's the matter?" he inquired. "Luncheon not served? Where's your waiter?"

"We couldn't decide what to have," said Mrs. Townsend. "Janet wanted some ice cream"——

"I didn't say so," Janet interrupted.

"And Jack choose mulligatawny soup"——

"Mock turtle," Jack corrected. "I only asked what mulligatawny"——

"That's neither here nor there," his father remarked, hastily consulting his watch. "And what did you want, my dear?"

"Only a cup of tea," Mrs. Townsend answered, "and some cake."

"That'll never do," her husband said, frowning and shaking his head. Then, rapping sharply on the table, he brought the waiter on the run. "Here, waiter," he said, "bring two portions roast beef, rare, with gravy, mashed potatoes, and have them served quick as you can. We're in a hurry!"

"Yes, sah," replied the waiter, and disappeared with a napkin trailing in the breeze.

"The longer you wait the less you can tell what you want. Roast beef is always in season, makes good red blood, everybody likes it, and, after all, there's nothing better. We've got just twenty minutes. Let's talk of something else."

And so they did.

SOME RUSSIAN MEDICINES.

NEWS comes from Russia of a remarkable series of frauds in the drug trade that has just been exposed in that country. The swindlers had a large factory in Odessa, with offices and a completely organized system of distribution, and probably others, as yet undiscovered, are in existence. The bottles used had labels in imitation of those employed by an eminent German firm. Bottles labelled "Xeroform" (a disinfecting compound) contained a mixture made chiefly of bricks; "sirolin" was sweetened and colored water, and other drugs were imitated with soap, lime and dyes. Quinine, phenacetine and numerous similar medicaments were all represented by common table salt. Inquiry showed that 58 per cent of all Russian drug stores that were examined sold more or less of these falsified products, although in many cases the adulterations were not so gross as those described above. The business of the Odessa factory alone is said to amount to a million dollars, and the end is not yet.

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ON TIME.

By JANE LEE.

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A slight, girlish form enveloped in a long, loose evening coat restlessly paced the broad veranda of Greymere inn.

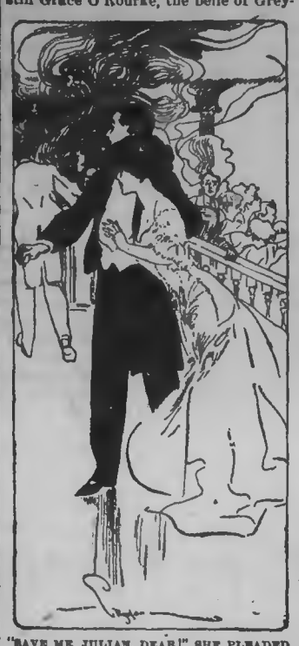
Grace O'Rourke was lovely at all times, but tonight her Irish blue eyes flashed an unusual brilliancy, which made her positively irresistible.

"Better join us," called Elizabeth Dwyer as the latter left the porch escorted by a lithe youth.

It was the night of the annual midsummer ball given to the summer guests of Pine Grove. Grace hesitated for a moment.

"Oh, Julian will be along soon, Elizabeth," she cried. "He's late, as usual, but we'll meet you at the dance later."

Other couples followed the first, but still Grace O'Rourke, the belle of Grey-



"SAVE ME, JULIAN, DEAR!" SHE PLEADED.

mere inn, paced the veranda. Finally a man's voice greeted her.

"I say, Miss O'Rourke," he suggested, "let me cut out that tardy Hawthorne, won't you? Come along to the dance with me?"

Again Grace hesitated. Down in the farthest corner of her heart she really and truly cared for Julian Hawthorne, but he was never on time for any appointment, and here was a choice opportunity to teach him a bitter lesson. Then, too, Charlie Rice was a splendid dancer. Impulsively she accepted his offer, and half an hour later found them in the midst of the summer crowd dancing and apparently oblivious of all else on earth.

The ball was at its height when Julian Hawthorne entered the room. In the doorway he leaned against the sill as if physically tired, and the lids hung heavily over his black eyes.

As Rice and Grace passed him lost in the ecstasy of a dreamy waltz his gaze followed the two closely and a satirical smile spread over his face. When the dance was over Hawthorne slowly crossed the room.

"May I have the next dance, Grace?" he asked, without seeming to notice Rice, who stood by her side.

"Do you think you could be on time to claim it?" parried Grace, with stinging sarcasm.

"I am here now, waiting," Hawthorne answered as he extended his left arm.

If men but knew the power they have over women who truly love them! There was something within Grace O'Rourke that night which told her to reject the arm he extended, but that greater something—love—made her accept it. In another moment they were whirling round and round the room.

The night was warm, and when the dance was half over they walked out into the spacious grounds surrounding the big hotel.

"I want to tell you why I was late tonight, Grace," Hawthorne began.

"But I don't want to hear," interrupted Grace. "It's always some excuse, Julian, and I'm tired of it all. If it's not the office it's the train, and if it's not the train it's something else."

"Well, then, will you let me tell you something else—something that you've never heard before, at least not from me?" he added.

"Oh, all right," agreed Grace, "only make it a short story, for I've promised the next twostep to Charlie Rice."

"It won't take long to tell you, dear." Hawthorne's voice seemed very near, and he spoke slowly and with great earnestness. "I just want to try to tell you how much I love you, Grace, how long I have loved you and that at last I am in a position to ask you to be my wife."

"As usual, my dear Julian, you are too late," announced Grace, with assumed nonchalance. "I've just promised to marry some one else."

Hawthorne lighted a cigarette and said nothing. If Grace expected a tirade about the fickleness of women she was disappointed. Hawthorne was the type of man to take defeat gracefully, but he did not fail to note the unsteadiness of Grace's step as they returned to the house nor the trembling notes in her voice when she spoke.

He loved her well enough to know her through and through. He was a man who took few chances in life, but he would have wagered that Grace O'Rourke loved him at that moment despite her cool rejection of his suit.

Hawthorne led her to Rice, who was waiting to claim his dance, and then went up to the smoking room. Long he sat and smoked in silence, when suddenly he realized that the dressing rooms were filling up with guests preparing to go home. The dance was over. A man suggested that he smelled smoke, but the idea was laughed down.

"I guess it's Hawthorne's bitter root cigar that smells like fire," sang out Charlie Rice. And the listeners all laughed in reply.

Hawthorne slipped on his light overcoat and sauntered toward the closed door that led into the hall. He opened it upon a curling cloud of smoke. At the same instant screams came from all directions. Men and women were in pandemonium. Rice was the first man downstairs, his one idea being self preservation, but above the roar of screams Julian Hawthorne's voice rang out clear and loud.

"Please keep back. Calm yourselves, and no one will be hurt."

They gave him no heed. Madly they tore ahead, fighting like maniacs. All made for the main stairway. Gowns were torn, arms were broken and ankles sprained in the effort to get out of the burning building. Once more Hawthorne raised his voice above the hum.

"I beg of you—I"— His voice stopped short, for clinging to his arm was Grace.

"Save me, Julian, dear," she pleaded.

Silently he dragged her into one of the dressing rooms and opened a large door leading to a back staircase.

"I've tried to bend them all off this way, but they would not listen. But if I can save you, darling, I will have been on time just once."

Grace gave his arm a loving little hug, which meant more to the man than all the words she could have uttered. Close to each other they descended the dark stairs which led through the servants' quarters. The rooms were deserted, and they easily reached the back door. Hawthorne turned and held Grace close for a moment. There was no time for words just then. And, standing alone in the darkness, she watched him rejoin the ranks of fire fighters.

The Readiness of Tommy.

"Tommy is such a good boy," said Mrs. Taddells to the minister as she served the pastry. "You know, Dr. Choker, that pie isn't good for little boys."

"That is very true, Mrs. Taddells," the minister assented. "When I was a boy I was not allowed to eat pastry, and all mothers must watch their children's diet very carefully."

"But I am not at all harsh with Tommy, you will understand, doctor," Mrs. Taddells went on. "Whenever I have something for dessert which Tommy cannot eat—pie, for example—I give him 5 cents to pay for his deprivation. And Tommy takes it so cheerfully, doctor. Tommy is such a dear boy, Dr. Choker."

"I am very glad to hear it, Mrs. Taddells. No, thank you. I think of eating more than a piece of pie excellent as it is. But I am truly glad to hear of Tommy's manliness and cheerfulness when deprived of pie. I suppose, Tommy," the clergyman went on, "you like pie?"

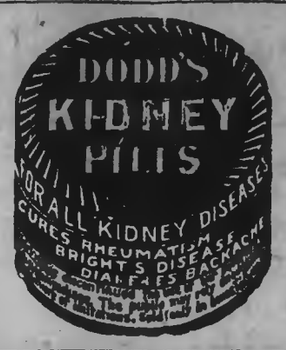
"Yessir."

"What makes you take the 5 cents so cheerfully to go without?"

"Oh, with the nickel I can get a whole pie at the grocery around the corner."

Cautious.

Prospective Best Man—Got the marriage license yet? Prospective Bridegroom—No; I'm not going to get that until the last thing. She may go back on me.



TRAPPED.

Predicaments That Caused Their Victims a Deal of Agony.

It has often been said that truth is stranger than fiction, and this is certainly true of the ridiculously improbable predicaments in which people sometimes find themselves landed.

Some time ago a restless youngster attending the service at a Cardigan chapel provided the congregation with a rare sensation. He occupied a pew close to the pulpit, and, after wriggling about in his seat, pushed his head in between two pillars of the pulpit banister.

Then he was startled to find that he could not withdraw it; and he had fixed his head in such a way that the service had to be stopped for measures to be taken for its release. This was effected only with the greatest difficulty, to the tune of the wretched youngster's loud screams.

Another curious mishap befell Mr. Charles Wailes, a Batley (Eng.) rag merchant, at the beginning of last year. He was in the act of catching hold of the chain of a crane at his warehouse, when the hook at the end of it became fixed between a signet-ring he was wearing and his finger.

At the same moment the chain began to ascend, with the result that the unfortunate rag merchant was hoisted by his finger to the top storey of his warehouse. Then the ring broke, and the finger was torn off, the owner being precipitated to the basement, many feet below.

His fall was, happily, broken by some bales of rags, which happened to be lying about, and the rag merchant was able to walk to a neighboring surgery for treatment.

A strange story was told at Penkridge Police Court only a few days ago, on the hearing of a charge of drunkenness. In his evidence, the constable said that while on duty the previous Sunday morning, a strange sound caught his ear.

He eventually found it proceeded from the churchyard, close by. On getting over the wall to investigate, he discovered a man half-way through the side of one of the old-fashioned square vaults. The victim had trapped himself as neatly as could be, for he could neither get into the vault or out. It was only after a ten minutes' hard struggle that the captive, who was drunk, could be released.

THE SUBALTERN'S RETORT.

His Frankness Moved Sir Ian Hamilton to Give Him a Better Job.

Sir Ian Hamilton, who recently unveiled the Manchester war memorial, and who has thirty-five years' military service to his credit, tells an amusing story of a little incident that happened in South Africa while he was acting as chief of staff to Lord Kitchener. He had occasion to visit rather a large depot of which a young officer was in command. Going through certain papers General Hamilton found that these were not quite in order, and at last, said rather wearily to the officer, "You know this sort of thing will not do at all. What do you suppose your brains were given you for?" "I am sure I do not know, general," was the cheerful reply. "Since I came here I have worked sixteen hours a day and more. I have acted as mule teamster, porter, van guard, supply officer, stationmaster, orderly-room clerk, typist, and a dozen other things. I think if I had not been endowed with brains I might have managed to take on two or three more jobs as well, but as it is I must admit I am somewhat handicapped." Sir Ian Hamilton was forced to laugh, and shortly after the young officer found himself attached to the general's personal staff.

Illustrated the Fact.

Sir George White, the aged British field marshal and the only non-royal person in the world possessing the grand cross of the five orders of knighthood, is noted for his self-possession. His friends declare nothing is able to disturb his equanimity.

Not long ago Sir George was delivering a public address on the subject of Military Service and Preparedness, his text being that the nation always should be prepared for unexpected dangers.

"Nations are like men," he said, "they never know what hour peril—"

In his earnestness the veteran warrior stepped too near the edge of the platform, lost his balance and fell to the floor, a distance of four or five feet. Arising without assistance and standing where he arose, he resumed:

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"MY POOR BOY WAS REDUCED TO A SHADOW." "Month after month went by that we shall not soon forget; months of sleepless nights, fearful coughs, weakening night sweats, left my boy a mere shadow. He had no appetite, and my heart ached to see how he was wasting away. He spent one whole summer at the Lakeside Home for sick children, and came home greatly improved, but the cold winds of October took him off his feet again. The doctor advised me to send him to Muskoka, but heavy doctor's bills had depleted my financial resources and such a step seemed out of the question. Scores of friends advised the use of PSYCHINE, but I was inclined to place PSYCHINE on a par with many advertised remedies and cheap nostrums. However, my friends proved such strong advocates of it that I at last consented to try it."

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WOMEN JOURNALISTS.

Newspaper to Advocate Their Rights a Hundred Years Ago.

One hundred years ago women first started a newspaper to advocate their rights. In 1808 it was known that Napoleon was determined to divorce Josephine, his partner of fourteen years, because she had given him no heir. A reason of state like this carried no weight in the female world, and outside the circle of courtiers all sympathy was with the wife, especially when Eugene de Beauharnais, Josephine's son by her first marriage, declared himself in the senate on the side of his stepfather and against his own mother on the question of divorce.

From the feeling thus stirred up there arose a great feminine movement. Seeing that popular opinion favored the helpless wife as against the all powerful husband, a group of young women philosophers thought the time had come for an effort for the social progress of their sex.

Their first step was to create an organ for feminist defense, and so the Athenee des Dames was born in Paris and at first flourished vigorously. The programme of these suffragists of a hundred years ago was given in a manifesto before the first number appeared.

"Must it be," it was asked, "as it has been so long, that women should be called nothing but the flowers of the human race, the charm of terrestrial eyes? Must they be flattered solely for their physical charms so as to limit their empire to their fair youth, which, alas, passes so soon? And yet, true companions to man, they aid him to cross the stormy sea of life. Can it be said that women are classed among the domestic animal pets, whose pretty little acts, the fruit of a happy animal instinct, are so captivating?"

The Athenee des Dames put in its protest against the common opinion that man is superior to woman. "If women had not been for centuries, brought up in profound ignorance and had not been persuaded by force of hearing man say that they were created to obey they would have long ago refuted this paradox," it declared. "The task of our journal will be to make known all those virtues and all those talents which the modesty of women makes them shut up in their own bosoms and which have no witnesses outside their families and the little circle of friends of each one.

"We shall make known to the public the writings of many of us who, not altogether occupied with household servitude, can rival in genius the male poets. The celebrated woman of the day will have her portrait and her biography inserted in the week's number in which she is described."

This movement, which might have cleared the way for the votes for woman agitation of today, had its days shortened by an accident. It happened that shortly after the Athenee had begun to spread the light a woman, a wigmaker by profession, named Bouhourt, aged twenty-two, was convicted of having murdered three people in order to rob them.

Thickset and well built, this young woman was noted for her habit of wearing man's clothes, and it was in man's clothes that she mounted the scaffold. The satirists and caricaturists seized on this circumstance and made the woman-man a kind of scarecrow to intimidate women from following in the ways of the Athenee, and the writers for this journal of emancipation, getting tired of being nicknamed Bouhourt, gave up contributing, and no one was found bold or persevering enough to take their place.

AN ARTISTIC ROOM.

The Prima Donna Mary Garden's Charming Boudoir.

One of the prettiest boudoirs in New York is the little drawing room in which Miss Mary Garden, the prima donna, receives her friends. This room has two windows facing south and two facing east, so that even without its golden decorations it would be a sunshiny apartment. The walls are hung with a two toned yellow paper with broad stripes. The woodwork is painted white, and the windows are hung with creamy net against the panes and with straight curtains of yellow silk that reach to the sills. The light oaken floor is strewn with rugs, all small ones, and all in rather light tones of blue and rose and yellow and green.

At one side of the room is a high backed, spacious mahogany davenport, upholstered with golden brown velvet. This is piled with pillows covered with golden silk. Most of the chairs are covered with yellow silks, and one or two have gilt frames. On the baby grand piano are tall vases of silver and crystal holding yellow roses and yellow chrysanthemums, and a great silver lamp has a pierced silver shade over one of yellow silk. A few photographs in silver frames and an etching or two in narrow frames of gold or black wood adorn the walls. The glory of this room is the mantel. It is of white paneling, simple and beautiful, with its long, straight lines and high white shelf. In the center of the shelf on a pedestal is a marble bust of a Florentine child. At either end of the shelf is a piece of oriental embroidery in blue and gold which hangs straight down to the floor without fold or fullness, the beauty of the workmanship and the charm of the color giving the final touch of artistic perfection to this lovely room.

From Limb to Limb.

Housewife—Why don't you get a job and keep it? Hobo—I'm like de little bird dat keeps flyin' from limb to limb. Housewife—G'wan, you're only a bum! How could you fly from limb to limb? Hobo—I mean de limbs o' de law, mum!

Criticism often takes from the tree caterpillars and blossoms together.—Richter.

LOOKING BACKWARD.

Wives of Money Monarchs Live More Luxuriously Than Queens.

"Believe me," said the woman who thinks, "I'm a little weary of rhapsodies over the supposedly superior intelligence of the women of bygone days. Why don't those so generous of praise give modern women a chance? It is a sort of mental fashion to assume that George Eliot and George Sand and Lady Mary Wortley Montagu and Lady Blessington and others like them were peculiar to themselves and their periods; that no woman of today can hold a candle to them in any particular. I wonder if that's true. Seems to me there are dozens of women in America alone who are every bit as clever as those heroines of the past. Lady Montagu wrote delightful letters, but the art of correspondence has not passed from earth, and surely the cultured woman of today can be as sprightly. As for novelists and essayists, they flourish in abundance in this enlightened age. And when it comes to social knowledge almost any up to date hostess is far ahead of those of yore. Picture the wife of a twentieth century millionaire obliged to live as queens did in days long gone, and not so very long gone at that! Queen Caroline and Queen Anne and Queen Henrietta of England had a sad time of it when one compares their lot with that of today's rich women. Marie Antoinette had no such luxuries as thousands of wealthy matrons enjoy. Her state carriage was a lumbering affair swung on great straps, that rumbled over stones rougher than the rocky road to Dublin. If she had known the solid comfort of a really fine touring car she would have been much happier doubtless. The state barge in which she was rowed laboriously along the Seine would seem a mere scow alongside the swift motor boat in which Mme. Millionaire dashes about in these days of useful inventions. Perhaps the society woman of today sighs for royalty, but if she had to have it in the days when royalty was real she wouldn't like it half as much as being the wife of a money monarch."

The Hatpin Craze.

Just now the hatpin is no longer treated merely as a necessity, but as a most pronounced ornament. Often six or eight huge pins are worn at

once, and as much care is spent on choosing them as on all the rest of the costume. The consequence is that jewelers and craftsmen are designing hatpins in every shape and form—some most elaborate and costly, some comparatively cheap and simple. Those shown above include some of the most extravagant and ornate.

Cooking Table.

BROILING.

Thin fish, 6 to 8 minutes.
Thick fish, 12 to 15 minutes.
Thin steak, 5 minutes.
Thick steak, 10 to 12 minutes.
Lamb chops, medium thickness, 8 minutes.
Young chicken, 20 minutes.

BAKING.

Plain cake, 20 to 40 minutes.
Sponge cake, 50 to 60 minutes.
Gingerbread 30 minutes.
Bread gems, 30 minutes.
Rolls, 10 to 15 minutes.
Pie crust, 30 to 40 minutes.
Biscuits, 15 to 20 minutes.
Cookies, 10 to 15 minutes.
Lamb or mutton, per pound, 15 minutes.
Ribbed roast beef, per pound, 12 to 15 minutes.
Chickens, three to five pounds, 1 to 2 hours.
Tame duck, 45 to 60 minutes.
Wild duck, 30 to 45 minutes.
Large birds, 30 minutes.
Small birds, 15 minutes.

BOILING.

Hominy, 2 to 4 hours.
Rice in double boiler, 1 hour.
Rice in boiling water, 20 minutes.
Oatmeal, 1 hour.
Chickens, 2 hours, simmering.
Beef a la mode, 3 to 4 hours.
Corned beef, 5 to 6 hours, simmering.
Ham, medium size, 5 hours.
Smoked tongue, 4 hours.
Turkey, small, 3 hours.
Cod, per pound, 6 minutes.
Clams, 3 to 5 minutes.
Bluefish, per pound, 10 minutes.
Finnan haddie, per pound, 6 minutes.
Salmon and halibut, per pound, 15 minutes.

Mental Arithmetic.

"Two years ago I asked Aunt Jane to visit us for a fortnight, and she has not gone home yet."

"It's a blessing."

"What's a blessing?"

"That you didn't invite her for a month."

Uncovered.

Horace—I can't understand you girls. Now, you hate Mabel, and yet you just kissed her. Hetty—I know, but just see how the freckles show where I kissed the powder off.—London Tatler.

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A THRIFTY TOWN.

Athol's Old Financial Contract With Lyman Jennings.

By the terms of a contract entered into thirty-one years ago between Lyman Jennings, then fifty-nine years old, and the town of Athol, in Massachusetts, he gave the town $9,000 outright on its agreement to pay him interest on it at 6 per cent as long as he lived—$540 a year—and then to continue after his death to pay to his widow $180 a year and to each of his three children $120 a year, an amount equal to that which Jennings would receive yearly during his lifetime, as long as each of these four heirs might live. The results of the contract are being widely commented upon as a ruinously reckless deal by that thrifty New England town. The selectmen decided to take up with Jennings' offer after applying the figures of a life insurance mortuary table to the five proposed beneficiaries. Jennings lived thirty years instead of the fourteen and a half years that they had credited him with. The town meantime had paid out to him $16,200. His wife and one daughter now survive him, and the town is paying them together $300 a year and must continue to pay one $180 a year and the other $120 so long as each lives. In other words, it is now getting the use of $9,000 for only about 3 1-3 per cent interest. If it invested the principal properly there ought to be a good profit in this. But, supposing Jennings had put that $9,000 in a good savings bank back in 1877, he would have drawn $540 a year on it for at least fifteen years or so and after that only 5 per cent or 4 per cent or perhaps as low as 3½ per cent at times, but on an average interest of 4½ per cent for the full period he would have drawn $12,880 in all, and his widow and daughter would now be drawing 4 per cent on it, or $360 a year instead of $300, and, besides this, they, not the town, would own the $9,000. Lyman Jennings wasn't nearly as good a "figurer" as the town of Athol was, after all.—New York Commercial.

A Lucky Investment.

John Roberts of Watkins, Schuyler county, a well driller, recently purchased of Angelo Dupree, a junk dealer, an old pump for 10 cents. It was apparently of no value, but he thought there might be some parts that he could use in his business. When Mr. Roberts and his assistant took the pump to one of the wells they were drilling and started breaking it up, they were greatly surprised to see gold coins drop out of the holes they made. They at once finished the job and found $4,000, nearly all in twenty dollar gold pieces. Whom the pump belonged to at the time the money was hidden or how long it had been there is a mystery. The latest date of any of the coins was 1888. Mr. Roberts at once deposited his find in the Farmers and Merchants' bank at Watkins.—Utica (N. Y.) Press.

A Klag in a Hurry.

Before leaving for France, after his recent visit to England, King Alfonso made a call on a well known firm of jewelers in Regent street, London. After a cursory glance around the showrooms he looked at his watch and exclaimed:

"I wish to buy a few things, but am in a great hurry."

He purchased a number of sets of game bird menu holders in silver and enamel, a gold elephant charm, some handsome diamond ornaments and other pieces of jewelry, then, remarking that he had only ten minutes in which to catch his train, suddenly swept up all the articles from the counter and, without waiting for them to be put in paper, thrust them into his pockets and was gone, the visit occupying just three minutes.

Ceylon's Camphor Trees.

It is estimated that the planting of between 15,000 and 20,000 acres to camphor trees in Ceylon would develop a production of 8,000,000 pounds, which, according to most authorities, is the quantity of camphor demanded annually at present. The camphor tree naturally grows to a height of forty feet, but in Ceylon it is being kept at the more convenient height of four to five feet.

Japan's Enormous Debt.

The public debt of Japan amounted on March 31, 1908, to about $1,108,-861,875. Her population, exclusive of her inland colonies, Formosa, the Pescadoses and Sakhalin, is about 48,-000,000. The national debt, therefore, amounts to about $24 per capita, the greater part of which is owed abroad, and the cost of her civil and military establishments is enormous.

MAKING GOOD COFFEE.

Clean Pot and Fresh Boiling Water Part of the Recipe.

The secret of good coffee is an immaculately clean coffeepot, fresh boiling water and good material. It is better to pay a little more for your coffee and use less in quantity than would be necessary in the cheaper grades. The coffeepot should be thoroughly washed and scalded after every meal and coffee never allowed to stand in it. If it gets discolored put a little baking soda in it once a week or so, fill with cold water and let it come to the boiling point. Take care that the spout and strainer are perfectly cleaned. Rinse and dry thoroughly. Unlike most cooking utensils, which do better work when their newness has worn off, a coffeepot is better when new, whether made of tin, graniteware, nickel or aluminum. Many good housekeepers advocate frequent renewals from the ten cent store, discarding the old coffeepots as soon as they become discolored and strong. These are better in the end than the most expensive coffee percolator that is not kept immaculate. The time honored rule for making coffee is a tablespoonful for each person and one for the pot. Put the coffee in the clean pot, pour in a few spoonfuls of cold water to wet it, add a clean, freshly broken eggshell if you have it or a teaspoonful of the white of egg, pour on the boiling water and let it just come to the boil. Take away from the fire, give a second shake or stir the grounds down, then replace and let it come again just to the boil. Do this three times in succession, then push back on the stove to settle and clear. Some persons prefer to make the coffee by the cold water method. In this case cover the coffee with the required amount of cold water, allow it to reach the boiling point, then proceed as before. The coffee must not be allowed to boil hard, but merely reach the boiling point each time. If not perfectly clear when ready to serve pour in a tablespoonful of cold water.

THE USE OF PERFUMES.

Women of Refinement Still Use Nothing but Violet.

So many women ask what is that indescribably dainty odor which others of their sex shed around them nowadays. It's not a positive perfume, only just the most refined sweetness imaginable. It is violet, simply violet, but violet in everything, perfume, sachets, perfumed flannels for tacking in dress linings, tooth wash, hair tonics, bath tablets, everything.

This is the recipe given by a chemist for the woman who would be not only as fair as the rose, but radiate an odor equally sweet. And in spite of the fad for stronger and more powerful perfumes it is asserted that women of refinement still use nothing but violet.

But perfume alone won't yield this delightful but evanescent fragrance. A woman must take violet for her hygienic text and live up to it faithfully if she would be able to create that mysterious and delightful atmosphere of rare flowers about her.

Perfume of any sort should never be used profusely. There should be just a suspicion of the odor clinging about the garments, and this is only obtained by the use of sachets placed in the closets where gowns are hung or places where underclothes are kept. Perfumed flannel, which can be purchased in pieces to suit the customer, should be tacked within dress linings or made up with the different costumes.

HEALTH AND BEAUTY.

Tight clothes and indigestion cause red noses.

A hot bath taken at night affords refreshing sleep.

A pinch of salt taken before meals stimulates digestion.

A raw egg swallowed will detach a fishbone in the throat.

High heeled boots are known to cause spinal complaints.

The bed linen should always be perfectly dry before sleeping on it.

A walk in the fresh air will do a common headache lots of good.

Too heavy bedclothes are often the cause of that tired feeling in the morning.

For unbroken chilblains rubbing with damp salt is one of the best remedies known.

Never eat your meals in the sickroom. It annoys the patient and is not wholesome for you.

A small onion eaten raw before retiring will often result in a restful sleep, as onions are excellent nerve tonics.

The Kings and Barons

Of ye olden time could not have enjoyed better Beef than that prepared at Kennedy's Meat Market for the Holiday Season. Our Animals were fed by practical feeders and breeders all over the province. What is true about our Beef, is also true about other lines of Meats, Ham, Poultry, etc.

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Have your orders for the Festive Season filled at

ELLIOTT & CO'S LIQUOR STORE

If your custom is to have something good to drink, as well as something good to eat in temperance and moderation, leave your requisitions at Elliott & Co's Liquor Store. We have imported some very choice Port and Sherry Wines, Champagnes, Brandies, Gin, etc., that will add zest to the Bill of Fare. Also Medicinal Liquors for Winter emergencies—Favourite Old Scotch, Irish and Canadian Brands, in bottle or bulk. Wishing all our patrons the compliments of the season and thanking them for past favours.

Snowden Block, Simcoe Street, Peterborough

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2 lbs. Cream Candies..... 30c
1 lb. Chocolates 15c
New Grenoble Walnuts, 2 lbs. for..... 35c
New Taragona Almonds, 2 lbs. for 35c
Malaga Grapes 20c
California Seedless Oranges, per doz. 30c, 40c, 50c
Mexican Oranges, per doz. 20c, 30c

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We are pleased to state that we never served so many customers, not only during the holiday season, but throughout the entire year, because we know for a fact by our sales records that our business has doubled during 1908. It is with gratitude, therefore, that we extend our sincere thanks to our patrons, and promise to merit a continuation of these favours during 1909.

COLEMAN BROS.

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PETERBOROUGH SATURDAY JANUARY 2 1909

PETERBORO' EXPECTS EVERY RATEPAYER TO DO HIS DUTY ON MONDAY BY TURNING OUT BRIGHT AND EARLY FOR THE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

Twelve Aldermen Will be Chosen From Twenty Candidates to Man the City's Ship With Mayor Rush on the Captain's Bridge—Four School Trustees to be Elected.

THREE BY-LAWS ON SLATE

On Monday the ratepayers of Peterborough will be given their annual opportunity of selecting the men who will have in charge the city's interests on the council and on the Board of Education this year. They will also decide whether the corporation will borrow the sum of one hundred thousand five hundred dollars, to be spent on a new bridge at Smith street, the purchase of the exhibition grounds, the extension of streets and the filling in of the water front.

Of the candidates for aldermanic honours ten of them were members of last year's council, two are ex-aldermen and eight are new blood. The four members of the Board of Education whose terms have just expired and with them four other citizens are contesting for the four vacancies.

With so many out for civic honours it is expected that a large vote will be polled. The citizens are anxious to secure a strong council to carry on the city's work during 1909 and the many friends of the candidates are showing more interest than has been usually noticed in municipal elections. The by-laws have been the subject of considerable discussion, and a decided opinion has very likely been formed by this time, and will be manifested on Monday.

The following is the slate as it will be presented to the electors:

For Aldermen

ARMSTRONG, W. H. G., new candidate.
BOGUE, JAS., new candidate.
BRADBURN, W. H.
BROWN, ANDREW, new candidates.
BULLER WM.
CRAIG, JOHN D., new candidate.
DUFFUS JOS. J., new candidate.
DUNCAN, GEO. H., ex-alderman.
ELLIOTT, GEO. E.
GIBSON, ALEX., new candidate.
GILLESPIE, GEO. A.
HICKS, ROBT., ex-alderman.
METHERAL, JOS. R., new candidate.
MORGAN, HARRY.
MOORE A. R., new candidate.
MORROW W. G.
McINTYRE, A. A.
NEILL ROBT.
PHELAN HARRY.
TURNER J. J., JR.

For Board of Education

ACKERMAN, B. F.
FA[illegible]S, ROBT.
FREDERICK, ERNEST V., new candidate.
MADILL, WM., new candidate.
MASON, E. F., new candidate.
McCLELLAND, MARS., new candidate.
MORRISON, M. A.
ROBINSON, W. S.

The By-Laws

SMITH STREET BRIDGE, a by-law to provide for the borrowing of $40,000 for the construction of a new bridge at Smith street.

EXHIBITION GROUNDS, a by-law to provide for the borrowing of $30,000 for the purchase of the Exhibition Grounds.

STREET EXTENSIONS, a by-law to provide for the borrowing of $21,000 for the filling in of the water front and the extension of streets.

Polling Places

For the benefit of the electors the polling sub-divisions are given as follows:

In the South Ward

No. 1—That part of the south ward south of Townsend street and east of Aylmer street. The polling place is at M. H. Halpin's shop, 39 George street.

No. 2.—That part of the south ward south of Townsend street and west of Aylmer street. Polling place H. C Braund's store.

No. 3—All the south ward north of Townsend street. Polling place Louis Spry's shop 210 Stewart street.

In the Centre Ward

No 4—All centre ward east of George street and south of Brock

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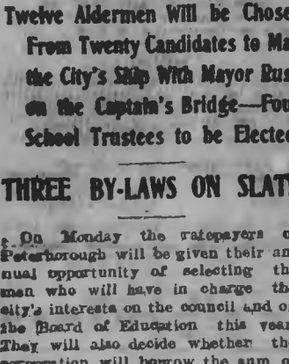


ALD. W. H. BRADBURN,
Who is seeking re-election.

ALD. W. G. MORROW,
Chairman of the Finance Committee who is again a candidate.

ALD. HARRY PHELAN,
Chairman of the Board of Works who asks to be returned to office.

"WHEN A MAN'S MARRIED HIS TROUBLE BEGINS," BUT TWICE MARRIED MEANS POLICE COURT

Some men would lead us to believe that a wife brings as much trouble as is ordinarily looked for in a life time, but from Chas. Rotchford's experience there seems to be some room for doubt.

Charles is an undersized, little bit of a fellow, whom no one would turn twice to look at, and yet there is probably not another man in Peterborough who can make the boast or lay claim to the distinction that he can.

Charles is none other than a bigamist.

He admitted it is police court this morning and Magistrate Dumble reserved judgment for one week. Just what will become of Charles is not known, but it is understood that there may be a technicality which will allow him to escape.

He married Jessie Cassett in Toronto, on July 12th, 1888, but he apparently was not satisfied. Charles was probably thinking along the line of the song from the Prima Donna, "Everybody Else's Girl Looks Better to Me Than Mine." At any rate he was fickle-minded and untrue. On July 22nd, 1899, Lousia Mary Dare married Charles in the little village of Stepney, near London, Eng.

Besides the charge of bigamy the amorous Charles has appeared recently on the charge of assaulting his second wife. According to her staements Charles is not much of a success as a husband, and his tyrannical actions while under the influence of intoxicants led his wife to seek redress in court. Both sentences are hanging fire and will be announced to him next Saturday, after Magistrate Dumble has given his case due consideration.

Ferom what has been learned it is that wife No. 1 is very likely remarried.

THE EXAMINER BULLETIN SERVICE ARRANGED FOR MONDAY EVENING

The Examiner has arranged as usual for a complete service in connection with the municipal elections on Monday night and the public will no doubt as usual make this office its head quarters until the result of the fight is known. Arrangements have been made with the Peterborough Light and Power Company for the use of a stereopticon lantern in the displaying of returns and the figures will be thrown upon a screen. It has been arranged to have the returns from the different polling places as soon as the ballots are counted, so that a very quick service is guaranteed. Full information in regard to the bylaws, and Aldermanic and Board of Education race will be given.

MONEY FROM FARMS

One Man From Peterborough in His Second Year Had 7000 Bushels of Wheat Alone At Melita, Man

MR. AND MRS. WOOD RETURN

Miles stretching into miles of broad prairie lands with farm houses dotted here and there as far as the eye could reach, and which could be counted almost to one hundred, is a novelty of the west which strikes the Ontario farmer on his first visit. Mr. David Wood, Homewood avenue, who has resided in Peterborough during the past few years, returned on Thursday, after spending the last four months with his son, Mr. Wilbert F. Wood, of Melita, Man. His wife also came back with him, after spending six months with her son.

Mr. Wood, sr. is very much pleased with the west, and, particularly, Manitoba. The climate agrees with him and the weather, he states, is fine. Another fact that is very noticeable is that those who have lately acquired land are meeting with great success. Many farmers who moved from this county, are on the highroad to prosperity and one man who left here two years ago had a harvest of 7000 bushels of wheat alone this year. Mr. Wood remarked that if he were only a young man again he would not remain long in the east.

It is the request of Storey & Simpson that all accounts owing them be paid before Jan. 15, 1909 tw-26-127

WOLVES WERE MANY

Neighbourhood of Eagle Dam Serenaded by Pack on Christmas Eve Which Bayed as in Olden Days.

WERE TRACED NEXT MORNING

Christmas has come and gone here in its usual quiet manner, with the exception that a pack of wolves serenaed the settlement at Eagle Lake dam on Christmas eve, their howling being quite distinctly heard. Judging from the numerous tracks there must have been five or six of them. Mr. Alex. Hunter, son of Mr. E. B. Hunter, went out on Christmas day with his rifle to have a look at their tracks and sure enough the wolves were not far away, as a full grown one appeared crossing the track. He fired at it. The wolf then turned and came towards him, then Allie fired again and shot it dead. It measured five feet two inches long and stood two feet eight inches in hight. It was not lean but in good flesh and condition. Wolves are often poisoned but are so cunning that they are seldom shot.—Minden Echo.

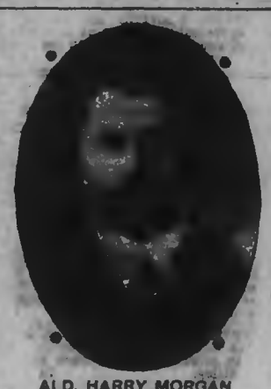
Taking Stock

—Many of the local factories are taking inventories of their stock as is customary at the first of the year. This means that for the next week there will be a considerable number out of work but after that a difference is expected.

ANTONIO CREBAR'S HOME WAS NEAR REGGIO DI CALABRIA, THE CITY OF PANIC, DEATH AND DESTRUCTION

As a Boy He Often Visited It From His Rural Home and Enjoyed the Quiet, Natural Beauty of This Famous Watering Place.

HAS RELATIVES RESIDING THERE



ALD. HARRY MORGAN,
Another Alderman who asks for re-election.

Antonio Crebar, father of V. E Crebar, proprietor of the fruit store on the south side of Charlotte street, near George street, is, as far as is known, the only Italian in the city, who has come from the neighbourhood of the recently beautiful city of Reggio di Calabria. An Examiner reporter called on him this morning and learned that when a boy he home had been in the country near Reggio and often had, with other boys, gone down to Reggio where the waters of the Mediterranean Sea and Straits of Messina circled around its regular, and delightful beach which attracted so many tourists. Mr. Crebar has many cousins and relatives living in the devastated district and whether they have met with any injury or not is, of course, not known. They are probably safe for most of them reside in suburban districts. It is about 27 years ago since Mr. Crebar left his home and it is likely that some changes have been made since then, but for the most part they would be few. He spoke of the natural beauty of Calabria around his old home and of the happiness of the people in that land which to the natives was almost a land of the lotus.

SCHOOLS TO RE-OPEN ON MONDAY NEXT

All the city schools will re-open for the spring term on Monday morning and the pupils who have been holidaying during the past two weeks are expected to be back at their desks in the morning. The Queen Alexandra school, which was closed for some time before the holidays on account of the scarlet fever epidemic in that section of the city, will reopen with the others on Monday. There are no signs of any further developments of the disease, and it is considered safe to reopen the school again.

All the schools have been thoroughly cleaned and repaired during the vacation and several have been disinfected.

The only change in the teaching staff will be in the East City school where the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Florence Coveney will be filled by Miss Mann of Peterborough.

A GOSPEL TEMPERANCE MEETING

Will be Held on Sunday Afternoon Instead of in the Evening.

The committee in charge of the Gospel Temperance meeting which has been held during the last three months on Sunday evening, beg to announce that in future the meeting will be held at 4.15 p.m.

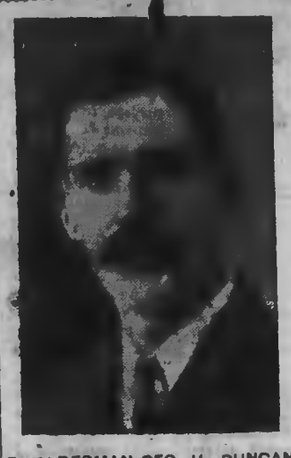
The committee asks for the co-operation and sympathy of all the Bible Classes in the city to make these meetings a success.

The meetings will be of special interest to the young men of our city. The committee hope that all young men interested in the future welfare of the city of Peterborough will be present at the meetings from week to week

The meeting on Sunday January 3rd will commence with a song service at 4.15; the speaker will be Rev. J. C. Potter, and special singing by Miss Manning. Come.

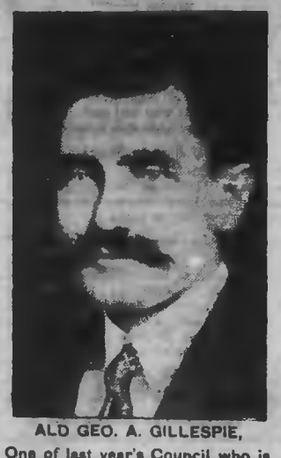
ALD. WM. BULLER,
In the field again this year.

JOS. J. DUFFUS,
A new candidate for the City Council.



EX-ALDERMAN GEO. H. DUNCAN,
Who is candidate again this year.

EX-ALD. ROBT. HICKS,
Who is again seeking election.



ALD GEO. A. GILLESPIE,
One of last year's Council who is running again.

Several Enjoyable New Year's Day Parties Were Held Yesterday

The New Year was ushered in by many happy parties, both in the surrounding country. Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Fowler celebrated the seventh anniversary of their wedding yesterday. This is the seventh year that this happy day has been remembered in a very enjoyable manner. At 7.30 supper was partaken of at Hooper's palm room, Mr. Hooper catering to about thirty-five guests.

After supper a bus was ordered which conveyed them to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Fowler, 586 Concession street, East City, where a very enjoyable evening was spent, those present being entertained with music and singing, the guests leaving about one o'clock, after wishing their host and hostess many joyful returns of the day and all happiness in the new year.

A New Year's and birthday party was held at Mr. Thomas Kemp's home, in Douro, where a very enjoyable time was spent, music and games being indulged in. Those present were J. Kemp and Mrs. Kemp, Otonabee; Edward Kemp and Mrs. Kemp and their son Louis, Douro; Lance Kemp and Mrs. Kemp, and Wilfrid, Lance and Pearl Kemp, William Kemp and wife and child, Etta, 548 Bethune street, city; his father and mother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Covency, East City; Miss Peacock, niece, and Mr. W. J. Kemp, of Sarnia, nephew. The party broke up shortly after midnight, after wishing Mr. and Mrs. Kemp a happy and prosperous New Year.

The Roller Rink Closes To-day; Big Improvements Next Year

A large number of people took advantage of the last band concert at the roller rink last night, the rink being well filled. From 8 o'clock till 9.30 skating was indulged in and at half past nine the skaters were taken off and the band played for dancing which was greatly enjoyed by those who took part in it. Next year there will be many improvements made in the rink, it will be enlarged to about twice its present size and a large automatic piano will be installed. It will have a full orchestra accompaniment and will be played by electricity. The rink will be open this afternoon and evening and will close after that, not to open until about March 15th, except for dancing, wrestling, boxing, or any other indoor amusements. Mr. Dennis and Miss Patterson intend to give exhibitions in the States during the time the rink is closed

HOW THE DAY WAS SPENT IN PETERBOROUGH

New Year's Day was spent quietly, but enjoyably in Peterborough. The weather conditions were all that could be desired by the devotees of winter sport and the indulging in those pastimes formed one of the principal items in the itinerary of the day. The New Year was ushered in by well attended watch night services in most of the city churches and in some there were services yesterday morning.

The Y.M.C.A. threw its doors open to the public during the day, the boys being invited in the morning and the general public in the afternoon. A large number took advantage of the invitation. The same was true of the Y.W.C.A., which also held a reception.

The officers of the 57th Regiment were at home to their friends in the Mess Rooms of the old armouries, while the Non. Com's. entertained the men of the regiment in the barracks street rooms.

At the curling rink the annual match between the President and Vice-President attracted a large crowd of the knights of the "stane" and the games were watched by many interested spectators, the rink being a popular place all day.

Very big crowds patronized the

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The Vote Polled Here Last Year For Members Of The City Council

For purposes of comparison the votes polled by the seventeen candidates for the council last year are republished below. They will be found interesting owing to the fact that twelve of the men who ran last year are in the field again. The figures are as follows:

Phelan—1398.
Gillespie—1389.
Morrow—1296.
Neill—1296.
Buller—1238.
Elliott—1194.
Bradburn—1160.
McIntyre—1089.
Morgan—1043.
Turner—1038.
Johnston—913.
Tovey—901.
Leary—839.
Duncan—836.
Bogue—826.
Clancy—737.
Anderson—688.

Have Shipped Ten Generators From C. G. E. To Sault Ste. Marie

The last of the generators which at the steel mills about a year ago, have been turned out by the C. G. E. works for the Algoma Steel Co., of Sault St. Marie, were shipped a few days ago. There were ten altogether which were damaged in the fire. They were brought to the local shops for repairing and rewinding and the work has been going on for months. Several of the departments have been kept rather busy with the production.

Indians At Chemong Shot Eight Foxes In Big Contest

New Year's Day was spent in a novel manner by the villagers at Chemong. Thirty of the men (mostly the younger set) had a fox hunt which resolved itself into a competition between two sides, one led by Mr. Dan Whetung, Jr., and the other by the school teacher of the reserve, Mr. Alfred McCue. Mr. Whetung's 15 hunters won the contest by shooting five of the Reynard family while their opponents got only three. The losers paid for supper for the both sides at the supper given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society. Eight foxes in one afternoon is something almost undreamed of by Peterborough hunters who manage to get about one during a season.

DAMAGE AMOUNTS TO $1,000,000,000

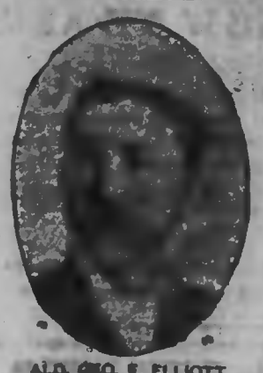
That Will be the Extent of Injury to Property in Sicily.

Special to The Examiner.

Rome, January 2, 1909. — The property loss in the earthquake zone is now estimated at approximately one billion dollars. This represents the actual destruction of property. The loss in trade and from the abandonment of countless Italy's richest farming lands canot be estimated at the present time. One of the big items of loss is 4200 ships of various sizes. King Emanuel has ordered the sale of his Sicilian estates, worth millions of dollars, and that the proceeds be distributed among the destitute.

Presented with Umbrella.

The children who took part in the Knox church cantata on Wednesday night were trained by Mrs. Patterson-Mowry who deserves great credit for the success of the event. She was presented with a gold headed umbrella at the close of the entertainment.



ALD. GEO. E. ELLIOTT,
Again before the people as a candidate

WANTED.

SKUNK! SKUNK! J. DAWSON, 1 Stewart street, Peterborough, will give the best price in the city for SKUNK SKINS in the rough. 6d 127 4804

MEN WANTED AT ONCE ON SALARY and Expenses. One good man in each locality with rig or capable of handling horses to advertise and introduce our guaranteed Royal Purple Stock and Poultry Specifics. No experience necessary, we lay out your work for you. $25 a week and expenses. Position permanent. Write W. A. Jenkins Manfg. Co., London, Ont. 8tf eow wtf-45

VETERANS' SCRIP BOUGHT. HIGHEST cash price paid at your home bank. Write J. H. McDiarmid, Saturday Night Building, Toronto. 6d 126 4798

WANTED — WORK OF ANY KIND, sawing wood, taking out ashes or any odd job by respectable man. Apply at this office. dh 6d

WANTED — ORGANIZER IN PETERborough for first-class social and beneficial order; good remuneration. Address R. B. A., Land, National Club, Toronto. 30d 113 4592

PUPILS WANTED

PRIVATE SCHOOL — MISS D. J. HALL will re-open her Private School at 334 Charlotte street on Monday, January 4th, 1909. 2d 1 4814

HOUSES AND ROOMS TO LET

NICE LITTLE HOUSE, TO RENT IN a pleasant locality on the line of the Street Railway. Apply at 354 Charlotte street. 1d 1 4829

TO RENT — TWO COMFORTABLE Houses, centrally located, near to George street; one is a Seven Roomed House, with Electric Light and Sewer Connection, the other is a nice six roomed house with good garden attached and plenty of hard and soft water. For particulars apply to Examiner office. 7d 1 4805

TO LET — FURNISHED ROOMS WITH board; all conveniences. Apply 483, Aylmer street. 3d 1 4817

TO RENT — SUITE OF ROOMS IN Grand Central Building, heated and all modern conveniences; immediate possession. Apply 437 George street.

TO LET — FURNISHED ROOMS, ALL modern conveniences. Apply 191 King, near George. 3d 127 4798

TO RENT — SUITE OF ROOMS OVER J. C. Turnbull & Company's store, Simcoe Street; the rooms have all modern conveniences. Rent $10.00 per month; immediate possession. Apply 437 George street. tf

TO RENT—OFFICE No. 13 IN BANK OF Commerce Building; heated, possession immediately. Apply at 437 George Street.

HOUSES TO RENT — MODERN, EASY Warmed, bath, water, light; rent low. Apply 376 Water street. Phones: House 647 L. Office 498 L. dtf

TO RENT — HOUSE No. 342 RUBIDGE street; hot water heating and all modern conveniences; immediate possession. Apply 437 George street. d-tf

HOUSES TO RENT

Houses to Let at reasonable rent. Apply for particulars at **W. H. BRADBURN'S OFFICE** over Dominion Bank, corner George and Simcoe Streets. dtf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT — A FARM within 3 1-2 miles of Peterborough, and comprising 150 acres. Apply to William Snowden, 402 Reid street. 1d-1 1w-1 4815

FOR SALE — TEN SHARES FULLY paid up stock in the Peterborough Sandstone Brick Co., worth $50.00 per share; 36 per cent. will be given if sold at once. Apply Examiner office. 1m 115 4637

FOR SALE — 320 ACRES RAW WHEAT Land, Moose Jaw, Sask., district, twelve hundred dollars cash. Owner: R. J. Healy, 134 Shuter street, Toronto. 1m-30-4444

ALL KINDS OF ADVERTISING NOVelties, Pocket Mirrors, Tape-Measures Hand Mirrors, Paper Weights, Match Holders, etc. Samples at the Examiner office.

FOR SALE—ALL KINDS OF RUBBER Stamps. Apply at Examiner office.

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 2, 1909

RECENT PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED.

It energetic, enterprising and patriotic journalism deserves adequate reward—as far as is possible in this world—the Manitoba Free Press should have unlimited largesse showered upon it in respect of its persistent, original and even picturesque efforts to "boom" Manitoba and the Northwest, and exploit the apparently inexhaustible story of their resources. Year after year with the regularity of a collector of taxes, Christmas souvenirs come from the Free Press, with an accompanying booklet, bristling with unique information and redolent of some new form of provincial or territorial resources—reindeer pemmican from the north pole, a gray goose quill, a miniature barrel of sub-arctic flour, a bag of No. 1, hard, a pipe of peace, etc., etc. This year it is a box of Caviar from Lake Winnipeg, with an explanatory little text book, and sketch of the history of Caviar and a Cree legend of the sturgeon. Of course the booklet does not omit to sing the glories potential of Manitoba, not only of its soil but of its water; and proprietary bands are laid upon its new sea, Hudson's Bay and its wealth in whalebone blubber and fish is duly recorded. Caviar is the roe of the sturgeon prepared as a table delicacy, a sort of hors d'oeuvre, and a sort of blood relation to anchovy paste. The delicate Christmas attention of the Free Press, this year is inclosed in a little tin case and with the accompanying book, is symbolical of the neatness of the journalistic thrust of the Free Press under the fifth rib of its political adversaries. The chief merit, however, of this and similar Christmas remembrances of this living journal, is to dress in attractive garb new facts about the resources of the great west and give information which but for such annual exhibitions would largely be, like Hamlet's play, "caviare to the general." The Examiner gives the Free Press its congratulations and good wishes for what it richly deserves, a Happy New Year.

The Examiner acknowledges with thanks the receipt, from the publisher of "The Commercial Handbook of Canada,—Heaton's Annual" issued by Heaton's Agency, Toronto. As its name implies, this book of four hundred odd pages, is filled with information especially bearing upon commercial interests. Its contents include departments of "Commercial Information"—postal rates, banks and branches, insurance and trust companies, steamship and railway lines and every sort of information in demand in the transaction of all kinds of commercial business; "The Canadian Customs Tariff," the "Board of Trades Register" and "The Canadian Encyclopaedia" a mine of concise information compiled from latest official reports. In a word, Heaton's Annual is the Canadian Whitaker and contains in concise and convenient form a great store and variety of useful Canadian information. A copy of this year's edition, may be seen at the Examiner office, where the book may be obtained.

Thomas Carlyle says that the true university of these days is a collection of books.

SPELLING "REFORM."

The Globe dubs as "philistines"—that is persons deficient in culture and refinement—those who advocate the "barbarisms" represented by adherence to the time-honoured and venerated form of spelling the final syllable of "honour," favour, etc., with an "u" In another part of the same issue is found the following paragraph, under the heading, "Following the Imperial Dictionary":

> The spelling of such words as "honor" and "favor" with a "u" has been officially confirmed by the Department of Education. Dr. Seath, Superintendent of Education, yesterday stated that in the preparation of the new Public School Readers the English custom as expressed in the Imperial Dictionary, would be followed.

We have never had an embarrassing plenitude of occasion for commending the present administration of the Ontario Department of Education, but in issuing what the Globe emphatically calls "this absurd and futile order," the Department has taken an attitude of commendable conservatism. The "order" is not "absurd," though it may easily be "futile." It will be futile if those who, by virtue of position, influence and opportunity, should be able to set a wholesome example in the preservation of the purity of the English tongue in all its relations—set the example and lead the factions of literary anarchy, in the work of corrupting the noblest language of them all. The spelling of the words mentioned is the English spelling, honoured by centuries of usage by the greatest literary authorities of the world. The corrupted form of spelling, which the Globe and cognate orthographical iconoclasts seek to introduce, originated in the United States, not in the land that gave the English language its name, not in the land that, through the English language has given the world the greatest literature of all time. One would think that the greatest colonial offspring of the Motherland would be respectful enough to wait the initiative of the only country—the only authority—having a right, without the charge of impertinence, lying, to suggest and inaugurate "reforms." We derive our noblest conceptions of government, our highest conceptions of morality and honour, our highest ideals of literary, ethical and social, culture; all the best in liberal institutions and, in a word, all the essentials to the attainment and maintenance of the highest civilization from Great Britain.

Our national government gives the Mother country a trade preference and also an intellectual preference, with the object of making British literature more easily available to our Canadian people. Then, why, not exercise a preference in the matter of British orthography? No country could give Canada more hostile treatment in the matter of trade than the United States has done. Yet there are those who fawn upon our neighbours and adopt another form of hostility to what is British, in the shape of corrupted spelling. The bumptiousness that assumed to change the spelling of the English language in such words forms as "honour" and "centre" has gone a good deal further and much corrupted the English language into the most nauseating argot. The hideous slang that fouls the mouth and fairly rots the speech of Canadians is simply due to proximity to, and intercourse with, the source of this corrupt and corrupting travesty of language.

Any country, especially a young and growing country like Canada, can well take lessons from the energy, enterprise and business vivacity of our neighbours to the south of us. But there are many things, which have their origin there, to be avoided; among these are the debased coin of speech, the slang, the flippant phraseology, the disregard of correct grammatical orthoepic and orthographic forms. The cultured few are submerged by the philistines many, who have little reverence for the refinements of culture or the conventions sacred to the truly intellectual, and truly moral. In respect to many of these things we Canadians cannot throw stones at our neighbours. We fairly swim in a conversational sea of slang. We are coming to have less and less veneration and reverence for age, for our superiors in authority. We pick up and appropriate for our daily colloquial food, slang phrases and, insensibly, perhaps, the questionable moral quibbles and moral sentiments that father all, or at least most of them. Looseness of language and laxity of morals are not always strangers.

If anybody feels a call to literary reform, there is a riper and a wider field for the harvester than the arrogant assumption of authority to change centuries-sanctioned spelling at a few words. They would be better employed by trying to reform what is unquestionably bad — slang, flippant forms of speech, grammatical indifference and clipped and slovenly slurring of phrases, practised sometimes and too often, by persons of good educational acquirements. Here is a chance for reformers, a more legitimate outlet for reformatory activities, than the cry of reform where there is no reform.

By the way, where do the spelling "reformers" get their warrant for usurping the functions of a body like the Academie Francaise? We have no such organic body in relation to the English language. In conformity with the developmental character of all things British, language reform has come through the usage of the great lights of the British literary world. Custom and usage constitute our philological law. And, by the way, again, there would be no philology if the spelling reformers should have their way. There could be no philological conditions if words were deprived by phonetic spelling, approximate or complete, of their etymological character and historical and ethnic significance. Reform, or rather, change in the spelling of English words will come in a wholesome way when, by consensus of the great guild of litterateurs, it is due. In spelling reform as in many other things, festina lente is sound advice.

In words as fashions the same rule will hold,
Alike fantastic if too new or old;
Be not the first by whom the new is tried,
Nor yet the last to lay the old aside.
—Pope.

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street. Polling place, City Council Chambers.

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No 7—All the west ward between Sherbrooke street and Charlotte street. Polling place, G. Matthews' south end store, corner of Sherbrooke and Park streets.

No. 8—All the west ward between Charlotte and Brock and Weller streets. Polling place, A. J. Warne's store, 359 Charlotte street.

No 9—All the west ward north of Brock and Weller streets. Polling place N. Routley's, 392 Brock street.

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No. 10—All the north ward east of Aylmer street and south of Edinburgh street. Polling place, Mrs. Mann's, 601 George street.

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No. 13—All that part of the east ward south of Hunter street. Polling place the former village hall.

No 14—All that part of the east ward north of Hunter street. Polling place, Mrs. Swanston's residence, 44 Hunter street east.

HOW THE DAY WAS SPENT IN PETERBOROUGH CITY

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Brock street skating rink during the afternoon and evening. The ice was in good condition and a very enjoyable time was spent by the patrons. The Street Railway Rink and toboggan slide at Jackson Park also attracted many young people during the day.

The Auditorium Roller Rink was also a popular amusement place. There were many skating, and in the evening an enjoyable dance was held.

The Gold Lake Hunt Club had a successful turkey shoot at Jackson Park in the afternoon.

The junior O.H.A. team journeyed to Whitby and opened the O.H.A. season by losing to the Lakeshore aggregation by 7—1.

A very successful dance was held last evening in the Conservatory of Music Hall in aid of the Deep Sea Mission Fund.

The local theatres did a good holiday business in the afternoon and evening.

Eggshell Gas Mantles.

Eggshells as gas mantles is an idea from Germany. The contents are drawn or blown out, the ends are neatly cut off, and the body of the shell is fixed in position like the regular article. The light thus obtained is very good, while the new form of mantle is durable.

The New Game.

They say that there is a new game in the academic department. It is called the James game. You read a chapter of Henry James and count one for Mr. James when you can't understand a line and one for yourself when you can.—Yale Alumni Weekly.

Europe's "Sick Man."

It has been the custom to refer to the sultan of Turkey as "the sick man of Europe." It has been moved and seconded that the word "sick" be inserted in place of the word "sick." Are you ready for the question?—Buffalo Times.

The Suffragette Scored.

Probably the Suffragist who has done more to enlist recruits to the cause than any other woman is Miss Annie Kenney, the young factory girl, whose magnetic personality endears her even to crowds hostile to her views. Miss Kenney has a wonderful knack of answering the objections of her hearers, as the following little story will show. While she was speaking on her favorite topic before a mixed audience a man objected to her arguments on the ground that as man was created first he was superior to woman. "Ah," replied Miss Kenney, without a moment's hesitation, "do you know what Burns said about that? He said:

His 'prentice hand He tried on man,
And then He made the lasses, O."

After that the interrupter left hurriedly.

Thrifty.

"Well, parson, is your flock lib'ral in their 'nevolences?"

"Liberal? Well, I should say dey is not that. Why, when I asted them to sing 'Ole Hundred' dey done sung 'Ten Ninety and Nine.'"—Harper's.

Ocean Tariff Statistics.

Last year's total westbound ocean traffic from Canada was 224,000 for all ports, but up to date the figures are only 104,000. The eastbound traffic to Canada for all ports was 55,000, and already this year there is a total of 50,000. The Dominion immigration policy is held responsible for the reduction.

Sealed Tenders addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Masonry, Concrete Pile Work, &c., at Kingston Military College," will be received at this office until 4.00 P.M. on Thursday, January 7, 1909, for the construction of Block and Mass Concrete, Dry Masonry Walls, Renewal of old foundation timbers of Pile Pier, in front of Royal Military College at Kingston, County of Frontenac, Ontario, according to a plan and specification to be seen at the offices of J. G. Sing, Esq., Resident Engineer, Confederation Life Building, Toronto, on application to the Postmaster at Kingston, Ont., and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, for twelve hundred dollars ($1,200.00), must accompany each tender. The cheque will be forfeited if the person tendering decline the contract or fail to complete the work contracted for and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
NAPOLEON TESSIER,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, Dec. 7, 1908.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the department. 4s-112

Sealed Tenders adressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tenders for Quarters for Stable Establishment, Kingston, Ontario," will be received at this office until 4.00 p.m. on Monday, December 28th, 1908, for the construction of Quarters for Stable Establishment R. M. C. Kingston, Ont.

Plans and specifications can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department and on application to H. P. Smith, Esq., Architect, Kingston, Ont.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with their actual signatures.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank made payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent., 10 p. c., of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

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By order,
NAPOLEON TESSIER,
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Department of Public Works.
Ottawa, December 12, 1908.

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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTHWEST LAND REGULATIONS

ANY PERSON who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother, or sister of intending homesteader.

DUTIES—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price $3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

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"The bee is the expert assistant of the horticulturist and the farmer. So indispensable are its functions in the pollination of fruits, vegetables, cereals and grasses that its activities may be said to lie at the foundation of all successful agriculture. Nature has ordained one supreme law, that of creation, the perpetuation of the race type. This law, universal in its application and absolutely identical in its form, obtains in the plant world as in the animal world. The luscious pulp of the fruit is the envelope, the package, the strong box, devised by nature to protect the seed within from injury and render it susceptible of germination so that the type may be reproduced in all its perfection.

"The bee, like other insects, effects incidental pollination of flowers in its search for nectar; but its great value to the fruit grower lies in this, that it goes to the flowers specifically to gather pollen, literally by the carload in the hairy baskets on its legs, hastening from bloom to bloom, rolling and packing and literally rioting in the golden dust, pregnant with the microscopic germs of plant life, until the golden pellets are packed away in its hair baskets, to be carried to the hive for storage as an indispensable portion of the food of its young during the winter months to come.

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To Prevent Flowers Freezing

From Farm and Dairy.

I have found a way to keep flowers perfectly secure, and no danger of their freezing on the coldest night. I have two boxes, one for my geraniums and other flowers like them, and one for my calla lilies, tuberoses, and anything I happen to have belonging to the lily family. These boxes are about two feet high with a lid fastened on with hinges, and they are large enough to hold all my flowers. I line these boxes with a dozen or more thicknesses of newspaper. Then on cold nights I take my geraniums from the windows and set the pots in one of them, leaving room in the centre of the box for a lighted lamp. I then close the lid and in the morning they are as sweet and smiling as if they had slept in a bed of down.

Of course, I am always careful to have plenty of oil in the lamp to burn all night. In the centre of the box where I keep my calla lilies, I leave room for three or four hot bricks and on them I set a bucket of warm water, shut the lid, and they will not freeze. A calla does not object at all if I put a hot brick under each pot. Indeed, they seem to like it very much, and amply reward me for my care.

You may think this is a great deal of trouble, but it is a labor of love for me. I have padded the top side of the lids of those boxes, and quilled a dark maroon-colored curtain all around them. Then during the day, while my flowers are enjoying the sunshine in the windows, the boxes are placed across the corners, and instead of being unsightly, they are an ornament to the room.

Exports Of Cheese From Canada

From Farm and Dairy.

Exports of cheese from Montreal for the season of 1908 amounted to 1,785,696 boxes, as compared with 1,973,417 boxes for the previous season, or a decrease for the past season of 187,721 boxes. When comparison is made with the season of 1906 the past season's exports show a decrease of 442,142 boxes, while they are 610,236 boxes below the exports for 1903, which was the banner year for cheese production. It will thus be seen that since 1903 there has been a decided falling-off in the cheese exports. The exports for 1907 were much the smallest for any season since that of 1901, when they amounted to only 1,791,613 boxes, but the exports for the past season have fallen below this, and are the smallest for any season since 1896, when the exports amounted to only 1,726,237 boxes.

Taking the whole range of prices paid on the country boards during the season, the average price for the season was around 12c a lb., or $9.60 a box, as compared with an average price of 11 7/16c a lb., or $9.50 a box for the previous season. The value of the season's exports from Montreal was, therefore, approximately $17,142,681, as compared with $18,747,461 for the season of 1907, or a decrease of $1,604,780. The shipments from Quebec this season were slightly in excess of those of last year, amounting to 60,202 boxes, of a value of $577,939, making the total exports of Canadian cheese up to the close of navigation 1,845,798 boxes, of the value of $17,720,620, as against total exports for 1907 of 2,031,402 boxes, of the value of $19,298,318, or a net decrease for this season of 185,504 boxes, and a decrease in returns from the season's movement of $1,577,698.

The Horse Breeders' Exhibition

From Farm and Dairy.

Great interest is being taken in The Ontario Horse Breeders' Exhibition to be held at the Union Stock Yards, West Toronto, January 13th to 15th, 1909. This is clearly shown by the large number of enquiries which are being received for Prize Lists, Entry Forms, Programs and other information regarding the Exhibition. The Prize List with the exception of one class is confined entirely to breeding horses. The principal breeds used in Ontario being given classes in the Premium List. This takes in Clydesdales, Shires, Hackneys, Standard Breds, Thoroughbreds and Ponies.

Visitors attending the Exhibition will be able to inspect the horses with a great deal of satisfaction, the horses being stabled in buildings adjacent to the Show Arena. One admission each (25 cents) will admit visitors to all parts of the show. It will not be necessary to point out the great advantages to be derived to both exhibitors, buyers and other visitors by having accommodation so that horses may be seen both in the ring and in the stalls at any time during the exhibition. The stabling will accomodate about 250 horses. The ring will be 160 ft. long and 45 ft. wide will accommodate about 250 horses. The ring will be 160 ft. long and 45ft. wide and seating accommodation will be provided for 1000 people.

Single fare passenger rates have been arranged to Toronto during the Exhibition so that the expense of going to Toronto to see the Show will be comparatively small. You will have a good time, and will also have exceptional opportunity to compare the best class of both light and heavy stallions and mares now located in the Province of Ontario.

Proper Inspection Of Meat

From Farm and Dairy.

The law requiring the inspection of meats intended for interprovincial trade in the Dominion has been rescinded for the time being as far as poultry is concerned. Until recently the railways refused to accept poultry for shipment to points outside the province of consignment unless it had been inspected according to the law which requires that all meats shipped must bear the stamp of a government inspector. It has been found impracticable to apply this rule to poultry, so a notice has been issued from the live stock department to all Canadian railways permitting them to accept such consignments without inspection.

Many merchants, not thinking the law applied to poultry, in anticipation of Christmas trade, had laid in large stocks of turkeys, geese, ducks, fowl, etc., but when they commenced to ship they found that the railways refused to carry their goods on account of the law. Had they been compelled to dispose of their stocks within their respective provinces many of them would have been at a great loss. The shipments of dressed poultry are so large and so numerous that it was found impossible to apply the law to them. The removal of the rule greatly facilitated the Christmas trade.

Importance of Good Weather

From Farm and Dairy.

A factor of predominating importance in fruit culture is the weather at blossoming time. As records given in Bulletin 269 of the Agricultural Experiment Station at Geneva, N. Y., show, in 13 years out of the 25 between 1881 and 1905, unfavorable weather during mid-May seriously affected fruit yields. Little can be done to control such injury after fruit plantations have been established, but in deciding upon locations and varieties to be set, careful consideration should be given to weather conditions, since many factors, both general and local, influence frosts, rain-storms and winds.

The bulletin mentioned above discusses the various climatic features which make up "weather," the manner and extent of injury to fruits due to each, methods of preventing such injury and the resistance of the different species and varieties of fruit to climatic stresses. Topographic and weather records are given for 100 localities in the state; so that the prospective orchardist can study intelligently the problem of locating his plantation.

Board of Education

To the Ratepayers of the City

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
I am again a candidate for election as one of your representatives on the Board of Education of the City. By your kind favour I have been one of the members for thirteen years, and I trust that my services have been such as to merit a renewal of your confidence.

4d-124 Respectfully,
ROBERT FAIR

Vote for
W. H. G. ARMSTRONG
For Alderman for the year 1909 and Honest, Efficient, and Economical City Government. No interests, but those of the City will receive his consideration.
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WM. MADILL
for
Board of Education
for
1909

R. NEILL
for
Alderman for 1909
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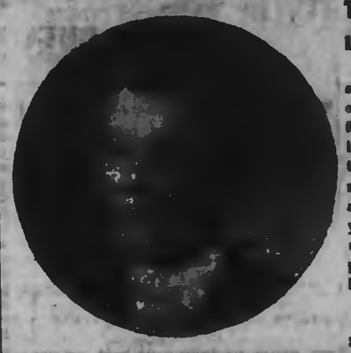

TO THE ELECTORS
Ladies and Gentlemen

Having been nominated for Alderman, and having been urged by a large number of all classes of citizens to remain in the field, I have decided to do so. If you think I will represent you well, I will be pleased to secure your vote and influence to insure my election. I have always been very much averse to personal canvassing, but I assure you I will appreciate your support all the more because it is given unsolicited, and I promise, if elected, to do my best without fear or favour.

Yours respectfully,
3d 125 **ANDREW BROWN**

Vote for the People's Candidate

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough:

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
Having been again urged to stand for Alderman, I have accepted the nomination and leave myself in your hands. If you re-elect me my motto will continue to be: to practice the same economy in civic affairs as any successful man must practice in his business affairs.

With best wishes for a Happy New Year and a low rate of taxes, I am, as ever, your obedient servant,
WILLIAM BULLER
4d-125

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:

Having accepted nomination as Alderman for 1909 I most respectfully solicit your vote and influence.

I have been honoured in representing the City on the Aldermanic board for the past four years, my efforts in this time have always been to serve the city's best interests My record is before you and on this I ask your support.

Wishing all a Happy and Prosperous New Year,
A. A. McINTYRE

YOUR VOTE
and INFLUENCE
respectfully solicited for the re-election of
J. J. TURNER, Jr.
for Alderman
4d-125

Card To The Electors

To the Ratepayers of the City of Peterborough.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
Having been urged by a large number of ratepayers to again stand for the Council, I have consented to do so, and I respectfully solicit your vote and influence for my re-election.

If elected, I will do everything in my power to forward the best interests of the City.

Thanking you one and all for past favours,

I remain, yours respectfully,
W. G. MORROW
4d-125

RE-ELECTION OF
ALD. DUNCAN

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
Having accepted the nomination for re-election as Alderman of the City for the coming year, I respectfully solicit your votes and influence.

If I am favoured with your confidence and secure election, I shall do my very best to look after your interests and to faithfully discharge the duties pertaining to the position in such a manner as to, I hope, merit the approval of the majority of the electors.

Wishing you all a Happy and Prosperous New Year,
GEO. H. DUNCAN
4d-125

J. D. CRAIG
(Furniture Dealer)
FOR
ALDERMAN
FOR
1909

Card From Ald. Phelan

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
Having been again honoured with nomination for alderman, I have accepted the same at the solicitation of a large number of influential ratepayers.

My record in the Council in the past is well known to all, and if again honoured with your confidence, I will endeavour to render efficient service. Such good business judgment as may have qualified me for being of service to the City, will be used to the best of my ability.

Wishing you all the compliments of the season,
4d-124
HARRY PHELAN

Card From Mr. Duffus

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
I have accepted nomination for Alderman at the request of numerous influential ratepayers of the City. If elected, I promise to give diligent attention to the duties of the office. Being a heavy taxpayer and having a good knowledge of City affairs, I feel that I should be of assistance in safeguarding the public interests; and I promise, if elected, to do all that careful judgment can do to promote the welfare of our progressive city.

JOSEPH J. DUFFUS
4d-124

Your **VOTE**
and **INFLUENCE**
respectfully solicited for the election of
JOSEPH A. METHERAL
as Alderman.
Election: January 4th, 1909.
4d-125

CARD FROM
Mr. BOGUE

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
Having been honoured with a nomination as a candidate for Alderman for 1909, I beg leave publicly to accept the nomination and respectfully solicit your votes and influence. I appreciate the importance and responsibilities of this position, and if elected, I promise that the best interests of the City will receive my watchful attention.

Yours respectfully,
JAMES BOGUE
4d-125

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

Having been nominated for the position of Alderman, at the request of a large number of the ratepayers, I have consented to become a candidate.

I am opposed to personal solicitation, believing that the office should seek the man.

Through the medium of the public press I respectfully solicit your vote and influence to secure my election, and, if elected, I will endeavour to discharge the duties pertaining to this office to the best of my ability.

Respectfully yours,
ALEX GIBSON
4d-125

Re-Election of
ALD. BRADBURN

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
I have consented to again accept the nomination for Alderman for 1909; if you think me still qualified to further your wishes for another year, the municipal experience I have had is again placed at your service. Being in touch with the unfinished business which goes over to the council of 1909, you will understand the extra responsibilities which go with my re-election.

Yours respectfully,
W. H. BRADBURN
4d-125

RE-ELECTION OF
ALD. GILLESPIE

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
At the request of many citizens largely interested in the welfare of Peterborough, I have decided to again accept nomination as Alderman. I trust that the confidence reposed in me last year has strengthened my candidature for a second term. If so, my aim will continue to be the advancement of the progress of our growing city. While I will oppose without fear or favour all useless expenditure, I shall support all wise measures calculated to build up our natural resources, irrespective of wards or boundaries.

Respectfully yours,
GEO. A. GILLESPIE
4d-125

Board of Education

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
Your Vote and Influence are respectfully solicited in behalf of my re-election, as member of the Board of Education for the coming year. I have endeavored during the past two years to serve your interests faithfully, and if favoured again with your confidence will use my best efforts for the advancement of Education in this city.

Respectfully Yours,
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W. S. ROBINSON

To the Electors of the City of Peterboro

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
I have again accepted the nomination for the position of Alderman for the coming year. If I am elected I will endeavour to do my utmost for the best interests of the City. My position on all matters has heretofore been clear and I will continue to act in this manner if I am elected.

Thanking you in anticipation of your support, I beg to remain,

Your obedient servant,
HARRY MORGAN
4d-126

Dr. McClelland,
For Board of Education

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—
In deference to the wishes of many of the ratepayers, I have consented to my nomination for the Board of Education. I will, therefore, esteem it a favor to have your support on behalf of my election.

M. McCLELLAND

Re-Elect M. A. Morrison

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
Your VOTE and INFLUENCE for the re-election of
M. A. Morrison.
3d126 for Board of Education for 1909

To The Electors of The City of Peterborough.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
I again solicit your votes to elect me to the City Council. I have served in the Council three years, and believe that the experience gained will enable me to give better service another year, and if elected I will do my best in the interest of every part of the city.

I have the honour to be,
Your obedient servant,
G. E. ELLIOTT
4d-126

For Alderman
ARCHIE R. MOORE

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—
I respectfully request the support of the ratepayers in favour of my election for Alderman for 1909. I have lived among you all my life, and know the requirements of the City. If elected I promise to faithfully serve your best interests in every way.

Your support solicited.
ARCHIE R. MOORE
4d-125

Your Vote and Influence
RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED
FOR THE ELECTION OF
DR. E. V. FREDERICK
FOR MEMBER OF
BOARD OF EDUCATION
FOR 1909
Election January 4th, 1909
3d-126

"It's Confidence That Does It"

Season's Greetings

At this, the Festive Season, we offer our thanks to the public for their liberal patronage during the year now rapidly drawing to a close. It has been our constant endeavor to give satisfaction to everyone, and the results of the year's business would seem to indicate that we have in a great measure succeeded.

Ready again to serve you with FAMILY GROCERIES, perfect in quality, perfectly kept and moderately priced.

CANDY, don't be without Candy New Year's, wouldn't be New Year's without Candy. We have bushels of it and Nuts and other Table delicacies.

WHITE & GILLESPIE

HAPPY NEW YEAR

We now bid good-bye to the old year and welcome the new.

During the coming year we will renew our efforts to merit the patronage so liberally extended to us.

With thanks and best wishes to all our patrons we say once more A Happy New Year.

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CHURCH SERVICES TO-MORROW IN THE DIFFERENT CHURCHES

ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL.— At St. Peter's Cathedral there will be three masses celebrated:—

At 8 a.m., Low Mass; at 9.15 a.m., Children's Mass; at 10.30 a.m., High Mass; at 7 p.m., Vespers with sermon.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH — Rev. J. C. Davidson, Rector

2nd Sunday after Christmas.
Holy Communion, 8.30 and 11 a.m.
Hymns 315, 70, 317, 324.
Kyrie, Sanctus, Benedictus, Gloria in Excelsis sung to Woodward's setting.
Offertory: Sentences 1, 2 (Rogers).
3 p.m. Sunday School. Bible Classes.
7 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.
Hymns 207, 70, 73, 78.
Glorias 174; Magnificat, Smart in D; Nunc Dimittis, Chant 76.
Anthem: "While Shepherds watched" (Best)

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH. — Rev. Dr. Langfeldt, M. A., Rector.

2nd Sunday after Christmas.
11. Holy Communion and Sermon.
3 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Class.
7.00 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.
Rev. Dr. Langfeldt will preach at both services.

The mid-week service will not be held this week owing to the week of prayer that has been arranged.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH.—Corner of Rubidge and Sherbrooke Streets.

Rev. H. R. Trumpour, M.A., B.D., Rector.
2nd Sunday after Christmas.
8.30 a.m. Holy Communion.
11 a.m. Matins and Sermon. Subject: "What we must strive to attain in All Saints' Church this year."
3 p.m. Sunday School Christmas Service.
7 p.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon. Subject: "A Last Look at 1908 — its Events, Tendencies and the Death Roll of the Great."

The Rector will preach at both services to-morrow.

CHARLOTTE STREET METHODIST Church—Rev G W Henderson, pastor.

Decision Day. 11 a.m. Subject: "Philip and the Ethiopian."
Subject: "The Ascension of Christ."
3 p.m. Adult Bible Classes and Sabbath School.
7 p.m. Subject: "What shall we do with Christ?"

All week night services will be postponed on account of the Week of Prayer.

MARK STREET METHODIST CHURCH. — Rev. C. H. Coon, pastor.

Sunday School at 2.45.
Class Meeting at 10 a.m.
Service at 11 a.m. Subject: "What is Religion?"
In the evening the Pastor will speak on the subject: "The Angel of the Divine Presence."

GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH — Rev. Edwin A. Pearson, B.A., Pastor.

There will be a Covenant Service in this Church to-morrow morning. In the evening the subject will be "Forgetting the Past."
The Pastor will conduct both services.
2.30 p.m. Sabbath School. The following Bible Classes will meet:
Inthon (Men's). Teacher: the Pastor.
Onward (Ladies'). Teacher: Mr. Switzer.
Welcome (Young Ladies'). Teacher: Mrs. Stubbs.
Friendly (Young Men). Teacher: Mr. Robertson.

ST. JAMES METHODIST — Rev. H. M. Manning, Pastor.

Regular Morning Church Service and Sunday School in the afternoon.
There will be no service at night.
It is proposed to begin public Services in the basement of the New St. James Methodist Church building about the end of January or the beginning of February. In the meantime the Sunday School will be held as usual in the King Edward School, and the week night service in the homes of the members of the congregation.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH — Rev. Robt. Pogue, Pastor.

Mr Pogue will teach the "Mitto Adult Bible Class." Inspector Mowat will teach the Young Men's Class. The Guild will meet at 8.15 Sabbath evening.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH. — Presbyterian, corner of Rubidge and Brock streets, Rev. Jas. G. Potter, B.A, pastor

Usual Services. 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
3 p.m. Sunday School.

KNOX CHURCH — Rev. H. J. Keith, B.D., M.A.

3.00 p. m. Young Men's Guild and Sunday School.

THE MURRAY STREET BAPTIST CHURCH — Rev. J. R. Webb, pastor.

PARK STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. W. C. Riddiford, Pastor.

11 a.m. "The Old Year and the New." Covenant Service at close of service.
3 p.m. Bible School. Decision Day.
7 p.m. "Life's Solitary Places."
Monday evening: B.Y.P.U., Special Literary Evening.
Wednesday, 8 p.m.: Prayer Meeting. Mr. J. C. Miller, Choir leader.
All made welcome.

BETHANY CHURCH—Regular services morning and evening, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Bible School at 3 p.m.

GOSPEL HALL — Corner of George and Brock Streets.

The Sunday School will be held at three o'clock. Any children not attending any school are heartily welcome.

SALVATION ARMY CITADEL — 226 Simcoe street., Bell telephone 440.

Staff Capt. and Mrs. Walton in charge.
7.00 a.m. Early Morning Prayer Service.
9.15 a.m. Bible Class
11.00 a.m. Holiness Address.
3.00 p.m. Sunday School.
3.00 p.m. Public Song and Praise Service.
7.00 p.m. Public Salvation Meeting.
The band will be in attendance at morning, afternoon and evening services and will render special music.
Wednesday evening at 8.00 p.m. private soldiers' meeting.
Public Weeknight Meetings at 8 on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Everybody welcome.

THE EXHIBITION GROUNDS BY-LAW.

To the Editor of The Examiner,—

Sir,—It is to be hoped that this bylaw will be defeated by so conclusive a majority that it will not be resurrected in any form.

Leaving the merely occasional use of the grounds out of the question, why should we sink money in an enterprise in which the farming community is equally concerned with ourselves, but which we alone, it seems, are asked to pay?

We have lately spent immense sums for school buildings, drainage, etc., we have still before us to be provided an isolation hospital and a refuge for the old and destitute now placed in the gaol. In the face of all this, will it not be well to "put on the brakes" financially, and to restrict ourselves to necessary expenditures?

Yours, etc.,
RATEPAYER.

MR. LANGFORD'S VIEWS ON BY-LAWS TO BE PRESENTED ON MONDAY

To the Editor of the Examiner,—

Three by-laws for a total of over $100,000 are to be submitted to the qualified ratepayers on Monday. Now, Mr. Editor, I would like to say a few words in regard to these by-laws. For $100,000 is quite a large sum of money and would be a charge on the city of $8,000 a year for twenty years.

Individuals and councils often get careless and extravagant in the expenditure of money when it can be got easily by borrowing and do not give that careful consideration to things that they should or would, if they had to pay as they go. We will look at these by-laws separately.

First—There is one for $21,500 to purchase land for street extensions, etc. This, no doubt, is required and is a necessary outlay, on account of the growth of the city, and as a considerable part of this amount has already been expended, and we would have to pay it out of current account; therefore, it is advisable to carry this by-law.

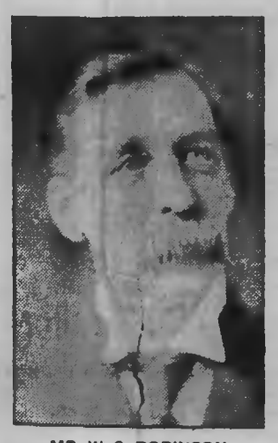
The second by-law is for $30,000. I think very few ratepayers will vote for this by-law, as it seems absurd to think of such a thing seriously as to pay $30,000 to have the Peterborough Agricultural Fair held here for one day each year. What has the fair been worth to the municipality for the last twenty years? We must judge of the future by the past. I do not believe that this by-law was well considered by the council, or it would never have been submitted to the people. It should be voted down.

The third of these by-laws is for $49,000 to build a bridge on Smith Street. Now a bridge is wanted and should be built at once, as the bridge there at present has outlived its time, but why should we spend $49,000 for a bridge when we can build a first class highway bridge for half the money. The bridge proposed by the engineer would be built of concrete with three arches and would be a very fine looking bridge, but very expensive, as a complete wooden structure the full size and in every part the same as the finished bridge, for a mould for the concrete, would have to be constructed. This mould or form would have to be very strong to support the weight of the wet concrete and to build this in a river as deep and strong as the Otonabee is very expensive, and as this false work has to remain in place several months to allow time for the cement to set, there is a certain amount of risk of it being carried away by the floods. There are few bridges, if any, in existence, built of concrete, having several arches and over a river as deep as this. Such bridges are as yet in an experimental stage, and I think it would be unwise for us to build such a bridge, particularly when we can build one of a permanent character, that is no experiment, but a sure thing, for so much less. A steel bridge can be built for $24,000, less than half the price of the other. This bridge would be a three span steel bridge with concrete floor and pier. 18-foot roadway, two sidewalks and strong enough to carry any load. It would be much superior to the Hunter street bridge, and heavier than any in this locality. This is the style of bridge in use on the highways and railroads all over Canada. It is no experiment and in my opinion is the safest bridge to build. The saving on this bridge as compared with the one proposed would be $2,000 a year or $40,000 in the twenty years the debentures would have to run. Now, I think it would be advisable to vote this by-law down and let the council get plans for a proper bridge at Smith street, and submit another by-law for an amount to build a suitable bridge, which, I am sure, will not exceed $25,000.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor,
WM. LANGFORD.

P. S.—The steel bridge can be built in half the time it would require to construct the concrete bridge.
W. L.

MR. ROBERT FAIR,
Chairman of the Board of Education again in the Field



MR. W. S. ROBINSON,
One of the old members of the Board of Education who is seeking re-election

THE CITY'S FINANCES ARE DISCUSSED AGAIN

Mr. Ed. M. Elliott Presents His Views on the Subject of What Assets Are:

To the Editor of The Examiner:

It was set out in a letter in your paper a few days ago that I placed the market block and fire hall sewers, etc., in a line, when, as you will remember, I stated that some were convertible and some inconvertible, in so far as ready cash was concerned.

It is easily understood that the market block, Hilliard farm and water works plant, could all be sold readily, and sewers, sidewalks, bridges, schools, fire hall, etc., could not probably be disposed of at all; at any rate, some of them. It was also stated that a creditor would not consider the health and education of the city an asset against a money liability, when on the contrary, a creditor of the city will make just such terms with a city, as the credit of the city guarantees, and if schools, fire hall, sewers, waterworks, bridges, sidewalks, market accommodation, city hall and gravel, are all provided for, then it follows those same provisions will not have to be made and better terms can be secured from the creditor.

I fancy the writer would advance money by way of a loan to a farmer having a house and two barns and considerable drainage done, with a $1,000 already against his farm, in preference to the farmer with no house, no barns and no draining done, and $1,000 against his farm. A fair comparison to the city, only the figures are $1,000,000 in the case of the city.

I claim all are assets and that all alike are paying the interest and providing a sinking fund from the rates collected from year to year.

Although I did comprise the waterworks and sewers, in so far as such were concerned as assets, I do not want it inferred that I am finding any fault with the management of our waterworks system, but, it is contrary, the results of that management are apparent from the fact that the rates are exceptionally low compared with former years, or prior to the city controlling it, and the city is to be congratulated upon the financial abilities of the commissioners and the executive ability of their engineer and his staff. Or under different management, instead of having a $20,000 reserve fund it might easily have cost $50,000 more and have no reserve fund.

Yours respectfully,
ED. M. ELLIOTT.

ADVOCATES PURCHASE OF DRIVING PARK

Considers it in the Interest of the City and Farmers to Secure This Property.

"LIVE CITIZEN" WRITES

To the Editor of The Examiner:

Dear Sir — To the Examiner, it's readers, and the citizens of Peterborough, a very happy New Year. The busy man or woman looks back over the week which has been so much interest to them. The great strain on the mind to make a success and as the year 1908 is at a close it reminds us that all things have an ending.

Some are satisfied with the results of their pursuits in business, some are never satisfied till the great end comes, and then we must not judge. We have received a great many gifts and blessings from Almighty God during the year for which we should be very thankful. We live in this fine country of peace and liberty.

Many have lost dear ones and ties have been broken that never can be mended. How many husbands are in sorrow for the loss of a dear and faithful wife and many widows feel the loss of a faithful husband. And many parents are grieved for the loss of children, especially those who were cut off so suddenly those who went out in the morning and ere the sun went down were hurried into eternity. Some by drowning, met a watery grave, some by railway accident, and a great number by heart failure and other fatal causes. These things speak to us and say—prepare to meet thy God. And to all bereaved we extend our sincere sympathy that we shall all meet in the sweet bye and bye.

Then we have the worry and turmoil of life's work. We all will admit that we have done many things that we should not have done, and left undone many things that we should have done. Still the day of opportunity is past. We trust with the beginning of the New Year make new resolutions and ask for forgiveness, for new strength and in the same spirit for grace to forgive one another. This was our Saviour's great request.

We have great facilities to develop in our young city, and there is nothing so important, so honourable and effective as true fellowship in caring for one another. Christ gave us the example; it was His whole training on earth. A kind word, a sympathetic look heals many wounds.

We see all the preparations for 1909. The people expect it will come sure. We are called by this new birth to get busy and look after the child's business by appointing chosen men to look after our city's interests. It is a very important act marking a ballot intelligently, to elect men of a progressive spirit of mind.

We are asked to vote on several by-laws; we should study well what we vote to do. The Smith street bridge is first; it should be built as quickly as possible. A substantial steel bridge for ordinary traffic, but unless the city is to have some profits from the Street Railway Company as an asset, why should people pay for an asset for the Street Railway? Would they not be better apart as horses would scare worse on the bridge than on the ordinary highway. Then we have the great difference of $22,000 and $49,000. The street extension by-law should carry easily.

What about the new park and exhibition grounds at the south end? This stand should be well looked into. Please just think. Can Peterborough city afford to be without a driving park; surely not. I have had no conversation with or scarcely know the gentleman that owns the grounds; never spoke to him on this question whatever. But it is for sale and will be sold. From information received I think he has been very lenient in the past, giving the use of the grounds for a very small amount. There is no better situation in Ontario, so level, so well adapted for the purpose; the main roads leading to it from all directions. If Mr. Morrow had been greedy for money as some of those who are talking about it being too dear a bargain, he would have had it cut up into lots and we would not have the privilege of owning one of the finest parks for driving and pleasure purposes in America.

Then in our New Year's resolution let us not forget to fight selfishness. The good people in the south end have a right to honest consideration. In the north and centre of the city they have all the parks and conveniences possible. Give the south end a chance and perhaps you will see some life and a toboggan slide, too. They will not be behind if they get a chance to erect buildings on the grounds, neither will the several stock associations connected with the Agricultural interests. To speak candidly, the city of Peterborough cannot afford to be without it at all. What will be the result if the by-law does not carry. It will be sold to a company or speculators and they will have to pay not $28,000, but $50,000 or more. I was greatly surprised at the Board of Trade meeting held recently. It seemed like a stock market, only they were all bears. There were no bulls at all except from an outside source. Mr. Editor, it made me serious to listen to some of the arguments set forth. Well I came to the conclusion that you could not learn everything and especially the requirements of the people by sitting in office. I would rather get out into the county and learn something new. Progression is the word. Do not be afraid all the time. We want to make our young city a good live city. It has the facilities.

A genuine railway centre in the centre of Ontario, the banner province of our great Dominion. Our navigable waters through the early completion of Trent Valley Canal. The water power is only in its infancy. The great factor is the great agricultural country we have around the city of Peterborough. The very enthusiastic farmers. We should be proud of them. Mark the development of the last 25 years. They have far beaten our cities and towns. How have they accomplished this? By studying system and work with our fail. They have a good market by raising good stock, cheese, etc. Let us help them along with ourselves by looking into the future and let Ontario and the World see that we have enterprize and we will see the greatest and best pleasure and driving park and exhibition grounds, the best asset the city would have.

I ask your pardon for so long a letter and will trust that the honest citizens of Peterborough will decide for their best interests by buying the grounds.

A LIVE CITY.

P. S.—I would like to see some of our financiers explain how much each ratepayer would pay each year per $1000 assessment on the 20 year debentures. It would frighten you, it's so small.

MESSRS. LAIDLAW & OLES' CHANGE IN BUSINESS

Mr. Oles Retires From the Firm and Mr. Laidlaw Continues the Business.

With the beginning of the New Year, the clothing business so successfully carried on during the past two years by Messrs. Laidlaw & Oles and known as the "Fashion-Craft" store on Hunter street, has undergone a change. Mr. Oles retires from the firm and Mr. A. Laidlaw continues the business in future.

This change has necessitated a general clearing sale of the balance of the stock of high class clothing and furnishings. The well known reputation of "Fashion-Craft" clothing will doubtless be a strong inducement for gentlemen to take advantage of the extra reductions offered during this sale. As the dissolution sale only last for ten days from to-day, the early lookers will have the first choice of this high grade stock. See advertisement in another column.

It is understood that Mr. Oles' retirement is occasioned by the demand of his physicians for a protracted rest, owing to the severe illness he has passed through during the summer.

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Prices that are sure to sell the goods. Just imagine; profits or cost not considered.

Fine Stationery

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Grecian Pottery and Iridescent Satatuary at Half Price

Grecian Vases, Jardinaires and Ornaments, Statuettes, beautiful changing colourings, $5.00, 4.00, 3.00, 2.00, 1.00, all at ½ of the price marked.

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All last year and previous copyright books, 1.50, 1.25, $1.00, choice for..... **55c**

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Including: Henty, Alger, Harkness, Oliver Optics, L. T. Muade, Kingston. Before New Year's Price, 50c, 35c, 25c lines for **22c**

Fancy Goods at 1/3 off

Brush Comb Sets, Manicure Sets, Shaving Sets, all reduced ⅓ for New Year's.

Bags and Purses reduced for New Years. We sold more leather goods than any two stores owing to our quality and price. They're all reduced this week.

Pictures at 25% reduction. Some pretty subjects left at ¼ off the regular price.

New Year's Calendars and Cards at half price and lower. No use carrying over for another year.

We want a big New Year's rush to complete a very successful year.

Come and assist us. We thank you for past favours. Hope for a continuation of same.

A. H. STRATTON & CO.

417 George Street, Peterborough

NEW YEAR'S RECEPTION AT Y. W. C. A.

Very Enjoyable Time Spent by the Ladies and Their Friends.

The reception rooms at the Young Women's Christian Association looked very bright and attractive yesterday, with the holiday decorations of evergreens, holly, and Christmas bells in profusion. Added to this the cheery grate fires and the equally warm, hospitable welcome given by the ladies to their guests. They hope there will be many similar social gatherings enjoyed during the present year of 1909.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board will be held on Monday, January the 4th at three o'clock.

A WOMAN'S GRATITUDE.

A Mountain Woman Writes in Praise of Newbro's Herpicide.

"For several years I have been troubled with dandruff, causing me much annoyance, and my hair became very thin. I have used Newbro's Herpicide for a month and the dandruff has entirely disappeared and my hair is becoming much heavier than formerly. New hair is growing where there was none and I am thankful to you for the benefit I have received from Newbro's Herpicide. Very truly yours,

MRS. C. B. FOSTER
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Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to the Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. Two sizes, 50c and $1. McDermid and Jury, and Payne's Drug Store, special agents. 3 boxes for $1.25.

A CHEAP BRIDGE AT ST. THOMAS

Correspondent Thinks This Should be of Interest to Local Ratepayers.

Editor Examiner,—

Sir,—Will you kindly re-publish the following from Toronto Saturday night. It will be of interest in view of the bylaw to be voted on on Monday in conection with the Smith street bridge:

"St. Thomas (notes the Times of that city) enjoys the distinction of having the longest single arch concrete span bridge in Canada. The bridge, known as the 'Lynhurst Bridge,' was just completed last summer and is an object of interest and admiration to all who see it. The structure was designed by Mr. James A. Bell, C. E., and the work of construction was in charge of Mr. Arch. Gillies, a graduate of the School of Practical Science, Toronto. The bridge has a clear span of 116 feet, and is about 125 feet over all. It has a clearance of 20 feet, made up of a 15-foot roadway and a four-foot sidewalk, and as the railings are each one foot in thickness, the total width of concrete is 22 feet. The total cost of the bridge was $11,500, this including contract price."

Yours, etc.,
ON-LOOKER.

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MRS. TIMMS WON THE BIG TURKEY

The Bird at Alex. Gordon's Tipped the Scale at 17 3-4 Pounds.

Five people were successful in guessing the correct weight of the big turkey exhibited at Alex. Gordon's butcher shop last week. The bird was weighed on Thursday night by a member of the Examiner staff and was found to weigh 17¾ lbs., which was the estimate of Miss Cameron, Mrs. Minorgan, Mrs. Timms and Messrs. Skeldons and Mein. It was decided to settle the matter by chance and a small boy, Johnnie Downer was called in from the street, the names placed in a hat and the boy asked to draw out one, with the result that Mrs. Timms was the lucky person and received the turkey as a reward.

Music and Drama

COOK STOCK CO. AT THE GRAND

Two large and appreciative audiances were in attendance at the Grand Opera House yesterday, when The Carl W. Cook Stock Company, presented The Little Duchess at the matinee, and Jim the Westerner at night like the former offerings of this popular company, the productions were of the best and gave the best kind of satisfaction. To-night will be the closing performance and The Man from Missouri or A Convict's Sweetheart will be the bill with another new addition of specialties. It will also be amateur night, and several good loca acts have entered for the contest.

IMPORTANT CHANGE IN CANADIAN PACIFIC TRANSCONTINENTAL SERVICE

During the months of January and February the C. P. R. 'Imperial Limited,' will not run between Montreal and Winnipeg, or between Calgary and Vancouver. This change will not, however, affect passengers from this district to any considerable extent. The departure time of the northwest express from Toronto to in unchanged from 10.15 p. m., daily, there is no change in the fast time made to Winnipeg, and for passengers to Calgary and points east, no wait in that city. Passengers for points west of Calgary and the coast will enjoy a welcome break in their long journey, arriving in Winnipeg at 10.40 p. m., and after an afternoon and evening in which to see the attractions of the western metropolis, leave for their destinations at 10.45 p. m. This opportunity to explore Winnipeg, the gateway to the Northwest, and famous for its rapid growth and prosperity, will undoubtedly be welcomed by cross-continent travellers. The change takes effect January 1st. 3d127-4800

OBITUARY.

R. KYLIE

Mr. Richard Kylie received intelligence ot the death of his brother, R Kylie, ot town, a number of brourday last. Deceased was 74 years old and has a large family, most of whom are grown up. Besides Mr. R Kylie ,ot town, a number of brothers reside in Peterborough. The late Mr. M Kylie was a respected citizen of Rochester. — Lindsay Watchman-Warder.

CHAS. A. GOUGH

The announcement ot the death of Chas. A Gough at Bay City ,Mich., was received in town by his brother, Mr. B J Gough, Thursday. No particulars were forthcoming, and Mr. Gough immediately left to attend the funeral, which was fixed to be held at nine o'clock Saturday to St. Basil's church, Toronto, thence to Mount Hope Cemetery. Three brothers survive, Messrs. B. J. Gough, Lindsay, and R. P. and H A., of Toronto.—Lindsay Watchman-Warder.

"Make a good article and tell the people ot its goodness and the people will buy it and continue to buy it." The truth of this statement is proved by the success of "Salada" Tea. 105

C. P. R. To Inaugurate "No Crop, No Payment" Plan For Selling Western Irrigated Lands

It is reported that the C.P.R. has in contemplation several radical changes with regard to the attracting of settlers to their irrigation lands east of Calgary. One of these is what is known as the "No crop, no payment" plan. In other words, settlers who buy this land will not be called upon to make a payment unless they get a crop. The idea has been discussed and it is probable that a definite announcement will be made in the near future.

Such a proposal could only be backed by the most absolute confidence in the district, and the ability of the land to pay for itself. Since the irrigated land in the Bow River district was first thrown open to settlers there have been good crops every year, not only on the irrigated land, but also on the land above the irrigation line. In fact they have been so good that in many cases the farmer each year has been gaining the full irrigation price. The new plan is to be offered as a special inducement with the idea of hastening settlement. It is estimated that the irrigation district is capable of supporting a population of 90,000, with a tributary urban population of 60,000 more. Such an increase in population would mean a tremendous increase in freight and passenger traffic, and would more than compensate the company for any extra expenditures which might be developed while the plan was being worked out.

In a recent interview on this subject Sir Thomas Shaughnessy said that the "crop payment" system was one which had frequently been used in the development of districts of this kind. It meant that the annual instalment of the purchase price would be governed by the crop results until the whole amount has been paid.

DR. MORRISON,
Again a candidate for the Board of Education.

E. F. MASON,
A new candidate for Board the of Education.

MAYOR RUSH REFERS TO QUESTION OF WAGES FOR MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES

To the Editor of The Examiner,—

Sir, — It has been brought to my notice, that statements are being made, and have appeared in print, that the aldermen and myself were responsible for reducing the wages of workmen employed by the city, and fault has been found with this. I refer to this, because the council serves the people, and the people have a right to know the facts. The council employs a street commissioner, who looks after the greater part of the street work, and they act on the principle, and have done so for more than one year ,that he should be given authority to employ the men, otherwise he would not be in a position to do the best for the ratepayers, and as the council has confidence in him, this authority has not been interfered with. I have not, and so far as I am aware, has any member of the council interfered with the officers of the department as to who were employed or what wages were paid to any particular employee of the department. As to the wages that have been paid, laborers have been paid from $1.50 to $1.60 per day, and in a few cases $1.75. Mechanics and more skilled men on sidewalks and other work have been paid higher wages, of course. Teams have been paid for at $3.65 per day. I believe the wages paid have been the highest current wages, as the city should not depress the scale of wages nor inflate it, but pay fair wages for the work done. The name of one man has been mentioned frequently in the current reports. I did not know the facts in this case, but am informed that he is not able to do general work, and is given work that he can do fairly well, and has been paid $1.25 per day —the only instance of wages less than $1.50 on the list—and he could not earn more in any other way, if indeed he could obtain employment elsewhere at that wage. Last winter this man met with an accident and was laid up for eight weeks, and was paid half rate, $4.50 per week, during that time. Really, I think, it will be agreed that he has not been unfairly treated. I do not like to mention a particular case, but owing to the persistent reports I feel it should not be avoided.

The mayor and aldermen are elected to transact the business of the city, in a fair, impartial and business like manner, doing no injustice to any individual or individuals, nor to the ratepayers as a whole. I believe the electors will see that this year the matter of wages referred to has been dealt with fairly and honestly, with the purpose of giving everyone fair play and serving the interests of the city.

Yours truly,

H RUSH,
Mayor.

Bal Poudre In Aid Of Labrador Medical Mission A Success

One of the most successful social events in the history of the city in aid of one of the most deserving charities, was the fourth annual At-home in aid of the Labrador Medical Mission held in the Conservatory of Music Hall on New Year's night. It took the form of bal poudre and was in every way a delightful evidence of local interest in a great work of which the noble Dr. Grenfell is the moving spirit and central figure.

The beautiful hall was in festal attire and as the brilliant assembly of about two hundred dancers, in their coiffures of the poudre period, moved in the rythmic involutions of the dance, the scene was a most striking and interesting one.

The costumes of the ladies in ordinary modern mode, but lent distinction by the powdered hair, were as a whole, beautiful and becoming, some being distinguished by especial elaborateness of elegance. The usual evening dress of the gentlemen was varied for the occasion by the adaptation of satin lapels to their coats, with, of course, powdered hair. The ball was opened by the quadrille d'honneur, which was composed of the following ladies and gentlemen: Mesdames J R Stratton, Jack Gracey, John Aylmer, Cyril Currier, John Crane, Peter Campbell, R R Hall and A H Stratton. Messrs. J R Stratton, W S Davidson, E S Clarry, D Davidson, L M Hayes, Gerald Rackham, R R Hall and Ernest Clarkson.

Supper was served at midnight by the stewarts, Messrs. E. P. Clarkson, Gerald Rackham, W. S. Davidson D. Davidson, E. S. Clarry and F. D. Kerr, responsible for satisfactory attention to the wants of the guests. To These gentlemen, to the reception committee consisting of Madames J R. Stratton, J. A. Aylmer, P. Campbell, Cyril Currier, D. Hughes-Charles and A Montizambert, and to the efficient honorary secretary, Mr. L. F. Cross, the splendid success of the function in both social and pecuniary sense is due, though it is to be mentioned that the success was only made possible by the cordial co-operation of the foremost social element of the city.

Mr. Gliddon, director of the Conservatory, contributed to the financial satisfaction of the occasion by placing the hall at the disposal of the "At Home" on greatly diminished terms.

THE CANDIDATES FROM EAST CITY

"Ashburnham" States That All the Citizens Should Vote for Aldermen Gillespie and Morgan.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

Dear Sir,—As a resident of East City I am taking this 12th hour opportunity to remind the East City ratepayers that they should support their two candidates to a man. I also think that it would only be fair to our side of the river for the rest of the city to give them good support. I think that Ald. Gillespie has on all occasions shown himself possessed of good common sense and has voted intellectually on all important questions. Ald Morgan too has the interests of the whole community at heart as far as he has shown and it is for these reasons that I think the people west of the river will make no mistake in giving the aldermen another term.

Yours respectfully,
"ASHBURNHAM."

Peterborough, Jan. 2, 1909.

WEDDING BELLS

TISDALL—ARCHER

A quiet wedding took place on Wednesday when Rev. M.. Archer uncle of the bride, united in the bonds of matrimony Miss Eva Viola Archer daughter of Tholby Archer, Esq Beech street and Everard Tisdall, of Peterborough, formerly of this town The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's parents in the presence of a few relatives. The young couple left on the west bound train for a short trip, after which they will reside in Peterborough. The best wishes of many friends go with them.—Uxbridge Journal.

BROWN—SAWERS

The home of Mr. Augusts Sawers, 298 Brock street, was the scene of a very quiet, but pretty, wedding on New Year's Day, when Miss Mary Sawers, eldest daughter of Mr. Sawers, was married to Dr. Wm. E. Brown, of Victoria Harbour. The ceremony was performed by the bride's brother, Rev. F J Sawers, Curate of Christ Church cathedral, Montreal. The bride and groom were unattended. They left for Toronto on the 4.38 train where they will spend a few days before proceeding to Victoria Harbour, the home of Dr .Brown, where he has a very large practise.

BOYLE—COMSTOCK

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the residence of Mr. Aaron Comstock, Water street, at 2 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, when his eldest daughter, Miss Sarah, was united in marriage to Capt. Robert H. Boyle, of the steamship "Paliki," of the Algoma Central Steamship Line.

The bride, who was given away by her father, entered the drawing room to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, played by Miss Dolly Comstock. The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. Boyle, rector of Christ Church, Chatham, and brother of the groom, assisted by Rev. Canon Davidson, rector of St. John's.

The bride and groom were unattended.

After the ceremony and happy congratulations had been bestowed upon the newly married couple, a dainty repast was partaken of.

Among the out of town guests present were the Misses Boyle, of St. Catharines, and Rev. and Mrs. Boyle, of Chatham.

Capt and Mrs. Boyle left on the 4.38 train for a trip to New York. On their return they will reside in St. Catharines.

DR. LANGFELDT HAD SUDDEN FAINTNESS

At the conclusion of the watch night services at St. Luke's church on Thursday night Rev. Dr. Langfeldt retired as usual to the vestry and was suddenly overcome by a weak spell. As he went to sat down on a chair he swooned from the weakness which he had experienced through the entire service. Although he has not been feeling well of late, he did not pay much attention to the faintness when gradually came over him during the service. It was not until in the vestry that it overpowered him and at the time caused him some alarm.

THE WEEK OF PRAYER IN THE CITY CHURCHES

A week of prayer will be observed in the different Protestant churches of the city next week, commencing on Monday night. The subject for the entire week will be the "Supremacy of Christ." The services will be held as follows

Monday—Charlotte street, (Methodist).

Tuesday—St. Andrew's, (Presbyterian), and Mark street, (Methodist).

Wednesday—George street, (Methodist).

Thursday—Murray street, (Baptist), and Knox, (Presbyterian).

Friday—St. Paul's, (Presbyterian).

No previous intimation as to the name of the speaker or the chairman of the different meetings will be given, though no preacher will occupy his own pulpit. It will be remembered that large congregations assembled last year, and it is expected that the same conditions will be found in next week's meetings. All citizens are cordially invited to attend as many of these services as possible.

DR. KING'S DOGS WIN NEW HONOURS

Miss Fritz and Othello Score at the Boston Show.

At the Boston Terrier Specialty Show, held in Toronto yesterday Dr. King made a royal scoop of prizes. His winnings included 15 ribbons and five specials.

"Miss Fritz" won first in the open and limit-bitches—12 to 17 pounds and under—and also collared the sweepstakes for the best animal in the show. She won four specials, 2 silver cups, one service and the best from Peterborough.

"Goebel's Tess" won two seconds—in limit and open—22 and under 28 pounds.

"Othello" won two thirds—in limit and open, dogs—22 and under 28 pounds.

Dr. King finished by winning the silver cup for the largest entry. He was the largest prize winner in the show. The doctor's many friends are offering him many congratulations on the success that attended his enterprise.

Regarding The Sale Of Milk

From Farm and Dairy.

The ordinance passed by the Chicago City Council relating to the sale of milk, cream and dairy products, within that city and scheduled to go into effect January 1st, is of a very sweping character. How it will be possible to enforce it is somewhat of a conundrum. Besides providing that all milk, cream, butter-milk, and ice cream offered for sale in the city must either be pasteurized or from tuberculine tested, sound animals, it further stipulates that, under penalties of confiscation, all butter and cheese sold or offered for sale or kept with the intention of selling in the City of Chicago after January 1st, 1909, must be made only from the milk of tuberculin tested, healthy animals and each package plainly stamped. A further provision is made that during the first five years of its enforcement butter and cheese made from the milk of herds not so tested may be sold, if the milk used be pasteurised. In that case the product must be stamped with the words, "Made from milk (or cream) pasteurized according to the rules and regulations of the Department of Health of the City of Chicago."

Chicago receives dairy products from all parts of the Union and to enforce this ordinance will be a pretty big undertaking. If dealers co-operate with the department by refusing to handle dairy products unless within the law it might be done. But who is to see to it that Tom Smith, a butter-maker out in Minnesota, does not put the Chicago brand on butter made from milk or cream that has not been pasteurized, or who is to look after Farmer Jones, in Nebraska, and see to it that he supplies milk only from tuberculosis free cows. Though it is none of our concern, it looks at this distance as if the Chicago Health Department, to use a slang phrase, "has bitten off more than it can chew."

There is a lesson in this for the producer, however. Cities in Canada as well as the United States are beginning to wake up to the need of more drastic action being taken to insure healthy food products for their citizens. Voluntary action on the part of the producer in freeing his herds from disease would be better than being forced to doing it by the demands of the market. To eliminate tuberculosis from a herd of cows, for example, is a slow process, unless all affected animals are destroyed forthwith. But by separating the affected from non-affected animals it is possible to gradually build up healthy herds. This is being done in Denmark with gratifying success. It can be done here and it will pay cattle owners to give it some Consideration. Voluntary action in this direction on the part of cattle owners and especially owners of dairy cattle would go a long way towards removing suspicion from the mind of the city consumer and tend to counteract the movement in our larger towns and cities for more drastic action looking to compelling people, who keep cows, to show that their animals are free from this disease.

All cows supplying milk for human food should be healthy and free from disease and the cow owner should use every endeavor to eliminate all disease from his herd. But cattle owners treat this matter with more or less apathy and pay little regard to the warnings on the subject given out from time to time. This is the reason for such a sweeping ordinance as Chicago has passed. Whether it can be enforced or not, it should be a warning to producers everywhere that consumers of milk and dairy products in towns and cities are gradually waking up and are demanding a clean bill of health in the food they buy and consume, no matter of what kind it may be.

Training vs. Long Service

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BIRTHS.

McGREGOR. — In Peterborough, the wife of Mr. D. R. McGregor, Sherbrooke street, of a daughter.

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By order of the Board,
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Managing Director.

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FOR

1909

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THIEF ATTACKS CLERK.

Montreal Robber Is Only Captured After a Hard Struggle.

Montreal, Jan. 2.—A daring attempt was made Thursday afternoon to rob a jewelry store on St. Lambert Hill, when a man wearing a fur coat entered the place and knocked the clerk who came to meet him stiff with a blow from a hammer. Mr. J. Farmer of the firm of Farmer & Sons grappled with the would-be robber and a terrible struggle ensued, ending by the assailant being choked into unconsciousness. By that time the clerk had recovered his senses, and, placing a loaded gun in his hands, Mr. Farmer rushed out and called for the police. The latter came, but the assailant was still senseless, and he and the two men had to be taken to the hospital. The clerk's wound needed five stitches. Mr. Farmer has a contusion of the scalp, and the intruder, who gave his name as Oliver Patin, was in a state of collapse from the choking. He said he was hungry. He had a lone cent in his pocket.

REPULSED HOLD-UP MAN.

Cowansville Operator Has Revolver Duel With Desperado.

Montreal, Jan. 2.—A daring attempt was made at five o'clock Thursday morning to rob the C.P.R. station at Cowansville. A man appeared at the wicket with a revolver in his hand and demanded that Operator Mette hand over the cash. Ducking low, Mr. Mette grabbed for his revolver and fired at the man who stood at the wicket. The would-be robber returned the fire with two shots, which passed just above Mr. Mette's head. The agent then fired two shots in quick succession. While he did not score, the burglar apparently realized that the tables were turning against him, and he bolted for the door and disappeared in the darkness. It is understood that there was a considerable amount of cash in the office.

Sensational Silver Find.

Elk City, via Charlton, Jan. 2.—A sack of silver nuggets and slab of silver sent in here yesterday over the trail from Gowganda taken from a sensational strike on one of the properties controlled by Captain Pauley of Cobalt and his associates electrified the hundreds of prospectors who are thronging into this new silver region. Great activity prevails here and a wild stampede is looked for into Gowganda in the spring.

Captain Pauley, who is famous as the life-saving hero of Cobalt, passed through Elk City yesterday to inspect the find.

Railroad Purchased.

Pekin, Jan. 2.—Belgium yesterday relinquished the Pekin-Hankow Railroad to China following the payment of the redemption price of $30,000,000 at Paris and London last Tuesday. China will at once dispense with the foreign employes of the road, retaining only the consulting engineer. China's initial success in constructing and operating the Pekin-Kalgan Railroad has created general confidence in her ability to take over and operate other foreign-built railroads as they become redeemable.

Flew Ninety Miles.

Lemans, Jan. 2.—Wilbur Wright, the American aeroplanist, beat all previous aeroplane records here Thursday afternoon with a magnificent flight that lasted for two hours and nine minutes. He covered officially a distance of 73 miles, but as a matter of fact, counting the wide curves, he made over 90 miles. Mr. Wright's feat was the more remarkable because of the intense cold.

After breaking the record, Mr. Wright went aloft again with M. Barthou as a passenger.

Car-Cleaner Killed.

London, Jan. 2.—David Paisley, car-cleaner on the Grand Trunk, met instant death at the Richmond street crossing last evening, his body being cut to pieces.

No one saw the accident, but it is thought that he was run over twice by some cars that were being shunted. Paisley was regularly a day man, but worked last night in order to let off a fellow workman, James McIntyre.

Attacked by Roughs.

Hamilton, Jan. 2.—While protecting two ladies whom he was escorting from the insults of a gang of hoodlums on New Year's Eve, Henry Buswell of 19 North Hughson street, was murderously assaulted and his chances of recovery are slight. The gang dispersed after the assault and no arrests were made.

Grand Trunk Pacific's Record.

Montreal, Jan. 2.—The G.T.P. carried two million bushels of wheat this year, according to Mr. J. E. Dalrymple, assistant freight traffic manager of the Grand Trunk Pacific, who has come down from Winnipeg to discuss next year's plans with the officials at the Grand Trunk headquarters.

Celebrates Her 104th Birthday.

Brockville, Jan. 2.—On Tuesday Mrs. Larocque, who resides with her son, Alex. Larocque, Bennett street, celebrated her 104th birthday. The venerable lady, who is the oldest resident of Brockville, is quite smart, and in full possession of her faculties. She can thread a needle without glasses.

Story of Brutal Murder.

Winnipeg, Jan. 2.—It was a harrowing tale of brutal murder which R. Rogers related in court yesterday, where Hicks is on trial for murdering Eccles Lennox. Rogers claims to have been an eye-witness to the deed.

Miliary Receptions.

Montreal, Jan. 2.—The military receptions held yesterday at the different armories were brilliant affairs and largely attended. The archbishop's palace was also the scene of a numerously attended reception.

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Mi-o-na is a most economical treatment, a large box of tablets only costs 50 cents at Wm. Madill's and the dyspeptic, nervous or otherwise, who does not give them a trial is losing an opportunity to regain health.

FIRE AT COLDWATER.

Barrie Man Perishes In Destruction of British Arms Hotel.

Barrie, Jan. 2.—Word was received here Thursday that Mr. W. J. Atkinson of Barrie, district manager for the Singer Sewing Machine Manufacturing Co., was burned to death in a fire which completely destroyed the British Arms Hotel and the Abbott Block at Coldwater at four o'clock Thursday morning. When found both the head and the legs had been burned off the body. Atkinson, who was about 35 years old, leaves a wife and three children. He had been a resident of Barrie for nine months.

The cause of the fire is unknown. Proprietor Colby and his family escaped in their night clothing. James Abbott, barber, and Mrs. Abbott, milliner, occupied stores in the Abbott block. The total loss is estimated at $40,000, only partially covered by insurance.

Prohibition In Alabama.

Mobile, Ala., Jan. 2.—With the passing of the midnight hour Thursday night prohibition became effective throughout Alabama. A number of local clubs have been opened and charters for these places will now be in great demand. In these clubs drinks will be dispensed to "members only."

Before the doors of the saloons were closed Thursday night whisky and beer were given away in large quantities and during the day drinks of all kinds were sold at nominal prices.

Leper Walks 350 Miles.

New Orleans, Jan. 2.—With his body covered with the peculiar eruptions characteristic of the dread disease of leprosy and with hands and fingers half gone from the ravages of the fearful scourge, Elias Olsen, a Norwegian, 45 years of age, walked 350 miles for the purpose of seeking refuge in the Lepers' Home at New Orleans. He came from San Francisco and when taken in charge by officers was penniless and half starved.

Bad Fire at Amherst, N.S.

Halifax, Jan. 2.—Yesterday afternoon one of the worst fires that has visited the business section of Amherst for some time destroyed the stock of clothing and men's furnishings of S. Coates & Co. The firemen worked for over five hours confining the blaze to one section, but damage to the extent of $1,500 to $2,000 was done to the building, and the stock was completely destroyed. Loss about $15,000.

Dies In Pew of Church.

New York, Jan. 2.—Thomas Perkins, a member of the New York Cotton Exchange, died suddenly yesterday in his pew in the First Presbyterian Church, Brooklyn, just after making a speech at the New Year's services.

Killed by a Train.

Buffalo, Jan. 2.—A special from Schenectady, N.Y., says the funeral of L. W. Trudeau, who was killed by a train, was held here yesterday. Mr. Trudeau was born in Point Edward, Ont., forty-two years ago, and went to Schenectady seven years ago. He was employed there by the General Electric Co.

Swept Under Ice.

Catskill, N.Y., Jan. 2.—By venturing on thin ice on the Hudson River Channel, off Catskill Point, last night, Domie Sabatini, aged 20, with a companion, Tony Fina, aged 18, broke through and Sabatini was swept under the ice, perishing in spite of the determined efforts put forth by the crew of a ferry boat and members of a skating party. Fina was hauled out in an exhausted condition.

Fall Was Fatal.

Ottawa, Jan. 2.—Albert Desormeau, a laborer of Hull, died yesterday as a result of injuries received on Thursday. He was working on a new power house for J. R. Booth, and while removing stone his horse stumbled. The horses and he fell over a gangway some 25 feet high. The team were killed, but Desormeau lingered with internal injuries till yesterday.

Killed In Buffalo.

Hamilton, Jan. 2.—It was announced in the Catholic Church here yesterday that Daniel Tracey of this city had been killed in Buffalo. Tracey was a commercial traveler and was well known in this city, particularly in sporting circles.

Quebec Judgeships.

Ottawa, Jan. 2.—The appointments of Hon. H. G. Carroll and F. S. Tourigny to the court of King's Bench and the Superior Court respectively of Quebec are gazetted.

FIRST PENSIONS PAID.

Great Britain Inaugurates Her New Scheme of Relief.

London, Jan. 2.—Postmasters throughout the United Kingdom have commenced the payment of old-age pensions, under the act of the last session of Parliament, to persons over seventy years of age. Seven hundred thousand applications for pensions have been received, of which 200,000 were disallowed, chiefly because the applicants have been in receipt of poor relief.

The act provides that every man or woman of seventy or over who has been a British subject and has resided in the United Kingdom for twenty years, and whose means do not exceed £31 10s. per annum, shall be entitled to receive a pension of from one to five shillings a week, according to the means of the pensioner. Where the yearly means of the pensioner as calculated under the act do not exceed £21, the rate of pension per week is five shillings. Where the income is between £21 and £23 10s. the pension is four shillings, where the income exceeds £23 10s. but does not exceed £26 5s. and pension is three shillings; where the income is over £26 5s. but less than £28 17s. 6d. the rate is two shillings. Where the income is over £28 17s. 6. but not over £31 10s. the rate is one shilling a week. Persons with an annual income of over £31 10s. are not entitled to pensions. Any person who has received poor relief during 1908, other than medical or surgical assistance, forfeits thereby the right to a pension.

MOOSE LOCATES HIM.

Alaskan Hunters Made Rich by Kick of Dying Animal.

Bellingham, Wash., Jan. 2.—A curious story of the way in which the kick of a dying moose uncovered a rich vein of gold comes down from Alaska. Oscar T. Nelson and two companions were the lucky hunters. They were out prospecting in the neighborhood of Fairbanks Creek when they crossed the trail of two moose, and decided to make an effort to get one of the animals. They soon started a huge bull with a spread of antler of more than seven feet. Nelson brought him down with his rifle, and when the men were cutting the carcass up they discovered that in its dying convulsions the animal had torn loose a layer of moss, exposing rich gold-bearing rock below. The men immediately staked their claim.

Hot Fight at Brantford.

Brantford, Jan. 2.—Hon. Adam Beck and J. W. Lyon addressed an enthusiastic meeting of ratepayers here last night on the power bylaw.

Lloyd Harris, M.P., and Chas. B. Heyd spoke in the interests of the Cataract Co., and some warm passages marked the discussion, which lasted until midnight.

Mr. Lyon outlined the success of municipal ownership at Guelph, and Mr. Beck dealt with the movement from a Government standpoint. A strong point was adduced when he showed the recent reduction in power prices quoted by the Cataract Co. to Brantford was the result of the Hydro-Electric scheme. The peak load factor it was stated presents no difficulty when so many municipalities are securing Government power.

Crazed by Sorrow.

New York, Jan. 2.—Grief-stricken over the death of their eighteen-year-old daughter Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Gardy of West 116th street committed suicide together immediately afterwards by means of chloroform. With their arms about each other, the sorrowing parents retired to a room adjoining the one in which the body of the young woman lay, and were not disturbed for an hour in the belief that they wished to be left alone with their grief. When at last the room was entered the couple were found dead in bed, and by their side was a bottle which had contained chloroform.

Fast Train Killed Riveters.

Buffalo, Jan. 2.—A fast mail train on the New York Central bore down on a gang of riveters at work on the Broadway subway yesterday killing two of them and injuring a third. The dead are: John Baker and John Conrad, both of Pittsburg, Pa.; Louis White had four ribs broken and his spine injured. The men say the train was running at high speed although there is a sign post warning trains to slow down on account of the construction work. The working pneumatic riveters drowned the noise of the approaching train which was upon the men before they could move.

Fire In a Theatre.

Erie, Pa., Jan. 2.—A horror was narrowly averted here last night when fire broke out in the Park Theatre during a performance. The house was crowded to its capacity. A dozen or more women fainted and had to be carried from the building, but so far as learned no one was seriously hurt, owing to the ease and rapidity with which the audience was dismissed and the theatre emptied. The building was partially destroyed.

Post Criticises Trotter.

London, Jan. 2.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—The Morning Post devotes itself to a denial of Mr. Trotter's statements re the inadvisability of emigration to Canada, and characterizes them as an attempt to further the purely sectional interests he represents at the expense of accurate expression of the sentiments entertained by the Dominion towards immigration from the Mother Country.

Five Blocks Damaged by Fire.

Skowhegan, Me., Jan. 2.—A stubborn fire destroyed two and damaged three business blocks and burned five tenement houses on Water street, in the heart of the town, early yesterday. Two of the houses were blown up with dynamite in an effort to check the progress of the flames. Loss, $400,000.

New Buildings In London.

London, Jan. 2.—Last year's buildings worth over $800,000 have been raised in this city.

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The Thoroughbred.

There is an unwritten law for people who are thoroughbred—the real gentleman and the real lady—which compels them to keep their troubles, their ailments, their sorrows, their worries, their losses, to themselves. There is a fine discipline in it. It mellows the character and sweetens the life. But when these things are not borne heroically they mar the character and leave their ugly traces in the face. Their hideous forms appear in the manner and disfigure the whole life.

Learn to consume your own smoke. If you have misfortunes, pains, diseases, losses, keep them to yourself. Bury them. Those who know you have them will love you and admire you infinitely more for this suppression. A stout heart and persistent cheerfulness will be more than a match for all your troubles.

Glad of His Sympathy.

Lady Gordon quotes in her book, "Unforeseen Conclusions," a man who said, "I would rather be a month in the stokehold of a Russian man-of-war than a fortnight under the artillery of the servants' hall." She is glad to hear that at least one man does not dismiss the household troubles that a woman must bear as trifles. "In the morning encounters with the cook," she says, "the daily tussle for supremacy with the lady's maid, we are each in our way a feminine Admiral Nelson, without the reward of universal applause bestowed upon us. Quite as much courage is often needed to descend to the kitchen as down into the deep in a submarine."

Must Import Marriageable Girls.

The problem of finding wives has become a serious one in St. Petersburg. The male population exceeds the female by 124,000 in the Russian capital, and the authorities are weighing plans for importing prospective brides from the provinces. The need of wives, indeed, has led to the making of several fortunes in matrimonial agencies, heavy fees being exacted for pretty girls as wives from remote country places. The men outnumber the women in all classes in St. Petersburg, and at social affairs there are usually two men for every woman. Of course this is a truly delightful situation for the woman, but it is one that is multiplying jealousies between men and causing "affairs" with swords and pistols upon the field of honor. Social activities in St. Petersburg have been declining in interest because of the scarcity of women, whereas in all the other large cities in the empire women are much more numerous than men.

Aviating.

The Spectator—But what if the parachute should fail to work?

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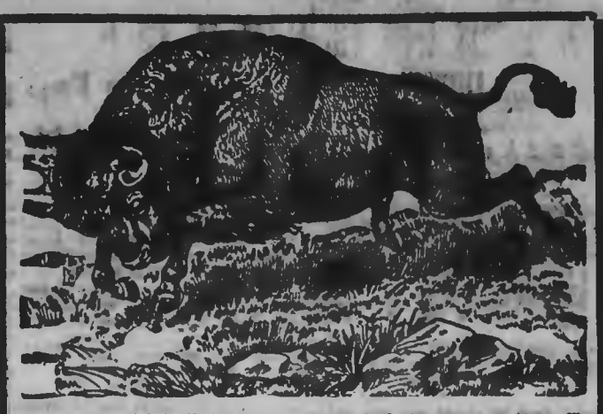

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The Examiner's Sporting Page

RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

SIMPSON FALLS INTO GOOD HANDS; WILL BE UNDER TOM ECK'S CARE IN HIS PROFESSIONAL CAREER

First Race Will be With Dorando and the Local Indian Will be Taken to New York to be Trained —Arrangements Completed.

HE SHOULD MAKE GOOD

Fred Simpson has had the way opened to him for a successful career in the running game. Thursday night, Tom Eck, of New York, the widely known trainer of athletes, especially of bicyclists and runners, visited Peterborough for the purpose of taking Simpson under his wing, and as a result of his visit the Hiawatha Indian will be handled in future by Mr. Eck, who is conceded all over America to be the most successful trainer on this continent. The contract was not signed but all arrangements were made, and Simpson will sign the agreement next week, after which he will be taken to New York and gotten into shape to go after the top notchers in the running game. The Sporting Editor of the Examiner had a long converse with the veteran trainer during his visit here, and he seemed certain that Simpson would make a success at professional running: "I have never seen him run," Mr. Eck replied in answer to a question, "but I have followed his performances, and am satisfied that he is a classy performer. His work in England showed that no man could run sixth in that Marathon against the world's best runners without having something in him." That he has not won more races is, I think, due to the fact that he has no one to give him the right judging of speed. He has lost all his races through holding back too long on the go in; I am told by Tim O'Rourke and others that he held to Coley in the Hamilton Herald race, or he would have won handily."

"What are your plans in regard to Simpson?" he was asked.

"Well, I will take him to New York next week and get him into shape, and then endeavour to match him against Dorando; I was thinking of putting him up against Corey, the Chicago long distance man, in a Marathon race in Chicago, but Dorando has gotten in there ahead of us."

Mr. Eck had Longboat in charge until four days before the race in New York with Dorando, and remarked that it was a great race between the two and the excitement was remarkable.

"How about Longboat and Shrubb?" he was asked.

"Well, if Longboat's handlers do not give him proper instructions, the Indian will find the Englishman a pretty awkward proposition. He is a wonderful runner, and if he ever gets a lap on Longboat, and he is likely to at that, it will be all off with Tom. And don't think he can't go on the route either. A man that travels nearly ten miles in an hour can cover twenty-six at a slower clip. He'll do it and never turn a hair."

"What do you think of Saturday's race in Buffalo between Longboat and Dorando?"

"The Indian will beat him again without much trouble, or my calculations are away wrong."

There is no better known man in sporting circles in America than Mr. Eck, who, by the way, is a Canadian and who played lacrosse for a Lindsay team against Peterborough many years ago. He was widely known himself as a bicycle rider, and after retiring has made a name for himself through his handling of crack cyclists. Every cyclist of any importance who has been in his charge has been either a world's or American champion, or has held a world's or American record. He brought Jimmy Michael out from France, and has had Bobby Walthour, Kiser and all the other cracks under his charge. Mr. Eck was the man who discovered Johnnie Dobler, the wonderful Chicago athlete, who established the American record for a six day go-as-you-please contest. He found Dobler working in Armour's plant, and without any training he went into a big race the week after and cleaned up. He has the best private bicycle track in America at his place at Clifton, N.Y., and always takes great interest in that form of sport, having managed the first two six day bicycling races in Madison Square Garden.

It will be seen that Simpson has fallen into the best possible hands and should make a name for himself under Tom Eck's training. The negotiations between the two parties were carried on by Mr. J. B. Hay, the proprietor of the Peterborough Bowling Academy, and Mr. Eck's work was practically completed when he arrived here. He left on the morning train yesterday to spend a vacation in his old home in Newmarket.

FRED SIMPSON,
Local Indian runner who will be handled by Tom Eck in his professional career.

JUNIOR CITY LEAGUE SCHEDULE

Was Drawn up at a Meeting Held on Thursday Night.

At a meeting of the Junior City Hockey League held on Thursday night with Secretary-Treasurer J. Deannard in the chair, the schedule for the season was arranged as follows:—

Jan. 7—George street vs. Otonabees.
Jan. 14—Chieftains vs. T. A. S.
Jan. 21—T. A. S. vs. George street.
Jan. 28—Otonabees vs. Chieftains.
Feb. 4—George street vs. Chieftains.
Feb. 11—Otonabees vs. T. A. S.

The games will commence at 6.45 and will be played in twenty-five minute halves.

Len Dobson, Bobby Hall and Leo Desrochers were appointed referees for the season.

CURLING.

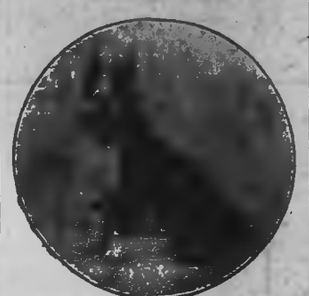
The scores of yesterday's curling matches at the rink in the afternoon and evening resulted as follows:

AFTERNOON.

Ferguson, sk...	8	Wightman, sk .	7
Pres, sk.....	11	Vice-Pres, sk..	8
Ray, sk.....	4	Davidson, sk ..	12
Pres., sk.....	12	Vice-Pres., sk	12
Greer, sk.....	21	Eastwood, sk ..	3
Hall, sk.....	19	Kenney, sk ...	6

EVENING.

Wightman, sk...	6	Baptie, sk ...	7
Hay, sk.....	27	Hicks, sk	6
Giroux, sk.....	11	A. Moore, sk ..	8



OTHELLO,
One of Dr. King's prize show dogs.

HOCKEY

The certificates of the teams in the Church League must be returned to the secretary, Fred Reid, by Monday night. He will be at the Y.M.C.A. to receive them on Monday night.

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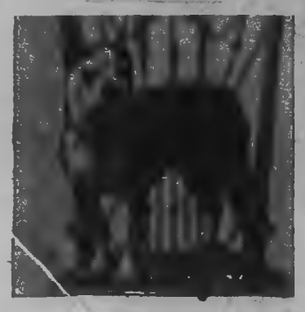
Following are some of the players for whom the junior clubs in this district have secured certificates:

Cobourg—Frank Guy, Cecil Pratt, Jack Butler, Gordon Holnbeck, James Crowther, John Lavis, J. E. O'Rourke, Edgar Bolster, Wilfrid Gliddon, Jos. Reynolds, Roy Niles, Jos. Hand.

Port Hope—G. C. McKeen, J. B. Record, Tom Lowthian, Percy H. Nixon, Mossie Hewson, R. Chalk, J. Dow, C. Stephenson, O. McMillan, Jack Brown.

Whitby—Donald Barclay, Keith Waugh, Clarence C. Ravin, Chas. Lavery, Cyril Jones, John Smith, Harry Smith, Louis Paquette, Chas. Blanchard, Lawrence McIntyre, Francis McIntyre, Donald Wilson, George Paquette, Adam Kean.



MISS FRITZ,
Dr. King's prize winner bull terrier "The Belle of the Ball"

FIRST O. H. A. GAME OF SEASON WITH COBOURG HERE ON MONDAY

The local hockey season will be opened on Monday night, when Cobourg will meet the juniors in a Junior O.H.A. game. In view of the fact that Monday is election day, and that there is much interest being taken in the results, it has been decided to start the game at 9 o'clock, in order to give every one a chance to see the contest. There should be a big crowd on hand to see the game and incidentally to get a line on Peterborough's juniors, the most promising aggregation of young players that have represented this city since the days of the famous Colts. There is a big surprise in store for the hockey fans on Monday night when they see the youngsters perform. A fine team of young players has been collected and they should make a splendid showing despite the fact that six out of the seven have never played O. H. A. hockey before. "They are some team" was the remark of one hockey fan who watched their practice on Thursday night. Cobourg will have to have a corner in speed stuff if they hope to beat the locals here on Monday. The boys are playing good combination, checking back well, and they have a heavy and fast defence who will make things interesting for any collection of forwards that they may be called upon to go up against.

The juniors must be supported if Peterborough is to have any hockey, and the sooner the fans realize that fact the better it will be for the game. Every lover of the game should make it a point to be on hand Monday night. They will not be disappointed in the team that has been selected to meet the visitors. The line-up of the locals will be as follows:—

Goal—Len Giroux (Rough Riders).
Point—Elmer Fox (Karnots).
Cover Point—Stan Wade (Karnots).
Rover—Charlie Ray (Strathconas).
Centre—Cyril Giroux (Rough Riders).
Right Wing—Stan Gorman (Nationals)
Left Wing—Ken Pentland (High Lifes)
Spare—D. Hillier (Knockers).

LOCAL JUNIORS LOST IN WHITBY; WERE BEATEN IN FIRST O. H. A. GAME LAST NIGHT BY 7-1 SCORE

The Peterborough Junior O.H.A. team opened the season yesterday with an O.H.A. game in Whitby, losing to the team of that town by 7 goals to 1, after a game that was pronounced by Whitby people as one of the fastest that has ever been seen there. The Peterboroughs were behind at the half, 3-1. The game was much closer than the score would indicate, in fact it took Whitby eighteen minutes to notch the first goal. They were in better shape than the visitors and that told in the end, while the size of the rink had the Peterboroughs at sea. They were unable to work together to any extent and had to depend upon individual efforts, while Whitby, on the other hand, had an effective combination. The rink is only about a third the size of Brock street and the Whitby team were thoroughly at home while the visitors suffered. The winners indulged in considerable tripping, making a dead set on Ray, and the Peterborough rover had a bad night of it, being tripped just after half time and falling upon his left elbow with the result that the arm was practically useless for the rest of the night. Despite that handicap he played a grand game, being the best man on the ice and the winners recognized the fact by going after him whenever possible. A feature of the game was the sensational playing of Len Giroux in goal for the Peterboroughs. He picked off literally a hundred shots at close and long range and the Whitby people stated that he was the best goal keeper ever seen there.

Pentland played a good game on the forward line and the defence did excellent work.

For Whitby, Blanchard on the forward line, and Waugh and Lavery on the defence were the stars.

Waghorne was to have refereed the game, but missed the train, and Smith of Whitby, who took his place, failed to penalize the home players when it was coming to them.

The teams and summary follow:—

WHITBY

Goal, H. Smith; point, Lavery; cover, Waugh; rover, Wilson; centre, J. Smith; left, Blanchard; right, Jones.

PETERBOROUGH

Goal, L. Giroux; point, Wade; cover, Fox; rover, Ray; centre, C. Giroux; left wing, Pentland; right, Gorman.

Timekeepers: Mr. Paxton and W. Metherall.

Goal umpires: Mr. Megaffon and W. Milburn.

Penalties, first half:—

Peterborough: Gorman, 10 mins.; C. Giroux, 4 mins.; Ray, 2 mins.; Wade, 2 mins. Whitby: Lavery, 3 mins.; Jones, 1 min.; Wilson, 1 min.

Second half, Peterborough: Wade, 2 mins. Whitby: Blanchard, 2 mins.

Goals, first half:—

Whitby—Blanchard, 18 mins.; Smith, 2 1-2 mins. Peterborough—Ray, 4 mins. Whitby—Jones, 2 mins.

Second half:—

Whitby — Wilson, 14 mins.; Lavery, 1-1-2 mins.; Smith, 3 mins.; Blanchard, 4 mins.

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THE TIGERS WON EASY VICTORY; DEFEATED MIDLAND BY 40 TO 10

The Tigers of the local Y.M.C.A. made a runaway race of it in their basketball game with the Unos of Midland in the "Y" Gym. last night, beating the northerners by the lop sided score of 40 points to 10, after leading at half way by 22—6. The game though one-sided was always interesting and the fairly large crowd of spectators who followed the play from the gallery, found it always interesting. There was nothing to the contest from the start but the locals. They were in, out and all over the visitors, playing superior combination and checking so closely that the boys from Eddie Gould's town never had a chance although they worked hard all the way. The Tigers got ample revenge for their defeat in Midland a short time ago when they lost by 27—18. Another game between the two will be arranged to take place in the roller rink in Midland in a short time. Jack Laing refereed last night's game satisfactorily. The teams were as follows:

Tigers.	Unos.
Forwards.	
F Hall	J Scarlett
Staunton	G Ross
Centre	
Wallace	J Baldwin
Backs.	
R Best	A Demorest
Loomis	H Hastings

The following shows how the scoring was done:

Fred Hall, 11 baskets, 22.
Staunton, 6 baskets, 12.
Wallace, 1 basket, 2.
Best, 2 baskets, 4.

Midland—
Baldwin, 1 basket, 2.
Ross, 1 basket, 2.
Demorest, 2 baskets, 4 fouls, 2.

FRED WHITCROFT SAYS THAT WITH LUCK EDMONTON WOULD HAVE WON

Fred Whitcroft, manager of the Edmonton Hockey team, the defeated Stanley Cup challengers, arrived in the city yesterday morning and spent the day at his home, leaving last night for Ottawa, where his team meets the Senators to-night in an exhibition game. Whitty was, of course, eagerly pounced upon by the hockey fans here and was deluged with questions regarding the recent cup games. The general feeling in Peterborough was, of course, one of regret that Edmonton had lost the series, and they were eager to hear the details, in view of the contradictory reports that have appeared in the outside press. Speaking to the Examiner in regard to the games Fred said that it was the hardest kind of luck that Edmonton hadn't won out. "We had them played off their feet during the first forty minutes of the first game and had not Phillips and McNamara been hurt we would undoubtedly have won on Monday night instead of being beaten by a lead that proved big enough to hold the cup for the Wanderers.

"Miller and Deeton did not really play any better than the other pair had done the first game, but they were in better shape and went the route and that was what counted. We should have won the series with an even break in the line of luck."

"What will you do about taking the team back to the west?" he was asked.

"It depends to a great extent upon what games we secure in the east. We play to-morrow night in Ottawa and next week we will tour the Canadian league, if possible, to secure games. We have games arranged in St. Paul, Minneapolis and Winnipeg on the way home, so that the trip will not be a financial failure, as the Toronto papers have been saying.

Whitty looked to be in good shape after the two strenuous games this week, despite the hard usage which the bunch have been reported as having come through.

GRAYS WON SERIES FROM FROTENACS; THE SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK

The Greys continued their winning streak on New Years Day by taking two games from the Frontenacs in their ten pin league fixture at the P.B.C., losing the third contest by a wide margin. Their two victories were well earned, but in the last game the Frontenacs took a decided brace, Hoolihan leading the way with a 214 score. The latter was high man for the day, followed by A. Rishea, of the Greys, with Lang a good third. The losers had it on the Greys on total pinnage, their large total in the last game giving them the advantage.

Owing to the holidays several games have been postponed during the last couple of weeks, but starting on Monday the teams will resume the old schedule and the postponed games will also be played off at once.

The scores follow:—

GREYS

McFadden	115	137	137—	389
Rishea	144	183	145—	472
Perry	137	116	153—	406
	396	436	435—	1267

FRONTENACS

Barrett	111	134	167—	412
Lang	107	142	184—	433
Hoolihan	158	119	214—	491
	376	395	565—	1336

SCHEDULE, JAN. 4
Monday—Iroquois vs. Lockworks.
Tuesday—Greys vs. Exam. A.
Wednesday—Bankers vs. Midgets.
Thursday—Pacifics vs. B.A.C.
Friday—Belmonts vs. Exam B.
Saturday—Frontenacs vs. Hams.

Some Advice For Apple Pickers; Good Barrels Are An Essential

From The Canadian Dairyman.

"Apple Packing and Packages" was the subject of an address by Mr. Elmer Lick of Oshawa, at the convention of the Ontario Fruit Growers' Association. He said that one of the problems of packing is to get men who are reliable and capable of doing the work. The Oshawa Co-operative Fruit Growers' Association, of which Mr. Lick is manager, is doing good work in its neighborhood in educating farmers and fruit growers in the matter of proper packing and grading. While a few years ago these operations were performed indifferently, great improvement is now noticeable.

"One can pack more apples in a better way in a fruit house than in the orchard," remarked Mr. Lick, "and the cost is about the same. An essential is to have good barrels, well nailed. The heads should be of basswood. The hoops should be driven tightly. For each liner, only five nails are necessary and two of them should be clinched. The staves should be thick. When filling, place the barrel on a level place. Have the face right, even or with smaller rows around outside. Fill evenly and have the apples, as far as possible, interspacing with each other rather than directly one on top of another. This system does not bruise the fruit so much. Rack the barrel occasionally when putting in the fruit. When packing in boxes, it is a good idea to place a wire around each one to strengthen it."

RAILWAY TIME TABLE

CANADIAN PACIFIC

Going East	Leave Peterborough
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal, Kingston	11.25 a m
For Indian River, Norwood, Havelock, Tweed	7.51 p m
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	12.21 a m
Going West	**Leave Peterborough**
For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	5.25 a m
For Burketon, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	7.55 a m
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points	4.35 p m

GRAND TRUNK.

	Arrive	Depar
Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Gravenhurst, North Bay, Sturgeon Falls and Toronto	11.40 a.m. 8.30 p.m.	8.25 a.m. 11.45 a.m.
Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	8.30 a.m. 8.00 p.m.	9.05 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Cobourg Montreal and East	8.00 p.m	11.45 a.m
Toronto, Lindsay, Stouffville, Uxbridge and Markham	11.40 a.m. 8.00 p.m. 10.10 p.m.	7.10 a.m 11.40a.m 9.10 p.m
Lindsay Local	9.15 a.m.	9.10 p.m
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	8.30 a.m. 8.00 p.m.	9.00 a.m. 1.40 p.m
Lakefield and Stony Lake	10.00 a.m. 8.15 p.m.	3.00 a.m 12.30 p.m

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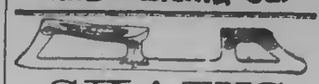

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TOWN TOPICS

BROBS.—Fresh westerly and southwesterly winds, fair, not much change in temperature, Sunday.—Mostly fair, but some local snow flurries.

Conservatory of Music.

The Conservatory of Music will open on Monday for the spring term.

Choir Practice

—The Knox church choir will meet for practice to-night at 7 o'clock sharp.

Private School

—Miss D. J. Hall will re-open her private school at 334 Charlotte street on Monday, January 4th, 1909. Telephone 361 K 3d126

St. Andrew's Communion Service

—To-morrow morning the Communion service will be held at St. Andrew's Church.

Piano Tuning

Piano tuning promptly attended to. Satisfaction guaranteed. A. E. Hoover, 224 McDonel street. 'Phones — Bell 199k, Mach. 199.

A Neat Card

—The Examiner has gotten out a very neat election card for Ald. Turner, giving his picture and instructions as to how the ballot should be marked.

Sons of Scotland

—The Sons of Scotland will hold their regular meeting on Monday evening, January 4th, when the officers for the year will be installed, as well as other business.

Particular

—If you are particular about the way your clothes look, send them to "My Valet," 204 Charlotte street, and and have them cleaned, dyed, repaired an dpressed. All particular people do.

Sunday Reading

—To-night's the night for cheap literature at the Peterborough Book Store. New books never were so cheap, all the best of the copyright works being marked lower at Stratton's than any where else in the district.

Candidates Invited

—The management of the Grand Opera House have extended invitations to all the candidates in the municipal elections, as well as Mayor Rush, to attend the performance of "The Cow Boy Girl," on Monday night. Arrangements are being made to have the returns given out from the platform.

Granted Letters

—The Trusts and Guarantee Company, Limited, Toronto ,have been granted letters probate of the will of the late Thomas Yemen, of the township of Huron, county of Bruce. The estate is inventoried at about $75,000 and consists of real estate, mortgages, book debts and stocks.

Dissolution of Partnership

—Notice is hefeby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Andrew Mercer Laidlaw and James Everett Oles, doing business under the name and title of Laidlaw & Oles, Fashion-Craft Clothing, has been dissolved by mutual consent.

The business will in future be carried on by Mr. Laidlaw, who will settle all accounts of the late firm and to whom all accounts due to the late firm must be paid.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

THE EXAMINER welcomes all Items of Interest for this column. Phone 234 or send post card with name and address.

Mr. Clarkson, of Toronto is visiting in the city.

Mr. Bernard Dench, of Lakefield, was in the city to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. Atwood spyent New Year's Day in Lakefield.

Mr. Robert Eason, of Tweed is visiting friends in the city.

Mr. Gordon Cox is the guest of Mr. Keith Lech, Stewart street.

Mr. Harry Simpson, of Lakefield, was in the city last night.

Dr. Scott, of London, Ont., is the guest of his father, East City.

Miss Lois Windlow is the guest of Miss Flora Lurnham, Otonbee.

Miss Edith Courneyea and Mr. Felix Courneyea, of Peterborough, with

Miss Ethel Aston, of Toronto, is the guest of Miss L. Irwin, East City.

Mr. Thos. Begley of the Lindsay Post was in the city over New Years.

Mr. Fred Whitcroft, of the Edmonton Hockey team, spent the holiday in the city.

Mr. Frank Cox, of Cleveland, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Pearce, Walton street.

Miss Lillian Summerville of Parkdale, Toronto, is the guest of her aunt Miss Jenkins.

Dr. Andrew Scott, of London, Ont., is in the city for a few days visiting his home.

Mr. Perry Clarke returned from his home in St. Ola, Ont., and is staying in the city.

Basil Hall of Toronto, is visiting at the home of of his father, E. D.H. Hall, Hunter street.

Mr. F. Wagner, of Regina, Sask., hac been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Lewis, Aylmer street.

Mrs. Ernest Storey, of Ottawa, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Tivey, Stanley Ave.

Mrs. F. W. Mosier, of Montreal, is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Stanger, Stewart street.

Mr. A. St. A. Smith, manager of the Bank of Toronto, Keene, was in the city on New Year's Day.

Mrs (Rev.) J. H. Edmison, of Cheltenham, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. A. Fitzgerald, East City.

Mr. M. W. Matchett of Toronto, is spending the week end holidaying at home.

Mr. G E. Bruce, of the Bell Telephone Company is spending the holidays at his home in Sarnia.

Mr. R M Waring of the Art Tailoring Company, Toronto, is visiting friends in the city.

Mr. C Marcus, Bennett, formerly of this city is spending a few holidays here.

Mr. Robt. Jory, of Pine Grove, Lakefield, was in the city to-day.

Gordon's Meat Market

A very heavy train load of visitors left the city yesterday to spend the New Year's in Lakefield.

Mr. John Swan, of Sewickley, Pa., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E R. Tate, Bendems, Lakefield.

Mrs Geo. Buchannon, of Havelock, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ross Payne, Gladstone avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kelly, of Peterborough, are visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs. Jas. Caldwell, King st.

Mr. and Mrs. John O. Moore left yesterday for Scranton, after a six months' residence in Peterborough.

Mrs. E L Payne, 525 Homewood avenue, will receive on the first Tuesday of the first month during the season.

Mrs O. E. Thomson is spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. A P. Brown, of Peterborough.—Norwood Register.

Mr. Fred M. Hall, Simcoe street, left to-day for Flint, Mich., where he has received a position with the Bruck Automobile Co.

Mr. A. O. Sawyer, of Rosseau, Muskoka, is spending the New Years holidays with Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Browning, Harvey street.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. McKay, of Toronto, are holiday visitors to the city, the guests of Alderman and the Misses Morrow.

Mrs. Darcy and Mrs. W Darcy, of Burleigh, passed through the city yesterday on their way to Lakefield from New York, where they have been visiting friends.

their sister, Mrs. Alex. Trudeau..... Mrs. Henderson, of Peterborough the guest of Mrs. Mark.—Havelock Standard.

Miss Wilhelmine Gumpricht will resume her piano teaching January 4th, at her usual address, 135 Aylmer street.

Miss Lillian Froom, Peterborough, is spending the holidays with her friend, Elda Millson, Ridout st.—Port Hope Times.

Mr. Geo. Wood, of Newport, R. I., is on a few days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Wood, Belmont avenue.

Mr. and Mrs J J Turner spent New Year's Day at the home of Mrs. Turner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Todd, Lakefield.

The home of Mrs. Jas. Magee, Pine Grove Farm, Emily, was the scene of a very happy gathering New Year's Day, when all her sons and daughters with their families were present to celebrate the 20th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. T Z Webster, of Lakefield, Mrs. Webster being Mrs. Magee's eldest daughter.

Regarding Butter Prints

From Farm and Dairy.

Whether butter should be printed direct from the churn or after it has cooled a few hours is one of the questions discussed in a recent issue of the *New York Produce Review*. Some correspondents favor one method and some the other. Making up the prints after the butter has been hardened in a refrigerator for some hours tends to lessen the loss of moisture and give a print with better edges and one that will wrap and handle better than prints made from the fresh butter. There are machines made now for printing butter and these make the printing of refrigerated butter comparatively easy. There is much to be said on both sides, however, and if the butter is firm and the moisture well incorporated satisfactory work can be done by printing direct from the churn. One correspondent puts the case for printing after cooling as follows:

"Packing the butter in the boxes is the same as packing into tubs, the moisture cannot escape so easily and thus is retained in the butter. Butter can be packed into tubs and set in the refrigerator to harden, then the tub stripped and the prints cut into the desired size, but this makes another loss besides the inconvenience of having a lot of odd shaped pieces left to sell either as bulk butter or to repack, which cannot be done satisfactorily when it is hard. Another thing in favor of the box print is that after the butter has become hardened one can obtain a much nicer looking print—one that has sharp edges and is true on all sides, perfect in its shape. This kind of a print can be wrapped a great deal better, easier and nicer, and makes a neater appearing package to present to the consumer, which goes a long way in building up and retaining a reputation for the creamery goods. In shipping prints locally or to eastern markets, it adds considerably to the price of the butter if upon opening up a box the dealer and purchaser both see a nice, even lot of prints, all of them folded with cream-cut and sharp points, all lying the same way either on ends or flatways. The same applies to tub butter; the appearance goes a good way with a prospective buyer.

"This cannot be obtained when the butter is printed direct from the churn, as one cannot print it unless it is in decent shape to handle. Then one cannot turn out as nice a sharp-edged print, nor will it wrap so easily as it will after being let stand in boxes to harden. Of course, with the 24-pound printers having the butter upon expanding trays, it can be set away to harden, but at the same time the butter is exposed to the conditions of the air in the refrigerator, whether good or bad."

Have any Canadian butter-makers any opinion to offer on this subject? What is the general practice in the creameries here?

About Western Feed Stuffs

From Farm and Dairy.

Little do the farmers of Ontario realize the dangers they are up against when they buy western feeding stuffs, either when ground into meal at Fort William or Port Arthur, or in the raw state. A number of the commoner weeds of the West have already found a constituency in different parts of the Eastern provinces. Those that have secured a foothold are widening their area all the time.

The field penny cress, stinkweed or French weed, as it is called is one of these weeds. Wild oats are very common in western feeding stuffs. Two years ago an agent from one of the lake cities called at the Seed Branch at Ottawa with some samples of his ground meal which had been crushed between rollers. On careful examination it was found that some of the wild oats did not seem to be very badly injured. As a matter of fact, between 30 and 40 per cent. of such half-crushed oats grew in the test made of them.

Very often flour and feed dealers in ordering flour in car-load lots have their car finished out with wheat and oat screenings to offer, in the trade as chicken feed. While most of such feed is used in the towns and villages, and which may sometimes account for the dirty vacant lots, some of it reaches country points as well. Some of the commoner weed seeds which escape the vigilant eye of the chicken find their way into stable manure, and this manure is hauled out in quantities on the farms adjacent to town or village, where the weeds spring up and grow. If allowed to go to seed as many of them are, they are distributed by the threshing mill and seed grain from these farms to other farms, and thus the nuisance is perpetuated.

Many of our own mills throughout Ontario do not grind the meal sufficiently fine to crush all the weed seeds. They even escape the digestion of our stock and are thus distributed in the stable manure. A provincial law should be framed to protect the farmers against the dangers from this source.

Work Of Agricultural Societies

From Farm and Dairy.

Some of our agricultural societies are not doing the good work they might, were there men of more energy and enthusiasm on their directorates. Now that the time for the annual meetings is approaching, members of these societies will do well to give this matter some thought.

While we believe in keeping a good man in office, still cases are numerous where presidents and other officials have held office too long. Some societies elect the same presidents and officials year after year. On the other hand there are societies that make it a rule that men shall not hold the position of president for more than one or two years. There is danger in both of these methods, inasmuch as the change may not benefit the society and in the second place it is a mistake to replace a good man with an inferior man simply because the office should go around.

Officers of societies should not feel hurt when a change is made in the directorate. As a rule, it is wise that a man should not hold the position for more than two or three years at the outside. If our agricultural societies are to do the best work of which they are capable, they must in many cases change their directorate and introduce at least a sprinkling of younger blood. With such men, provided they are of the right sort, new life and fresh enthusiasm will be brought to bear upon the work of the society.

The Shipping Of Apples

From Farm and Dairy.

Apple shippers in most importing centres are interested in the growing popularity of the bushel box for the distribution of apples in the British markets. Last year the Canadian exporters despatched large parcels of fruit in 40-pound boxes. The opposition to the handy box is giving way, for the fruiterers especially have shown a distinct preference for it against the cumbersome three-bushel barrel. Thousands of boxes of Canadian Greenings and Baldwins are disposed of. Next season the apple-box business will be increased five-fold at least.

One of the Canadian exporters interested in the new packing states that the time is not far distant when 50 per cent. of the Canadian apples shipped to the United Kingdom will arrive in 40-pound boxes. Hull buyers speak highly of the apple box, and the increasing demand and prices prove that it will be used on a more extensive scale in coming seasons. The Tasmanian, Australian and Canadian apple exporters highly favor the bushel box.—From report of Department of Trade and Commerce, Ottawa.

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Hints About Tree Grafting

From Farm and Dairy.

In a short talk on grafting, at the recent convention of the Quebec Pomological Society, Mr. W. T. Macoun said that the scion and stock when grafted constitute merely a mechanical union, not an organic one. Sometimes the top will outgrow the stock because not enough sap is supplied. The peculiarity of the stock always remains. There is individuality in trees as there is in animals. Each bud on the tree is really an individual. Top-grafting increases fruitfulness. It may not increase the total amount but it will make the scions earlier in fruiting.

An illustration of individuality in trees was given by Mr. Macoun, who referred to two trees of McIntosh growing in the same orchard. A record for 10 years showed that one of them gave in that time 485 gallons of fruit and the other 197¼ gallons, making a difference of 287¼ gallons. One tree was therefore, two and one-half times better than the other. In 10 years, the difference amounted to 12 barrels, which, at $2 a barrel, means $24, or a difference of $2.40 in one year. Estimating 40 trees to the acre, this would mean a difference of $96 a year per acre. Many similar cases were cited.

The crab was recommended as a stock on account of its hardiness. Prof. W. S. Blair, of Macdonald College, said that crab stock varies; the Martha is a strong grower and makes a good stock. Prof. G. Reynaud, of La Trappe, said that he has had good success in grafting Spy on Transcendent crab. Mr. J. M. Fisk, of Abbotsford, stated that he has abandoned the crab as a stock on account of its propensity to suckering. Mr. Clark, of Massiwippi, cited cases of Spy and Newtown Pippin on Duchess stock which came through hard winter came through all right, while those grafted on Longfield, killed back. Mr. Macoun pointed out that there is no influence exerted by the stock on the hardiness of the scion. Spys have killed down to the union.

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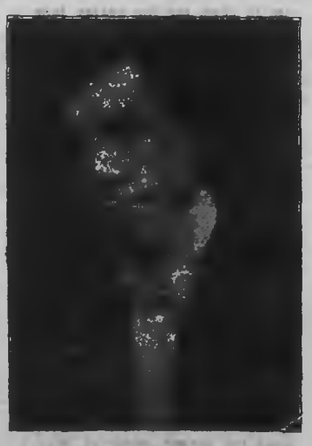

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Twenty Miles Through Rough Country In Three Hours And Then Missed The Only Train

After walking twenty miles through a rough timber country in three hours to catch the only train of the day, Dave Hartley, of pedestrian fame, arrived at the station at Nearan centre on the main line of the C.P.R., just in time to catch a glimpse of the black smoke evanescing in the northern atmosphere and to hear the dull tattoo of wheels as they rhythmically re-echoed away toward the east.

"Davie" has been showing that he is worker as well as a walker, and during the past three or four months, has been having a share in the great lumber industry in Northern Ontario. He decided to come home for Chritmas and did the distance from the camp to the station in the above mentioned time, which on level ground would be "going some."

Man killed by tree

On the way to the station Davie and another man who was going with him were hallooed by three others who could be seen in the distance to be drawing some object on a sleigh. On approaching they found that it was the body of a man who had been killed by a tree falling on him. His home was in Sudbury where he had a wife and three children. Mr. Hartley had to wait until the next day for the train to make its diurnal appearance.

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I wish to express my sincere thanks to the many who extended to me their patronage during Christmas week.

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THE WEATHER

Is this the proverbial "January thaw?" It looks like it. Any any rate the weather to-day felt quite spring-like, and the thermometer rose to considerably above the freezing point. If the usual routine prevails, we will be favoured now with strong winds and much colder conditions.

IMPERIAL EVIDENCE OF RETURNING PROSPERITY

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Examiner Special

Toronto, Jan. 2.—The prosperity of Canadian financial institutions is of general interest and it is gratifying to learn that the year 1908, although acknowledged to have been a trying one in many lines of business, has proved to the Imperial Life Assurance Company of Canada the most successful year in its history. From figures of the year's operations just made public, it is shown that the new business undertaken exceeded $4,600,000, and that the total business in force now amounts to almost $24,000,000. During the past year this progressive institution increased its assets to over $4,550,000, while its cash income for the year from premiums and interest, amounted to considerably over $1,000,000. Surplus earnings for the year, out of which dividends to policyholders are paid, have been very satisfactory and the mortality experienced was again greatly below the expected. Over 50 per cent. of the company's funds are invested in first mortgages on real estate and debentures and the rate of interest earned in 1908 was the highest in the company's experience and averaged over 6 per cent. The most noteworthy feature, however, is the fact that in spite of the large increase in new business written, the ratio of management expenses was again reduced.

Mr. W. G. Morrow, the company's able representative at Peterborough, informs us that the 1908 business of his agency was very satisfactory and aided materially in the making of so important a record by the Imperial Life during the past year.

Full Returns of the Elections will be announced from the Stage of Grand Opera House to-night, at the big Musical Melo-dramatic Success. "The Cowboy Girl". 25 People in the Company. Prices-75-50-35-25 and 15c

BY-LAW LIKELY TO BE DEFEATED

This Feeling is Prevalent at the Polling Booth.

While it is difficult to get any exact information about the elections at the different sub-divisions to-day, there is a general feeling among men at the booths that the bylaws will be defeated. The opinion was also expressed that there would possibly be a larger vote polled than that of last year. There were many workers out and the livery barns report nearly all their cutters out.

The Examiner will flash the results on a canvas as soon as they are received from each polling sub-division, and a quick service will be given.

ENGINE BROKE DOWN WITH TRAIN

G. T. R. Express Delayed This Morning By a Slight Accident.

Engine No. 401 of the G.T.R., broke down this morning as it was leaving Fraserville for Peterborough, in charge of the Port Hope-Toronto express, which arrives in Peterborough about 8.30. Further progress could not be made, and the engine of the Belleville train was sent as an auxiliary and drew the stranded express to Peterborough, where No. 401 was dropped.

THE REV. J. G. LEWIS IS BEREAVED

Infant Son Passed Away at Picton Yesterday at the Age of 9 Months.

Word has been received in the city of the bereavement of the Rev. J. G. Lewis, of Picton, former pastor of the Mark street Methodist church, in the death of his infant son, which took place at Picton yesterday, at the age of nine months. Rev. Mr. Lewis and Mrs. Lewis will accompany the remains to Peterborough, arriving on this evening's train from Belleville. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon from the residence of Mrs. A. E. Campbell, Mrs. Lewis' mother, Stewart street, to the Little Lake cemetery, at 2.30 o'clock. The many friends in this city of Rev. and Mrs. Lewis will sympathize with them in the bereavement which has come upon them.

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FORMER PETERBORO' MAN ARRESTED IN PITTSBURG—CONFESSES TO HAVE DONE ROBBERY AND SHOOTING

Was Arrested at Midnight on Saturday Night and broke Down Under the Cross-Questioning of the County Detectives.

HAD COME FROM PETERBORO

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 4.—The mystery surrounding the shooting of Jacob Knoedler, at Wilcox Station, merchant, in his own store, on the night of November 24th last, has been cleared up, following the arrest of Silas H. Pearson, of Peterborough, Ont., last night, and his confession that he had wounded the merchant in an attempt to rob the store. Knoedler is still in the hospital in a serious condition. Pearson was arrested by county detectives as he alighted from a Pittsburg and Lake Erie train, in company with his wife. The couple had just returned from a visit with friends in Peterborough. For some time the county detectives had laid the shooting at the door of Pearson. Requisition papers had been made out and a detective was to start for Peterborough on Monday to bring him back. Information reached the detectives yesterday that Pearson and his wife were headed for Pittsburg, and when they stepped off the train last night they were arrested and taken to the county jail, where Pearson was sweated. At first he denied having any knowledge of the shooting. Later after he and his wife had been separated and both had told stories which in no way agreed, he confessed and signed written statement. He was committed to jail to await the action of the grand jury. Mrs. Pearson will be held as a witness.

He was placed in the county jail a self-confessed criminal, five hours after his arrival in Pittsburg from Canada, accompanied by his wife. Testimony secured against him by detectives was too strong for him to resist. After the first session of grilling to which he was subjected, he was allowed an hour in which to ponder over the matter, and gave in quickly when again attacked. In his signed confession he says:—

"I hereby voluntarily state that on the night of November 24th, at 10 o'clock I entered the store of Jacob Knoedler, at Willock station, in Baldwin township, and when surprised by Mr. Knoedler shot three times, but do not know how many times I hit him. This statement is made voluntarily by the singer, Silas H Pearson."

In a lonely cottage in the country near Carrick, Pearson's booty from apparently many raids was found by detectives. He left for his home at Peterborough, Ont., shortly after the shooting of the merchant. Chief Waggoner received a tip that he was the burglar wanted only a week ago and had men watching for him since then. He was employed as a carpenter in Kelly's construction camp, building a county road near Willock Station. Mr. Knoedler, his victim, was shot in the head, cheek and breast, and is still in the Mercy Hospital, where he may die. He was shot down as he was about to close his store door at Willock. Efforts have been made to identify a dozen suspects with the crime, and four men were under arrest for a time. The testimony of Harry Coot, a former "pal," who served a term for a robbery they committed in partnership at Altoona two years ago, and admissions made by Pearson's wife made a strong case against him without other evidence.

In regard to the Pittsburg despatch it has been learned in the city to-day that it is practically certain that Silas L. Pearson is a Peterborough boy. From what was ascertained he came to Peterborough on Christmas eve, visited his father who, it is said, is Mr Frank Pearson, of the 10th line of Smith, near Buckhorn, and left Peterborough again on New Year's morning for Pittsburg. On Thursday, the 31st, he called at his grandmother's residence in the city.

Every detail strengthens the belief that the Peterborough man mentioned in the despatch is really from this locality. It was further learned from the authorities that some years ago he was arrested on two charges, one of having broken into a church and the other of stealing a bicycle. A relative of the young man admitted to-day the absence of any reasonable doubt in the matter of identity.

DRY GOODS MADE GOOD FOOD FOR FIRE ON SATURDAY NIGHT

A fire that seemed to have had its origin near a stove at the rear of the Singer Supply store on Simcoe street, at 10.30 o'clock on Saturday night, gutted the interior considerably, with the result that articles that escaped the flames were damaged by water.

The alarm was sent in from Payne's drug store, at the corner of Simcoe and George streets, by a wayfarer who chanced to be straggling by at the time.

Considerable progress had been made among the inflammable materials with which the store was stocked. The brigade made a quick run and confined the blaze to the store. The proprietor, Mr. Schwartz, had locked up for the night and gone home. The stock was a varied one, but was mostly dry goods and the loss will not probably be more than several hundred dollars. The building itself did not suffer much.

The water flowed through the barber shop next door and suddenly stopped business for the rest of the night. Nightwatchman Finnie showed considerable judgment in preventing a number of men from breaking in the door of the Singer before the brigade arrived, as the draft would likely have caused greater trouble.

MAN CHARGED WITH MURDER OF HIS BROTHER---IN SERIOUS CONDITION

Ottawa, Jan. 4.—Special. — To-day will determine whether Salem Assaly who murdered his brother Joseph at Hawkesbury, near here a week to-day, has to have his arms and legs which were terribly frozen, amputated. Indeed it may determine whether he lives for he is in the Notre Dame Hospital, Montreal, in a very serious condition. He was arrested here and tells a remarkable tale. After shooting his brother and also shooting in the head and wounding Mrs. Joseph Buteras, his cousin, he escaped to hide in a wood shed under a pile of wood, but not daring to come out for several hours with the result that his feet and arms were frozen and he suffered excruciating agony. He managed to get to Calumet where he bought a ticket for Montreal, but was recognized and arrested. If Assaly lives he will be taken to L'Orignal and tried for murder. The doctors say Mrs. Buteras may recover.

Hon. A. G. MacKay Denies Rumour Of His Retiring

Special to the Examiner.

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 4th — (Owen Sound) Hon. A. G. MacKay denies rumour of his resignation as Liberal leader. He said to-day, "I have not thought of such a thing, unless something extraordinary happens, I mean to stay on top and do best for Party I can."

Despatches from outside points indicate big vote on local option in 91 municipalities, including repeal vote both sides well organized.

Irl Hicks Prophesied The Earthquake Just A Year Ago

It may be of interest to readers of the Examiner to know that the earthquake which devastated Southern Italy and Sicily, was predicted to within 24 hours by Irl Hicks, who is widely known as a weather forecaster. Exactly a year ago he issued a book in which he detailed things that would happen during 1908, and among them was an earthquake, which he said would occur between the 28th and 29th of December. He did not exactly locate the country that would suffer most but the gentleman who informed the Examiner, and who is himself interested in astronomy, seemed satisfied that there was more than ordinary merit to this prediction, which has become a fatal fact.

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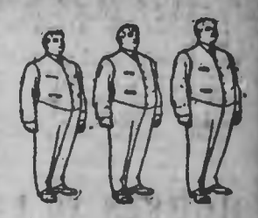

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LARGE FUNERAL HELD O SATURDAY

One Hundred and Twenty-five Buggi Followed the Hearse.

One hundred and twenty-five vehicles in the funeral procession of the late Wm. Brisbin, who resided north of Pontypool, near Ballyduff, made probably one of the largest seen that vicinity. Mr. Brisbin was well known through several counties and highly respected. The remains were interred in Yelverton cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Sarginson of Peterborough were amongst those present at the funeral.

HISTORIC ROME.

Beautiful Stereopticon Slides and Entertaining Address by Rev. D. O'Brien, on a trip in and around Rome on Friday night, at St. Peter's School Hall. Proceeds for Charity.

FIGHT WOLVES FROM TREES

Tents Suspended and Trails Covered Animals Loose the Scent.

The Canadian Pacific Industrial and Colonization department has received advices to-day stating that as the result of the new and interesting feature introduced into wolf hunting this season no less than eight wolves have been slaughtered at the camps established under the direction of Mr. J. A. Hope in the Mississage Forest Reserve.

In order to overcome the difficulty which the scent of man operating upon the nostrils of the wolf, and this is held to be the most formidable to successful wolf-hunting — it was decided to establish camps of suspended tents these tents are attached to or suspended from the branches of trees, and they are about sixteen feet from the ground and entered by rope ladders.

The judicious use of a disinfectant on the wolf trail neutralizes the smell of the hunters as they move around the neighbourhood of the tent and lay the bait by which the wolves are lured within range of the magazine rifle fired from the tents.

Mr. Byron Brooks, with a party of hunters, is now on his way up. Wolf hunting with him, and several others of the Wolf Hunters' Club, is just as annual affair as the trout fishing. None of the wolf hunts have been barren of results, but by the new method Mr. Hope is confident of a very much larger measure of success.

The report received from the Thessalon district says that the wolves are growing bolder and settlers are being well armed with army rifles which are found to be much better for long shots than the ordinary sporting rifle.

WANTED.

SKUNK! SKUNK! J. DAWSON, 1 Stewart street, Peterborough, will give the best price in the city for SKUNK SKINS in the rough. 6d 127 4904

VETERANS' SCRIP BOUGHT. HIGHEST cash price paid at your home bank. Write J. H. McDiarmid, Saturday Night Building, Toronto. 6d 125 4708

WANTED — WORK OF ANY KIND, sawing wood, taking out ashes or any odd job by respectable man. Apply at this office. dh 5d

WANTED — ORGANIZER IN PETERborough for first-class social and beneficial order; good remuneration. Address R. B. A., Land. National Club, Toronto. 20d 113 4686

PRIVATE SCHOOL

PRIVATE SCHOOL — MISS D. J. HALL will re-open her Private School at 336 Charlotte street on Monday, January 4th, 1909. 3d 1 4814

HOUSES AND ROOMS TO LET

NICE LITTLE HOUSE TO RENT IN a pleasant locality on the line of the Street Railway. Apply at 354 Charlotte street. 3d 1 4820

TO RENT — TWO COMFORTABLE Houses, centrally located, near to George street; one is a Seven Roomed House, with Electric Light and Sewer Connection, the other is a nice six roomed house with good garden attached and plenty of hard and soft water. For particulars apply to Examiner office. 7d 1 4806

TO LET — FURNISHED ROOMS WITH board; all conveniences. Apply 433, Aylmer street. 3d 1 4817

TO RENT — SUITE OF ROOMS IN Grand Central Building, heated and all modern conveniences; immediate possession. Apply 437 George street.

TO LET — FURNISHED ROOMS, ALL modern conveniences. Apply 191 King, near George. 3d 127 4795

TO RENT — SUITE OF ROOMS OVER J. C. Turnbull & Company's store, Simcoe Street; the rooms have all modern conveniences. Rent $10.00 per month; immediate possession. Apply 437 George street. tf

TO RENT—OFFICE No. 13 IN BANK OF Commerce Building; heated, possession immediately. Apply at 437 George street.

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HOUSES TO RENT

Houses to Let at reasonable rent. Apply for particulars at **W. H. BRADBURN'S OFFICE** over Dominion Bank, corner George and Simcoe Streets. dtf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE — POOL TABLE, REILLY & May make, in excellent condition, as good as new. Apply 436 Stewart st. 3d eod 3 4841

PRIVATE SALE OF FURNITURE — Apply 314 Boswell. 3d 2 4838

FOR SALE — TEN SHARES FULLY paid up stock in the Peterborough Sandstone Brick Co., worth $50.00 per share; 25 per cent. will be given if sold at once. Apply Examiner office. 1m 115 4637

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ALL KINDS OF ADVERTISING NOVelties, Pocket Mirrors, Tape-Measures Hand Mirrors, Paper Weights, Match Holders, etc. Samples at the Examiner office.

FOR SALE—ALL KINDS OF RUBBER Stamps. Apply at Examiner office.

WE ARE SOLE AGENTS FOR PETERborough and the territory between Toronto and Kingston for the Parisian Novelty Co., and have samples of all kinds of advertising novelties on hand. Call and see them at the Examiner office.

FOR SALE

Nice Frame House corner lot, nicely painted and papered, city water, size of lot 40 x 90, for $1,500. This property is a snap—party leaving city.

Beautiful Brick House double parlors, winter kitchen, summer kitchen and wood shed, 4 bed rooms, bath room, complete electric light fixtures, furnace, cement cellar floor and cement walks to front and side entrance. This can be bought for $3,800.

Snaps in Houses and Lots in all parts of the city. Send in your list of houses to rent or sell, we can handle them. Head Office of Northern Life Assurance Co; Ocean Accident and Guarantee Co; Peterborough Sandstone Brick Co., Ontario Coal Co.

R. A. ELLIOTT & CO.
Real Estate Agent

BELL & TAYLOR
Real Estate, Fire and Live Stock Insurance

$1200—Six roomed Brick—south—central, $2600—Modern, Brick, with furnace. Nice locality. A Snap. See this.

If you are looking for a Farm see us before buying.

Houses and Rooms at lowest rents.

Office 376 Water Street. Phones 498L and 847L.

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Double House corner of Harvey and London Sts—all conveniences—good Furnace—Rent Low. apply

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HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED AT ONCE — GENERAL SERvant. Apply to Mrs. L. Sherwood, 459 Weller street. 3d 2 4836

GOOD STRONG GIRL WANTED FOR bindery work. Apply Examiner Office.

EXPERIENCED GENERAL SERVANT for small family, must be good plain cook. Apply Mrs. James Hamilton, cor. Brock and Sheridan streets. 3d 1 4825

GOOD GIRL WANTED AT ONCE — Apply to Geo. Lipsett, Maple Leaf Hotel. 3d 127 4810

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PLAIN SEWING TO DO AT HOME — children's dresses, boys' blouses, also small boys' trousers, 25c a pair; work called for and delivered. Box 4830, Examiner. 3d 2 4830

SITUATION WANTED BY CAPABLE and respectable woman at housework where she can go home in the evening. Apply at this office. d dh

LOST.

LOST ON NEW YEAR'S MORNING, A Sable Ruff, between Manning ave. and C.P.R. Station, by way of Benson and Smith streets, and the car from corner of George and Smith streets. Finder will please leave at this office. 1d 2 4840

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LOST — ON NEW YEAR'S AFTERNOON a Belt Pin, either in Brock street Rink or on Murray, George, Brock or Water streets. Finder will kindly leave at this office. 2d 1

LOST — BLACK HOUND, LAST MONday, near Cheese Factory, Douro, answers to name of Ring. Reward by returning to owner, J. B. Larocque, Montreal House, Peterborough. 2d 1 4814a

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Why not make your wife a good substantial New Year's gift in the shape of a house and lot? The place to secure this is at

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396 Water St.
Phones: Office 126., House 474 L
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in variety, size, location and price.
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high and low in price.
FARMS
Several near the city.
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Good and Honourable Companies.

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Is prepared to do all kind of Carpenter Work at reasonable rates. Residence — 409 Water street, south of Weller Street, Peterborough.

Good, Warm, Cheap, Second Hand
CLOTHING, BOOTS, ETC.,
JAY'S Second Hand Store
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Office:—347 George Street. Peterboro.

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The Daily Examiner, published every lawful evening, by The Peterborough Examiner, Limited, Office, 419 George street.

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R. M. GLOVER, Managing Director.
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UNION LABEL

MONDAY, JANUARY 4, 1909

COMPENSATION CALLED FOR.

The method of dealing with the water conservation problem in Peterborough—in the northern waters—is furnishing an example and incentive to other places. Ottawa, which is suffering keenly from water famine this year, is advocating and demanding that a similar system of retaining dams be constructed on the head and tributary waters of the Ottawa River. The Ontario Government is being asked for a grant of $1,000 for a preliminary survey of the Grand River Valley, with a view of providing retaining dams. This is a wise action. The Grand River is subject to outrageous spring freshets which do a great amount of injury over almost the whole length of its course. The benefits of reservoirs will extend beyond the prevention of spring floods. Water will be conserved and be made available for power purposes. The Toronto Star says the proposal is a most commendable one but that it does not go far enough. "Instead of one thousand dollars twenty thousand should be asked for; and instead of limiting the proposed survey to the Grand River it should be made to cover a number of other rivers in older Ontario where conditions are similar to those prevailing along the line of the Grand. There are several streams which cause disastrous floods in spring, and where by means of dams the water could be stored up for utilization as white coal. But in order to make the work of control and conservation thoroughly effective something more than dams will be found necessary. There should be as well intelligent forestry work near the sources of the streams in question and along the steep banks further on. In carrying out what is required co-operation between the Department of Works and the forestry branch of the Department of Agriculture is called for." A great area of useful administration in this connection opens before the Ontario Government as well as the Central Government and all the provincial governments. In the matter of forest preservation, which is the key note of natural control of water supply, not only in regard to precipitated moisture but of also rainfall, Quebec leads the provinces of the Dominion. According to Heaton's Annual, the area of Quebec's forest reserves is 2165474 square miles, as against Ontario's 16,300 square miles of timber reserves. The Ontario Government is under obligations to compensate the damage caused by forest removal, because it has been a great financial beneficiary. Since Confederation the province has derived a revenue of between forty and fifty millions of dollars from the exploitation of our forest wealth. This is largely represented in the splendid series of public buildings throughout the province, which would have han to be erected by means of borrowed money, had not our forests been sacrificed to provide the means. The results of this sacrifice are to be seen in the conditions of our streams and lakes to-day. The effects are felt in the Grand River every spring, in the Ottawa Valley, especially this year, and would have been similarly felt in Peterborough this year also, were it not for the splendid, though yet inadequate, system of retaining dams on our northern waters. But for these very probably every wheel in Peterborough, dependent upon water for motive power, would be idle. The Ontario and other Governments have directly created the conditions of capricious and unreliable supply of water, through forest removal and are in duty bound to provide compensatory relief.

Dr. Fernow, Professor of Forestry at Toronto Universoty, estimates the woodland area of Canada at 1,000 million acres and the area of merchantable timber at 200 million acres.

PRIZE SEED GRAIN.

One of the most attractive features of the Guelph Winter Fair this month, arounnd which one always to be found an interested crowd of farmers, was the exhibit of seed grain from the standing field crop competition displayed in two bushel sacks. This feature will be in evidence also at the Eastern Ontario live stock and poultry show to be held at Ottawa on January 18th to 22nd, whereat will be shown prize oats by members of the following agricultural Societies, which have made entry with Mr. J. Lockie Wilson, Superintendent of fairs and exhibitions, for this purpose: Alfred Carleton County, East Peterborough, Elgin, Kenyon, Otonabee, South Lanark, S. Monaghan, North and South Renfrew Verulam and Wooler. These oats will be judged by experts and the ones to which money prizes are awarded will be retained by the Department of Agriculture for experimental purposes. The rest will be sold by auction at 10 a.m. on the morning of Friday, January 22nd and no doubt, as at Guelph, many farmers will seize the opportunity of securing first class oats for the coming season. As each competitor must have 25 bushels for sale, including what he exhibits, purchasers can secure a sufficient quantity to sow a considerable acreage with this excellent seed grain. This is an opportunity which should not be overlooked.

NOT A GREAT SUCCESS.

According to the Winnipeg Free Press the experiment of Government ownership of the telephone system in Manitoba has not been the success expected. Says our contemporary:

"The city of Winnipeg is to-day, and has, for the past year, been doing business, not with a soulless corporation, but with the Manitoba Government. The amount it pays for telephones has risen in the two years from the $2,510 which horrified the Roblin-Rogers organ two years ago to $3,256.50, which is the civic estimate for the current year; although, according to the new official telephone directory, the number of civic telephones has risen only from 44 to 46.

"The city has, therefore, not profitted in the least by being enabled during the current year to do business, not with the grasping, soulless Bell Telephone Company, but with the benevolent, generous Manitoba Government, pledged to give the public "better service at half cost."

"Not only is the city paying more for its telephones than it did when dealing with the corporation, but it has lost the taxes which that corporation formerly paid to the city treasury. Last year the city paid the Bell Telephone Company something less than $3,000 for its telephones, and it received from the Bell Telephone Company about $10,000 in the form of taxes upon its plant.

"In the year 1908, the city of Winnipeg will pay the Manitoba Government over $3,000 for its telephones, and it will receive from the Manitoba Government as taxes upon its properties in the city limits, not a single, solitary cent. As Government property they are exempt from taxation."

The Manitoba Government, one would think had a splendid opportunity for demonstrating the benefits and success of public ownership and operation of a public utility. The Government in buying up the Bell Telephone interests entered a field in which there was no competition. Yet the people are as a whole paying higher prices, in addition to having paid an exorbitantly high price for the Bell franchise and equipment. The Bell Telephone operated the system on business principles which the Government of Manitoba evidently has not applied. Political influence, and civic influence are the danger elements in public ownership, which is only justified when it assumes as effective management as private ownership.

The value of the United States soil crop for 1909 is estimated at 5,000 millions of dollars worth.

IMPOTENCY OF "BLUE LAW."

The Canadian Courier in its last issue has the following half-playful comment in reference to the contravention of the election law:

Practical politicians will tell you that the greater share of the money which is spent during an election in contravention of the law, is not used for bribery in the proper sense at all. It is not so very often, they say, that men are paid to vote for one candidate when they would otherwise have voted for the other. That is a pretty risky business. The more usual thing is to "pay a man for his time"—as the phrase goes—that is, to pay him for the time he spends in going to vote for his party candidate. In most cases, he would refuse indignantly a proffered bribe to do so. But neither will he vote for his own candidate. He will simply stay at home. Not for a moment does he regard his action as immoral: no matter what the stupid law may say. He reasons it out this way. "the politicians make money out of politics; they cannot make that money unless they get my vote; it does me no good to go and vote and takes up my time; therefore it is only fair that the politicians shall drive me to the polls and indemnify me for my loss of time if they want me to go and vote for them." It may be oblique reasoning; but it is very common. The man who insists upon being driven to the poll is not very far from it.

There is something of logical reason in the reasoning of the Courier's hypothetical elector. The member of parliament is only an embodiment of a section of the electorate. Through him the electors sit in Parliament. If the electorate in this form in entitled to and receives, an indemnity of $2,500 per year for the sacrifice he makes in sitting in Parliament as a concentrated form of the electors he represents, why should he not in the looser and more dispersed form of the ordinary elector, receive consideration? If the elector in his representative form receives indemnity, then how is the indemnity of the representative-making form of elector contraindicated? Is the created to be considered greater than the creator, and should he receive favours denied to the latter?

Seriously speaking the point of the point lies in a deeper meaning, a more far reaching consideration. We have enough misdemeanours and crimes on draft without creating others. The election law, with, doubtless, the best intentions, has made it a crime to convey an elector to the polls. The corrupt act involved or assumed, is so loosely associated in the popular mind with undue or criminal influence, that its conception as such is practically impossible. If the law makes a crime of an essentially innocent action, a disregard of its more serious requirements is created and a spirit of disrespect for it as a whole is engendered. Such a feature of the election law is practically impossible of enforcement. Nothing is more demoralising than unenforced or unenforceable law. The tendency, as remarked, is to breed disrespect for all law. The election law cannot be made too effectively stringent, but it is reasonable to demand that its provisions should not be of such a character as, by their very nature, to defeat the object aimed at—purity of exercise of the franchise. Law to be respected must not contain the elements that justify contempt on the part of the people. It would take a deal of argument to convince a candidate or his political workers of any party, that he, or they, was committing an essentially corrupt act in conveying an elector to the polls, or to convince an elector that in accepting such conveyance he was participes criminis. Laws affecting any condition or interest, to insure respect, must be founded on reason and common sense, with reasonable regard to the possibility of enforcement.

The newest outbreak of Mackenzie & Mann enterprise is a new railway from Port Arthur to Sudbury. Application will be made to Parliament next session for charter and subsidy.

THE STORAGE WAREHOUSE.

It Sheds Some Side Lights Upon Life and Morals.

For a few dazzling side lights upon life and morals apply to the storage warehouse. You can find almost anything there from baby alligators to blocks of ice cream and from Teddy bears to sauerkraut. So you won't be amazed at what the institution has most recently divulged. Here you have the story:

Mrs. Q. repaired to the storage warehouse to extract her soup spoons, though it may have been aunts or uncles or popcorn or guinea pigs. At any rate, her property declined to come out. It had been tucked in by Mr. Q. Only Mr. Q. might tempt it forth. Mrs. Q. protested. She wanted her catnip or theology or safety razor, or whatever it was, and made representations with great emphasis. She moved upon the management. She stormed and wept. After long wrangling the warehouse decided it would yield up the college ice—or was it the piano?—if Mrs. Q. would swear she was still married to Mr. Q. and would send him a written statement (he was in Quebec, and I lost track of him owing to bewilderment produced by merely thinking of a storage warehouse) and make him return the statement, countersigned, to the management. This, then, is how Mrs. G. regained possession of her golf links or prayer book or sugar tongs. Well, say it was sugar tongs, though golf links would be likelier.

Pressed for an explanation, the warehouse remarked: "Have to be careful, you know—divorces, separations, affinities, you know. Minute such things start up there's a race to the storage place. Game is for each to snatch out everything first. Becomes embarrassing!"

MIXED THE SIGNS.

Sarasate and the Sandwich Men in Edinburgh.

To advertise Sarasate's performances in Edinburgh eight sandwich men were sent out, each of whom bore in front and behind him one letter of the great musician's name. They started all right, but after a time removed the boards from their shoulders to have a rest.

On resuming their labors each man shouldered the board nearest him and fell in behind the man who had formerly marched before him.

When the leader, who bore the initial "S," turned around to see if his men were ready, what he saw was "Satarasa." He knew enough to realize that something was wrong, but how to right it was more than he could tell.

After changing a man here and there he got it "Starasea." But still it didn't seem correct.

By this time the poor fellow was in a terrible state. If any of their employers' people were on the outlook and could see them, their day's wage would be stopped! He tried again and yet again, but it was no use.

And a moment later a man bearing the letter "S" before and behind was seen running toward the music hall to copy down the name from one of the posters there. And along the right side of Princeton street there walked toward the appointed rendezvous at the Mound three men who bore the strange device "A A E," while opposite them there paced along the left side gutter four others, who, if to advertise means to attract attention, succeeded well, for every one who passed looked around in wondering amazement as to what "Rats" meant.—Edinburgh Dispatch.

Good wives and mothers are as plentiful as ever, and in these days many of our smartest women read and think and meditate and lead the simple life with earnest endeavor. There are marked signs of evolution among the flower of our womanhood.

Bank of Montreal

Established 1817

Capital Paid Up, - $14,400,000
Reserve Fund, - - $12,000,000
$26,400,000

The Bank of Montreal at the end of its fiscal year, October 31st, 1908, added another $1,000,000 to its Reserve Fund, thus further emphasizing its great strength and stability.

With a Saving Department at every one of its many Branches, it offers the opportunity for all, who so desire, to avail themselves of its many advantages by opening a Savings Account.

A Savings Bank account is the best safeguard against misfortune, being always ready and available, and earning interest all the time.

Consideration for one's family demands that all heads of households should provide against the day of adverse conditions, and there is no simpler way than by laying systematically from time to time a portion of income or earnings in a Savings account.

Deposits can be made from One Dollar up, and withdrawals can be made at any time, without notice or delay.

A. MONTIZAMBERT,
Manager, Peterborough

Card of Thanks

Peterborough, November 10th, 1908.

Messrs. Duvis-Thompson Co'y, Limited,
Peterborough, Ontario:

Dear Sirs,---I beg to acknowledge receipt to-day of cheque from The London Mutual Fire Insurance Company in full settlement of my claim for loss by fire, which occurred just three weeks ago.

I wish to thank you and your Company for the liberal and satisfactory manner in which my loss has been adjusted and paid, and would heartily recommend the London Mutual to the insuring public

Yours truly,
[Sgd.] THOMAS YOUNG.

Sealed Tenders addressed to the undersigned and endorsed "Tender for Masonry, Concrete Pile Work, &c., at Kingston Military College," will be received at this office until 4.00 P.M. on Thursday, January 7, 1909, for the construction of Block and Mass Concrete, Dry Masonry Walls, Renewal of old foundation timbers of Pile Pier, in front of Royal Military College at Kingston, County of Frontenac, Ontario, according to a plan and specification to be seen at the offices of J. G. Sing, Esq., Resident Engineer, Confederation Life Building, Toronto, on application to the Postmaster at Kingston, Ont., and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, for twelve hundred dollars ($1,200.00), must accompany each tender. The cheque will be forfeited if the person tendering decline the contract or fail to complete the work contracted for and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
NAPOLEON TESSIER,
Secretary.
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, Dec. 7, 1908.

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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTHWEST LAND REGULATIONS

ANY PERSON who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother, or sister of intending homesteader.

DUTIES—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price $3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price $3.00 per acre Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth $300.00.

N.B.—Unauthorised publications of this advertisement will not be paid for.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy of the Minister of Interior

Sealed Tenders addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tenders for Quarters for Stable Establishment, Kinston, Ontario," will be received at this office until 4.00 p.m. on Monday, December 28th, 1908, for the construction of Quarters for Stable Establishment R. M. C. Kingston, Ont.

Plans and specifications can be seen and forms of tender obtained at this Department and on application to H. F. Smith, Esq., Architect, Kingston, Ont.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed form supplied, and signed with their actual signatures.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank made payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent., 10 p. c., of the amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

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APPLES, ORANGES FIGS AND PRUNES

The God-given Cure for All Diseases of Bowels, Liver, Kidneys and Skin.

Few people seem to realize how important—how absolutely necessary—it is to keep the Bowels, Kidneys and Skin in proper working order.

They wonder why they have Sallow Complexions — Indigestion — Headaches—Rheumatism — while all the time their systems are clogged and poisoned with waste tissue and indigestible food which these organs should have removed.

What they need are Fruit Juices—nature's provision for keeping the eliminating machinery of the body working right. "Fruit-a-tives" are the concentrated juices of fresh, ripe fruits, combined in such a way that their medicinal action is greatly intensified. They stimulate and regulate the action of Liver, Bowels, Kidneys and Skin, thus clearing the system of the accumulated waste and poison, purifying the blood, and banishing those distressing troubles that make life miserable.

No other remedy has ever been discovered that does this so effectively as "Fruit-a-tives." 50c. a box — 6 boxes for $2.50. Trial size 25c. Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

O'Keefe's

"Gold Label" ALE

The New O'K Brew. A treat in hops and malt. Rich and old and creamy.

Remember to ask for O'Keefe's "Gold Label" Ale—O'Keefe's new brew.

A. ROUNTREE, AGENT, 416 Water Street.

CENTRAL CANADA LOAN & SAVINGS CO.

HEAD OFFICE: ST. E. TORONTO.

Notice of Annual Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the CENTRAL CANADA LOAN AND SAVINGS COMPANY for the reception of Annual Report, Election of Directors and other purposes, will be held at the Company's Office, 26 King Street East, Toronto, on Monday the 11th day of January, 1909 at the hour of 2.30 o'clock

By order of the Board,

E. E. WOOD,
Managing Director.

By the Way

You're not hungry now—but you will be soon. Have you tried a meal at

HOOPER'S EUROPEAN GRILL ROOM

Just the place for a late supper or chat, or for a busyman's

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Agincourt Sectionman Beats Woman to Death With Poker

HE WANTED TO BE MASTER

William Blythe, an Employe of the C.P.R. After Heavy Drinking Bout Has Fight With Wife and Kills Her—Had Been Cautioned Before—Woman's Body Mass of Bruises—Two Children Left.

Toronto, Jan. 4.—Agincourt, a little village situated about 12 miles from Toronto, was the scene yesterday evening of a particularly brutal murder, the perpetrator being Walter Blythe, a section hand on the C.P.R., and the victim his wife.

Blythe, who had been drinking heavily for some time, had previously threatened his wife's life, and only a month ago County Constable William Hobbs, who yesterday effected his arrest, had to caution him.

The victim, who was only 35 years of age, presents a terrible appearance. Her body is a mass of bruises and her head is badly cut. The implement used was a common poker.

The motive is apparently a purely domestic one. Blythe, it appears, has for a long time labored under the delusion that the deceased had tried to "boss" him, and he is quoted as saying that he had fully made up his mind to be "master of his own house."

Enquiries show, however, that the prisoner is of a very morose temperament, even when out of drink, and had constantly ill-treated his wife.

The dead woman leaves behind her two children—a boy and girl—whose ages are, respectively, 6 and 2 years.

Immediately after the crime had been committed Blythe went across to a friend named Malcolm Walker, and stated that he thought he had killed his wife. He afterwards quietly submitted to arrest, being brought to the Toronto jail at an early hour this morning by Police Constable Hobbs.

The prisoner, who is a sullen-looking man of about 40 years, was not handcuffed, and appeared to be quite on friendly terms with his captor. He seemed to be in a very dazed condition. He showed signs of a recent debauch, and from what he said he had partaken very heavily of cider yesterday. Questioned as to the crime, he refused to say more than that he wanted to be master of his home.

From the appearance of the house in which the crime was committed, it would appear that the death struggle took place about six o'clock. The body was discovered lying upon a bed, and the room was upset in such a manner as to indicate that the victime had offered desperate resistance.

Blythe was last night taken before the local magistrate, John Millen, and he was remanded until Jan. 11, on the charge of the wilful murder of his wife.

Dr. Coutts, coroner, was summoned and made an investigation of the room where the woman's body lay. He will conduct the inquest to-day.

Blythe has always been considered an inoffensive neighbor and a steady workman.

Harriman Boss of 'Frisco.

Philadelphia, Jan. 4.—At a luncheon of the City Club yesterday Francis J. Heney of San Francisco, who prosecuted the "graft" cases in that city, declared that E. H. Harriman of New York, through his control of the Southern Pacific Railway, was responsible for the "graft" and corruption that has been found in the Golden Gate City.

With Abe Ruef and Harriman was linked the head of the United Railways Corporation of San Francisco, by Mr. Heney, "but the real boss," he said, "sits in New York and has as one of his chief agents in California W. F. Herrin, general consul of the Southern Pacific Railroad."

Funeral of Senator Bernier.

Winnipeg, Jan. 4.—With all impressive solemnity of the Roman Catholic funeral services and most marked manifestation of deepest respect by citizens of St. Boniface and prominent statesmen of Federal and Provincial Parliaments, the late Senator Thomas A. Bernier was laid to rest Saturday morning in the historic old churchyard surrounding the cathedral. The funeral was the largest which has ever taken place in the city.

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THE MARKETS.

Liverpool Exchange Closed, Chicago Wheat Futures Lower — Live Stock—Latest Quotations.

Saturday Evening, Jan. 2.

The Liverpool grain exchange was closed to-day.

At Chicago May wheat closed ½c lower than on Thursday, May corn closed ⅛c lower and May oats ⅛c lower.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—January 89¾c bid, July $1.06⅞ bid, May $1.02¾.

Oats—January 39⅝c bid, May 40⅜c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	0 98	to $....
Wheat, red, bush	0 98	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 90	....
Rye, bushel	0 70	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 55	....
Peas, bushel	0 80	....
Barley, bushel	0 60	....
Oats, bushel	0 43	....

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 29	0 30
Butter, store lots	0 23	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 28	0 29
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 40	....
Eggs, cold storage	0 28	....
Cheese, large, lb	0 13½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11
Honey, combs, dozen	2 25	2 75

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 2.—Closing.—Holiday on the corn exchange. Hops at London, Pacific coast, firm, £2 5s to £3. Cotton seed oil, refined, spot, dull, 24s 6d. Beef, prime mess, steady, 115s. Pork, prime, western, quiet, 72s 6d. Hams, short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., quiet, 43s 6d. Bacon, Cumberland cut, 28 to 30 lbs., steady, 42s; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs., quiet, 45s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs., easy, 46s; do., heavy, 35 to 40 lbs., dull, 45s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs., 53s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs., 53s 6d. Shoulders square, 11 to 14 lbs., easy, 36s 6d. Lard, prime western, in tierces, firm, 43s 6d; American refined, in pails, steady, 43s 6d. Cheese, Canadian finest white, quiet, 63s; do., colored, quiet, 60s. Tallow, prime city, steady, 23s 6d. Australian, in London, firm, 24s 6d. Turpentine spirits, firm, 29s 3d. Linseed oil, dull, 22s 9d. Butter, good United States, steady, 83s. Petroleum, steady, 7⅞d. Rosin, common, firm, 8s 1½d.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—Butter firm, unchanged; receipts, 5914. Cheese—Firm, state full cream specials 14 1-2c to 14 3-4c; receipts, 1001. Eggs—Firm; receipts, 4801; state, Pennsylvania and nearby fancy selected white 40c; do., fair to choice, 36c to 38c; brown and mixed fancy, 34c to 36c; do. fair to choice, 31c to 33c; western firsts, 32 1-2c; seconds, 31c to 32c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Steady—Hogs Are Firm at an Advance at Buffalo.

LONDON, Jan. 2.—London cables for cattle are steady at 13c to 14c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10 1-4c to 10 1-2c per lb.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 2.—John Rogers & Co., Liverpool, quote to-day: United States steers, from 12c to 14c; Canadians, 11c to 12c; ranchers, 10c to 11½c; cows and heifers, 10c to 11½c; bulls, 10c, with fair trade and market firm.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, N.Y., Jan. 2.—Cattle—Steady. Veals, receipts, 150 head; active and 25c lower; $7 to $9.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 3500 head; active and 5c to 10c higher; heavy, $6.10 to $6.20; mixed, $6.10 to $6.15; Yorkers, $5.65 to $6.10; dairies, $5.75 to $6.05.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 3400 head; sheep active and steady; lambs slow and 10c lower; lambs, $5 to $7.40; yearlings, $5.75 to $6.25; wethers, $4.50 to $5.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—Cattle—Receipts 400; steady; beeves 4 to $7.50; Texans, $3.85 to $4.60; westerners, $3.75 to $5.70; stockers and feeders, $2.85 to $4.90; cows and heifers, $1.80 to $5.15; calves, $7.50 to $9.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; strong to 5c higher light, $5.30 to $5.96; mixed, $5.40; to $6.15; heavy, $5.65 to $6.25; rough, $5.65 to $5.85; good to choice heavy, $5.85 to 6.25; pigs, $4.25 to $5.30; bulk of sales, $5.75 to $6.10.

Sheep—Receipts, 2000; steady; native $2.75 to $5.30; western $3 to $5.25; yearlings, $5.50 to $6.80; lambs, $5.50 to $7.85; western, $4.75 to $7.85.

Rose on Way Back.

Huntington, W. Va., Jan. 4.—Inspector Duncan and Detective Tipton, in charge of Alex. Rose, the Toronto jail-breaker, left here yesterday for Toronto. Rose consented to go back, but Duncan was armed with full extradition papers in case they were needed. Any possible charges here against Rose of burglary have been dropped. Rose seems in good spirits. He got a letter in jail Saturday from his sister that seemed to depress him.

Shot Woman and Self.

New York, Jan. 4.—It was Arthur Korger, a boy of 20, that shot and killed Mrs. Elizabeth Orlop Wood, and then killed himself in a lonely section of Yonkers Friday night. Mrs. Wood, an attractive young woman of 20, was the childhood sweetheart of Korger, but in a moment of pique, it is stated, she eloped with and married Wood, from whom she had since separated. Both were of good families.

Woman Hugger Jailed.

Port Huron, Jan. 4.—Charles Forion, Sarnia's "Jack the Hugger," was convicted of annoying Port Huron women and sentenced to pay a fine of $57 and serve three months in jail. His wife, who was arrested at St. Clair, where she had eloped with Louis Weitsel, after her husband was arrested, has been deported to Sarnia.

Snubbed by Emperor.

Berlin, Jan. 4.—Considerable comment has been aroused by the fact that Emperor William, at the New Year's reception Friday, refrained from offering his hand to Count Von Stolberg-Wernigerode, the president of the Reichstag. The incident is regarded as an intentional snub, expressive of His Majesty's resentment against the Reichstag for that body's frank criticisms of his course in the matter of the interview with him printed in The London Daily Telegraph last October.

J. W. Leonard Very Ill.

Montreal, Jan. 4.—Alarming reports have been quietly given out at the home of J. W. Leonard, assistant general manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway, about his condition. Mr. Leonard is suffering from diabetes and though several of the most prominent physicians of the city have been called into consultation, his chances of recovery are despaired of.

Collection For Sufferers.

Montreal, Jan. 4.—Acting upon instructions received from Archbishop Bruchesi, now abroad, the administrator of the archdiocese, has asked that a collection be taken up in all the churches next Sunday in aid of the sufferers in Italy.

Tribesmen Loot Town.

Teheran, Jan. 4.—Serious disturbances have occurred at Ispahan, which lies 240 miles south of Teheran. Bakhtiari tribesmen have penetrated the town. Indiscriminate looting followed, with severe fighting and loss of life.

Rev. W. Wye Smith Resigns.

St. Catharines, Jan. 4.—Rev. William Wye Smith, the octogenarian pastor of the Congregational Tabernacle, has resigned and he preached his farewell sermon yesterday. The church building will be offered for sale, as the congregation is disbanding. Mr. Smith is the well-known Scottish poet and the translator of the New Testament into broad Scotch.

Anson R. Flower Dead.

Watertown, N.Y., Jan. 4.—Anson R. Flower, aged 66, special partner of the firm of Flower & Co., bankers of New York, died suddenly at his home in this city at noon yesterday, from heart trouble.

Mr. Flower was director in numerous banking, industrial and traction corporations, and was a member of the New York Stock Exchange.

Falls 600 Feet.

Vancouver, Jan. 4.—Nelson Penn, carpenter, aged 25, met with a terrible death here yesterday morning, while working in the Western Fuel Co.'s mine. He was walking along a drift without light and fell down an airshaft of No. 1 mine, dropping 600 feet. Death was instantaneous.

Nominations In Virden.

Winnipeg, Jan. 4.—The nomination for the Local Legislature for Virden, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Hon. J. H. Agnew, was held Saturday. Harvey Simpson, Conservative, and Robert Forke, Liberal, were nominated.

Mrs. Schwab Threatened.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—Mrs. Henry C. Schwab announced Saturday night that her monster reception scheduled for Jan. 6 would be held exactly as planned.

This announcement followed a day of excitement, during which a score of private detectives worked in vain to discover the identity of the person who, in a letter, threatened the death of the popular South Side society leader.

Mrs. Schwab has invitations out for a reception to be held Wednesday night at the Congress Hotel. Four hundred guests have been invited. The mysterious writer in his messages announced that before the guests were assembled Mrs. Schwab would be killed.

Drowned at Tilbury.

Tilbury, Jan. 4.—Yesterday morning Peter Labadie was drowned in Baptist Creek, north of the Grand Trunk Railway bridge. He was skating and broke through the thin ice. His body was recovered in about an hour after the accident. Deceased was about 46 years of age and leaves a wife and seven children.

Deanship For New Yorker

Kingston, Jan. 4.—Rev. Dr. Crockett of New York was the preacher at the Cathedral of St. George's yesterday. He is the guest of Bishop Mills. It is just possible he may be offered the rectorship and deanship of Ontario Diocese in succession to Bishop Farthing.

Will Rebuild.

Paris, Jan. 4.—The Harold Sanderson Refrigerator, which was totally destroyed by fire on Christmas Day, will be rebuilt. The council has furnished temporary quarters to the firm

Just Peat Burning.

Morgantown, W. Va., Jan. 4.—Dr. I. C. White, state geologist, when asked yesterday about reported volcanic activity in Pocahontas County merely smiled at the reports. "It is probably nothing but a peaty soil on fire," he said.

Burned by Grease.

Hamilton, Jan. 4.—Wm. Collins, a young Englishman, employed in the kitchen of the Waldorf, was severely burned Saturday. He let a pan of grease he was carrying come into contact with a gas jet. He pluckily carried the burning grease outside, but was badly burned in doing so, and had to be taken to the hospital. The firemen were called, but there was no need of their services.

Cheap Election.

Brockville, Jan. 4.—The election expenses of Hon. G. P. Graham and John Webster, the opposing candidates in the Brockville riding at the last Dominion election, were $1,073 and $99 respectively.

Accident or Suicide?

North Bay, Jan. 4.—Joseph Turner shot himself at Bear Island Saturday, but whether the tragedy was the result of premeditation or accident is not known as yet. Coroner McMurchy is investigating.

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Old Madras Curtains Come Into Play in New Scheme.

The present style of draping the windows at the sides with narrow curtains that come only to the sill and hanging a valance of the same material over the top provides use for curtains that have seen their best days and that with the former style of draping would have to be cast aside. Old madras curtains, because of the width of the material, come into play for the purpose. If the material is forty-eight inches wide it may be cut lengthwise through the center and one width serve for both sides of the window. The top of each strip should be shirred on to a strip of tape that is long enough to cover the window casing and a little of the window, only an inch or two of the latter. They should be tacked on to the casing of the window at the top. The valance is usually from nine to twelve inches deep, according to the height of the window. Hem this at the bottom, turn in the top and lay the top side in series of inch plaits, each three in a group and the groups about four inches apart. These plaits stand out in an upright inch or inch and a half head, but at the bottom of the plaits, where the valance is tacked on to a tape, the plaits are tacked down and drawn in flat. Put a curtain pin at the back of each cluster of plaits and hang it over a ring on a small brass rod. At the ends there should be a ring outside the brackets, and the valance should have no plaits within four inches of the end on either side. This allows for an easy hanging of the valance around the bracket. The small extension gilt rods are much cheaper than the regular brass rods and answer every purpose, with balls at the ends. They cost about 35 cents each. Small rings to go with them are about 10 cents a dozen. The curtain hooks that sew to the curtain rather than pin are the most satisfactory. The fish nets come in lovely reds, greens and, indeed, all the fashionable colors. It is one of the fancies of the moment to match the wall paper with its own prevailing color in window draperies. These nets come at all prices, from less than 20 cents up.

THE NIGHT.

A tremor, a quiver,
Through her
As over the river
The dawn began,
She drew her veil
Over her eyes,
And her face grew pale,
As she watched the sun rise.
She faded, turned
to a ghost, was gone,
As the morning burned
And the day came on.
With veiled, sad eye,
And face still wan,
She waited nigh
When the dusk began.
With her tears of bliss
The earth was wet,
And soothed with her kiss
When the sun was set.
And with stately pride
She sat on her throne
Of her empire wide
When the day had gone;
And her robes she spread
With their sable hem
And crowned her head
With her diadem.
And the mute Earth saw
That a queen was she,
And gazed with awe
On her majesty.

W. M. McKeracher.

A Cordial Invitation.

George Barker, the skipper of the Grimsby (England) trawler Taurus, has received an amusing summons from the German authorities for non-payment of a fine imposed upon him for alleged illegal fishing in German territorial waters. The document reads: "You are summoned to thirty days' imprisonment on Nov. 2 in Flensburg prison. Admission into prison from 7 o'clock morning until 6 evening. Sundays and holidays until 6. This summons is to be brought with you and shown."

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REV. H. R. TRUMPOUR'S SERMON

Rector Pointed Out What Lessons Were to be Learnt From the Year 1908.

There was a very large congregation at All Saints' church last night and the service was bright and hearty. As his text the rector took the words of Ps., 90; 9., and on it based a resume of the chief events of the past year, showing what lessons were to be drawn from them. It had not, he said been a year of great disasters, although, of course many terrible things had happened. Some important political events had occurred. It had witnessed for instance the emancipation of Turkey from the thraldom of an absolute despotism as shown in the granting of a constitution to the Turks; it had also witnessed the death of the puppet ruler of China and of the Dowager Empress. By her death China was released from the fetters that had bound her, and God alone knew what this would mean to the world. The hordes of China and Japan were crossing the sea and endeavouring to obtain a footing upon this continent. In the awaking of the East there was danger to the West, but this was not the only peril that 1908 had shown us. The desire for material at the expense of spiritual prosperity was being planted more firmly in the minds of the people of all classes; armaments of all nations were on the increase; there was disaffection in India; hard times had not altogether passed away; thousands upon thousands of the employed were crying for bread in the old land. But to turn to the bright side, the year just passed, had shown a steady progress towards temperance and a wonderful uplift in religion as exemplified in the Layman's Missionary Movement. In summing up, the preacher said the duty of Christians was clear; to look upon the events of 1908 as manifestations given by God for our guidance in the future, that thus by avoiding the bad and following the good we may arrive at a higher state of spiritual blessedness.

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Over 600 Members Of St. Peter's T.A.S. At Communion In A Body

Largest Representation Yet Made at St. Peter's Cathedral—Words of Praise From Bishop O'Connor—The Choir From Society Sang During Mass.

AN EVIDENCE OF GROWTH

St. Peter's Total Abstinence Society to the number of six hundred or more members received Holy Communion at the eight o'clock mass at the cathedral yesterday morning.

The numerical advancement that the society has made during the past year was most strikingly manifested. It was the largest representation that the T. A. S. has probably yet had in its regular attendance at church, the greatest means by which the spiritual welfare of its members is nourished and fostered. They assembled at St. Peter's School and marched to the cathedral where they occupied all the central aisles of the nave.

His Lordship Bishop O'Connor celebrated mass and was assisted at Communion by Rev. Dr. O'Brien and Rev. Father McColl. The society's choir of young men sang special hymns in a pleasing manner. The "Adeste Fideles" was sung by Mr. Harry Quinlan, assisted by the rest of the choir.

The Bishop's Address

At the conclusion of the mass His Lordship referred to the magnificent sight that had been witnessed on the very large number of the men of the parish, members of St. Peter's T. A. S., approaching Communion. He commended them for the splendid example they were showing in thus regularly attending in a body and was sure that it was a sight which not only was a pleasure to men but even to angels. Temporal benefits they were also enjoying, as was shown by the better homes which the eradication of the liquor habit was making. The bishop further stated that every member should be proud of the fact that he belonged to the society, and he urged them to ask God's grace that they would be enabled to withstand all temptations. If as sometimes happens, a member suffers the misfortune to fall away, he admonished him to return at once, renew his pledge and resolve never to fall again.

Mr. O'Rourke, who has the office of marshall, preserved a fine appearance in the march to and from the church.

Dr. O'Brien's untiring efforts are bearing good fruit, and his ambition to see the society with a membership of one thousand should be attained in the near future.

REVIEW OF THE YEAR BY WELL KNOWN FINANCIAL AUTHORITY; THE PROSPECTS ARE VERY BRIGHT

New York, Dec. 31 (Special)—The year closes with a feeling of optimism in all branches of business, and with the financial district bright and cheerful, in marked contrast to the corresponding week of last year when there were dire predictions of calamity in the business world and a haze of blue covering The Street that could be cut with a knife.

The week just closed saw a number of high prices for the year made in the stock market; New York Central on reports that E. H. Harriman was to enter the board of directors, advanced sharply; Wisconsin Central, on rumours of a change of control, perhaps the purchase of the road by the Canadian Pacific, was another; and Brunswick Dock, heretofore one of the dormant issues, displayed considerable strength on large buying orders from Holland and London. Wabash issues made still further advances as did Denver and Rio Grande, the best of the Gould group.

The average price of stocks reached a point that showed a gain of 38.31 points above the low figures of Nov. 1908. The average was 119.80. This is a phenomenal recovery, as it has come almost without a reaction. Stocks are now on an average, but 18.56 points under the highest point ever touched in January 1906. This would seem to be a recovery sufficient to discount a great deal more business improvement than has actually taken place. Stocks may continue to advance for the time being, as sentiment is a powerful factor, but those that buy at these prices may find that it will be a long time before they see a profit on their purchases. Many of the low price railroads are still good purchases for the "long pull," but they should be bought with discrimination.

Good reports come from all lines of business, so it is easy to see that the outlook for 1909 is all that it should be and if crops are good in 1909, this country will enter upon a boom that will carry prices on the stock exchange eventually to the highest point on record.

The horrible earthquake in Sicily will have but little effect upon prices as the the losses to the insurance companies will not be very great, and while wealth was destroyed it was not the wealth of the new world, and although the loss of life places the catastrophe as probably the greatest in the history of the world, it is more a loss of life than a loss of dollars.

The threat of trouble in Eastern Europe has passed and danger of war appears to be remote. A war would have been a check to business there, but a stimulus here; but wealth would have been destroyed and eventually this country would have been forced to help pay the bill, for a loss of wealth now in any country is eventually felt in some way by all countries. However, all is well that ends well, and the year ends well enough, all things considered and surely has a new year come in with promises of good things so bright as the promises that usher in 1909. May those promises bear the fruit of prosperity, and may the thousands who hungered in 1908, revel in plenty in the new year.

J. R. BURTON.

Chinamen Were Ready To Go With Money And Valuables

While the little blaze on Simcoe street Saturday night was still smoking and steaming and the crowd remained to see it there would be anything of importance materialize, the Chinamen in Sun Lung's laundry, a few doors farther west were all prepared to vacate their shop in an instant's warning. A reporter went in to see them and found them all with hats and overcoats on prepared for the worst. There was no danger for they were at least four doors away and a lane separates the two buildings.

The oval eyes of the Orientals had lost their almond shape and were as round and large as twenty-five cent pieces. Tom Somebody who seems to be boss of the rest of the washermen, was like the rest of them, visibly trembling.

"I'm velles much afraid," he said, and was grateful for the reassurance that the danger was very remote.

He told the reporter that he was all ready to go. In one pocket he had a bag of money, and in the other his insurance policy.

Chinamen must have keen imaginations. From their appearance they must have beheld a conflagration in it was going to sweep everything. At any rate they were not going to take any chances, although they seemed to be forgetting the long rows of laundry that were awaiting the Saturday night customers.

Labour Conditions In City For The Month Of November

Mr. J. A. Sharpe, local correspondent to the Labour Gazette, sends the following report of labour conditions in Peterborough during November:

Conditions during November have been rather quiet in most branches, with the exception of the building trades and flour and cereal mills, which were active. Skilled and unskilled labour are both largely in excess of the demand and with the closing of the lumber mills and the active season for farm labour there will probably be a considerable increase of unemployment. The firm of W. Hamilton and Company, after having been closed down for over a year is re-organizing, and is making extensive repairs to the plant for the purpose of starting up again as soon as possible. The master painters and decorators have formed an association for the bettering of conditions and have rented rooms which will be open day and evening for the transaction of business. The retail merchants have also formed a union to promote and protect their business. Transportation has been active. The banks reported a fairly good month. The American Cereal Company has been very busy, its factory running to full capacity.

Condition of Local Industries

Agriculture—Farmers had a good month, and were busy ploughing, especially towards the close of the month, when weather conditions were very favourable.

Lumbering — Operations were active.

Condition of Particular Trades

Painters, decorators and paperhangers were a little dull, but the other branches of the building trades were active. Iron moulders reported a slight improvement, but the other metal trades were quiet. Woodworkers were not very busy, printers had a fair month, as had also the clothing trades. Bakers and butchers were busy, but cigar makers and tobacco workers were dull. The transport trades were very busy. Unskilled labour was quiet.

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LE ISOLE DI LIPARI SALVE—NESSUN MORTO

Il Papa Pio X. Sottoscrive un 1,000,000 di Lire per Soccorrere i Sventurati.

For the benefit of the many Italian residents in Peterborough who cannot read English, the Examiner herewith presents in Italian a summary of the latest dispatches:

Roma, Gennaio, Jan. 2.—Pisole di Lipari non furono distrutte, e non vi fu nessuna perdita di vite. Questa nuova fu ricevuta da tutta l'Italia con preghiere di gratitudine. Un telegramma dal commandante della torpediniera mandata dal governo per informazione, fu ricevuto dal Ministro della Marina e annunzia, che forte scosse di terremoto furono sentite in tutte le isole. Alcuni fabbricati furono danneggiati.

Roma, Gennaio, Jan. 2.—Il Papa Pio X. dono un millione di lire della tesoreria del Vaticano, per il rilievo degli ammalti e dastituti del terremoto. Commanda che l'ospizio di SSanta Marta, vicino al Vaticano, dove generalmente sono di alloggiare i pellegrini, che sia convertito in un ospedal per sofferenti che vengono da Napoli, Sua Santita cosi potra accontentare il suo desiderio di essere in mezzo alle vittime personalmente. Il Papa chiede che tutto il mondo Cattolico sottoscrivesse per il sollieve dei aventurati del terremoto.

IMPORTANT CHANGE IN CANADIAN PACIFIC TRANSCONTINENTAL SERVICE

During the months of January and February the C. P. R. 'Imperial Limited,' will not run between Montreal and Winnipeg, or between Calgary and Vancouver. This change will not, however, affect passengers from this district to any considerable extent. The departure time of the northwest express from Toronto is unchanged from 10.15 p. m., daily, there is no change in the fast time made to Winnipeg, and for passengers to Calgary and points east, no wait in that city. Passengers for points west of Calgary and the coast will enjoy a welcome break in their long journey, arriving in Winnipeg at 10.40 p. m., and after an afternoon and evening in which to see the attractions of the western metropolis, leave for their destinations at 10.45 p. m. This opportunity to explore Winnipeg, the gateway to the Northwest, and famous for its rapid growth and prosperity, will undoubtedly be welcomed by cross-continent travellers. The change takes effect January 1st. 3d1127-4800

MAKE THE PAVEMENT ROUGH.

Editor Post Card Column:

Dear Sir,—The slippery walks are a menace to the safety of the public limbs. Why are they not sanded? We have a Street Commissioner and Street Inspector, under pay, and with not too much to do in winter. Why not get them busy? We have a team of city horses idle. Why not get some device on the principle of a seed drill and sand the walks, wholesale, and make them — what they are not in their present icy condition—passable? Some cities use a "picker" something on the plan of the "picker" of the steam roller, to roughen the walks when they are icy.

Yours truly,
CREEPERS.

Peterborough, Jan. 4th, 1909.

Music and Drama

Within a week or ten days a pack of Canadian howling wolves will be introduced into "The Wolf" company, playing at present at the Teck Theatre, Buffalo, to supplant with actual howls those now secured by the aid of a phonograph. When Eugene Walter's play of the Canadian wilderness was first produced, the howling of the wolves was secured at the New York Zoo by having a record made on the phonograph, all of which bears out a Canadian legend that when wolves howl in pack in Indian summer it means that before the moon shall rise and set again a man will die and the wolf pack will return to taste his blood. In "The Wolf" the howling of the wolves portends the death of William Macdonald, a none-too-loved character of the play. The phonograph has been most satisfactory in every way, but in keeping with the times everything must give way to actualities.

SOME THE CAUSES OF ILL-HEALTH

Late Hours, Excitement and Other Things Are Mentioned by an Authority.

CHICAGO, Jan. 4. — That American women of the larger cities, through the use of drugs and intoxicants, are causing an increase of degeneracy in children, was the warning delivered by Mrs. Ophelia Amigh, head of the State Training School for Girls at Geneva, Ill., in an address to the West End Women's Club.

"America for years has furnished conditions peculiarly favourable to degeneracy," declared Mrs. Amigh. "The strenuous life of the average American citizens has many aspects bearing on degeneracy in general and vice and crime in particular. Lust for wealth, desire for social supremacy, ambition for fame, love of display, late hours, lack of rest, excitement, the consumption of alcohol—especially by women—all these factors combine to cause a distinctly American disease.

"The average woman of the fashionable set lives in a whirl of unhealthy stress and excitement. She sleeps too little and keeps her nerves constantly on the qui vive. She tipples and drugs for headaches and insomnia, due to her unhygienic mode of life. She is often a degenerate and the mother of a degenerate, if, indeed, she be a mother at all.

"This drinking among women is getting to be more common than we are willing to believe, and it is one of the greatest dangers with which we are confronted today.

"The hurry and fret of American life are turning out degenerates at a rate that will one day stagger the world.

"Ignorance and bad parentage are doing the work in many instances, and girls comparatively good are led off by bad men and worse women.

"Children who were well born and should have been well reared, find their way into the schools for delinquents, the jails, penitentiaries and insane asylums. The heredity of many of these children is appalling and their environment does the rest.

"We have received more than 1,400 girls into our school, and with few exceptions, they have been children of alcoholic inheritance. Are they to be blamed for the circumstances surrounding their young lives? Not at all.

"The number of moral imbeciles that come to us is simply appalling, and you have object lessons enough here right here in Chicago, New York and other cities. Degenrate theatricals has much to do with it."

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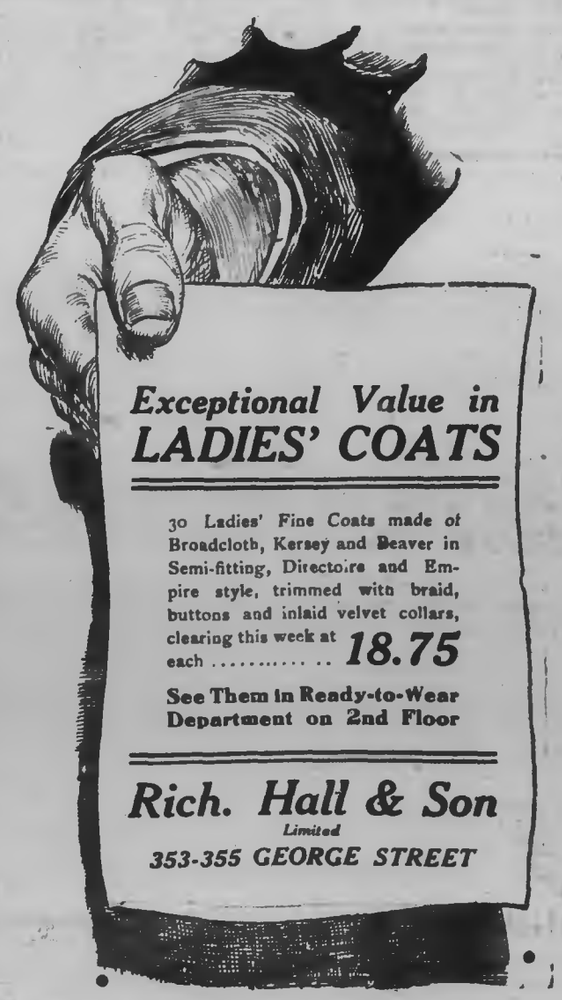

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RATTRAY ACQUITTED OF CHARGE OF THEFT OF $686.12 OWING TO EVIDENCE BEING INSUFFICIENT

Magistrate Dumble Told Him That He Believed Him to be Guilty But the Prosecution Failed to Produce Proof Absolute.

RATTRAY WITHOUT MONEY

William Rattray was acquitted on the charge of having stolen $686.12 from the City Hotel during the month of September and passed from the court this morning legally discharged.

After he had heard a little lecture from Magistrate Dumble, a lecture which he listened to with an expression of "hurry up and get through with it" on his face, Rattray enquired,

"Who is going to pay my way back to Toronto, your Worship? They brought me down here and now I've got no money, how am I to get back?"

Magistrate Dumble looked almost surprised and replied, "A man that can ride from Toronto to Chicago and back without paying a fare can surely go from here to Toronto."

Rattray answered under his breath that he would get there.

Magistrate's Remarks

His Worship stated that the facts of the case must have left the conviction in any mind that the prisoner had committed the crime. The manner in which he came down from Toronto the short time he spent here, his familiarity with the hotel, his stealing away from the city at an early hour in the morning, all these things pointed to his guilt.

"But sufficient legal evidence has not been produced to fasten the guilt upon you. No money was found upon you, none was traced to you, you were not seen committing the deed, nor were any footmarks found to incriminate you. A jury or judge would give you the benefit of the insufficiency of absolute proof."

Seven Members From Lindsay At Meeting Of St. Peter's T.A.S.

Messrs. Jos. Maher and T. J. Begley Down for Ninth Anniversary—Installation of Officers and Address by a Member.

ENTHUSIASM MANIFEST

Among those in attendance at the regular meeting of St. Peter's T. A. S. yesterday afternoon, were four young men from Lindsay. They were among a party of seven who drove down after the first mass, arriving in Peterborough about one o'clock. Two of them were former local men Messrs. Jos. Maher and T. J. Begley, and the others were Messrs. Vincent Dwyer and Lorne Curtin, Joseph Gillogly, John Murphy and W. J. Callahan.

During the meeting the officers for the next six months were installed as follows:

Spiritual Adviser—Rev. Dr. O'Brien.
President—Mr. Nicholas Bibby.
1st Vice-President—Mr. John Deanard.
2nd Vice-President—Mr. Jos. Dufus.
Recording-Secretary — Mr. Jos. Picard, Jr.
Financial Secretary — Mr. A. Labans.
Treasurer—Mr. Jos. Primeau.
Marshall—Mr. Thomas McGinty.
Assistant Marshall — Mr. H. O'Rourke.
Guard—Mr. E. Flaherty.
Trustees—Messrs. Geo. Ahearn, P. O'Donnell, W. S. Merrell, A. Sharpe, Chas McDonald.

Dr. O'Brien duly installed them. The meeting was large and enthusiastic, a characteristic of all those that have been held during the past year. In fact the capacious hall is beginning to be inadequate for the present attendances.

During the meeting Mr. Joseph Begley gave a splendid address on temperance. Rev. Dr. O'Brien complimented the members on the large number that had attended mass in the morning.

The trustees held a subsequent meeting and elected Mr. W. S. Merrell chairman, and Mr. Arthur Sharpe, secretary. The former has just vacated the presidency of the society after six months of good service.

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MOST ENJOYABLE AFFAIR

On Thursday evening, Dec. 18th, a very successful school concert and Christmas tree was held at Rockcroft Presbyterian church by the pupils of S. S. No. 6, Harvey. A good programme was given consisting of songs, drill, recitation, instrumentals, dialogues, Tableau, graphophone selections, etc. The programme was as follows—

Graphophone Selection
Recitation—Evan Traynor
Recitation—Ethel Guthrie
Song—Miss Olive Simpson.
Recitation—Biddy's Troubles by V. Flynn.
Recitation— Pearl Guthrie
Instrumental—Bruce Simpson
Recitation— Nellie Mooney
Song—Mrs. Cochrane
Dialogue—The Premature Proposal Miss Ruth Flynn, Mr. Herb Simpson Miss Olive Simpson, Miss Vera Flynn.
Drill—School Children.
Graphophone Selection
Dialogue—City Dude and Farmer's Son—Mr. Ineo. Simpson and Mr. E Chesney.
Recitation—Violet Moncrief
Instrumental—Melville Simpson.
Recitation—Blanche Bennett.
Song—Theo. Simpson
Recitation—Maggie Spence
Speech—the Irish Philosopher by Miss Ruth Flynn.
Recitation—Mae Armstrong.
Recitation— Irene Traynor.
Dialogue—Aunt Patience's Doughnuts—Miss Olive Simpson and Miss Vera Flynn.
Recitation—Lottie Windover
Song—Miss Olive Simpson.
Tableau
Graphophone Selection

When the programme was concluded, prizes were awarded for best conduct at school. Lorne Chesney received first prize, and Frank Picard second prize. Then came time to distribute the presents. Mr. Stratton's were taken off first. They were ably and nicely very much in the Christmas tree a success teacher and children received useful presents and were delighted them. The teacher with of the children to thank Stratton for their kind

After the presents were given away, refreshments and the entertainment was brought in the usual manner by singing "God Save the King."

FOR SWEET CHARITY.

Ninth Anniversary Concert of St. Peter's T.A.S. at St. Peter's School Hall, on Friday Evening, Jan. 8, under auspices of St. Peter's T.A.S. Proceeds for Charity.

OBITUARY.

EDWARD PAKENHAM

A very well known resident of Peterborough passed away yesterday afternoon in the death of Mr. Edward Pakenham of 336 Manning avenue. The deceased who was seventy years of age had only been ill since last Tuesday from Bright's disease and the news of his death will come as a shock to his large circle of friends in Peterborough. His many good qualities had made esteemed and respected by all those with whom he had come in contact during his residence of twenty-eight years in this city. He was born in Dublin, Ireland, but had been a resident of Canada for many years.

The deceased is survived by six sons and four daughters. The sons are Messrs. Edward, of Norwood; James, of Peterborough; Walter, of Toronto; Prof. Wm. Pakenham, of the Technical School, Toronto, and Messrs. Frank and Gilbert, living at home. The daughters are Mrs. John Graydon, of Streetsville; Mrs. E Hall, Queenston, and Miss Cora and Miss Maud, residing at home.

The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence, 36 Manning avenue, to Little Lake Cemetery.

MRS. COX

Mrs. Cox, widow of the late Frederic G. Cox, of Toronto, died very suddenly from heart failure at Chicago on Saturday. Mr. Cox went Chicago on Saturday. Mrs. Cox went though she had not been in the best of health for some time, her death was quite unexpected. Deceased, prior to her marriage to the late Mr. Cox, was Miss Cosie Swan of Woodstock, Ont. The body will arrive in Toronto to-day and the funeral will take place to-morrow from the home of Mr. Edward W Cox, 162 Isabella street.—Toronto Globe.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

The Senior Gymnasium Class at the Y. M. C. A. will open this evening and the boys' class to-morrow night.

The Wrestling Class will meet on Wednesday night.

The first indoor track and field competitions of the season will take place on Wednesday night, the events being the fifty yards sprint and the shot put. The competitions are arousing considerable interest among the members of the association.

This week all the gymnasium and Bible classes will be in full swing again, after the summer holidays. The Business Boys' Bible Class will be held at the usual time on Tuesday at 7 p. m., and the Collegiate and Junior School Classes will be held on Saturday.

The skating rink is in fine shape now and all boys who wish to use it can get tickets from Mr. Collings or Mr. Evans.

On New Year's morning about forty boys accepted the invitation of the Y. M. C. A. to all the boys of the city to use the gymnasium and baths. The boys spent the morning playing basket ball and other games.

After the boys had a swim they were served coffee and cake and a very enjoyable time was spent.

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MANY "WHISTLERS" ON THE RIVER

Found Seeking Fish in the Open Places.

Those who have passed open places in the river recently have been doubtless surprised at the large numbers of ducks which are known as "Whistlers." They eat fish during the winter and are found around open places where they can secure their food. They are now plump and fat and are very numerous from the lake up to Lakefield.

EXCITING RUNAWAY ON WATER STREET

Livery Team Made Lively Break for Freedom This Morning.

A local livery team caused an exciting time at an early hour this morning on Water street. Some men were returning from a visit to the country, when the horses took fright, dashing down Water street smashing the back of the front seat off and putting the paint and trimmings in great need of repair. They very considerately left what remained of the cutter at the corner of Brock and Water streets in front of Fitzgerald's premises.

The horses arrived at the barn about six o'clock, badly cut about the head and feet.

The owner would like very much to see the person who hired the vehicle. Up to the present has not shown up, and in order to avoid trouble is advised herewith to do so.

Full returns of the Elections will be announced from the Stage of Grand Opera House to-night, at the big Musical Melo-dramatic success, "The Cowboy Girl". 25 People in the Company. Prices-75-50-35-25-and 15c

OCTOGENARIAN DIES IN HOUSE OF REFUGE

On Saturday at the County House of Refuge, Lakefield, William Hartley, aged 81 years, admitted from Otonabee, died. His is the fifth death death that has taken place in the Refuge since its opening two years ago.

DECLINED THE CALL TO OMEMEE

Rev. Mr. MacFarlane Remains at Warkworth—Induction of Rev. John A. Black.

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SCHOOL CONCERT AND XMAS TREE

Each Pupil of S. S. No. 6, Harvey, Remembered by Santa Claus—Mr. and Mrs. Stratton Thanked by Pupils and Teacher.

MOST ENJOYABLE AFFAIR

On Thursday evening, Dec. 18th, a very successful school concert and Christmas tree was held at Rockcroft Presbyterian church by the pupils of S. S. No. 6, Harvey. A good programme was given consisting of songs, drills, recitation, instrumentals, dialogues, Tableau, graphophone selections, etc. The programme was as follows—

Graphophone Selection
Recitation—Evan Traynor
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Song—Miss Olive Simpson.
Recitation—Biddy's Troubles by V. Flynn.
Recitation—Pearl Guthrie
Instrumental—Bruce Simpson
Recitation—Nellie Mooney
Song—Mrs. Cochrane
Dialogue—The Premature Proposal Miss Ruth Flynn, Mr. Herb Simpson Miss Olive Simpson, Miss Vera Flynn.
Drill—School Children.
Graphophone Selection
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Recitation—Violet Moncrief
Instrumental—Melville Simpson.
Recitation—Blanche Bennett.
Song—Theo. Simpson
Recitation—Maggie Spence
Speech—The Irish Philosopher by Miss Ruth Flynn.
Recitation—Mae Armstrong.
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Dialogue—Aunt Patience's Dozznuts—Miss Olive Simpson and Miss Vera Flynn.
Recitation—Lottie Windover
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Tableau
Graphoplone Selection

When the programme was concluded, prizes were awarded for best conduct at school. Lorne Chesney received first prize, and Frank Picard second prize. Then came time to distribute the presents. Mr. Stratton's were taken off first. They were lovely and helped very much in making the Christmas tree a success. The teacher and children received beautiful presents and were delighted with them. The teacher wished on behalf of the children to thank Mr. and Mrs. Stration for their kind interest.

After the presents were all given away, refreshments were served, and the entertainment was closed in the usual manner by singing "God Save the King."

FOR SWEET CHARITY.

Ninth Anniversary Concert of St. Peter's T.A.S. at St. Peter's School Hall, on Friday Evening, Jan. 8, under auspices of St. Peter's T.A.S. Proceeds for Charity.

OBITUARY.

EDWARD PAKENHAM

A very well known resident of Peterborough passed away yesterday afternoon in the death of Mr. Edward Pakenham of 336 Manning avenue. The deceased who was seventy years of age had only been ill since last Tuesday from Bright's disease and the news of his death will come as a shock to his large circle of friends in Peterborough. His many good qualities had made esteemed and respected by all those with whom he had come in contact during his residence of twenty-eight years in this city. He was born in Dublin, Ireland, but had been a resident of Canada for many years.

The deceased is survived by six sons and four daughters. The sons are Messrs. Edward, of Norwood; James, of Peterborough; Walter, of Toronto; Prof. Wm. Pakenham, of the Technical School, Toronto, and Messrs. Frank and Gilbert, living at home. The daughters are Mrs. John Graydon, of Streetsville; Mrs. E. Hall, Queenston, and Miss Cora and Miss Maud, residing at home.

The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence, 336 Manning avenue, to Little Lake Cemetery.

MRS. COX

Mrs. Cox, widow of the late Frederic G. Cox, of Toronto, died very suddenly from heart failure at Chicago on Saturday. Mr. Cox went Chicago on Saturday. Mrs. Cox went though she had not been in the best of health for some time, her death was quite unexpected. Deceased, prior to her marriage to the late Mr. Cox, was Miss Cosie Swan of Woodstock, Ont. The body will arrive in Toronto to-day and the funeral will take place to-morrow from the home of Mr. Edward W Cox, 162 Isabella street.—Toronto Globe.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

The Senior Gymnasium Class at the Y. M. C. A. will open this evening and the boys' class to-morrow night.

The Wrestling Class will meet on Wednesday night.

The first indoor track and field competitions of the season will take place on Wednesday night, the events being the fifty yards sprint and the shot put. The competitions are arousing considerable interest among the members of the association.

This week all the gymnasium and Bible classes will be in full swing again, after the summer holidays. The Business Boys' Bible Class will be held at the usual time on Tuesday at 7 p. m., and the Collegiate and Junior School Classes will be held on Saturday.

The skating rink is in fine shape now and all boys who wish to use it can get tickets from Mr. Collings or Mr. Evans.

On New Year's morning about forty boys accepted the invitation of the Y. M. C. A. to all the boys of the city to use the gymnasium and baths. The boys spent the morning playing basket ball and other games.

After the boys had a swim they were served coffee and cake and a very enjoyable time was spent.

Training vs. Long Service

In every business we see the long service man asking the trained one for advice.

Although the optician may claim he has had from fifteen to twenty-five years experience in the optical business, that is no proof that he is a trained man.

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MANY "WHISTLERS" ON THE RIVER

Found Seeking Fish in the Open Places.

Those who have passed open places in the river recently have been doubtless surprised at the large number of ducks which are known as 'Whistlers." They eat fish during the winter and are found around open places where they can secure their food. They are now plump and fat and are very numerouse from the lake up to Lakefield.

EXCITING RUNAWAY ON WATER STREET

Livery Team Made Lively Break for Freedom This Morning.

A local livery team caused an exciting time at an early hour this morning, on Water street. Some men were returning from a visit to the country, when the horses took fright, dashing down Water street smashing the back of the front seat off and putting the paint and trimmings in great need of repair. They very considerately left what remained of the cutter at the corner of Brock and Water streets in front of Fitzgerald's premises.

The horses arrived at the barn about six o'clock, badly cut about the head and feet.

The owner would like very much to see the person who hired the vehicle. Up to the present has not shown up, and in order to avoid trouble is advised herewith to do so.

Full returns of the Elections will be announced from the Stage of Grand Opera House to-night, at the big Musical Melo-dramatic success, "The Cowboy Girl". 25 People in the Company. Prices-75-50-35-25-and 15c

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"Who is going to pay my way back to Toronto, your Worship? They brought me down here and now I've got no money, how am I to get back?"

Magistrate Dumble looked almost surprised and replied, "A man that can ride from Toronto to Chicago and back without paying a fare can surely go from here to Toronto."

Rattray answered under his breath that he would get there.

Magistrate's Remarks

His Worship stated that the facts of the case must have left the conviction in any mind that the prisoner had committed the crime. The manner in which he came down from Toronto the short time he spent here, his familiarity with the hotel, his stealing away from the city at an early hour in the morning, all these things pointed to his guilt.

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Toronto, Jan. 4.—Power bylaws are being submitted and voted upon in a large number of western municipalities to-day and those which are in the same neighborhood are almost as interested as these which are actually voting.

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U. S. Fleet at Suez.

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Dies to Save Others.

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Reserve For Veterans.

Ottawa, Jan. 4.—A deputation of the Imperial South African Veterans' Association was received by Hon. Frank Oliver on Saturday. He promised to lay their proposals before the Cabinet.

The proposition is to form a military reserve of upwards of 5,000 soldiers of imperial veterans for a period of ten years free of cost to the Government.

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King and Queen of Italy Realize That Their Work in the Ruins Is Ended —Bitter Warfare Is Carried on Between Police and Robbers, In Which Many Are Shot — The Ghouls Are Hard at Work.

Rome, Jan. 4.—The King and Queen stole into the capital yesterday afternoon, but news of their arrival spread quickly, and crowds gathered outside the Quirinal cheered till King Victor Emmanuel appeared on the balcony of the palace to bow his thanks. Their Majesties have created a new and strong bond between themselves and their subjects. Prior to their departure from Calabria the King telegraphed the Premier saying that fresh troops were arriving, all relief services were being gradually organized and the situation was improving. After visiting the districts most affected, and in view of the fact that order had been everywhere restored, while, moreover, the number of rescues was diminishing, he was leaving for Rome.

Queen Helena Injured.

Queen Helena was not greatly injured in the hospital panic which she endeavored to check. She was only bruised. When the panic, which was caused by a renewed shock, broke out, everybody, in a paroxysm of terror, made a mad rush for the doors of the hospital amid cries of "Flee! flee! another earthquake! the building is falling!" The Queen commanded silence and called on the panic-stricken patients to keep their places. Some obeyed, but others, mad with fear, tried to rush out. It was one of these latter who struck the Queen so violently on the breast that she almost fainted in the arms of one of her ladies. As soon as she recovered she resumed work. The King, when he heard of the accident, hurried to the hospital and endeavored to persuade her to leave, but without avail. Even when returning on one of the men-of-war from Messina the Queen's labors were not over, for there were injured aboard whom she attended with her own hands. Only one thing the Queen was not allowed to do. This was to visit certain streets of Messina where the sights were too horrible.

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Work of the Ghouls.

Premier Giolitti confirms the King's statement that the local authorities now have the situation well in hand. It was necessary to proclaim martial law as affording the only means of dealing effectively with the pillagers and marauders, one of whom was discovered with notes to the value of 100,000 lire in his possession. For two days the scum population, however, were in command, and both dead and dying suffered at their hands. Several of them were shot at sight by rescue parties. It was only on the arrival of troops from the outside that the bandits, who even so late as Friday night engaged in a pitched battle with sailors and customs officers. One man was shot in the act of tearing the rings off the finger of a dying woman, and stories of incendiarism are also current, in which human ghouls are stated to have set fire to the ruins in which the victims they had despoiled were still alive.

Farmer Gored to Death.

Danbury, Conn., Jan. 4.—James Reynolds, a wealthy and prominent farmer, was gored to death by a bull in a field on his farm in the town of Danbury yesterday.

The body, terribly torn and mangled, with the face crushed in, was found by his son, Theodore, yesterday afternoon lying face downwards in one corner of the field, while all about were evidences that a fierce struggle had taken place. The medical examiner expressed the opinion that the animal after killing the farmer, had trampled on the body and tossed it about. Mr. Reynolds was 63 years of age.

Boy Drowned In Lake.

Toronto, Jan. 4.—Allan Gardener, nine years of age, East Toronto, was drowned in the lake at the foot of Birch avenue Saturday afternoon.

The little fellow had been playing with his cousin on the ice crust on the beach. He fell in and the other children rushed off to give the alarm.

The bell in the fire hall on Spruce avenue was rung and the firemen went to the scene with pike poles, but were unable to recover the body.

Elevator Burned.

Vancouver, Jan. 4.—In a raging gale last evening the fire department waged a winning fight against a fire which did $200,000 damage and threatened several saw mills and other industries located in the immediate neighborhood. The wheat elevator of the Vancouver Milling Co. was totally destroyed. The blaze was confined to the main elevator, the packing plant a few feet away being saved.

Boycott Threatened.

Vancouver, Jan. 4.—A boycott against British goods is threatened at Hong Kong, owing to the severity of the Hong Kong Government in attempting to stop the boycott against Japanese goods by Chinese of the colony.

The Viceroy of Canton has forbidden emigration to Mexico.

Ask For Arbitration.

Ottawa, Jan. 4.—There is a dispute between the board of railway telegraphers and the Michigan Centr. Railway and the telegraphers has applied to the Labor Department for arbitration.

CROOK CAPTURED.

Man Is Charged In North Bay With Assault and Robbery.

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The prisoner was brought to North Bay yesterday to stand trial on a charge of robbing a young man from Nova Scotia. Ryan is accused of decoying the victim about one mile from town in a buggy and throwing him from the vehicle after beating him to unconsciousness, and robbing him of a large sum of money.

Ryan took refuge in the Cobalt district, and has managed to elude the police since. He is looked upon as a dangerous character, and will likely have to face other serious charges. He is a brother of Joseph Ryan, whose body was found near North Bay recently with strong evidence of murder and robbery having been committed. This case is being investigated by the provincial detective department and startling developments are expected shortly.

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Jail-Breaker Jones Is Captured In Virginia With Rose.

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Suicide at Ottawa.

Ottawa, Jan. 4.—Kai Hilmer, a draughtsman in the city engineer's department, committed suicide Saturday afternoon by shooting himself through the head with a 38-calibre revolver.

Two shots were discharged from the weapon, but only one struck him. He left the city around one o'clock, going to the vicinity of the golf links, getting off the car there and ending his life, though why is not known yet. He was probably 35 to 40 years old. He leaves a wife and two children, and had been in the city's service several years. It is alleged that he had been drinking and he had not been at work for several days.

U. S. Fleet at Suez.

Suez, Jan. 4.—The United States Atlantic battleship fleet is two days ahead of its schedule, and yesterday completed the next to the longest run of its world-girdling cruise, arriving at 8.15 yesterday morning from Colombo, a distance of 3,446 knots. The fleet sailed from Colombo Dec. 20. The loss of a seaman from the battleship Illinois, who fell overboard and was drowned, as previously reported, was the only accident to mar the voyage from Colombo.

Dies to Save Others.

Meriden, Conn., Jan. 4—Risking his life to save those of Mrs. Philip Gauthier and her child who were on the tracks, Michael Donlon ran in front of the New York-Boston express over the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad at the station here on Saturday and rescued both, being himself fatally hurt. Mrs. Gauthier and her child escaped practically unhurt. Donlon is a porter at the station.

Two Deaths in One Family.

Ottawa, Jan. 4.—Their two children dying within a few hours of each other on New Year's Day, enshrouded the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Williamson, 246 Frank street, in gloom. One child, William R., aged three years, died from the effects of diphtheria, while his seven-year-old sister, Denysa E.'s death occurred a few hours later, resulting from typhoid fever.

Reserve For Veterans.

Ottawa, Jan. 4.—A deputation of the Imperial South African Veterans' Association was received by Hon. Frank Oliver on Saturday. He promised to lay their proposals before the Cabinet.

The proposition is to form a military reserve of upwards of 5,000 soldiers of imperial veterans for a period of ten years free of cost to the Government.

RULERS HAVE LEFT THE RUINS

She Receives Blow From Panic-Stricken Patient.

THEIR MAJESTIES RETURN

King and Queen of Italy Realize That Their Work in the Ruins is Ended —Bitter Warfare is Carried on Between Police and Robbers, in Which Many Are Shot — The Ghouls Are Hard at Work.

Rome, Jan. 4.—The King and Queen stole into the capital yesterday afternoon, but news of their arrival spread quickly, and crowds gathered outside the Quirinal cheered till King Victor Emmanuel appeared on the balcony of the palace to bow his thanks. Their Majesties have created a new and strong bond between themselves and their subjects. Prior to their departure from Calabria the King telegraphed the Premier saying that fresh troops were arriving, all relief services were being gradually organized and the situation was improving. After visiting the districts most affected, and in view of the fact that order had been everywhere restored, while, moreover, the number of rescues was diminishing, he was leaving for Rome.

Queen Helena Injured.

Queen Helena was not greatly injured in the hospital panic which she endeavored to check. She was only bruised. When the panic, which was caused by a renewed shock, broke out, everybody, in a paroxysm of terror, made a mad rush for the doors of the hospital amid cries of "Flee! flee! another earthquake! the building is falling!" The Queen commanded silence and called on the panic-stricken patients to keep their places. Some obeyed, but others, mad with fear, tried to rush out. It was one of these latter who struck the Queen so violently on the breast that she almost fainted in the arms of one of her ladies. As soon as she recovered she resumed work. The King, when he heard of the accident, hurried to the hospital and endeavored to persuade her to leave, but without avail. Even when returning on one of the men-of-war from Messina the Queen's labors were not over, for there were injured aboard whom she attended with her own hands. Only one thing the Queen was not allowed to do. This was to visit certain streets of Messina where the sights were too horrible.

The Queen not only displayed coolness in the face of danger, but put to practical use the training she got a couple of years ago, when she and many other Roman ladies went through a course of nursing and first aid to the injured.

Work of the Ghouls.

Premier Giolitti confirms the King's statement that the local authorities now have the situation well in hand. It was necessary to proclaim martial law as affording the only means of dealing effectively with the pillagers and marauders, one of whom was discovered with notes to the value of 100,000 lire in his possession. For two days the scum population, however, were in command, and both dead and dying suffered at their hands. Several of them were shot at sight by rescue parties. It was only on the arrival of troops from the outside that the bandits, who even so late as Friday night engaged in a pitched battle with sailors and customs officers. One man was shot in the act of tearing the rings off the finger of a dying woman, and stories of incendiarism are also current, in which human ghouls are stated to have set fire to the ruins in which the victims they had despoiled were still alive.

Farmer Gored to Death.

Danbury, Conn., Jan. 4.—James Reynolds, a wealthy and prominent farmer, was gored to death by a bull in a field on his farm in the town of Danbury yesterday.

The body, terribly torn and mangled, with the face crushed in, was found by his son, Theodore, yesterday afternoon lying face downwards in one corner of the field, while all about were evidences that a fierce struggle had taken place. The medical examiner expressed the opinion that the animal after killing the farmer, had trampled on the body and tossed it about. Mr. Reynolds was 63 years of age.

Boy Drowned In Lake.

Toronto, Jan. 4.—Allan Gardener, nine years of age, East Toronto, was drowned in the lake at the foot of Birch avenue Saturday afternoon.

The little fellow had been playing with his cousin on the ice crust on the beach. He fell in and the other children rushed off to give the alarm.

The bell in the fire hall on Spruce avenue was rung and the firemen went to the scene with pike poles, but were unable to recover the body.

Elevator Burned.

Vancouver, Jan. 4.—In a raging gale last evening the fire department waged a winning fight against a fire which did $300,000 damage and threatened several saw mills and other industries located in the immediate neighborhood. The wheat elevator of the Vancouver Milling Co. was totally destroyed. The blaze was confined to the main elevator, the packing plant a few feet away being saved.

Boycott Threatened.

Vancouver, Jan. 4.—A boycott against British goods is threatened at Hong Kong, owing to the severity of the Hong Kong Government in attempting to stop the boycott against Japanese goods by Chinese of the colony.

The Viceroy of Canton has forbidden emigration to Mexico.

Ask For Arbitration.

Ottawa, Jan. 4.—There is a dispute between the board of railway telegraphers and the Michigan Centr. Railway and the telegraphers has applied to the Labor Department for arbitration.

CROOK CAPTURED.

Man Is Charged In North Bay With Assault and Robbery.

North Bay, Jan. 4.—Maurice Ryan, a crook, who made his headquarters at North Bay for some time, but disappeared two months ago, was captured yesterday at Haileybury. He was recognized from descriptive circulars sent out some time ago by Detective Greer.

The prisoner was brought to North Bay yesterday to stand trial on a charge of robbing a young man from Nova Scotia. Ryan is accused of decoying the victim about one mile from town in a buggy and throwing him from the vehicle after beating him to unconsciousness, and robbing him of a large sum of money.

Ryan took refuge in the Cobalt district, and has managed to elude the police since. He is looked upon as a dangerous character, and will likely have to face other serious charges. He is a brother of Joseph Ryan, whose body was found near North Bay recently with strong evidence of murder and robbery having been committed. This case is being investigated by the provincial detective department and startling developments are expected shortly.

POISON IN CHOCOLATES.

Owen Sound Woman Faces a Serious Charge In Police Court.

Owen Sound, Jan. 4.—A case of a most serious nature was heard in the Police Court Wednesday, when a woman was charged with administering noxious drugs—in other words, poisoning.

The story is that the woman had an irritant drug in her possession, and had given some, concealed in chocolate drops, to a couple of small boys, telling them to give the candies to some one if they wanted to have some fun. It is said she also gave them a small package of the drug. They fed the candies to another boy, with the result that he went clean out of his head and was with difficulty kept from injuring other members of the family. It was not until the following day that the effects passed off. Evidence in the case was heard behind closed doors, and the prisoner was remanded for a week.

TORONTO MAN CAUGHT.

Jail-Breaker Jones Is Captured In Virginia With Rose.

Toronto, Jan. 4.—It has developed that another of the septette has been captured, namely, Wm. D. Jones, alias Williams, who was at the time of the "delivery" being retained along with Budd Copeland for breaking jail in Newcastle, Pa.

With the capture of Rose and Jones, this makes four of the septette who broke jail last July who have been heard of.

Only three, however, are in custody, Churchill, who was caught in Texas, having been let go. The others still at large are Ed. Lee, Clark and Copeland.

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The Examiner's Sporting Page

RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

O.H.A. SEASON OPENS HERE TO-NIGHT; COBOURG JUNIORS TO MEET LOCALS

The local O. H. A. hockey season will be ushered in to-night when the fast Cobourg juniors will cross sticks with the local junior O. H. A. seven in what gives promise of being a most exciting and interesting game. Good ice will be available and as the teams are in fine condition a struggle should be of the dizzy long nature all the way. The visitors are said to have a fast outfit having given Port Hope a hard battle on their own ice on New Year's night, and they expect to win here to-night without any trouble. If the reports from the Lakefront count for anything. Those who have seen the local juniors in action however, say that the visitors are in for the surprise of their lives. The locals must not be judged upon the fact that they were defeated in Whitby. There they were playing under the disadvantage of being together for the first time, playing on a sheet of ice that did not come near approaching the size of the rink they had been practising on, with a home referee who did not know the game and with their captain disabled with the game half over. They will be a different bunch to-night and the visitors will find themselves up against a pretty awkward proposition when they clash with Captain Ray's aggregation.

The latter's arm is in good shape again, and so will he on the line up to-night in his old position at rover while there will be a change on the forward line that should prove beneficial. Biffy Short, who played for the Kamots last year will be at right wing and he should round out the forward line nicely. The rest of the team will be the same as at Whitby and the seven will line up as follows

Goal — Leo Gireoux
Point — Wade
Cover Point — Fox
Rover — Ray
Centre — C. Gireoux
Right Wing — Short
Left Wing — Pentland.

It is likely that Geo. Lynch will referee the contest which will not start until 8.30 in order to give the fans a chance to hear the election returns before coming to the rink. However for those who come earlier there will be lots doing as the Mercantile League will open to-night when a game will be played between 6 and 8 o'clock. The intermediates will then practise for half an hour in preparation for their game with Cobourg to-morrow, after which the junior game will be called.

The one price of admission will be in vogue for the whole evening so that the real dyed in the wool fan will have something to see, beginning at 7 o'clock.

The juniors should be encouraged if there is to be any hockey in Peterborough and there should be a big crowd on hand for the opening contest of the season. It will be well worth seeing as the teams look to be evenly matched.

THE INTERMEDIATES TO PRACTISE

Team Will be Picked for To-morrow O.H.A. Game in Cobourg.

The local hockey season will open with a bang this week, when there will be two O.H.A. games in the junior series, as well as the opening games in the Mercantile League, Church League and Junior and Senior City Leagues. That should provide enough hockey to suit the most exacting fan.

The T.A.S. had a big practice on Saturday night, juniors and seniors turning out in large numbers. The Abstainers will have to be watched in both leagues, as they have collected a big squad of first-class material.

The Strathcona City League Team will practise to-morrow night in preparation for their first game of the City League season on Thursday night with the Belmonts. The High Commissioners have about rounded into shape, and a good work-out to-morrow night will fit them for the opening.

The first games in the City League will be played on Thursday night, the T.A.S. and the West Ends clashing in the first game and the Belmonts and Strathconas being the contesting teams in the second match. The George street team and the Otonabees will meet in the first game of the Junior League which will be played as a curtain raiser to the senior fixtures, so that there will be three games for the one price of admission.

Port Hope Juniors will play the locals here on Wednesday night. It should be one of the tit-bits of the local hockey season.

There will not be an Intermediate O. H. A. game here until a week from next Friday, when Belleville, Peterborough's old rivals, will play here.

All intermediate O.H.A. players in the city, and all candidates for the team are asked to be out to practice to-night, at 8 o'clock sharp. The team to go to Cobourg to-morrow for the first game of the season will be picked after to-night's practice, so that it is important that there should be a full turn-out of all those intending to play the game this season. The management expects every candidate to be on hand for a half hour's work-out. The team will leave on the 11.45 train for Cobourg. Most of the players are in good shape and they should open the season with a victory over the Lakeshore bunch, although the latter are apt to prove pretty tough on their own ice.

Full returns of the Elections will be announced from the stage of Grand Opera House to-night, at the big Musical Melo-dramatic Success "The Cowboy Girl". 25 People in the Company. Prices-7b-50-35-25 and 15c

BROWNIES WIN TWO OUT OF THREE GAMES ON THEIR EASTERN TRIP

The Brownies basketball team of the local Y.M.C.A. returned yesterday morning from their eastern trip, bringing with them a record of two wins and one loss and the story of a very enjoyable tour. The Brownies were defeated on the first game of the trip by the Montreal Central Y.M.C.A. team by 51—36, but they played together in the remaining games and defeated the Fairmount Y.M.C.A. team of Montreal by 34—28 on New Year's Day, and Ottawa senior team on Saturday night on their own floor by 58—42. The Ottawa game was a hard fought one. The homesters were ahead by 24-16 at half time, but the Brownies came strong on end and had the Ottawa faded in the second half, playing rings around them.

A Montreal despatch says of the first game:—

The Central Y.M.C.A. five ended up the old year in great style by defeating the fast Brownie team of the Peterborough Y.M.C.A. on New Year's eve. At half time Central Y lead by 31 to 15, and at the call of time had the big end of the score, 51 to 28. The boys of the big M and triangle played up to the form that had been expected of them although yet early in the season. With a little more practice they will undoubtedly give Montrealers something new in fast basketball.

The Peterborough boys have a good team, but were unfortunate in not being able to get their best team to come and play in Montreal. They had with them Tommy Miller, formerly of the Toronto Central Y team, who played a great game, at centre, getting in some sensational shots. Bond and Cressman also played a good game.

For Central Y, Bell Hurd at centre, was certainly on the job, getting 22 points chalked up to his credit.

Hugh Copland, the same steady, cool, and great scoring artist, was the hardest worker on the floor, and as he played with two badly injured fingers, all the more credit is due him. Millar was there as usual, and probably shows a bigger improvement than most of the other players of last year's team.

Chas. Yuill on the defence end was also very much on the job, holding his man, who only had two baskets chalked up to him, intercepting cleverly and doing some good passing.

John Armour, who has always played on the home end of the teams he has played with, is probably the surprise of the season, filling in as a defence player and is certainly making good.

Peterborough—26 Central Y—51

Home

F. Cressman (Capt) ... ... H. Copland
G. Miller .... C. Millar

Centres

F. Miller .... W. Hurd

Defence

E. Bond .... A. Yuille (Capt.)
M. Dobbin .... J. Armour

Referee—W. S. Maguire.

THE EXAMINER "A" TEAM CLIMBS; TOOK THREE FROM LOCK WORKS

The Examiner A team won three straight games in the ten pin league at the P. B. C. on Saturday night and thereby gained such an advantageous position in the race for the silverware that the Bankers, who have maintained the leadership ever since the opening of the league must take three games from the Iroquois to night to stay at the top of the percentage ladder.

Geo. Cairns was again high man for the Examiner, putting up a 517 total and a high single of 223, which is only 13 pins below the record held by Martin. LaPlante was easily the pick of the Lock Works contingent.

A double header is schedule for to-night and the Iroquois will figure in both contests. In the first game the Indians will take on the Lock Works and in the second they will endeavour to wrest the leadership from the bankers in a game postponed from last week.

The scores on Saturday were—

EXAMINER A

H. Lacheur	106	139	173	477
Cairns	136	234	159	517
Glover	105	134	112	351
	406	496	443	1345

LOCK WORKS

G. Lacheur	102	162	121	386
Laing	113	105	127	345
LaPlante	136	189	161	486
	351	457	409	1217

Standing of the League

	Won	Lost	P C
Bankers	12	3	800
Exam A	14	4	777
Pacifics	11	4	733
Iroquois	9	6	600
Belmonts	9	9	500
Lock Works	9	9	500
P. A. C.	9	9	500
Midgets	8	10	444
Exam B	5	10	333
Frontenacs	5	10	333
Hams	5	13	277
Grays	3	12	200

THE TEAM COMMITTEE APPOINTED

Arrangements Made by the Peterboro Hockey Club for This Week's Games

The executive of the Peterborough Hockey Club met on Saturday night and made arrangements for the games to be held this week. President Dr. MacPherson was in the chair and others were present—G. G. Graham, vice president; H. M. Glover, secretary and C. A. Barnes, assistant secretary. Details in connection with the first intermediate game in Cobourg to-morrow night were decided and a team committee composed of Messrs. Graham, Barber and Glover was appointed to pick the junior and intermediate line ups in future.

It was decided to wait upon the executive of the junior city league to endeavour to arrange the constitution so as to allow junior city league players to play junior O. H. A. hockey without losing their city league standing. Some difficulty has been experienced in getting junior material owing to the fact that some of the young players were afraid of being suspended by the Junior League if they played O. H. A. hockey. It is felt that a rule such as exists in the Senior City League which allows players to play in the intermediate O. H. A. without affecting their standing, would prove feasible in the junior league. At any rate the officers of the latter will be asked to consider the proposition.

HOCKEY

Lester Patrick confirmed the report that the Ottawa professionals had endeavoured to sign him up for the season. Seen in the Edmonton dressing room after the game, Patrick stated that Dave Mulligan, of the Ottawa executive, had endeavoured to come to terms with him Tuesday afternoon. "I would not play hockey in the east again this season for $2,000," said Patrick. "I have come to the conclusion that there are more important things in the world."

The first series of scheduled games to be played this year, will begin on Tuesday evening, January 5th, at 7.45 o'clock. The following skips and their teams will start the long list of games to be played before the ice leaves us:

Ice No. 1—J. H. Connell vs. C. N. Brown.
Ice No. 2—Dr. McCulloch vs. W. G. Morrow.
Ice No. 3—Brightman vs. W. G. Ferguson.
Ice No. 4—R. Hicks vs. Dr. Gregg.
Ice No. 5—S. T. Medd vs. H. A. Morrow.
Ice No. 6—R. Neill vs. Davidson.
Ice No. 7—E. B. Clegg vs. F. Matthews.

Each rink must have at least three of its own men.

There were only two games played in the rink on Saturday night, and resulted as follows:

S. T. Medd, skip, 8; Cameron, skip, 11.

W. M. Lang, skip, 15; McIntyre, skip, 10.

BASKET-BALL.

The Star says of the Fairmount game Peterborough basketball team defeated Fairmount Y.M.C.A. last night by 34 to 20 in a game that provided keen interest for a large gathering. T. Miller starred for the visitors, while Jack McCuaig and Cobb did the best work for Fairmount. The teams were:—

Peterborough—34 Fairmount—20

Defence

Dobbin .... J. Robinson
J. Miller .... J. McCuaig

Centres

T. Miller .... W. McGregor

Home

F. Cressman .... C. Bowen
E. Bond .... H. Cobb

Referee—W. A. McLaren.
Umpire—C. A. Millar.
Scorer—J. Perry.

RUGBY

A Hamilton despatch, speaking of next year's Tiger team, says Craig, of Dundas, the fastest wing man in the Intermediate ranks of last year, will likely take up his residence in the Ambitious City and turn out with the yellow and black.

RUNNING.

Alfred Shrubb, the English professional, who is to race Longboat soon, defeated a relay team of two men, Frank Kanaly and Bert Sullivan, both of Boston, in a six-mile race on New Year's day. Shrubb's time was 31 minutes 42 3-5 seconds.

MAYORAL CUSTOMS.

Many English Municipalities Have Quaint Induction Ceremonies.

Some quaint customs are observed in connection with the induction into office of the new occupant of the mayoral chair. The Mayor of Lincoln, England, is duly elected by the placing upon his finger of an ancient ring, which his predecessors have worn for centuries. This ring possesses a curious power, for when the mayor sends it to any school within the city the schoolmaster is bound to give his pupils a holiday for the day. A similar custom prevails at Chichester, an ancient turquoise ring being used in this case. The chief magistrate of Chichester is also armed with a gold-mounted malacca cane. At York both the Lord Mayor and Lady Mayoress are equipped with silver-mounted oak staves, which have marked their authority for centuries. Moreover, the Lady Mayoress enjoys the distinction of being the only lady in the land provided with a chain of office by the Corporation.

She is also entitled to retain the prefix "Lady" for the remainder of her life. There is a local rhyme which says:

The Mayor is a lord for year and a day,
But his wife is a lady for ever and aye.

A Brightlingsea, a limb of the Cinque Ports, the ceremony attaching to the election of mayor has taken place in the parish church belfry from time immemorial. The retiring Mayor of Bournemouth, on investing his successor with the civic regalia, confirms him into office with an old-time loving kiss. A similar salutation awaits the incoming Mayor of Hanley. A "striking" ceremony marks the expiration of the Grantham Mayor's tenure of office. The robe is stripped off him, the chain is taken from about his neck, and with a small wooden hammer the Town Clerk taps the ex-Mayor on the head in token of the demise of his authority. The Mayor of Dunstable has to submit to a somewhat similar ceremony. Immediately after his election the chief magistrate, aldermen, and councillors, headed by a brass band, proceed to the nearest point of the boundary, which happens to be the middle of a ploughed field. Here a huge crowd surrounds a post. The bellman clangs his bell for order, the charter of the borough is read, and the mayor is then seized by stalwart arms, lifted and "bumped" vigorously on the top of the post. This process is repeated at every point of the boundary, so that when the ceremony is concluded the mayor has every reason to remember exactly where the borders of his jurisdiction cease.

Directly after electing the new mayor at High Wycombe, the members of the town council adjourn to the borough office of weights and measures, where the new occupant of the mayoral chair, and each alderman and councillor, is publicly weighed, and these records form one of the treasures stored in the municipal archives.

The Lord Mayor of Birmingham is required to pose before the photographer immediately after his election, and a copy, together with a few biographical details, is placed in an album containing portraits of all the gentlemen who have occupied seats on the council, and this finds a place in the municipal library.

A Sarcastic Judge.

Three of the main characteristics of Sir James Charles Mathew, ex-Lord Justice of Appeal, who has just died, were his capacity for dealing with cases in the shortest possible time, often quite upsetting the calculations of some of the slow-coaches of the law, his determined opposition to the use of the "cat" and the piling up of heavy sentences for repeated trifling offences, and his sarcasm. His fameus dictum, "Truth will out, even in an affidavit," will not be readily forgotten. Under examination on one occasion before Sir James was a money-lender. The man had been charging usurious interest, and among other things he had sold some sporting property to a young man he had fleeced. He was asked why he had this property; he replied prudently that he was a sportsman and loved shooting. "Pigeons!" queried the judge.

When the Clock Stopped.

London's famous clock Big Ben has been stopped three times by snow freezing on the hands and jamming them. A curious episode in its history took place in December, 1861, just before the Prince Consort died, when, owing to the failure of an experimental piece of apparatus, the clock struck 100 or more strokes without stopping. People who were unware of the cause, according to the "Captain," saw in the occurrence an omen of the great loss which shortly afterwards befell the nation. Another sensational prank was played by the clock on April 9, 1896, when it stopped while Mr. Gladstone was making his famous speech in favor of Home Rule for Ireland. This was taken by some as an augury that the bill would not pass, and as regards the event the prophets were justified, though the cause of the trouble was easily traced to a want of lubrication.

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BROWN TOPICS

PROBS.—Southerly winds, mild with a few showers. Tuesday, west and north-west gales to-night, snowfalls, becoming decidedly colder by night.

Boys' Guild

—In view of the week of prayer this week the Boys' Guild of St. Andrew's church will not hold a meeting.

Piano Tuning

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Board of Education

—A regular meeting of the Board of Education will take place at the secretary's office, 437 George street, on Tuesday night at 7.45 o'clock.

Scots Concert Co.

The Imperial Scots Concert Company, direct from Scotland, will give a concert in the Conservatory of Music Hall on Monday, January 12th.

St. Luke's

—The Junior Chapter of the Brotherhood, of St. Andrew will meet Tuesday evening at 8. A social evening will be held by the A.Y.P.A. on Friday at 8 o'clock.

Building Dam in North

Mr. Joseph Telland took his men back to the north country this morning where they are building a large dam. The men came down to spend Christmas and New Year's in the city.

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Temperance Workers

—The temperance workers of the city will meet at the conclusion of the prayer meeting on Wednesday night at George street Methodist church. A large attendance is requested.

New Bill Board

—Mr W. Stocker is building a large bill board opposite Comstock's Undertaking Parlours. This will give him over 1000 square feet of extra board room for his exclusive business of bill posting.

Sons of Scotland

—An important meeting of the Sons of Scotland for the installation of officers will take place tonight in their lodge room, Knights of Pythias Hall, Simcoe street. A full attendance requested.

Shelter Provided

—The C. P. R. has provided a shelter for the watchman who has recently been placed at the Aylmer street crossing. It is the ordinary painted affair, unpretentious, but protective to the man who watches the crossing.

Will Withdraw Parlour Car

—The Canadian Pacific Railway will withdraw parlour car, which is attached to local train leaving Peterborough at 7.55 a.m., for the winter season. Last trip leaving Peterborough at 7.55 a.m., Jan 6th.

Private Secretary

—The comedy "The Private Secretary," will not be produced in the Conservatory Hall, as previously announced, but will be put on in the Grand Opera House the latter part of this month. Rehearsals commenced right away.

Photos Lost

—On Christmas eve, a parcel of scenic photographs enclosed in a manilla envelope, bearing the name of the owner and Photographer Roy, was lost — between George street on Hunter and Babb's Lane. Finder will oblige by leaving with Roy at Examiner.

Dissolution of Partnership

—Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between Andrew Mercer Laidlaw and James Everett Oles, doing business under the name and title of Laidlaw & Oles, Fashion-Craft Clothing, has been dissolved by mutual consent.

The business will in future be carried on by Mr. Laidlaw, who will settle all accounts of the late firm and to whom all accounts due to the late firm must be paid.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

THE EXAMINER welcomes all Items of Interest for this column. Phone 324 or send post card with name and address.

Mr. Harry Crossman spent Sunday in Barrie.

Rev. Father Fitzpatrick of Kinmore, was in the city to-day.

Miss Faulkner, who spent the holidays in Havelock, has returned to the city.

Messrs S R Leggott and W J Leggott of Lakefield, were in the city this morning.

Miss L. M. Vasant returned Saturday night from spending New Years with friends in Uxbridge.

Mr. Bert Armstrong passed through the city this morning from Campbellford to his home in Ottawa.

Mr. F. Pugh, of the Dominion Bank staff, spent New Year's day in Toronto visiting friends.

Misses Ethel and Lottie McIlmoyle have returned from Toronto where they spent the Christmas holidays.

Mr. Barry Rogers, of Montreal, is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R B Rogers.

Mr. Robert Moher, has returned to Ottawa after spending the holidays at his home, Patterson street.

Mrs. E. L. Payne, 525 Homewood avenue, will receive on the first Tuesday each month during the season.

Mr. H. C. Wright, former Y. M. C. A. Secretary here, has spent the past week in the city and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gray, of Belleville, are visiting at the home of Mr. Gray's parents, 668 Harvey street.

Mr. Cyril H Gray, accountant of the Farmers' Bank, Belleville, is visiting at the home of his parents, 668 Harvey street.

Mr. James Moher returned to Toronto after spending a pleasant week's vacation at his home on Patterson street.

Mr. Geo. Haley, of 397 Walton st., left on Saturday for Mexico, where he has secured a position as secretary for a mining company.

Mr and Mrs. Terriff have returned to their home in Weston, after an enjoyable visit at the home of Mrs. Terriff's parents, 690 George st.

Among those from Lakefield in the city to-day were: Mr. Murdoch, Mr. Bruce Murdoch, Mr. Gordon Eldpath, Mr. Chas. Bell, Mr. E. Johnson, Mr. C. Curtis, Mrs. W. H. Casement and Miss McGibbon.

Mrs. W. M. Shepherd, wife of the late W. M. Shepherd, who was well known in musical circles in Toronto, is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Giles Stone, Bellaire street.

Mr. Will O'Brien commenced his duties this morning as principal of St. Peter's School. His advancement during the last three years in the teaching profession has been rapid and notable.

Miss Lily Lawson, G.T.C.M., Toronto Conservatory of Music, and Miss Jean Hamilton, "Elliott House", Toronto are spending New Year's with their friend, Miss Lillian Little, 998 Boswell ave., city.

Mr. W F Crowley, the well known former Peterborough athlete, who accompanied the Edmonton hockey team on their cup huntiong expedition to Montreal, arrived in the city on Sunday to spend a few days at his home here before leaving for the west. He witnessed the two cup games as well as the exhibition game in Ottawa on Saturday night and says that Edmonton has a splendid team and should have won the Stanley Cup with any degree of luck.

THE COLLEGE COURSE.

Learning, Like Vaccination, Does Not "Take" on Every One.

In an article on "Shall the Girl Go to College?" Annette Austin writes in Smith's:

"Too much value cannot be accorded to a college course for girls who are capable of taking it. Unfortunately, however, college, like vaccination, does not 'take' on everybody.

"Here it might be well to consider the advisability of sending a girl who desires to fit herself primarily for a housewife to a school of domestic science. 'Why,' asks a mother, 'if my girl does not intend to work for her living and if she really needs practical experience in housekeeping, should she not go directly to a school of domestic science, where she gets speedily and in concrete form the latest methods of cooking, house furnishing and caring for children?'

"If you are truly convinced that the best way to prepare for a vocation is to learn the details of its practice in a detached form, entirely away from all other related facts in life, by all means send your girl to a domestic science school as soon as possible. But a course in domestic science without the preliminary mental discipline of at least two years in college is a very poor investment for the future.

"To go through the forms of mixing so many ounces of flour and so many cups of butter to make a pound of cake, to bind up the broken finger of a wooden manikin and to practice laying a table for a model luncheon for six is not learning to be a housewife. It is merely putting in a studing of surface details on a foundation of mind.

"Still, if your girl is delicate and unable physically and mentally to survive the more strenuous discipline of college it would be better to send her to a school where her mind will not be too severely taxed. It would be more humane to have her dabble delightedly in fancy desserts than to let her suffer in the name of physics and philosophy."

BILLIKEN STATUES.

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If a Billiken is sold it is by a hard hearted, money grabbing shop. After this Billiken is owned or loaned. Billiken, you know, is the god of things as they should be. He will help you to see things right and give you the power to do them.

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PICTURE ROMANCE.

A Rubens Said to Have Been Bought for $1.75 at Islington Market.

It is seldom that a month passes without the finding of an alleged masterpiece by some artist of the fifteenth or sixteenth century. The already long list has just been added to under most romantic circumstances.

While walking through the Caledonian market recently the attention of a connoisseur was attracted to a dingy-looking picture hanging on an odd-and-end dealer's stall. A few just discernible splashes of color suggested that something might be hidden beneath the grime. But the attractiveness of the picture was certainly not added to by a notice across the canvas, written boldly in chalk, "by Petit Paul Rubens."

After some haggling, the canvas changed hands for the modest sum of three half-crowns, and when taken taken home was subjected to a certain amount of cleaning. The result convinced the purchaser that he had indeed found a treasure, and the picture is now to be sent to Paris to be restored.

The painting was seen at Woodhead recently by a newspaper man. It represents a turbaned potentate sitting, surrounded by armored courtiers and a hooded priest, giving audience to a beggar man, who is apparently, after the manner of the times, reciting some droll story to earn the largesse he ask. The picture, generally speaking, is in fair condition, though the canvas has been backed two or three times.

The finder is a fortunate man. Some few years ago he bought for a mere nothing what is perhaps the most life-like portrait of George Washington extant. Copies were accepted by the American Congress, and an illuminated scroll was presented to the donor from both Houses of the Senate.

It is stated that the present "find" is the original of an engraving by Vosterman, some copies of which are known to exist. The likelihood of its being genuine is enhanced by the fact that the faces of the models employed strongly resemble those used in Rubens's well-known picture, "The Descent from the Cross."

DEAD MAN CAME TO LIFE.

Misreading of Cable Leads to Mourning For Wrong Individual.

Ealing, England, was thrown into a rare flutter of excitement recently by the receipt of the following cable:

"Contradict the announcement of the death of George. In good health."

The message was from the headquarters of the Universities Mission to Central Africa, and related to Mr. Frank George, an architect, who had been mourned as dead for two months.

Mr George is at a place near Likoma, in West Africa, building a cathedral for the mission. His mother, sister, and five brothers live at Ealing.

The mistake has a very simple explanation. On Sept. 11 Dr. Trower, the Bishop of Nyassaland, who is in England, received a cable from Rusapoen, Queensland, reading: "George died yesterday."

Confusing Australia with Africa, he immediately acquainted Mrs. George with the news of her son's death.

It was not till the receipt of the telegram quoted above that the bishop re-read the cable and decided that it referred to his own brother George, whom he had not seen for thirty years.

Mr. Frank George had been the subject of obituary appreciations in several papers, and the family received over 200 messages of condolence.

Learned Men Honored.

The Royal Society's medals have this year been adjudicated by the president and council as follows: The Copley medal to Dr. Alfred Russel Wallace, on the ground of the great value of his numerous contributions to natural history and of the part he took in working out the theory of the origin of species by natural selection. The Rumford medal to Prof. H. A. Lorents, on the ground of his investigations in optical and electrical science. A royal medal to Prof. Jno. Milne, on the ground of his pre-eminent services in the modern development of seismological science. A royal medal to Dr. Hy. Head, on the ground of his researches on the relations between the visceral and somatic nerves and on the functions of the different nerves. The Davy medal to Prof. W. A. Tilden, on the ground of his discoveries in chemistry, especially on the Terpenes and on atomic heats. The Darwin medal to Prof. August Weissman, on the ground of his eminent services in support of the doctrine of evolution by means of natural selection. The Hughes medal to Prof. Eugen Goldstein, on the ground of his discoveries on the nature of electric discharge in rarefied gases.

Lady Randolph Churchill Tattooed.

Mrs. George Cornwallis West (formerly Lady Randolph Churchill), whose Reminiscences constitute one of the most interesting and notable books of the season, is one of the comparatively few society ladies who can boast of having been tattooed. Some years ago, when she was travelling in India, the idea of being tattooed was suggested to her by noticing the process on a sailor at the hands of a British soldier. She had the artist brought before her and then asked for some designs. He suggested a snake holding its tail in its mouth —the emblem of eternity. Lady Randolph liked it, and afterwards had this design tattooed round her arm above the wrist. It is generally hidden by a bracelet if not covered by the sleeve.

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"You have saved my life!" said the old man whom the tramp had saved from drowning. "As a reward you may have my daughter there."

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— FOR —

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No excuse for anyone celebrating the New Year without a new outfit.

Neckwear	Mufflers	Handkerchiefs	Gloves
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Danger Dogs Some People

more than others, and they seem to be more subject to accident. But none are exempt from daily danger, it is the wisest plan to have one's life insured in a good reliable company. We shall be pleased to talk Life Insurance with you if you are not already insured. The cost is but trifling when the protection afforded is considered. When insuring your life one of the most important features is to select a Progressive and Reliable Company, The Sun Life Insurance Company, of Canada, is the most prosperous and progressive company doing business in Canada to-day. We will act liberally with you.

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For New Year's
Fine Watches

If you are thinking of giving a watch New Year's then our large stock will be of interest to you. Remember, in buying a Watch quality is what counts every time. Some Watches are dear at any price. We pay most particular attention in selecting our movements.

FOR LADIES—In Gold Filled Cases, hand engraved designs, not common patterns, but all entirely new, with fine movements guaranteed by us, from $10.00 up. For Solid Gold 14 Kt. Cases, the prices start from $24 up.

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Vaudeville as well as moving pictures from 3 to 4 p. m. and during the whole evening.

Admission —For pictures and vaudeville 5c during the daytime. At night for combined shows 10c for adults, 5c for children.

Family Re-unions At New Year's

The opportunity to have a complete group taken may not occur again. Appointments at

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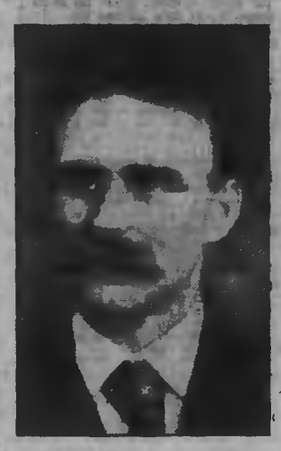
ALD—ELECT ROBT. HICKS,
Who goes back to the Council after an absence of two years.

ALD GEO. A. GILLESPIE,
The popular East City Alderman who headed the polls yesterday.



ALD—ELECT J. J. DUFFUS,
One of the new faces in the Aldermanic board this year

ALD—ELECT GEO. H. DUNCAN,
Chairman of the Board of Works a year ago who is again returned to the Council.

ALDERMANIC RACE WAS CLOSELY CONTESTED FOR EVERY POSITION AND INTEREST GREW APACE WITH EXCITING FINISH OF FIRST FOUR

East City's Two Representatives Head the Polls, Ald. Gillespie Getting the Highest Vote—Large Crowd Turned Out to Get the Returns—Examiner Gave Rapid and Satisfactory Service.

THE COUNCIL FOR 1909

The election of a new City Council and the partial election of a new Board of Education have resulted in some surprises—changes, which are, for many reasons to be regretted. Members of experience—and experience is the touch stone of efficiency, other things being equal—have been unsuccessful. Alderman Elliott was was a member of last year's Council and gave intelligent and efficient service, which indicated the wisdom of a renewal of his term. Mr. Neill also had experience and showed a business capacity which should not have made his re-election undesirable. But, possibly, influence apart from merit, from past service, or capacity for future service, operated adversely. The people have decided and the people "have the say." Among the other unsuccessful candidates there was material for good aldermen, but here again the will of the people was paramount. The new Council should give a good account of itself. All the new members with two exceptions were either members of last year's Council or had previous experience, and Messrs. Duffus and Metheral should make effective representatives. The new Council as a whole has the ability and knowledge of its work that should ensure a successful year of civic administration. As to the by-laws that were so mercilessly extinguished, there was a great difference of opinion regarding the Smith street bridge by-law calling for $49,000. There was difference of opinion as to the matter of material—cement or steel. Those who favoured cement, regarded the large employment of local labour its construction would call for as a reason for adopting that material, provided its cost was not extravagantly in excess of steel. Both labour and cement would be applied locally, whereas the construction of a steel bridge would give employment to workingmen of Hamilton or Montreal only. In regard to the exhibition grounds by-law, the opinion was largely held that the sum demanded was in excess of the value of the land. In the matter of the street extension by-law, the ratepayers did not show the best of judgment in defeating it. The money the by-law was intended to provide, has been practically expended and debentures were to be issued to spread the payment over an extended period. Now the by-law will have to be re-submitted and passed, or the amount it called for—$21,500—will have to to added to this year's tax roll, if the requirements of the law are complied with.

One of the predominating features of the elections of 1909 and that which roused the interest of the throng of citizens who gathered in front of the Examiner office to await the returns was the closeness of the totals to each other. As often seen in an account of a hockey or baseball match the result as to who would head the list and even those who would be elected was in doubt until the last sub-division was heard from.

For a time there were four or five of the candidates so close that a majority from one booth would put one man on top and then a falling off in the next had another candidate on top of the pile. It was a merry canter all the way. The proceedings during the day were marked by quietness although here and there it was noted that some of the candidates were working hard in their own interests. It was not until the field, bunched up close together, were well on towards the finish that the enthusiasm became marked. Ald. Bullen had the largest vote at one time; Ald. Phelan at another was ahead; Ald Morgan took the lead but was overtaken by Ald. Gillespie. The latter held it for a long time and then lost for awhile to Ald. Morgan, but another majority for the former gave him the first position again and he maintained it until the last.

A Large Crowd

The Examiner had promised a rapid service of returns and a large crowd of citizens were onn hand who almost blocked the street. The returns came rather slowly at first, slower than other years on account of the large number of candidates. When they were received, however, the excitment started and a look down the totals will show that there was a close run for practically every place. Ald. Gillespie's tenure of first place seemed to meet universal approval and he was a popular winner.

The Changes

Eight of last year's council will sit on the board during 1909. Ald Torrey and Ald. Johnston did not trust themselves for re-election. Ald. Neill and Ald. Elliott, were not among the first twelve, but their places will be taken by two ex-aldermen, R. Hicks and Geo Duncan. Jos. Duffus and Jos. Metheral are the new members.

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MR. ROBERT FAIR,
Who polled the biggest vote on the Board of Education.

MR. E. F. MASON,
New member of the Board of Education

DR. FREDERIEK,
One of the defeated candidates for the Board of Education.

New Men In County Council; Personnel Is Much Changed

There will be at least seven new faces in the County Council this year as a result of the municipal elections held yesterday. Wm. Tucker, of Anstruther and Burleigh; Robert Shaw, of Harvey; Michael Perdue, of Ennismore; A. J. Kidd, of Lakefield; Frank Moher, of Douro; Wm. B. Stewart, of Otonabee; and Jos. Knox, of Havelock, were not in the council last year. Up to the time of going to press no returns had come in from Chandos, but the rest of the council is complete, as follows. Smith and Otonabee having power to send their deputy reeve to the council:
Chas Cohen, Galway and Cavendish.
Robt. Shaw, Harvey.
Michael Perdue, Ennismore.
R. N. Scott, Smith.
Thos H. Graham, Smith.
A. J. Kidd, Lakefield.
Frank Moher, Douro.
C. J. Darling, Dummer.
John Fife, Otonabee.
Wm. B. Stewart, Otonabee.
John Brown, North Monaghan.
Wm Oakman, Asphodel.
A Brosult, Norwood.
Jos. Knox, Havelock.
Jas W. Russell, Belmont and Methuen.

The Poultry Show In Full Swing; Many Fine Birds Have Arrived

The Peterborough Poultry show in the Market Hall is in full swing to-day, and the spacious hall is nearly filled with coops from which the clarion call of the feathered inmates is heard repeatedly during the day. Over eight hundred birds have arrived and some remarkably fine specimens are shown, the exhibit being well worth a visit even to those who have no particular interest in poultry, while the expert will find much to interest himself in. The directors and management had their hands full this morning in finding room for the birds as they came in.

Every one in Peterborough should make it a point to attend the show to-night, to-morrow or Thursday. It is well worth seeing and those behind the movement deserve the support of the citizens.

To-morrow Miss Mary Yates, the lecturer from the department, will give an address and demonstrations on the best methods of killing and dressing poultry. Chairs have been arranged in the north end of the building and no doubt a big crowd will take advantage of the opportunity to hear Miss Yates, who is well known as a lecturer and demonstrator in the poultry line.

The show will be open this evening and a big crowd is expected.

ANOTHER SHOCK IS EXPERIENCED

Walls of Ruined Messina are Shaken Down.

Examiner Special.

Catania, Jan. 5.—A message from Messina to-day tells of additional horrors caused by new earthquake shocks. One severe shock was followed by four others of lesser violence, shaking down the crumbling walls of the ruined city and fanning the smouldering flames. The refugees and rescuers were alike thrown into a panic and terrible scenes were enacted before the soldiery could control the mobs. The new shocks have caused hundreds of additional deaths. The British flagship Exmouth was caught in a sudden current that came with the earthquake and was swept two miles out to sea. Dozens of tottering buildings are still falling, but the relief work is now well organized and is proceeding with dispatch. The most dangerous debris is being cleared rapidly and great quantities of provisions are arriving and are being distributed.

On Adam's Peak, in Ceylon, at about 7,000 feet above sea level, there is a large flat stone, on which is the imprint of the human foot. Mohammedans believe this to be the print that Adam first stepped on after being exiled from the Garden of Eden. Almost all the best of the gardens of the world are within close proximity to this spot, as is the Eliya district, where tea is grown.

WANTED.

SKUNK! SKUNK! J. DAWSON, 1 Stewart street, Peterborough, will give the best price in the city for SKUNK SKINS in the rough. 6d 127 4304

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WANTED — WORK OF ANY KIND, sawing wood, taking out ashes or any odd job by respectable man. Apply at this office. dh 3d

WANTED — ORGANIZER IN PETERborough for first-class social and beneficial order; good remuneration. Address R. E. A., Land, National Club, Toronto. 3d 115 4592

TEACHERS WANTED.

TEACHER WANTED, S. S. No. 5, BELmont. Apply to A. A. Brown, Rockdale P.O., Ontario. 1d-2 2w-1 4351

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NICE LITTLE HOUSE, TO RENT IN a pleasant locality on the line of the Street Railway. Apply at 354 Charlotte street. 3d 1 4520

TO RENT — TWO COMFORTABLE Houses, centrally located, near to George street; one is a Seven Roomed House, with Electric Light and Sewer Connection, the other is a nice six roomed house with good garden attached and plenty of hard and soft water. For particulars apply to Examiner office. 7d 1 4305

TO LET — FURNISHED ROOMS WITH board; all conveniences. Apply 482, Aylmer street. 3d 1 4317

TO RENT — SUITE OF ROOMS IN Grand Central Building, heated and all modern conveniences; immediate possession. Apply 437 George street.

TO RENT — SUITE OF ROOMS OVER J. C. Turnbull & Company's store, Simcoe Street; the rooms have all modern conveniences. Rent $10.00 per month; immediate possession. Apply 437 George street. tf

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HOUSES TO RENT — MODERN, EASY Warmed, bath, water, light; rent low. Apply 376 Water street. Phones: House 547 L. Office 486 L. dtf

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PRIVATE SALE OF FURNITURE — Apply 314 Boswell. 3d 2 4338

FOR SALE — TEN SHARES FULLY paid up stock in the Peterborough Sandstone Brick Co., worth $50.00 per share; 25 per cent. will be given if sold at once. Apply Examiner office. 1m 115 4637

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WE ARE SOLE AGENTS FOR PETERborough and the territory between Toronto and Kingston for the Parisian Novelty Co., and have samples of all kinds of advertising novelties on hand. Call and see them at the Examiner office.

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Nice Frame House corner lot, nicely painted and papered, city water, size 37 lot 40 x 90, for $1,000. This property is a snap— party leaving city.

Beautiful Brick House double parlors, winter kitchen, summer kitchen and wood shed, 6 bed rooms, bath room, complete electric light fixtures, furnace, cement cellar floor and cement walks to front and side entrance. This can be bought for $3200.

Snaps in Houses and Lots in all parts of the city. Send in your list of houses to rent or sell, we can handle them. Head Office of Northern Life Assurance Co; Ocean Accident and Guarantee Co; Peterborough Sandstone Brick Co., Ontario Coal Co.

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Real Estate Agent

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Real Estate, Fire and Live Stock Insurance

$1200—Six roomed Brick—south—central.
$2600—Modern, Brick, with furnace. Nice locality. A Snap. See this.
If you are looking for a Farm see us before buying.
Houses and Rooms at lowest rents.
Office 376 Water Street. Phones 498L and 547L.

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WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT Apply Mrs. Dr. McCullough, 166 Brock street. 6d 2 4346

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EXPERIENCED GENERAL SERVANT for small family, must be good plain cook. Apply Mrs James Hamilton, cor. Brock and Sheridan streets. 3d 1 4325

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PLAIN SEWING TO DO AT HOME — children's dresses, boys' blouses, also small boys' trousers, 25c a pair; work called for and delivered. Box 4330, Examiner. 3d 2 4330

SITUATION WANTED BY CAPABLE and respectable woman at housework where she can go home in the evening. Apply at this office. d dh

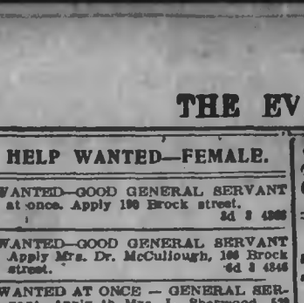
LOST.

LOST — ON SUNDAY, BETWEEN Edinburgh street and Charlotte street Church, on Aylmer or Charlotte streets a Gold Brooch set with pearls and star at corner. Reward if left here or at 642 Aylmer street. 1d 3 4344

LOST — BLACK SPANISH DOG, ANswers to the name of Tid; has collar with Calgary tag on. Reward at 314 Boswell ave. 3d 3 4345

LOST — ON THURSDDY EVENING, thought to be near corner of Boswell ave. and King street, a Leather Purse containing cash, keys and calling cards. Will the finder please leave at 318 Boswell ave. after six o'clock and oblige. Reward. 3d 2 4331

MISLAID — A PAIR GENT'S MOCHA Gloves. Will finder kindly leave at Examiner office.



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UNION LABEL

TUESDAY, JANUARY 5, 1909

CANADIAN WINTER.

A great many journals and persons are much concerned over the proposal to hold a winter carnival at Montreal this year. The railways join the objectors claiming that their traffic profits will be reduced. It is argued that the emphasizing of the glacial features of our winter will supplement the cold chill which Kipling's "Lady of the Snows," gives our climate. It is a fact that Canada has positive winter weather and it is not a misfortune either. We of the native and acclimated know that our winter enjoyments are as delightful in their place and time as those of summer. Nature also after taking a winter visit, works with renewed vigour when the warmer weather comes. Taking it all in all Canada has a climate the most delightful and healthful in the world, the intense cold that comes at intervals is not the terror to outsiders that it is usually held to be. It is a fact that natives of the British Isles for the first few winters do not feel the cold as much as they do after they have become acclimatised. There are men in jail today for the offence of making a misrepresentation in business —gaining money on the strength of assurances that did not tally with the facts. As a nation we can't afford to follow this example. It seems to be the best policy to deal honestly with our weather conditions. In the west where the winter is admittedly severe, that very severity is the cause of fertility. The ice formed deep under the soil, and melting during the warm weather of summer sends up a streaming moisture that directly reaches the roots of the growing wheat and other grains, independently of rain-fall which is deficient on account of the general treelessness of the country. We can't deceive Europeans, even if we wanted to do so in regard to our climate and our weather. If they come to us knowing the conditions they are the very people we want; they have the pluck and courage (to) make their way. But if we bring them into Canada under false ideas as to the conditions they will meet, they will be discontented and make undesirable citizens. We have had experience of, and troubles with, a class of immigrants who came to Canada under the delusion that a living was to be got without work. Delusions will exist without our adding to them by presenting our weather conditions (under any) but the real aspects. Will it not be best, in the long run, to be honest with the people whom we desire to add to the citizenship of Canada?

The old proverb that honesty is the best policy has not lost its power any more than its logical sequence, honesty is the best practice.

THE WEEK OF PRAYER

The week of prayer for many years observed as at this season all over the Christian world, it's local observance began last night by an encouraging service in the Charlotte Street Methodist Church. To-night the service will be held in St. Andrew's Church and the general theme of the week "The Supremacy of Christ," will be specialised and localised, being The Supremacy of Christ in Business Life." This branch of the general subject has an important significance. Coming in the wake of the recent demonstration of the share of laymen in religious movements, men will be in a receptive or sympathetic mood. If our belief in the verities of religion goes beyond a formal mental assent, religion is a reality, but only where its obligations are practically regarded. Cynics may say that religion and business success are incompatible, but is stands to reason that business success won by any diregard of what religion teaches is unworthily won; as the religion that cannot be applied to and interwoven with the business and activities of every-day life does not bear the stamp of the divine hall mark. It is an immense impertinence to gather and send money to convert the heathen to the gospel faith, if we who are in the light neglect its most rudimentary teaching and essence, as summed up in the golden rule: if in our business relations to the public and our employees by giving the one indifferent or questionable value, or working the others would do unto us. The question unto others as we would that others unduly long hours we fail to do unto others as we would that others should do unto us. The questions, involved in their consideration tions, involved in their consideration will be touched upon by the speaker to-night, and it is hoped will bear fruit. The soldier's sword kept rusting in its sheath is no more a type of usefulness than the religion of a man kept locked in his heart or brought no further than the lips—that does not find its way to his hands in doing the every-day work of our every-day life.

(I.A.N.F. goes with "Week of Prayer"

No man can show a more convincing reason of the faith that is in him than can by showing it forth in the actions and relations of his daily life.

ALDERMANIC RACE WAS CLOSELY CONTESTED

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COUNCILLORS

POLLING SUB-DIVISIONS

CANDIDATES	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Total
GILLESPIE	60	42	92	65	57	83	96	135	60	108	68	97	64	98	1125
MORGAN	57	54	87	57	51	69	77	78	61	91	88	86	108	157	1116
BULLER	80	77	124	71	70	67	119	126	47	79	69	81	45	43	1098
PHELAN	67	79	70	78	67	74	90	120	78	62	52	80	43	86	1056
HICKS	49	80	73	86	55	91	98	117	58	95	69	115	40	42	1087
MORROW	26	46	71	55	50	79	96	148	60	90	63	106	36	37	975
DUFFUS	77	81	54	51	50	48	63	93	66	48	57	82	44	103	917
McINTYRE	55	54	52	75	40	72	83	67	47	90	84	92	36	64	913
METHERAL	43	33	62	40	58	90	75	63	65	91	103	80	30	64	908
BRADBURN	42	36	70	75	60	68	84	118	50	79	54	88	37	22	803
TURNER	43	47	87	44	40	54	87	131	43	81	60	74	39	35	865
DUNCAN	63	58	92	42	42	65	61	65	51	68	73	76	30	63	848
GIBSON	37	18	54	68	43	67	74	108	42	84	57	94	25	39	810
ELLIOTT	34	40	59	68	40	61	64	76	36	88	57	91	37	56	807
NEILL	36	34	65	44	36	64	93	120	49	73	44	76	22	22	779
BOGUE	51	56	38	39	62	45	45	58	61	60	51	57	45	82	750
ARMSTRONG	42	62	75	32	35	33	92	69	41	54	40	54	28	43	706
MOORE	40	37	63	39	62	43	61	42	51	55	63	51	35	55	696
CRAIG	15	28	47	39	59	71	45	83	37	85	45	74	26	41	690
BROWN	23	25	34	22	18	22	52	84	27	49	30	36	12	20	454

BOARD OF EDUCATION

POLLING SUB-DIVISIONS

CANDIDATES	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Total
FAIR	38	37	72	65	40	56	73	109	51	87	67	77	46	49	867
MASON	26	38	64	64	40	80	78	73	29	93	71	88	29	52	825
MORRISON	30	27	60	57	31	53	61	116	53	85	58	66	34	35	709
ACKERMAN	33	21	70	59	40	54	68	87	38	74	54	79	25	24	728
ROBINSON	48	57	58	31	23	34	65	62	62	32	40	53	38	49	648
MADILL	21	20	42	42	22	51	47	59	29	67	54	68	28	49	599
McCLELLAN	13	13	29	39	13	45	40	49	23	46	33	47	18	29	419
FREDERICK	13	12	18	30	17	21	19	24	13	56	33	41	26	42	370

	EXTENSION		EXHIBITION		BRIDGE	
	For	Against	For	Against	For	Against
Sub-Division I	46	36	16	65	18	64
" II	38	59	13	83	16	83
" III	53	61	20	92	16	91
" IV	22	16	8	29	14	23
" V	13	18	7	24	7	25
" VI	32	31	8	58	18	40
" VII	50	78	19	113	22	107
" VIII	82	68	27	127	20	113
" IX	18	54	13	64	18	58
" X	49	62	10	105	31	85
" XI	44	66	18	94	27	83
" XII	61	84	17	129	56	93
" XIII	33	41	8	67	17	58
" XIV	48	69	12	105	39	82
Totals	593	747	196	1154	329	1013
Majority Against		157		958		684

ATTENDING CONVENTION AT PRESCOTT

Ald. Gillespie Left This Afternoon for Dairymen's Meetings.

Ald. George A. Gillespie left this morning for Montreal en route to Prescott, where he will attend the meetings of the thirty-second annual Convention of the Eastern Dairymen's Association, which is being held in Prescott, on January 6th, 7th and 8th. The most influential and progressive dairymen of the province will give addresses upon important questions dealing with the business.

Ald. Gillespie will return on Saturday.

LOCAL MAN FALLS FROM BOX CAR

Ambrose Dorris Was Hurt While Switching at Campbellford.

While switching in the yard at Campbellford yesterday, shortly after twelve o'clock, Ambrose Doris, a Peterborough man, was rather seriously hurt. He was standing on top of a box car, giving signals to the engine men, when in some manner he slipped and fell to the ground, a drop of about fourteen feet. His face was badly cut and bruised, but no further injuries were sustained. The Dan Spence ambulance met the train on its arrival here at four o'clock, and conveyed him to the Nicholls Hospital, where his wounds were dressed.

Mr. Doris has only been employed as a brakeman by the Grand Trunk Railway a short time.

ALEX. ROSE WAS IN CITY LAST SUMMER

Alex Rose, one of the number who escaped from Toronto jail on July 17 last was reported to have been seen in the vicinity of Peterborough at one time after he regained his liberty. After six months restless liberty he was recaptured in Huntingdon, West Virginia, a short time ago and was brough tback to Toronto last night after traveling 1772 miles In his own statement he says he passed through Peterborough in going from Ottawa to Detroit, but took a route that shows that he must have spent some time in this city.

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Wallace Shearer, 97.
Class III—James McGuire 161
Edith Fulton, 182.
Elsie Elliott, 186
Raymond Hunt, 96.
Class II—Lottie Shearer, 199.
Alex. Thompson, 161.
Edith Hescutt 158
Part II Sr.—Robert Fulton, 197
Winston Northey, 156.
Mabel Stabler, 84.
Part II Jr—Willie Fawcett, 25.
Robert Fawcett, 20.
Edna Bingham, 20.
Arnott Irwin, 91.
Wesley Cummings, 32.
Burton Phelps, 48.
Part I Sr—Verda Hescutt, 92
Joe McGuire, 121.

OBITUARY.

MRS. CHAS. HARDING

At Whitman, Mass., yesterday morning at three o'clock, the sad death took place of Mrs. Charles Harding, at the age of fifty-five years.

Mrs Harding was born in Canifton, Hastings County, and when quite young went to live in the United States, where she married Mr. Harding. She leaves to survive her loss two sons, Lewis and Elmer, who reside at home; two daughters, Mrs. Callan, of Cambridge, Mass., and Georgie, who lived with her mother; two brothers, John Begley, of Lindsay, Robert Begley, of Peterborough, and one sister, Miss Mary Begley, of Whitman, Mass.

She has also two grandchildren, children of Mrs. Callan.

The particulars of the funeral have not yet been received, but it will be held in Whitman.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 25 cents each insertion in either the Daily or Weekly Examiner.

BIRTHS.

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ONTARIO MAYORS ARE CHOSEN

Hamilton This Year Chooses the Independent Candidate.

STEVELY WINS IN LONDON

Last Year's Mayor Is Re-elected—Brantford Appoints Wm. B. Wood as Its Chief Executive—Hamilton Council Has a Majority In Favor of the Provincial Hydro-Electric Power Policy.

The municipal elections throughout the province occasioned many a hard fight and plenty of surprises were sprung on the electors in the various municipalities. Hamilton elected an Independent in Ald. McLaren. The new council has now a majority in favor of the Hydro-Electric power scheme.

The mayors of the large cities and towns are as follows: London, Mayor Samuel Stevely; Brantford, Wm. B. Wood; Belleville, W. H. Panter; Chatham, Ald. W. H. Westman; Guelph, George Hastings (Labor); Kingston, Ald. Daniel Cooper; Niagara Falls, Mayor Robt. P. Slater; Port Arthur, I. L. Matthews (acc.); St. Catharines, Mayor Campbell (acc.); Peterboro, H. Rush (acc.); Stratford, W. S. Dingman; Windsor, Mayor Wigle; Alliston, R. J. Wallace; Barrie, James Vair; Dunnville, Robert Bennett; Amherstburg, F. A. Hough; Berlin, Chas. C. Hahn; Bowmanville, Mayor Reave; Brampton, Mayor Gelding; Brockville, W. H. Kyle; Bracebridge, S. H. Armstrong; Cornwall, Dr. Munro; Cobourg, H. Field; Dundas, J. W. Lawrason; Durham, W. Laidlaw; Gananoque, James Donovan; Grvaenhurst, Mayor Slater; Goderich, Dr. Macklin; Hespeler, Geo. D. Forbes; Harriston, W. H. Jackson; Ingersoll, Geo. Sutherland; Kincardine, Andrew Malcolm; Leamington, N. Peterson; Lindsay, J. B. Begg; Midland, Ed. Leatherby; Mount Forest, Dr. G. Pallen; Mitchell, John Skinner; Napanee, T. W. Simpson; Orangeville, A. D. McKitrick; Orillia, W. C. Goffatt; Oakville, W. S. Davis; Owen Sound, F. W. Harrison; Oshawa, Robert H. James; Paris, J. M. Patterson; Park Hill, N. McPhee; Parry Sound, F. L. Walton; Prescott, L. H. Daniels; Perth, F. W. Hall; Pembroke, J. S. Fraser; Port Hope, W. H. Giddy; Penetanguishene, Alphonse Tessier; Picton, J. H. Porte; Petrolea, E. F. Grant; St. Mary's, G. Brown; Sault Ste. Marie, Councillor Simpson; Sarnia, David Milne; Smith's Falls, Dr. J. S. McCallum; Strathroy, H. C. Pope; Simcoe, A. T. Sihler; Sandwich, E. H. Donnley; Southampton, Wm. McGregor; Thornbury, Dr. S. McCallum; Tillsonburg, L. R. Short; Trenton, Mayor Funnell; Uxbridge, M. H. Crosby; Waterloo, A. Weidenhammer; Welland, W. H. Crowther; Wiarton, D. M. Jermy; Walkerville, C. Chilver; Whitby, J. H. Downey; Wingham, Thomas Gregory.

Kaiser Economizing.

Berlin, Jan. 5.—It is reported in court circles that the Emperor has issue instructions to the officers of the household for greater economy. The Emperor intends to travel less and live in a simpler manner this year. The reports that the Emperor desires to sell some of his castles is confirmed. The Emperor has fifty-two provincial residences, some of which he has never even visited. The projected economics are undertaken because recent events have rendered this an inopportune time to ask the Prussian Parliament for an increase in the allowances to the Emperor as King of Prussia. The empire itself makes no grants for the maintenance of the Emperor and his family.

Autos May Now Cross.

Niagara Falls, Jan. 5.—An order was received yesterday by the Canadian customs officials raising the embargo on automobiles crossing the bridges into the Dominion from the United States, which have been excluded for the past two months on account of the foot and mouth disease.

This will greatly affect trade between the two cities for the better, and merchants on both sides of the river will now be able to deliver goods by auto in the two cities. Automobiles are the only vehicles now permitted to enter, and the first went over the upper bridge ten minutes after the order was received.

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ROSE BROUGHT BACK.

Toronto Jail-Breaker Says He Expects a Life Sentence.

Toronto, Jan. 5.—Alexander Rose is once more in Toronto Jail. He arrived in the city last night, having been brought from Huntington, W. Va., where he was serving a term of twenty-seven days for carrying a dirk knife.

He says that the look in the jail corridor which was the first step in the escape was picked by a key found in the cell, which was left by a previous prisoner. He says that he, with Jones, who is now in Newcastle, Pa., having been arrested in Williamson, W. Va., and Clarke cleared from the jail at 2.30 o'clock and struck for Little York on a King street car.

That night they rode blind baggage to Blackwater Junction, and thence on to Peterboro. Then in a like manner they made Montreal on Sunday afternoon. They stayed there a few hours, and afterwards proceeded to Boston, having lost Clarke in a chase by the police in Montreal.

A few days later they returned to Montreal, thence to North Bay, where they worked a week and came down to Allandale and Georgetown to Guelph, and thence on to Sarnia and across the line to Port Huron, Detroit and Toledo, and on to Columbus, O., Portsmouth, and Huntingdon.

After Rose's arrest, Jones, who, with Rose, had committed a number of burglaries at Huntington, went on to Williamson, where he was employed as a waiter in a Y.M.C.A. until arrested and brought to Huntington, just as Rose was being taken away.

While in jail at Huntington, Rose made an attempt to escape, and had got through one door when discovered.

Rose says that he expects a life sentence.

FATHER GOES CRAZY.

Man Living Near Guelph Attempts to Cut His Throat.

Guelph, Jan. 5.—Richard Forhan, a resident of the York road, just beyond Guelph's city limits, caused a good deal of excitement Sunday afternoon in the vicinity of his home.

He is the father of a large family, principally young girls. Sunday the girls stopped some passers-by, stating that their father had a razor and was going to cut his throat. The man was walking harriedly across a field near his home, with three of his daughters hanging on his arms and crying to him to give them his razor, stating that they would not leave him till he did.

Ald. George Penford and Thomas Hewer and some other well-known citizens who happened to be driving past, were accosted by the man's frightened children, and some of them helped them to dissuade Forhan from his intention.

TO STOP IMPURE BOOKS.

Anglicans of Ottawa Would Curb Its Importation.

Ottawa, Jan. 5.—A deputation of the Anglican Association of Ottawa, consisting of Rev. Canon Kittson, Rev. A. W. MacKay, Rev. J. M. Snowdon, Rev. J. F. Gorman, and Col. Irwin, waited upon the Minister of Customs yesterday and asked that he give instructions that the law governing the importation of immoral and suggestive literature should be better enforced. Incidentally, the problem of how to prevent production in Canada of plays with immoral tendencies was also discussed.

Mr. Paterson promised that he would take action requested so far as literature in question is concerned. The law regarding theatrical posters is already being enforced, and has been responsible for non-appearance on Canadian billboards of worst features of sensational lithographs.

Censorship of plays is not a matter which could in any way come under the surveillance of the Customs Department. That is a matter which must be left to local authorities of cities in which such plays are produced, and to a great extent to newspapers in warning their readers against plays which have a malevolent influence.

Yuan Shi Kai Dismissal.

Pekin, Jan. 5.—Two days have passed since the dismissal from office of Yuan Shi Kai, the great Chinese statesman, who was a member of the grand counsil, and it is still impossible to determine the future course of the Chinese Government or its inner composition. The palace continues an enigma.

An edict issued yesterday relieves Na Tung, successor to Yuan Shi Kai, of some of his minor duties for the purpose of enabling him to discharge his new responsibilities. But the developments are not sufficient to disclose the administration's plan, and it is believed that if any plan exists knowledge of it is confined to only two persons in addition to the prince regent.

Wolfe's Birthday.

London, Jan. 5.—Wolfe's birthday was celebrated at his birthplace, Westerham, on Saturday, when Beckles Willson said many of thes present had very little idea how great was the fame of Westerham, but if any Westerham man went into the backwoods of Canada, he would have a great reception. Another speaker said Wolfe was one of the greatest of Englishmen, and who had effected by a single daring stroke more perhaps in the way of future results than any other national hero.

Two Burn to Death.

Coldwater, Jan. 5.—Two brothers, Wm. and Louis Warriner, aged 19 and 22, respectively, were burned to death in a fire which destroyed a log camp in the Township of Matchedash.

The young men were cutting wood in the vicinity and boarding themselves. On Thursday night they went to a farm house for milk and left again about ten o'clock for their camp. This was the last seen of them alive.

Will Defy Whirlpool.

Niagara Falls, Jan. 5.—Percy Webber, chemist, working in Niagara Falls, N.Y., said last night he would brave the turbulent waters of the whirlpool in a canoe which he is constructing. The features of the canoe will be an air tank which will buoy the canoe up, and special steering apparatus which he says will enable him to successfully pass through the rocky whirlpool.

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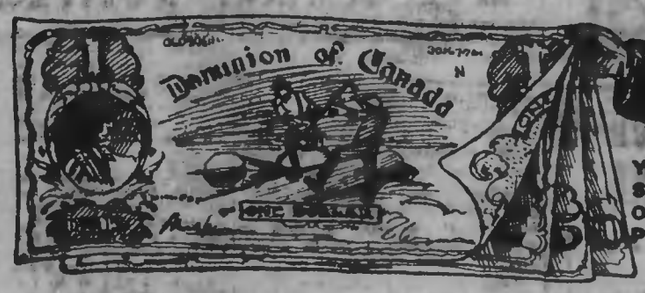

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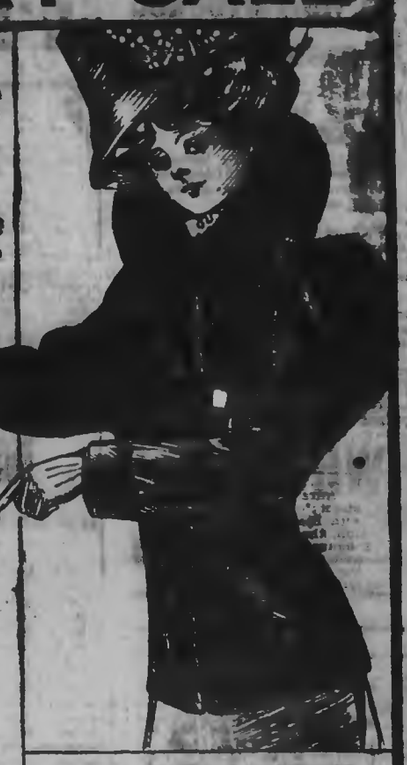

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T. J. HAINS TESTIFIES.

Murderer's Brother Describes Slaying of Annis.

Flushing, N.Y., Jan. 5.—Taking the stand in his own defence, Thornton Jenkins Hains, for over four hours yesterday related with a wealth of detail the story of the shooting of William E. Annis and of the conjugal troubles of Capt. Peter C. Hains, Jr., that counsel asserts caused the mental unbalancing of the army officer and led to the killing of the publisher on sight. When court adjourned last night Hains direct examination had not been concluded and he will likely be on the witness stand all to-day.

Thornton Hains told his story in snappy, crisp sentences, that fell from his lips as soon as his counsel had completed his interrogation. He showed no signs of nervousness and at time during the trial illustrated his brother's expressions and appearance when speaking of his wife's conduct, with dramatic inflection of voice and facial expression.

The defendant declared that when he went to Bayside to look at real estate on Aug. 15 he had no idea that his brother was armed, and that he did not know that Annis was at the yacht club. He told the jury that all the shots had been fired by Capt. Hains before he rushed to the float to protect his brother from John Tonning, the boatman, and the club members, whom, he said, he thought would harm the captain. Thornton Hains denied that he pointed a revolver at Mrs. Annis. The defendant stated that he had no idea how many shots Capt. Hains had fired, and when Charles Roberts, a club member, picked up the revolver, and the muzzle of the weapon pointed at him, he drew his own gun and told Roberts not to shoot.

District Attorney Darrin said he would probably take all day to-day to cross-examine the defendant.

Dauphin School Fire.

Winnipeg, Jan. 5.—Dauphin No. 1 school, which contained four rooms of public school and four of collegiate, was burned down yesterday morning. The fire started from the furnace, and owing to the extreme cold the brigade was hampered, but the citizens lent aid.

The children, 500 in number, however, had been splendidly drilled, and carried through the fire drill exercise with precision that all of the rooms were emptied in a few minutes. The loss is $12,000, and insurance $8,000.

French Elections.

Paris, Jan. 5.—The results of the the French elections yesterday for members of the Chamber of Deputies show that the Radicals and Radical-Socialists have made net gains of 15 seats. The Socialist-Independents gained two and the Conservatives one seat, while the Progressists lost 18. The election has been a victory for the Government and particularly for the Radicals.

Twenty-four deputies, including Mm. Ribot, Maujan and Baubin, were elected to the Senate.

Sir Hugh Graham's Gift.

Montreal, Jan. 5.—The announcement is made that the donor of $10,000 to the children's memorial hospital is Sir Hugh Graham. Funds subscribed amount to $27,000, which is enough to complete the building under construction.

Sixteen British Tars Drowned.

Sydney, N.S.W., Jan. 5.—The pinnance of the British cruiser Encounter was sunk in a collision with a collier here yesterday. Sixteen of the sailors were drowned.

U.S. Anti-Gambling Laws.

Albany, Jan. 5.—Newspapers will be prohibited from publishing betting odds on horse races if a bill to be introduced by Senator Agnew of New York becomes law.

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Certi stanzo di pronunciare preghiere ora relatano di cercare piu aiuto di divinita credento che Idio ha diciso di distruggere la presenta generazione. Ma pero prejano che le loro peccati non faranni visita alle loro figli e fanno del tutto per proteggere le peccoli fanguilli.

In altro parte la miseria ra la sofferenza imponente le sofirtori di non cessari mai delle loro preghiere di cantare Inni di arazione giorni e notte.

Una donna con sua vank no fu trovate in un sotterranio in Messina in una casti petiate erano stato sanz mangiare per quattro giorn. Lo fanguila era in punta di morto la sua madre prendente l'aqua dale sue occhio piangente per vajnare le labbra della fanguila moribonte.

The Examiner is indebted to Signor Donato M. Menecola, a native of Rocceto Vaifortore, Province of Foggia, (a safe distance from the earthquake centre), residing at 519 Elm street. He is a member of the firm of Menecola Bros., fruit merchants, 760 Hunter street, who is well educated in English as well as Italian. One of the most pathetic incidents of the terrible Italian earthquake disaster is placed above in the language of our Italian citizen who does not know English.

Presentation By Girls' Guild To Member Leaving Peterboro'

Miss Cotton of the Girls' Guild of All Saint's Church Remembered —Address Read by Miss Clara Cairns.

WAS A VALUABLE MEMBER

The Girls' Guild of All Saints Church met last night to bid farewell to one of its members, Miss Cotton, who is leaving Peterborough and thus severing her connections with All Saints Church and the Girls' Guild, has taken a prominent part in its activities and will be greatly missed by her former associates and co-workers in the Guild.

The affair was pleasantly carried out, but like all others of this kind, was marked by an undercurrent of pathos which arises from the parting of good friends.

Miss Maggie Duggan presented Miss Cotton with a beautiful pin and the following address was read by Miss Clara Cairns:—

All Saints Church,
Peterborough,
Jan. 4th, 1909

Dear Miss Cotton:—

It was with extreme regret that the members of the Girls' Guild and the Sunday School learned of your intention to leave Peterborough, though it was to enable you to take up the work with the sick, to which you felt called. During the four years you have been with us, you have been a most diligent and devoted worker in All Saints Church, and an example and inspiration to the rest of us. We ask you to accept this pin as a token of our thanks to you for all you have done, and assure you that you carry away the esteem and love of all the church workers with whom you have come in contact. We shall do our utmost to see that the work you did as President of the Girls' Guild, and as teacher of the Senior Girls' Bible Class will be continued. Our prayers will go with you that God will bless "your goings out and your comings in," and lead you into ways of pleasantness. We wish you every contentment in your new work and every prosperity in life, and hope the remembrances you carry away with you from All Saints will in some measure be a help to you in days of sunshine or of clouds if such should come.

(Signed)
JULIA SABIN,
LIZZIE LACHEUR
EVA BULLEN.

HAVELOCK CARRIES LOCAL OPTION BY-LAW BY A LARGE MAJORITY

Examiner Special.

Havelock, Jan. 4—Great interest was taken in the election here today. The local option by-law carried by a substantial majority. Jos. Knox was elected reeve and the council will consist of Geo. Philips, Thos. Wood Geo. Young and W. A. McMaster.

The following was the result:—

Local Option	div No. 1	div. 2	to
For	100	117	217
Against	37	49	86
Majority			131

Reeve	No 1	No. 2	Tot
Graham	31	19	50
Knox	103	139	242
Majority			192

Counc.	No. 1	No. 2	Tot
Philips	108	137	245
Wood	84	111	195
McMaster	84	109	193
Young	85	80	165
Wallar	80	70	150

The trustees for the year are — H. Brewster, C. Taylor, J. Parlow, S. S. Joyce, H. Falkner, Dr. Kendrick.

THE IMPERIAL OPERA COMING

Harry Girard, baritone of the Imperial Opera Company, which comes to the Grand Opera House, Saturday, matinee and evening, January 9th, never received a musical education and yet he is an expert organ player and a composer, who within the last two years has attracted considerable attention.

Born in Seattle, Wash., he ran away from home when ten years of age and obtained employment on a vessel sailing for Japan. During loafing spells on the boat he entertained the crew by playing on the accordeon, at which he had become an adept while at home. So pleased with the music was the captain that he summoned young Girard to his room and compelled him to sing and play for him, during the hours that the boy was supposed to be at work. The lad became a great favorite with the master and the entire crew, and when they again landed in this country they gave him a purse and sent him home.

Young Girard then devoted all his spare time to music, and although he never took any lessons, he became proficient in playing the organ. Before long he secured a position as organist in a big church in Seattle, and his playing and singing soon became a feature of the regular service. Then he drifted to Minneapolis, where he played and sang in a church, and a year afterward went to Chicago in the same capacity. Next he returned to his home in Seattle, and by this time he had grown to be an expert on the organ. His playing and singing attracted the attention of John Cort, the Klaw & Erlander of the west, who gave him his first real opportunity. Up to this time Girard had written several songs that became popular in the west. Cort engaged him to set "The Alaskan," recommended him to the late Augustin Daly, and the latter gave him a minor part in one of his productions. So rapid was his progress that within a year he began to play leads, and when "Sun Toy" was produced Mr. Daly gave him an important role.

After that he sang big parts with stars, and in large productions. He was in the Daly Company that presented "Sun Toy" at the Euclid Avenue Opera House here, a number of years ago. His last appearance in Cleveland was as leading man with Lulu Glaser in "Dolly Varden."

John Cort, who first brought him before the public, was the first to give him his real opportunity. When he accepted the book of "The Alaskan," written by a Seattle newspaper man, he engaged Girard to write the score. In the west where the production made a great hit last season, the critics highly praised the music, the song entitled "The Totem Pole," becoming one of the year's musical successes. His work as composer gained for him much praise, and the result was that several Broadway managers sought his services. Charles Dillingham has him under contract to write the music for the play in which Frank Daniels will star this fall, and for another production which will be made later in the season.

Not only is Girard a good composer but he also is an excellent singer and actor.

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The new dispensary is in charge of Mr Silas Noble Ridley, recently of St Tomas, whose diploma from the Ontario College of Pharmacy, decorates the store. Mr Ridley also enjoys the advantage of a full course in the St. Louis College of Pharmacy, U. S., where he studied chemistry, pharmacy and other branches of the drug and prescription business.

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THE LATEST NEWS FROM NORTH BURLEIGH

North Burleigh, Jan. 5th—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hales, Mr. and Mrs W. C. Hales, and Miss Hattie Hales, of Peterborough, have been spending the past week with friends in Burleigh.

Miss Nellie Nisbet and Mr. Wm. Nisbet, of Harvey, spennt Christmas at the home of Mrs Wm. Hales Burleigh.

Miss Elma Hales, of Burleigh, is spending her Christmas holidays in Harvey the guest of her cousin, Miss Nellie Nisbet.

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THE RESULTS IN THE COUNTY; HOT FIGHTS IN SEVERAL OF THE LOCAL TOWNSHIPS YESTERDAY

Robt. Shaw Defeats Jas. Ingram in Harvey—Change in Douro and Other Townships This Year.

THE NEW COUNCIL FOR 1909

There was considerable excitement in several of the Peterborough County Townships yesterday in connection with the municipal elections and in some cases the race for the honours was very warm. Others however were spared the excitement of a race, and in Smith, as was the case last year, there was no election, the entire Board going in by acclamation. This was also true of several other places in the district. Following is the list of the Councils in the various townships as far as could be learned today:—

Smith by Acclamation

Reeve: R. N. Scott.
Deputy Reeve: Thos. H. Graham.
Councillors: J. H. Garbutt, Fred. McKee and Wm. Davis.

Otonabee Contest

The elections in Otonabee resulted in the return of Reeve John H. Fife, over William J. Porter, Deputy Reeve last year, by a vote of 429 to 305. Deputy Reeve Wm. B. Stewart (acclamation).

Councillors:—
William A. Anderson — 465.
John Miller — 439.
Thos. G. Hazzlet — 370
Donald K. Cameron — 365.
The first three are elected.

The Fight in Douro

In Douro there was a warm race for the reeveship, resulting in the defeat of Dennis Maloney, who was Reeve last year, at the hands of Frank Moher, Reeve two years ago; The figures were; Moher 251, Maloney 227. The vote of the Council was as follows:—
W. J. Charlton — 264.
Michael Welsh — 206.
B. Leahy — 200.
Patrick Farley — 191.
M. Maloney — 177.
T. E. Jory — 171.
A. Coughlin — 175.
The first four will comprise the Council for the year.

North Monaghan

Reeve John Brown (acclamation).
Councillors:—
R. A. Dobbin — 139.
Walter McKee — 132.
Jas. Morrow — 132.
Wm. G. Howden — 130.
H. J. Forster — 121.
G. H. May — 116.
J. F. Clarke — 90.
The first four are elected.

No Contest in Galway

The Galway and Cavendish Council was returned by acclamation as follows:—
Reeve; C. Coben.
Councillors: J Clark., Wm. Hunter, Jas. Allen and A. Crigo.

Belmont and Methuen

The Council for Belmont and Methuen were returned by acclamation as follows:—
Reeve: Jas. A. Russell.
Councillors: A. A. Wilde, Wm; Griffith, Wm. Rylott and Jas. Anderson.

Asphodel

Reeve: Wm. Oakman.
Councillors: John McNaughton. Thos. Davidson, Maxwell Brown and Andrew Quinlan.

Anstruther and Burleigh

Wm. Tucker was elected reeve of Anstruther and Burleigh yesterday, by a vote of 72 to 56 over J. Lane. The vote for council was as follows—Hales, 54; Harris, 53; McCauley, 70, Wm Stone, 74; C. Windsor, 53.
The first four are elected.

Harvey

In Harvey, Robert Shaw was elected reeve over Jas. Ingram by a majority of 22, just reversing the results last year.

The old council was returned as follows—Thos. Elliott, Peter Graham Hugh Allen and John McKenty.

Ennismore

Michael Perdue was elected reeve of Ennismore yesterday by a vote of 113 to 91 over John Young.

The councillors elected were—Wm. H. Crough, Wm. Harrington, M. O'Connor and T. H. Crough.

Local Option at Lakefield

The greatest interest was taken in the local option fight here yesterday and the attempt to repeal the local option measure was defeated by a majority of 61.

A. J. Reid was elected reeve by a majority of 59 over J. M. Bygott. The councillors elected were Messrs. H. Moore, Clare Bravender Arthur Robson and Rich. White.

The School Trustees are Messrs. Chas. Tanner, Dr. J. Gibson and J. W. Ridpath.

Keene, Jan. 4.—The election results are as follows;
Reeve—John Fife.
Deputy Reeve—W. B. Stewart (acclamation).
Councillors—W. A. Anderson, Jno. Miller, Donald Cameron.

There was a large vote polled. W. A. Anderson the only new member of the council headed the polls. W. J. Porter, former deputy reeve, was defeated in a contest for the reeveship by 48 votes.
Following is the report by wards;

FOR REEVE.

Fife ...	370
Porter ...	322

FOR COUNCILLORS.

Anderson ...	426
Cameron ...	374
Miller ...	395
Hazzlett ...	324

Norwood.

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C. E. Pakenham—102.

Councillors—
Chas. Blake—170.

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In the company are Harry Girard, the clever baritone, who composed the comic opera "Alaska," which was the rage in the west last season and J. Clarence Harvey, who was the idol of the Toronto audiences and one of the cleverest comedians of today. Other well known principals in the company are Miss Agnes Caine-Brown, soprano; Laura Butler, mezzo-soprano; Allan Mostyn, W. H. Pringle and one of the prettiest choruses ever seen in light opera. Mr. Girard began his musical career as an organist and choir master, and later became the composer of a number of sacred songs. Born in Seattle, Wash., he ran away from home when ten years old and obtained employment on a vessel sailing for Japan. During the lonfing spells on the boat he entertained the crew on the accordeon, and so pleased was the captain that he summoned the youngster to his room and compelled him to sing and play for him during the hours that the boy was supposed to be at work. At the end of the voyage the captain gave the lad a purse and sent him home. With this start it did not take Harry Girard long to work himself into the field of music, and since that time he has steadily risen until he now occupies one of the leading positions amongst opera singers in America.

J. Clarence Harvey, the clever comedian of the Imperial Opera Company, who plays the part of Li Ti in San Toy, follows James T. Powers in the role. Mr. Harvey has a manner all his own which makes him a strong favourite.

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Mr. Allan Mostyn, who is a comedian as well as an excellent basso singer, played the role of Yen-How, the old mandarin with the six little wives, in the original company under Mr. Powers and it has been one of his most successful roles.

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CIVIC FAIR PLAY IN REPRESENTATION

The Electors at Large Apparently Desire That the Fifth Ward Should Have Representation.

The large vote given Adams, Gillespie and Morgan in yesterday's election while not understood on personal or representative grounds was in part another explanation and one creditable to the spirit of harmony and fair play that animates the electors of the city. There is still a latent or sub-latent feeling or undifined consciousness that East City or what was formerly Ashburnham is still a sort of undefinitely separate section of the city. That this feeling is not merely across the river is shown by the very large vote given Messrs Gillespie and Morgan by the electors of the ward in which they reside and the liberal vote they received in other parts of the city shows that there is existent a spirit of fair play and a desire that the newest ward of the city should have due representation in the council of Peterborough.

First appearance in Peterborough of "Imperial Scots" Concert Company, in Conservatory Music Hall, Monday evening, January, 11th. The company is direct from Scotland and appearing only in the larger cities.

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It Will be Made a Rallying Point for all the Bible Classes of City.

The weekly Gospel Temperance meetings that have been conducted for some time in the "Crystal" have been changed from 8.15 o'clock in the evening to 4.15 in the afternoon. The first of the afternoon meetings was held on Sunday last and was well attended considering the weather conditions. The speaker was Rev. J. G. Potter, who gave a short but earnest and very impressive address on total abstinence as a Christian duty taking as the basis of his remarks, Paul's declaration that he would neither eat meat nor do any other act by which his brother might be made to stumble. Miss Manning sang a couple of solos in a very pleasing manner, and in this was contributed much to the success of the meeting.

Next Sunday it is proposed to make the meeting a rallying point for all the Bible Classes of the city. One representative from each will give a three minute address and Dr. Hassard of the Y. M. C. A. will also address the meeting. The choir will be occupied by Dr. Middleton and it is expected that an orchestra will be present to provide music.

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HEROISM OF RUSSIAN TARS

Gallant Sailors Brave Death to Rescue Victims From Ruins In Messina—Correspondent Describes Scenes in Earthquake Stricken City—Sicilians Refuse to Leave Homes When Asked by Authorities.

Washington, Jan. 5.—Bountiful provision for the earthquake sufferers of Italy was made by the Congress yesterday by unanimous vote. In the House there was vigorous hand-clapping as the bill carrying the appropriation was sent on its way. The munificent sum of $800,000 was granted almost immediately after the reception in both Houses of a message from the President calling attention to the calamity and the pressing need for aid for the stricken people of a sister nation.

President Roosevelt will sign the bill, making it effective, probably today.

No aid so generous was ever extended to a stricken people by this Government before. The legislators anticipating the President's message, and filled with a sympathetic desire to lend their votes to any proposition which would bring relief, were early in their seats and prepared to take immediate action.

The American National Red Cross has collected over $330,000.

Russians' Gallant Aid.

Messina, Jan. 5.—Praises of the Russians are on every lip. They hesitated before no danger, digging under tottering walls or entering the unsafest shells when asked to do so by some frantic woman who had not lost all hope that husband or child was still alive.

Here and there the correspondent encountered salvage parties digging at the instance of some distracted woman who imagined she heard a voice, but usually there was no answer to the pathetic call. One party was trying to dig out a girl whose crying could be heard plainly, but as the correspondent watched there was a sudden cave-in and thereafter silence.

In many places bloated and decomposing arms and legs protruded from heaps of masonry and plaster.

Curious Quake Freaks.

Curious freaks of the earthquake were to be observed. Standing walls had fallen out, exposing one tier of rooms above another, in which nothing seemed to have been disturbed. Pictures hung straight on the walls, dishes were on the tables and vases and flowers on mantles. One place two buzzards, their beaks full of carrion, were sunning themselves on a window ledge over the dead body of a woman whose wealth of black hair covered her face and shoulders. Dogs and cats were killed by the soldiers whenever caught feeding on the dead. The buildings that best resisted the shock were those of the old palace, and now the prefecture, and the archbishop's palace where ten of the inmates lost their lives.

Although the air in Messina is heavy with the stench with putrifying bodies, several groups of Sicilians sit camped out in the cleared places of the city and obstinately refuse the invitation of the authorities to move away. The survivors of the disaster are so tired and worn out that they are quite incapable of describing their experiences lucidly, but the accounts of all agree that the devastation was accomplished in less than one minute.

May Succeed Senator Bernier.

Ottawa, Jan. 5.—A recent visitor to the city has been Horace Chevrier, ex-M.P.P., who left for Toronto Sunday. Mr. Chevrier's name is being mentioned in connection with the vacancy in the Upper House, caused by the death of Senator Bernier. The names of J. E. Cyr, ex-M.P. for Provencher, recently appointed an immigration officer in France, is also being mentioned in the same connection.

Blizzard In West.

Winnipeg, Jan. 5.—A fierce snowstorm, which is paralyzing street car and other traffic, is raging and the weather is unusually cold for such a blizzard. The thermometer is standing at 18 degrees below zero.

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FORTY-FIVE BARS MUST GO

Temperance Fight Throughout Ontario Results In New Bylaws In Twenty Municipalities, Sustained Local Option In 17 and Defeat In 23 Public Power Was Big Victory Throughout the Province.

Toronto, Jan. 5.—In 20 municipalities yesterday, including Stratford, where the Hydro-Electric power bylaw was resubmitted, the Beck cheap Niagara power policy was adopted by majorities varying from the unanimous voice of Windsor to less emphatic but not less conclusive verdicts elsewhere.

The only defeats recorded are at Thamesville and Kingsville, places which do not affect the scheme as a whole.

The main result of the voting yesterday is to settle the question, as Hon. Adam Beck states, of building a power transmission line to Windsor.

The Windsor division, from London westwards, now includes Glencoe, Bothwell, Chatham and Dresden, which is off the main line; Amherstburg, Elmira, Leamington, Ridgetown, Essex, Norwich, Sandwich, Tilbury, Comber, West Lorne, Port Stanley and Windsor, which will also soon be joined by Walkerville.

Brantford, on the Guelph division, is associated with Kingsville and Thamesville in rejecting the power policy.

The London division is complete now, with the addition of Tillsonburg to London, St. Thomas, Ingersoll and Woodstock.

The Guelph division is practically complete, as Brantford can be economically sidetracked in transmitting power to Preston, Hespeler, Guelph, Waterloo, Berlin, New Hamburg, Stratford and St. Mary's.

Carried—Amherstburg, majority six; Bothwell, large majority; Chatham, majority 468; Comber, 84 to 7; Dresden, —; Dundas, large majority; Elmira, 240 to 23; Essex, 326 to 35; Glencoe, —; Leamington, almost unanimous; Norwich, large majority; Port Stanley, —; Ridgetown, large majority; Sandwich, —; Simcoe, —; Stratford, majority 100; Tilbury, 164 to 17; Tillsonburg, majority 255; West Lorne, 171 to 18; Windsor, unanimously.

Defeated—Brantford, increased expenditure bylaw; Kingsville, by 26 votes; Thamesville, small majority.

One of the most general campaigns under the Ontario local option law was held throughout the province yesterday. Ninety bylaws were submitted.

Definite returns from sixty-one municipalities showed that local option had carried in 20 places with 45 licenses. It was sustained against repeal votes in 17, and defeated in 23 places. In ten of these there was a majority for the bylaw, but not the necessary three-fifths.

The most notable contest was that at Owen Sound, both sides regarding it as the key to the situation. The bylaw carried three years ago by a majority of 476. The effort to secure its repeal yesterday cut down the previous majority to 193. As the repeal votes are on a simple majority local option was sustained.

At Woodstock local option was defeated most emphatically. Every ward went against it. There were 847 votes for and 1,050 against, a majority against of 203.

Carried 26—Tweed, Bowmanville, Wellington, Havelock, Boone Township, Wyoming, Iroquois, Seneca Township, Sydney Township, Thurlow Township, Yonge, Ashfield, Athens, Caradoc, Escott, Hillier, Middleton Township, Orillia Township.

Sustained 17—Owen Sound, Markham Township, Stouffville, Southampton, Pickering, Amabel, Gainsboro, Hepworth, Tara, Whitechurch, Beamsville, Vaughan, Richmond Hill, Grimsby, North Oxford, Euphemia, Hope, Peel Township, Thornbury.

Lost 23.—Hagerman Township, Madoc, Whitby Township, Woodstock, Aylmer, Lucknow, Hepworth, Point Edward, Forest, Blandford Township, Oso, Ridgetown, Morrisburg, Goderich, Trenton, Ingersoll, Tillsonburg, Caledonia, Camboro, Glencoe, Alnwick Township, Elgin and Gunthyn, Kennebec.

Reduction 2—St. Catharines and Smith's Falls.

Repealed—Courtright.

Hamilton, Jan. 5.—The people of Hamilton have declared in favor of joining the Hydro-Electric power project. Yesterday they elected a Hydro-Electric mayor and 12 aldermen to support him, the council, counting the mayor, standing 13 to 9 in favor of the Hydro-Electric project.

Want to Join Toronto.

Toronto, Jan. 5.—A new application from Wychwood and Bracondale, for power to be annexed to the city, was filed with the Railway and Municipal Board yesterday.

What Milner Did.

London, Jan. 5.—The Sunday Observer thinks Lord Milner found imperial sentiment weakening in Canada and arrested its decline.

Roosevelt and Congress.

Washington, D.C., Jan. 5.—President Roosevelt yesterday transmitted to the House of Representatives a special message in reply to a resolution adopted by the House some weeks ago, calling upon the President for data relative to his reference in his annual message to the attitude of the House in refusing to make an appropriation to be used in secret service work for the various Government departments.

The President says he made no reflections on Congress, as was complained, nor did he intend to, as he has not only always deprecated but vigorously resented, the practice of indiscriminate attack upon Congress.

Wife Returned to Find Him Dead.

Temagami Station, Ont., Jan. 5.—Joe Turner of Temagami was found by his wife dead at about four o'clock on Saturday morning. A 30.30 rifle lay by his side and from appearances it would seem was premeditated suicide.

The deceased was a son of John Turner, who keeps a boarding-house at Bear Island, well known to tourists. He leaves a wife and six children. A dance was held on New Year's Day at his father's house, and the deceased and his wife returned to their home just before daybreak, he then asked his wife to go back again and bring a sleigh he had left. On her return he was dead.

Riots In India.

Calcutta, Jan. 5.—The prohibition by the police in deference to Hindu feelings of Mohammedan sacrifices of cows Sunday led to serious riots at Titteghur, just outside Calcutta.

Troops were summoned, from Barrackpur to quell the trouble and were compelled to fire upon the rioters, several of whom were killed and sixty seriously injured. Two hundred arrests were made.

Thaw Trial Echo.

White Plains, N.Y., Jan. 5.—Counsel for Mrs. Wm. Thaw, Harry Thaw's mother, obtained from Supreme Court Justice Tompkins yesterday a writ of habeas corpus compelling the Matteawan Asylum authorities to produce Harry Thaw before that justice at Nyack next Saturday. Mrs. Thaw's contention is that Thaw is not a criminal, having been acquitted by a jury, and that he is now sane.

Banker Shoots Himself.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 5.—Henry C. Potter, Jr., of this city, vice-president of the People's State Savings Bank of this city, committed suicide at his home yesterday.

Mr. Potter had been suffering from nervous prostration for some time.

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RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

PETERBORO' JUNIORS WIN FIRST HOME GAME BY DEFEATING COBOURG 10-6 IN GREAT EXHIBITION OF HOCKEY

Local Youngsters Made a Run-Away Fight of it in the Second Half and Won Under Wraps—Crowd Was Delighted With Team

SOME PROMISING MATERIAL

The Peterborough Junior O. H. A. team showed their mettle last night, when they romped away from the Cobourg juniors in an O. H. A. fixture at the Brock street rink, with a 10—6 score, after a game that was, considering the soft ice, a grand exhibition of fast hockey all the way. Cobourg were in the lead twice in the first half, and when the teams left the ice for the breathing spell, they were on even terms, with two goals each and the result decidedly uncertain, as the play had been even from the start. The homesters were there with the lid off the ginger jar in the second half, however, and ran away from the visitors with eight counters, while the best the red and white sweatered aggregation could collect was four. After the half the visitors never looked dangerous, as they faded away, while the local kids, on the other hand, grew stronger as the game progressed and had it all over the septette from the Lakeshore, smothering up their forward line so that they had no chance to break away, while, on the other hand, the Peterboroughs were working loose from their checks and getting in close with the puck, so that scores were bound to come.

The Cobourg team were not the only surprised people in the rink, as the fairly large crowd of fans who were present were astonished to find that such a strong junior seven had been collected to represent Peterborough, and their delight can be imagined as they watched the contest. It was a well satisfied crowd that left the rink at the conclusion of the game, and it is safe to say that the juniors are sure of big attendances at their remaining home games. The fans are satisfied that the team is a speedy, clever collection of youngsters, who are able to hold their own with any of the junior sevens in the district, and who are due to make a great bid for the championship of the district at least. The team is in every way worthy of support, and their fine showing last night went a long way in getting the proper kind of encouragement for them.

The ice was soft and sticky, but despite that fact the teams dished out hockey of the fastest and most exciting kind. The heavy going made stickhandling and combination difficult matters, but there was plenty of both just the same, and don't think those teams didn't work for every ounce that was in them all the way. The pace was fast all through, and at times the rapidity with which the puck travelled from one end to the other had the fans standing up in their seats. Both teams worked hard and neither seemed to know the meaning of let up, and it was hammer and tongs all the way to the finish, with the players going at top speed. Considering that it was the first game of the season and that the ice was in anything but good shape for fast hockey, the match was really a grand exhibition, and the crowd thoroughly enjoyed every minute of it.

The locals had something on the visitors at every point. The defence was stronger and more aggressive, while the forward line played better combination and took more advantage of their opportunities, getting the rubber in close for their shots, while the visitors tried to beat Giroux from outside the defence. They succeeded several times, but did not get close enough to win, while, on the other hand, the locals were making their shots tell. The Peterborough forward line had it on the visitors too in checking back covering up their checks and coming back fast to help out their defence, while Cobourg either couldn't or wouldn't check back.

Peterborough's team is surprisingly strong and will take a lot of beating before the season is over. They are fast, heavy and aggressive, and with a little more practice will be a truly formidable combination. In Leo Giroux they have a splendid goal keeper. He is cool and quick and last night some of his saves at close range were marvellous. Several times when the Cobourg forwards had eluded the defence, he beat them off by quick work, and his clever stopping brought him round after round of applause. Wade at point played a grand game last night, especially in the second half. He checked well and in the last period made some sensational rushes from his position, the length of the rink, a la Lester Patrick, and two of these rushes resulted in scores. He seemed to be thoroughly at home in the heavy going and did grand work throughout. Fox, at cover, was always in his place, and his checking and relieving were effective at all times, the visitors finding him a stumbling block all the way.

Charlie Ray, the captain and rover of the team, was the star of the seven and was easily the fastest man on the ice, despite the fact that he was handicapped by the injury he received in Whitby. He played brilliant hockey all the way, his dazzling rushes and clever stick handling, coupled with his speed, making it almost impossible for Cobourg to stop him when he got going, and he succeeded in slamming in no less than six goals. He had the feature play of the night in the second half, when getting the puck at his own goal he dashed through the Cobourg forward line, passed to Pentland as the cover-point was reached, and then receiving the puck again from the wing man, eluded Niles and scored. Cyril Giroux at centre played an aggressive and decidedly useful game. He was always in his place, camping out in front of the nets and figured prominently in the scoring, while his checking back and work generally was of a superior nature. Ken Pentland was always working at left wing and made many dashes along the boards that made things awkward for the visitors' defence. On the other wing Billy Shortt, who was gotten out at the last moment, emphatically made good. He is a nice stick handler and fast skater and has a pretty shot from the boards that would give any goal keeper trouble.

Cobourg has a fast and well balanced team, and they did not give up without the hardest kind of a fight. Their forward line is fast, while the defence is strong and reliable. Gliddon, at left wing, was undoubtedly their star. He has a fine turn of speed, carried the puck nicely, while he possesses a wicked shot that counted in the scoring last night. Clarence Doheny, who will be remembered as the star goal keeper of the St. Michael's College team last season, was at rover for the visitors, and played a fine game, while Pratt in centre also distinguished himself. Guy, at cover, was an awkward man to beat and had a wrist shot that was speedy and accurate. He was of no assistance to his forward line, however, and failed to feed them at all. Reynolds in goal made some nice saves.

Geo. Lynch handled the bell to the satisfaction of both teams. His duties were light as the game, though closely contested, was not rough. The teams were as follows:

Peterborough.	Cobourg.
Goal.	
Giroux	Reynolds
Point.	
Wade	Niles
Cover.	
Fox	Guy
Rover.	
Ray	Doheney
Centre.	
C. Giroux	Pratt
Right Wing.	
Shortt	Crowther
Left Wing.	
Pentland	Gliddon

It was 8.52 when play commenced. The pace was hot from the start and the visitors had a little better of the play at the go in. They made several lively attacks upon the local goal, and Giroux was called upon to show his ability in turning off several hot shots from Gliddon's stick. The local forwards had several chances, but failed to get working together when nearing the nets and opportunities were lost. Finally, after seven minutes of hard up and down the ice playing, Doheny and Gliddon carried the puck from centre through the Peterborough defence, and the ex-St. Mike's goal keeper beat Giroux with a hot shot at close range.

Cobourg, 1; Peterborough, 0.

Gliddon was ruled off for tripping Ray, and while he was on the boards the locals made good use of their opportunities. Shortt and Ray broke away together from centre and Shortt bored one at Reynolds' chest, which the Cobourg goal keeper handled neatly. Ray was there with a timely swipe and slammed it in on the rebound in four minutes.

Cobourg, 1; Peterborough, 1.

The visitors took the lead again shortly after. Guy took a chance on a long shot from centre, and the puck went into the nets off Wade, giving the visitors the lead. Time four minutes.

Peterborough, 1; Cobourg, 2.

Niles was penalized for tripping Shortt, and was not back on the ice long before Wade ambled down in his territory long enough to have a mixup with the Cobourg point and was relegated to the side lines. It took ten minutes of hard playing for Peterborough to tie the score, Ray doing the trick on a pass from Pentland.

Peterborough, 2; Cobourg, 2.

Half time was called a few minutes later.

Peterborough took the lead early in the second half and were never headed afterwards. Ray broke away and with the assistance of a pass from Pentland carried the rubber in for a pretty score in one minute.

Peterborough, 3; Cobourg, 2.

Cobourg rallied and for a long period the play was hard and exciting, with the locals having the best of it, but seemingly unable to score. Finally, after eleven minutes' play, Shortt slipped up the boards and beat Reynolds with a pretty shot from the wing.

Peterborough, 4; Cobourg, 2.

Doheney was hurt and the play was delayed for a moment. When it was resumed the pace was even faster, and the excitement was intense, getting even greater when Gliddon scored on a long shot from near centre, putting Cobourg again within reaching distance of the lead. Time seven minutes.

Peterborough, 4; Cobourg, 3.

Peterborough, however, began to draw away from the visitors. Ray broke loose with a nice rush and scored in three minutes on a pass from Pentland, going the length of the rink for the tally.

Peterborough, 5; Cobourg, 3.

Another was added in two minutes. Wade got away from the shadow of his own goal and carried the rubber through the whole Cobough team. His shot was wide but Giroux was there to shove the puck past Reynolds.

Peterborough, 6; Cobourg, 3.

A minute after Wade duplicated the play rushing the length of the rink, and Giroux followed suit by scoring.

Peterborough, 7; Cobourg, 3.

It only took Cobourg half a minute to get that one back. The forwards got away together and Gliddon tallied on a neat shot from the wing.

Peterborough, 7; Cobourg, 4.

Peterborough rushed and Ray hoved one past Reynolds from the crimmage that followed, in one minute.

Peterborough, 8; Cobourg, 4.

It just took Ray thirty seconds to gallop through the opposing team for one of the neatest goals of the night.

Peterborough, 9; Cobourg, 4.

Thirty seconds later Shortt passed to Giroux in centre and the latter made the score.

Peterborough, 10; Cobourg, 4.

Fox and Gliddon were benched for scrapping, and while they were off Doheney increased Cobourg's score by a neat rush in three minutes.

Peterborough, 10; Cobourg, 5.

Wade was banished for tripping, and while he was off Guy scored the last goal of the game on a long shot.

Peterborough, 10; Cobourg, 6.

The summary follows:

1—Cobourg; Doheney, 7 min.
2—Peterborough; Ray, 4 min.
3—Cobourg; Guy, 4 min.
4—Peterborough; Ray, 10 min.

Half time—

5—Peterborough; Ray, 1 min.
6—Peterborough; Shortt, 11 min.
7—Cobourg; Gliddon, 7 min.
8—Peterborough; Ray, 3 min.
9—Peterborough; Giroux, 2 min.
10—Peterborough; Giroux, 1 min.
11—Cobourg; Gliddon, 30 secs.
12—Peterborough; Ray, 1 min.
13—Peterborough; Ray, 30 secs.
14—Peterborough; Giroux, 40 secs.
15—Cobourg; Doheney, 3 min.
16—Cobourg, Guy, 2 min.

Penalties first half—Gliddon, Niles, Wade.

Second half—Fox, Gliddon, Wade.

HOCKEY

One of the best games of the local hockey season should be seen to-morrow night when the fast Port Hope juniors will clash with the local kids in a junior O.H.A. fixture that should provide the fastest kind of hockey. The locals proved by their splendid playing against Cobourg last night that they are a clever bunch of young hockey players who are well worth the support of the citizens. They will have a hard task before them tomorrow night in beating Port Hope who oput the Indian sign on the Cobourg aggregation by a score of 9—4 on New Year's night, and who expect to beat the locals here tomorrow night. The weather man has promised good ice in which case the fans will see a contest that they will remember for some time as the locals excel in fast going, especially the forward line who were handicapped to some extent by the sticky ice. The locals are confident of beating the speedy Lakeshore bunch to-morrow night although they realize that the visitors are a good team. There is great interest being taken in the juniors this year and the fans who saw last night's game will be there to a man tomorrow night realizing that they will get hockey from the drop of the hat. The Peterborough team will be the same as defeated Cobourg last night, and it looks good enough for any combination that the visitors can send along.

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Pres.—Bro. F. Buntin.
Vice Pres.—Bro. F. Thomas
Chaplain—Bro. Jas. Theobald.
Fin. Sec.—Bro. S. Oke.
Rec. Sec.—Bro. W. Shiner
Treasurer—Bro. C. Wood
1st Committeeman—Bro. W. Taylor.
2nd. Committee Man — Bro. J. Brown.
3rd Committee Man — Bro. W. H. Coveny.
4th Committee Man—Bro. J. Harrop
5th Committee Man — Bro. F. Smith
6th Committee Man—Bro. T. Record.
Inner Guard—Bro. R. Waram.
Outer Guard—Bro. S. Coveney
Lodge Trustees—Bros. H. Long and D. Curtis
Hall Trustees—Bros. E. Elcome, J. Runnett, T. Gunn.
Pianist—Bro. J. Harrop.
Auditors—Bros. F. Kitney and N. A. Howard-Moore.
Medical Officer—Dr. T. W. H. Young.

Bro. E. W. Elcome was presented with a past president's jewel, a handsome emblematic token for good service to the S. O. E. It was inscribed as follows: "Presented to Brother E. W. Elcome, P. P., by Lansdowne Lodge, No. 25, for service rendered 1908." The installing officer made the presentation.

The Lodge Trustees were also remembered. Bro. H. Long was presented with a gold ring and Bro. D. Curtis with a gold pin, both emblematic of the S. O. E. Brother S. A. Oke made the presentations.

Bro. Stephen Coveney received a jewel of merit also presented by Bro. Oke. Mr. Coveney has held the position for 21 years and his good service was encouraged in the address accompanying the presentation.

The whole evening was a very pleasant surprise for everybody. It was decided to hold an anniversary banquet on Thursday, Jan. 21st. This will be to commemorate the 25th anniversary of Lansdowne Lodge's inception.

Card from Ald. Phelan

To the Ratepayers

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—

I wish to thank you all most heartily for the support you so kindly gave my candidature, ensuring my return as one of the City Council for 1909.

Very respectfully,
HARRY PHELAN

Ald. Bradburn's Thanks

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—

I have pleasure in tendering you my thanks for again endorsing my past record in the Council by re-electing me to serve another term as one of your Board of Aldermen. I shall, as in the past, endeavour to merit your confidence. Such unsolicited support is certainly very gratifying, as I am more at liberty to use my own judgment in all matters coming before the Council.

Respectfully,
W. H. BRADBURN

Mr. Duncan's Card

To the Electors:—

I take this opportunity of thanking my friends and supporters for their well directed efforts on my behalf during the municipal elections yesterday. This renewal of your confidence in again placing me in a position to serve you on the Board of Aldermen, is very gratifying, especially as the vote was so general from all parts of the city.

Respectfully yours,
GEO. H. DUNCAN

The People's Candidate

To the People

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—

I take this opportunity of acknowledging with thanks the honour which you have again conferred upon me in re-electing me one of your Board of Aldermen for 1909. Let me assure you that I will endeavour to discharge the duties devolving upon me in such a faithful manner as will justify your confidence.

Respectfully yours,
WM. BULLER

Card of Thanks

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough:—

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—

I desire to take the first opportunity of tendering my hearty thanks for the liberal support you gave me yesterday at the polls. I will endeavour to make this my fifth year in the council, the best, and sincerely hope that my course will meet with your approval, and that I will be worthy of your support.

Yours faithfully,
A. A. McINTYRE

Card of Thanks

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough:—

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—

I desire to take the first opportunity of tendering my hearty thanks for the large vote given me in yesterday's election. I appreciate very highly the confidence you have shown in me on the first occasion on which I have sought your suffrages and I shall do my utmost to prove myself worthy of your support.

Yours faithfully,
JOS. J. DUFFUS

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough:—

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—

Accept my most sincere thanks for the voluntary support accorded me in the municipal election yesterday.

Coming without any solicitation or exertion on my part, places me under an obligation to you that I will endeavor to repay by carefully considering your interests.

Yours truly,
R. HICKS

Ald. Gillespie's Card

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough:—

I beg to thank you for the splendid support I received yesterday at the polls, which has resulted in re-electing me a member of your board of Aldermen for 1909.

I especially thank those of my friends who personally worked in my behalf, and whose exertions aided so much in giving me so large a general vote.

Believe me, I fully appreciate the importance of your votes, and of the trust you have again reposed in me. I accept the verdict of the people as a vindication of my course in the Council, which is very gratifying to me.

Your obedient servant,
GEORGE A. GILLESPIE

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough:—

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—

I wish to thank the Electors of the City for selecting me as one of their representatives for this year in the Council, and as stated in my card, I will endeavour to honestly serve the City to the best of my power, irrespective of any other motive than the good of the City.

Again thanking you for my election,

I remain, yours truly,
JOS. R. METHERAL

To the Electors of the City of Peterborough:—

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN—

I wish to thank all those who supported my election yesterday. I can assure you that I will use my best endeavours to merit the confidence you have shown by again returning me as Alderman for another term.

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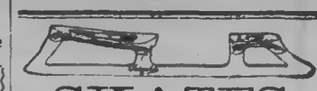

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Lodge Notice

—A meeting of Peterborough Tent No. 69, K. O. T. M. will be held in the Knights of Pythias' hall, on Wednesday evening, Jan. 6th, at 8 o'clock. Installation of officers. A full attendance of members is requested.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

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Mr. Roland Reynolds of Wilkie, Sask., is visiting friends in the city.

Miss Elinor Collins is visiting her mother, Mrs. A. J. Collins, in Mount Forest.

Mrs. Jas. F. Crowley, Water street, has returned to the city, after a week's visit with Lindsay friends.

Mrs. (Dr.) McNaughton, of Mimico, spent New Years with the doctor's sister, Mrs. Learmonth Stewart street.

Mr. Jas. D. Cunningham, who has been spending the last few weeks the guest of Mr. J. H. Ferguson, returned this morning to his home in Ottawa.

Miss May Bill, of the nursing staff of the Good Shepherd Hospital, New York, has returned to her duties after spending a two weeks' vacation at her home onn Simcoe St.

Major F. A. Davis, Mrs. T. G. Davis and Mrs. C. Aggett attended the funeral of Mrs. Davis's sister, Mrs. J. A. Galbraith, of Bowmanville, which took place on Saturday last in that town.

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All accounts due to the late firm of Laidlaw & Oles must be paid on or before January 15th, 1909, otherwise they will be placed in a solicitor's hands for collection.

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Atch	100	99⅞
B.R.T.	69⅝	69½
C.P.R.	176½	174½
Erie	33½	33½
Great Northern	146⅝	145⅝
L.N.	125⅝	124½
Mo. Pac.	70	69
Northern Pacific	141	140½
N.Y.C.	130½	128
Penna	134½	133½
R.I.	28⅝	28½
Rdg.	141⅝	139⅝
Smelters	81⅛	83
Soo	136½	135½
St. Paul	150	147⅝
S.P.	119⅝	118½
U.P.	181½	179
U.S.	52½	51⅝
U.S. pfd.	112⅝	112⅝
Twin City	97⅛	97⅛
Nipissing	9⅝	9⅝
May Wheat	108½	107½
" Corn	61⅛	61½
May Oats	51⅛	51⅛
" Pork	16.65	16.75

COMMISSIONER TO BE WELCOMED

Ottawa People Confer Honour Upon Mr. Wm. Hutchinson To-day.

Examiner Special.

Ottawa, Jan. 5—Mr. William Hutchinson, ex-C. P. Canadian Exhibition Commissioner, who has been away for four years will reach Ottawa to-day and the general feeling is that this Ottawan, who has looked after the interests of Canada so ably in connection with international exhibitions held at Buffalo and St Louis, and in Japan, Italy, Ireland, and elsewhere should be welcomed back to the capital. Mayor elect Hopewell suggested this morning that he would like to have as many of the citizens as possible turn out and welcome Mr Hutchinson when he reaches the Union Station at 11.45. He is so well known here, and has always gone out of his way to such an extent to advance the interests of Ottawa and Canada generally that it is felt his homecoming should be recognized in some way. Members of the council will drive to the station and then escort Mr. Hutchinson to his home.

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China Hall for Value in Dinner and Tea Sets

PEARSON IS SAID TO HAVE POSED AS BIBLE AGENT IN THE DAY TIME WHILE HE WAS A BURGLAR AT NIGHT

Much Jewellery Found in His Room in Altoona, and He is Suspected of Having Written Black Hand Letters.

WIFE IS ALMOST PENNILESS

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 5—Left almost penniless, Mrs. Silas H. Pearson, is now being cared for by County Detective George W. Murren, who caused her husband's arrest on the charge of shooting Jacob Knoedler of Wilkock. Knoedler was shot while his store was being robbed November 21. Mrs Pearson, after the arrest of her husband upon their arrival in the city from Peterborough, Canada, where they had spent the holiday with Pearson's mother, was taken to Detective Murren's home, where Mrs. Murren has volunteered to keep her until her husband's friends in Canada can come to her aid.

An affecting scene occurred at the jail this morning when Pearson was taken out of the prison by Detective Murren, who took him to Wilkock, where Knoedler will this afternoon attempt to identify him as the man who shot him. Mrs Pearson had waited for several hours to see her husband and wept when she bade him farewell. Pearson seemed relieved when told by Detective Murren that his wife would be well cared for until her friends came to her assistance.

Detective Robert J. McIntosh was taken to Altoona to get the goods which Pearson is said to have confessed he stole in company with William H. Coates, December 8, 1906. Coates, who has since reformed, served a sentence in the Huntingdon Reformatory for that burglary but Pearson was never arrested. In the latter's rooms in Altoona, the detectives found several hundred dollars' worth of clothing and underwear, watches, bolts, knives, spoons, etc. He is alleged to have stolen at night in Altoona and posed as a Bible agent in the day time. He shipped most of his alleged plunder to Canada. Altho the black hand letter received by Frank Knoedler, a brother of the injured man which read "you will be next. We know when you go out at night" and which was decorated freely with cross bones, daggers, and black hands, is said to be in exactly the same printed handwriting as found on an agents' order book belonging to Pearson, he denies having written it, and Chief George H. Waggoner said this morning that he will not prosecute on this charge.

The detectives found dynamite nitroglycerine and several burglars tools in a trunk of Pearson's together with a box filled with gold wedding rings. It is thought the jewellery was stolen recently in Mckeesport. These were located in a Pittsburg rooming house.

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3 lbs. New Currants	24c
3 lbs. New Raisins for	20c
New Orange and Lemon Peel, lb.	15c
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3 bottles Pickles for	25c
New Dates, per lb.	10c
New Figs, per lb.	10c
Mince Meat, 3 lbs. for	25c

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2 lbs. Cream Candies	25c
1 lb. Chocolates	15c
New Grenoble Walnuts, 2 lbs. for	55c
New Taragona Almonds, 2 lbs. for	35c
Malaga Grapes	20c
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PROBS— North westerly winds with a change to decidedly colder weather and light snow falls. Tuesday—Northwest winds, fair and very cold, with snow flurries.

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Warm clothing makes these sports doubly attractive and healthful. The best are to be had at Fair's.

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A heavy double knitted toque, made of pure wool in white, navy blue and cardinal.

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TWO ENTRANCES—GEORGE and HUNTER STREETS

HOME FROM THE WEST AFTER TEN YEARS IN SASKATCHEWAN

Mr. and Mrs. E. McIlmoyle and child o' Glen Ewen, Sask. formerly o' Smith, are home on a visit to Mr McIlmoyles parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McIlmoyle, Selwyn. Mr. McIlmoyle has been in the West for ten years, and has been engaged in a general business. He speaks in the highest terms of the future possibilities of the Saskatchewan country. He says many people from Peterborough have gone into that country and are doing well, who were not so prosperous in older Ontario. Some people from Peterborough County have materially bettered their positions by the change of climate and conditions. The immigration is rapidly going into the new country, and as the country is filling up land is rapidly rising in value.

The crops in southern Saskatchewan last season were excellent and prices were good. The accounts that were carried over for the season of 1907 are being more than paid with the crops of 1908, and the farmers have good balances to their credit.

The crops in southern Saskatchewan last season were excellent and the farmers' interests are being well looked after. They fully appreciate that it is the farmer who is making that country. Railways are being built everywhere, and the government system of telephone is meeting with great popularity.

Mr. McIlmoyle expects to spend the hard months of winter in Ontario and will return to the West in the early spring. Mr. McIlmoyles friends are pleased to see him and glad to realize that his expectations of the West are being fully realized.

Arrested For Horse Stealing While Asleep In Local Hotel

Quietly and peacefully dozing in an arm chair in a sitting room of one of the local hotels last night, William Fanning, of Dartford, was rudely disturbed from his pleasant dreams by the hand of the law falling on his shoulders. P. C. Newhall and P. C. Meagher effected his arrest shortly after nine o'clock.

It was learned that Fanning decamped from a farm house near Campbellford on Monday night with the farmer's horse and buggy. He arrived in Peterborough yesterday sometime, and it is understood endeavoured to sell the outfit in the city. In this he was not successful as the horse was found in the hotel stables. Fanning appeared to be quite young, and is a stranger in Peterborough. When he was arrested a reporter, who happened to be near, heard him protest rather vigorously demanding, "What they were taking him for." Shortly afterwards the facts were presented to him and he acknowledged that they were correct.

For New Year's
Fine Watches

If you are thinking of giving a watch New Year's then our large stock will be of interest to you. Remember, in buying a Watch quality is what counts every time. Some Watches are dear at any price. We pay most particular attention in selecting our movements.

FOR LADIES—In Gold Filled Cases, hand engraved designs, not common patterns, but all entirely new, with fine movements guaranteed by us, from $10.00 up. For Solid Gold 14 Kt. Cases, the prices start from $24 up.

FOR MEN—In Gold Filled Cases they are priced from $10 up. In Solid Gold 14 Kt. Cases, from $25.

FOR BOYS—We have a good, strong Knock-about, in a Nickel Silver Case for $1, and a finer finished one for $2.25.

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TO-DAY'S NEW PICTURES:
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A Holiday Fund

These are Brand New Parisian Films, 1,000 feet long, direct from New York Custom House.

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MINISTER OF MILITIA'S WHEREABOUTS

Sir Frederick Borden's Friends are Anxious—Was on His Way to Southern Italy.

Examiner Special.

Ottawa, Jan. 6.—In view of Paris letters, which stated that Sir Frederick Borden was on his way to Rome and might possibly visit the southern part of Italy, there is some little anxiety here, as he has not yet been heard from. While there is no grounds for any serious alarm, his friends will be relieved when they get some definite information as to his whereabouts.

THEY STAND TO SUPPORT GOMPERS

Ottawa Union Men Will Meet on Friday Night to Discuss the Matter.

Examiner Special

Ottawa, Jan. 6.—The International Unionmen of Ottawa will meet on Friday night and expect to pass a resolution strongly supporting Samuel Gompers and condemning the officials who sentenced the noted labour leader. They will send a copy of the resolution to the President.

ASK FOR REPEAL OF THREE-FIFTHS CLAUSE

Moral Reform Council Wait Upon the Provincial Secretary To-day.

Examiner Special

Toronto, Jan. 6.—Rev. Dr. Shearer and Rev. Dr. Chown, for Moral Reform Council, has asked Hon. W. J. Hanna for the following amendments to the license act. A body of provincial police under one head to enforce license as well as criminal laws.

Brewers and distillers to be prohibited from selling to private parties. Hotels to pay license for sale of tobacco like other dealers. Repeal of the three-fifths clause. Bars closed on Christmas, Good Friday and Thanksgiving.

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HE WAS STRUCK ON KNEE BY FLYING LOG

Accident to Mr. A. B. Northey on Saturday—Knee Painfully Injured.

A serious accident occurred on the farm of Mr. A. B. Northey on Saturday last in which Mr. Northey was painfully injured while engaged with his son, Albert, in taking out rafters with a horse and chain. They were taking a rafter around a corner when it became caught between some small stumps and the brush with the result that the chain became twisted in the grab hook slipping through so that the rafter flew back with tremendous force, striking Mr. Northey on the knee and bruising the member severely. He drove to Lakefield where Dr. Baker attended to his injuries. He will be confined to his bed for some time as a result of the accident.

First appearance in Peterborough of "Imperial Scots" Concert Company, in Conservatory Music Hall, Monday evening, January, 11th. The company is direct from Scotland and appearing only in the larger cities.

The following are reasons why you should hear this company:—

J. M. Hamilton is the world's greatest Scottish tenor.

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LOCAL POULTRY SHOW COMPARES FAVOURABLY WITH GUELPH ONE, SAYS JUDGE BENNETT OF TORONTO

Many People See the Exhibit in the Market Hall—600 Birds are on View and a Great Showing is Made.

A BIG CROWD IS EXPECTED

That the Peterborough Poultry Association has scored a remarkable success in its first show now being held in the Market Hall is the verdict of every one of the many people who have visited the building since the show opened yesterday morning. Nearly every one of the 325 coops provided by the management is filled and over 600 fine birds are on exhibition, making the collection one that is well worth seeing. There is a splendid showing in many lines, especially in the Black Minorca class in which there is a grand exhibit.

The judge, Mr. J. E. Bennett, of Toronto, started in this morning on the work of judging and expects to have the awards completed sometime this afternoon. He is delighted with the show and stated after looking over the hall that the event compared most favourably with the poultry show in Guelph. The number of birds was not as great, but the quality was as good and he stated that he had never seen better arrangements made for the accommodation and showing of the birds, and for the show generally. Mr. Bennett is undoubtedly the most widely known and clever judge in Ontario. Such high praise coming from such an authority is indeed most gratifying to the directors who have worked so faithfully to make the event a success.

A large crowd inspected the show last night and were delighted with what they had seen and this morning there was a good attendance. This afternoon and to-night big crowds are looked for.

Following are the principal exhibitors.

F. Branch	2 birds
R. Robinson	12 birds
J. J. Cunningham	12 birds
G. J. Gauthier	4 birds
R. J. Kidd	6 birds
H. Campbell	8 birds
R. A. Dutton	2 birds
John Bickell	14 birds
J. R. Hope	30 birds
F. Bottrell & Son	19 birds
W. D. Card	33 birds
Andrew Miller	4 birds
Harry Smail	9 birds
McIntosh & Halliday	37 birds
Vickery Bros.	24 birds
Chas. Brereton	5 birds
Eddson Wigg	3 birds
A. Head	3 birds
Geo. Hutchinson	4 birds
E. Srigley	6 birds
John Matheson	8 birds
J. W. F. Hall	4 birds
Harry Lush & Dunnett	65 birds
Leslie Stephens	10 birds
John Hefferman	4 birds
Gerald O'Brien	2 birds
George Bullied	9 birds
J. D. Pentland	3 birds
D. Cameron	7 birds
Stewart & Grady	9 birds
Frank Head	4 birds
Howard Outram	11 birds
A. Ash	2 birds
J. Baptie	38 birds
C. D. Tucker	5 birds
J. F. Kelly	9 birds
Isaac Emmerson	3 birds
Orval King	4 birds
H. C. Garbutt	2 birds
Stephen Sellers	94 birds
C. H. Wilson	36 birds
E. Syer	12 birds
Sam. Bickell	4 birds
Geo. Paxton	6 birds
Geo. Paxman	6 birds
Wallace Kennedy	3 birds
Sam Long	3 birds
R. Westcott	6 birds
Howard Varcoe	14 birds
Cesare Laplante	2 birds
Total	624 birds

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Husband Left His Wife In Police Station Over Night; He Returned To The Hotel

Woman is 76 Years of Age—Her Husband Works Every Day But Says He Cannot Pay for Her Maintenance in the Home—Has One Son and Two Daughters.

SPENT THE NIGHT IN CELL

Last night about ten o'clock an elderly man and his wife entered the police station. About twenty minutes later the husband was seen coming out alone. This morning it was learned that the little old woman spent the long hours of the night in a cell on the bare, hard board which was provided for vags, lawbreakers and criminals.

Connected with this affair, which would almost escape casual notice, is a story that touches the human side of every nature. The denouement came this morning, when the husband appeared in court against his wife on some nominal charge, and Magistrate Dumble found himself called upon to decide what was to be done with the woman. He was very loth to sending her to jail, but this course seemed to be the only one open to him. He asked the husband what his wages were, and learned that the man was receiving $8.00 a week. Mr. Dumble suggested that he could pay for his wife's maintenance in the Protestant Home, but the husband demurred. He had to pay four dollars a week at a hotel for his own board, and by the time he clothed himself and met insurance and other expenses, the eight dollars were gone. His Worship informed him that he could make sufficient provision if he really wanted to, and he would very likely be compelled to do so. At any rate the woman was remanded for a week and will spend that time in the COUNTY JAIL.

The woman was sitting in a chair in the police station this morning. She was small and her seventy-six years manifested themselves by countless lines on her face and by the white hairs that partially hid themselves beneath her bonnet.

Her hands gave evidence of long years of toil and labour in housework.

Refused to Kiss him

The husband had been plainly told what his actions bespoke him to do. Chief Rozzel had added a few words to what the magistrate had said. There were *only two others* in the room. The husband had started to walk to the door, to return to his work, (his wife going to jail), when he stopped, came back to where she was sitting and bent down to kiss her. She thought he was going to whisper something to her, but when she suddenly divined his intention she turned abruptly away, and put up her hand to make sure that she would prevent him. She was heard to say something under her voice, which only showed contempt for the man.

Such is the story. The magistrate again pointed out the necessity for some place for homeless women and had there been an institution of that kind the woman would not have been forced to spend last night's long weary hours in the dark, uninviting cell at the police station.

The husband, in his own behalf, stated that his wife gave him much trouble in one way and another. Besides the husband there is a son and two daughters, all of whom are married. What the magistrate said about the neglect of their mother was not exactly a compliment.

Mr. Dan Whetung's Horse Broke Through The Ice At Chemong

Mr. Dan Whetung the veteran driver of the Chemong stage, came within an ace of losing his team of horses this morning while crossing the lake. He had left the usual route across and was travelling at a fair rate. It was this fact that Dan says prevented a serious loss. One of the horses broke through the ice but was kept from getting into the water by the other animal dragging it along. The ice was only about four inches thick at that place.

Fire In Ennismore Damages Property To The Extent Of $500

Mr Michael Crough's farm in Ennismore, was the scene of a disastrous fire between three and four o'clock yesterday morning, when the combined stable and driving shed were destroyed by a blaze, the origin of which is a mystery. There was no fire around the building, which was situated one hundred yards away from the other barn. A party had been held at the residence of Mr. John Young, Mr. Crough's neighbour, and some of the guests noticing the blaze drove over and awoke Mr. Crough, but it was too late to do anything to save the building and its contents. A team of horses were in the structure and they, with twenty-five hundredweight of hay and some farm implements, were destroyed. Mr. Crough estimates his loss at $500, and there is no insurance. He is at a loss to account for the blaze.

"Oh! Joe! Why did you do it?" Scene from "Paid in Full," which appears here at the Grand next Monday, January 11th, coming here direct from Princess Theatre, Toronto, where it is playing all this week.

MRS. PEARSON HAS LEFT FOR HER HOME

Examiner Special

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 6.—Mrs. Silas A. Pearson has left for her home in Peterborough, enough money having been subscribed by the county detectives who placed her husband in custody, to send her back to Canada. The chief detective is reported to have said that Pearson is of unsound mind and the Peterborough man's defence is that the evil was in him. He has begged the authorities to give him a swift trial as he cannot bear the suspense.

ACCOUNTS OVERDUE

All accounts due to the late firm of Laidlaw & Oles must be paid on or before January 15th, 1909, otherwise they will be placed in a solicitor's hands for collection.

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FOR CHARITYS SAKE.

With the lessons of love taught by the softened aura that marks the Christmastide saturating mind and heart, it is natural that the spirit of charity should be in livelier evidence than perhaps at any other season of the year. This makes the date chosen for the birthday celebration of St. Peter's Total Abstinence Society an appropriate one. The proceeds of the concert to be given under the auspices of St. Peter's T. A. S. on Friday evening next, to mark its ninth anniversary, are to be devoted to charitable purposes, a circumstance which indicates a hearty public co-operation. A concert of this kind is no new exercise of the functions of the society, though it may take a new form. It is essentially charitable in its character, for greater love cannot be shown in secular or semi-secular activities than the work of saving men and homes from the evil effects of intemperance. In this respect, having regard to the higher meaning of charity, St. Peter's T. A. S. is a charitable organization, and no form of charity is foreign to its objects and achievements. In the promotion of live temperance reform the society has done a noble work, which has been noted with approval and admiration and emulation by those interested in moral improvement outside the Christian pale that surrounds the St. Peter's Total Abstinence Society.

HUDSON BAY ROUTE.

The west is deeply interested in the transportation problem. It realizes that every increased facility for getting its crop to the market increases the value of the products of the soil. The Hudson Bay route is regarded as important in this regard. The Edmonton Bulletin comes to the defence of this route, which its enemies say loses prestige from the fact of a wreck having recently occurred in its waters. The Bulletin says that the loss of the Hudson Bay Company's vessel Stork in James Bay will doubtless be seized upon by the opponents of the Hudson Bay route to illustrate the perils of navigation in the northern waters and to discredit the project for the opening of the Hudson Bay route to Britain. Such was the use made of a former wreck a few years ago, and there is every reason to suppose the present misfortune will be twisted into the same service. There is nothing in the circumstances to warrant such moralizing. The accident occurred not in the Hudson Straits nor the Hudson Bay, nor on or near any part of the route travelled by ships en route from Churchill to the Atlantic. It occurred in James Bay quite as far from Churchill as from Montreal. From the fact of the accident it would be in every respect as proper to argue the impracticability of the St. Lawrence route as the danger of the Hudson Bay route. If crack modern, steel-built liners, manned by the most skilful living navigators and bristling with search-lights, occasionally land on a mud bank in the St. Lawrence, where we have spent fortunes dredging and placing buoys and lights, what significance is to be attached to the fact that a trading tub gets stranded once in many years on a sand-bar in James Bay. Considering that the whole extent of the shore line of the northern waters has as yet not a lighthouse nor a buoy, the wonder is that any vessel obliged to skirt those shores and thread its way into the narrow and unmarked channels, ever escapes. The loss of the Stork offers no more evidence on the practicability or safety of the Hudson Bay route than on the possibility of sailing the St. Lawrence or the Great Lakes.

It is assumed that the Ontario Legislature will meet in the first week in February.

CANADA POSTOFFICE SERVICE.

It is highly creditable to the administration of the Postoffice Department that while the needs of a period of rapid expansion have been met, the result of the past year's operations has been a handsome surplus of over a million dollars. There has been an increase of 446 in the number of postoffices, 546 in the number of postal note offices, 129 in the number of money order offices, and 41 in the number of savings bank offices. The most remarkable increase was in the mileage of mail carriage, that by railways increasing 656 miles, while the total increase in mail routes by railway, water, and ordinary land carriage was 1,129,779 miles. The year's increase in the total number of letters and postal cards mailed is estimated at close on thirty-five millions. This expansion has been accompanied by many important improvements in the service. Free delivery has been put in operation in Peterborough, Guelph, Berlin, Stratford, Windsor, and St. Catharines in the Province, also in Sherbrooke, St. Hyacinthe, Three Rivers, Charlottetown, Brandon, Calgary, and Edmonton. The daily newspaper rate between Canada and the United States was reduced to one cent a pound. Among the improvements effected was the introduction of the international reply coupon system, whereby the sender of a letter to any other country which has adopted the system can make provision for prepaying postage on a reply.

The expansions and improvements of the year have necessitated an increase of $578,442 in the total expenditure, but the revenues have so fully responded that the year's surplus is $1,101,826. This favourable result justifies a still more progressive policy, and that has already taken form in the system of rural mail delivery experimentally introduced since the close of the past fiscal year.—Toronto Globe.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The rumour is denied that Mr. Cawthra Mulock, of Toronto, is to be made a Senator. Toronto is already well represented in the Senate, and it is probable that the new Senator from Ontario will be selected from the northern or northwestern part of the province.

The Globe points out that many electors, when they get behind the screen at a polling booth, do not know how many aldermen they are to vote for, and suggests that the ballot should contain such information plainly printed. Another hint might be given the municipal election authorities. When we have three by-laws to vote upon, as was the case on Monday, the object of the by-law might be printed in bold type to easily catch the eye instead of being concealed in fine print expressed in confusing legal language.

HAWKING MACHINES.

Catarrh Sufferers Are Nothing But Hawking, Spitting and Blowing Machines, Says an Authority.

It is possible that in these days when cleanliness and sanitary reform are being preached in the churches, schools and at public gatherings, that thousands of people will continue to suffer from catarrh when there is an absolutely certain remedy always on hand.

Hyomei (pronounced High-o-me) is a pleasant, medicated, and antiseptic air. Breathe it in and it will cure catarrh. It will stop foul breath, watery eyes and crusts in the nose in a few days.

Mrs. H. W. Wilson, of Johnson, street, Wallaceburg, Ont., says: "Yes, we are great friends of Hyomei for the reason that Mr. Wilson has had catarrh for several years and tried several remedies and doctors, but nothing has relieved the trouble like Hyomei. His trouble is from pains across the eyes and a burning or huskiness in the throat. Sometimes much difficulty in breathing, the glands in his eyes and nose swollen and the disease made him literally sick all over. He cannot say enough in praise of Hyomei, and there is nothing that can give better relief to catarrh than this remedy, which we heartily recommend."

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ANNUAL MEETING OF THE LADIES' AID

There was a good attendance yesterday at the annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of Charlotte St. Methodist Church. Satisfactory reports of the year's work were received. One item calling for special mention being the Thanksgiving offering which amounted to $125.00.

A vote of appreciation was tendered to the officers of 1908 for their excellent work. The election of officers for 1909 resulted as follows: President, Mrs. J. H. Wolstenholm; vice-president, Mrs. Geo. Reid; secretary, Mrs H. B. Collier; treasurer, Mrs. Charles Lyle.

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EXPRESS THANKS TO HON. J. R. STRATTON

Board of Education Acknowledge Large Map of Canada Received.

At the meeting of the Board of Education last night Mr. Dumble announced that a very large and new map of the Dominion of Canada had been secured for the Collegiate Institute through the instrumentality of Hon. J. R. Stratton. Mr. Dumble stated that it would be a fine addition to the building and would be of great service to the students. It will be placed in the main hall on one of the floors. The secretary was authorized to write Mr. Stratton conveying to him the appreciation of the Board for his thoughtfulness and acknowledging his efforts.

DISPENSE CHARITY WITH THE PROCEEDS

Annual Concert of St. Peter's T. A. S. on Friday Night.

St. Peter's T. A. S. will celebrate the ninth anniversary of the foundation of the society by an entertainment, which will be given on Friday night in St. Peter's School Hall. The committee in charge of the affair have secured excellent talent and promise a concert of unusual merit. One of the features will be an illustrated address by Rev. Dr. O'Brien on "Historic Rome." The slides include the most important places of historic interest in and around the city whose past was linked with some of the greatest deeds on the pages of history. Rev. Dr. O'Brien is well acquainted with the city and should give a splendid lecture. The proceeds are for charity.

SIMPSON TO RUN IN NEW YORK SATURDAY

Local Redskin to Make His Debut in Professional Company.

Fred Simpson will make his debut in professional running on Saturday when he will be one of the relay team to meet Alf Shrubb in the big race in Madison Square Gardens, New York. Mr. J. B. Hay received a telegram from Tom Pick, who has taken the local Indian in charge, asking him to send Simpson to New York at once, as he is wanted for the relay race on Saturday. Mr. Hay at once telephoned to Simpson at Hiawatha, and the Indian will leave for New York to-night or to-morrowm orning. He is in good shape and should make good in the first race in the money class.

PARK ST. CHURCH LITERARY EVENING

The literary evening at the Park St. Baptist Church was one of the most enjoyable of its kind given this season. The main feature of the evening was an address on "A Trip to the Holy Land," given by Mr. T. F. Matthews. Mr. Matthews gave a very graphic description of that interesting country, and all felt indebted to him for his kindness. Miss Ethel Hill, and a male quartette, consisting of Messrs Green, Miller, Davison, Tranter, also assisted in adding pleasure to the occasion. There was a large crowd present. The next address will be given by Mr. Ed. Elcome on "Happy Homes and How to Make Them," on the evening of February 1st, 1909.

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These lots are most desirable for building purposes, and any person contemplating the purchase of a lot for this purpose will do well to look over this property before purchasing elsewhere.

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Card of Thanks

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Dear Sirs,—I beg to acknowledge receipt to-day of cheque from The London Mutual Fire Insurance Company in full settlement of my claim for loss by fire, which occurred just three weeks ago.

I wish to thank you and your Company for the liberal and satisfactory manner in which my loss has been adjusted and paid, and would heartily recommend the London Mutual to the insuring public

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Notice of Annual Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the CENTRAL CANADA LOAN AND SAVINGS COMPANY for the reception of Annual Report, Election of Directors and other purposes, will be held at the Company's Office, 26 King Street East, Toronto, on Monday the 11th day of January, 1909 at the hour of 2.30 o'clock

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PRISONERS HAVE BEEN RELEASED

Castro's Political Prisoners Are Freed From Cells.

TWO CHAINED IN DUNGEON

Twenty-Seven Are All Who Remain of Despot's Enemies of Whom Droves Were Sent to Jail—Pathetic Scenes When Gaunt, Haggard Men Met Their Families Again — They Were Starved by the Jailers.

New York, Jan. 6.—Fuller details of the release of more than a score of Castro's political prisoners and the tales of treatment received in dungeons of Fort San Carlos, on an island off Maracaibo, were brought here yesterday by passengers who arrived on the steamer Secular.

The prisoners, 27 in number, were men of the best families in Venezuela. They were all that remained of the droves of prisoners that had been sent to the fort for political reasons by Castro during his term of power. Their deliverance came because of Castro's overthrow.

The prisoners, when they came aboard the steamer at Maracaibo, were well-dressed and shaved, but they were cadaverous and weak. Many could not walk. They said they had been systematically starved, the allowance for their keep presumably going into the pockets of their keepers or others in the Government employ. They subsisted on fish caught off the shore and cooked by themselves, as well as they could, and they had no tidings of their own families until released. The steamer's passengers were full of pity for the poor fellows, many of whom could not walk even a few steps without pain. Two, who were inseparable on the steamer, told of having been chained to the same post for months so closely together that the fetters ate into their flesh and pained them terribly when they attempted to move.

There were tearful scenes when the forlorn-looking prisoners were met by their families and friends. Gen. Bello, who had charge of Fort San Carlos and of the prisoners, was also a passenger on the steamer from Maracaibo to La Guaira. He is described as a bony, grizzled man of 50, and, according to the passengers, has a somewhat brutal appearance. He, perforce, had to go with his own prisoners. Several military-looking men accompanied him, ostensibly as a guard against violence from his former captives, but it was suspected that they were to see that he went nowhere but to Caracas. Bello enjoyed himself about the decks of the steamer and professed confidence that his actions as governor of San Carlos would not only be endorsed but commended at Caracas.

ICE FAMINE FEARED.

Montreal Promoters May Have None For Their Palace.

Montreal, Jan. 6.—The railway companies, having adhered to their determination not to aid the carnival, the promoters have signed the following:

"Although the railway companies represented in the Eastern Canadian Passenger Association have decided not to subscribe to the fund of the winter carnival, it will take more than this circumstance to prevent the plans of the carnival committee from being carried out.

"The people want a carnival, and they want an ice palace above everything else, and if there is any ice they will see one on Feb. 20. We have been completing our plans for the ice palace, and we shall instruct the contractor to go ahead and build the structure as soon as there is ice.

"The thing that is bothering us most now, is the lack of material with which to build our palace, and the possibility of an ice famine.

"Wouldn't it be curious if, after all, the cry about our winter there should not be sufficient cold weather to make enough ice to build the crystal fort or palace without manufacturing artificial ice. We have had winters here too warm for a healthy ice palace to stand."

Ontario May Contribute.

Toronto, Jan. 6.—A proposal to vote a contribution for the benefit of the sufferers by the Italian earthquake was before the Ontario Cabinet yesterday. Consideration was postponed until to-morrow for the purpose of receiving further information.

Skin Diseases.

A diseased or disfigured skin will always leave its stamp on the mind of the individual. Many people suffering from disfiguring skin diseases avoid society and lose all pride in their personal appearance. When the skin breaks out in eruptions and sores it is due entirely to an impure condition of the blood.

In all such cases Burdock Blood Bitters will quickly purify the blood and drive all the impurities out of the system.

ITCHING RASH CURED.

Mrs. J. J. Magee, Jr., Kinmount, Ont., writes: "In the spring of 1906 I was troubled with a Rash that broke out all over me. It was the worst on my face and head, had a dry, scaly top, and when I would get warm it would become very itchy. I tried the doctor's medicine but it did me no good, so I then got one bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters and before it was all used the Rash was entirely gone."

SORES ON FACE.

Mrs. Harvey Barkhouse, Gold River, N.S., writes: "I was greatly troubled with Sores on my face and finally became so bad I had to go to the doctor about it, but he could do nothing to help me.

"I thought about Burdock Blood Bitters and decided to try a bottle. I cannot recommend B.B.B. enough, as I had not taken all the bottle before my face was cured."

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LIFE TERM FOR ROSE.

Toronto Criminal Gets Limit For His Various Crimes.

Toronto, Jan. 6.—Alexander Rose, the daring criminal and jail-breaker, was yesterday sentenced to life imprisonment by Judge Winchester.

He received sentence in a dazed manner and sank into the dock as the judge uttered the dread committal. Except for the sound of the judge's voice addressing the prisoner a death-like silence pervaded the court room, and at the conclusion of the severe sentence all eyes were directed towards Rose, who almost immediately went off into a faint.

It was about twenty minutes after four o'clock, on the retirement of a jury in another case, when Rose was led into the dock by Constables Stewart and Brown. There he sat with bowed head to await his sentence.

County Crown Attorney Drayton then addressed his honor, asking that judgment be passed upon the prisoner on the two charges of wounding with intent, on which he had pleaded guilty. The crimes for which he will have to pay the penalty were assaults on May I on Ethel Skitch in Wellwood's store, and on Allan G. Duncan in a store at the corner of John and Adelaide streets. The third charge, that of breaking jail, Mr. Drayton did not press.

Judge's Interrogation.

"Rose, have you anything to say for yourself," said the judge as the prisoner rose to his feet.

Mr. Curry, in appealing for mercy, addressed his honor, in which he drew attention to the fact that the prisoner had been subject to epileptic fits and also uncontrollable fits of cruelty. He believed there was a great deal of irresponsibility in Rose's character and make up, but he knew, to successfully raise the insanity plea he would have to prove beyond the shadow of a doubt that the prisoner did not know what he was doing when he committed the crimes.

HINDUS WRECK MOSQUE.

Riots In India Necessitate Interference of Troops.

Calcutta, Jan. 6.—The religious riots between Mohammedans and Hindus, have taken a more serious turn again, requiring the intervention of British troops yesterday at Titaghur, who fired on the Hindu mob.

The Hindus had resumed the attacks of two previous days on the mosque at Titaghur because the Mohammedans had sacrificed cows.

The Hindus destroyed the sacred furniture in the mosque and partially demolished the walls. Inflamed Mohammedans gathered to the defence of the mosque and were subsequently surrounded by a military cordon, which formed a barrier between the Mohammedans and the Hindu rioters, who assaulted the military in an endeavor to come to close quarters with the Mohammedans.

The troops fired on the zealots, killing and wounding a number of them.

Isolated combats between Hindus and Mohammedans are taking place throughout the disturbed district.

Mohammedans from more remote quarters are making their way to Titaghur to revenge the Hindu insults to their faith.

Titaghur is a small city about 125 miles to the north of Calcutta.

Two Workmen Hurt.

Guelph, Jan. 6.—Early yesterday morning, while one of the immense furnaces of the Page-Hersey Iron & Tube Co. was being torn down, the big structure of brick and mortar, about 18 feet high, suddenly collapsed. Two of the workmen, an Italian, Turoni, and Valentine Beliskie, were crushed against the wall by the mass of hot bricks and mortar, one being covered to the neck and the other half way up his body.

One had a broken leg and both were terribly cut and bruised by the bricks, which, being hot, had burned the flesh. They will likely recover.

Marine Officials Suspended.

Halifax, Jan. 6.—As a result of the Marine enquiry at Quebec, the agent of the Marine and Fisheries Department at Halifax, has received instructions to suspend C. T. Schmidt, boiler inspector; Chief Engineer Stuart of the steamer Aberdeen, and Assistant Engineer Leech of the same steamer, which is now at Halifax. Wm. Sutherland has been appointed chief engineer pro tem, and John Beaulands of the dockyard staff appointed second engineer.

Invited to Germany.

London, Jan. 6.—The German-Canadian Economical Association, a body of influential Germans formed for the promotion of better trade relations between Germany and Canada, invited Mr. Fielding to visit Berlin as their guest and accept a public banquet. He has been obliged to decline.

Melba to Sing In Naples.

New York, Jan. 6.—Mme. Melba the operatic star, will give a performance at the San Carlo Opera, Naples, on Jan. 31, for the benefit of the 'quake sufferers. She arrives at Naples on the morning of Jan. 31 and sails for Australia at midnight, direct-ly after the performance.

DESTRUCTION JUST AS WAS REPORTED

War Correspondent Describes Terrible Scenes in Italy

WORSE THAN PORT ARTHUR

William Maxwell of London Daily Mail Says All the Artillery in the World in Six Months Could Not Do So Much Damage—Strange Tales Are Told by Survivors —Queen's Sewing Circle.

London, Jan. 6.—Despatches from special correspondents ordered to the devastated districts in Italy confirm the worst reports. William Maxwell, war correspondent of The Daily Mail, in the course of a long telegram, dated at Messina on Friday, which reached London only yesterday, says:

"The Chinese cities of Port Arthur after bombardment by sea and land was not so ruined. A six months' cannonade by all the artillery in the world would not produce the results of ten seconds of nature's wrath."

In a despatch dated at Reggio on Monday Maxwell says: "Here destruction is complete. More than half of the population still lies buried in the ruins. The mephitic odor of the dead is everywhere. San Giovanni, opposite Messina, must have the same epitaph."

It is impossible to enumerate the number of relief committees of all kinds, each with a practical object. Queen Helena, perhaps the most useful worker of all, has had heavy furniture removed from three big rooms in the royal palace, putting in tables, machines and forty or fifty work baskets and chairs, and nothing else. Here ladies of the oldest aristocracy and working women and girls are gathered together in friendly intimacy, cutting out and sewing as though their lives depended on the finishing.

During the sewing in the royal workroom many strange stories are told about the earthquake. The little princesses were particularly interested in following the tale of an old woman, looking to be about a hundred years old, who refused to leave the ruins without her little treasure, and who was so obstinate that she had to be left to her fate. Another strange story was that of a number of sailors who heard a queer noise under the ruins, evidently something human. So they dug on, to find a woman and a child in a little shed which had resisted the shock and fall of the debris. They were found along with a cow which yielded enough milk to keep them both alive. At last all got so weak that they couldn't lift their heads, but all were alive when rescued, having given warmth the one to the other. Several children taken from the ruins in the first days when the hunger was not so pressing cried and kicked until their favorite dolls or toys were found. One youngster was found still clasping a teddy-bear in his arms.

Descriptions received yesterday from Messina and Reggio indicate that, although the situation is in some respects better, fresh complications have arisen. Typhoid fever has broken out at Messina. The lack of pure water and the increasing pollution of the air cause the physicians in charge of the Red Cross work to fear a terrible epidemic.

MILITIA PEW RENT.

Government Will Pay $2.50 Per Man After This.

Ottawa, Jan. 6.—Militia orders contain an announcement of interest to the clergy. It is a notification that when the attendance of troops at services of any denomination is considered by officers commanding at a station to be necessary, clergymen may on recommendation of that officer, be paid at the rate of $2.50 per annum for each officer, non-commissioned officer and man of the permanent force professing himself a member of the denomination to which the clergyman belongs. This rate shall be in full payment of necessary new accommodation, and in consideration of the discharge of all clerical duties. The order applies to both Protestant and Roman Catholic clergy.

Another order provides that in future helmets will not be issued to rural corps, except to such corps as are already in possession of them.

Notice is given that the Glengarry Highlanders, an infantry regiment organized during Lord Dundonald's time, has gone out of existence.

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Sir Frederick Safe.

Ottawa, Jan. 6.—There is no truth in the report that Sir Frederick Borden was in the south of Italy at the time of the earthquake, and that there is anxiety among his friends as to his whereabouts.

On New Year's Day Lady Borden received a cable message conveying greetings, dated from Florence. This was a week after the disaster occurred.

Two Killed In Wreck.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 6.—Official reports to the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad state that in a wreck near Caperton yesterday, the engineer and fireman were killed and two passengers and an express messenger were slightly injured. An open switch caused it.

Is It Coal?

Ottawa, Jan. 6.—The officials of the Department of Mines discredit the story of a discovery of coal at Bosseport, on the north shore of Lake Superior. Geological conditions, they say, are such as to render the finding of coal impossible.

Good Riddance.

London, Jan. 6.—A man named Atwell, whose wife paid his passage back from Canada, remaining there herself, yesterday afternoon deliberately broke a large pane of glass in the Canadian emigration office at Charing Cross.

Textile Workers May Strike.

Montreal, Jan. 6.—The Canadian Federation of Textile Workers yesterday morning sent a letter to the board of directors of the Dominion Textile Co. demanding a 10 per cent. increase in wages. A copy of the letter was sent to the Department of Labor at Ottawa. Some months ago the Dominion Co. made a 10 per cent. cut.

Great Shingle Mills Burn.

Bellingham, Wash., Jan. 6.—The plant of the Puget Sound Mills and Timber Co., said to be the biggest shingle mill in the world, burned on Monday night. The damage was $415,000; insurance $150,000.

W. L. Cleveland, a saw filer, was burned to death. The fire started from a hot box.

Lash Governor of University.

Toronto, Jan. 6. Zebulon A. Lash, K.C., has been apointed a member of the board of governors of the University of Toronto, in the place of Samuel H. Blake, K.C., who has resigned.

No reason has been assigned for Mr. Blake's resignation, but it is believed that his ill-health has contributed to the decision.

Chinaman Hanged.

McLeod, Alta., Jan. 6.—Sharp at 8 o'clock yesterday morning, with the thermometer at 35 below, in the presence of a dozen persons, Mah Song, a condemned Chinese murderer, was hanged, showing no emotion. He killed his brother for gambling some of the firm's receipts. Radcliffe officiated.

Hotel Burned.

Campbellton, N.B., Jan. 6.—Fire yesterday destroyed the King Edward Hotel in course of construction, and James Kelly's blacksmith shop and sheds; loss $5,000.

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ELECTED OFFICERS FOR PRESENT YEAR

At Annual Meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the George Street Methodist Church.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the George street Methodist Church held their annual meeting yesterday afternoon, when the reports of the various committees were presented.

Everything shows a year of progress and considerable work has been done. The officers for 1909 were elected as follows—

Pres.—Mrs. A. W. Greenman.
1st Vice Pres.—Mrs. S. R. Armstrong
2nd Vice Pres.—Mrs. Geo Elliott
Sec.—Mrs. B. Shortly.
Treas.—Mrs. F. Mason.

Mrs. Jas. Stubbs was elected head visitor to assist the pastor and oversee the visiting committee.

Another progressive year is looked forward to and much good work should be accomplished.

WATER GAUGE BURST.

C. P. R. Fireman Badly Scalded.

C. P. R. fireman, Geo. H. Duffus, who lives in Robertson street, Fort William, while on his engine near Westford happened a nasty accident. The water gauge of the locomotive burst and scalded the whole left side of his face and head terribly.

"It so happened," said Duffus to our representative, "that I had a box of Zam-Buk in my pocket, which I used for a sore on my lip, and when I had recovered from the first shock of the accident, I produced the balm and had it applied freely to the scalded parts. At the same I applied it I was suffering acute agony, but within a wonderfully short time Zam-Buk gave me ease. I was able to continue my journey, and upon reaching home I obtained more Zam-Buk and continued the treatment. It acted wonderfully well, and in a few days had the wound nicely healing. I don't know anything so fine as a healer of burns, scalds, cuts and similar injuries which workers are so liable to; and in my opinion a box of Zam-Buk should be kept handy in every worker's home."

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Board of Education Is Now Ready To Begin The New Year

Last Meeting of Old Board Was Held Last Night---Contracts of Several Schools Entirely Closed----Inspector of Collegiate Institute Presents Report to the Board---Attendance at the Schools.

The concluding meeting of the 1908 Board of Education was held last night with the following members present—Messrs. Robert Fair, Dumble, Ackerman, Nelson, Crane, Hill, Hayes, Dr. Burnham and Dr. Morrison. The first meeting of the new Board will be held on Thursday evening. The only change in the personnel is the replacing of Mr. W. S. Robinson by Mr. E. F. Mason as a result of Monday's elections.

Congratulations were extended to Mr. Fair, Mr. Ackerman and Dr. Morrison on their return to the Board. The Chairman Mr. R. Fair, in a few words stated that he appreciated the honour the electors had conferred upon him by re-electing him and also expressed his regret that Mr. Robinson had not been sent back. He had proved a very useful member on the Board and had rendered good service.

Inspector Mowat and Mr. Kenner were also present at the meeting.

Accounts Presented

The following accounts were presented—

Mr. Walker for supply teachers	15.00
Miss Aldridge...	24.75
R Hicks and Co...	266.45
Peter. Review	3.82
John Watson Co...	3.75
R Hicks and Co....	75
Chas. Huffman.....	50.00
McGregor and Reid...	2 09
Davis Thompson Co...	35.00
Ackerman and Son...	8.50
F L Robinson...	3.00
Peter. Hardw. Co...	4.65
C G E Co...	6.65
B F Ackerman Son and Co.....	4.25
W Blackwell.....	110.00
R Hicks and Co.....	147 04
R Hicks and Co.	1 13
Davis Thompson Co...	20 00
Carn Casualty Ins. Co...	48.60
R Gibbs	5.00
Peter. Examiner.....	27.20
John Watson Co.....	24 00
Pet. Light and Power Co	87
Davis Thompson Co.....	28.00
B C Yelland...	4.00
W H Hamilton.....	50
T A Remli.....	1 50
Bell Tel. Co.....	2.85
Adamson and Dobbin.....	12.65
United Agency Co...	5.00
Peter. Hardw. Co...	1.25
G N W Tel. Co.....	2.35
Peter. L. and P. Co.....	8.75
G W Greene	13 60
Kingan Hardw. Co.....	5.35
Wm Gaertner and Co...	28.00

Collegiate Inspection

The report of Mr. Wetherall who recently inspected the Collegiate Institute was read and on motion of Mr. Hill seconded by Dr Morrison it was referred to the committee on appointments, and will be made public later. It is a very satisfactory report and includes several recommendations which when carried out will place the Peterborough Collegiate among the front ranks in the Province.

Collegiate Institute

The following report was received from Mr. Kenner of the attendance at the Collegiate Institute for December.

	On roll	aver
Form IV	33...	...29
Form IIIa...	31...	...30
Form IIIb...	26...	...25
Form IIa	35...	...35
Form IIb	45...	...42
Form Ia	35...	...34
Form Ib	41...	...40
Form Ic	42...	...40
Com. I	34...	...33
Com. II	20...	...20
	329	311

An average of 97 per cent.

Report of Public Schools

	On roll	ave	Per ct
Central	396	373	94
South Central	366	341	93
Queen Alexandra	230	193	84
King Edward...	263	246	94
East City...	187	176	95
Park street...	172	155	91
Totals...	1614	1484	92
Kindergarten	202	169	84
Grand Totals... ...	1816	1653	91

Fire drill was practised on favourable days during the month.

A MOWAT

Monies Received

The following is the statement of monies received:—

H. R. H. Kenner, Laboratory Fees	$ 23 00
Government Grant, Cadet Corps	50 00
City Treasurer, Balance 1908 Demand	5000 00
Adamson & Dobbin, for stoves and pipes, West Ward School	16 00
Text Book Fees	233 87
Nicholls Scholarship Interest	45 00
Government Grant, Public School Inspection	200 00
Mrs. Ridge, Account, Rent...	6 00

Statement of Accounts Paid

Moved by Mr. Hill, seconded by Dr. Morrison, that the payment of the following accounts be confirmed. Carried.

Mann Lumber and Cheese Box Company ... ...$	500 00
G. Barrett, work at schools ...	6 35
Canadian Express Co., express on goods for College	1 80
H. Nicholl, services of orchestra for Collegiate opening	14 00
F. J. Drake, carting ashes ...	2 50
R. Nicholls, cleaning closets ...	5 00
Mrs. Gray, for work at Collegiate Institute	1 00

Balances of Contracts

The report of the Collegiate Institute Building Committee was presented as follows:—

Your Collegiate Institute Building Committee beg leave to report and recommend that McGregor and Reid be paid the balance on their contract together with the sum of $385.50, being amount of their account for all extras, and for light fixtures, wiring, etc. Your Committee have carefully gone over their bill with the Architect, whose certificate is attached thereto.

Your Committee recommend that Mr. C. A. J. Duranceau be paid the balance of his contract, together with the sum of $608.89, being amount of his account for all extras, consisting mainly of fittings to laboratory, aquarium, fire protection, etc. Your Committee have carefully considered this account with the Architect, whose certificate is attached thereto.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

M. A. MORRISON,
Chairman.

Carried.

Report of Public School Building Com.

The report of the Public School Building Committee was presented by Mr. Dumble, as follows:—

Your Public School Building Committee, appointed to consider the the claim of $100.00 by Rutherford Bros. of a balance due them on their contract for the King Edward School, beg to report that after careful consideration and on the advice of the Solicitor, recommend that a cheque be issued to Rutherford Bros. for $4.00, in full settlement of their contract and all demands.

Your Committee also considered the account of William Blackwell, Architect, of $148.00, claimed by him to be due on the King Edward School Building, and recommend that a cheque be issued to Mr. Blackwell for $110.00 in full settlement thereof, Mr. Blackwell agreeing thereto.

Finance Committee

On motion of Mr. Hayes and Mr. Crane, the report of the Finance Committee was adopted and the following accounts ordered to be paid:—

Mann Lumber Company .....$	4 19
Do. Do.	3 00
Adam Hall	11 20
Peterborough Examiner	5 00
Peterborough Fuel & Ctg. Co.	6 80
Higgins Hardware Co.	17 07
E. B. Clegg	267 45
A. J. Duranceau	20 25
Peterborough Hardware Co. ...	6 70
Do. Do.	31 75
Hartford Insurance Co.	3 75
Globe Printing Co.	4 40
Peterborough Review	22 67
Mail & Empire	4 15
A. Gibson	2 25
United Typewriter Co.	30 00
J. J. Turner & Sons	1 00
Peterborough Light & Power Co.	3 75
A Blade & Son	5 00
W. Taylor & Co.	4 50
Kingan Hardware Co.	3 25
McClelland & Goodchild	4 68
W. J. Main (which not included to)	7 45

All of which is respectfully submitted.

L. M. HAYES,
Chairman.

It was moved by Mr. Hayes, seconded by Mr Crane; that pursuant to 1 Edward the Seventh, Chapter 39 Section 71, the Municipal Council of the City of Peterborough be and they are hereby required to pay the Treasurer of the Board of Education in monthly installments the money to be used for current expenses of the Collegiate Institute and Public Schools as follows—

January 15th, 1909... ... ...$	15,000 00
February 15th, 1909.....	5,000 00
March 15th, 1909...	5,000 00
April 15th, 1909...	5,000 00
May 15th, 1909...	4,500 00
June 15th, 1909...	4,500 00
July 15th, 1909...	4,000 00
August 15th, 1909.....	500 00
September 15th, 1909	500 00
October 15th, 1909...	5,000 00
November 15th, 1909	5,000 00
December 15th, 1909...	5,000 00
	$59,000.00

And the secretary forward a copy of this resolution to the City Council. Carried.

Pictures for Schools

Dr. Morrison stated that he had been considering a plan which might result in the securing of suitable pictures for adorning the rooms of the schools and the Collegiate. He believed that there were in many homes in Peterborough pictures which the owners would gladly give as a trust for this purpose. They were probably stored away and not in use but would be suitable for the local schools.

Mr. Dumble also spoke of obtaining chalk copies of some of the best works of famous artists. He felt that the only way to cultivate an artistic taste among pupils was to place before them copies of standard works which they would unconsciously learn to appreciate. These matters will be discussed later when some action will probably be taken.

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The Prizes For The Best Turkeys; Flavelle Awards Made At Show

The names of the winners of the different prizes given by Mr. Flavelle, of Lindsay, for the best flocks of turkeys have been supplied to the Examiner by Mr. P. G. Towns, of Douro.

The prize for the largest flock was won by Mr. Wm. Fitzpatrick, of Cottesloe, P. O., who had a flock of 53 birds, and who will receive a silk umbrella as a reward.

The prize for the best flock over 30 birds, a silk umbrella, was won by Mr. M. B. Sullivan, who had 31 birds weighing 278 pounds, and for the best flock between 20 and 30 birds, a silver plated sugar bowl and spoon holder, by Mr. Michael Ryan, with 29 birds weighing 463 pounds.

Mr. Bart Condon won the prize for the best group of dead turkeys, having 227 birds weighing 357 pounds. His reward will be a silver plated tea pot.

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BOSSES AND APPRENTICES AT ANNUAL AFFAIR ON MONDAY

Enjoyable Time Spent Around the Festive Board When Good Will Was Renewed and the Old Sympathies Strengthened.

THE TOASTS AND SPEECHES

The eighth annual banquet of the local Journeymen Barbers' Union, No. 402, was held on Monday in Hooper's parlours at 9.30 o'clock p. m., when the election returns had been received, sufficient to indicate the winners. The bosses and apprentices were the guests of the journeyman, who proved themselves capital hosts. The affair was thoroughly enjoyed by the thirty-five members of the union and their friends who assembled around the festive board.

The banquet itself was all that could be desired. The good things were "trimmed," according to the regulations of the union, and more than satisfied the wants of the union man.

Toast List

The toast list which followed brought the bosses and men closer together, and under sympathetic conditions. Mr. Harry Gainey accepted the duties of toast master in an entertaining manner. The toasts duly honoured were as follows:

"The King," which was honoured in the usual manner.

"The International Union," proposed by Mr. E. Hooey, responded to by Mr George Brosseau and Mr. Harry Gainey.

"The Bosses," proposed by Mr. H. Gainey, responded by Mr. Jos. Lewis, and Mr. H. Wilson.

"The Journeymen Barbers' Union," proposed by Mr. Ed. Wright, responded to by Mr. Geo. Campbell and Geo Hall.

"The Apprentices," proposed by Mr. Alb. Lewis and responded to by several apprentices.

The toast of the "Ladies," was honoured in the prettiest compliments of the evening.

Benefits of the Union

One of the most important addresses of the evening was that given by Mr Jas. Lewis, in response to the toast of the bosses. He referred to the many benefits that the barbers now enjoyed as a result of the union in Peterborough. Better prices are being received and the hours have been appreciably shortened. The trade has been raised from the drudgery of long hours to a fair day's work. Mr. Lewis spoke strongly in favour of the union, which, he hoped, to see grow in Peterborough.

SUPREMACY OF CHRIST IN BUSINESS; LIFE SUBJECT AT TWO MEETINGS

Week of Prayer Services Was Continued at Mark Street and St. Andrew's Last Evening.

INSPIRING ADDRESSES GIVEN

It is gratifying to all concerned to note the large congregations that meet night after night. There were two such services last night, but this did not prevent a large congregation assembling in St .Andrew's Church. Rev. Mr. Manning was in the chair. Special prayers were offered for those who are in charge of the great financial institutions and loan companies, for merchants, traders and toilers.

Rev. Canon Davidson gave the address of the evening, based on Matt. VII., 12, and Matt V., 20. It was exceedingly practical and pithy. The questions at issue were Religion and Business. Business he defined as that with which we are busy, that part of our work for which we receive remuneration. It therefore covers a large part of life, and Religion has a very large share in which to exert its influence.

Religion he defined as union with God, and no one can come into touch with God without having a desire to apply what they learned of God to their own life.

He likened men's lives to houses, some one story, some two. Many men are satisfied with one story — the every day activities with a smattering of morality. Many others put up a mere skeleton of daily duties for the first story, but make a very great pretence when it comes to the second story of religious life. What we want is first story principles applied to every day life.

In emphasizing the life of Christ we must not omit the fundamental principles of the Ten Commandments. Life is righteousness — right relation to God and to men. We, for this evening must look to the second. We need common honesty. Let us look to ourselves, not concluding that we are honest, others are not. Hobbes y is a common trait. We should avoid bringing temptationt o others. The public, by demanding something for nothing, lead those behind the counter to attempt to deceive them. Pay for what you get. Be more honest, Be more truthful. Be prompt. The happiness and welfare of many people are in the hands of the public. Pay your accounts, and if living beyond your means, be honest enough to change.

Be honest also with time. Keeping the Sabbath Day yourselves give others a chance to keep it. The correction of present conditions of late shopping on Saturday and its results on Sunday, lie at the doors of the citizens of Peterborough. We deprive many of part of their Sunday. The present co-operation of the business men as exemplified in the druggists of this city is a matter for congratulation. Let the public co-operate with them.

The meeting to-night is in the George street Methodist church. The subject is "The Supremacy of Jesus in the Home."

Mark St. Service

The following in connection with the services at Mark street has been forwarded to the Examiner;

Those who were present in Mark street church last night will not soon forget the earnest and forceful addresses delivered.

Rev. Mr. Riddiford, the speaker for the evening, amply demonstrated the fact that he, at least, was "quite, at home, away from home."

Selecting two suitable texts he spoke for something like half an hour on "The Supremacy of Christ in Business Life." Being a comparative stranger in town, and quite unbiassed, I had a choice between two meetings, both with one object, and choose the lesser of the two on the sound (?) Scotch principle that "guid gear gangs in wee buik." Nor was I disappointed; seldom have I listened to an address with more interest and, I humbly trust, with more profit, than I did last night.

I feel sure that every one present, including Mr. Riddiford himself, would have been glad if old Father Time could have been persuaded to stay his hand for half an hour or so; but, no; the hands of the clock went all too rapidly round to 9.15, reminding us of Tennyson's lines on "The Brook"—"Men may come and men may go, but I go on for ever."

I pen these lines in no idle mood but rather with the express purpose of showing a stranger's appreciation of your town's admirable Christian testimony.

The principle implied in the intercommunion of the various denominations of the Christian church is one that is dear to the heart of every right thinking follower of Him who said, "One is your Father, even God, and all ye are brethren."

If you have the slightest interest in the things that pertain to life and Godliness you should make a point of attending as many of the remaining meetings as you possibly can; they will help you, of that I am certain, for none of us is so good but that we could very well be a little better, if we just knew how.

Mr. Riddiford has the happy knack of blending humor with pathos and consequently the interest never flagged for a moment.—

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30 Ladies' Skirts, made of all wool Panama Cloths and Venetian Serges, and in the season's newest styles, with pleats, folds and button trimmings. The regular prices were 5.00, 6.00 and 6.50. Ten Days' Sale Price..... **3.98**

45 Ladies' Dress Skirts, made of Panama Cloths and Venetian Serges, colours black and navy. Very handsome and fashionable styles with pleats, folds and silk trimmings. Reg. prices were 7.00, 7.50, 8.00 and 10.00. Ten Days' Sale Price ... **4.98**

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Card of Thanks

To the Ratepayers of the City of Peterborough

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN:—

Allow me to thank you one and all for the handsome manner in which you supported me at the polls on Monday, notwithstanding the fact that I made no personal canvass.

I shall do all in my power to forward the best interests of the City of Peterborough.

Wishing you all a Happy and a Prosperous New Year,

Yours respectfully,

W. G. MORROW.

The Twenty-fifth Anniversary Of The "Golden Lion" In Business

Twenty-five years in business is the proud record of Mr. Robt. Fair, the head of Robert Fair & Company, the well known George street dry goods firm. The twenty-fifth anniversary of the founding of the business was reached some months ago, but Mr. Fair decided to postpone the celebration of the event with the customary sale until the first of this year. Now that the holiday rush is over, however, arrangements have been made to commemorate the event with a big sale, commencing on Monday next. Prices in white wear and other goods will be ruthlessly slaughtered and the twenty-fifth anniversary of the big firm promises to be one that the housewives of Peterborough will long remember, because of the bargains that will be available.

Mr Fair, when interviewed by the Examiner yesterday in connection with the history of the Golden Lion store in Peterborough, remarked that there had been great changes since he first started in Peterborough, not only in the business itself but in the city. Since his coming here Peterborough has more than doubled in size, and there were many changes of importance. The Golden Lion store had kept pace with the growth of the city and as the population of the latter increased the floor space of the store became greater. In the early days only a small ground floor and part of the second story was used, whereas now all four floors and basement are called into service. The staff employed, of course, has increased with the store until at the present time there is a veritable regiment of efficient, capable and courteous employees, who are ever ready to give prompt attention to the requirements of the customers.

Mr Fair has endeavoured to live up to the motto he had adopted in connection with his business, "the store where the goods always seem a little better at the same price than elsewhere," and the conducting of the business on lines which makes that motto possible has resulted in the phenomenal success of the Golden Lion establishment.

No doubt a very large number of Peterborough people, as well as Mr. Fair's friends in the surrounding district, will take part in the celebration of the anniversary by attending the big sale, which commences next week and which promises to surpass anything in this line that the firm has ever put on in their long career in Peterborough.

Training vs. Long Service

In every business we see the long service man asking the trained one for advice.

Although the optician may claim he has had from fifteen to twenty-five years experience in the optical business, that is no proof that he is a trained man.

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SELVIN AND COMPANY AT ROYAL THEATRE

Last night the Royal Theatre was again crowded to the doors at every performance. The new picture of the day that seemed to meet with most general approval was "Hunting the Whale." This film was secured at enormous expense by Pathe Freres of Paris, who sent an expert photographer on a special voyage with a whaling vessel to the South Pacific Ocean. In the picture one sees the giant of ocean speeds, as though from board ship. A whale is sighted, harpooned, brought alongside the ship, and then, when towed to land, cut up and the oil and whalebone removed.

The Selvin Co., in their very clever magician acts, elicited great applause from the audience. The disappearing scene, when a lady, from one moment in a velvet covered cabinet, and the next minute in the centre of the audience is one of the cleverest pieces of legerdemain ever produced on the Canadian stage. Prof. Selvin's slight of hand work is also particularly good.

Mr. Beveridge Miller rendered that fine old Scotch ballad "Annie Laurie" in his usual effective style.

PETERBORO' LADIES VISIT IN HAMILTON

Renew Friendships Formed Last Spring On European Tour.

Mrs. T. F. Matthews, Miss L. Davidson and Miss Morrow left to-day for Hamilton, where they are enjoying a pleasant re-union with friends whom they met on their extended tour through Europe and Asia last spring. They will likely be away until the end of the week.

The Farmers' Institute Meetings Are Proving Very Successful

That our farms are not producing the yields they ought was the burden of the address delivered by Mr. E. W. Kitchen, of Lovering, Ont., in his afternoon address before the supplementary meeting of the West Peterborough Farmers' Institute, held at Stewart's Union Hall yesterday. He accounted for the decreased yields by the leaf soil and fibre, which were characteristic of our land when first cleared, having become almost wholly gone in many sections. "The first crops upon virgin soil were always the best and most easily obtained: in the early days we could grow anything," he said. "There was no trouble then about noxious weeds and crop failures. It is quite different now since the leaf soil has been lost."

Dairying in Peterboro County

The dairy cow and some results of the work carried on by the Cow Testing Associations, was dealt with by Mr. Ubas. C. Nixon, editor of the Farm and Dairy. He pointed out that we have more good cows than we ever suspected. The trouble is that we do not feed them up to their capacity. Many of the cows in Peterborough county are milked but for six months of the year. There is thus six months left in which we have to board the cows, and for which we get no returns. There is no reason why the dairy cows in Peterborough country could not be milked for ten months in the year as is being done in many sections of other parts of Ontario. Where dairying is carried on throughout the whole year, and where a proper system of feeding is followed, the average production of cows is more than double what it is where cows are milked for but five or six months an allowed to go dry the remainder of the year.

Conditions in New Brunswick

"What little the farmers of New Brunswick know, they have learned from you good people up here in Ontario," said Mr. C. F. Alward, a farmer from New Brunswick, who also addressed the meeting. "They have this advantage, however, and you must be careful lest they ship ahead of you in the long run in dairying, for they are only adopting the best of what you have to give them, and are leaving those things which are undesirable with you."

A large audience, which taxed the seating capacity of the hall, turned out to hear the speakers in the evening. Mr. Kitchen gave an address on our homes for our boys. Mr. Nixon addressed the audience on "Home Improvement and Agricultural Education." Mr. Alward dealt with the question of "Seed Selection," handling it in a way which was of great interest and of value to all. The speeches were interspersed with musical selections by Messrs. Devell and Hambridge. Miss Devell accompanied them most acceptably on the organ. Great credit is due to the energy and enthusiasm of the secretary of the institute, Mr. Wm. Collins, and to the genial president, Mr Telford, for the success of the meeting.

THE REBEKAH LODGE HAS INSTALLATION

District Deputy Sister Jobbitt Was the Installing Officer.

At the regular meeting of the Golden Link Rebekah Lodge, No. 81, I. O. O. F., held last night in the I. O. O. F. Hall, the following officers were installed by District Deputy Sister Jobbitt, assisted by Grand Officers Sister Reason, Sister Jackson and Bro. Duncan and Broeburn:

N. G.—Sister M. Watts.
V. G.—Sister L. Parsons.
R. S.—Sister M. Gibbs.
F. S.—Sister Collins.
Treas.—Sister Jones.
Warden—Sister Benton.
Com.—Sister Elphick.
I. G.—Sister Paton.
O. G.—Bro. Elphick.
R. S. N. G.—Sister Jobbitt.
L. S. N. G.—Sister Roberts.
R. S. V. G.—Sister Mann.
L. S. V. G.—Sister Pilling.
Chap.—Sister Church.

Jr. P. N. G.—Sister Sells.

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Henniker Heaton Pays Tribute to Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux.

IS SURE OF CHEAP CABLES

Englishman Is Confident of Postmaster-General's Ability to Carry Through the Project — Australia Will Join All-Red Route Conference and Will Support Penny Cable Scheme Financially.

London, Jan. 6.—At Melbourne the prospects of the consummation of the all-red route have been greatly improved by the conference yesterday between Dr. Coulter and Mr. Fisher, the Federal Premier, with Mr. Thomas, the Postmaster-General.

It is expected the latter will agree that Australia shall be represented at the proposed meeting of officials representing all the Governments interested to work out the details of the scheme. Mr. Coulter reported that the British and New Zealand Ministeries will adopt a favorable attitude. Mr. Thomas personally supports the scheme cordially and the conference will be resumed on the thirteenth.

Shown an Ottawa message to the effect that the Canadian and British Governments are considering a scheme for the establishment at a near date of two pence per word cablegrams, Mr. Henniker Heaton said Mr. Lemieux was a great imperialist.

"His presence here this winter gave an impetus to the movement for penny-a-word cables impossible of attainment otherwise. He left with the statement that he was quite satisfied regarding the results of his negotiations and that it would come. He would be back in the spring to conclude them in what he hoped would be a satisfactory manner.

"I am perfectly certain Mr. Lemieux will adopt one of two courses. He will either propose to the cable companies to reduce their rates so as to place cabling within the means of the mass of the people or in the event of their declining to meet him he will propose to construct with the aid of the British Government and the Governments of Australasia state-owned cable or cables capable of carrying from ten to twenty million words a year at a cost of two pence per word.

The moment Parliament meets Sir Edward Sassoon, who is chairman of the telegraph committee of the Commons, will summon a meeting in support of Mr. Lemieux. There is every reason to believe we shall have the support of Mr. Lloyd-George. Meanwhile I may say Mr. Lemieux has the strongest assurances of financial support from Australia."

Deal With Turkey.

Berlin, Jan. 6.—The British Government, it is learned, has reached an understanding with the Turkish Government whereby the Sultan, as head of the Mohammedan faith shall use the influence of the priesthood in India to support the British rule there in return for active British diplomatic support in the Turkish controversy with European powers.

The Mohammedans of India number 62,000,000, and the loyalty is a powerful element in the growing disturbances.

Welcomed Home.

Ottawa, Jan. 6.—When William Hutchinson, commissioner of Dominion exhibitions returned to Ottawa yesterday after an absence of four years in Europe, he was formally welcomed by Mayor Hopewell on behalf of the city, and by Peter Whelan on behalf of the Board of Trade. Mr. Hutchinson represented the capital in Parliament from 1896 to 1900, and was at one time president of the Canadian Central Exhibition Association.

Boy Let Go.

Omemee, Jan. 6.—F. D. Moore, K.C., county police magistrate, passed sentence on the youth who burned the barn of T. B. Leadly, Omemee, about two weeks ago. He was allowed to go on suspended sentence covering a period of two years.

To Stop Sunday Shows.

Montreal, Jan. 6.—The Lord's Day Alliance is planning to take steps to close all the Sunday shows in Montreal, which are now very numerous.

WHY AM I ILL?

HOW TO TELL.

Does every cold affect your back, and cause a feeling of chilliness, followed by disturbance of the kidney action.

Does the use of spirits, tea or beer excite the kidneys? Are you easily worried and annoyed over trifles? Are the feet and hands cold? Circulation bad? Do the feet and legs swell? Is there puffiness under the eyes? Do you have rheumatism, poor eyesight, headaches and backaches? Is there gravel or any unnatural action of the kidneys?

If you have any of the above symptoms your kidneys are either weak or diseased, and these symptoms are warnings of more serious troubles to follow; Bright's Disease, Diabetes or Dropsy.

Whatever you do, whatever you think your disease is, look well to your kidneys at the first sign of anything wrong. Give them just the aid they require in Doan's Kidney Pills, the Great Quaker Kidney Medicine, and see how well and fit you feel after even a few doses.

Mrs. O. Warren, Radisson, Sask., writes: "I was troubled with very severe pains in my back for years. I tried everything I could think of but they did me no good. A friend told me about Doan's Kidney Pills and after taking two boxes, I have not been troubled since."

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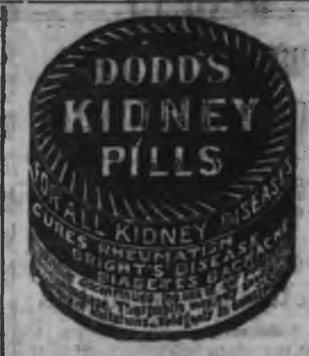

INCRIMINATES ROGERS.

Krasenko Creates Sensation In Lennox Murder Trial.

Winnipeg, Jan. 6.—A dramatic situation developed in the trial of Thos. Hicks yesterday morning when one Krasenko, convicted highwayman, swore that the revolver found under the body of Eccles Lennox, was in his possession the night before the murder and that he had given it to Roger, chief witness against the accused, in the C.P.R. yards.

Krasenko reinforced his evidence by identifying Rogers and Cooper, selecting them from a group of twenty persons.

It was a highly sensational situation, as it was apparent it was the climax of the defence and calculated to acquit Hicks if the effect of the evidence was not destroyed.

The fact that Krasenko has occupied the same cell with the accused since his arrest is a complicating factor.

The crown will introduce some evidence calculated to prove that Krasenko was not in the C.P.R. yards when he says he gave Rogers the revolver. Hicks has steadily maintained that the gun with which Lennox was killed was not his property.

The crown said at noon that no order for the arrest of Rogers had been made. The fact that Rogers had testified in the case is no bar to his arrest and prosecution, though the evidence he has given cannot be used against him in that case.

MORE BARS CUT OFF.

Six New Local Option Majorities Reported as Result of Vote.

Toronto, Jan. 6.—In addition to the 18 municipalities from which adequate local option majorities were reported on Monday night the following have been heard from: Kenonebec, Wollston, Limerick, Juder and Cashel and Effried.

There are still ten townships to hear from, where the bylaw was submitted for the first time. Three repeal contests were reported where the bylaw was sustained, viz., McNab, Colling wood and Mountain Townships.

Two township repeal contests are still to be heard from. They are Grimsby North and Osnabruck.

Orillia Township, which was reported carried for local option on Monday night, is eight votes short of the necessary three-fifths majority. The total vote was 496 for to 342 against.

The local option bylaw was defeated in Howland and Morris Townships.

The result up to date is:

Temperance gains—Licenses cut off by local option, 49; licenses cut off by reduction, 9; total 58; bylaws carried, 22; local option sustained, 22; total, 44.

Temperance losses — Majorities against, 4; bylaws repealed, 2; failed to secure 3-5 majority, 20; total, 26.

To Fix Up Hotels.

Toronto, Jan. 6.—W. K. Snider, who has been provincial Conservative organizer for some years, has been asked by the Government to take charge of the work of establishing a standard for the hotels of the province in the matters of fire escapes, sanitation, bedding and accommodation generally.

Representations have been made by the Commercial Travelers' Association and others and the question has been under consideration for some time. It is believed that about a year will be necessary to cover the work fairly and to establish such standards that further special effort will be unnecessary.

St. John Asylum Scorched.

St. John, N.B., Jan. 6.—Fire which broke out in the boiler room of the provincial lunatic asylum last evening destroyed the nurses' ward, kitchen and laundry of that institution.

None of the patients were injured, although a panic prevailed amongst the 500 inmates and at first it was said over a score had been burned to death.

The loss will amount to $25,000, partially covered by insurance.

The heating apparatus of the entire institution was made useless.

Revolution In China.

Amoy, China, Jan. 6.—A revolutionary outbreak is reported in Manchuria near Mukden. No cause has been assigned.

One thousand mutinous soldiers took the field. Official reports say that in an engagement on Sunday between Government troops and the insurgents the latter were repulsed.

Native reports, however, declare that the Government troops were driven back with a loss of 60 killed.

Doctors Blame Husband.

Agincourt, Jan. 6.—Dr. Silverthorne and Dr. Chutterwick of Toronto conducted the post-mortem examination on the body of the murdered woman, Mrs. Blythe, at the Blythe house yesterday.

The conclusion arrived at is said to have been that Mrs. Blythe's death was due to shock consequent upon the terrible injuries inflicted by her husband, a C.P.R. sectionman, on Sunday night.

Sexton Dies In Grave.

Branchville, N.J., Jan. 6.—With a shovel clutched tightly in his hands, Edward Course, sexton of Hallville Christian Church, was found at the bottom of a grave which he had been preparing. The funeral was approaching the cemetery when the clergyman noticed that the grave had not been dug fully. The procession was halted and the body found.

MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Close Higher, Chicago Lower— Live Stock —Latest Quotations.

Tuesday Evening, Jan. 5.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day ⅝d to ½d higher than yesterday, and corn futures unchanged to ⅛d higher.

At Chicago, May wheat closed ⅛c lower than yesterday, May corn ⅛c lower, and May oats ¼c lower.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—January 98½c bid, July $1.03 bid, May $1.02 bid.

Oats—January 36½c bid, May 40⅝c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	$0 88	to $....
Wheat, red, bush	0 88	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 90	....
Rye, bush	0 59	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 55	....
Peas, bushel	0 90	....
Barley, bushel	0 50	....
Oats, bushel	0 42	....

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 26
Butter, store lots	0 23	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 28	0 30
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 40	....
Eggs, cold storage	0 25	....
Cheese, large, lb	0 13½	....
Cheese, twins, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11
Honey, combs, dozen	2 25	2 75

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 5.—Closing—Wheat—Spot No. 2 red western winter easy, 7s 10¾d. Futures steady; March 7s 7⅛d, May 7s 6⅝d.

Corn—Spot steady; new American mixed (via Galveston), 5s 6d. Futures steady; Jan. 5s 2⅝d, March 5s 3½d, May 5s 3⅝d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs., firm, 43s; short ribs, steady, 45s 6d; short clear backs dull, 44s; shoulders square, dull, 37s.

Lard—Prime western firm, 42s 9d; American refined firm, 43s 9d.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Butter—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 9889.

Cheese—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 2071.

Eggs—Easier; receipts, 8574; state, Pennsylvania and nearby, brown and fancy, mixed, 32c to 35c; fair to choice, 30c to 32c; western firsts, 30½c; do., seconds, 28c to 29c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Unchanged—Hogs Active and Higher at Buffalo.

LONDON, Jan. 5.—London cables for cattle are steady at 12½c to 13½c per pound, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10½c to 10⅝c per pound.

Toronto Live Stock.

TORONOTO, Jan. 5.—Receipts of live stock at the City Market were 101 carloads, consisting of 1540 cattle, 1267 hogs, 1290 sheep and lambs, with 48 calves.

Exporters.

A very few export steers were on sale, and these sold at $5 to $5.25; export bulls sold at from $3.50 to $4.20, and one of extra quality brought $4.50.

Butchers.

Prime packed lots sold at $4.80 to $4.90, and we heard of a couple of choice heifers for which $5 was bid early in the day, being sold for less later on. Loads of good, $4.40 to $4.60; medium, $3.90 to $4.30; common, $3.50 to $3.80; cows, $2.50 to $3.60; canners, $1.50 to $2.

Milkers and Springers.

The supply of milkers and springers was quite equal to the demand, with prices easy at $30 to $52 each. No Montreal dealers being on the market, caused trade to be dull.

Veal Calves.

Receipts light; prices firmer, at $3 to $6.75 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs.

Receipts of sheep and lambs, nearly 1300. Prices were firm, as follows: Sheep $3.25 to $3.40 for ewes, and $2.25 to $2.75 for rams; lambs, $5.25 to $6.15 per cwt.

Hogs.

Mr. Harris reported selects at $6.25, and lights at $6 per cwt.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Jan. 5.—Cattle—Steady; prime steers, $4.75 to $7.15.

Veals—Receipts, 100 head; active and 25c lower, $7 to $9.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 1160 head; active and 15c to 20c higher; heavy and mixed, $6.40 to $6.45; yorkers, $6.15 to $6.40; pigs, $4.50 to $6.15; roughs, $5.40 to $5.75; stags, $4 to $4.75; dairies, $6 to $6.25.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 3000 head; fairly active and steady; prices unchanged.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—Beeves—Receipts, 231; nothing doing; feeling weak. Liverpool and London cables quoted live cattle firmer, at 13c to 14½c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef lower, at 9½c to 9¾c per lb.

Calves—Receipts, 422; steady for veals; barnyard and western calves unchanged; veals, $5 to $10; barnyard calves, $4.25; western, $5; Indiana calves, $4 to $6.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 167; steady; sheep, $2.75 to $4.25; lambs, $7.30 to $7.62½; culls, $4.50 to $5.50; yearlings, $4.50 to $6.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 3490; market strong; good state hogs, $6.35.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—Cattle—Receipts, 5000; market steady; steers, $4.60 to $4.75; cows, $3 to $5.25; heifers, $2.50 to $4.60; bulls, $3.15 to $4.50; calves, $3.50 to $9.50; stockers and feeders, 2.50 to $5.

Hogs—Receipts, 37,000; market 5c to 10c lower; choice heavy spring, $6.50 to $6.25; butchers', $6 to $6.15; light mixed, $5.55 to $5.75; choice light, $5.80 to $6; packing, $5.35 to $5.85; pigs, $4 to $5.50; bulkers, $4.10.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 15,000; market steady; sheep, 4 to $5.50; lambs, $4.25 to $7.60; yearlings, $4.25 to $7.

Hotel Fire at Falls.

Niagara Falls, N.Y., Jan. 6.—Fire was discovered early yesterday in the Columbia Hotel, a five-storey brick structure. The 70 guests all got out safely, but two girl employes were found unconscious in an alley, where they had dropped from a rope. One had her legs broken.

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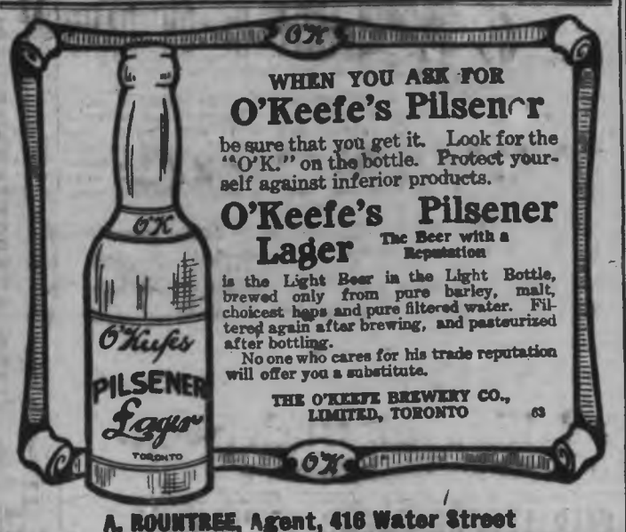

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The Examiner's Sporting Page

RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

PORT HOPE JUNIORS HERE TO-NIGHT; GREAT ICE READY FOR THE BIG GAME; BIG CROWD WILL BE ON HAND

There shou'd be a record crowd at Brock street rink to-night when the Port Hope Junior O H A team will try conclusions with Peterborough's bunch of clever youngsters in what should prove to be a splendid exhibition of hockey. The locals by defeating Cobourg decisively on Monday showed themselves a team of some class and the fans here have been discussing their showing ever since realizing that a very promising team has been collected. A great sheet of ice is available for to-night and as the homesters revel in fast going the conditions will suit them thoroughly and they look for a victory over the Lakeshore seven to-night. Port Hope however must not be over looked. They have as usual a fast aggregation of juniors and they defeated Cobourg last week just as badly as Peterborough did on Monday night so that he teams on their previous games look to be about equal. The people who saw the locals perform in their first game here have no doubt of the result if the kids play anything like the same brand of hockey

To-night's game should be a thrilling hard fought battle between two evenly matched evenly weighted and well trained teams and with the fans we it may be depended upon to have no dull moments. Every fan in Peterborough shou'd make it a point to attend to-night's game if he really wants to support hockey in this city.

The Peterborough team will line up as follows—

Goal—Len Giroux
Point—Wade
Cover point—Fox
Rover—Ray, Capt.
Centre—Cyril Giroux
Right Wing—Short
Left Wing—Pentland.

THE CITY LEAGUE OPENS TO-MORROW WITH THREE GAMES ON THE BILL

The City League will open its season schedule to-morrow night with a double header preceeded by the first game in the Junior City League. With three games on the list there should be a grand evening's sport and no doubt a big crowd will be on hand for the opening as the City League grandd of hockey has grown very popular with the fans.

The first Senior game to-morrow will bring together the T A S and the West Ends, the latter a new team in the league this season and as far as can be judged from the practices of the two teams a lively battle should be the result. The Abstainers have collected a strong seven, Derocher in goal; Quinlan at point; and Crough cover point will likely constitute the defence while for the forward line Quigley, formerly of Lakefield; Cyril Giroux of the Junior O H A team, Tom Kelly and other good men are available. The red and black outfit look strong on paper and will take a lot of beating. The West Ends are the youngest team in the league but should make things lively as they have corralled three members of the Junior O H A team. They will have Halpin in goal; Wade of the Juniors at point; Pentland of the Juniors likely at cover while for the forward line they have Short who played right wing for the Peterboroughs on Monday night; Gus Rose of the Otonabees last year, E. Kidd J McNinch and several other fast young players.

The other new team in the league the Belmonts, will make their debut in the second game when they go up against the twice champion Strathconas. It should prove a contest well worth seeing. The Belmonts are reported as having a fast seven which includes Myers, Rose, and Thornton of last year's High Lifes, Bobby Hall Waram of the Rough Riders Ecclestone and other good men. The Hitch Commissioners have the same line up as went through the season last year without a defeat with the exception of Jack Seymour who played for the Strath's champion team of two years ago, figuring on the forward line.

Geo. Lynch the efficient and popular referee of the league for several seasons past will handle the bell in both games, the first commencing at 8 o'clock sharp.

The Junior League will open with a game between George street and the Otonabees. The juniors coming together at 9.45. The one price of admission provides for seeing the three games.

WHITCROFT IS STILL IN FAVOUR WITH FANS

Edmonton Will Challenge for the Stanley Cup Again Next Year.

Large crowds turned out to hear the result of the second game between Edmonton and the Montreal Wanderers for the Stanley Cup and great was the joy of the Edmonton hockey fans over the success of Edmonton. Their pleasure was somewhat dampened, however, by the fact that the team did not win the cup. General regret was expressed that they had not played the same team on Monday as on Wednesday night, when the results might have been somewhat different. The citizens generally are loud in their praise of the work of the team. Decton and Miller are the idols of the town, while Patrick Lindsay and Whitcroft are also high in the regard of the public. Vair also played a good game. The public are rather disappointed in the work of Pitrie and McNamara. Had the executive signed Harry Smith and Joe Hall instead of McNamara and Phillips, the cup would probably now have been speeding westward.

The announcement of the executive that they would challenge again for the Stanley cup is evidently a very popular move, as the majority of the citizens think with a season's practice together the team have a good chance of winning out. There is little doubt but that they can win in the western hockey league this winter and by the end of the hockey season will be again ready to go after the Wanderers for the hockey championship of Canada.

—Edmonton Bulletin.

BOWLING

The Ten Pin League race at the P.B.C. grows closer and closer daily and the teams are all fighting with renewed vigour for every game they can get. Yesterday three fixtures were played and as a result a considerable change has been effected in the race. The Bankers, for example, by losing a game to the Iroquois, dropped back several points and allowed Examiner A to tie them for the leadership. The Iroquois had earlier in the evening, taken two from the Lock Works, and are now safely ensconced in fourth place, while the Pacifics, by taking two from the Frontenacs, are now in strong third:—

The scores follow:—

IROQUOIS

Martin	112	125	179—416
Stroud	105	195	142—502
Adams	187	126	146—459
	464	446	467—1377

LOCK WORKS

LaPlante	189	166	138—493
Lacheur	147	167	151—465
Westbrooke	120	135	146—401
	456	468	435—1359

BANKERS

Ford	165	154½	135—454
Barker	118	114	192—424
Ferguson	200	168	177—545
	483	436	454—1423

IROQUOIS

Joffrey	126	164	156—445
Stroud	152	155	123—410
Adams	149	148	127—424
	427	466	406—1279

PACIFICS

Connors	142	201	112—455
McIlroy	189	135	175—509
Lithe	133	128	139—400
	464	474	426—1364

FRONTENACS

Irwin	121	198	149—468
Barrett	190	156	117—463
Lang	141	155	149—445
	452	509	415—1376

HOCKEY

The Strathconas management have selected the following line up for first City League game with the Belmonts to-morrow night. The following being requested to be at the rink at 8.30 o'clock—

Goal—Welson.
Point—Dotson.
Cover Point—Dusty
Rover—Ray.
Centre—Long.
Right Wing—Seymour.
Left Wing—Weatherstone.

Montreal Star:—On Arena ice, Saturday, the intermediate game between Montreal and Shamrocks, in the C. A. H. L. series, degenerated into a farce through the strict ruling of Referee Cooper Smeaton, who handed out stiff sentences on the slightest swerving from the rules. Shamrocks won by 12 goals to 4. The scoring would have been closer but for the pronounced penalties.

The wholesale ruling off resulted in some peculiar situations on the ice. At one time there were two Montreal players, K. Kelly and the goaler, Cormack, fighting it out against three Shamrocks, Nicol, McDonald, and Baker, the last named being the goalkeeper. The two goalkeepers and McDonald and Mulcair, of Shamrocks, were the only players not crowded into the timekeeper's box at one time or another.

The referee meted out the stiff penalties in order to prevent a recurrence of the fracas of the previous week, when the Arena authorities stepped in and ordered the teams to cut out rough hockey.

RUNNING.

Percy Smallwood, the champion long-distance runner of Wales, who defeated Tom Longboat in a ten-mile race some weeks ago, and who is scheduled to run a Marathon race with Dorando Pietri in St. Louis on January 11, is brimming over with confidence of beating the vanquisher of Johnny Hayes. He should beat the Italian, and has written Manager Smith of the Riverdale arena offering to run Alfred Shrubb 15 miles or the Marathon distance here January 15. Shrubb is willing to run either Fred Meadows at 5 miles or George Adams or Smallwood at 10 miles, but does not want to go beyond. The chances are that Smallwood will agree to 10 miles.

"If Dorando does not run any faster than he did in his race with Longboat," said Smallwood, "I'll beat him within the twenty-three-mile mark. If he does run faster, I'll beat him anyway. The Italian is a slow finisher, and I am sure that I will be able to pull up on the last few miles."

Tom Eck has signed Fred Simpson, the Peterborough Indian, and will train and manage him in professioinal races. Simpson may be one of Shrubb's opponents in the coming relay at New York.

Eck may add Esau Noah, the Moraviantown Indian, to the stable which he is forming. If Noah is up to expectations, and he is making a trial for Eck's benefit, Tom should have a good pair, as Simpson, rightly handled, is better than Dorando and a few more of them.

WRESTLING.

Sporting Editor Star: Dear Sir,—In behalf of Dennis Gallagher, formerly of Buffalo, N. Y., now of Syracuse, N. Y., I am authorized to issue a challenge to Cyclone Burns for a wrestling match, catch-as-catch-can or mixed styles, same to take place in Toronto.

J. Farrell,
45 Winchester Street, City.

Burns will meet this man Gallagher for a substantial side bet. It is up to Farrell to come up with a $100 deposit to bind a match and wager.—Toronto Star.

The New York Stock Market

(Furnished by J. N. Barber.)

	Opening	Closing
A.C.P	83	82
Atch	100	100
B.R.T.	69¾	70⅛
C.P.R.	175⅛	175⅛
Erie	23⅜	33¼
Great Northern	146½	145
L.N.	125	123½
M., Pac	69½	69
Northern Pacific	140⅜	140½
N.Y.C.	128⅜	125¾
Penna	133½	132⅜
R.I.	24½	23½
Rdg.	140½	139⅜
Smelters	48⅜	48⅛
Soo	136½	137
St. Paul	149	148
S.P.	118½	118⅛
U.P.	179½	178⅜
U.S.	51⅞	52
U.S. pf'd.	113	113
Twin City	97	97⅜
Nipissing	9⅛	9⅛
May-Wheat	107⅛	107⅛
" Corn	61½	61½
May Oats	51½	51⅜
" Pork	16.65	16.05

A WORD ABOUT THE IMPERIAL OPERA CO.

The most undeniable proof of the strength and merit of the Imperial Opera Company which visits Peterborough next Saturday matinee and night was its phenomenal run of four and a half months at the Royal Alexandra Theatre, Toronto. It is a well known fact that Toronto gets the best there is in musical attractions direct from New York, and when the Imperials contracted to play their extensive repertoire in that city the cast of practically all stars was necessary to hold its own against the regular road companies. Owing to the early date of the opening of the company many well known artists of high standing were obtainable, among them J. Clarance Harvey, the eccentric comedian of "Country Girl" and "San Toy" fame; Harry Girard, the well known lyric baritone and composer; Agnes Cair-Brown, who made her name as a Grand Opera Singer in New York; Violet Colby and Hallen Mortyn. It is needless to say that such a cast supplemented by a chorus of most attractive young ladies, the success of the Imperial Opera Company in Toronto was instantaneous. For the tour through the province the cast remains unchanged and the original scenic productions used at the Royal Alexandra Theatre are assured.

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Estimate Of Expenses For Schools Has Been Prepared

Increase is Asked for and is Explained by Large Increase in the Number of Teachers and the Salaries Which Have Become Higher in Late Years---People Getting Better Value for Their Money.

At the Board of Education meeting last night one of the most important matters discussed was the estimates for the Collegiate Institute and Public Schools for 1909.

Mr. L. M. Hayes in speaking of the estimates stated that the overdraft of $5,398.00 was due to engaging new teachers and the general increase in the salary schedule which was necessary in order to retain the efficiency of the staff and to secure new teachers of the highest standard.

Including the overdraft from last year of $5,400 with an additional expenditure of $4,700 increase in the salary schedule of $700 for the science department, the board would require $11,460 more this year than last.

Better Schools

In regards to the estimates for the public schools, Mr. Hill pointed out that the $700 for domestic science department would all be paid back at the rate of $200 per year. Then there are to-day a sufficient number of teachers and the scholars will be given justice as was not possible in the past on account of the crowded condition of the rooms. Now more rooms are available and consequently more teachers have been engaged and their salaries along with the increased salary schedule make up the greater estimate this year than last. On the other hand the Board's grant from the Ontario Government this year would be greater. There are now some 20 first-class teachers engaged and the grant anyway will likely be increased by the Government.

On motion of Mr. Dumble it was decided that the finance committee of the board should wait on the council for the purpose of securing $3,000 by debenture as their expense has already been incurred and cannot be fairly placed as an expenditure for this year.

The following are the amounts prepared by the finance committee and read by Mr. L. M. Hayes:

GENERAL STATEMENT

The General Statement of the receipts and expenditures of the Board of Education for the year ending Dec. 31, 1908 are given herewith:

RECEIPTS

Collegiate Institute Rate	$12,500.00
Public School Rate	33,500.00
Government Grant, Collegiate Institute	1,386.50
Government Grant, Public Schools	1,798.00
Government Grant, Kindergartens	109.09
Fees, Collegiate Institute	2,509.50
Fees, Entrance Examinations	102.75
Fees, Text Books and Supplies	2,369.89
Proceeds Debenture sold re Queen Alexandra School Building	5,000.00
Proceeds Debenture sold re Collegiate Institute Bldg.	32.000.00
City Treasurer, purchase by City of portion of King Edward School Property for Park Purposes	3,000.00
Nicholls' Scholarship Interest	90.00
Interest on Bank Balances	68.53
Sundries	105.62
Balance	11,844.46
Total	$106,384.34

EXPENDITURES

Balance due Bank 31st Dec., 1907	$ 4,359.21
Salaries, Teachers and Officers, Collegiate Institute	13,737.57
Salaries, Teachers and Officers, Public Schools	31,578.70
Printing and Stationery	355.32
Text Books and Supplies	2,530.69
Fuel Account	3,288.50
Expense Account	1,614.93
Repairs and Furniture	3,293.37
Insurance	438.30
Queen Alexandra School Building	6,625.39
Collegiate Institute Bldg.	38,374.52
Nicholls Scholarship Prizes, 1907-08	160.00
Interest Account	47.84
Total	$106,384.34

COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE

The statement of receipts and expenditures of the Peterborough Collegiate Institute for year ending December 31st, 1908, are as follows:

RECEIPTS

Municipal Assessment	$12,500.00
Government Grant	1,386.50
Fees from Pupils	2,509.50
Fees, Entrance Examinations & Teachers' Exams	102.75
Interest Nicholls Scholarship Debenture	90.00
City Treasurer, Collegiate Institute Building	32,000.00
Balance due Bank	6,446.26
Total	$55,035.01

EXPENDITURE

Balance due Bank 31st Dec., 1907	$ 422.78
Salaries, Teachers & Officers	13,737.57
Printing and Stationery	174.40
Fuel Account	350.53
Proportion Expense Account	910.21
Rent to Public Schools	660.00
Insurance	245.00
Nicholls' Scholarship Prizes, 1907-08	160.00
Collegiate Institute Bldg.	38,374.52
Total	$55,035.01

PUBLIC SCHOOLS

The statement of receipts and expenditures of the Peterborough Public Schools for the year ending Dec. 31st, 1908.

RECEIPTS

Municipal Assessment	$33,500.00
Government Grant	1 907.09
Fees, Text Books	2.369.89
Rent from Collegiate Institute	660.00
City Treasurer, Acct. Queen Alexandra School Bdg.	5,000.00
City Treasurer, purchase by City of portion of King Edward School Property for Park	3,000.00
Interest on Bank Balances.	68.53
Sundries	105.62
Balance due Bank	5,398.20
Total	$52,009.33

EXPENDITURE

Balance due Bank 31st Dec., 1907	$3,936.43
Salaries, Teachers & Officers	31,578.70
Printing and Stationery	180.92
Text Books and Supplies	2,530.69
Fuel Account	2,917.97
Proportion Expense Account	704.72
Repairs and Furniture	3,293.37
Insurance	193.30
Interest Account	47.84
Queen Alexandra School Building	6,625.39
Total	$52,009.33

BALANCE SHEET

The Balance Sheet of the Board of Education for the year ending December 31st, 1908:

DR.

To Collegiate Institute Acct	$6,446.26
Public School Account	5,398.20
To Central School Property Account	51,411.52
South Central School Acct	21,289.46
Park Street School Account	4,206.07
Queen Alexandra School Account	34,924.81
East Ward School Account.	8,000.00
King Edward School Acct.	35,811.21
Collegiate Institute Account	77,828.62
Total	$245,316.15

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By Real Estate	$233,471.69
By Bank of Toronto	11,844.46
Total	$245,316.15

ESTIMATE FOR 1909

The estimate of revenue and expenditure of the Peterborough Collegiate Institute for year ending 31st December, 1909 has been made as follows:

EXPENDITURE

Balance due Bank 31st December, 1908	$ 6,446.26
Salaries, Teachers & Officers	16,000.00
Janitor's Salary	852.50
Fuel Account	500.00
Printing and Stationery	200.00
Maps, Chemicals, etc.	200.00
Incidental Expenses	201.24
Required to pay balance contracts to complete Collegiate Institute	3,300.00
Total	$27,700.00

REVENUE

Fees from Pupils	$2,400.00
Government Grant	1,300.00
Amount required from City Treasurer	14,000.00
Amount required by Debenture	10,000.00
Total	$27,700.00

PUBLIC SCHOOLS

The estimate of revenue and expenditure of the Peterborough Public Schools for the year ending December 31st, 1909, is as follows:

EXPENDITURE

Balance due Bank 31st December, 1908	$ 5,398.00
Salaries of Teachers	31,000.00
Salaries of Officers	2,300.00
Salaries of Janitors	3,000.00
Fuel Account	2,000.00
Printing and Stationery	200.00
Repairs and Furniture	1,600.00
Insurance	200.00
Incidental Expenses	602.00
Domestic Science Equipment	700.00
Total	$47,000.00

REVENUE

Government Grant	$ 2,000.00
Amount required from City Treasurer	45,000.00
Total	$47,000.00

RECAPITULATION

For Collegiate Institute	$14,000.00
For Public Schools	45,000.00
Total	$59,000.00

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Going East — Leave Peterborough	
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal, Kingston	11.38 a m
For Indian River, Norwood, Havelock, Tweed	7.51 p m
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	12.31 a m
Going West — Leave Peterborough	
For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	5.38 a m
For Burketon, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	7.38 a m
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points	4.38 p m

GRAND TRUNK.

	Arrive	Depar
Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Gravenhurst, North Bay, Smiths Falls and Toronto	11:40 a.m. 9:30 p.m.	9:05 a.m 11.45 a.m
Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	12:0 a.m. 5:40 p.m.	2:05 p.m. 12:0 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Cobourg Montreal and East	5:30 p.m	11:55 a.m 8:40 a.m. 8:05 p.m
Toronto, Lindsay, Stouffville, Uxbridge and Markham	11:40 a.m. 7:10 a.m 6:00 p.m. 12:10 p.m.	11:55a.m
Lindsay Local	8:15 a.m.	9:30 p.m
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	9:10 a.m. 6:05 p.m.	9:40 a.m 1:50 a.m
Lakefield and Stony Lake	10:00 a.m. 6:15 p.m.	2:00 a.m 12:20 p.m

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TOWN TOPICS

Strong northwest winds much colder, snow flurries. Thursday fine and very cold.

Choir Rehearsal

St. Paul's Choir will rehearse tonight instead of Thursday this week.

Choir Rehearsal

—The choir of the Murray Street Baptist Church will rehearse on Friday night at eight o'clock sharp.

Piano Tuning

Piano tuning promptly attended to. Satisfaction guaranteed. A. F. Hoover, 222 McDonel street. 'Phones — Bell 199k, Mach. 199.

Plan Opens

The plan for the Imperial Scots' Concert, which will be given in the Conservatory of Mysuic Hall on Monday night next, opens on Friday at MacDonald's Drug Store.

Particular

—If you are particular about the way your clothes look, send them to "My (Valet," 204 Charlotte street, and have them cleaned, dyed, repaired and pressed. All particular people do.

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Best shaped sticks for forwards and defence .Also Spaulding's pucks. Shin pads and all correct winter sporting goods always in stock at the Peterborough Bookstore. A. H. Stratton & Co.

Will Withdraw Parlour Car

—The Canadian Pacific Railway will withdraw parlour car, which is attached to local train leaving Peterborough at 7.58 a.m., for the winter season. Last trip leaving Peterborough at 7.58 a.m., Jan. 6th. 3d2

Headquarters

Peterborough, Jan. 5th, 1909 Regt. Orders by the O.C.57th Reg.P.R. No. 1—The "class of instruction" now being held in the drill hall is discontinued from this date.

D. WALKER, Capt.
Adjutant.

Dennis's Poultry Show

—In the window of Roland Dennis's flour and feed store, 358 George street, is to be seen a miniature poultry show, advertising the big show of the Peterborough Poultry and Pet Association, now being held in the market hall. A cute homemade coop has been constructed in the south show window, where may be seen a motherly Black Orpington hen with a brood of little chickens and several prize Black Minorcas doing their poultry yard stunts, as naturally as if they were enjoying the freedom of their own back yard.

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Personal Items

Mr John Hull, of Lakefield, was in the city to-day.

Mrs. T. F. Matthews will not receive again until the 22nd.

Mrs. J. R. Stratton is in Toronto for a few days.

Mr. H. Birchall has accepted the position of pianist at the Royal Theatre.

The Misses Morrow, Weller street, are visiting with friends in Hamilton.

Mrs. D. Hughes Charles and Mrs. Gracey will receive to-morrow afternoon.

Mrs. and Miss Montizambert leave to-morrow, for a two weeks' visit to friends in Quebec.

Mr. Dan Sheehan has gone to Rochester, where he will visit his brother, Mr. J. Sheehan.

Mrs. T. F. Matthews will not receive again until the third Friday in January.

Mr. Wm. Cox, who has been visiting Mr. Harry Hall, Water street, left for Toronto yesterday afternoon.

Miss Alberta Gooding is in London, visiting with her school friend, Miss Stevely, daughter of Mayor Stevely.

D. J. McCarthy, B. S. A., returned on Saturday to Kingston, after spending the holidays with his sister, Mrs. W. Shea, Reid street.

Miss Dell Baker, of Lindsay, has returned home after spending the last few days the guest of Miss M. Trombley, Charlotte street.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Squires and children, of Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. E. Squires, of Hamilton, returned this morning, after having spent New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Squires, Albert street.

Mr. A. A. Fowler, District Deputy Grand Master, I. O. O. F. was in Norwood yesterday installing officers of the Norwood Lodge, No. 282, I. O. O. F. with Col. J. W. Miller, P. G. R. J. Mackett, P. G., and F. Wise P. G.

Miss Helen Davidson left to-day on a visit to friends in Sarnia. In the course of a couple of weeks she will join her mother at King Fisher, after which Mrs. Davidson and Miss Davidson will spend the winter in Mexico.

Among those who returned to St. Hilda's College, Toronto, yesterday were Misses Dorothy Aylmer, Gladys Orane, Jean Harstone, Marion Deane, Muriel Burnett and Lillian Supamerville, Mabel Budge and Marjorie Helz-Fesse.

Mr. Milo D. Heath left Adams, N.Y. Monday morning to take a three months' treatment in the hospital at Hot Springs, Arkansas. He was accompanied by his brother, Luman, of Watertown.

Mrs. R. S. Davidson, Dalhousie street, accompanied her mother, Mrs. Thos Menzies, to her home at King Fisher, Oklahoma Territory, yesterday. Mrs. Menzies has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Davidson, for some months.

THE CHURCH LEAGUE TO OPEN TO-NIGHT

Knox and George Street Churches Will Play at Knox Church Rink Between 7 and 8 o'clock.

The Church League will open tonight, when a game will be played between Knox and George Street churches, at Knox Rink, between 7 and 8 o'clock. The teams appear to be evenly matched and no doubt a good crowd will be on hand for the opening. Arrangements have been made to have Rev. E. A. Pearson, of George Street Methodist Church face off the puck. The Knox Church team will line up as follows:

Goal, Crowe; point, Denoon; cover point, Galley; rover, R. Hillier; right wing, Barclay; left wing, Reid.

Miller's Worm Powders cure fits in children. Sold by J. D. Tully, druggist, Peterborough.

WEDDING BELLS

SHARPE-HARRISON

Examiner Special.

The home of Dr. and Mrs. Harrison, Keene, was the scene of a very pretty wedding, December 30th, at 11 a.m., when their only daughter, Mabel, was married to Mr. Torrance B. Sharpe, of the Bank of Ottawa, Winnipeg. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. D. Harrison under a floral arch. The bride looked lovely in her handsome gown of liberty satin with trimmings of duchess lace and seed pearls. Her veil was arranged over a coronet of orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley. She was attended by Miss. Miller, of Calgary, who wore a beautiful gown of pink figured silk voile and carried a large bouquet of pink roses. Little Aileen Steele, cousin of the bride, made a very sweet little flower girl, dressed in white and carried a basket of sweet peas. Mr. Philip Boyd, of Toronto, attended the groom. Miss Campbell, of Peterborough, played Lohengrin Wedding March as the bridal party entered the room.

After receiving the congratulations of their friends an elaborate wedding breakfast was served in the dining room (which was decorated in the Xmas colours) to 23 guests. The usual toasts were proposed and responded to. The bride's going-away gown was of taupe broadcloth with velvet and braiding with hat to match. They left on the afternoon train for Montreal and other points and will spend two weeks in the east before going to their home in Winnipeg.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 25 cents each insertion in either the Daily or Weekly Examiner

BIRTHS.

RISCHOR — In Peterborough, on Wednesday, January 6th, 1909, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rischor.

MEN ARE FLOCKING TO *Laidlaw & Oles*

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Single Breasted Sack Coats
Made of fancy Cheviots, Scotch Tweeds, Homespuns and black and blue Serges

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Tailored with special care in a variety of fine fabrics

Haberdashery
Fine Imported Neckwear.
Exclusive lines in Imported Shirts
White and Fancy Shirts.
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Evening Dress Requisites
Gloves, Collars, Cuffs, Braces, Handkerchiefs, Vests and other things, the very newest in shade, shape and pattern, all at very much reduced prices.

All accounts due to the late firm of Laidlaw & Oles must be paid on or before January 15th, 1909, otherwise they will be placed in a solicitor's hands for collection.

FASHION CRAFT,
140 Hunter Street

SOCIALIST GRIBBLE MAKES LURID SPEECH TO TORONTO WORKERS YESTERDAY

Toronto, Jan. 8.—Standing ankle-deep in the mud of Bayside Park, a crowd of a thousand unemployed workingmen, called together and led by a little band of Socialists, passed a resolution calling on the City Council to give them the use of a hall, preferably the St. Lawrence arena, in which they could meet every day to discuss the unemployed problem.

A committee was deputed to wait on the city fathers with the request.

The Socialist speakers certainly used "a lot of language" to the workless crowd at this morning's meeting.

Wilfrid Gribble handed out the lurid language.

"Fools," he called his hearers.

"I don't love you; no, why should I? You're a beautiful lot to be loved. You have intelligence, but no sense."

Most of the crowd took this in good humour, but there were a few murmurs of dissent.

The Martyrs.

"If you don't like this you know what you can do," came back Mr. Gribble. "We Socialists have talked to you for years—we have been arrested for you, we have paid fines for you, we have suffered for you, and still you won't help yourselves. Some of us will have to go to prison and some of us may have to die before it's over, but we're with you because we belong to you, not because we love you."

Crowd—"Hear! Hear!"

"But it goes hard with me to have to stand here in three or four inches of mud when we want to hold a meeting. You men built these great buildings—" waving his hand in the direction of the Custom House and the factories and warehouses—"you built these railways, you built the big halls in this city, but when you want to meet you can't have one of them." (Applause.)

Not Jobs, But Rights.

A red-headed Scot broke in here with some complaint about the rate of wages paid in this country.

The orator promptly called him down.

It was not jobs they were after—it was their right. Wealth should not be all in the hands of the few. Those who produced it should have it.

"Last winter you went to the City Hall in a straggling mob. Don't do it again. Go marching four abreast when you go in to the City Hall or the Parliament Buildings again. Organize, drill, discipline, so that when you go they will say to themselves, 'These men come now with empty hands, but some day they may come with arms in their hands.' (Cheers.)

"They say there is a beautiful home on high. Let us hope there is, for we certainly haven't it here. We are sure of nothing after this life—you men are getting nearer the grave every moment. Are you going to drag out all the rest of your lives as you have been doing? Or do you want to live as men should?"

It will be remembered that Organizer Gribble visited Peterborough a few weeks ago and spoke in the interests of Socialism.

Hordes Of Moslems Rush To Tigahur; Troops Trying To Head Them Off

Examiner Special

Calcuta, Jan. 6.—Hordes of Moslems are rushing to Tigahur to avenge the insult. British troops and constabulary are trying to head them off and a bloody encounter is expected. An uprising of Hindus may be the consequence.

Amoy Channel, Jan. 6.—Reports received here to-day from the districts in Manchuria affected by the recent revolutionary outbreak, say the movement troops have burned seven villages and that the insurgents are on the defensive.

Catania, Jan. 6.—With the exception of troops Reggio is practically evacuated to-day, and the complete evacuation of Messina has been ordered for the end of the week.

THE WISE PRODUCER EXPLAINS THE REASON

Why did we buy "Paid in Full" when all the other managers in New York rejected it? That is a question that has been put to me many times since Eugene Walter's play has registered a success.'

L. A. Wagenhals, senior member of the firm of Wagenhals and Kemper, answered the question of a New York newspaper man as he puffed vigorously at a pipe. Mr. Wagenhals is a forceful, nervous man who smokes continually and speaks with decision.

"The first appeal the play made to me when I read it was its intense reality. It was what newspaper men call 'a human interest story.' Its characters were living, breathing, erring, everyday people, and its plot was a reflection of life in any American city. For instance, there are thousands of men like Joseph Brooks, the sneaking, anarchistic, ineffectual, disappointed cad, who lacks the ability to rise above his $15 a week position, and steals from his employer because he can't increase his revenue honestly. He is simply a by-product of our civilization, a useless being, who believes the world owes him a living. There are many of this type walking the streets of New York and the big cities; there are scores of them in your offices and business houses, watching the clock and giving as grudgingly of their paltry services as possible, then complaining because they don't get along.

"Paid in Full" impressed Mr. Kemper and me because it seemed to touch the main moral issues in American life to-day from the standpoint of the average man. Its theme is the Eighth Commandment, 'Thou shalt not steal'—and the subject is treated realistically and with almost brutal strength. Mr. Walter does not mince words, and does not strain after literary elegance. He simply tells a plain everyday story in the vernacular of the period, and his argument hits home with the weight of a sledge hammer. It did not make any difference to us that the play has been refused by Charles Frohman and David Belasco, or by Cosse Payton and Mrs. Spooner, and all the managers in between. We thought we saw its strength, and within 24 hours after Mr. Walter read it to us he had his contract and, what was more important to him, a tidy sum in advance royalty, which enabled him to move from his bench in Hyde Park to a comfortable hotel.

One great recommendation of the play recognizable even in its manuscript form was that it contained a new idea and treated of a very life subject. There is no more vital issue to-day than that of socialism. Most plays that deal with the topic at all portray the capitalist as a greedy, unscrupulous villain, but Mr. Walter sees the subject in a new light. The capitalist is made a grutt, but tender-hearted individual, while the employe is shown as an incompetent, soured by his inability to keep in the race with his fellows, and accepting dishonesty and disgrace off his own wife as welcome alternatives to hard work.

When Mr. Kemper and I read 'Paid in Full,' we realized that its author was a man with a message. He has already received an eager hearing in both New York and Chicago, and I believe other cities will be equally ready to listen to him.'

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OTTAWA MAN IS BURNED TO DEATH

Wm. Kellock, B.A., Meets Horrible Fate at Weyburn, Sask.

Examiner Special.

Ottawa, Jan. 7.—Word has reached here that William Kellock, B.A., who has relatives here was burned to death at Weyburn, Sask., on Christmas Eve. He was seated in his house reading when the building took fire and though every effort was made to get him out they were unavailing. One hand was almost burnt off and his head and face were horribly charred. A sad feature is that the announcement reached a brother, the Rev. J. M. Kellock, at Elgin, Manitoba, when the latter was at Christmas entertainment, in the act of taking the part of Santa Claus. The body was interred at Spencerville, Ontario. The deceased was a graduate of Queen's and has built up a splendid practice at Weyburn. He left a father and mother, at Kinmear's Mills, Quebec, and several sisters and brothers. He was a member of the I.O.O.F.

Another Bad Fire In Ennismore To-day.

W. H. Crough's Property Damaged by Blaze—Barns and Stables Were Destroyed.

Word was received this afternoon of another fire in Ennismore. The barns and stables belonging to Mr. Wm J. Crough were destroyed, together with the machinery and the summer's products of the fields, which were stored in them. Mr. Crough and his wife, it was learned, had gone for the day on a visit to relatives, and only the young people were left to fight the fire. The stock was taken out safely, but everything else was lost. The origin of the blaze could not be ascertained.

It was only two days ago that a similar misfortune befell Mr. H. F. Crough, a cousin of Mr. Wm. J. Crough.

NEW BRUNSWICK BRIDGE IS GONE

Extraordinary Flood—Conditions in the Maritime Province—C. P. R. Fireman Killed.

Examiner Special.

Toronto, Jan. 7.—Archbishop McEvay had appointed Father O'Leary, Collingwood, diocesan director.

Fireman Thompson was killed in head-on collision of C. P. R. freights, west of Chapleau.

Perry Point Bridge, longest in New Brunswick, was washed away and the province faces extraordinary flood conditions. 7-1-9

BROKE HER ANKLE IN FALL ON STEPS

Mrs. Isidore Goselin Met With Painful Accident.

Mrs. Isidore Goselin, Romaine street, met with an accident yesterday morning which will confine her to her bed for some time. She was going down a number of steps leading to the yard, when she slipped and fell, fracturing her left ankle. Dr. McNulty attended her and she is now resting easily.

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ANNUAL MEETING

Of The Peterborough Young Men's Christian Association.

The Annual Meeting of the above Association will be held in the Parlours of the Association Building on Tuesday, January 12th, 1909, at 8 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the annual reports and of electing six directors for the term ending December 31st, 1911.

All members and subscribers are invited to attend.

J. C. SHOOK, President. F. G. HASSARD, Gen. Sec.

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RUSHING WORK ON NEW WING AT OTTAWA

Examiner Special.

Ottawa, Jan. 7.—Though work on the new wing to the House of Commons is being rushed, it is doubtful if it will be ready for the 20th inst., when Parliament opens. Every effort is being made to get it in shape in time.

At Washington before the Ways and Means Committee of the 60th Congress of the United States, "Salada" Tea was spoken of as the "King of Teas." 107

WITH THE IMPERIAL OPERA CO.

Miss Violet Colby, the mezzo-soprano of the Imperial Opera Company, which appears in Peterborough at the Grand on Saturday, matinee and evening, played one of the leading roles in "San Toy" in the Coliseum at Cleveland, before appearing with the Imperial Opera Company at Toronto, at the Royal Alexandra Theatre. She has been a member of a number of big New York musical successes, and has the reputation of being, not only one of the prettiest, but also one of the best dressed women on the stage. Miss Colby's gowns created quite a sensation in Toronto, many of them being recent importations from Paris. In "San Toy" Miss Colby will wear a number of the prettiest creations.

No More Red Blankets Now For The French River Indians

Ninety-seven North Bay Aborigines Will Share Among Them Over One Million Dollars---Sell Timber to Government----Richer Than Longboat.

NORTH BAY, January 4. — As the result of a sale of pine timber lands on the French River, ninety-seven Indians will share among them over a million dollars. The limits were put up by berths at auction in Ottawa by a Government agent recently, acting for the Indians, to eager lumber merchants who have been casting jealous eyes on the red man's treasure for years.

In exact figures the sale totalled $871,000, but the timber dues will swell this amount till it passes the million dollar mark.

Ten per cent. was paid in cash and the happy redskins have already had the pleasure of dividing over $80,000 among them. The balance invested so as to yield even the minimum rate of interest, will give the little tribe an annual income of over $30,000, or $300 each. This means $3000 for a family of ten, which is not an unusual size.

END OF LONG STRUGGLE

The transaction ends a long and bitter controversy among the members of the tribe, which is composed of five families; the Dokis, Restoules, Kessos, Metagams and Ennewichs.

For years old Chief Michael Dokis made a pathetic effort to preserve the hunting grounds of his ancestors from the rapacious inroads of the white man. In spite of his iron rule he could not secure unanimity in his policy of conservatism. The Restoules were its bitter opponents.

In February, 1907, Michael Dokis died. Before his decease he called his son and heir, Alexander Dokis, to his bedside and made him swear that he would never agree with the Restoules to sell the precious timber, where in years gone by, he, too, chased the fleet-footed denizens of the forest in company with departed braves.

After the death of the grim old chief, the smouldering opposition broke out again. The new ruler could not stem the tide of modern Indian thought. The Restoules carried the day, and gave notice in a grand pow-wow that the land of the great pines was for sale.

Old Michael Dokis must have turned in his grave. For years he had unsuccessfully tried to expel the Restoules because they had white blood, but they had stubbornly remained to share the Government bounty. And now the commercial instincts of the white blood have triumphed over aboriginal conservatism.

A SHREWD INDIAN

The Indian agent who transacted the business, narrates an incident to show that the native Indian has not lost his original diplomatic talents, which were the admiration and despair of the explorers.

When the surrender papers were all ready to sign, and the Indian agent, with great relief, saw the end of the long and tiresome pow-wows and bickering, a brave rushed excitedly into the council hall, threw a mouthful of guttural Indian vowels at the astonished official, and expressed the fervid desire that proceedings be stayed. Without any explanation the Indian dashed madly back to his cabin, and another hour dragged slowly by, punctuated by the sending of several messages for the absent brave, whose signature was essential to complete the surrender document. Finally the missing one made his appearance and calmly affixed his mark to the paper while the exasperated Indian agent read a new version of the Riot Act to him-for his tardiness. Then was vouched the simple explanation: "New papoose come; Indian wait." For a new Indian had been born into the world; and would now share in the division of the spoils, which the axe of the white man would bring to the wigwam. If the surrender papers had been completed before the baby arrived the family would have been short one share of the proceeds of the sale of the pine.

MISS YATES' LECTURE AT LOCAL POULTRY SHOW WAS INSTRUCTIVE

Clever Demonstrator From the Institutes' Branch of the Department of Agriculture Pleased Big Crowd.

THE KILLING AND DRESSING

At the demonstration, given in the Market Hall last night, under the auspices of the Peterborough Poultry and Pet Stock Association, a great many useful facts were shown to a large audience who flocked to see it.

Miss Yates, the Government Lecturer, who is on the Staff of the Department of Agriculture, was the demonstrator. She is an English woman, and received her professional training at Reading University, after which she received an appointment on the staff of Studley Agricultural College, Warwickshire, as poultry instructor. She is the only lady who has ever managed the Utility Poultry Club "Egg Laying Competition," having held the office for two years in succession. Coming to this country three years ago, she has lectured before a number of poultry associations and has taken this subject up at a great many Farmers' Institute, and Women's Institute meetings.

Miss Yates stated that the Canadian eggs are the best that are shipped to England and that our poultry is tht very wost. France having the bulk of that extensive trade.

She pointed out the necessity of not feeding the birds for about 24 hours before killing, if this was done there was a poisonous gas escaping from the entrails which made the meat almost useless and therefore there was no sale for it.

The best method of taking the bones from the chicken was demonstrated and showed the great advantage of doing this, both for the seller and for the consumer, especially for a person giving a large dinner party. When the flesh was rolled and stuffed it presented a far daintier appearance than the whole chicken. She also showed how to kill a chicken for the best results, killing a large bird to demonstrate this. There was no cut or anything like that, the blood flowing into a large cavity which forms from the way that the neck is broken.

How to string a bird to make it look nicer and also to make it steady on the plate for carving was also shown, and a great many questions were asked after the lecture was over showing in this way, how greatly it was appreciated.

Miss Yates remarked that she was a great advocate of the selling on the market of poultry and eggs by weight and not by the bird and dozen. This has been talked a great deal about and would be a great advantage to the buyer as he would get all that he paid for. A large chart was pinned to the curtain which showed the different breeds of birds that are the best for laying and setting, and those which made the best table birds.

A receipt was given for a savoury dressing for chickens. The following is enough to stuff two large birds: 8 ounces crumbs, 4 tablespoonfuls chopped parsley, 4 tablespoonfuls herbs, 2 tablespoonfuls butter, 4 whole eggs, 2 dessertspoonfuls salt, 1 dessertspoonful pepper, 2 tablespoonfuls of chopped bacon and lean can also be added.

The chairman was Mr. Jas. Hastie, who gave a short introductory address at the beginning of the evening, which proved very interesting.

All present reaped many useful points for their home kitchens, a great many making notes for future reference.

At the end a hearty vote of thanks was tendered Miss Yates for her instructive address.

Girl Has Been Arrested In Toronto On Charge Of Theft

P. C. Meagher was sent to Toronto this morning to take into custody Bessie Mott, the young domestic, who disappeared from the home of Rev. Riddiford on Christmas Day, with, it is claimed, about seven dollars, for the theft of which she has been arrested.

It will be remembered that Rev. Mr. Riddiford and his wife went out to dinner that day, leaving their child under the care of this girl. She left town on the noon G. T. R. train and when Mr. Riddiford and his wife returned about three o'clock in the afternoon they found the baby alone in the house, and she had been in this state for three or four hours. When the affair was turned over to the police it was not long before a telegram was received from Toronto by Chief Bozzel stating that the girl had been apprehended.

She had been engaged only a week and before that had come from Toronto.

PRAYER MEETINGS TO BE HELD THIS EVENING

Large attendances are expected at the special prayer meetings this evening, which will be held at Knox Presbyterian and Murray street Baptist Churches. The subject of the addresses will be "The Supremacy of Christ in Social Life." The attendances have been very good and it is hoped that during the rest of the week they will be noticeably larger.

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The newly elected and the retiring officers of St. Peter's T.A.S. were entertained by the retiring President Mr. W. S. Merrell, at his residence on Homewood ave. last night. An informal banquet was the form of the entertainment and twenty-five of the members of the society enjoyed the recherche luncheon which was daintily prepared and served.

Rev. Dr. O'Brien occupied the seat of honour and conducted a list of speeches and a general discussion on a few of important current questions of to-day

The evening proved a most enjoyable one. Mr. Merrell was a capital host and more than succeeded in providing a pleasant social time.

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CHURCH LEAGUE TO OPEN THIS EVENING

Park Street and St. Andrew's Teams Will Play on Park Street Rink.

The George street Team failed to show up last night for their game with Knox Church, and accordingly the Church League opening scheduled for last night had to be postponed. The season will open to-night, however, when Park street and St. Andrew's will meet at Park street rink between 8 and 9 p.m.

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After a period of very mild and unseasonable January weather, another cold snap arrived here last night. Yesterday at noon the thermometer was up to 30 degrees and last night the mercury fell to 8 degrees below zero. At noon the official registration was exactly zero. There will likely be a low mark reached to-night as conditions are favourable for such

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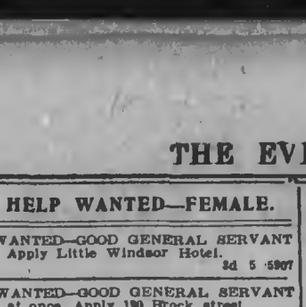

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UNION LABEL

Thursday, January 7, 1909

AN ADVANCE MOVEMENT.

Hon Rodolphe Lemieux, Postmaster-General, shows, according to Mr. Henniker Heaton, the resourcefulness of Mahomet—if cheaper cable rates wont come to him he will "go in" for a cable of his own. That is, according to Mr. Heaton, if the cable companies will not meet Mr. Lemieux's proposal for a very substantial reduction of rates, Mr. Lemieux will have constructed, with the aid of the British Government and the Government of Australia, a state-owned oceanic cable line, or lines, capable of carrying ten or twenty million words a year, at a cost of two pence a word. One of the most potent, if not the most powerful, agencies of trade development and popular unification is facility of intercourse, through the lowest possible postal and telegraphic rates, and effective and cheap transportation. Hon. Mr. Lemieux is doing more for the unification and consolidation of the Empire than all the jingoists, who preach big armaments on sea and land. The cheapened postal rates, together with the aim of cheaper cable rates, are the thin edge of the wedge that will open up the way to an All-Red Route, whose influence is binding together and developing the resources of the several units of the Empire, will be greater than any other conceivable agency. We have the sentiment of unity and co-operation now. What we need is to have this materialized in the interests of trade expansion and its associated benefits and advantages.

Although, in accordance with the policy of the Liberal Government of Canada, the increase in expenditure of the post office department, amounted to $578,442 last year, there is still a surplus of $1,101,826.

THE LEMIEUX ACT.

Thanks largely to the Lemieux Act, the number of serious trade disputes has been growing less in Canada, and the New Year dawns of a Dominion almost free from industrial warfare. In November, according to the latest returns, one days lost as a result of trade disputes amounted to 5,715 as compared with 19,583 in November, 1907. The Lemieux Act is not without honour in its own country; but its prestige is perhaps even greater abroad. Public men in many countries have been impressed with its admirable provisions. In a recent address President Eliot, of Harvard University, dwelling on the good will between employers and employees says both seem willing to abandon the weapon which enables them to strike the sudden blows—the lockout or the strike. "Just here," he added, "is where public opinion may be brought to play in our own country. Canada has shown the way to the prevention of the most pernicious and injurious industrial strife. Public opinion must be brought to the adoption of the same method in our own country."—Hamilton Herald.

ELECTORAL FIGURES.

The Ottawa Free Press drops into a statistical mood and compiles the following figures, which it calls "election curiosities," and anomolies of our system of representation.

"The official figures of the voting in the Federal general elections on October 26, reveal certain very remarkable anomalies of our system of representation.

"The total popular Liberal vote, as compiled by the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery, was 571,556, and the total popular Conservative vote was 542,985, a Liberal majority of 31,671, so that a change of less than sixteen thousand votes would have altered the result entirely.

"Take the vote in the provinces and analyze it, and you will find some remarkable contrasts. In Ontario the Conservative vote was 236,919, and the Liberal vote 241,824. But the Conservatives elected 43 members, while the Liberals only elected 37. Thus, while the Conservatives had only 51 per cent. of the votes they have nearly 57 per cent. of the seats, while the Liberals with 49 per cent. of the votes were only able to win 43 per cent. of the seats.

"In Quebec the disparity is the other way. The Liberals polled 158,396 votes, and the Conservatives 129,364, but the Liberals won 54 seats, while the Conservatives only captured 11. In other words, the Liberals took 83 per cent. of the seats with 55 per cent. of the vote while the Conservatives, although polling 45 per cent. of the vote, only won 17 per cent. of the seats.

"In Manitoba the Conservatives won eight out of the ten seats. The Conservative vote was 34,599 and that of the Liberals 28,196. So that the Conservatives, while polling only 55 per cent. of the vote, won 80 per cent. of the seats, and the Liberals, although polling 45 per cent. of the vote, only won 20 per cent. of the constituencies.

"Nova Scotia elected 12 Liberals and 6 Conservatives, but the Liberals polled 48,434 votes (50 per cent.) and won 66 per cent. of the seats while the Conservatives polled 47,515 (very nearly 50 per cent.) and only got 34 per cent. of the seats.

"New Brunswick affords another curious contrast. The Liberal vote was 40,716 and the Conservative vote 34,945, and the former elected 11 and the latter only two members. So that 54 per cent. of the vote elected over 84 per cent. of the members, and 46 per cent. of the vote was only able to win 16 per cent. of the seats.

"The figures of the other provinces will, when complete, show the same striking contrast."

These figures can hardly be regarded as "election curiosities." They are expected results of a majority system of representation. They would have some significance if the parties voted by provinces and the vote polled by either party was divided by the number of constituencies, and the party representatives apportioned accordingly. Such evident disparities are inevitable where the party balance of constituencies is very uneven. One riding, with a 2,000 registered vote, may give a candidate of one party a thousand majority, while another with a similar voting power, may give a candidate of the opposite party a majority of one. In these cases the popular majority does not count—under our system, one riding is as really and effectively represented in Parliament as the other. In effect the vote in either case becomes unanimous and the member elected represents the whole body of the electorate; and if he is faithful to his obligations he will make no distinction, he is bound to serve and protect the interests of all, irrespective of consideration of the fact that they voted for him or against him.

It will not be the fault of Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, Postmaster-General, if there is not a five cent cable rate between Canada and Great Britain before long.

NORWOOD ITEMS OF INTEREST

Norwood, Dec. 29.—Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Mills and Master Gordon Mills, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. G E Mills.

Miss Mary McNichol, of Rochester, N.Y., and Mr. Leo McNichol, of Chicago, Ill., are visiting at their home here.

Miss A Trout of the High School staff is spending her vacation at her home in Wiarton.

Miss L M Scott, of Toronto is visiting her sister, Mrs. E L Squire.

Mrs. Harry Harper returned from Toronto on Saturday.

Mrs. T J Dent, of Carberry, Man., Mrs. T McNab, of Sault Ste. Marie, and Mr. Chas. Patterson, of Toronto, spent Christmas with their parents Mr. and Mrs. J S Patterson. Mr. Gordon Patterson, of New Liskeard, arrived on Monday evening to spend New Year's at his home.

Mrs. Chisholm and daughter, Marion of West Toronto are guests of Mrs. A Howson.

Mr. Harold Chandler, of Toronto, Mrs. Blacklock and children, of Gratton, spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Chandler.

Mr and Mrs. Ira Moore, of Peterborough, and Mr. and Mrs. J Thompson of Wellman's Corners were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C J Searight for Christmas.

Miss E Cuttle, of Toronto, spent Christmas with her brother, Mr. E L Cuttle

Mr. M S Foster, of Toronto; Miss Mabel Foster, of Almonte and Miss Beatrice Foster, of London, were home for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. White were guests of the former's parents last week, before returning to South Africa.

Mr Clayton, Junior, of Wheatley, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Junior.

Mr. Ashton Lillie, of Peterborough, was home for Christmas.

Mr. E. G. McLeod spent Christmas at Pakenham.

Mr Frank McCleary, of Merrickville, and Miss Lillie McCleary, of Toronto, spent Christmas with their mother, Mrs. J. McCleary.

Miss Annie Burkell, of Toronto, and Mr. Oscar Burkell, of Havelock, spent Christmas at their home here.

Miss Madge Patterson returned last week, having spent the last few months at Sault Ste. Marie.

The Misses Brooks, of Percy, were in town this week.

Mr. Tom Miller, of Toronto, was in town last week.

Mr. Alex Calder, of Toronto, spent a few days at his home here.

Mr. N R. Houson, of Stirling, and Mr. Geo. Houson, of Ottawa, spent Christmas with their parents Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Houson.

Master G. Torrance, of Peterborough, is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. W. Dafoe.

Miss Edith Stewart, of West Toronto, is spending her vacation at the home of her aunt, Miss J. Stewart.

Miss Pauline Weir and Master Arthur Weir are spending the week in Madoc, visiting their grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Weir.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Miller, of Midland, and Miss Flossie Nicol, of Toronto, spent Christmas with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Nicol.

Miss H. L. MacLachlan, of Bracebridge, is spending her holidays at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. F. Campbell, of Georgetown, were the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pearce, for Christmas.

Miss Maye McCarthy, of Toronto, spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McCarthy.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Elphick, of Peterborough, were in town for Christmas visiting relatives.

Mr Jack Sherry, B. A., of Toronto, spent Christmas with his father, Mr. Geo. J Sherry.

Mr Edgar Nickel, of the S. P. S., Toronto, is spending the week at his home.

Mr. Roy Richardson, of Queen's University, Kingston, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Richardson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Finlay, Mr. and Mrs M. R. Callander and Miss Mildred Callander spent Christmas in Tweed, with Mr. and Mrs. A. Fitzgerald.

Mr and Mrs. G. W. Buck spent Christmas in Peterborough, with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Howson.

Mr Fred Buck, of Toronto, is spending his vacation at his home.

Miss Bearss spent a few days with friends in Toronto.

Mr Robert Hill, of Warsaw, was in town on Tuesday.

Miss Madge Lees, of Peterborough, is visiting her grandfather, Mr. R. W. Waters.

Miss Helen Pearce has returned from a visit of several months in the west.

Mr. and Mrs. David Drope, of Warkworth, spent Christmas with Mrs. Drope's sister, Miss V. Coffe.

Miss Vida Wilkins, of Toronto, and Miss Gladys Wilkins, of Hamilton, are spending the vacation with their parents.

Mr Scott Wildman, of Moosomin, Sask., is visiting at the home of his father Mr. John Wildman.

Mr. Arthur Hall, of Toronto, was a guest of his sister, Mrs. J. F. Pearce, over Sunday.

Miss McColl is a guest of her friend, Miss Regina Fry.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson, of Keene, and Miss N. Davidson, of Toronto spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. A. Davidson.

Mr. Arnold Scott, of Toronto, is spending his vacation at his home here.

Mr Bert Sanders, of West Toronto, has been a guest at the home of his uncle, Mr. H. G. Buck.

Miss Theresa Robson, of Toronto, is visiting her parents during the holidays.

Miss Annie Richardson, of Otonabee, was home for Christmas.

Miss Jessie McNaughton, of Stayner, is home for the holidays.

Mr. R. H. Elphick, of Toronto, is spending the vacation with his parents, Mr and Mrs. Geo. Elphick.

Mrs Spence, of Peterborough, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B Greenbank.

Miss Kathleen Graham, of Hastings, spent a few days with Miss V. Fry.

Messrs Trevor and Guy Grover, of Toronto, spent Christmas with their father, Mr. T. Grover.

Mrs Robert Johnston, of Melfort, Sask., arrived last week and will spend a couple of months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Campbell.

Mr Geo. Grover and Mr. J. J. Grover, of Toronto, were guests of their mother, Mrs. Geo. Grover, for Christmas.

Miss Helen Ford is spending her vacation at her home in Lucknow.

Mrs C. E. Thomson is visiting in Peterborough with her daughter, Mrs. A P. Brown.

Mr and Mrs. W. Atkinson, of Niagara, spent Christmas at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Campbell.

Miss Jennie Buck, of Selwyn, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Buck.

Miss Annie Thomson, of Young's Point, is spending her holidays at her home here.

Miss Beatrice Finlay, of Toronto, was home for Christmas.

Mr Norman Patterson, of Toronto, was home over Sunday.

Miss Mary Johnston, of Havelock, spent Christmas with her parents.

Mr. Harold Scales, of Toronto, is spending the week at his home.

Mrs (Rev.) Pickford spent Christmas in Peterborough with her sister, Mrs. A P. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Anderson, of Wiarton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McMillan on Monday.

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TRAFFIC AT A STANDSTILL

Telegraph and Telephone Lines Are Down and Several Bridges Are Under Water — Wind Carries Away Signal Tower and Steamer in Harbor Collides With Bridge—Wrecks Are Feared on Bay.

St. John, N.B., Jan. 7.—All traffic on C.P.R. lines in this province is at a standstill, and all branch lines are out of commission. Some Intercolonial bridges are three feet under water and enormous damage to private property is the result of the worst rain and wind storm in the history of New Brunswick, which raged from midnight until noon yesterday.

The wind at Point Lapreaux, near St. John, at times reached a velocity of nearly a hundred miles per hour and the seas of the Bay of Fundy were running mountains high. Several ocean liners ready to leave St. John yesterday morning remained securely tide to wharves and harbor shipping is at a standstill. Every tug owned here has been busy all day in frantic efforts to help vessels anchored in harbor.

Shortly before noon the large Italian steel bark Merioneth, tied to Government Pier with fifteen huge hawsers, ripped, broke away and drifted across the harbor to the I.C.R. trestle bridge, with which she collided with terrific force, bending her plates and carrying away the upper structure of the bridge. Tugs were incapable of holding her against the gale. Some of her sails were torn from the yards and left in shreds. Several schooners broke away and were damaged.

It is feared many wrecks took place along the treacherous Bay of Fundy and Maine coast. The steamers Montezuma, Bengorehead and Manchester Trader are being held here until the storm abates.

The telegraph and telephone wires all over the province are down.

At the height of the gale the signal tower and apparatus on the customs house was carried away and several pedestrians narrowly escaped being struck. Plate glass windows and chimneys all over the city were demolished.

Haymarket Square, a low part of the city, is under water two feet and people are leaving their houses in delivery wagons.

All C.P.R. trains for to-day are cancelled, as near Welsford, a few miles above here, a washout seven miles long occurred. It is hoped the water across the I.C.R. tracks near Sussex will subside to allow trains to pass to-day. Auxiliary trains have been sent out from here to effect a pass.

In Moncton and Fredericton cellars and whole streets were flooded and people are very uneasy.

BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

Mrs. Elgar Coville of Syracuse, N.Y., aged 75, who lived alone, was burned to death.

Twenty-two sentences of death for crimes committed in 1908 are announced from St. Petersburg.

E. H. Harriman has decided to build a railway line from the main line of the Southern Pacific into the Republic of Mexico.

Of 615 deaths in St. John, N.B., during 1908 reported by the Board of Health, tuberculosis in its various forms was responsible for 118.

Sam Duck of Grand Valley was tried before Magistrates Richardson, Tate and McClelland and convicted and fined $40 for selling ordinary butter as creamery.

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MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Close Unchanged, Chicago Higher—Live Stock—Latest Quotations.

Wednesday Evening, Jan. 6.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day unchanged, and corn closed ½d higher to ½d lower than yesterday.

At Chicago, May wheat closed ½c higher than yesterday, May corn closed ⅝c lower, and May oats ½c higher.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—January 98½c bid, July $1.03 bid, May $1.02 bid.
Oats—January 36½c bid, May 40⅝c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	$0 94	to $....
Wheat, red, bush	0 93	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 90	....
Rye, bush	0 60	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 65	....
Peas, bushel	0 80	....
Barley, bushel	0 50	....
Oats, bushel	0 42	....

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 26
Butter, store lots	0 22	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 28	0 30
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 40	....
Eggs, cold storage	0 26	....
Cheese, large, lb	0 12½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11
Honey, combs, dozen	2 25	2 75

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 6.—Closing—Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 10¾d. Futures quiet; March 7s 7¼d, May 7s 6¾d.

Corn—Spot steady; new American mixed (via Galveston), 5s 6d. Futures steady; Jan. 5s 2¾d, March 5s 3¼d, May 5s 2¾d.

Hams—Short cut firm, 44s 6d.

Bacon—Short rib steady, 45s; long clear middles, light, easy, 45s 6d; do., heavy, dull, 45s; clear bellies easy, 52s.

Cheese—Canadian finest white steady, 90s; do., colored, steady, 91s.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Jan 6.—Butter—Steady to firm, unchanged; receipts, 6997.

Cheese—Firm; receipts, 1053; state, full cream, October, best, 12½c.

Eggs—Firm; receipts, 3838; state, Pennsylvania and nearby, fancy, selected, white, 40c; do., fair to choice, 38c to 39c; do., brown and mixed, fancy, 34c to 36c; do., fair to choice, 32c to 33c; western firsts, 32c; do., seconds, 30c to 31c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Higher—Hogs Are Further Advanced at Buffalo.

LONDON, Jan. 6.—London cables for cattle are steady at 13c to 14½c per pound, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9½c to 9⅝c per pound.

Montreal Live Stock.

MONTREAL, Jan. 6.—At the Canadian Pacific Live Stock Market the offerings this morning were 600 cattle 200 sheep and lambs, 400 hogs and 125 calves. Considering that this was practically a holiday for the butchers, the attendance was very fair at the above market, and, as the supply of cattle was not excessive, for which the demand was fairly good, as all the buyers present seemed to want a few to see them over the balance of the week, a firmer feeling prevailed in the market and much better prices were realized than on Monday for the same class of stock. There was also some demand from local exporters, and they bid 4¾c for the best Ontario steers offered, which figure holders would not accept, and later they sold them at as high as $4.75 to $4.80 per 100 lbs. Good cows were in demand and brought $3.87½ per 100 pounds, while common cattle sold all the way from 2c to 3½c per pound. A weaker feeling has developed in the market for sheep, and prices are lower. The demand was fair, and sales of choice lots were made at 3¼c to 4c per pound. Lambs were firm under a good demand and a small supply, and all the offerings met with a ready sale at 5½c to 6c per pound. A fair trade was done in calves at prices ranging from $2.50 to $6 each. The undertone to the market for hogs continues strong, and prices have scored a further advance of 25c per 100 pounds. This is due to the small supplies coming forward on account of the somewhat scarcity thereout the country, and the prospects are that prices will go still higher in the near future. The demand from packers is good, and sales of selected lots were made at $7 to $7.25 per 100 pounds, weighed off cars.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Jan. 6.—Cattle—steady; prime steers, $6.75 to $7.15.

Veals—Receipts, 300 head; active and 25c higher, $7 to $9.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 6800 head; active and 5c to 10c higher; heavy, $6.45 to $6.50; mixed, $6.40 to $6.45; yorkers, $6.25 to $6.45; pigs, $4.50 to $6.25; roughs, $5.50 to $5.75; stags, $4 to $4.75; dairies, $6 to $6.25.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 8000 head; active; mixed sheep steady; others 15c to 25c higher; lambs, $5 to $7.75; yearlings, $6 to $6.50; wethers, $5 to $5.50; ewes, $4.50 to $4.75; sheep, mixed, $3.50 to $4.75.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Beeves—Receipts, 2074; steers slow and generally 10c lower; bulls steady to 10c higher; fat cows about steady; others slow and 10c to 15c lower; steers, $5 to $6.90, oxen and stags, $4 to $5.30; bulls, $3.25 to $4.60; cows, $1.50 to $4.25.

Calves—Receipts, 1519; veals slow to 25c lower; barnyard calves firm; veals, $5 to $9.75; few choice, $10; culls, $4 to $4.50; barnyard calves, $3.50 to $4.70.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 10,358; sheep steady; lambs firm; choice stock higher; sheep, $3 to $4.50; lambs, $6 to $8; culls, $4 to $5.

Hogs—Receipts, 7008; feeling full steady.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 17,000; market steady to strong; steers, $4.80 to $7.75; cows, $3 to $5.25; heifers, $2.50 to $4.60; bulls, $3.15 to $4.50; calves, $3.50 to $9.50; stockers and feeders, $3 to $5.

Hogs—Receipts, 40,000; market 10c to 15c higher; choice heavy shipping, $6.30 to $6.50; butchers', $6.10 to $6.25; light mixed, $6.05 to $6.20; choice light, $5.85 to $6.10; packing, $5.80 to $6.00; pigs, $4.25 to $5.50; bulk of sales, $6.05 to $6.25.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 30,000; market 15c to 25c higher; sheep, $4 to $5.50; lambs, $5.25 to $8; yearlings, $4.25 to $7.

Judge Wright Threatened.

Washington, D.C., Jan. 7.—"I have not been measured for my shroud yet, nor can I say I am afraid to go home in the dark," commented Justice Daniel Wright yesterday when asked about the hundreds of threatening letters sent to him by persons who were displeased over his recent decision sentencing the labor leaders.

THE NEW BISHOP HAS BEEN INSTALLED

Dr. John C. Farthing Assumes Bishopric of Montreal.

THE ARCHBISHOP OFFICIATES

Imposing Ceremony at Which Large Gathering of Prelates From All Over the Country Are Present Attends Consecration of Successor to the Late Bishop Carmichael — No Disturbance Takes Place.

Montreal, Jan. 7.—The Very Rev. John Cragg Farthing, D.D., was consecrated in Christ Church Cathedral yesterday morning, the Feast of the Epiphany, fifth bishop of the Diocese of Montreal, according to the exalted order and solemn ceremonials that have been the delight and usage of the Church of England for centuries.

The solemn rite of consecration was performed by Archbishop Sweatman, Primate of all Canada, his grace being assisted by Bishop Dunn of Quebec, Bishop Reeve of Toronto, Bishop Dumoulin of Niagara, Bishop Mills of Ontario, Bishop Williams of Huron, Bishop Worrall of Nova Scotia, Bishop Cadman of Maine, while there were also in attendance Dean Evans, Archdeacon Norton, Canon Ellegood and a number of visiting clergymen.

The procession of bishops and clergy entered the cathedral through the vestry door. First came the main body of clergy, followed by Dean Evans as head of the diocese up to the time of the consecration of the bishop-elect. Then came members of the vested choir, and next the dignitaries, archdeacons, rural deans and canons, followed by the bishops and their chaplains, among whom came the bishop-elect and the primate. Proceeding down the aisle leading from the vestry, the chancel choir sang the processional hymn, "The Church's One Foundation."

Any possibility of a disturbance, such as has been threatened by anonymous representatives of the so-called Protestant movement, was obviated by the absolutely Low Church nature of the proceedings.

An interesting feature of the ceremony was the presence of Bishop Farthing's aged father. About two hundred clergy were present, and not only the chancel but a large block of seats in the nave were filled by them.

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Montreal Family Nearly Suffocated.

Montreal, Jan. 7.—A woman, two girls and a little boy were at 1.15 o'clock yesterday morning carried by firemen down a fire escape from the fourth story of the Sun Life annex building, corner of St. Alexis and Hospital streets. The rescued family was that of James Marsh, the caretaker. Marsh and the four members of his family were not aroused until after the firemen arrived.

They might have been suffocated before being rescued had not Marsh, who tried to get to the fire escape, but found the smoke too thick, thought of closing the fire doors leading to the stairway.

The damage to the building was not heavy.

More Protection Unnecessary.

Ottawa, Jan. 7.—It is understood that Mr. Costello of customs service, who was named a commissioner to make a report on British and Canadian woollens industries, has reported that the Canadian woollen industry does not require more protection.

All that is required to enable Canadian mills to hold their own with those of Yorkshire is modern equipment and improved methods such as is to be found in English mills.

Owing to the absence in Europe of Mr. Fielding, who is chiefly responsible for tariff matters, the report is not likely to be made public till after the sessions opens, when it will be presented to Parliament.

Murdered His Mother.

New York, Jan. 7.—Paul C. Finn, 23 years of age, surrendered yesterday, saying he had killed his mother, Mary A. Finn, 57 years of age, in their home in East New York. There were a dozen knife wounds in her body. When he went home Tuesday night he said his mother reproached him for being intoxicated.

Thirty-Four Drown.

Odessa, Jan. 7.—The Russian steamer Swiatoslav, with a crew of 38, collided near Novosiask with the Greek steamer Poseidon yesterday. The Swiatoslav sank within three minutes. Four of her crew managed to get aboard the Poseidon and were saved.

Brooms to Be Dearer.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 7.—A general advance in brooms of 50 cents a dozen and the products of broom corn, owing to the shortage in the crop, will be made, according to members of the Association of Broom Manufacturers.

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RE-PEOPLING 'QUAKE AREA.

Special Legislation to Be Passed by Italian Parliament.

Rome, Jan. 7.—Every hour now sees progress in the bringing order into the earthquake district and system into the work of relief. The instructions of the Government to Lieut.-General Francesco Mazza, commander of the province, are in the direction of removing temporarily all the living in the destroyed cities and towns, so that they may be cared for in a sanitary manner. The Italian War Department is sending large quantities of field equipment for use in bivouacking in the open.

The re-population will be through survivors proving their rights to property under special enactments which Parliament will be asked by the Cabinet to pass in the extraordinary sittings called for Friday and Saturday. A measure is in course of preparation for asking Parliament to meet the immense expenditures caused by the earthquake by increasing the tax on buildings, so as to augment the income by $980,000.

Dogs Menace to 'Quake Sufferers.

Messina, Jan. 7.—Dogs now constitute one of the dangers to the earthquake refugees.

These animals, starving and often rabid through lack of water, gnaw the corpses like hyenas and frequently attack the refugees themselves.

The dogs are being shot on sight.

Two Millions From U.S.

New York, Jan. 7.—The money contributed by the Governmnet of the United States, state Governments and individual Americans for relief in Italy amounts to over $2,000,000, and is still flowing into various funds. New York City's contribution reached a total of $345,000.

EPIDEMIC OF RABIES.

Dogs Are Being Shot on Sight In Pennsylvania Towns.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 7.—A quarantine to last 100 days has been placed over Springboro, Connesatville, Meadville, Brookville, Lineaville and other small towns in Crawford and adjoining counties because of the prevalence of hydrophobia in the western part of the state and the presence of dogs said to be affected with rabies.

Dogs are being shot on the streets as they are seen, and every precaution is being taken by the residents of the community to prevent the disease from spreading more than it already has. One death has already occurred, and the little Pasteur Institute at Pittsburg is overcrowded with sixteen dangerous patients, and about twenty are waiting to come in.

More than one hundred persons in the dog infected counties have been bitten in the last ten days, and more than five hundred dogs in three counties have been killed. It is said that many persons are developing rabies through having kissed one who was affected.

Mrs. Maybrick to Marry.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 7.—Mrs. Florence Maybrick, the American who was convicted in England of poisoning her husband, and sentenced to life imprisonment, and whose release on ticket-of-leave was secured by the women of the United States, is soon to be married to Charles L. Wagner of Chicago.

Mrs. Maybrick has been lecturing under the auspices of a bureau. Wagner, the secretary, fell in love and asked her to become his wife. She is said to have refused several times, saying she was afraid her past might prove an injury to Wagner.

Recently, by a Virginia court decision, Mrs. Maybrick and her mother, the Baroness de Roques, were awarded the title to a large tract of land in Kentucky, valued at $2,500,000.

No Dividend.

New York, Jan. 7.—Announcement was made yesterday that the decision of the directors of the Dominion Power & Transmission Co. to suspend payment of dividends is attributable to the general business depression, together with the fact that the threat of competition of the hydro-electric commission has had an inimical effect upon the sales of the company's securities.

Another factor has been the Brantford & Hamilton Railway, which has cost several hundred thousand dollars more than originally estimated. The directors feel that sales of additional stock at reasonable figures at present are impossible and the only method available for the company's purposes is to use earnings.

Loans Beacon to Italy.

Ottawa, Jan. 7.—The Marine Signal Co. has loaned a portable lighthouse beacon to the Italian Government for Messina.

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Annual Meeting Was Marked by a Presentation to Staff Sergt. Batten.

The election of officers for the N. C. O. Mess, of the 57th Regiment, was held last night at the mess rooms on Simcoe street, and the following officers were elected: Hon. president, Staff Sergeant Sharp; president, Col.-Sergeant W. Roberts; secretary-treasurer, Sergeant Mitchell; honorary chaplain, Major Rev. J. C. Davidson.

During the evening a presentation was made to Sergeant Batten, of a beautiful case of pipes, for having served faithfully for twenty years. A short address was given by Quartermaster-Sergeant Edwards and the presentation was made by Staff-Sergeant Sharp.

COLD KILLS THE GERM.

List. Perry Says There are no Bald Heads in the Arctic Region.

The people who come back from the Klondyke testify to the fact that no native bald heads are there. The evidence is that the cold climate kills the germ that eats the hair off at the roots. Lieut. Perry, who went to the Arctic Regions, gives the same evidence. Newbro's Herpicide has the same effect as the cold climate. It kills the germ that eats off the hair at the roots and the hair grows again. Herpicide is the first hair remedy built upon the principle of destroying the germ that eats the hair off. Its phenomenal sale demonstrates the correctness of the scalp germ theory.

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As is well known, Lakefield owes its inception in great measure to the efforts of Col. S. Strickland, who, in the middle of last century, gathered around him many young Englishmen, in what was then virgin forest. By an expenditure of money, coupled with their own physical efforts, they cleared the farms and built the splendid homesteads which to-day greet the eye of the visitor to that beautiful village. The Englishmen, in their youthful ardour, for they were little more than boys, started a manuscript journal dealing with the doings on the different clearings, and also wrote ambitious editorials on foreign and domestic politics. The original intention seems to have been to produce this journal once a week, but that there were sad lapses in the good intentions of the Editors is evidenced by the fact that large hiatuses occur throughout the four years (18-5-1859) with which these papers deal.

Many residents of Peterborough as well as of Lakefield, will doubtless be pleased to read these records, which will bring to their minds memories of many old friends of bygone days.

The first extracts from the "Katchewanooka Herald," as the production was called, will appear in next Saturday's issue.

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Annual Meeting Of The Cold Springs Sunday School Held

Reports Were Presented Last Night —Past Year Has Been One of Progress.

FINANCIAL REPORT IS READ

The annual meeting of Cold Springs Union Sunday School, Otonabee, was held last night in the Sunday School room.

Miss Bennett, superintendent, presided, Mr. Alex. Long acted as secretary.

The minutes of the last annual meeting were read and confirmed.

The report of the secretary-treasurer was read by Miss Bennett in the absence of Miss Julia Gillespie.

In representing to you our annual report we must acknowledge God's great goodness towards us as a school. Our work goes steadily on with unabated enthusiasm.

There is on our roll nine teachers with an average attendance of 63 scholars with an average of 43. Total teachers and scholars 72, with a total average 50, including visitors 55. Our average is less than that of last year, but this can be accounted for when we remember the many stormy Sundays of last winter with their almost impassable roads, when the attendance sometimes went as low as 14. But in spite of storm and roads no Sunday passed without our holding our regular session, there always being enough of teachers and scholars who braved the storm and roads to enable us to do so, and they were amply repaid for it.

Our class collections amounted to $82.96, an average of $1.67 per Sunday. Owing to unfavourable weather our anniversary Sunday was not the success it has been in other years and of course, materially lessened our collections. From a financial standpoint the year has been a successful one. Our total receipts amounted to $225.60; of this amount $82.75 has been paid over to the building committee, almost double the amount we promised to raise. There is still in the treasury a balance of $28.52. The building committee also report a small balance.

Our Home Class Department, under the superintendency of Miss Welch, is certainly doing effective work, as is evidenced by a number of its members becoming regular attendants at the regular sessions of the school. It is self-supporting.

Of the spiritual results of the work eternity alone will tell. Ours is the sowing of the seed—the harvest is in the Master's hand.

As a school we owe a deep debt of gratitude to the young men of our school who have given so freely of their time to aid in completing our hall and, also to the entire neighbourhood, who have given so liberally of their means to aid in reducing the debt thereon, but most of all should we return thanks to our Heavenly Father, who has so abundantly blessed us and owned our work.

JULIA GILLESPIE,
Secretary.
(per L. B.)

The report of the hall committee was read by the chairman, Mr. J. Pammett, showing a total expenditure for the year of $9.99.

The chairman of the building committee, C. F. Kitney, reported that the work was almost completed. In round numbers $1,200.00 had been spent. $825.00 has already been raised leaving a debt of $375.00.

This was very encouraging as the school had but $40.00 in the treasury to commence with, as all has been done within the last two years.

The chairman took this opportunity of thanking all those who have helped in the work, as over half of the labour has been given.

This was followed by the election of officers. Mr. Bertram Bennett ably filling the chair: Miss L. Bennett, superintendent; Mr. C. F. Kitney, assistant-superintendent: Miss Julia Gillespie, secretary-treasurer; Mr. J. Pammett, assistant-secretary-treasurer; Miss Stinten, organist; Miss Kitney, assistant-organist; Mr. A. Long Miss M. Waldie, librarians; Miss Welch, Home Class secretary; Mr. Fred Kitney, Mr. A. Holden, auditors; Mr. J. Pammett, Mr. C. F. Kitney, hall committee.

Refreshments were served after the meeting.

Annual Meeting Of Cordage Company Was Held Yesterday

A large and representative meeting of the shareholders of Canadian Cordage & Manufacturing Company, Limited, was held yesterday afternoon at the office of the company, 25 Aylmer street. The directors submitted the financial statement of the company and the auditors's report thereon to the shareholders.

The financial year of the company which has just been brought to a close was an exceedingly trying year for manufacturers throughout Canada to withstand the great financial depression. The lumbering and shipping trades were particularly affected by this depression which resulted in a substantial curtailment of the volume of the company's sale of rope and lath-yarn, although at the same time there was an increase in their twine sales.

Owing to the financial depression which resulted in the depreciation in value of the heavy stock which the company had on hand in the beginning of October last a substantial loss was made. The fibre market substantially dropped from $40.00 to $66.00 per ton which practically made it impossible for any manufacturer to make a profit, and the shareholders can congratulate themselves that this loss was overcome during this last season's operations.

The directors regretted that there were no available profits with which to pay a dividend upon the common stock, but since the first of the season the company has been running substantially to its full capacity and better results are anticipated in the future.

The report of the directors to the shareholders further stated that there are upwards of 4,500 shareholders interested in this company living in different parts of Canada, the vast majority of whom are unable to attend the annual meetings of the company and hear the reports and explanations made by the directors to the shareholders from time to time. Owing to the fact that the company has been unable to pay a dividend from a variety of causes since the year 1905, many of the shareholders have written later from time to time to the directors and officers of the company unfairly and unjustly charging that the shareholders are not getting their share of the gross profits earned.

In view of these statements the directors themselves deemed it expedient in the interests of the company to recommend to the shareholders that a resolution be adopted at this meeting authorizing Mr. F. R. Morris, chartered accountant, to make a full investigation into the affairs and management of the company in respect to its gross profits from the time the company commenced business to the present time with a view of satisfying the shareholders that all the profits of the company have been fairly accounted for.

On motion of Mr. H. W. Wilcox, of Whitby, seconded by Mr. Robert M. Thurston, of Winnipeg, it was moved in amendment to the directors' motion that the investigation be confined to the last two years, being the date when Mr. Adam Hall, the former president of the company resigned from the presidency of the company, and this amendment to the directors' motion was carried.

The following were elected directors for the ensuing year: Messrs. H. W. Wilcox, R. R. Hall, J. C. Groendyke, James S. Latimer, and John A. Bennett.

At a subsequent meeting of the directors the following officers were appointed: Mr. R. R. Hall, president; Mr. J. C. Groendyke, managing director, and Mr. E. B. Fowler, secretary.

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THE IMPERIAL SCOTS CONCERT

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POST CARD CORRESPONDENCE.

Editor Post Card Column:

Dear Sir—That police court case reported in yesterday's Examiner seems to me very unsatisfactory. Is it possible that in this city of churches, and charitable institutions and Women's Associations such a matter should be allowed to pass without being taken up. A man earning $8 a week and spending $4 for board and comfortable lodging at a hotel and allowing his aged wife to beg or to jail as a vagrant. Why it is abominable. Why is this man's name suppressed? And why is he not put in jail for non-support? Many a family in Peterborough are living on less than $4 a week.

Let the clergy and the public take this matter up. If they don't it's a disgrace to our city.

Yours truly,
W. J. C.

Note—In this case there seems to be some explanation required. Inquiry reveals the fact that the elderly woman in question is herself somewhat to blame, if she is responsible. It appears that her children do their best to provide for her and look after her wants, but that she will not stop with any of them, but she leaves a comfortable shelter to roam the streets. The children, at least are not to blame for any lack of care or affection. The responsibility of the husband is a matter for the authorities as indeed the whole situation seems to be.

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THE WEEK OF PRAYER SERVICES WERE CONTINUED LAST NIGHT

Supremacy of Christ in Home Life Was the Topic of Meeting at George Street Methodist Church

REV. MR. POTTER'S ADDRESS

The third of the series of the week of prayer services was held in the George Street Methodist Church last night and was very largely attended.

Rev. Mr. Trumpour, rector of All Saint's church presided.

During the evening Miss Carrie Reesor sang a solo, "I am Delighted in Him."

Rev. J. G. Potter was the speaker of the evening and his subject was "The Supremacy of Christ in the Home Life." He based his remarks on Ephes 6-6 "As the servant of Christ doing the will of God from the heart." He referred to the custom among the Greeks who had an image of deity in the halls of the town houses. The Romans' custom was the daily worship and the Jewish custom of the morning and evening sacrifice. He referred to it as the greatest privilege of the Christian life to give Christ the supreme place in teh home life.

The words of John Hall were quoted—"Make the God of Bethal yours and let your household go out in life under the influence of truth linked with every endearing memory and every sweet association of home, making it to them a type and prophecy of heaven."

Rev. Mr. Potter strongly emphasized the value of the family alter, and the fidelity of the parents with the children in the family pew; the faithful witness of the Christian life in the home and the daily example especially of the father to the boys of the family.

The enemies of the home were referred to, including envy, worldliness, hidden sin and drunkenness. He scored the liquor traffic as one of the worst enemies to home purity, and called upon Christians to do all they could to lessen the evils.

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PARK STREET HOCKEY TEAM'S NEW OFFICERS

A meeting of the Park Street Hockey team, was held last night when the following officers were elected:—

Hon. Pres.—Rev. Mr. Riddiford.
President—Jos. Johnston.
Sec.-Treas.—H. Reed.
Captain—Douglas Loomis.
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The first game will be played this evening on Park street rink against St. Andrews, and the following members of Park street are requested to be on hand at 6.30 o'clock sharp, when they will line up as follows:—

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BIRTHS.

PATTERSON—In Toronto, Jan. 1909, the wife of Mr. D. A. Patterson, of a daughter.

Farmers' Institute Meetings Were Held In Smith Township Yesterday

Profitable Addresses Were Given by the Speakers Sent Out by the Department.

THE ATTENDANCE WAS LARGE

The second of the supplementary meetnigs of the Farmers' Institute of West Peterborough, was held at the fourth line of Smith hall yesterday afternoon and evening. They were two splendid gatherings, excellent addresses being delivered at each, by Messrs. Alward, of Havelock, New Brunswick, and Kitchen, of Lovering, Ontario.

Mr. John Telford, president of the Institute, opened the afternoon proceedings. He said that they had two speakers who would give them some valuable information along the lines of agriculture, and that he would not take up the time with any remarks.

Mr. Alward

Mr. Alward, of Havelock, N.B., gave a splendid address on "Summer and Winter Care of Dairy Cows." In beginning he said that he was always pleased to meet farmers and talk on farm subjects. He was a dairyman, but whatever the dairymen of New Brunswick had learned along the lines of dairying it was from the farmers of Ontario. They had one advantage over Ontario, however. They had benefitted from the mistakes Ontario had made. He did not pretend to know the conditions here and intended to speak on the underlying principles which were as applicable to Ontario as New Brunswick.

Farming was largely the interest of Ontario. In New Brunswick it was different. A great many people down there engage in lumbering and fishing and farming compared with these industries was badly neglected. New Brunswick young men thought that greater wages were to be derived from working in the bush and it would be almost impossible to get any attendance at a Farmers' Institute meeting. But within the last few years the lumber interests had decreased and the people saw that they must turn themselves to their farms. Dairying had taken a firm stand and now it was the chief interest of the farmers. It had spread and in Sussex County, a dairying school had been established. It was found that it was the main source of financial success.

The farmers were now an independent people and their independence was attributed to the dairying industry.

In the real cheese districts of Ontario they were running their factories eight months in the year. They opened with fodder cheese and closed with fodder cheese, and the speaker believed that this was a great injury. He thought that the dairying industry should be run the year round. twenty cows, he should have about twelve of them to freshen in the fall. Of course the cows should have two months' rest, but if a farmer owned There was more benefit derived from cows freshening in the fall than in the spring. He believed that if they would experiment they would come to the same conclusion as he had.

He said that cows were usually turned out to pasture about the 15th of May. The grass is usually very moist then, and until it gets better developed they should be given additional fodder. June grass cannot be excelled as food for cows, but the speaker said that while June grass was the best, it did not last through the season. He thought that dairy cows were the best means the farmers had to keep up the fertility of the soil. Making butter did not take the fertility out of the soil like cheese making, as the fat in butter was not a fertilizer. It was important that farmers keep up the fertility of the soil. By experiment it has been found that the same amount of feed expended in keeping will bring only half the returns of the same amount expended in dairying. It is a business proposition and farmers ought to exercise more business tact.

If a cow is allowed to go down in its flow of milk by not giving sufficient food, a farmer will find it a very difficult task to get them back to their standard flow. A cow, he thought, was like a machine, and should be kept working. It does not pay to winter a cow poorly and put it out in the spring expecting to do a good summer's work.

Some will say that there was no profit in feeding up a cow, but the speaker said that it was from giving a cow plenty of food that profit was derived. He thought that farmers should grow plenty of oats and peas for cow feed. One acre of land would yield enough oats or peas to feed a cow for six weeks.

In New Brunswick, the farmers grew all the feed for their cows Owing to the high price of grain in winter, this was necessary, if anything was to be made. They grew roots, buckwheat, barley, corn, oats and and peas. It was not profitable to farmer to have to buy feed. Oil cake balanced with other foods made splendid food for cows.

Mr. Kitchen

Mr. Kitchen, of Lovering, Ont., dealt with the subject of "The hog and its profit to the farmer." He began by stating that now there was a great drop in the number of pigs that the farmers were keeping. However, they felt that they should keep a certain number. In his township he (Mr. Kitchen) believe there was a Berkshire to two Yorkshire. They were all the improved hog. They were all the improved Yorkshire. He believed that it was not for the whey and refuse from the kitchen to feed the pigs the farmers would not keep them. Simcoe County is being great for lumber, pork is being great for lumber, pork was in much demand by the lumber camps. He believed that the best way to feed pigs well. He had a convenience to feed pigs well. He had a convenience pasture and runways from the pig pen. Then give them the run of the house. But he found that to keep them through the winter it did not pay. He kept them well fed in fall until he thought they were ready for the market. Some fed their hogs sulky. He found that the best to have clover pastures for them to run on. So far as the hog was concerned it was hard to convince farmers that there was any money in them. But the dealers were demanding them. But the dealers were demanding them and some farmers were taking it upon themselves to raise Berkshire hogs, but the cry was Yorkshire was what they wanted. The price of hogs had greatly decreased.

Mr. A. H. Campbell, cheesemaker at Central Smith, said that he had had eleven pigs, starting to feed them at seven weeks and in less than six months he sold them at a profit of five dollars per hog.

This concluded the meeting for the afternoon.

Evening Meeting

Many more attended in the evening than in the afternoon, and a very interesting meeting was held. The chair was taken by the president, Mr. G. Telford, who, after a few introductory remarks, introduced the speakers of the evening.

Mr. E. W. Kitchen, before commencing his subject, "Poultry," expressed his pleasure at seeing such a fine gathering, especially such a large number of women, and briefly referred to the benefits derived from Women's Institutes.

Of late years, he said, that he had retired from the arduous tasks of the farm and devoted his time to the raising of chickens. He commenced in this way. He had thirty-two chickens and a few turkeys. He got the grain out of the granary and gave to the granary, as it were, a cent a pound for grain. He charged the usual twelve cents a dozen eggs. Plymouth Rocks were his favourite hens, raisin, one hundred and fifty in one summer. The feed he gave them was principally wheat. He built his own hen coops, and puts from four to six in each coop. Later he killed the fowl and sold them to a Toronto firm. They had cost him in the neighbourhood of $62, and his profit was over $138. He remarked that he had gone into poultry raising extensively, but was afraid, however, that this branch of the farming industry was being greatly neglected.

In answer to a question as to what he fed hens for winter eggs, the speaker replied that he gave them grain, kitchen scraps and plenty of skim milk. He did not keep a stove in his hen house. He did not believe in keeping hen houses too warm.

Vice-President Speaks

Mr. John Garbutt, Vice-President of the Farmers' Institute, was called upon for a few remarks. He had been much impressed with the addresses he had heard, and spoke in complimentary terms of the visiting delegates.

Reeve Scott

Reeve Scott, of Smith also spoke a few words, expressing his pleasure at being present. He had not previously taken much interest in Farmers' Institute meetings, but after attending the one at Ennismore he was so interested that he had decided to attend the one in Smith.

Deputy Reeve Graham then sang a solo, which was much appreciated.

Mr. Alward

Mr. Alward's evening subject was "Work Among the Boys, and Co-operation." He began by stating that he would be glad if somebody would solve the question, "How it was that there was not more congeniality among farmers, the same as there existed in other callings?"

He had travelled considerably, and he was always struck with the unsociable relations between farmers, and farmers were not so independent as they thought, he added. He pointed out that a merchant asked a certain price for a piece of goods, but a farmer always said, "What will you give me?" for his produce. He believed that farmers should work co-operatively. Young people should realise the dignity of their occupation as farmers. The farmers were the most independent people and the young men and women on farms should hold up their calling and never be ashamed of it. The speaker remarked that he would much rather have his sons on the farm than behind the counter. "They wouldn't have to work so hard behind the plough.

Mr Alward referred briefly to poultry raising. He said that there was much money in it, remarking that eggs at St. John's, N. B., last Saturday sold at fifty-five cents. Speaking again of co-operation, the speaker thought that on the farm the father and son should co-operate. Boys should not be allowed to leave the farms to follow a business or a profession. They should be encouraged to remain on the farm, and should be allowed to have some financial interest in it. The boy should be consulted as to what was to be done, and should not be worked like a machine. He urged the boys not to be too anxious to go to the city. They were better on the farm.

Mr. Alward next spoke along the line of dairying co-operation stating that the makers and patrons should co-operate to obtain the best results.

Befor closing a vote of thanks to the speakers of the day was moved by Deputy Reeve Graham and seconded by Mr. McGregor, and unanimously carried.

The meeting closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

Poultry Association Directors Are Deserving Of Credit For Great Success Of The Show

The directors and members of the Peterborough Poultry Association are to be congratulated upon the success that has attended the first annual show under their auspices which concludes to-night. The affair has been a remarkable success throughout. Over 600 birds were shown, the quality being remarkably good, and the attendance throughout has been most encouraging. The directors have worked energetically, and with the one idea of furthering the interest of the show and they must surely be satisfied with the results attained. The citizens who visited the show during the past two days have been loud in their praises of the excellence of the exhibits while the exhibitors on the other hand had nothing but good words to say of the arrangements and the way in which they have been treated by the management.

Sixty-nine different classes of poultry have been exhibited, the biggest showing being made in the minorcas, light and dark brahmas and orpingtons, while there are splendid exhibits of plymouth rocks, wyandottes, Rhode Island reds and hamburgs. Indian and exhibition games are well-represented, and there are some splendid guinea fowl, pigeons, geese and turkeys in the show.

Among the special exhibits that attracted attention from the crowds that thronged the hall last night were the display by R. Wescott, McDonnel street, city, of a dozen black minorca eggs weighing 36 1-2 ounces to the dozen, while a dozen buff orpington eggs shown weigh but 23 ounces.

Mr. John Matheson, Manning avenue, had an exhibit of a pair of dressed buff orpingtons, spring chickens, which weighed 23 pounds.

Too much credit cannot be given the officers and members of the Association for the manner in which they have worked for the success of the enterprise. Since the forming of the Association they have been energetic and eager to do all they could and it was this spirit that made such a success of the first show.

The officers of the Association are as follows:

Pres.—Jas. Baptie.
1st Vice-Pres.—Geo. Paxman.
2nd Vice-Pres.—Harry Lush.
Treasurer—Jos. Kelly.
Secretary—C. J. Hicks.
Directors—J. T. C. Lang, E. H. White, E. C. Sergiley, Jas. O'Shea, R. Gardiner, S. Bickle, R. Robson, R. Kidd.

Secretary Hicks and Superintendent Paxman were the busiest men in the hall yesterday.

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Peterborough may expect a visit this season from two great artists from Europe, under the management of Miss Maude Bradley, who has heretofore brought the best of musical attractions to the city, including the Watkin-Mills Company, Harold Jarvis—on many occasions—Alys Bateman and Parlovits, etc. Everything that Miss Bradley brings may be counted as in the premier class. The artists to be expected in Peterborough are Otto Meyer, violinist, and Alexander Russell, pianist. Both have studied under the foremost masters in Europe and have appeared with conspicuous success in the leading centres on the continent and in the United States. Of course, announcement of their appearance in Peterborough will be duly given and the public may with excellent reason look forward to a genuine musical treat.

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SIMPSON LEFT FOR NEW YORK TO-DAY

Hiawatha Indian Ran to City From His Home This Afternoon.

Fred Simpson did not get away to New York yesterday but left this afternoon on the 4.48 C P R train for Gothamville where on Saturday he will form one of the relay team that will meet Alfie Shrubb in Madison Square Gardens. Fred is in good shape and with Tom Eck handling him he should be able to make a fine showing in his first race. Just to demonstrate how fit he was he sent his suit case into the city this morning by stage and jogged in the 13 miles between Hiawatha and the city this afternoon over the snow covered roads with the thermometer hovering around the zero mark, in good time. He will reach New York to-morrow morning and it is not likely will be back for some time after if race as it is Tom Eck's intention to train him in the Metropolis.

SESSION OF COUNTY COURT HELD TO-DAY

Two Men Fined by Magistrate Edmison —Goes to Lakefield To-morrow.

Magistrate Edmison held a session of the county police court this afternoon when Jos. Cox was fined $5 and costs for assault, and Michael Sullivan $1 and costs for trespass. Mr. H. J. Duffus of Otonabee, was the complainant in each case. The date of the affair was New Year's Day.

His Worship will go to Lakefield to sit on the case of Wm. Dodge vs. Fred Holland. There are two charges against the latter. One of assault and the other of keeping a dog without a license.

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PARTS OF BODY IN STOVES

Rev. John J. Carmichael, Who Was Not Believed to Have an Enemy In the World, Is Murdered by Unknown and Body Chopped to Pieces In His Church—Made Hard Struggle For His Life.

Detroit, Jan. 7.—The dismembered body of Rev. John J. Carmichael, a Methodist minister, was found yesterday partially consumed by fire in the two heating stoves of one of his three churches near Columbus, in the southwestern part of St. Clair County.

Identification of the dead clergyman was made by Orville Lindsay, who was sent to the church by Mrs. Carmichael, who had been in great distress since her husband failed to return home as expected Tuesday evening.

Clues to the murderer and his motive were difficult to obtain. There is a rumor that a strange man left a train at Hickey late Tuesday and was directed to the Columbus Church, and there are other rumors indicating that two men were implicated in the crimes.

The fact that several coins were found in the clothing of the dead man and in the ashes in the stove precluded the theory of robbery, and at the time of his death it was not known that the murdered minister had an enemy in the world.

Rev. Mr. Carmichael had been in Michigan about ten years and for two years had been pastor of the three churches at Columbus, Adair and China. With his wife and three children he resided at Adair. Leaving home Tuesday morning he told Mrs. Carmichael that he was going to Columbus to arrange for a series of revival meetings there.

The church floor, the pews and even the communion table were daubed with blood and fragments of bloody clothing were scattered all around. Evidently the clergyman, who was 56 years old and of athletic build, had made a terrific struggle for his life.

The authorities on their arrival at the church found parts of the dismembered body in the two stoves respectively at the front and rear, and discovered in one stove the head of what was apparently a new hatchet, the handle of which had been burned off.

A dirk was also found in the church and it is believed that the dirk served for the murder, while the hatchet was used to cut the body to pieces.

The minister's horse was found yesterday tied to a tree in the village of Pine River, his overcoat being discovered in the buggy. Pine River is a small village near Thornton, on the main line of the Grand Trunk Railway and fully twenty miles from the scene of the murder.

WATER AND ELECTRICITY.

Quebec Man Is Nearly Electrocuted In Michigan.

Windsor, Jan. 7.—Fred Menhennick of St. Johns, Que., visiting his brother in Hastings, Mich., narrowly escaped electrocution while examining a burst water pipe on Tuesday. Carrying an electric coil lamp in his hand, Menhennick stepped into a puddle of water on the cellar floor, thus completing the circuit. Instantly his body became rigid as stone, and he was powerless to move a muscle or cry out. He stood for nearly half an hour in this position while all the time the electricity coursed through his body. Finally, losing consciousness, he fell to the ground. The lamp was torn from his hand and the circuit disconnected. His hands were terribly burned, but the shock to his system is the most serious result. Doctors say he will recover.

Shareholders Ratify Sale.

Oshawa, Jan. 7.—With a majority vote of 5,116 shares to 104 the shareholders of the Western Bank of Canada yesterday ratified the resolution of the directors accepting $160 per share from the Standard Bank with 8 per cent. interest from Oct. 1, the sale to include the good-will and assets of the bank and the surrender of the charter.

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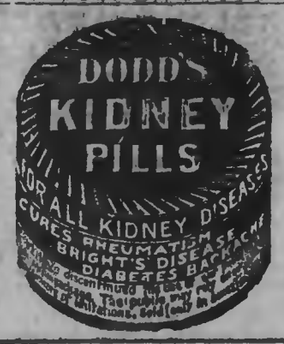

TWO RELIEF PARTIES LOST.

Surveyors Bring Sensational Story From Fort Churchill.

Winnipeg, Jan. 7.—Bringing with them a tale of terrible suffering, R. D. Fry of Hudson Bay Railway survey, and E. Morrier and Frank Peters of the Dominion survey, Ottawa, arrived yesterday from Hudson Bay, by snowshoe and dog sleigh, having made the trip in 5 days, bringing their full equipment.

They were employed in laying out the townsite of Fort Churchill, Canada's new ocean port on the Northern Sea.

They brought with them a sensational report of the loss of a party sent out by Major Moody, R.N.M.P., in search of Inspector Peltier and his party of Eskimos, who have been missing some time. A year ago an officer named Caldwell, from the Geological Department at Ottawa, was sent on a survey in the north country, and never was heard of again. Last spring Inspector Peltier was despatched with a search party from Chesterfield Inlet, and was to wait at Fullerton till Aug. 1, but, the party and boat were never seen again. The third party, consisting of Sergeant-Corporal Reeves and three Eskimos, were sent out Nov. 22, but nothing was heard from them and it is believed they, too, were lost. A fourth party will be sent out later.

DAIRYMEN IN SESSION.

Decrease In Ontario's Cheese Exports Comes Up For Discussion.

Prescott, Jan. 7.—The first session of the thirty-second annual convention of the Eastern Ontario Dairymen's Association was held yesterday morning.

J. R. Dargavel, M.P.P., stated that the most regrettable feature in connection with the dairy industry in Eastern Ontario was the vast reduction in cheese exports during 1908, although the butter exports had increased to some extent; this was due directly to the shortage of feed in the spring and the prolonged drought during the summer.

He further stated that the Canadian Government should institute a system of inspection of factories and farms as to sanitary conditions, such as is carried on in Great Britain.

Senator Derbyshire praised the work of the Dairymen's Association in the production of a marked improvement emphasized the importance of more intensive methods of farming. Every farm should produce sufficient for the needs of the live stock, yet Grenville County alone had to import more than $500,000 worth of feed last year.

29 Sustained Local Option.

Toronto, Jan. 7.—The 31 local option repeal contests have all been heard from. They show that local option was sustained in 29 places and repealed in t o. They were Courtright and Hepworth.

The number of licenses which would have been cut off but for the operation of the three-fifths majority clause would have been 118 instead of 58.

A proposition is under consideration in temperance circles for a deputation, exclusively from the 29 places where the bylaw was lost through the three-fifths requirement, to wait on Hon. W. J. Hanna, to request its repeal and to protest against licenses in their municipalities.

Beaten by Hired Man.

Brandon, Man. Jan. 7.—Mrs. Hunter Cooper, wife of a well-known farmer near Bradwardine, lies at the point of death from injuries received at the hands of a hired man, Harry Scarr, aged 18, an Englishman, who attacked her Tuesday afternoon as she was driving home, beating her over the head with a hammer, fracturing her skull.

He then went into Bradwardine, told the husband what he had done and gave himself up.

Standard Oil to Get New Trial.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—The Supreme Court, having refused to review the Appellate Court's reversal of Judge Landis' fine of $29,240,000 against the Standard Oil Co., Judge Landis was asked yesterday to set a new date for the retrial of the case.

Judge Landis informed the district attorney that he would not hear the second trial of the case, but that he would transfer it to some other judge to be determined upon later.

A Schoolbook Enquiry.

Regina, Sask., Jan. 7.—The Legislature met yesterday afternoon.

Attorney-General Turgeon gave notice that he will move for the appointment of a special committee, composed of Messrs. Bole, Bradshaw, Sheppard, Smith and Golds, to investigate Mr. Haultain's insinuations regarding the awarding of school book contracts.

C. P. R. Conciliation Board.

Ottawa, Jan. 7.—Judge Fortin of Montreal has been appointed chairman of the board of conciliation and investigation, which was commissioned under the Lemieux Act to enquire into a dispute between the Canadian Pacific Railway Co. and the locomotive engineers.

Frontenac Hotel to Open.

Kingston, Jan. 7.—The big Frontenac Hotel will be re-opened May 1, and run on the European plan. An arcade will connect the Frontenac with the British-American Hotel and both are to be run by W. Telfer.

Cold Snap Is Here.

Toronto, Jan. 7.—The cold wave has arrived. Although it was only nine above zero in Toronto yesterday, western towns had a touch of real weather, the following temperatures being reported to the metereological office:

Calgary, 28 below; Edmonton, 32; Battleford, 34; Regina, 51; Prince Albert, 42; Moose Jaw, 42; Qu'Appelle, 42; Winnipeg, 40; Port Arthur, 30. The following registered above zero: London, 17; Toronto, 9; Ottawa, 2; Montreal, 10; Quebec, 10; St. John, 42; Halifax, 34.

Some of the western states also got it, as these figures will show:

Kansas City, 8 below; Milwaukee, 15; Omaha, Neb., 13; Chicago, 9.

Hope For Patrick Yet?

New York, Jan. 7.—Learning that Charles F. Jones, former valet of William Marsh Rice, is dying in Texas and that he had a statement to make in connection with the case of Albert T. Patrick, now serving a life sentence in Sing Sing for the murder of Rice, John T. Milliken, a wealthy brother-in-law of Patrick, has started for Texas. It was Jones' confession which convicted Patrick. He has fought steadily in the courts for freedom.

Spring Has Come.

South Norwalk, Conn., Jan. 7.—Theodore Smith, dean of the north fishermen, reports that eels are coming out of the mud, and with frost fish, are biting at the hook as in summer days. Irving Wilson, hunter, states that the wild duck are flocking and mating as they do in the spring time, while men of the Roton Point Life Saving Corps go in swimming daily at Hickory Bluff.

Weather students reports the appearance of angle worms, sure harbingers of the vernal awakening.

Misread Regulations.

Ottawa, Jan. 7.—Officials of the Department of Agriculture say there is nothing in the existing quarantine regulations to prevent the importation of hides and skins from the United States. A provision in the regulation provides that skins that are not those of remnants are exempt.

The protest, which fur dealers of New York City have made to the State Department at Washington against the Canadian regulation, it is said, must be based on misconception of purport of regulations.

Moving Picture Merger.

New York, Jan. 7.—A $15,000,000 merger, according to an announcement, will end a moving picture war that has been in progress for many months. It is planned to do away with the sale outright of films which hereafter can only be rented. Within thirty days the number of moving pictures places will likely be reduced to about one-half.

New York Legislature Opens.

Albany, N.Y., Jan. 7.—The 132nd State Legislature, since the days of Governor Clinton, began its annual session here yesterday.

Caucus nominations of Tuesday night, including the re-election of Jas. W. Wadsworth, Jr., as Speaker of the Assembly, were ratified.

Rains Make Havoc.

New York, Jan. 7.—Fifteen lives were lost, three large iron bridges swept away, a railroad disabled for 30 miles and telegraph lines destroyed by a week of torrential rains on the Atlantic coast of Costarica, Central America, at the end of last month.

Theatre and Hotel Burned.

Springfield, Mo., Jan. 7.—The Baldwin Theatre, which was empty, was destroyed by fire shortly after midnight yesterday, together with a number of smaller structures. The Colonial Hotel was damaged to the extent of about $100,000.

Great New U.S. Battleship.

Washington, Jan. 7.—Plans have been outlined by the bureau of construction of the United States navy for a great battleship of 25,000 tons, designed to carry eight 14-inch guns.

U.S. Tariff Tinkers.

Washington, D.C., Jan. 7.—John W. Gates, in a letter to Speaker Cannon, declares that iron, coal and lumber should be put on the free tariff list, and that a cut of 50 per cent. in the steel schedule would not affect the manufacturers of iron and steel in this country.

Charged With Stealing Light.

Hamilton, Jan. 7.—J. A. Luther, 495 East Cannon street, has been summoned to police court this morning on the charge of diverting electric current belonging to the Cataract Power Co.

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The Examiner's Sporting Page

RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

PORT HOPE JUNIORS BEAT LOCALS LAST NIGHT BY ONE GOAL AFTER HARD FOUGHT FAST EXHIBITION

Lake Shore Bunch Won the O.H.A. Fixture by 6-5, Leading at the Half by 4-1 – Nixon the Star.

THE LOCALS STRONG FINISH

Beaten one goal, after the hardest kind of an up-hill fight, the local Junior O. H. A. team had to yield a 6—5 victory to the husky Junior septette from Port Hope in the O. H. A. fixture at the Brock street rink last night, after a game that was fought out until the last second of play. The Lakeshore bunch showed early speed and won the game before the locals found themselves, and although the Petes made a valiant effort they were never quite able to overcome the lead, try as they might and they did try too. At half time the Hopers were in the lead by 4—1, and looked to have the game on ice. They had the better of the play during the first period, when the locals seemed rather at sea, and at the half the result did not seem much in doubt. There was a remarkable change in the situation in the second half, however, the Peterboroughs coming back with a dash and vim that had the visitors fighting with their backs to the wall all the way through, and they were lucky to get away with the big end of the score. All the rabbit's feet that were going were hung around the necks of the winners, as on the play during the second half the locals were plenty good enough to win. They had no luck, however, and several times when the tying score looked certain something happened to prevent the goal. With a few minutes to play Charlie Ray got clear through the defence and was working in on goal for what looked a certain score when he was tripped and a golden chance was gone.

Port Hope had it on the locals in size, especially on the defence, and they used their weight to advantage, while the whole team checks hard, in fact, their close checking was one of the features of their play.

They kept hammering away at the local forwards, covering them closely, so that it was only in spots that they were enabled to break away. Some one must have tipped Ray off to them, as they watched him closely all the way, two men generally giving him their attention, so that the local rover, work as he might, had few opportunities to get loose.

In everything but checking the Petes were every bit as good as the visitors. They played as good combination, were just as fast and handled the puck as well, if not better, but luck was not with them, while the visitors had several scores that were of a fluky nature.

It was a hard, close game all the way, with both teams working at top pressure. The ice could not have been improved upon and both seems to take kindly to the fast going with the result that the play never lagged from start to finish, especially in the second half, when Wade, Ray and Short were responsible for some of the prettiest rushes seen on the local rink this season. Wade was a star for the visitors and the large crowd present found cause to cheer him many times through the game. He was somewhat in the centre of a disappointment. It was remarkably checking hockey, and when the Petes got rough they were detected, they must in fairness be said, but the referee satisfied with their performance, realizing that a little rock might have turned the tide of victory in another direction.

It was simply a case of too much Nixon for the Port Hope local team to contend with. The lanky youth played the visitors was about fifty per cent. of their team last night. Aided by some fine all round individual exhibitions on the part of his forwards, Nixon made scores of jaunts down Peterborough territory, and when he was going it seemed impossible to stop him. He was responsible for the majority of the visitors' goals, and although he had not a finished style of hockey, he is the style of kind of hockey, to whom Port Hope people pay the most is decidedly effective. With Record in goal, Lowthian and Brown and Nixon on point, the Lake Shore team have a defence that is remarkably hard to circumvent, and their back division is by far the strongest part of the team. On the forward line they have two fine players in Brown and McMillan, both of whom are fast and clever stick handlers. Cooper in short trials, but was conspicuous for fouling off-side.

Peterborough failed to get going in the first half, seemingly being unable to break away from their checks, and their efforts were of no consequence. In the second half they were with a few exceptions on improving and were responsible for some combination with the result that they had the visitors ill through the second half. Charlie Ray, however, was the only forward to score, but he checked hard and those will the way finished may have the opposition to settle that he did in Monday's game, although it was he played grand hockey. Cyril Giroux was always prominent, especially in the second half, and his work was responsible for several of the goals. The sturdy little centre never let up for a moment, although he was knocked out once, and had his foot badly slashed on another occasion. Shortt was good all the way, and Pentland worked hard and long shout, his playing the second half being one of the features.

The chief fault with the defence was that they did not use their weight enough. A good body check would have cut Nixon's wanderings short but the local back division played the puck invariably. With the exception of that error in judgment they played good hockey, especially Wade, whose rushes relieved the pressure on many occasions. Len Giroux played his usual reliable game between the posts.

Referee Moron, of Toronto, handled the game and his chief characteristic in addition to his general unfitness for his position, was his inability to keep out of the way. His work could easily have been improved upon, although he was evidently endeavoring to be impartial.

The teams lined up as follows:

	PETERBOROUGH	
	L. Giroux	
	Wade	
	Fox	
	Ray	
Short	C. Giroux	Pentland
Stephenson	McMillan	Dow
	Brown	
	Lowthian	
	Nixon	
	Record	
	PORT HOPE	

The Play

Port Hope had all the best of the play at the start. It was fast, hard hockey from the go-in with both teams working for all they were in them. The visitors were checking closely and giving the locals little chance to get away. Port Hope made several dangerous advances, Lowthian at last taking the first goal in four minutes on a shot from the side.

Port Hope 1; Peterborough 0

Wade slashed Nixon and was sent away for two minutes. Port Hope tried hard to score while he was off but the Petes held them out for five minutes when Nixon got loose on one of his dashes down the ice and a pass to Lowthian resulted in another goal on a good heave from the side.

Port Hope 2; Peterborough 0.

Peterborough began to find themselves a little better and during the next period the play was practically even with first one and then the other goal in danger. Ray and Short got right through but Record poked off the shot. In doing so however he dropped to his knees and the force gave him a minute on the face. While he was off the locals made a most determined assault on the Port Hope citadel and although several shots were stopped by the other defence men Pentland finally lifted one into the net in eight minutes.

Port Hope 2; Peterborough 1.

Ray got sentence for tripping but the Petes managed to hold their own with the visitors while he was off. Nixon made several dangerous rushes from his position at point and finally after six minutes fast hockey he slipped one past Giroux.

Port Hope 3; Peterborough 1.

The visitors were having the better of the play although the Peterboroughs were not letting up any. Brown and McMillan got away together and the former scored in four minutes.

Port Hope 4; Peterborough 1

Wade was again penalized and half time was called with him still on the fence.

Dow, the little right wing of the visitors, was sent away early in the second half for tripping. The Petes showed much better form after the rest and started right in after the visitors. They invaded their territory time after time but couldn't beat the defence, until after eight minutes of the period were gone Pentland passed from the corner out in front to Giroux who scored easily.

Port Hope 4; Peterborough 2.

The excitement was growing to fever heat at this stage and three minutes afterwards when Wade got away for a long rush which resulted in Giroux scoring from the scrimmage that followed, the cheering could be heard for a block.

Port Hope 4; Peterborough 3.

It was too close to be comfortable for the boys from Reynoldsville and they worked hard to increase their lead. Nixon finally accomplished the trick with a neat rush in three minutes.

Port Hope 5; Peterborough 3.

Peterborough were having the best of the play nevertheless and the next goal went to the locals. Short shot from the boards the puck rebounding off the point to the local right wing who again lanced one at the goal. Record stopped it but Short followed in his shot and scored on the rebound. Time 4 minutes.

Port Hope 5; Peterborough 4.

Port Hope scored the next goal in a lucky manner. Brown got away for a good rush and as he neared the goal, Giroux ran out to clear but Brown struck the puck as he dropped and the rubber rolled between the goal keeper's feet as he was attempting to clear.

Port Hope 6; Peterborough 4.

The last goal of the game went to Peterborough in one minute. An off side resulted in a face off near the Port Hope goal and Giroux slammed it in from the draw.

Port Hope 6; Peterborough 5.

The Petes worked hard to catch up before time was called but were unable.

The Summary

1 Port Hope—Lowthian, 4 min.
2 Port Hope—Lowthian, 5 min.
3 Peterborough—Pentland, 8 min.
4 Port Hope—Nixon, 6 min.
5 Port Hope—Brown, 4 min.

Half time.

6 Peterborough—Giroux, 8 min.
7 Peterborough—Giroux, 3 min.
8 Port Hope—Nixon, 2 min.
9 Peterborough—Short, 4 min
10 Port Hope—Brown, 2 min.
11 Peterborough—Giroux, 1 min.

Penalties—

First half—Wade 2, Ray, Record.
Second half—Dow.

THE CITY LEAGUE OPENS TO-NIGHT; THREE GAMES ARE SCHEDULED FOR THE OPENING OF 1909 SEASON

Lightning fast ice is promised for the opening of the City League to-night, and there is every reason to expect that a big crowd will be in attendance for the first games of what promises to be one of the most successful seasons in the history of the organization. The opening bill is a splendid one, bringing out all four of the local teams in the League and some great hockey should be the result, as all the teams look stronger than last year's aggregations. This year the Junior City League will serve to provide curtain raisers for the senior organization, the latter not taking up the usual double header will be preceded by a junior game commencing at 6:30 o'clock, while the first senior game will be called at 8 o'clock.

The E.A.S. and West Ends will have the honour of opening the season, and will play the first game of the double header. There is much speculation among the fans as to the result of this contest, as both teams will have a number of new men on the line-up. The Abstainers will have the advantage in weight and experience, but the boys from the shadow of Jackson Park have a lively collection of juniors, three of which played for Peterborough against Port Hope last night, and they cannot be overlooked in figuring out the probable winner. It should be a hard battle all the way.

The West Ends will have the following lineup:—

Goal — Halpin.
Point — Wade.
Cover — C. Dobson.
Rover — A. Rose.
Centre — McNair.
Right Wing — Short.
Left Wing — Pentland.

The Belmonts and Strathconas will furnish the opening game in the second half which promises to be of a hard fought nature all the way. The Belmonts have a big squad of players out at practice last night, and they will be about the heaviest aggregation ever seen in the city. The Straths are doped to win but the Belmonts may spring a surprise to-night, and in any event the game will be well worth seeing. The complete teams will have their regular positions filled. Most of the men were out last night and are in the best of shape for the opening.

The Straths will line up as follows:
Goal — Wilson.
Point — Dobson.
Cover — Dustv.
Rover — Ray.
Centre — Long.
Right Wing — Seymour.
Left Wing — Weatherstone.

The Belmonts will line up the following team:—
Goal — Davidson.
Point — Myers.
Cover — Ecclestone.
Rover — Clarke.
Centre — Wilson.
Right Wing — W. Waram.
Left Wing — C. Waram.

George Lynch will handle the ball in both senior games to-night.

The junior game between the Otonabees and George street, which precedes the double header will be well worth seeing. Both teams are in good shape and some lively hockey should be the result.

BOWLING

The Examiner A team strengthened their hold on second place in the ten pin league series at the P. B. C. last night by taking two games from the boys, who won the first contest of the series and then dropped the remainder to their opponents. Both teams showed poor form in the opening game, but the second uncovered an improved brand of bowling and the Exam had to go their best all the way to win. In the third game the tailenders gave the newspaper trio another scare and looked like winners all through, until the last three frames, when Cairns and Glover ran into a series of strikes that carried their team to the front with a rush, and enabled them to win out by a safe margin.

Cairns was again high man for the winners, while McFadden piled up the largest total for the losers, with Perry a good second.

The individual competition announced some time ago for the handsome punch bowl will be started next week and those intending to enter should hand in their names at once. The competition will be conducted on a handicap basis and will run for some weeks.

The scores last night follow:

Examiner A				
Lacheur	92	188	123—	403
Glover	107	112	184—	403
Cairns	139	189	196—	524
	338	489	503—1330	
Greys				
McFadden	120	144	162—	426
R. Perry	105	144	136—	385
N. Perry	132	152	132—	416
	259	440	430—1227	

BOXING.

New York, Jan. 7.—Los Angeles sportsmen are confident that Jeffries will soon decide to fight again. They say the big fellow is talking fight in confidence with his friends, and that the latter are advising him to make a match with Jack Johnson. It is a fact that Jeffries has just severed his relations with the boxing club in Los Angeles, which bears his name, and gives as a reason that he is tired of acting as a promoter to glove contests. It is also said that the boilermaker has signed a contract to appear in boxing exhibitions at a San Francisco theatre at a salary of $3,000 for one week, and that he will put in ten days at training to prepare himself for this stunt. Furthermore, it is reported that Jeffries is seriously thinking of making an exhibition tour of the United States, which may mean that before he begins such a trip he will be signed for a match with Johnson.

SPORTING COMMENT.

Abe Attell has agreed to fight Jim Driscoll, the English and Australian featherweight champion, in a six-round bout at Philadelphia. It is thought that Attell is stalling for the reason that Driscoll has declared he will not meet Attell at less than twenty rounds.

Arrangements have been concluded whereby the Pilgrim football team, which visited the United States three years ago, will make another tour of that country in October and November next. The team will play fifteen games in New York, Philadelphia, Fall River, St. Louis, Chicago, Cleveland and other places.

Sam Langford, the Boston middleweight, who is unable to secure matches with either Ketchell or Al Kaufman, will go to England, where he says he will meet Johnson on Feb. 22 in a thirty-round bout before the National Sporting Club, of London. Langford insists that the champion will return in time for it.

Jack O'Brien, of Philadelphia, last night defeated three men in two rounds at the West Club. The men he defeated were Fred Cooley, of San Francisco; Jack Reed, of Toledo, O., and Jack Cooper, of Columbus, O.

Dr. Roller, the Seattle athlete, who was matched to fight Kaufman recently, has declared the battle off and gives as a reason that he can get a better division of the purse in his own town than in Los Angeles.

Battling Nelson, the lightweight champion, is thinking of taking a trip to Australia.

Phil Brock, the Cleveland lightweight, has agreed to box Young Corbett at New Orleans on January 14.

Manager Ganzel, of the Rochester team of the Eastern League, announced that he has secured Outfielder Anderson from Pittsburg, Catcher Beville, and Thirdbaseman Rodgers of Middletown. All of these deals were for cash.

Catcher Frank Roth, of Milwaukee, has been procured by Clark Griffiths, of Cincinnati. Catcher Hostetter, of St. Louis, goes to the same club.

Charles Ebbets, president of the Brooklyn National League club, announces that he has signed James Sebring, the player who was re-instated by the Commission on Monday.

LATEST NEWS FROM LAKEFIELD

Many People Visit the Village During The Past Week.

Examiner Special

Lakefield, Dec. 30.—Miss Roberts, who has been spending the holiday with her sister, Mrs. Cumberland, returned to Toronto on Monday.

Miss Florence Simpson, of Harvey, Ont., is spending the Christmas vacation at her home in the village.

Rev. J. R. Bonner, of Gilmour Memorial Baptist Church, conducted the service in the Lakefield Baptist Church on Sunday morning last.

Mr. Harry Leahy, of Peterborough, was visiting friends in the village on Wednesday last.

Mr and Mrs. G. Evans Atwood, Master Harry and Miss Phyllis Atwood, of Peterborough, spent Christmas at "Ashelworth," with Mr. Atwood's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Atwood.

Mr. R. N. Stuart and Master Eric Stuart, of Young's Point, were in the village on Wednesday last.

Miss Silva Strickland, of Nicholls Hospital, Peterborough, spent Christmas Day at her home in the village.

Mr. Robt. Carter, who is spending the winter in the north country, spent Christmas at his home in the village.

Miss K. Simpson, of Kew Beach, Ont., is spending the holidays at her home in the village.

Mrs. Gilbert left on Wednesday last to spend the holidays with friends in Toronto.

Rev. Dr. Marsh, of Springville, Ont., will deliver an address on astronomy about the middle of January, under the auspices of the Home Mission Band of the Presbyterian Church.

Miss Sherm, of Barrie, Ont., is spending the holidays at her home in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Moore and Master Ernest Moore, of Kenora, Ont., are spending a few months in the village, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Moore.

Mr G. G. Gordon, of Bobcaygeon, spent Christmas at his home in the village.

Mr. Stuart Leonard, manager of the Bank of Toronto, Coldwater, Ont., was the guest of Rev. A. W. Mackenzie and Mrs. Mackenzie at "The Grove," on Christmas Day.

Messrs. A. C. Bell, of Boston, Mass., and Chas. V. Bell, of Toronto, passed through the village on Wednesday last on their way to Apsley to spend Christmas with their father, Dr. A. Bell.

Mr Joe Walmsley spent Christmas at his home in Peterborough.

Miss Nicholls left on Tuesday last for Parry Sound.

Mr. R Fraser, of McGill College, Montreal, arrived in the village on Thursday last to spend the Christmas vacation at his home.

Rev. W. J. Creighton, who left on Christmas afternoon to visit his father at Lindsay, Ont., returned home on Saturday.

Mr. W. H. Down and Miss Ella Down spent Christmas with friends in Peterborough.

Miss Traill returned home on Tuesday, after spending a few days at "Ashelworth," the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. Atwood.

Mrs. Hilliard and Mr. George Hilliard, Jr., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Evans Atwood on Wednesday last.

A very enjoyable "bridge" party was given by Mrs. H. G. Fitzgerald on Tuesday evening as a farewell to Miss Josephine Strickland, who leaves on Saturday next for Vancouver, on an extended visit to her sister, Mrs. John Peck.

Mr Young and family, of Smith, moved into his new residence on Queen street on Monday last.

Mrs. Stubbs and Mrs. W. H. Down spent Christmas with friends at Galt Ont.

Mrs. James Medd, of Auburn, Ont., and Miss Florence Duff, of Dungannon, Ont., are visiting friends in the village.

Mrs. White and Miss Nora White, who have been spending several months at Los Angeles, Cal., returned home on Tuesday of last week.

Miss Philippa Dela Fosse, of Peterborough was the guest of Miss Dorothy Hilliard for a few days last week.

Mr R. N. Stuart, of Young's Point was in the village on Saturday last.

Miss McQuade of Omemee returned to Lakefield on Saturday last to resume her duties as teacher in the public school.

Miss K Simpson returned to New Beach on Saturday last after spending the holidays at her home in the village.

Mrs Jas Gibson and Miss Blanche Gibson of Campbellford, are in the village on a visit to Dr. and Mrs. Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Lingwood, of Simcoe, arrived in the village on Wednesday last to visit Mr. and Mrs. C. Atwood at 'Ashelworth'.

Mrs Davis, of Aylmer, Ont., is in the village visiting her daughter, Mrs W A Baker.,

Messrs. James and Bruce Murdock spent New Year's Day at Midland.

Mr. John Swan, of Pittsburg, Pa., arrived in the village on Thursday last to visit Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Tate at Bendoura".

Mrs Nicholls, of Peterborough, spent a few days last week in the village visiting her daughter, Mrs. Norish.

Mr. H. W. Barnes, of Winnipeg is in the village the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cox.

Mrs. F. M. Dela Fosse, of Peterborough, was in the village last Thursday visiting friends.

Mr. Clare Bravender, who spent Christmas at Mt. Clemens, Mich., returned home on Wednesday last.

Miss Gwyneth Tate left on Tuesday for Regina, Assa., where she will spend a few weeks visiting her cousins, Mrs. Mytton.

Rev J. C. Davidson and Mrs. Davidson were the guests of Rev. A. W. and Mrs Mackenzie at the Grove on Thursday last.

Mr. and Mrs B. Marling were in Peterborough on Saturday last.

Mr. F. M. Dela Fosse, of Peterborough, spent New Years day in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Evans Atwood and children of Peterborough, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. Atwood at "Ashelworth" on New Year's day.

Mr. R Fraser, who has been spending the Christmas vacation at his home in the village, returned to Montreal on Tuesday to resume his studies at McGill College.

Miss Florence Simpson, who has been spending the holidays at her home in the village, returned to Harvey on Saturday last.

Miss Josephine Strickland left on Saturday last to spend a few days in Toronto before leaving for Vancouver to visit her sister Mrs. John Peck.

Mrs. John Moffatt of Clarke township has returned home after spending Christmas with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Allen.

Rev A W. Mackenzie, Mrs. Mackenzie and Miss Winifred, left on Tuesday to visit Ven. Archdeacon and Mrs. Mackenzie at Brantford.

The Grove School opens for the Easter term on Monday, Jan. 11th.

Dr W. H. Davis, of San Francisco Cal., is in the village visiting his sister, Mrs (Dr.) W. A. Baker.

Mrs Geo. Kempt, of Norwood, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Murdock for a few days last week.

Mr. Chas. Gordon left last week for Bobcaygeon where he intends to spend the remainder of the winter

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CANADIAN PACIFIC

Going East	Leave Peterborough
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal, Kingston	11.30 a m
For Indian River, Norwood, Havelock, Tweed	7.51 p m
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	12.31 a m
Going West	**Leave Peterborough**
For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	4.30 a m
For Burketon, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	7.30 a m
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points	4.30 p m

GRAND TRUNK

	Arrive	Depar
Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Gravenhurst, North Bay, Stouffville and Toronto	11:40 a.m. 9:35 p.m.	8:35 a.m. 11.45 a.m.
Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	8:2 0 a.m.	9:05 p.m. 8:2 0 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Cobourg Montreal and East	8:30 p.m	11:55 a.m
Toronto, Lindsay, Stouffville, Uxbridge and Markham	8:0 a.m. 11:40 a.m. 7:10 p.m. 10:10 p.m.	9:05 p.m 11:45a.m 7:10 a.m 9:10 p.m
Lindsay Local	8:15 a.m.	9:10 p.m
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	8:10 a.m. 8:55 p.m.	8:20 a.m 1:40 p.m
Lakefield and Stony Lake	10:00 a.m. 5:15 p.m.	8:20 a.m 12:20 p.m

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—The Park street Baptist church choir will practise at the residence of Mrs Wright, Albert street, at 8 o'clock to-morrow evening.

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Personal Items

Mr George Brady, of Lindsay, was visiting friends in the city to-day.

Mrs. James Lynch, Aylmer street, left yesterday for New Westminster, B.C., to visit her son, Mr. Fred Lynch.

Messrs. W. G. Ferguson, Alex. Gibson, Geo. Bennett and J. D. Craig are in Toronto to-day attending the Harry Lauder concert in Massey Hall.

Messrs. Stanley Jackson and W. M. Gowans, of Elliott, B.C., spent last week at the former's home, Bethune street, and left yesterday for Toronto and Niagara Falls, where they will spend a few days before returning West.

ACCOUNTS OVERDUE

All accounts due to the late firm of Laidlaw & Oles must be paid on or before January 15th, 1909, otherwise they will be placed in a solicitor's hands for collection.

FASHION CRAFT,

5d8 **140 Hunter Street**

SALVATION ARMY BAND HAS RECEIVED SUM OF $250

Two hundred and fifty dollars is the amount received by the Salvation Army Band from those they serenaded during Christmas week. There are still seventy-two who promised donations, to hear from, and the amount should exceed $300 when all the money has been handed in. A public statement will likely be given when the entire amount has been subscribed.

OBITUARY.

MRS. HENRY BEST

This morning at an early hour the sad death of Mrs. Best, wife of ex-Mayor Best, took place at the family residence, 103 Lock street. Mrs. Best was fifty-seven years old, having been born in Otonabee in the year 1851, she was married thirty-four years ago to Mr. Henry Best, who is well known and respected as a citizen, and who occupied the position as mayor of this city.

Mrs. Best has been ill for some time, but since the new year her condition of health has been gradually growing a great deal worse, until death resulted this morning. She is survived by her sorrowing husband, two daughters, Mrs. W. H. Manning, of Peterborough, and Miss Bertha, at home. Five brothers, John Fife, of Tacoma, Wash.; Alexander and Thomas Fife, of Reeche, North Dakota; David Fife, of Emmetsburg, Iowa, and Hugh, of Otonabee, survive her, as well as two sisters Mrs. Joseph Lisle, of Los Angeles, Cal., and Mrs. C. H. Sweeting, of Auburn, N. Y.

The funeral will be held on Saturday from the residence, 103 Lock street at 2.30 p. m., and proceed to the Little Lake Cemetery for interment.

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	Opening	Closing
A.C.P	89¾	84⅞
Atch	109⅞	109⅞
B.R.T.	71⅛	71⅛
C.P.R.	178	176⅝
Erie	33½	35⅜
Great Northern	145⅜	146⅜
L.N.	126¼	125½
Mo. Pac.	69⅞	70½
Northern Pacific	141½	142½
N.Y.C.	125	128
Penna	133⅜	134½
R.I.	24½	24½
Rdg.	140½	141½
Smelters	85⅜	89
Sou.	138½	145
St. Paul	149½	154⅜
U.P	118⅜	119⅜
U.P.	179½	181½
U.S	52½	53½
U.S. pfd.	113	113½
Iwin City	97½	97½
Nipissing	9⅛	9⅛
May Wheat	107½	107½
" Corn	61⅛	61⅜
May Oats	57⅜	51⅜
" Pork	16.67	16.67

THE IMPERIAL OPERA COMPANY COMING

There is no musical organization in America to-day which can boast of a genuine all-star cast, such as the Imperial Opera Company is bringing to Peterborough after a phenomenal run of four and a half months at the Royal Alexandra Theatre in Toronto. The business was so great on their appearance in that city that the versatile singers were enabled to present practically every comic opera success of the New York and London stages. Of these there were none so popular as "San Toy" and for this reason the piece was chosen for the appearance here. Bright and sparkling with its oriental setting and fascinating tinkle of Chinese music San Toy has proven to be one of the master-pieces of light opera. It is brim-full of humorous situations and witty sayings and contains some song hits that arouse enthusiasm in any audience.

In the company are Harry Girard the clever baritone, who composed the comic opera "Alaska" which was the rage in the west last season and J. Clarence Harvey who was the idol of the Toronto audiences and one of the cleverest comedians of to-day. Other well known principals in the company are Miss Agnes Caine-Brown soprano, Laura Butler, mezzo-soprano Allen Mostyn W. H. Pringle and one of the prettiest choruses ever seen in light opera. Mr. Girard began his musical career as an organist and choir master, and later became the composer of a number of sacred songs Born in Seattle, Wash., he ran away from home when ten years old and obtained employment on a vessel sailing for Japan. During the loafing spells on the boat he entertained the crew on the accordeon and so pleased was the captain that he summoned the youngster to his room and compelled him to sing and play for him during the hours that the boy was supposed to be at work At the end of the voyage the captain gave the lad a purse and sent him home. With this start it did not take Harry Girard long to work himself into the field of music and since that time he has steadily risen until he now occupies one of the leading positions amongst opera singers in America.

J. Clarence Harvey the clever comedian of the Imperial Opera Company who plays the part of Li in San Toy follows James T. Powers in the role. Mr. Harvey has a manner all his own which makes him a strong favourite.

Miss Agnes Caine-Brown the prima donna is appearing in light opera during a temporary rest from the more strenuous field of Metropolitan Grand Opera. She has a soprano voice, rich in feeling and of timberous quality, which lends itself greatly to classic songs. Light opera is like a holiday picnic for Miss Brown, who scored an instant success in Toronto.

Mr. Halian Mostyn who is a comedian as well as an excellent basso singer played the role of Yen-How the old Mandarin with the six little wives in the original company under Mr. Powers and it has been one of his most successful roles.

With such an interesting and amusing opera as San Toy such a company cannot but make a signal success all over the country. It has been one of the most successful of the Toronto presentations and needless to say will make its appearance here an event of the theatrical season.

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FASHION CRAFT,
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SAID HE WAS AFRAID HE WOULD BE HARMED

Elton York Wanted John Murphy Bound Over to Keep the Peace.

Elton York failed to substantiate his case this morning at the police court, and as a result John Murphy, Smith street, was not bound over to keep the peace. York stated that the defendant had threatened to "kick his head off" if he ever went up near Smith street again. York feared that he might receive bodily harm at Murphy's hands, and wanted him bound over to keep the peace.

The facts bearing upon the relations between the two parties are more than appear on the surface. Mr. Murphy identified York as one of two men whom he had seen on several occasions acting suspiciously, apparently window-peeping, and had even seen him at his own (Murphy's) house, but could not catch him.

York stated in rebuttal that on the night referred to he had been working and could not have been there. His Worship dismissed the case, remarking that if York did not want to get into trouble he should keep away from the vicinity mentioned.

INSTALLATION OF PETERBORO' TENT

The Maccabees Had a Very Enjoyable Gathering Last Evening.

The installation of the officers of Peterborough Tent No. 69 Knights of the Maccabees took place last night at the regular meeting in the Knights of Pythias Hall. The following officers were installed by Sir Knight R. Morrison, district deputy.

P. C. Sir Knight—A. E. Morrison.
C. Sir Knight—J. Billingbook.
Lieut C. C.—Sir Knight J. Dodds.
Sergt.—Sir Knight W. Sherwood.
Record and Finance Keeper—Sir Kt R. Morrison.
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Physician—Sir Kt Dr. J. A. Morgan
Master at Arms —Sir Kt E A Wicker.
First Master of the Guard — Sir Kt F. Darling.
Second Master of Arms—Sir Kt. J. H Price.
Sentinel—Sir Kt. F. Drake.
Picket—Sir Kt. H. Hinchcliffe.

After the installation the Knights djourned to Fowler's restaurant, where an enjoyable oyster supper was served, several bright speeches and a pleasant social hour being enjoyed.

The Peterborough Tent will meet on the first and third Wednesdays of each month in the Knights of Pythias' Hall, Simcoe street.

CURLING.

The first games of the schedule for 1909 at the Curling Rink were played last night and are as follows:—

F. J. Cross	F. D. Kerr
Dr. Cameron	— Hicks
J. B. Davison	S. B. Yeates
R. Nell, skip 14	S. N. Merritt, skip 9
T. Minicola	C. Baker
J. A. McDiarmid	— Boles
W. Baptie	C. N. Brown
J. H. Connal, skip 12	W. G. Morrow, skip 7
J. Davidson	W. Adamson, skip 8
G. Maitland	G. C. Clarke
D. Fraser	J. H. Burnham
A. Moore, skip 13 ...	E. H. D. Hall, skip 8
— Jobbitt	J. J. Turner
H. Madill	E. B. Clegg
A. Hollingshead	Dr. Eastwood
G. Hay, skip 13 ...	F. M. Dela Fosse, skip 9
G. Hill	W. Hall
H. Evans	J. Hall
G. Montgomery	W. Taylor
G. H. Giroux, skip 13 ...	D. Davidson, skip 10
— Lyle	G. Brice
G. Ferguson	J. Read
H. Foote	G. Moore
W. M. Lang, skip 10 ...	— Campbell, skip 11
A. Webb	F. Neal
W. D. Campbell	C. Bell
W. J. Read	Dr. McWilliams
W. Taloth, skip 6 ...	— McCannon, skip 7

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1 No. 18 Wonder Oak, regular price $12.50, Sale Price..... 9.95
A very neat Stove, with Nickel Top, Band and Skirt, Flat Shaker Grate and Ash Pan.

3 No. 18 Royal Record Oaks, reg. price $13.50, Sale Price 10.50
A Medium medium-sized Stove, with Nickel Band and Skirt, Flat Shaker Grate and Mica Doors,

1 No. 548 Oak Idea, regular price $14.50, Sale Price 11.50

1 No. 43 Oak Idea, regular price $13.50, Sale Price 10.50
Fine Heaters, with Nickel Top, Band and Skirt and Roller Grates.

1 No. 17 Royal Record Oak, regular price $16, Sale Price 13.00
A Good, Big Stove, made with Nickel Band and Skirt, Mica Door and Flat Shaker Grate.

2 No. 14 Walker Plain Oaks, regular price $14, Sale Price 10.50

1 No. 16 Walker Plain Oaks, regular price $16, Sale Price 12.50

1 No. 18 Walker Plain Oak, regular price $18, Sale Price 14.50

3 No. 14 Walker Brilliant Oaks, regular $16, Sale Price 11.50

2 No. 16 Walker Brilliant Oaks, regular $17, Sale Price 13.50

1 No. 18 Walker Brilliant Oak, regular $19, Sale Price 15.50
Finished in the best style, with Nickel Top Bands, Skirts and Feet, Improved Roller Grates and Patent Smoke and Gas Shield.

1 No. 2 Quebec Idea Heaters, regular price 6.50, Sale Price 5.50

1 No. 3 Quebec Idea Heater, regular price 8.50, Sale Price 6.50

1 No. 4 Quebec Idea Heater, reg. price 10.50, Sale Price 8.50

1 No. 15a Oxford Laurel Base Burner, regular $35, Sale Price $20
All Stove Boards for Heaters to be sold at the same reduced prices.

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New Citron Peel, per lb.	30c
Shelled Almonds and Walnuts, lb.	35c
Tomatoes, per tin	10c
Peas, Beans and Corn, per tin	8c
3 bottles Pickles for	25c
New Dates, per lb.	10c
New Figs, per lb.	10c
Mince Meat, 3 lbs. for	25c

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This Feast of Bargains Commences Monday, January 11th, Continuing to February 1st.

Ladies' and Misses' Coats, Suits and Skirts
are reduced in price :—

Tailored Suits $16 to $20.00 for **12.00**
A few very handsome Suits in new striped and checked materials.

Swell Tailored Suits $25 00 to $30.00 for **15.00**
Model Suits, made of very superior cloths, man-tailored.

Our stock of Ladies' Coats has been divided into three lots.

One Rack of Coats Formerly up to $12.50 **7.50**
Black and colours, all new styles.

One Rack of Coats Formerly up to $15.00 **9.00**
Black Broadcloth, Melton, Kersey, etc., newest styles.

One Rack of Coats Formerly up to $25.00 **15.00**
Beautiful quality Black Cloth, made up in latest styles.

Children's Coats Formerly $5.00 to $6.00 **3.50**
Heavy Navy Blue Cheviot Coats, stylishly made.

Child's Blanket Coats Formerly $9.00 **6.00**
Made of All Wool Navy Blue Blanket Cloth, with Scarlet Hood and Sash.

Misses' Coats Formerly $13.50 **9.00**
Very handsomely made of Fine Cloth, in Brown only.

1 Only Fur-lined Coat Formerly $40.00 **20.00**
Fine Navy Blue Broadcloth Shell, lined with Hempster Fur.

Dress Skirts Sale price, each **2.25, 3.00**
Splendid quality Cloth and Tweed Skirts in Black and colours. Formerly up to $6.50.

Sale from Monday, January 11th, till February 1st.

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The Past Month Marks the Close of a Quarter of a Century of a Successful Merchandizing by this Firm. Commencing MONDAY, JANUARY 11th, We Will Celebrate This Unusual Event by

THE GREATEST FEAST OF BARGAINS

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We Invite You, One and All, to Participate and Feast on the Good Things Provided for You:

Table Linens, Towels, Napkins, etc.
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Linen Table Cloths, bordered all around, 2 yards by 2 yards.
Formerly $2.00, Sale Price **1.29**
" $2.75, Sale Price **1.85**
" $3.00, Sale Price **2.10**

2 yards x 2½ yards—
Formerly $2.50, Sale Price **2.10**
" $3.50, Sale Price **2.50**
" $5.00, Sale Price **3.10**

2 yards x 3 yards—
Formerly $3.50, Sale Price **2.35**
" $3.75, Sale Price **3.00**
" $5.00, Sale Price **3.10**

3 yards x 3½ yards—
Formerly $3.75, Sale Price **3.10**

Bleached Table Damasks, 72 inches wide, pure Linen, formerly $1.10. Sale Price..... **89c**
70 inches wide, pure Linen, formerly $1.00. Sale Price **75c**
67 inches wide, pure Linen, formerly 85c. Sale Price.. **69c**
64 inches wide, formerly 45c. Sale Price..... **35c**

Unbleached Table Damasks
70 inches wide, pure Linen, formerly $1.00. Sale Price.... **75c**
60 inches wide, pure Linen, formerly 60c. Sale Price..... **45c**
58 inches wide, formerly 35c. Sale Price..... **25c**

Table Napkins
$1.35 value. Sale Price, per dozen..... **1.08**
Manufacturer's seconds, slightly imperfect in weave, each..... **8c, 10c, 12½c**

Turkey Red Tabling Sale Price, per yard **25c**
54 inches wide, fast colours.

Linen Glass Cloths Sale Price, each **8c**
Size 21 x 22 inches, Red and Blue Borders, formerly 12½c each.

The Whitewear Department
is overflowing with Snowy White Lingerie Undergarments, lowly priced for the Annual January Sale. These indicate how the prices are cut:

CORSET COVERS
20c value for **12½c**— Plainly made of superior English Long Cloth.

35c value for **25c**—Neck trimmed with Swiss Embroidery and Torchon Lace, Insertion.

40c value for **34c**— Daintily trimmed with Maltese Lace and Insertion.

65c value for **50c**— Trimmed with fine Swiss Insertion and Torchon Lace and Insertion.

1.15 value for **98c**— Made of 18 inch Corset Cover Embroidery in pretty patterns, splendid value.

UNDERSKIRTS
90c value for **75c**—Made of English Long Cloth with hemstitched and Swiss Embroidery flounce.

1.25 value for **1.00**— Special value at this price, has tucked flounce, edged with Torchon Lace.

1.75 value for **1.50**—A soft finish English Long Cloth, Maltese Lace and Insertion Flounce.

Night Gowns
$1.00 Value for 75c
Low neck in marguerite style, trimmed with Swiss beading.
$1.25 Value for 96c
Long Cloth, with yoke and sleeves trimmed with Swiss embroidery and torchon lace.
$1.40 Value for $1.00
Soft finish long cloth, trimmed with German valenciennes lace and insertion.
$1.75 Value for $1.40
Fine soft Nainsook, trimmed with embroidery beading and baby ribbon.
$3.90 Value for $2.00
Finest nainsook with new kimona sleeve, trimmed with very fine French valenciennes and baby ribbon.

DRAWERS
33c value for **25c**— Superior Long Cloth, with hemstitched tucks and torchon lace flounce

65c value for **53c**— Made of fine soft Long Cloth, with flounce of Torchon Lace and Insertion.

90c value for **78c**— English Long Cloth with new Fillet Lace and Insertion.

1.35 value for **1.18**— Very fine Nainsook, with 6 inch flounce of Maltese Lace.

2.15 value for **1.75** — Soft Nainsook with beautiful Swiss Insertion and Embroidery.

UNDERSKIRTS
65c value for **50c**—Good quality Long Cloth with hemstitched and Torchon Lace Flounce.

2.50 value for **2.10** — Soft Nainsook with flounce of fine Swiss Embroidery, 18 inches wide.

6.50 value for **5.00**— A Fine Cambric Skirt with 18 inch flounce of finest Swiss insertion

In the Millinery Department

Wings and Feathers Sale Price, each **25c**
White, black and colours, formerly up to $2.00.

Felt Hat Shapes each, **25, 50c**
Formerly up to $3.00, black and colours, all new styles.

Jet Trimmings, etc., Sale Price **15c**
Pompons, cockades, etc., 15c yd. and 10c each. Formerly up to $2.

The bargains mentioned here are but an index to the hundreds of others to be found at our store this month.
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White Wool Blankets Per pair **2.10**
6 lb. weight, size 60 x 80 in. Fancy borders, formerly $2.75.

Satteens and Cretonnes Formerly 30c to 37½c **19c**
For covering comforters, cushions, furniture, boxes, etc.

Wrapperettes Per yard **10c**
Formerly 12½c and 15c, light and dark grounds, spots, checks and figures.

Linen Huck Towels Sale Price, each **16c**
Hemstitched Linen Huck Towels, 38 x 19 inches, formerly 20c each.

Swiss Stand Covers Sale Price, each **15c**
Swiss Tamboured Muslin Stand Covers, 18 x 27 inches, formerly 25c each.

Linen Huck Towels Sale Price, each **12½c**
Good quality Huck Towels, with hemstitched ends, formerly 30c per pair.

Swiss Bureau Covers Sale Price, each **25c**
Swiss Tamboured Muslin Bureau Covers, 15 x 68 inches, formerly 50c each.

English Long Cloth Sale Price, per yard **10c**
36 inch fine White Cotton, free from dressing, formerly 12½c per yard.

Art Silkoline Sale Price per yard **10c**
Best American Silkoline, for comforters, drapes, curtains, etc., one yard wide, good patterns, formerly 15c per yard.

Eiderdown Flannel Sale Price, per yard **35c**
Navy Blue, Royal Blue and fancy coloured Eiderdown, 27 inches wide, former value 50c per yard.

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Carpets, Rugs, Mattings, Curtains, Oilcloths, Linoleums

5-Frame Brussels Carpet Sewn free, per yard **1.00**
Really beautiful designs in this most serviceable of Carpets, Borders and Stair Carpets to match. Formerly 1.25 and 1.35 per yard.

English Tapestry Carpet Sewn, per yard **43c**
A very durable Carpet, in handsome designs. Formerly 55c per yard.

Lace Curtains Sale price, per pair **1.00**
White Nottingham Curtains, 50 inches x 3½ yards. Formerly $1.35.

Chenille Curtains Sale price per pair **3.58**
Handsome Curtains in Fawn, Green, Gold, Rose, etc., pretty dados and heavy fringe. Formerly $5.00 to $6.50.

Velvet Squares Sale price, each **11.95**
Size 3x3 yards, splendid designs and durable quality. Formerly $16.50.

Best All Wool Carpet Sewn free, per yard **69c**
Waranted the best two-ply All Wool Carpet, one yard wide, reversible. Formerly 95c.

English Linoleum Sale price, per square yard **33c**
4 yards wide, two choice patterns. Formerly 50c square yard.

Imitation Wood Linoleum One yard wide **35c**
Imitation inlaid wood design, for halls and surrounds for rugs. Formerly 50c square yard.

Table Covers Sale price **1-3 Off**
Tapestry and Chenille Covers, all sizes. ⅓ off regular price.

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PETERBORO' NEWS IN THE "CANADIAN MUTE"

Doings of Local Young Men Who Studied at the Belleville Institute.

The Peterborough correspondent to The Canadian Mute, the paper published at the Belleville Institute, has the following news from this section :—

Mr. N. Kirk, ex-pupil of your school, who has been away from our midst quite a long time, has returned home in robust health from where he worked for a Haliburton firm.

Mr. E. Lawson has a lucrative position at The Times printing establishment.

Our friend, Mr. Wm. Hayes, who has been working for the Canadian General Electric Co. for a couple of years, has accepted a high wage job in Chicago. It is safe to say he will be much admired across in Uncle Sam's domain.

During the busy summer, Mr. Daniel Sheehan has been busily engaged with the City Corporation and now he is enjoying a good rest for the winter season with a purseful of money.

Miss Gertie Pilling spent a pleasant visit in Keene, lately, renewing old acquaintances.

Through the recent issue of The Canadian Mute, we were pained to learn of the sad news of Mrs. McClelland's demise. We desire to express our profound sympathy to our friend, Mr. McClelland, in his sad bereavement.

Owing to the slack times at the printing business recently, Mr. Wm. O'Rourke has resumed the duties at the Daily Review in the news department.

Mr. J. E. Crough and Fred Terrill are progressing towards being expert mechanics in the near future, for they are fortunately working steadily all the year around.

Master Gerald O'Brien, of your school, spent Christmas holidays with his parents.

Our Irish comical, Daniel Sheehan, is contemplating taking a few weeks holidays in Rochester, the guest of his brother.

Mr. F. Terrell has gone to Toronto to spend Christmas under the parental roof.

Our athletes, Fred Terrell and Jack Crough were recipients the other day, the former of a pair of gold cuff links, donated by R. R. Hall, M.P., and the latter of a gold ring, donated by the Peterborough Athletic Club.

The Peterborough deaf friends join hand-in-hand with the officers of the Institution and the readers of The Canadian Mute in saying thus: "A joyful Christmas and prosperous New Year."—W. H.

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THE IMPERIAL SCOTS CONCERT

The Imperial Scots' Concert that appears in the Conservatory of Music Hall on Monday evening, Jan. 11th, is the strongest organization that has ever visited America. Since their arrival they have played return dates at Toronto, Montreal, Ottawa, Philadelphia, Jersey City, Boston, North Adams, Pittsfield and Newport. The programme is a magnificent one. Plan at MacDonald's Drug Store. 3d-5

THE WIRING WILL HAVE TO BE IMPROVED IN THE LOCAL SCHOOLS

The schools in the city are being affected by the demands of the insurance companies regarding the electric wiring. Mr. Ackerman stated at the Board of Education meeting last night that he had learned that there would have to be considerable changing to the wiring of some of the schools in order that they could pass the inspection that is being made in the city.

ROUGH AUTOMOBILE TRIP FROM TORONTO

Messrs. H. H. Hodgson and C. Hodgson, who arrived in the city on Monday morning, had rather a rough journey from Toronto the night before. They left Toronto at half-past five Sunday night in a large 40-horse power automobile, made by the McLaughlin and Buick Company, rented by them to demonstrate the vitality of the tires made by the Hoop Spring Cushion Tire Company, Limited, which they represent. They arrived at Oshawa at 7.10 p.m., staying to see the sights for one hour; leaving there they proceeded to Port Hope, arriving there about 10.30. The roads thither were very bad and they would have been rather badly shaken up if they had had ordinary wind tires. They left Port Hope at 11.05 that same night, and it was there that their troubles began. The roads were extremely soft and sticky and not knowing the road they continually lost their way, having to rouse a farmer out of his bed at every cross road. They however arrived here at half past six o'clock on Monday, and put up at the Snowden House, having been seven and a half hours coming a distance of 34 miles. They intend to return on Saturday to Toronto, and it is to be hoped that they do not have the same experiences.

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For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal, Kingston	11.26 a m
For Indian River, Norwood, Havelock, Tweed	7.51 p m
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	12.31 a m
Going West	**Leave Peterborough**
For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	5.26 a m
For Burketon, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	7.06 a m
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points	4.30 p m

GRAND TRUNK

	Arrive Depar
Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Gravenhurst, North Bay, Stouffville and Toronto	11:40 a.m. 8:26 a.m 9:00 p.m. 11.45 a.m
Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	8:30 a.m. 9:05 p.m. 5:10 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Cobourg Montreal and East	5:30 p.m 11:45 a.m
Toronto, Lindsay, Stouffville, Uxbridge and Markham	11:40 a.m. 7:10 a.m 9.00 p.m. 10:10 p.m. 11:45a.m
Lindsay Local	8:15 a.m. 9:10 p.m
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	9:10 a.m. 8:30 a.m 5:30 p.m. 7:40 p.m
Lakefield and Stony Lake	10:00 a.m. 8:30 a.m 5:15 p.m. 12:30 p.m

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DEATH OF RESPECTED RESIDENT

Havelock Loses an Old C. P. R. Employee —Success of At Home for Hockey Club—Pleasant Winter Affairs.

GAVE TEMPERANCE LECTURE

Examiner Special

Havelock, Jan. 6.—Dr. Harry Andrew, of Toronto, is spending the holidays with friends in town.

Mr. Robt. Gillies, of Port Hope, has been spending the last few days in town.

Miss Emily Swann, of Warsaw, was the guest of the Misses Bryans, on Thursday.

Mr. J A. Culverwell, of Port Hope, was in town on Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. Jack Barlow, of Toronto, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Barlow.

Miss Petrie is spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Warren, "Maple Lodge," Preveneau.

Mr. and Mrs. James Fowler and children returned home from Brockville on Tuesday, where they spent the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. P. Wright and little daughter, Aileen, returned home from Toronto on Thursday, where she has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. Farley, of 41 Avenue Road, during the past two weeks.

Mr Brennan is confined to his home with an attack of appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Armiston and Miss Carrie McKelvie spent Christmas with friends at Campbellford.

Mr. Stanley Holcombe is visiting with friends at Roxborough.

Mr. Wm. Weymark, of Saskatchewan, formerly a resident of Havelock, arrived in town this week, and will spend a couple of months with friends in town.

Miss Jennie Barlow has returned home, after spending a couple of weeks with friends at Central Ontario Junction.

Mr. Alfred Carey, of Battle River, Sask., is in town renewing old acquaintances.

Mr. and Mrs. John Swain, of Lindsay, are the guests of the former's brother Mr. Matt. Swain, of town.

Mrs. Jas. Conkrite is visiting with her daughter at St. Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Weymark were the guests of friends in town this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henderson, of Peterborough, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Mark, on Christmas day.

Mr Roy McCracken has returned to his home at Craighurst, after an extended visit with his sister, Mrs. Jesse Weymark, in town.

Mr and Mrs. McCullogh, of Verona, are guests of their son, Mr. Wm. McCullogh, town.

Mr. Tim Beaver spent Christmas day with friends at Uxbridge.

The hockey boys are holding an "At Home" in the town hall to-night, Thursday, to which invitations have been issued.

Mrs. Walter Blake attended the funeral of her father, Mr. James D. Buck, of Asphodel, on December 22nd. Deceased passed away on the 20th inst., after a long and lingering illness.

Mr. Jas. Knox has resigned his office of chairman of the Board of License Commissioners. The same has been accepted with great regret by Hon. Mr. Hanna.

Returning Officer J. W. Bryans will be at Reeve Thompson's office on Saturday of this week at 10 o'clock a. m., to appoint agents in connection with the local option by-law.

LATEST NEWS FROM VICINITY OF KEENE

Funeral of Late Mrs. John Howson—Annual Meeting of the Otonabee Agricultural Society.

Examiner Special.

Keene, Jan. 7.—Rev. Mr. Kenny, of Tabernacle Methodist Church, Belleville, preached missionary sermons on Keene Circuit last Sunday. Rev. W. D. Harrison, of Keene, took charge of Mr. Kenny's Church in Belleville.

The funeral of the late Mrs. John Howson, of Campbellford, was held on New Years morning. Rev. Mr. Strike, of Campbellford, conducted the service at the Methodist Church, at 10 o'clock, after which the body was interred in Pine Grove cemetery.

Mr. Walter Bryce, of Toronto, spent New Years with his father here.

Mr. Evert Howson, of Milestone, Sask, is home on a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Howson.

Miss Maggie Wood, of Toronto, spent New Years at the Manse.

Mr. and Mrs. John Edwards, Peterborough, are spending a few days with their son, Mr. David Edwards.

Miss Mabel Macoun, of California, is visiting Miss Katie Skinner.

Messrs. Peter Pilkie and Walter Robins, of Markham, are renewing acquaintances around Keene. Mr. Pilkie is on his way to Kingston, where he is attending Queen's University.

Miss Kathleen Hoolihan, of Seattle, who has been visiting at Dr. Harrison's, left on Monday for New York, where she will attend an art school.

Mr. and Mrs. Will McIntyre, of North Bay, are spending a few days with their friends in Keene.

Mr. Chas. Bell, of Ottawa, was in Keene last week.

Mr. James Gray, of Hiawatha, is holding an auction sale of his farm stock and implements on Wednesday, January 20th.

Mr. James Kempt, of Toronto, spent New Years at his home here.

Mr. Williams, of Toronto, spent New Years at Mr. Wm. Kempts.

Mr. A. W. Scriver, of Toronto, spent last week with his father in Keene.

Among the many who are home from the West for a visit are Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Evans, who are with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kenwick.

The Misses Agnes and Jean Campbell, and Messrs. Percy Skinner and Harry Smith, have returned to their studies in Kingston.

The league hockey match between Hastings and Keene, which was to have taken place to-night had to be postponed on account of soft weather.

The annual meeting of the Otonabee Agricultural Society will be held in the Council Chamber, Keene, on Tuesday, January 19th, 1909, at one o'clock.

To Be Dyspeptic Is To Be Miserable.

Dyspepsia is the prevailing malady of civilized life. It is largely due to gross errors in diet, over-eating, too free indulgence in stimulants and over-taxing the stomach with indigestible food, eating too rapidly without chewing the food sufficiently, indulging in hot biscuits, pastry, pickles, confectionery, etc.

Constipation, headache, heartburn, sour stomach, distress after eating, belching of wind, faintness, and fullness and distention of the stomach are a few of the many distressing symptoms of the poor, weary dyspeptic. Burdock Blood Bitters regulates the stomach, stimulates the secretion of the saliva and gastric juice to facilitate digestion, removes acidity, purifies the blood, and tones up the system to full health and vigor, and thereby cures dyspepsia and all its tributary diseases.

Mr. Amos Sawler, Gold River, N.S., writes:—"I was greatly troubled with dyspepsia, and after trying several doctors to no effect, I commenced taking Burdock Blood Bitters and I think it is the best medicine there is for that complaint."

For Sale at all Druggists and Dealers.

DEATH OF AN OLD CHANDOS RESIDENT

Mr. Daniel Whitmore Was One of the Pioneers of This County.

Examiner Special.

Chandos, Jan. 6.—There passed away on Wednesday morning, December 30th, 1908, at his home in Chandos, one of the pioneer settlers of this section, in the person of Mr. Daniel Whitmore, Sr., at the age of sixty-one years. Mr. Whitmore spent his younger days in what was then commonly called Western Canada, in the neighbourhood of Mount Forest, where some forty years ago he married Effie, daughter of the late Mr. Neil McFee, who with a large family survive him. He moved here about thirty-five or forty years ago, settling on lots 11 nad 12, in the 2nd concession of the Township of Chandos, where he lived up to the time of his death with the exception of about one year, some thirty-two years ago, when he removed to his former home, returning, however, he has lived here since.

His illness covered a period of three years or more, though in the warm weather he was able to move about more or less. With the cold weather each year he seemed to get weaker. He was subject to weak or fainting spells at longer or shorter intervals. He had one of those on Christmas day, but rallied and seemed to be better, though very weak, until Tuesday night about twelve o'clock, when he went to sleep and woke no more on earth, passing quietly into the deeper sleep about 6.25 Wednesday morning.

The deceased belonged to the Christian Church and was a Liberal in politics, a God-fearing and upright man, a kind friend and good neighbour, and was generally and sincerely respected by all who knew him.

He is mourned by his wife and a large family, Joseph, Archie, Neil, Daniel, Jr., of Chandos; Dillman, of Campbellford, Elijah, of Coe Hill; Mrs. J. C. Gamble, of Toronto; Mrs. Norman Wilson, of Burleigh; Mrs. Jas. Casson, of Chandos; Samuel, Frederick and Misses Dora and Violet at home, who, with his brothers and sister, have the sincere sympathy of all the community in their affliction.

One daughter, Mary A., predeceased him about four years ago. The others were all home for the funeral, which took place on Friday, New Year's Day, when he was laid in the Christian burial ground by six of his sons.

The funeral service was conducted by Rev. E. J. Gould.

INTERESTING ITEMS FROM NORWOOD

Young People Home From College Return For Easter Term.

Examiner Special.

Norwood, Jan 7.—Mrs. F. H. Birt spent New Years' with her sister, Mrs. D. Sanders, at West Toornto.

Miss Mabel Foster returned to Almonte on Friday night, having spent the week at her home here.

Miss Mabel Andrews spent last week in Campbellford with Miss McWilliams.

Mr. Fred Tubel was in Toronto over Sunday.

Miss J. Breckenridge, of Indian River, is visiting friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Holcomb, of Peterborough, were guests of the former's sister, Mrs. P. W. Reynolds, for New Years.

Miss Sadie Foster, of Bracebridge, is a guest at the home of her aunt, Mrs. J. MacLachlan.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Beans, of Hastings, spent Sunday in town.

Mr. Fred Wilkins, of Shelburne, was home for New Years.

Miss Edith Doughty, of Toronto, spent a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Geo. Jones.

Mr. Archie Wills, of Tamworth, was a guest of Rev. W. H. Adams, over Sunday.

Mr. Harold Howson has disposed of his furniture business to Mr. Chas Puffer. Mr. Puffer took possession on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Hudgins and daughter, Ava, spent New Years at Stirling.

Mr. Harold Dunsford, of Peterborough, was a guest at the home of Mr. H. Fry, on New Years day.

Miss Edna Tracey, of Hamilton, was visiting her friend, Miss Mary McNichol, last week.

Miss Flossie Nicol, of Toronto, spent New Years day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Nicol.

Mr. Bert Huyck, of Tweed, was in town last week.

Miss M. L. MacLachlan was in Peterborough last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Patterson and Master Milton, of Tweed, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Salder over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Mills have returned to Campbellford, having spent their vacation with Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Weir and family spent a few days in Madoc, at the home of Mr. Amos Weir

Miss Lydia King, of Lindsay, spent the holidays with her father, Mr. D. N King.

Mr. R. Flynn, of Havelock, was in town on Monday.

Mr. Jno Marks was in Brockville last week.

Miss Williams and Miss Cuffe were in Toronto last Thursday.

Mr. L. Lang, of Peterborough, was a guest at the home of his uncle, Mr. E. J. Laing, over Sunday.

Miss Eva Paterson spent a few days in Toronto.

Miss Rose Spence was in Toronto last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Graham, of Westwood, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. McMillan on Sunday.

Miss Pearl Chandler left on Saturday for Thorold, where she has accepted a position on the High School staff there.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Greenbank spent a few days last week with friends in Otonabee.

Mrs. R. McMillen and Mrs. H. Howson spent New Years day in Keene.

Miss Willena Miller, of Calgary, was a guest of Mrs. A. S. Harrison, on Thursday.

Mr. Walter Girven spent New Years in Bowmanville.

Mr. and Mrs. Pickering, of Forrest, visited for a few days at the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. G Keefer.

Mr, Roy Richardson returned to Queen's College on Monday.

Miss Irene Waller, of Toronto, is a guest of her parents.

Miss Ethel Searight is in Peterborough visiting her sister, Mrs. Ira Moore.

Mr. W. Puffer spent New Years in Peterborough.

THE LATEST NEWS OF NORTH SMITH HAPPENINGS

North Smith, Jan. 6.—Family reunions was the order on Christmas Day, the sleighing being excellent, a very pleasant day was spent.

Mr. Thos. John Craft, of Regina, Sask., is visiting his father, Mr. John R. Craft, after an absence of a little over fifteen years. Although having been absent so long Jack's face is quite familiar to the boys of his day.

Mrs William Gillespie and two daughters, of Blackwater, are spending the Christmas holidays visiting her mother, Mrs. A. Montgomery, and friends in the neighbourhood.

Mr and Mrs. John Morrison and daughter, of Arcola, Sask., are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frances Pearson.

Mr. Absolom Montgomery, of Blackwater, spent a few days in the neighbourhood visiting during the past week.

The Misses Northcott, of Lakefield, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel A. Northey.

Mr and Mrs. Silas Pearson, of Pittsburg, Pa., U.S.A., are spending the Christmas holidays at the home of his father, Mr. Francis Pearson.

Mrs. Joseph McIlmoyle and family, of Lakefield, spent a few days visiting her brother, Mr. Andrew Montgomery.

KEENE HOCKEY CLUB ARE NOW IN HARNESS

Have Organized and are Ready for Their League Games.

Examiner Special.

Keene, Jan. 6.—At a meeting held Wednesday evening the hockey club was re-organized and the following officers elected:

President—J. J. Dickson.
Vice-President—Roland Weir.
Secretary—Dennis Kennealy.
Treasurer—G. T. Gall.
Captain—Leo Welsh.
Trainer—Dr. V. H. McWilliams.
Committee — V. McCarthy and James Quinn.

They will play in District No. 1 of the Trent Valley League, and the following matches will be played in Keene rink:

Hastings, January 5th.
Norwood, January 20th.
Warkworth, February 19th.

A War Correspondent

SAVED BY ZAM-BUK!

BLOOD-POISONING AFTER A SCRATCH CAUSED 31 ULCERS

WHEN our Canadian troops were fighting the Boers in South Africa, we read reports of their various engagements from the pen of the famous war correspondent, Mr. Frank Scudamore. Mr. Scudamore is well known for his exposures of the Armenian Atrocities, and his vivid word-pictures during the wars of Turkey and the Soudan campaigns, prior to his writings during the Boer War. He has passed unscathed through twenty-nine battles, but came near meeting death at home through a mere scratch! Zam-Buk, the great herbal balm, saved him; and in gratitude, and the hope that his experience may lead others to a means of relief in time of suffering, he tells how Zam-Buk released him from the terrible agonies of blood-poisoning. Every scratch you receive, every cut you sustain, every sore, every open wound, every skin-disease is liable to turn to blood-poisoning. The air is full of poison germs, which, falling on to sores and wounds, may set up festering and blood-poisoning. How important then that Zam-Buk (which is science's latest and best protector against blood-poisoning, as well as the finest healer) should be kept handy in every home!

Mr. Scudamore writes:—"I have experienced the extraordinary benefits which come from the use of Zam-Buk, and desire not to keep the knowledge thereof to myself, but to make it known to any others who may be suffering as I suffered.

"Some time ago, after escaping the dangers to which one is exposed in the hazardous trade of war, I fell a victim to an evil—the evil of blood-poisoning—just as deadly in peace at home. The blood-poisoning started owing to the poisonous dye in some underclothing penetrating a small scratch or sore. I was treated by doctors in the usual way and told to hope for the best, but the inflammation, pain and swelling did not appear to be relieved by their treatment. Ulcers broke out on my foot and limbs, and for some time it was quite impossible for me to put my foot to the ground or get about.

"On my left leg, below the knee, I had seventeen deep holes, into any one of which I could have put my thumb, while I had no fewer than fourteen similar ulcers on the right leg.

"Worn out with pain and lack of sleep, I yielded in despair at last to the advice of a friend that I should try Zam-Buk, of which my friend gave the highest accounts. I applied this herbal balm to the sores and ulcers, changing the dressings frequently. For a week I persevered with the Zam-Buk treatment, leaving off all else. At the end of that time the pain and inflammation had gone, and the skin, which had before so obstinately refused to heal, was now growing beautifully. I persevered with the treatment, and the benefit increased, until in the end the blood-poisoning was cured, the ulcers cleansed and healed, and new healthy skin covered the previously diseased places.

"What impressed me most about Zam-Buk was the immediate relief it gave from the burning pain. It seemed to bring ease immediately it was put on, and then the cleansing and healing process went on painlessly.

"Yours faithfully,

Frank Scudamore

What Zam-Buk Cures.

Ulcers, eczema, open wounds, cuts, burns, bruises, cold sores, chapped places, ringworm, sores due to blood-poisoning, face blemishes, rashes, tetter, salt rheum, piles—all yield to Zam-Buk. All druggists and stores sell at 50 c. a box (3 for $1.25) or post free for price from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, Montreal, and Winnipeg. Refuse dangerous, cheap, substitutes offered sometimes as "just as good."

FREE TRIAL.

Send this coupon, name and date of this papers, and 1d. stamp, to Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, and free trial box will be mailed you!

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437 George Street, City

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Peterborough, November 10th, 1908.

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Dear Sirs,—I beg to acknowledge receipt to-day of cheque from The London Mutual Fire Insurance Company in full settlement of my claim for loss by fire, which occurred just three weeks ago.

I wish to thank you and your Company for the liberal and satisfactory manner in which my loss has been adjusted and paid, and would heartily recommend the London Mutual to the insuring public

Yours truly,
[Sgd.] THOMAS YOUNG.

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Repairs of all kinds done in an expert manner,

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Opposite St. John's Church
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Family Re-unions At New Year's

The opportunity to have a complete group taken may not occur again. Appointments at

The ROY Studio

LOTTIE'S BARGAIN.

By EDNA BLEEKMAN.

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Perhaps it was because Wisner was the proprietor of the only dry goods store in Undervale that Lottie Vincent was attracted to him, perhaps because Lottie was an inveterate bargain hunter, and propinquity is a powerful aid of Cupid.

It is a matter open to argument and not worth the arguing. The main point at issue is the fact that Lottie was attracted and that Sidney Wisner repaid that regard with interest.

Undervale had reached that stage of growth when the "general store" had commenced to resolve itself into its various component parts, not to be reunited until at some far distant day, when the department store repeated the original shopkeeping on a larger scale and again one could purchase dress goods and salt fish, groceries and harness under one roof.

It was Wisner who had seen that the time was ripe, and the Boston store was the result. He rented one of the rooms in the new Benson block and with new stock and fixtures gave the place the aspect of a city establishment. Undervale was delighted with the change, none more so than Lottie.

She was a born bargain fiend, and as her parents were wealthy she had the money to gratify her passion, with the result that from the first she had been Wisner's best customer.

Even after the business reached a point where he was able to put on two clerks he made it a point to wait upon her himself.

Lottie delighted in her personally conducted shopping tours, and from visiting in the store Wisner passed to visits to her home.

Wisner also began to watch his bank account grow. From the first his store had prospered, and he determined that when his profit and loss account showed a fair balance on the proper side he would put his fate to the test.

Homer Vincent was president of the bank and trust company, and Wisner wanted to be able to make a good showing when he went to ask for Lottie's hand, though he could not hope to equal the Vincent fortune.

He had not long to wait, for the new store prospered mightily, and the time soon came when Wisner began to rehearse the speech he should make to Lottie's father when he should first have spoken to Lottie.

It was a simple matter to prepare his speech for the elder Vincent. He said it over until he believed that he must repeat it in his sleep. The trouble now was to speak to Lottie.

He knew that Lottie would not be won by the simple suggestion that they get married. When the Clemmons Comedy company played their semiannual engagement at the rink Wisner shut up shop and took Lottie to the performance every evening for the week. Lottie's keen appreciation of the romantic leading man dashed his hopes.

He never could hope to make love like Ralph Rascovar of the Clemmons company, and that was the model Lottie most admired. He had a vague idea of taking a course in a dramatic school, but he could not spare the time from his business, so he contended himself with studying the methods of the leading men of the tenth rate companies that visited Undervale, and the more he studied the more hopeless he grew.

Leading men were tall and slender and had dark, romantic eyes. Wisner was short and inclined to plumpness, and his eyes were shrewd and gray. He could not loll over the back of a sofa and look into Lottie's eyes as she raised her timid orbs to his.

That was all right on the stage, but Lottie's gaze was disconcertingly frank at times, and, anyhow, he would have to stand on a footstool to gain the proper height, and he was positive that at the critical moment he would fall off and spoil it all.

Lottie herself was just a shade too rounded in her curves to be called willowy, and she, too, was below the medium height.

Taken by the large, it seemed an impossible task, and the advent of each theatrical company seemed to set a higher standard by which his feeble efforts were to be judged.

Hubert Bonnington was the last straw. Lottie came away from the performance of "Won by a Vendetta" declaring that after having seen Bonnington all other lovemaking would seem tame and flat by comparison.

Wisner went home to spend a sleepless night with despair for company, and not until the dawn broke did there come a ray of hope. The company was playing not forty miles away on Saturday.

He might get Bonnington to let him come over and take some lessons. He went to the store to see that it was opened, and then he hurried to the station to catch the company when they should come over from the hotel.

Bonnington was one of the first to arrive on the station platform, and Wisner made an immediate attack. Around the corner of the depot he poured out the story of his troubles, and, to his credit, Bonnington did not laugh.

"My dear boy," he said kindly, "if you're the right man and she's the right girl you don't need to study lovemaking. It's never that way in real life. You watch a chance and take her off her guard. Then do and say what ever comes into your mind, and she's yours.

"You could study for years, and you'd forget everything that you had learned when it came to a showdown. They wouldn't stand for real proposals on the stage, and the reason we make love so well is that we don't care for the girl. [illegible]

our attention to the lovemaking.

"When the right time comes you'll know it, and you won't get down on your knees and say 'Be mine, be mine!' You'll just scatter her in, and it's all over before you realize it."

Bonnington accepted the cigars that Wisner thrust upon him, and Wisner went back to the store happy in the possession of expert opinion. He puzzled over the comment through the day, and when Lottie came in to see about some dress lining he gazed hungrily at the flushed face and wondered when the right time would come.

Apparently it was not the right time yet, for Lottie left the store with a bundle under her arm, and his nearest approach to sentiment had been to cut the price of the lining 2 cents a yard.

He thought of a dozen clever speeches he might have made, but not until she had gone.

He was still thinking them over as he dressed the window that evening. Wisner made a point of frequent changes in the display, and every Friday evening he fastened a canvas screen outside the plate glass and changed the dressing, running out many times to observe the effect before he pulled down the inner curtains and took down the screen, content that the Saturday shoppers would be attracted by his display.

He had just commenced to dress the window after removing the old stock when one corner of the screen was lifted and Lottie's smiling face was seen through the glass.

Wisner smiled and nodded in reply to her greeting, and he was about to beckon her to wait until he could join her on the sidewalk when his hand struck the stool on which rested the new price tags. He caught up the top one and pinned it on his coat, striking an attitude in imitation of the dummy forms.

Lottie laughed at the sign, which read, "A Real Bargain at the Price," and the end of the screen dropped. For one awful moment Wisner thought that she had been disgusted by the clownish appeal.

He could not know that even eyes that are gray and unromantic can tell their story of love. Lottie had read their plea, and a moment later Wisner heard the store door open and close again, and a moment later Lottie's face appeared at the door to the window.

"I think I'll take that bargain, Sidney," she said as her cheeks were dyed a deeper red. "You can wrap it up, and I'll take it home with me—to talk to father."

The bargain sprang from the window, but it was half an hour before it wrapped itself up—in its overcoat—and was taken home to talk to Homer Vincent.

"I thought you couldn't resist a bargain," he jubilated as they hurried along the street.

Lottie gave the strong arm a little hug. "You'd be dear at any price," she cooed.

He Got the Prize.

At a church function each person was required to wear conspicuously upon his or her clothing some pictorial or other device that should represent in "rebus" form the title of any well known book, and all the others were to guess at the book intended.

"Paradise Lost," represented by a card upon which five dice had been pasted, and from which two had evidently dropped or been removed, was easily guessed. "Hard Times" was no puzzle. Neither was it hard to recognize "A Pair of Blue Eyes," "Innocents Abroad," "Vanity Fair" nor "Uncle Tom's Cabin" in spite of the pictorial disguises.

One of the guests, however, had a poser. Attached to one of the buttons of his coat was a card bearing simply the inscription, "Ter."

Every one at last gave it up and asked for the solution.

"Why, that's easy," he said. "It means 'A Tale of Two Cities,' Manchester and Leicester. Last syllables—tall, in fact—of both. See?"

"That's not fair!" said the others. "It's the last syllable of Chester, Lancaster, Gloucester, Chichester and Exeter. We protest!"

"Well," he said, "I won't insist. Try this one."

He turned the card over. It was inscribed on the other side with these three letters, "Ans."

After a severe mental struggle everybody gave this up also.

"That ought not to puzzle you," he said. "It's 'The Last of the Mohicans.'"

He got the prize.

Knew the Kind.

"It used to be, when a lady insisted on keeping her husband awake nights to tell him how much better her family was than his family and some other chastening truths, that the policeman took her off, and she was either fined or ducked as a common scold."

"And, pray, what did they do with the uncommon ones? Surely in those days, as in ours, some displayed more talent than others."

"They probably knew better than to monkey with the uncommon ones. Man is a bright creature who learns by experience."

Woman's World

MARGARETTA DREXEL.

Society Girl Who Adorns Her Boudoir With Marriage Proposals.

Framing the written proposals of marriage from one's admirers and using them as ornaments for one's boudoir is the latest fad among the young buds of British society.

Originated by an American girl, the idea has taken strong hold, and it has England's titled gallants by the ears, for many of these fortune seeking noblemen have obeyed literally the old time motto, "If at first you don't succeed, try, try, try again."

Margaretta Drexel, the beautiful young daughter of Anthony J. Drexel and wife of New York, who has amazed English society by going heart-whole through two London seasons, waited upon by a virtual train of courtiers, started the fad. A score or more such proposals decorate her bedroom walls.

And the amusing part of it all is that a comparison of notes as a result of

MISS DREXEL IN FANCY COSTUME.

the new idea shows that some of the peers have been working overtime in their efforts to capture some one of the many debutantes well endowed with this world's goods.

Miss Drexel's career in London society has been brilliant enough to satisfy the utmost desires of the most ambitious. Both the king and the queen commented upon her loveliness when she was presented at Buckingham palace two years ago, and ever since she has had peers of every degree constantly in her train of admirers. Scarcely a week passes that rumor does not have her engaged to this or that one. The latest victim is Lord Dalmeny, heir to the earldom of Rosebery.

No picture gives an adequate idea of the young girl's loveliness because of its ever varying expression. Her coloring, one of her great charms, is lost in a photograph. It has been the dream of Shannon and Sargent to paint her, but the willful beauty has not yet found time for the sittings.

Her charm of manner tells more than her actual beauty. In a room you will see her surrounded by a dozen or more men, while other girls of her age will be talking to each other. Yet no one accuses her of being a flirt. She never tries to outrival her sex, and for all her success she is extremely popular.

She is much of an idealist, and it would not be surprising if in the end she made a romantic marriage. So devoted to her are her parents that they would hardly make objection to her choice if it entailed her happiness.

What a Woman Can Do!

Abolish unnecessary noise.

Establish traveling libraries and so bring reading matter within the reach of all.

Help to save the forests from demolition.

Clean up her own back yard and make it such a thing of beauty that it will be an inspiration to her neighbors.

See that the health of her fellow citizens is cared for by securing the appointment of a public nurse whose duty is the care and instruction of the poor.

Secure lighted streets at night and thereby prevent crimes.

Insist upon paved sidewalks.

Demand clean streets and get them.

Get rid of tramps by having an ever ready town wood pile; no work, no pay.

Help to prevent the injustice of child labor.

Do away with immoral theaters, moving picture shows and postal cards.

Beautify her street with window boxes.

Prevent telephone and telegraph companies from hacking off and mutilating the branches of trees.

Prevent much loss of life by insisting that all wires be underground.

Arouse public interest in the public welfare.

Keep her garbage box clean and covered and insist upon her fellow citizens doing the same.

She can, because she has done every one of these things. And when she does them all towns and cities will be clean, happy, wholesome places in which to live.—Delineator.

Japanese Floral Calendar.

Reference is frequently made to the floral calendar of Japan. What this calendar is is explained in the Housekeeper. The Japanese are extremely fond of all flowers, and they have therefore made a calendar from them, giving to each month a favorite blossom or leaf. Thus the pine, the emblem of lasting prosperity and life, belongs to January, and its branches are used to decorate all houses on New Year's day. To February belong the blossoms of the plum tree, which stand for purity, and the beautiful blossoms of the peach tree, to which young girls are compared, are associated with the month of March. Next the cherry blossom, the most beloved of all flowers, is held to belong to April, and to May are assigned the gorgeous clusters of the wistaria vine.

The iris flower, to which is compared the strength and beauty of young boys, belongs to June, and July has the glory and perfume of the water lily. The flowering hibiscus tree attaches its beauty to the month of August, while September lays claim to the exquisite charm of the azalea. The royal flower of Japan, the chrysanthemum, which forms a part of the crest of the imperial family, belongs to the month of October, while to November is given the maple leaf, admired for its decorative quality. Finally, with December is associated the beautiful camellia, which blooms in the gardens even in the midst of snow.

Men Do Housework.

In England the proportion of men to women indoor domestics is as one to three or four. In France the reverse is the case, parlor maids being unknown, the one femme de chambre being lady's maid as well as housemaid. The housework—sweeping, dusting, etc.—mainly falls upon the menservants.

One element entailing much extra work for domestics in England is absent in a French home. This is the staying guest, the succession of visitors. Outside private hotels and in the handsome flats of fashionable quarters there is, indeed, no room in Parisian households for friends. The expressions "dine and sleep" and "week end" visits have not found their way into French dictionaries, nor have "dine and sleep" or "week end" guests yet become French institutions.

It is easy thus to understand why three or four domestics suffice in France, while in England a dozen would be needed for people of similar means and position, and where three or four maids are kept in England only a general servant is kept in France.

The Obliging Girl.

The obliging girl may be popular; she is also imposed upon.

To get the reputation of being obliging is to be made the dump of all the disagreeable things that others should do and won't.

Unless you can draw a tight line at imposition better cultivate an unaccommodating spirit.

Don't think it is obliging to do the other girl's lessons. It is mistaken kindness to them and unfair to the teacher.

The obliging girl usually finds herself loaded with all the extra coats and bundles when out on a day's jaunt.

When the other girls have a way of saying, "Ask Jane to do it; she won't care," be sure Jane is afflicted with misguided good nature and is obliging.

To be too accommodating is often a sign of weakness. It takes strength of character to be able to say "No."

Learn to distinguish between selfishness and overobligingness. The latter breeds selfishness in your friends.

For Feline Protection.

A new society for the "protection of cats" has just started into activity in Paris under the name of "Velvet Paws." Pierre Loti is the honorary president and Edmond Harancourt the executive president. The suppression of convents has, it seems, cast many of these poor animals homeless into the streets, and Miss Louisa Reid, who houses and feeds the cats of departed great men, has tried to protect these wandering pets. Her home is overcrowded, so this new society will have to create fresh asylums for the unfortunate pussies that have not had the good luck to belong to a celebrity. The funniest part is that these charming but rarely faithful animals have a newspaper.—Le Moncrief.

A Curious Experiment For the Children.

Cut two crosses out of black paper and place them with their extremities almost touching at about three inches from the eye on a sheet of white paper. You will see three crosses, the middle one being dark and quite separate. The experiment becomes more interesting when red or green figures are used, but in this case a dark background must be used, and a white cross will appear in the middle one.

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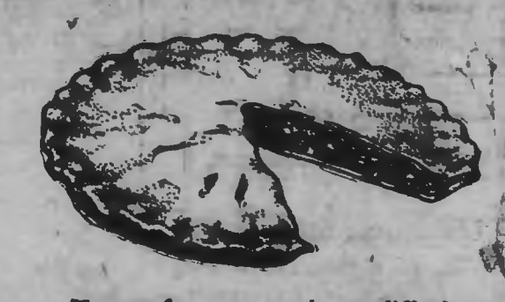

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A PAGE FOR MISSES

HAND WEAVING A FASHIONABLE ACCOMPLISHMENT OF THE PRESENT DAY

Pretty Examples of Hand Weaving, Including a Bed Spread, Cushions, Stand Covers and Portieres.

Artistic Specimens of Hand Weaving which New York Girls Are Doing.

SINCE the revival of the old handicraft of hand weaving by young folks some charming specimens of household decoration of the "homespun" sort are seen. In many a home the loom has been set up in an unused room or even the general living room where space is limited, and the quaint sight of one girlish figure throwing the shuttle back and forth, just as doubtless her great-grandmother did years ago, is no uncommon cue.

For a summer cottage with mission or old Colonial furniture, or for the girl's sanctum sanctorum in the town house, nothing is more charming in the way of furnishings than the product of the hand loom. So as these bits of weaving cannot be bought in the regular shops the *old handicraft* has been taken up, and girls are weaving their own dainty room hangings. Just now, too, they are turning out some novel and interesting pieces as Christmas gifts.

One girl has woven a "coverlet" in china blue and white for an old four poster, in a pretty design of fleur de lis and diamonds, and for the floor has woven old style rugs to match. Curtains in deep cream mercerized cotton, with cross stripes of orange, have been made by another New York girl for her own particular den. With these go rugs of the Priscilla type in yellow with white borders to cover the floor. But perhaps the most noted of all is the portière which still another girl has woven in yellow and woody browns, which represent a small boy with a pail gathering berries in the woods, beneath which a quaint Dutch sentiment is added.

If a girl be especially ambitious she can weave a most charming set of curtains with a valance showing rows of little Dutch girls holding hands about a Christmas tree and singing a curious old song about the festal occasion. The Christmas sentiment which is woven in with the pattern makes this a most appropriate gift for the holidays.

For the divan there are cushion covers in a multitude of designs, both Swedish, Dutch and those of our own Indians, and for the highboy, the bureau, stand or work table an endless variety of charming pieces that are suitable and not at all difficult to do. In fact, there is very little of the hand weaving that is too knotty for the average girl to unravel. The main requisites are patience and love of the work.

ANY girl over twelve years can do it after a few preliminary lessons, and once she finds out how rapidly the work progresses and what a host of artistic things she can make she usually grows enthusiastic over it. As a pastime nothing can compare with it, for it requires just enough technical skill to make the work interesting and presents such pleasing problems in the way of originating new designs that there is practically no limit to its possibilities.

There are a few places in New York and Brooklyn where one can become *initiated into the mysteries of hand weaving*, and not more than six or eight lessons are needed to start with. When it comes to working out intricate problems the novice will doubtless want to appeal to the instructor for a little more knowledge, but for the plainer sort of weaving the principles can be grasped in a short time.

First of all there is the question of a loom. It may be that in some homes there is such a relic reposing in the attic or one that has been preserved for generations in some old New England homestead. If so, so much the better, though, as a rule the old fashioned looms were more cumbersome than those in use among the arts and crafts societies today.

But if one be available and still in working order dust off the cobwebs and give it a place of honor in some room that is not already wholly occupied. Generally speaking, with a little ingenuity supplied by the weaving instructor an old loom can be made to do duty again quite as satisfactorily as it did in the past.

If there are no old attics to be searched then a loom can be ordered. They cost from $5 up to $100, though the cheapest priced mentioned are of the simpler sort used in schools and not altogether practical for all kinds of weaving.

One Swedish instructor supplies her pupils with looms which cost about $20, which she imports from Sweden. She says that though she has ordered a few made here in this country, the cabinetmakers have been so long out of practice that the looms they manufacture are loosely built and not wholly satisfactory. The $20 loom is of all the most practical. It is 45 inches wide, of sufficient width for narrow pieces and yet wide enough for portières, curtains or any other article of household decoration of a similar sort.

IN the olden days our grandmothers, who spent so much time at the loom, made their own dyes. Madder and cochineal, logwood and various flowers and their juices were gathered in the forest, and the dye pot, like the yeast jar, was kept going from one year's end to the other.

In Martha Washington's time even she used to weave and dye her own yarns. It is said she kept all her old, worn silk gowns and scraps, dyed them the desired shade, carefully wound them on bobbins and wove them into chair and cushion covers. To a group of visitors she once is said to have displayed a dress of red and white striped material, of which the white stripes were cotton, the red ravelled chair covers and silk from the General's worn out stockings which she dyed herself.

To tell what would be the cost of materials for, say, a rug 3x6, is somewhat difficult, as it all depends on the sort of material used. If a rag rug the cost would probably not be more than $1. This may be fashioned out of denim, gingham, old or new; turkey red calico, stockings and white or Canton flannel.

Usually the material for a rug is cut in one inch widths, though this depends on its quality. Turkey red calico, for instance, being lighter in weight, must be cut an inch and a half or two inches. In the big factories where the machine product is fashioned there is in use a huge revolving knife that cuts the cloth, after it is rolled, into the required width. A hand weaver can, if she prefers, do this at home. First roll the cloth very tightly and then with a sharp kitchen or carving knife cut the cloth off in inch strips. If old stockings are to be used they are cut round and round in one piece, the same as you would pare an apple.

A very good idea for a girl who is going in extensively for weaving, to determine just how much material one will need for a rug the size mentioned, is to weigh the cloth after it has been cut, rolled and sewed, and jot down the weight as well as the number of yards in a roll. Then, after it is woven, calculate the number of yards of weaving.

For a rug of denim five to seven yards of material will make one yard of weaving. When finished a rug of this sort should weigh two and a half pounds.

Once the material is cut, sewed together and wound into balls, the next process is to wind it off on a rod for the purpose. From there it is placed on what is called a winding wheel, a frame that revolves rapidly, and from which the shuttles can easily be threaded.

IT is best for a beginner to become familiar with the different parts of the loom at the start, so she can receive instruction intelligently. The yarn beam, upon which is wound the warp threads which form the foundation of the weaving, and which stretch in close parallel from it to the cloth beam at the front of the loom, is of first importance. On the cloth beam the weaving is wound as it proceeds. The yarn beam should be made of close grained, well seasoned wood. It must also be well turned and regular in shape, otherwise the work will be imperfect. However, this is something that the instructor will look out for.

Beneath the loom are the treadles, three in number. They are similar to the pedals on a piano, and one of them when pressed down by the foot depresses one set of threads in order to allow the shuttle which carries the woof to go through. There is a templar, an attachment of narrow pieces of wood finished with hooks, into which the selvage of the cloth is fastened to keep it firmly in place while the lay is forcing the weft into place.

Three motions are of particular importance in hand weaving. First, the left treadle is pushed down with the left foot. By this means one heddle holding every alternate warp thread is depressed from the level of all the other warp threads. This makes an opening or "shed" into which the shuttle—an oblong wooden affair much like a sewing machine shuttle—is thrown from one side of the loom to the other. This, it will be seen, goes through every alternate thread. This is the second motion.

In the third motion the right foot presses down the right treadle, and this makes a reverse "shed" between the layers of warp threads. This time, with the shuttle in the right hand, it is thrown from left to right, which completes the process of plain weaving.

When it comes to making borders, putting in patterns, changing the texture of the cloth and the like, the operation is varied by throwing the shuttle of one color back and forth several times according to the demands of the design. A third treadle forms different combinations of threads also. Most of the designs are drawn out on paper which has previously been blocked in squares. It is usually pinned on the loom frame in front of the weaver, and for the beginner is almost always colored.

Rows are called "shots," so that if one wishes five rows of blue the directions will call for five "shots," and so on. While the cost of bedspreads, curtains, portières and cushion covers of solid weaving is more than for rag rugs, still, comparing the price one would have to pay for hand woven fabrics in an art shop, the amount is very small.

PRACTICAL TALKS BY THE APRIL GRANDMOTHER

"SLENDER, willowy figures are all very well if they are natural," observed the April Grandmother, who was turning over the colored pages of a fashion magazine, "but the dimpled girl should not fret if she is a trifle too plump to adopt sartorial extremes. The chief point about feminine beauty of figure is perfect unity in the proportions of the limbs and of the width of the shoulders and the hips to the height. Consequently excessive thinness, or, rather, attenuation, is not usually commensurate with the proportions of the average figure.

"Nevertheless if a girl is convinced that she has a superabundance of adipose tissue she would best set about reducing her flesh in a rational manner instead of endeavoring to take it off as rapidly as a sculptor reduces a statue with a chisel. The fat schoolgirl, who is jeered at by her companions usually, imagines that it is solely because her waist is large, and makes the mistake of going in for tight lacing, whereas she should allow her figure full play, as it is only by having an opportunity to exercise that the waist muscles can be made smaller.

"Many a girl whose hips are too stout is reaping the harvest of those vacation days in the country during which she persisted in riding a bicycle when she would better have walked—a form of exercise which the plump girl rarely voluntarily adopts, although it is the best means of reducing flesh, especially if taken in the early morning and in proper garb. This includes a short skirt, a warm coat, light weight, loose underwear and shoes several sizes too broad and too long. The latter sacrifice on the altar of appearances need only be temporary, however, and as a reward the seeker after symmetry will find that by affording the muscles exercise space her feet and ankles have grown slimmer and that for ordinary purposes she can adopt more narrow footgear than formerly.

"The girl who would like to be slender as a willow should positively court opportunities for doing errands for elderly friends. That amiable habit will not only make her beloved, but will help to vanquish flesh, particularly if the missions involve running up and down staircases, during which exercises she should always preserve a perfectly erect carriage of the head and never rely upon the balusters for support, for by so doing she will unconsciously adopt a distinction of bearing which will endure long after her figure has lost its patiently attained slenderness and the Directoire modes have faded into the forgotten.

Social Amenities for The School Girl.

IT is of great importance that girls who wish to show perfect breeding at every turn should know how to properly treat servants. These dependents, either in one's own household or in the homes of one's friends, are entitled to courtesy and consideration, and there is a well defined etiquette in regard to them.

Some girls act as if their inferiors were not to be recognized except when service is required of them, and then adopt a manner of haughty disdain, demanding everything and taking the attitude that the servant is a mere machine. There is, of course, the other extreme, that of intimacy with a servant, and the latter attitude is as much to be deplored as the former.

Every girl of wealth in these luxurious days has her own maid, and this domestic naturally comes into close contact with her. It is the maid's business to be at the beck and call of her young mistress at all hours, but the mistress should remember that the maid is human and not make unreasonable demands on her. It is unreasonable to expect perfection, for none of us possess it, in any capacity, and it is unreasonable to expect an intelligence equal to your own, for if the maid had it she would be something of a higher order than a menial.

Politeness is an important part of good manners with servants, and you are not only served better when you are courteous but you present to them a model of manners. Servants are very imitative, and if those who employ them are gentle, soft voiced and uniformly polite they become so, too.

One should always preface or end an order with "Please," and one should say "Thank you" in acknowledgment of a service. Do not say "Thanks," even to a servant, as the word is no longer considered good form. Always say "Good morning" to the servants of your household and also to other people's servants when they are known to you, as in the homes of your intimate friends.

As a rule young girls rarely give orders to servants with the exception of their own maids, but often they give orders for their mothers. There is only one correct form in which to do this. You must not say "Mary, mother wishes you to go up to her room," but, supposing your mother's name to be Mrs. Brown, you should say, "Mary, Mrs. Brown wishes you," &c. The formal prefix applies not only to your mother but to all the other members of your family. Never say "father," "sister" or "brother" to a maid, but always "Mr. Brown," "Mr. Harold," if that is your brother's name, and "Miss Beatrice," supposing that to be your sister's.

Do not call or refer to the domestics in your mother's establishment as "girls." The "hired girl" is a phrase which has been banished from good society, and we say instead "the maids" or "the women" when speaking of the servants, if they are all of one sex.

When you are staying in other people's houses never give orders of any sort to the maids unless it be that one has been assigned to you for your own personal use, in which case, of course, you treat her as you would your own. Otherwise, when you wish things done, ask permission of the hostess to use a servant for this or that. And even at the table you must not request things directly of the maid, as etiquette requires that you make your request to the hostess.

Practical Suggestions for the Girl Who Sews.

Dainty Bag Coverings.

THE frame of a decrepit silver, gold or gun metal chain purse will make an excellent and substantial mounting for a fancy bridge bag, which is all the better for having a reliable clasp. The bags of printed cretonne or of flowered satin have their patterns outlined with soutache, silk floss or tinsel thread, while those in plain materials are decorated with embroidered monograms. All such bags should be lined with chamois or soft French kid and so stitched that rough edges shall not be in evidence when the receptacle is opened.

Opera bags of cretonne or Pompadour silk are wide and deep, soutache, tinsel or floss embroidered and finished at the top with several rows of shirring, through which the ribbon strings may be run. The brilliantly colored silk bags having black satin linings and draw strings are considered immensely smart.

Hot water bag covers shaped like miniature pillow slips, with the open end shirred finely and drawn up with baby ribbons, are made of washable pongee silk matching the prevailing color of the sleeping room's decorations. The small sized bags intended for nursery use are covered with fine white linen slips, hand embroidered in pale pink or blue and drawn up with matching satin ribbons. The same idea may be developed in mussin embroidery.

Notted silk hot water bag coverings are started from a ring adjusted to the receptacle base, the meshes gradually increasing in number as the work progresses. A satin draw ribbon run through the bag about two inches below its upper edge causes the network to form an attractive lacelike frilling about the stopper.

Fancy Baskets.

FRUIT, flower and confectionery baskets of every imaginable size, shape and color are profusely trimmed with ribbons, crêpe paper or artificial flowers. Wide or narrow ribbon is wound about the handles, and the covers and sides are strapped or bowed about the base in every conceivable manner. Sometimes a lattice work effect is woven over the entire basket, the spaces between the lines being filled in with tiny flowers. Again the baskets are so coarsely woven that their silk linings afford sufficient coloring, and only the corners and handles need to be decorated.

With the aid of a small round porcelain dish any large hat of chip or straw may be transformed into a charming flower basket by simply turning the crown upside down, lining it and the brim with satin or with muslin embroidery and adding ribbon handles to its edges. For holding short stemmed flowers like violets or lilies of the valley there is nothing prettier than a porcelain lined, flat straw hat with a fancy ribbon banded brim and a tinsel cord hanger.

On the dark red, blue, green and black straw confectionery baskets spool gold or silver tinsel cord trimmings are most effective, but more unique are the waterproof Swedish leather and French kid baskets formed of arrow sections of felt cemented together (so that there shall be no seams), lined with fancy silk and trimmed on the outer side with leathers of a matching hue.

Indestructible baskets made of the armadillo, a tropical animal having a shell-like spherical shell are highly varnished at the fairs which, when decorated with large bows of ribbon and furnished with hanging cords, make most satisfactory receptacles for growing plants. Almost as substantial as are the armadillo baskets are those made of stout withes woven into the form of a cradle. They have practical wooden wheels, fronts decorated with red and green ribbon lamps, tonneaus filled with bethorge grapes, oranges, persimmons and pomegranates and are large enough to hold a small child.

Vanity Cases.

CAN vanity cases, twelve inches wide [illegible] a half inches long, are [illegible] from folds of V shaped [illegible] with [illegible] taffeta [illegible] The [illegible] sides of the fan are [illegible] and [illegible] place [illegible] one fold [illegible] mother-of-pearl, a special tool is [illegible] fitted with a powder puff bag, a third with an oval bevelled edge mirror framed in shirred satin, and a fourth with a toilet pin cushion. When closed the fan forms a triangle, with top corners joined by ribbon ties.

A second vanity case is of circular shape and three inches in diameter. It is composed of two cardboard discs covered with delicately tinted satin or flowered silk and hinged with matching ribbon. On the inner side of one disc is a silk powder puff pocket having a shirred hem run through with elastic. On the opposite disc is set a bevelled glass mirror framed in shirred silk.

Fraternity Pin Watch Fob.

GIRLS who are the proud possessors of fraternity pins or who are collecting pins of any sort can make a stunning show of them by arranging them to wear in the form of a watch fob. Take a heavy piece of watered ribbon about two inches wide, and, if you can afford it, have one end of it finished with a little gold clasp by a jeweller, so that it will look as the manufactured fobs do. But if you do not wish to make any expense of the matter you can fasten the watch on yourself by making a slip knot in the ribbon where the watch is attached. Then on the ribbon itself, which should not be more than four inches long, put your pins in one or two rows, according to the number you possess. This fob may hang from the belt or from the buttonhole pocket of your coat, the latter place being as far the most effective for showing it off.

Petrified Rosebud Hatpins.

THE novelty of the season in hatpins is the petrified rosebud, which is a real flower treated chemically in such a way that it retains its shape and color and, finished by a long pin of gold, goes its imprisoned way for the use and for the ornamentation of smart hats. But these baubles are so costly that only the few can aspire to them, and to satisfy the general girlish love of pretty things most lovely imitations have been invented. These are artificial rosebuds made of muslin in delicate tints and then shellacked to give them the look of the real buds after they are petrified. One little rose leaf and sometimes two on the bud add a natural touch. These designs do not have gold pins, but just ordinary ones, and in spite of their beauty are so inexpensive that every girl should have several.

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SOME ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM VILLAGE OF KEENE

Keene, Dec. 29—The Keene skating rink opened Saturday evening, Dec. 26th. A large number of skaters attended and there was every evidence of another successful year for the ring

The ice is not yet in shape for curling, but the curlers expect to get at their game before New Year's

Master Ward Brown, Peterboro' is the guest of Mr. David Edwards,

The Orangemen intend holding their annual ball on Friday evening, Jan. 15th.

Mrs. Jno. Flunkett, Bowmanville, is visiting relatives in Otonabee.

The annual Lang ball was held in the town hall in that village Dec. 30th.

Mr Albert Stillman spend Christmas with relatives in Havelock.

Miss Margaret Pidgeon, Toronto, is spending the holidays in Otonabee

Mr Albert Nelson, Queen's University, Kingston, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nelson.

Mr Cecil Nelson, of the Bank of Montreal, Kingston, is the guest of Mr. Larne Burly.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Anderson visited relatives in Norwood last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thompson, Stony Lake, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gillespie, Peterborough, were the guests of Mr. John Lang, Christmas Day.

Mr Gavin Spence, assisted by Miss Maud Kerr and Miss Nanny Strachan will give a concert in the town hall under the auspices of the Village Improvement Society, Thursday evening, Dec. 31st.

The Mount Zion Methodist fowl supper will be held New Year's eve.

Keene, Dec. 30th—The death took place this morning at six o'clock after a long illness of Miss Alice Jonson, one of the oldest residents of this district. The deceased was a native of Scotland, but spent most of her life in Canada, coming to this country when a young woman. She is survived by two brothers, Jno. of Grafton and Adam of Lang; and one sister Agnes. The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon at 1.30 o'clock. Interment will take place in Fife's Cemetery.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Jno. Howson, whose death occurred this morning in Campbellford will be held in the Methodist church, Keene, on Friday morning at ten o'clock. After which interment will take place in the Pine Grove Cemetery.

The following officers of Keene Lodge A. F. and A. M. were installed by Wor. Bro. R. J. McCamus.

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Humor

HE WAS ACQUITTED.

And by His Own Eloquence, Not by His Lawyer's.

"Strangest case I ever had," said the attorney, who was in a talkative mood, "was up in the northern part of the state last summer.

"I was back in the woods some miles from what you would call civilization on a combined fishing and hunting trip.

"While I was there an old man, who had been acting as my guide and very valuable in spite of his bibulous habits, was arrested for stealing a keg of whisky.

"The case looked pretty black for him, and the old man knew it.

"As the old man was almost indispensable to me, I volunteered to defend him.

"When the case came to trial I used all my wiles to get him clear. But I soon saw that it was uphill work and that the jury had a deep seated conviction that the old man was guilty. The old man realized it, too, and squirmed uneasily about upon his chair.

"The case was about to go to the jury when the old man arose and insisted on addressing them before they retired. The court granted permission, and the old man turned to the jury and said:

"'I jes' want ter ask ye one question. Ye all know me, and what I want to ask ye is this: Do ye think that if I stole that thar whisky that I would be sober now?'

"This was putting the case in a new light, and it seemed to have great effect with the jury, for they declared him not guilty before leaving the box.

"When it was over and the old man was receiving the congratulations of his friends one of them said:

"'Sam, how on earth did you manage it?'

"'Waal,' answered the old man as he solemnly winked one eye, 'when I toted that thar whisky home the old woman saw at once that the first thing that I would go and do would be to go and git full of incriminating evidence, so she took the keg and locked it up in the cellar till the clouds would roll by. But it's mighty lucky that the trial kim off jes' ez she did. 'Fer I couldn't hev held out fer another day ter save my life.'"—Detroit Free Press.

The Main Point.

The Englishman and the American were talking about honesty among men.

"Speaking about honest men," said the American proudly, "our George Washington was the most honest man the world has ever known. Why, he took a hack at the cherry tree and then told his father about it."

The Englishman pondered in silence for a long time. Finally he drawled:

"It may be deuced clever in George telling his father about taking the hack, but tell me this."

"Well, what is it?"

"Did he pay the driver?"—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

He Said It.

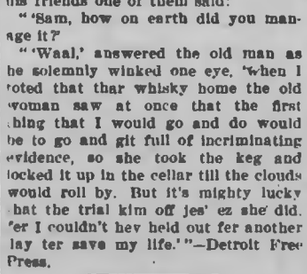
"Horace," remarked Mrs. Figtree, "we are going to have company at dinner, and I do wish you would brighten up and look less like an honorary pallbearer. Say something humorous."

The company came, and, with a few preliminary coughs and winks, which were intended to announce to his wife that the witticism was about to be perpetrated, Mr. Figtree said timidly, "Mary."

"Yes, dear. What is it?" asked Mrs. Figtree graciously.

"Have you got all of your hair on this evening?"—Judge.

Too Late.



Mr. Van Neere (entertaining a few friends) — You didn't brush the cobwebs off that bottle, William.

William—Excuse me, sor, but I saw yer puttin' them on, and I wouldn't take the liberty unbid.—Pick-Me-Up.

Another Sufferer.

"Ah," said the shabby beggar as he shivered from the pelting sleet, "you don't mind weather like this."

"Who doesn't?" hastened the man in the fur lined overcoat. "Why, it is the hardest weather on automobiles I ever saw in my life."—Chicago News.

A Human Problem.

Nell—I wonder why so many of the English fighting suffragettes are so ugly and dress so awfully.

Belle—My dear, if they were pretty and could dress stylishly they wouldn't have to be suffragettes.—Baltimore American.

Must Have Meant Him.

"I wish I knew," said Cholly Sapphead, "if I have any show of winning Miss Roxie Swellman."

"Well," replied Miss Peppprey, "from a remark of hers I think you're her choice."

"Aw! Really? What did she say?"

"She said nobody was good enough to be her husband."—Catholic Standard and Times.

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The stork, the blessin' bringer.
When first to my poor roof he came
How sweetly he was sung to!
I called him every dacent name
That I could lay my tongue to.
But, glory be, that praise from me
So pleased the simple crayture
His visits here have come to be
A sort o' second nature!
I'm glad to see him now an' then,
But, glory be to heaven,
If here he isn't back again,
An' this is number seven!

Och, though this gift o' song may be
In manny ways a blessin',
It brings some popularity
That gets to be disthressin'!
Now, mind, I love this Irish bird—
We couldn't live widout him—
An' shure, I'll not take back a word
I ever said about him,
But now when all these mouths to feed
Ate up our little savin's
The birds whose visits most we need
Are ould Elisha's ravens.
Begor', if they were round these days
I'd sing them such a song o' praise
'Twould keep them always near me!
—T. A. Daly in Catholic Standard and Times.

Careless Fellow.

"Do be careful, Ernest. There won't be any wine left for luncheon."—Pele Mele.

Uncle Hiram's Deduction.

"Who are them people livin' next door?" asked Mrs. Gadsby's uncle Hiram.

"I don't know," she replied.

"I s'pose they've just moved in."

"No. I think they have lived there for a good many years."

"Ain't they decent?"

"I really don't know. I have never heard anything about them."

"Hm! Gosh, you people must be mighty well off!"

"What has our financial condition to do with the people who live next door?"

"Why, you don't seem to ever have to borrow anything."—Chicago Record-Herald.

His Explanation.

A boy was asked to explain the difference between animal instinct and human intelligence. "If we had instinct," he said, "we should know everything we needed to know without learning it, but we've got reason, and so we have to study ourselves most blind or be a fool."

What He Wanted.

"Well, what do you want?" queried the stereoscopic lecturer as a stranger appeared before him.

"Oh, I merely came to get your views," replied the stranger—who proved to be a constable—as he proceeded to levy on the outfit.—Chicago News.

Reverberating.

"Ha, Mrs. Taukaway, I'm not the only one who snores. I just heard you sawing wood."

"You're mistaken again, Mr. Taukaway. That was the echo of your own snoring that didn't die away for some seconds after you woke up."—Kansas City Times.

Providing a Substitute.

He started back with indignation.

"I am a gentleman, sir," he hotly said, "and I never could demean myself by washing windows. But if you'll hold the job open for a half hour I'll see if I can't get my wife to do it."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Saving the Pieces.

"Why did you steal the horse?"

"I was drunk."

"Confess the circumstance, and ask the mercy of the court."

"Never! The only thing I have left now is my reputation for sobriety."—Cleveland Leader.

Musically Expressed.

Westend—What did your wife say when you got home from the stag the other night?

Broadway—Nothing at all. She just sat down at the piano and played "Tell Me the Old, Old Story."—Puck.

Pertinent Query.

"Man's work is from sun to sun, but woman's work is never done," quoted her husband's wife.

"Well, why doesn't she stay home occasionally and do it?" queried his wife's husband.—St. Louis Republic.

AN INTELLIGENT POLLY.

He Knew Enough to Hold His Tongue in a Lady's Presence.

The man with a sailor-like appearance murmured something about having got on the wrong street and tried to dodge when the lady ran down the steps and made for him.

"You ought to be ashamed of yourself!" she exclaimed as she took her stand squarely in front of him to prevent escape.

"You ain't the lady I sold the parrot to, are you?" he asked, throwing back his head and looking at her with one eye.

"Yes, I am."

"An' how's the parrot treatin' you? Fine, I warrant."

"You're a swindler."

He dropped his head and shook it deprecatingly, still keeping one eye closed. "You told me," she went on, with increasing indignation, "that parrot was one of the most intelligent animals of its species and that it had a gift of language which you had never heard surpassed."

"Did I tell you all them things?" he inquired.

"You unquestionably did."

"Well, then I'll stand by 'em. You got a prize, an' you don't appreciate it. That bird has even more smartness than I give him credit fur. Talk about intelligence! He's a marvel. An' he kin talk, too, though I never pretended he had had the advantage of good society. He kin roll off observations of the most p'inted character without end, though I call on you to remember that there waren't nothin' said about politeness."

"But it doesn't say a word."

"That's jes' it, ma'am. That's what shows his intelligence. The minute he seen you he knowed you was a lady an' he holds his tongue."—Washington Star.

The Landlord's Explanation.

"You charge $2 for that possum?" said the guest who had just partaken of one at the Crossroads hotel.

"That's the bill," said the landlord.

"Why," said the guest, "I could dine at the biggest hotel in the city for half that sum!"

"I know it," replied the landlord, "but you ain't at the biggest hotel in the city at this here present time, an' yer case is different. Besides, it took me two nights to ketch that possum, an' by bein' up so late I likewise ketched the devil when I come home, an' it's my consideration that ef my time an' feelin's ain't wuth $2 they ain't wuth 2 cents."—Atlanta Constitution.

Fair Play.

A Chicago youth not long ago received the following note from an ex-fiancee:

Dear Tom—As you know, I shall marry Mr. Blank during the present month. I shall therefore be glad to have you burn all the little notes I sent you, assuring you of reciprocity with reference to those you sent me.

To this missive the young man had the pleasure of returning this reply:

Dear Marie—I shall at once comply with your request. And incidentally, as your new fiance also holds a few little notes of mine, I should count it a great favor should you be able to induce him to burn them with the rest.

—Puck.

The Modern Way.

Post—It's good St. Paul didn't live in these days.

Parker—Why so?

Post—Instead of all those beautiful epistles we'd have nothing but a lot of souvenir postals.—Harper's Weekly.

Juvenile Depravity.

"Kitty," said her mother rebukingly, "you must sit still when you are at the table."

"I can't, mamma," protested the little girl, "I'm a fidgetarian."—Boston Globe.

Did It the Plain Way.

"Did he ever castigate his son for playing truant?"

"No; he never fooled with them newfangled ways o' doin'. He jest give him a sound lickin'."—Baltimore American.

Something In Luck.

"Do you believe there is anything in luck?" asked the young man.

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ROOSEVELT GETS SLAP FROM CONGRESS

Congress Will Not Consider His Secret Service Reference.

TO LAY MESSAGE ON TABLE

Perkins' Committee Is Expected to Cause a Sensation To-day When It Moves That the House Simply Refuse to Deal With President's Message Regarding the Shadowing of Representatives.

Washington, Jan. 8.—As disrespectful and unresponsive to the enquiry of the House, the Perkins' committee, when it reports to-day, will recommend that President Roosevelt's secret service message of Jan. 4 be laid on the table.

A similar request will be made for the tabling of that portion of the President's annual message relating to the secret service on the ground that it reflects upon the integrity of the members of the House.

The special committee concluded its consideration of the message yesterday and drafted its report, which will be presented by Representative Perkins of New York. The unusual and extreme course advised by the committee—that of declining to consider any communication from any source which, in the judgment of the House, is not respectful—is likely to cause a sensation when it is read.

After setting forth the statement of the President that the House had failed to understand his message the report of the special committee says that the language itself would be judged according to the accepted interpretation of the English language.

It will be asserted that the language in question was unjustified and without basis of fact, and that it constituted a breach of the privileges of the House.

For that reason the special committee will ask to be discharged from further consideration of that portion of the President's message which refers to the secret service and will recommend that it, together with the subsequent message of the President in reply to the House, demand for an explanation be laid on the table as being unresponsive and constituting an evasion of the privileges of the House by questioning the motives and intelligence of members.

Pelletier Probably Safe.

Ottawa, Jan. 8.—Joseph E. Morrier, one of three Hudson Bay Railway surveyors, who arrived at Winnipeg overland from Fort Churchill recently, has advised the mounted police department that when surveyors left Fort Churchill a patrol boat, on which Col. Pelletier and his party were to come from Chesterfield Inlet, had not arrived.

This is regarded as additional confirmation of the department's view that the Pelletier party went to the mounted police post at Fullerton and are coming out over the ice to Fort Churchill.

Clergyman Rebuked.

Montreal, Jan. 8.—Recorder Dupuis and Rev. Arthur French are engaged in a battle over the social evil. Mr. French has been instrumental in bringing to court many disorderly houses in his parish. He has had several clashes with the recorder, who yesterday morning censured Mr. French for his method of exposing vice to the gaze of the world, while endeavoring to stop it, and thus making young people familiar with phases of life of which they should never know.

Fought Fire With Buckets.

Saltcoats, Sask., Jan. 8.—With the thermometer 40 below and apparatus only tin pails and water barrels, citizens were turned out by a fire alarm at two o'clock yesterday morning, and by hard efforts got the better of a fire which had broken out in The Recorder office, owned by E. Bolton, postmaster. That building and Willey's drugstore adjoining were destroyed, but the fire was checked there. The loss is fully covered.

Jack-the-Hugger Convicted.

Orangeville, Jan. 8.—Joseph Deighton, a young blacksmith, who has been doing the "Jack-the-Hugger" trick, was yesterday convicted of indecent behavior and using insulting language. Sentence was deferred.

New Gilchrist Manager.

Cleveland, O. Jan. 8.—Samuel P. Shane, freight traffic manager of the Erie Railroad, with headquarters in New York, has been appointed general manager of the Gilchrist Transportation Co. of this city.

MYSTERY ABOUT THE BODY FOUND

Michigan Minister May Be Slayer Instead of Slain.

ONTARIO BEING SEARCHED

New Theory of Police Regarding Steve Mystery Is That Carmichael Murdered Gideon Browning and Fled —Man Answering Description Crossed at Sarnia in a Boat —Teeth May Solve Mystery.

St. Thomas, Jan. 8.—That Rev. J. H. Carmichael, who it was thought had been murdered and his body dismembered and incinerated in two heating stoves of one of his churches in Columbus Township, Michigan, on Wednesday, is the murderer and Gideon Borwning the victim of the affair, is now the belief of the Michigan officials, who are scouring Western Ontario for the missing clergyman.

W. B. Moore, deputy sheriff of St. Clair County, is here following a clue picked up at Sarnia. There it was learned that a man answering the description of Rev. Mr. Carmichael crossed the river at Courtright in a rowboat yesterday. Provincial Officer Servise saw the customs officers at Courtright and got from him a description of the man, which tallies exactly with that of Mr. Carmichael, who is a man of 250 pounds, standing 6 feet 2 inches, exceptionally long-waisted, of dark complexion, and wearing a dark brown beard.

If Carmichael turns out to be the murderer instead of the victim, Deputy Sheriff Moore says the authorities are completely at a loss to supply a motive for his act. They do not think there is a woman in the case. It has been learned from Mrs. Carmichael that when the minister left his home he carried a suit case, but Mrs. Carmichael has furnished very little information beyond this that would assist the police.

The identification of the body as that of Rev. Mr. Carmichael was largely based upon the fact that bloody clothing belonging to the minister and other possessions of his, including his spectacles, were found in the church.

The authorities say that so far as they knew there had never been any serious trouble between Browning and the minister.

On the contrary, they were apparently quite friendly, frequently driving about together, Tuesday afternoon Browning, it is alleged, left a Grand Trunk train at a near-by village of Hickey and enquired the way to the Methodist Church in Columbus Township. He is alleged to have said to two different men that he had an appointment there with a man. C. O. Conat, a rural mail carrier, and Thos. Galvin walked part of the way to the church with Browning. They left him a mile from the building. He has not been seen since.

No reason is known why Rev. Mr. Carmichael should have gone to the church unless he had an appointment there.

It has been learned that Rev. Mr. Carmichael had but four false teeth, while Browning recently bought a full set for the upper jaw. It is now the intention to sift thoroughly the ashes in the stove where the mutilated body was burned in an attempt to discover teeth, which might clear up the situation.

Among the gruesome evidences of the crime taken from the stove in which the murderer tried to incinerate his victim's body is a stickpin, which the sheriff says has been identified as belonging to Browning. The sheriff denied stories that pieces of Browning's clothing and buttons therefrom had also been discovered in the stove.

"The stickpin is the only thing of Browning's we found in the ashes," he said.

Dean Was Poisoned.

Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 8.—Dr. Howe, special examiner into the death of Dean Frederick Howard of Drake University on Thanksgiving Day, has reported that the professor was a victim of poison. Quantities of morphine was found in the intestines.

Dean Howard had been contemplating removing from his apartments, and on Thanksgiving evening partook of a dinner there in his honor. The next morning he was found dead.

U. S. Postal Service Being Probed.

Washington, D.C., Jan. 8.—With a view of ascertaining how the $222,000,000 appropriated annually for the expenses of the postal services is expended, the House committee on post-offices expenditures has started its probe.

A large quantity of supplies has been purchased by the office, entirely independent of the annual contracts designed to cover everything that the service needed.

Exchanged Not Confirmed.

Ottawa, Jan. 8.—Officials of the Militia Department are inclined to discredit the rumor that the Canadian Regiment in garrison at Halifax will be sent to Great Britain, imperial troops taking their place at Halifax.

Sir Frederick Borden gave no intimation to his staff on his departure that he would take up the matter of an interchange of troops with the Imperial authorities.

Alberta Wheat For Britain.

Vancouver, B.C., Jan. 8.—The first shipment of Alberta wheat and flour to the United Kingdom via Vancouver will be made this week by the Vancouver Milling Co., which will send 5,000 sacks. A rate of 45 cents per cwt. has been quoted by the C. P. R., Calgary to Liverpool, this way.

Labor Man's Indiscretion.

Ottawa, Jan. 8.—The attention of Hon. Mr. Lemieux has been drawn to the fact that an official of the Labor Department was on the stump during the recent municipal elections mainly against one of the labor candidates. The incident is part of the fight between international labor interests and the national movement.

GRAVES IN SICILY BEING BLESSED

Thirteen Hundred in Messina in One Big Tomb.

BUILDINGS AS SEPULCHRES

Archbishop in Ceremony of Consecration Includes the Military Hospital, College, Barracks and the Archbishop's House Which Are Huge Ruins Filled With Dead— Lamentations of the Crowd.

Messina, Jan. 8.—A most impressive funeral ceremony was witnessed near here yesterday, when Archbishop Darrige made his way through the ruins of the city to the cemetery at Maregrosse and blessed a grave 100 feet wide and 30 feet deep containing 1,300 bodies.

The dead were piled one on top of the other, and the remains have been covered with quicklime.

The prelate was followed to the cemetery by a large gathering of survivors, whose lamentations mingled with the Latin words of the benediction.

Subsequently the archbishop walked through the ruins and blessed the military hospital, the military college, the barracks and the archbishop's house, considering these wrecked edifices as so many cemeteries. Under them were the remains of soldiers, students, policemen, priests and monks.

All the valuables found among the ruins are being taken on board the steamer Duca di Genea in the bay. Wednesday currency to the amount of $9,000,000, including the contents of the safes of the Sicilian-American Bank was transferred to this vessel. A banker named Mauremeti, who was one of the richest residents, lost everything. On Wednesday he went to the authorities barefooted and half clothed and asked for a pair of shoes and an overcoat.

With the exception of Saint Andrea Avellino all the churches in Messina have been destroyed.

Ten Shocks an Hour.

Messina, Jan. 8.—Earthquake shocks are still continuing here at the rate of about ten per hour. Fire also has again broken out, completing the destruction of the City Hall and the records stored therein.

Rose In Kingston.

Kingston, Jan. 8.—Alex. Rose of Toronto, lifer, jail-breaker, alleged lunatic and perpetrator of daring assaults and robberies, is now safe in Kingston. He has begun serving a sentence to which there is no end, although many, even in official circles, believe that with good conduct Rose will be liberated at least at the end of 15 years. He was brought to Kingston yesterday in charge of Deputies Stewart and Sevors.

Rose still persists that he is innocent of the assault on Mrs. Katherine Davis, in her Yonge street liquor store.

Falls on Man.

Cobalt, Jan. 8.—Another fatal accident took place at the Davis mine, Giroux Lake, on Wednesday. Four men were engaged in a shaft down 65 feet; three had gone down the ladderway. Peter Peterson, a Finlander, single, aged 32, called down to his partners below that he was coming down a rope used on the whim for hoisting. Peterson started down the rope, which gave way, precipitating him to the bottom of the shaft 65 feet and killing him instantly. Peterson fell upon Mat Nearmee below, seriously injuring him.

Shah Issues Another Manifesto.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 8.—Despatches from Teheran say the Shah of Persia has again issued a manifesto revoking the constitution.

There has been an outbreak of disorder at Shiraz similar to the recent disturbances at Ispahan. It is feared that the news of the successful plundering of this latter city will result in uprisings on the part of the lower classes in other towns, but particularly among the starving.

Bye-Election In Virden.

Virden, Man., Jan. 8.—The bye-election to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Hon. J. H. Agnew is being bitterly fought, despite zero weather and occasional blizzards. Harvey Simpson is the Conservative candidate, and Harvey Forbes the Liberal. Polling takes place on Saturday. The telephone question is the main issue.

Want to Be Locked Up.

Galt, Jan. 8.—Two Toronto mechanics, John Worth and Charles Wray, walked from the city looking for work and finding none, applied to the police magistrate to be sent to jail for the winter. They were told to proceed further west. They said Toronto had a whole army of unemployed.

Three Killed In Fire.

Calumet, Mich., Jan. 8.—Mrs. Douglas Bolton and Everill and Marion Curtis, aged two and three respectively, were killed, and Miss Eva Bolton, John Bolton, Mrs. Fred Odell and Mrs. Fred Curtis, mother of the two children, were seriously injured in a fire yesterday which destroyed a small apartment building. Miss Bolton's injuries are believed to be fatal.

The Cold Wave.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Featured by a drop to 44 below zero north of Lake Superior, a snowstorm in this section, threatening weather in the south with freezing temperature and frost predicted for northern Florida and the Georgia and Carolina coast, a cold wave yesterday stretched over the entire country east of the Rocky Mountains.

One Dead; Another Hurt.

Kenora, Jan. 8.—Another tragedy involving the death of one man and the fatal injury of another from an explosion of dynamite occurred in McCrea & Courtney's construction camp on the National Transcontinental last Monday. The dead man was Hendrickson, a Swede, and the injured man is named Anderson.

BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

The Galt Liberal Club rooms were formally opened last night.

The United States fleet is at Cairo.

Two immigration inspectors have been appointed for the port of Prescott.

Walter Wilson's barn at Welland-port was burned yesterday morning; loss $1,500. The cause of the fire is unknown.

Nat Massey of Chatham has resigned as liquor inspector, because he has to pay his own expenses out of a salary of $600 a year.

Lord Strathcona has presented the public hospital at St. John, N.B., with 50 copies of a book of photographs taken by Queen Alexandra.

Fire caused $50,000 damage to the warehouse of James Ballantyne & Co., contractors, with headquarters at Montreal, in Winnipeg last night.

Major H. C. Thacker, P.S.C., is to succeed Major H. A. Panet as deputy adjutant-general. Major Panet takes command of B. Battery at Kingston in June.

Because he got only 247 votes in his candidature for council, Sam Holmes of Chatham, a brother of the chief of police and a resident here for 82 years, will sell out and go west.

New Money In Sea.

New York, Jan. 8.—It is understood that Robert Fleming and other important English interests are carefully looking into the affairs of the Lake Superior Corporation with a view to enlarging its scope.

It is expected that considerable new money will be put into the enterprise and it is definitely reported that the English capitalists referred to have been assured of large orders from the leading Canadian railroads.

It is predicted by those who have been familiar with the affairs of this unfortunate company, practically since its organization, that within a reasonably short time the outlook for it will be brighter than ever before and probably the actual business in hand considerably larger than has been recorded up to this time.

C. P. R. Will Expand.

Winnipeg, Jan. 8.—Thirty million dollars was mentioned yesterday at the local offices of the Canadian Pacific as the sum which Second Vice-President Whyte will ask from the treasury of the company to be expended on western lines during the season of 1909.

Mr. Whyte will leave for the east today and will spend the coming week in Montreal. He will be accompanied by the chief engineer for western lines, J. E. Schwitzer, who for several weeks past has been devoting his entire time to a consideration of the work to be done next year in connection with the building of additional track and betterment and maintenance of existing lines.

U. S.-British Treaties.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Secretary Root yesterday signed arbitration treaties with Ecuador, Bolivia and Hayti.

Next week Secretary Root hopes to sign with Ambassador Bryce a treaty for the reference to The Hague tribunal of disputed questions affecting the Newfoundland fisheries, for the settlement of pecuniary claims, and for the mutual uses of the boundary waterways.

With the exception of some claims which may have to be added to the list, Mr. Root and Mr. Bryce have agreed on these treaties, and they now await the approval of the British Foreign Office.

Eighteen Months For Bigamy.

Toronto, Jan. 8.—Edward S. Soames, a middle-aged man, bearing marks of dissipation, was sent to the Central Prison for 18 months yesterday, upon conviction for bigamy.

Ten years ago he married Kathleen McLean in St. Thomas. They lived together for six years and six children were born. Four years ago he deserted her and one of the children died as a result of the poverty which followed.

Recently Soames married Jennie E. Reynolds in Detroit. His defence was that he had heard that his first wife was dead.

No More Helmets.

Ottawa, Jan. 8.—Militia orders seem to doom the helmet as far as the Canadian militia is concerned.

They will not in future be issued to rural corps, and to those who wear them only in quantity to complete establishment.

A naval pattern cap will be issued to replace them.

An Airship Over London?

London, Ont., Jan. 8.—Reputable citizens of this city solemnly affirm that about midnight Wednesday an airship, or something very like it, passed swiftly east over London, going in the direction of Toronto. It went over the centre of the city at a great height, traveling steadily.

Hespeler Machinery Co.

Galt, Jan. 8.—The Clark Demill Co., Hespeler, wood-working machinery, has been re-organized as the Hespeler Machinery Co., Limited, with the following officers: George Forbes, president; W. A. Kribs, vice-president; W. G. Chater, secretary-treasurer and manager.

Despatching by 'Phone.

Montreal, Jan. 8.—The G.T.R. has decided to put the telephone on its single track for despatching purposes in place of the telegraph. This is the first time this road has tried it. The C.P.R. has at least 250 miles in operation, and proposes extending it.

Judge Refused Knighthood.

St. John, N.B., Jan. 8.—Ex-Chief Justice Tuck states that he was offered knighthood three years ago if he would retire, but he refused. He had then two years more to serve to be able to retire on full pay.

National Theatre For London.

London, Jan. 8.—London is to have a national theatre as a memorial to Shakespeare, in which will be enacted the poet's works as well as plays by other English dramatists, living and dead.

Papers to Advance.

Trenton, N.J., Jan. 8.—Newspapers will on Feb. 15 advance their prices from one cent to two cents a copy, principally owing to the increased cost of white paper.

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GETS A TERM IN SCHOOL

Bessie Mott, Who Pleaded Guilty to Theft From Local Minister, Gets Indefinite Sentence.

SHE WAS ARRESTED IN TORONTO

Bessie Mott, the young girl arrested in Toronto and brought down here last night by P.C. Meagher, was arraigned before Police Magistrate Dumble at the Police Court this morning on a charge of stealing seven dollars from Rev. Mr. Riddiford, pastor of Park street Baptist Church on Christmas Day and pleaded guilty to the charge.

She was sentenced to an indefinite term not to exceed three years in the Alexandra Reform School, and will be removed to that institution as soon as possible.

The girl was in the employ of Mr. Riddiford, and was left in charge of his child, while Mr. and Mrs. Riddiford were out to dinner. She left on the G.T.R. train for Toronto, taking with her the seven dollars and leaving the child alone in the house where she was found by her parents three or four hours afterwards.

The girl was arrested in Toronto, her old home, from which she had come only a week before Christmas to take the position here.

SAYS EDMONTON SHOULD HAVE WON THE STANLEY CUP

Examiner Special

Winnipeg, Jan. 8—Lester Patrick, has arrived here on his way home to Nelson. He says the Stanley Cup should have come too. The remainder of the Edmonton team are expected in the city to-day. There is talk of a game with one of the professional teams.

FARMER CAUGHT BY A FALLING TREE— LEG AMPUTATED

Tamworth, Ont., Jan. 8.—Fred Coughlin, a farmer near here, was caught underneath a tree he was felling, and pinned down until he was found by a party who were searching for him, as he had not been home for some hours. Coughlin had chopped the tree nearly through when it suddenly gave way, the but coming down on one of his legs. The leg had to be amputated about four inches above the knee.

KINGSTON, ONTARIO.

Boy Run-down and So Ill He Could No Keep Anything On His Stomach.

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MR. L. M. HAYES WAS APPOINTED CHAIRMAN OF BOARD OF EDUCATION AT FIRST MEETING LAST NIGHT

Elected on the First Ballot—The Standing Committees and Their Chairmen Were Appointed.

THE NEW MEMBERS PRESENT

Mr. Louis M. Hayes, K. C., was appointed chairman of the Board of Education at the first meeting of the year last night. The new term was begun most auspiciously, the same evidences of harmony and friendship which characterized the sessions of 1908 making them enjoyable to the members and assisted in the rapid but thorough transaction of business, being again manifest. There were no absentees, and the new member, Mr. E. F. Mason, who occupies the chair vacated by Mr. W. S. Robinson, was cordially welcomed. He arrived a little late but did not miss any of the preliminary business.

This meeting was for the purpose of striking the committees and preparing for the year's work. The secretary, Mr. W. G. Morrow read the official communication from City Clerk Armstrong giving notice of he election of Messrs. Fair, Mason, Morrison and Ackerman, the result of last Monday's voting.

The selection of a chairman was the first business. The result of the first ballot awarded this honour to Mr. Hayes. When he had taken his position at the head of the Board he thanked the members in a few words for the honour they had conferred upon him in electing him their chairman. His predecessor, Mr. Fair had he said, fulfilled his duties in a most acceptable and successful manner. He assured them that he would endeavour to do likewise, and asked for their assistance in the confidence that continued harmony would be always prominent at the meetings.

Committees Selected

The work of striking the committees was then begun. On Dr. Burnham's motion the following nominating committee was appointed — Messrs. Hill, Ackerman, Crane, Nelson and Dr. Burnham. The following is the personnel of the committees for the year, with the chairman of each—

Finance Committee—Messrs. Fair, chairman; Ackermar, Dumble and Crane.

Property Committee— Messrs. Nelson, chairman; Mason Dumble, Fair and Morrison.

Supervision Committee — Messrs. Crane, chairman; Morrison, Hill and Dr. Burnham.

Committee on Appointments— This committee is composed of all the members of the Board. Mr. Hill was re-elected chairman, the untiring attention he gave this department last year being thus appreciated by the other members of the Board.

It was moved by Dr. Burnham seconded by Mr. Nelson that the joint buildings committee be re-appointed Mr Mason taking Mr. Robinson's place.

MR. L. M. HAYES, K. C.

Who was appointed Chairman of the Board of Education last night.

Riot In Turkish Armenia; Thirty People Were Killed

Examiner Special.

Constantinople, Jan. 8.—Five battalions of soldiers from Erzinjwn in Turkish Armenia, are to-day nearing Musul, capital of the Villayet of Mosula, to suppress a riot which began there on Sunday, over the arrest of Turkish soldiers for insulting a woman. Comrades of the soldiers broke into the jail, liberated all the prisoners, and started a fight, in which thirty persons were killed and forty wounded on Sunday. At the last report the rioting was becoming general.

The Board Of Education Passes Vote Of Thanks To The Secretary

Ald. Morrow was pleasantly surprised last night when at the Board of Education meeting a hearty vote of thanks was tendered him for the efficient manner in which he has fulfilled the duties of secretary and for the use of his room in the Toronto Savings and Loan Company's offices.

Before the meeting was concluded Mr. Hill stated that the room was suitable in every particular, was convenient and was always comfortable and in every sense was most suitable for the meetings of the Board. His motion that a vote of thanks be tendered Mr. Morrow was seconded by Mr. Fair. Mr. Dumble took the opportunity of including in the motion the careful manner in which the business was always presented at the meetings. The preliminary work by the secretary showed that it had been well done and this was one of the reasons for the despatch with which it was transacted.

In reply Mr. Morrow stated hat he always enjoyed the meetings. It was 22 years since he attended the first. He was then a young man and he remembered that he had felt nervous on the initial occasion. It was a pleasure to give the members any information he was in possession of at any time and the room was as convenient for him as it was for the members of the Board.

Mr. Morrow's work is generally appreciated and in conveying the thanks Mr. Hayes stated the sincere gratitude of every member of the Board

The Milky Way Was Demonstrated By A Vendor's Horse To-day

The members of the Peterborough Astronomical Society missed a demonstration of the "Milky Way" on Park street this morning that they might have found interesting and instructive. While Mr. Burns, a milk vender residing on the Gravel road was in the house of one of his customers on Park street his horse took advantage of his absence to do a warming up stunt in which he covered a good deal of ground, travelling down Park street to Sherbrooke to Rubidge, along that thoroughfare to Dalhousie and east on that street to Stewart where it was rounded up, but not before some fifteen quarts of milk had been distributed along the way.

Prize Winners At Poultry Show; Local Exhibitors Get Awards

The Peterborough Poultry Show was brought to a most successful close last night after a record breaking exhibition Which has proved satisfactory to all concerned and if the directors are disabled from shaking hands with each other they can not be blamed very much. Exhibitors and public alike have united in congratulating the members of the local Association on the success achieved and the accommodation provided.

The Examiner is able to publish below a list of the prize winners. A detailed report will be given in tomorrow's issue. The list is as follows—

R Robson, J J Cunningham, R J Kidd, F Branch, R A Dutton, John Bickell, J R Hope, T Bottrell, W D Card, Andrew Millar, Harry Small, McIntosh and Holliday, Vickery Bros, Chas Brereton, Edson Wegg, E Shirley, John Mathison, J W F Hall, H Lush, Fred Bunnett, Leslie Stevens, John Hefferman, Gerald O'Brien, Geo Buller, J B Pentland, D Cameron, W Grady, G Stewart, F Head, H Outram, Jas Baptie, C B Tucker, J J Hartley Joe Kelly, Orval King, C H Wilson, E Syers, Geo Paxman, R Wearcott, Cizara LaPlante, Fred Brown, Howard Parcoe.

FIREMEN ARE THANKED

C. P. R. is Grateful for Services Rendered at the Parnell St. Wreck in November Last.

DONATION OF $25 WAS MADE

Chief Howard of the Fire Department is in receipt of a letter from the General Superintendent of the C.P.R. at Toronto, asking the chief to convey the thanks of the officers of the company to the firemen for the valuable assistance rendered at the wreck that occured on the night of November 14th last, at the foot of Parnell street, when the wreckage caught fire and the brigade was called to extinguish the blaze, which was soon done by the men. In his letter the Superintendent says he has recommended to the board of directors the appropriation of twenty-five dollars for the brigade. The letter is a personal one and Mr. Oberne thanks the chief for a similar service at a wreck which happened at Owen Sound in which Mr. Wm. H. Boskill was killed. Mr. Boskill was engineer on a passenger train from Toronto to Owen Sound, and is also a brother-in-law to the present mayor of this city. Chief Howard and the firemen appreciate the expression of good will from the Superintendent and hope to be able to show their gratitude at some day not very far distant.

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Fore quarter lamb, 10c.
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Fore quarter mutton, 8c.
Loin of mutton, 10c.
Leg of mutton, 12c.

These prices are good for this week and all next week, and are strictly cash.

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THE WEATHER

The thermometer this morning at six o'clock stood at three below zero. No lower during the night.

DRY GOODS STORES CLOSING AT 9 O'CLOCK ON SATURDAY NIGHT

The public is reminded that the dry goods merchants of Peterborough have adopted the commendable agreement of closing their places of business at 9 o'clock on Saturday nights and that the system came into force last Saturday night. The citizens are asked to bear the fact in mind and to govern their shopping accordingly. The move is a step in the right direction and is being highly appreciated by the employees of the different stores affected and will doubtless be endorsed by the public generally.

TO RENT

Storage space in good, dry safe storehouse.

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PEARSON'S EFFECTS SOLD BY AUCTION AND BOUGHT BY THE POLICE TO SEND HIS WIFE HOME

Peterborough Man Who Got Into Trouble at Pittsburg Pleaded Guilty to the Charge of Assaulting Knoedler.

THE PARTING FROM HIS WIFE

Special despatches to the Examiner from Pittsburg, Pa., give additional details in connection with the Peterborough man under arrest there charged with the crime of robbery and shooting with fatal results. Silas H. Pearson seems to be of unbalanced mind, a circumstance which perhaps has more to do with his actions than depravity or conscious criminality. The despatches are as follows—

Special to the Examiner.

Altoona, Pa., Jan. 7, Special—Silas H. Pearson, arrested for robbing Jacob Knoedler's store at Willock station Allegheny county and shooting Knoedler was brought here from Pittsburg to-day by detectives for further investigation of his career. In his rooms were found socks, underwear, watches, belts, knives, spoons etc. He is alleged to have stolen here at night and posed as a Bible agent in the day time. He shipped most of his alleged plunder to Canada.

Silas H. Pearson who confessed on Saturday night that he had shot Jacob Knoedler, the Willock grocer, was photographed by Bertillon Operator Linden yesterday. His wife who is left almost penniless by his arrest is being cared for by the county detectives.

Pittsburg, Jan. 7—With knives, razors, cheap silverware and jewelry, fancy hose supporters, razor strops and suspenders scattered about, Chief County Detective George H. Waggoner's office this morning looked like the interior of a five and ten cent store, while in the outer office the chief conducted an auction with his own men as the bidders, all for the sake of sweet charity.

The ordinary charity bazaar was not in the same class with that of the county detectives this morning and $17 was raised in short order that the sweetfaced little woman sitting in the chief's office, the wife of Silas H. Pearson, the man the detectives arrested for the shooting of Jacob Knoedler, a Willock storekeeper, on November 24, might be sent home to her friends and family at Peterborough, Canada.

Pearson had in his possession when arrested a set of novelty knives which he had been selling and these were auctioned with the kind hearted detectives as buyers. One and all of the men were more than willing to aid the little woman, who has been the guest of Detective George W. Murren since the arrest of her husband.

In the opinion of Chief Waggoner and Detective Murren, Pearson must have been weak-minded or he never would have shot to kill for the sake of the cheap novelties which is apparently all he was in the habit of stealing.

"The devil was in me" the prisoner declared yesterday when asked why he had shot Knoedler, and the fact that he called daily at the Knoedler home and asked about his condition and that he returned here from Canada when any reasoning man would have known that he was almost sure to be arrested, is thought to strengthen the theory.

Pearson pleaded guilty to the charge of felonious assault upon Knoedler before Alderman Louis Alpern last night and is now in the county jail, where his wife bade him a tearful farewell this morning.

MAN WANTED IN MONTREAL FOR THEFT GAVE HIMSELF UP

Cincinnati, Jan. 8—Frederick Corby Pole, 34 years old, wanted in Montreal on the charge of the grand larceny of $25,000, has surrendered himself to the police here. The money according to Pole was taken by him while he was employed by the brokerage firm of McCraig Bros. and Company of Montreal in 1906.

THE PARK ST. CHOIR ENTERTAINED BY THEIR PASTOR LAST NIGHT

Mr. and Mrs. Riddiford entertained the members of the Park Street Baptist Church Bible Class at their home last night. A very enjoyable time was spent. Refreshments were served at the close of a most enjoyable and social evenings the class has ever had, and left realizing that it had been good to be there.

THE GREAT AMERICAN PLAY "PAID IN FULL"

Writing in the New York American, Alan Dale, the world-famed critic, said, "The photographic power displayed in the characterization of the men and women in "Paid in Full," is the most commanding thing I have ever seen. It is a revelation and Eugene Walter, its author, and Wagenhals and Kemper, the managers, are to be congratulated for giving the American stage so valuable a property." With a superb cast and a magnificent production, "Paid in Full" will be presented at the Grand on Monday night. It will be given here as perfectly as at the Astor Theatre, New York, where it is now in its second season of uninterrupted triumph. The play also has a record of five months' run at the Grand Opera House, Chicago, and comes here direct from the Princess Theatre, Toronto. The cast that will present "Paid in Full" here is a brilliant one, and local theatregoers can look for a real treat. The indications are that a packed house will greet the play on its local debut.

CLOSING MEETING OF THE WEEK OF PRAYER

To-night the closing meeting of the local observance of the world-wide Week of Prayer will be held in St. Paul's Church. The subject of address and consideration will be "The Supremacy of Christ and Its Results." In view of the interest excited by the precedent meetings it is probable, as it is desirable, that there should be a numerous attendance. An offering will be taken. Tennyson tells us that "more things are wrought by prayer than this world dreams of."

Former Pastor Of Charlotte Street Church Passed Away To-day In Whitby

Special to The Examiner.

Whitby, Ont., Jan. 8—Rev. D. O. Crossley, pastor of the Methodist Tabernacle, died of pneumonia early this morning. He was taken ill on Sunday night; though very unwell he insisted on going out on Monday to vote for local option, of which he had been one of the chief advocates during a strenuous campaign of several months at the county seat. Rev Mr. Crossley was sixty years of age. His only brother is the celebrated evangelist, Rev. R. T. Crossley.

The deceased was very well known and respected in Peterborough, having been for four years pastor of the Charlotte street Methodist church being succeeded by Rev. Mr. Jolliffe. He was liked by all with whom he came in contact and the sympathy of the community will go out to the bereaved relatives.

Searching For Brother Whom She Has Not Seen For Many Years

His Worship, Mayor Rush, has received the following letter, which the Examiner has been asked to publish. Any person who is able to supply the necessary information is asked to communicate with His Worship or with the Chief of Police.

Dear Sir,—I have been informed that there is a young man in your city, Wm. Fulcher, about 30 years of age. He was at one time in Dr. Barnardo's Home for Boys in New Jersey. The reason I write is that I had a brother of that name and we were put in Barnardo's Home, Stepney's Causeway, London, Eng., at the age of four or five years. We were separated and the last I heard of him he was in the New Jersey Home for Boys. He was then about nine years old, and I thought maybe this person might be my long lost brother Willie. Now, if you could give me any information about it I would be very grateful to you. Please let me know as soon as possible. My maiden name was Lillian Matilda Fulcher and my address is Mrs. Wm. McKean, Jr., Preston, Ont., Box 157.

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LARGE SUM TO BE SPENT

C. P. R. Will Spend $30,000,000 On Its Western Lines in the Season of 1909.

MUCH WORK IS TO BE DONE

Winnipeg, Jan. 7 — Thirty millions dollars was mentioned to-day at the local offices of the C.P.R. as the sum which Second Vice President Whyte will ask from the treasury of the company to be expended on western lines during the season of 1909. Mr. Whyte will leave for the east on Friday night and will spend the following week in Montreal. He will be accompanied by the Chief Engineer for western lines Mr. J. E. Schwitzer.

The work which has been in progress the past summer and which will be continued this year includes the extension of the Moose Jaw line running to Outlook and on towards Lacombe; the line from Shaunavon to Lanigan, which will probably be completed next year; the line from Wilkie to Battle River, completing the direct line from Winnipeg to Edmonton; the Lethbridge and MacLeod division in connection therewith; the great Lethbridge bridge, the Mowbray extension and a number of smaller lines.

Of the new lines which will be built this year the one most certain to secure the approval of the eastern officials of the company is that running west from Weyburn, continuing the line from Stoughton to Weyburn. This line will without doubt be eventually built through to Lethbridge, as there is a long stretch of good farming country to be served. This year it is expected that from eighty to one hundred miles of track will be built.

NORTH MONAGHAN MEETING A SUCCESS

The Farmers' Institute Gathering Heard an Enjoyable Programme Last Night.

The West Peterborough Farmers' Institute held a supplementary meeting, social and instructive, in the town hall, North Monaghan, last night. The meeting was well attended. President Telford occupied the chair and the programme was as follows:

Address—"Poultry," Mr. Kitchen.
Recitation—Miss Merton COolen.
Address—John Brown, Reeve.
Mouth organ solo—Three boys.
Recitation—John Whitfield.
Address—Ex-Reeve T. M. Hunter,
Recitation—Geo. Whitfield.
Address—"Keep the Boys on the Farm," Mr. Alward.
Recitation—Robert Whitfield.
Mouth organ solo—Three boys.
God Save the King.

A very large number of persons were present and enjoyed the excellently presented programme. Mr. Alward was given the principal address and discussed the problem of keeping the boys on the farm in a very clear and instructive manner.

ACCOUNTS OVERDUE

All accounts due to the late firm of Laidlaw & Glee must be paid on or before January 15th, 1909, otherwise they will be placed in a solicitor's hands for collection.

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EXAMINER SOUVENIR NUMBER COMMENDED

The editor has received the following, which, as well as the subject of it, speaks for itself from Mr. Alexander Potter, C.E., of New York, brother of Rev. J. G. and Mr. Donald Potter, city.

One of my brothers has just sent me a copy of the Souvenir Industrial Number of the Examiner, and you are to be congratulated upon the splendid appearance of this paper. The people of Peterborough are to be congratulated not alone upon this special issue, but also upon having so many large industrial and manufacturing plants, which furnish sufficient justification for the publication of such a paper as you have sent from the press. In the hydraulic lift lock and the plant of the Canadian General Electric Company, Peterborough is certainly an attractive place from an engineering standpoint. Wishing you ample returns for the thought, labour and energy expended on getting out this paper, I remain

Yours very truly,
ALEX. POTTER, C.E.

New York, Jan. 5.

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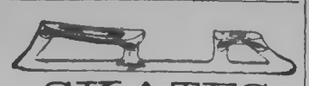

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SITUATION WANTED BY CAPABLE and respectable woman at housework where she can go home in the evening. Apply at this office. d dh

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LOST—TWO HOUNDS, COLOURS white, black and yellow, answer to the names "Jap" and "Nipper." Anyone found harbouring these dogs after this notice will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. 6d-b E. G. LECH.

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MR. CHAIRMAN HAYES.

Mr. L. M. Hayes, K.C., is to be congratulated upon having been unanimously elected chairman of the Peterborough Board of Education for 1909, and the members of the Board are likewise to be congratulated upon two grounds; because the appointment made, insures efficient presidency and because of the broad spirit of fair play and tolerance the appointment displays, the concession of equality of right to all sections of our citizenship, irrespective of any consideration outside of what such citizenship involves. The spirit of recognition is happily in evidence in Peterborough in other ways. The splendid work done by St. Peter's Total Abstinence Society, a Roman Catholic organization, affiliated with and recognized by the church, is regarded with appreciative recognition by the ministers of Protestant denominations, as well as by all good men. It is known that many of the former take a deep interest in the society's work, and are anxious to learn of its details and excellent results to get suggestions as to the best means of prosecuting the similar work of reform, in which they are also interested. At Knox Church last night the speaker referred in evident terms of approval of the work of the T. A. S. These matters gratifying in themselves, are insignificant in comparison with the beauty of the spirit behind them. We are all citizens of a common country. Though divided by what many regard as comparatively minor differences, we are all one in belief in the great supreme truth of the fatherhood of God, and through the redemption provided, in the brotherhood of man. In proportion as we exalt our recognition of this brotherhood, and subordinate the distinctions of doctrine, so shall we be agencies in making its spirit prevail. With common aims, both as to higher things, and as to material things, we are called to the work of harmonious co-operation in unity of spirit and aim, both in moral and material citizenship, without any rivalry except as to who shall give best effect to honest convictions, respectively held and, without any, surrender of conscience, mutually hold the opinions of others in respect.

There is no more sure tie between citizens than when they are united in the object and attainment of common aims and ambitions.

THE WOOLLEN INDUSTRY.

In a despatch published in another column it is stated that the commission appointed by the government to investigate the conditions connected with the British and Canadian woollen industries, has reported to the effect that the Canadian woollen industries do not require more protection, and that all that is needed to enable the Canadian woollen mills to hold their own in competition with those of Yorkshire, is modern equipment and improved methods. This is what the woollen manufacturers have been told, and we have examples of the correctness of the statement. Penman's, Limited, is one of these. By virtue of first class mechanical equipment, and production of first class goods the company is able, under the present tariff, to compete with the world. It is in fact one of our most flourishing industries and the shares of the company are of the gilt-edge variety—much above par. No tariff, however high, can take the place of first class machinery and modern methods. As well might a newspaper publisher think of competing in the journalistic industry in these days, with an old hand press and a corresponding typographical and mechanical equipment. Sir Wilfrid Laurier has assured the woollen manufacturers, that if, after investigation, they are shown to suffer grievances under the tariff, the matter of providing a remedy will not be overlooked. It is desirable that everything possible to be done to aid and encourage our manufacturing industries should be done; but two classes are to be considered, the producer and the consumer. If the complaints of producers are silenced by meeting their demands, only to provoke complaints on the part of consumers, trade disturbance will have been created only to substitute one grievance for another. The government, in the woollen industry matter, may be depended upon to deal justly as between the manufacturers and the purchasers of woollens, and that is all that can reasonably be demanded or expected.

A homely, but venerable, proverb reminds us of the folly of "sending a boy to do a man's work."

THE RIGHT TO VOTE.

A Toronto returning officer of large experience has been taking notes as to the extent to which women exercise the franchise in the cases in which they are entitled to vote. The treatment of the liquor traffic in regard to restrictive measures and regulation generally, is regarded as essentially a woman's question, since upon women themselves and the real kingdom of woman, the home, the evils that come from intemperance most heavily fall. In the recent vote on license reduction in Toronto this observant returning officer noted that in two polling sub-divisions there were the names of seventy-seven women entitled to vote on license reduction. Of these twenty-seven cast their votes. (Women are also assumed to have a special interest in public schools and the education of children. Yet in the same two subdivisions of the city, out of one hundred and fifty-four women entitled to vote for representatives on the Board of Education, only twenty-seven applied for ballot papers, and, as many of these were returned unmarked, several of these twenty-seven did not evidently exercise the franchise. These conditions furnish argument to those opposed to female suffrage against granting the boon so insistently demanded, especially by some of our British sisters beyond the seas. It is, therefore, held that since the many will not use the ballot, the few who desire it and will make use of it should be deprived of it by withholding the franchise from women at large. If they were given votes and many should not use them that fact does not extinguish the right to possess the privilege any more than the fact that men by millions, having the ballot, do not use it wisely, should operate to deprive them of the right to vote. A right is a right, and the question of withholding or granting it is not affected by any consideration of the proper or improper use of it. If women demand the privilege of voting, give it to them and place the responsibility of using or not using it upon them. If they do not exercise the right no harm is done, from the opposition point of view; if they do not use it wisely, they will have to invent new forms of obliquity of morals and judgment, to be greater offenders in this respect than the average masculine wielder of the ballot.

Seneca says that lack of desire is the greatest riches. If this is true then are the British suffragettes poor indeed.

BENEFICENT BORROWING.

Any information regarding the financial relations of Canada and Great Britain will gain in interest by coming from an old Peterborough boy, Mr. E. R. Wood, of Toronto, recently addressed the Success Club of Hamilton on this subject, and in the course of his remarks showed to what an extent Great Britain is Canada's banker. It has been argued by those opposed to the present government of this country, that its "recklessness" has impaired Canadian credit in the Old Country, but the statement made by Mr. Wood that last year Great Britain, on the strength of Canadian securities, sent to Canada the enormous sum of $165,000,000, is practical disproval of this contention. The indebtedness of Canada to the mother land amounts to more than $300,000,000—$254,000,000 by the Dominion Government, and $50,000,000 by the Provincial Government. If to this be added municipal and private indebtedness Canada's total financial obligations to Great Britain amount to more than six hundred millions of dollars. Canada's experience shows two things, one of these is the contradiction of the proverb, "he that goes a-borrowing, goes a-sorrowing." Canada's national experience is not of this kind. Without the money borrowed in Great Britain—without being permitted to draw upon the stocking board of the Old Lady of Threadneedle Street, we should not have been able to spend millions—about one hundred millions in the construction of our canals and in the construction of harbours, and more than one thousand five hundred millions in building our 25,000 miles of railways and various other media for the development of our national resources. We, in the second place have by the borrowing of billions been able to convert potential resources into real assets infinitely greater in value than the tremendous total of borrowed money spent. In this way our borrowings are not borrowings. They are investments that yield immense if undefined dividends. By virtue of borrowing Canada has solved transportation problems and effected, natural achievements greater, perhaps, than any other country, of similar population and visible wealth in the world. We send large sums in interest to the Old Country, but in their wake follow fleets bearing Canadian produce of every variety, the creation of our borrowed wealth, and an infinitesimal part of our perennially repeated national wealth.

Up to and including 1907 the total aid to railways from the Dominion and Provinces amounted to $181,298,412, and the land grants totalled 52,183,053 acres.

WRECKED BY WATERSPOUT.

Schooner Annie of Nova Scotia Lost Off Honduras.

New York, Jan. 8.—The bark Annie Smith, which arrived yesterday from Belize, British Honduras, brought five men of the Canadian schooner Annie, who was lost off the Honduran coast. A remarkable story was told of the loss of the schooner, which was as trim a Nova Scotiaman as ever shipped a cocoanut. According to the shipwrecked mariners who arrived yesterday, their vessel was a short distance off the coast on Nov. 16 when she was struck and capsized by a waterspout.

All hands climbed up on the bottom of the schooner, including Captain Decker, who finally ordered a couple of San Blas Indians in the crew to dive down and attempt to clear away the boats. The Indians were expert swimmers and succeeded in getting one of the boats clear.

The seven members of the party then pulled ashore, landing at a small town and went from there to Belize in a small sailboat. Captain Decker came north by steamship and the others by the Annie Smith, except one of the San Blas Indians. The Annie was a total loss. She was only a year old, of 193 tons burden, and was owned in Liverpool, N.S.

Both Women Acquitted.

Media, Pa., Jan. 8.—Mrs. M. Florence Erb, wife of Capt. J. Clayton Erb, who was well-known in political circles all over Pennsylvania, and her sister, Mrs. Catherine Beisel, who were charged with the sensational murder of Capt. Erb, on the night of Oct. 6, 1908, yesterday walked from the Delaware County Court House, free women.

After the jury had been out nearly 18 hours, it brought in a verdict of not guilty in the case of each woman, both of whom had been charged separately and jointly with shooting the captain.

Night Riders All Convicted.

Union City, Tenn., Jan. 8.—With a verdict of guilty in varying degrees, the jury in the night rider trials reported last night, finding Garrett Johnson, Tid Burton, Roy Ransom, Fred Pinion, Arthur Cloar and Sam Applewhite guilty of murder in the first degree, with mitigating circumstances, and Bud Morris and Bob Huffman, the other defendants, guilty of murder in the second degree and fixed their punishment at 20 years in the penitentiary. The first six will be senteneed on Saturday.

C. N. R. Extensions.

Edmonton, Jan. 8.—General Manager McLeod of the Canadian Northern was here Wednesday night on an inspection trip. He stated that the company would build railways in Alberta if the Government would guarantee its bonds.

Surveyors are working out on a line north to Athabasca Landing, and also west to the Pacific coast. No definite plans have been made yet regarding extensions. It is possible the line will be extended to Brazeau coal fields this year.

King Manuel Warned.

Lisbon, Jan. 8.—During a banquet given by officers of the army in this city Wednesday night, at which King Manuel was present, a lieutenant publicly warned His Majesty that a plot to dethrone him was in the course of preparation.

The officer declared further that the King was surrendered by spies and traitors.

Extra guards are on duty around the royal palace.

Vote on Bylaw Again.

Kingston, Jan. 8.—In the municipal election a bonus bylaw of $10,000 to the Wormwith Piano Co. was lost by 50 votes. It required three-fifths support. The vote was for 1,422, against 424, but the total in favor was short. To prevent the works removing to Gananoque, where big inducements are offered, the Board of Trade will ask the council to re-submit the bylaw in three weeks' time.

Domestic Science In Manitoba.

Winnipeg, Jan. 8.—The Government has decided to build a domestic science college in connection with the Agricultural College.

A commission with Col. Hosmer of Virden as chairman, will leave on Sunday for the U. S. and Eastern Canada, to investigate similar institutions.

Where It Is Cold.

Edmonton, Jan. 8.—Excessive cold reigned here yesterday. Wednesday evening it was 35 below, dropping to 45 below at midnight, the streets being deserted all evening. At six in the morning the mercury was 47 below, falling to 50 below at eight. No wind.

Great Cathedral In Danger.

Toledo, Spain, Jan. 8.—A board of architects has pronounced the cathedral at Toledo one of the largest and most celebrated Gothic edifices in Europe, unsafe, and liable to collapse.

Mail Service In Gowganda.

Ottawa, Jan. 8.—The Postoffice Department has under consideration the question of the establishment of a mail service to Gowganda, but no decision has been arrived at yet.

Kingston's Fire Losses.

Kingston, Jan. 8.—During 1904 there were 86 fires, with a loss of $72,000 most of which was due to the Worm with piano factory and city building fires.

Skated on Thin Ice.

Waterford, Jan. 8.—While a number of skaters were on the pond yesterday Gordon McGary, about 11 years old, skated on thin ice and was drowned in 11 feet of water.

The body was recovered in about twenty minutes, and although Dr. Good worked over him for some time life was extinct.

Fatal Wreck Near Chapleau.

North Bay, Jan. 8.—Two freight trains met in head-on collision on the C.P.R. 22 miles west of Chapleau, as the result of trainmen's error in over-running a time order.

Fireman William Thompson of Chapleau was killed and other trainmen sustained slight injuries from jumping.

Tremendous Clearance

For A January Clean-up

Before Stock-Taking

At The Peterboro' Bookstore

Our Annual Price-cutting Sale before stock-taking has commenced. Many of our readers are familiar with our yearly habit of making Radical Reductions all over the store previous to stock-taking. This is a sale that has pleased everybody because it is a chance to economize and save money.

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MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Close Higher, Chicago Lower—Live Stock —Latest Quotations.

Thursday Evening, Jan. 7.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day ¼d to ⅝d higher than yesterday, while corn closed ⅛d higher.

At Chicago, May wheat closed ½c lower than yesterday, May corn closed ¼c higher, and May oats closed ⅛c higher.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—January 98⅜c bid, July $1.03 bid, May $1.02⅛ bid.
Oats—January 39⅝c bid, May 40⅜c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	$0 94	to $....
Wheat, red, bush	0 93	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 90	....
Rye, bush	0 80	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 55	....
Peas, bushel	0 80	....
Barley, bushel	0 58	....
Oats, bushel	0 43	....

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 26
Butter, store lots	0 23	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 28	0 30
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 40	....
Eggs, cold storage	0 26	....
Cheese, large, lb	0 15½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11
Honey, combs, dozen	2 25	2 75

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 7.—Wheat—Spot, easy; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 10d; futures quiet; March, 7s 7⅝d; May, 7s 7¾d.

Corn—Spot, steady; new American mixed (via Galveston), 5s 5d; futures, firm; Jan., 5s 3½d; March, 5s 2⅞d; May, 5s 2d.

Hams—Short cut, firm, 45s. Bacon—Cumberland cut, firm, 43s 6d; clear bellies, easy, 51s.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Butter—Steady, unchanged; receipts, 5398.

Cheese—Firm; receipts, 788; state, full cream, specials, 14½c to 15½c; do., Sept., fancy, 14¼c; official price, 14.

Eggs—Firm; receipts, 6083; state, Pennsylvania and near-by fancy, brown and mixed, 35c to 36c; do., fair to choice, 32c to 34c; western firsts, 32½c; do., seconds, 31c to 32c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Steady—Hogs Are Still Firm at Buffalo.

LONDON, Jan. 7.—London cables for cattle are steady at 13c to 14½c per pound, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9½c to 9¾c per pound.

Toronto Live Stock.

TORONTO, Jan. 7.—Receipts of live stock as reported by the railways for Wednesday and Thursday, were 136 carloads, consisting of 1096 cattle, 4187 hogs, 1526 sheep and lambs, with 61 calves.

Exporters.

Export steers sold at $5 to $5.50, the latter price being paid for 35 choice steers sold by Corbett & Hall. Bulls sold from $3.75 to $4.50, but few got the latter price, the bulk going at $4 to $4.25.

Butchers.

Prime picked steers and heifers, 1050 to 1200 lbs., sold at $4.75 to $5, but very few at latter price; a few exporters, weighing 1200 lbs., were sold for butchers' purposes at $5.25 to $5.50, but not many, as will be seen by sales quoted, brought these prices: loads of good butchers' sold at $4.40 to $4.70; medium butchers', $3.90 to $4.30; common $2.50 to $3.80; cows, $2.50 to $4.25; canners, $1.50 to $2.

Feeders and Stockers.

H. & W. Murby report a fair trade, but deliveries light. The Messrs. Murby bought 120 cattle, 800 to 1000 lbs. each, at $3.25 to $3.65, but had there been cattle of better quality a little more money would have been paid. Best feeders, 900 to 1050 lbs. each, at $3.60 to $4, best steers

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ers, 800 to 900 lbs. each, at $3.40 to $3.60; best stockers, 600 to 800 lbs. each, at $3 to $3.40; common and medium, $2 to $2.50.

Milkers and Springers.

There was a fair delivery of milkers and springers. The demand was a little better, and prices ranged from $30 to $60 each, with one extra choice quality cow at $70. The bulk of the best sold at $45 to $60 each.

Veal Calves.

Receipts light, with prices firmer, ranging from $3 to $7 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs.

Both sheep and lambs sold at higher quotations, as follows: Ewes, $3.50 to $3.75; rams, $2.75 to $3.25 per cwt.; lambs, $5.50 to $6.25.

Hogs.

Mr. Harris quoted prices steady at $6.25 for selects fed and watered, and $6 f.o.b. cars at country points to drovers.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Jan. 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 125 head; fairly active and steady; prime steers, $6.75 to $7.15.

Veals—Receipts, 200 head; active and steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 6000 head; active and steady to 5c higher; heavy and mixed, $6.40 to $6.50; yorkers, $6.20 to $6.45; dairies, $6 to $6.20.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 7000 head; active; sheep, $5.25; lambs, 10c higher; lambs, $5 to $7.85; yearlings, $6.50 to $6.75; wethers, $5.25 to $5.75; ewes, $4.75 to $5; sheep, mixed, $5.50 to $5.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Jan. 7.—Beeves—Receipts, 391; no trading; feeling steady; no exports.

Calves—Receipts, 66; veals, firm to 25c higher; western and barnyard calves, nominally steady; commos to prime veals, $6 to $10 per cwt.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 3941; market active and strong for both sheep and lambs; sheep, $3 to $4.75; lambs, $6.75 to $8; culls, $4 to $5.

Hogs—Receipts, 3064; market weak to 10c lower; prime state hogs, $6.45 per cwt.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Jan. 7.—Cattle—Receipts, 5000; market strong to 10c higher; steers, $4.60 to $7.75; cows, $3 to $5.25; heifers, $2.50 to $4.60; bulls, $3.15 to $4.50; calves, $3.50 to $9.50; stockers and feeders, $2.40 to $5.

Hogs—Receipts, 30,000; market, 5c to 10c higher; choice heavy shipping, $6.20 to $6.30; light mixed, $5.50 to $5.75; choice light, $5.75 to $6.10; packing, $5.70 to $6.05; pigs, $4.25 to $5.50; bulk of sales, $5.85 to $6.20.

Sheep—Receipts, 15,000; market, strong to 10c higher; sheep, $4 to $5.65; lambs, $5.25 to $8; yearlings, $4.25 to $7.35.

THE BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY'S SERVICE

Demonstrates the Industrial Growth of Peterborough—A Wonderful Organization That Enhances the Economy of Business Operations.

There is no surer indication of the industrial and commercial enterprise and progress of either city, town or country than the development of its telephone service. In this respect the record of the Bell Telephone Company of Canada in Peterboro and the surrounding district, in steady growth of exchange service, extension of lines into rural districts, and the expansion of long distance lines and business, is so remarkable as, in comparison, to place Peterboro in the front rank among the cities of Canada.

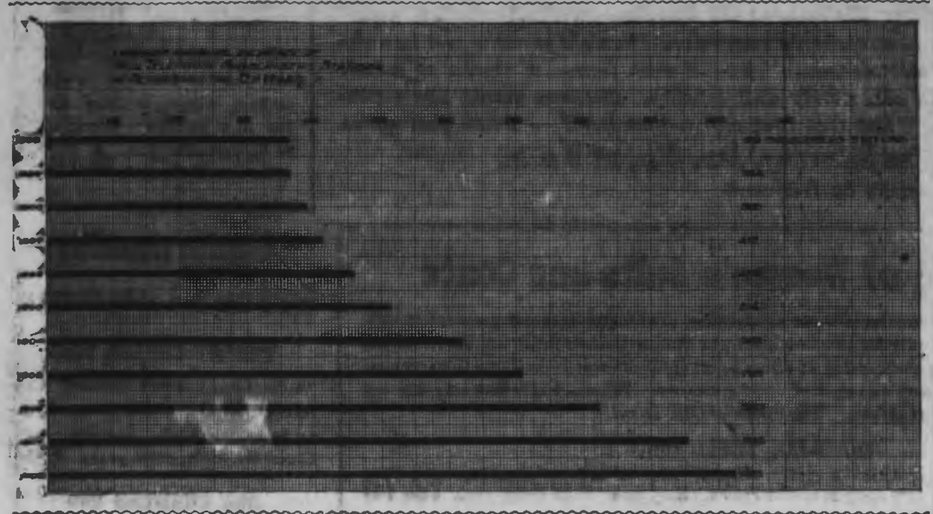
A few salient points which distinctly mark the Company's progress should prove interesting to our readers who take pride in what has been accomplished in making this the commercial centre of the Midland District.

These records show that not only has Peterboro made enviable industrial and commercial development, but that this development has been steady and continued, a fair indication that it is established on a sure foundation and that it may be confidently relied upon to continue.

That the Company has faith in Peterboro's future is shown in the permanent provision it has made for increase in its business.

Ten years ago the Bell Telephone Company occupied three small rooms upstairs in George Street, which was sufficient for its exchange, local manager's office and store rooms. To-day the Company occupies the block shown in the accompanying engraving, erected for its exclusive use. The building in appearance is a credit to the city and the Company, while its interior arrangement and equipment embody all the latest and most approved features of modern telephony. As a pledge of the Company's faith in Peterboro's future, the equipment installed provides for an ultimate capacity of 5000 lines, or based on the usual average, at least 7,000 subscribers' stations—seven times what it is at the present time. This is a practical demonstration of what capitalists think of our future prospects as a city.

That the records of the Company's business fully justify this confidence is demonstrated in the following diagram, showing the steady growth of the Peterboro Exchange for the past ten years.



Few people, even constant users of the telephone, realize what an important factor is this service in the commercial and social life of the community. The following is a comparative statement of local calls in the Peterboro exchange:

1898—Number of exchange connections 892,800
1908—Number of exchange connections to Dec 1st, 2,684,600

But of even greater importance to the industrial and commercial life of the city is the Long Distance Service of the Company, and Peterboro's progress in this respect is equally as remarkable as the local service. The following is a comparison of the number of long distance connections of this year with ten years ago:

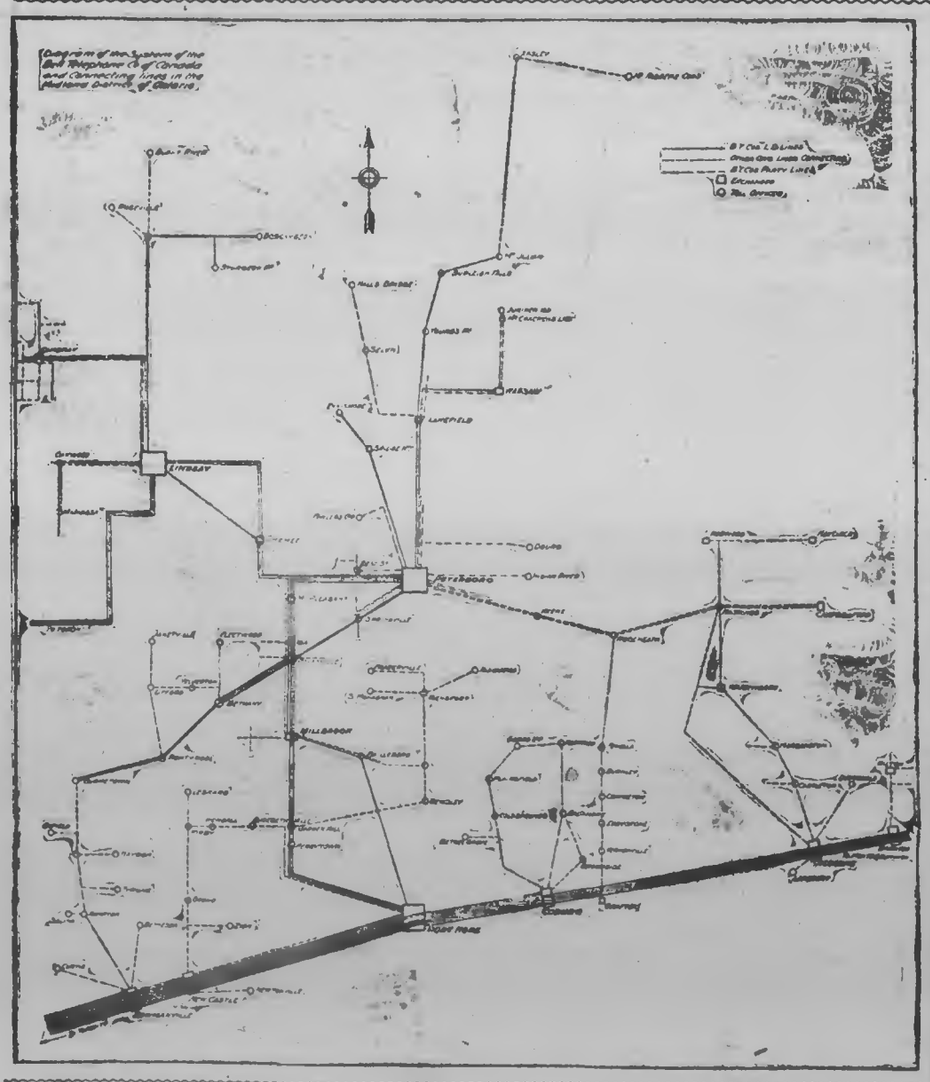
	Outgoing Calls.	Incoming Calls.
1898—	16,735	16,840
1908—To Dec. 1st	50,220	50,530

The volume of business which this represents is impossible to compute, but it is undoubtedly one of the largest assets in the commercial interests of the city.

The Bell Telephone Company's exchange, where this volume of business is handled, is a busy place and will well repay a visit to anyone who is interested in seeing how it is done. Commodious apartments, skill and engineering experience in devising equipment of the highest efficiency to facilitate the work of the staff, thorough organization in every department, all go to providing patrons in this city with a service which is unsurpassed. In providing this service the Company gives steady employment to twenty-eight people who live here, and whose earnings go to swell the patronage of our merchants.

The Bell Telephone Company has shown commendable enterprise in the extension of its service to meet the demands of all classes in the district. The City of Peterboro itself, with an average of a telephone for every sixteen inhabitants, shows a development not surpassed, if equalled, by any city in Canada. Every village in the district tributary to Peterboro has connection with the Company's system, and in addition lines now radiate on practically every highway, which give service to scores of farmers, and this service is being rapidly extended.

How completely the Company serves the Midland District is shown in the following diagram.



Ten years ago no one would have anticipated such a complete service as this system affords, and to the inexperienced observer it would appear that little remains to be done, either in increasing local connections or making outside extension. Yet the Company by its provision for the future develop-ment, in its new building, and its lately reconstructed plant, gives practical evidence of its faith that the increase of the past is only a small beginning of what may be anticipated in the future.

The record of the Company in Peterboro, in its improved equipment and in keeping pace with the increasing demands for service, is the best guarantee that they will be found ready and equal to the requirements of the future. Peterboro can congratulate itself in being well served by the Bell Telephone Company, and upon the fact that this service has added materially to the growth and prosperity of this industrial city.

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The girl who has learned the art of controlling her features perfectly has gained a great advantage over other members of her sex. As she uses her features so she may be described as beautiful or plain, interesting or commonplace, refined or otherwise.

A perfectly placid countenance rarely brightened by expression is too apt to denote insipidity. On the other hand, there are women who glory in the extremes of expression. Between the two there is a happy medium that should be cultivated.

A common error into which many girls fall is that of opening the mouth wide and raising the brows—which, by the way, causes the forehead to wrinkle in a manner that in time scores permanent furrows—in order to express pleasure. Far more attractive is the woman who smiles with a slight parting of the lips, at the same time raising the brows ever so little.

To knit the brows in marked disapproval is extremely unbecoming, for expressions of anger and scorn do not sit well on a woman's countenance. Disdain and contempt when expressed at all may be signified in a minor degree by allowing every feature of the face to relax. The eyes and eyelids will express the rest.

Sidelong glances of the eye should be practiced with reserve and caution. A woman's eyes are her chief weapons, and she knows their power well, but she should not overdo their expression or she will accomplish little of her purpose and make herself look ridiculous.

To Water Palms.

To make palms thrive in an ordinary sitting room sponge the leaves once a week with lukewarm water to which a little milk has been added. Then stand the plant for two hours in lukewarm water deep enough to completely cover the pot. This is the proper way to water palms.

The Frenchman Looked Innocent.

Some time since, in a Tremont street store in Boston, a nervous little Frenchman brushed against a pretty trifle of vase ware valued at about $14 and succeeded in getting several score more pieces out of it than had gone into its making. The floorwalker led the abashed Parisian aside and politely explained that the broken vase must be paid for. Monsieur fetched a handful of small silver and copper, mostly foreign, from his pocket when he was told the value of the trifle.

"Mon Dieu," cried the Parisian, "70 francs!" At this he took out his bill book and discovered a fifty dollar express draft, which the floorwalker instantly seized upon, to the unspeakable horror of its owner.

After deducting the value of the vase the former handed the man his change and dismissed him with a floorwalker's blessing. The express draft reached the bank in due time, with four others as fraudulent, but the volatile little Frenchman had departed southward with the swallows.—Bohemian Magazine.

DRESSMAKING HINTS.

As fashionable as big, black, soft satin buttons are, some of the smartest coats show rosettes instead. These are placed at regular intervals and are made of panne velvet or satin.

If the small girl's plaited skirt is made open down the back, with buttonholes on a fly underneath a plait, it not only will be easier to handle in making, but much easier to iron.

All tailored and semitailored shirt waists are made with long sleeves, short ones being appropriate only for evening or very dressy afternoon occasions. Challis and French flannel waists made in perfectly plain, mannish styles without plaits or even tucks are extremely stylish.

Shoulder seams are not so wide, waists are tucked in the back, the front shows considerable fullness in the lower portion, though less at the top, and the belt is drawn down, making the waist much longer. Belts and girdles are also fashioned to produce the long waisted effect now desired.

Collars of linen trimmed with starched lace edges are becoming in white or pastel shades. Linen collars bearing bias folds of another material with fancy bows are worn with tailored waists. The newest ties are merely double loops and may be made of silk, satin, lace, cords, ribbons, tulle, chiffon or any of the stiff lingerie materials.

The following is an excellent way of sewing buttons on children's coats, etc.: Make a good sized knot on your thread, which should be fairly coarse; then place a small pearl button on the inside of the coat. Put the needle first through the material, starting from the right side of the garment, then through the small button, then back again through the material and right through the big button. Continue to stitch through and through until the button feels quite firm, then give the thread a twist or two round the base of the top button and finish off securely. There will then be no fear of the buttons coming off or tearing away the cloth.

A Beauty Tip.

Few women appreciate the value of a bran bath, which soothes the nerves and softens the skin. Take it just before retiring and you will sleep like a child. The bran, which may be bought at any feed store, should be put into a bag a foot and a half long and filled to the thickness of a high pillow. The bag should be allowed to remain in the water until thoroughly soaked and the water pressed out, so the bran can permeate all parts of the tub. Do not remain in the water longer than five minutes, and massage the skin thoroughly after.

Mysterious Crime in Egypt.

A Russian officer named Zimernow, a woman and a little girl have been murdered in a lonely cottage near Alexandria, in which they had lived for some months. It was evident that the crime was committed by Bedouins, who inhabit the district, and a man has been arrested.

Iron Cloth.

Instead of horsehair or canvas the tailors now use a new fabric for stiffening the shoulders and collars of coats. It is called iron cloth and is said to be more effective than any of its predecessors.

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Followed Suit.

On the day of the admission of M. Rostand to the French academy the author of "Cyrano" and "L'Aiglon" gave a breakfast to a few of his friends, the guest of honor being Mme. Bernhardt. The actress was dressed in a handsome gown, which had been made expressly for the occasion. At the end of the breakfast she arose and in an impressive manner took a glass, held it high and said, "I drink to the greatest of French dramatists, M. Rostand, and I drink after the Greek manner!" She then poured the contents of her glass over her head and gown.

Two of Rostand's small sons were sitting at a side table wearing new velvet suits, also made for the occasion. In the silence which followed Bernhard's dramatic tribute the elder of the boys arose and, imitating her manner, said, "I drink to the greatest of poets, my papa, and I also drink in the Greek fashion!" and straightway deluged himself and his small brother with the contents of his glass.

A Scene Not In a Play.

An extraordinary scene took place in the Princess' theater, London, on the night of the first production of Charles Reade's great play, "Never Too Late to Mend," Oct. 4, 1865. During the prison scene a large quantity of water was thrown over Miss Moore, who took the part of Josephs, the character done to death by the warders. One of the critics, Mr. Tomlin of the Morning Advertiser, rose from his seat and publicly protested against the unnecessary cruelty. This aroused almost a riot among the audience, and the action of the play was stopped for some considerable time. Fuel was added to the fire by George Vining, the lessee of the theater, who was playing the part of Tom Robinson and who made a most imprudent speech, in which he practically insulted every critic present, with the result that the theater was left severely alone by the press for many months. The play, however, turned out to be a popular success and had, for those days, the phenomenal run of 140 performances.

His Use For It.

"Yeh," said Tommy, "pa gave me a watch to carry when I started in at school this fall."

"My," exclaimed Aunt Jane, "that's nice, isn't it?"

"Yes'm, 'cause as soon as I git in school in the mornin's I kin look at it an' see how many minutes I'm late."—Catholic Standard and Times.

The "Smart" Schoolboy.

Modern children's intellects seem to bud and unfold much earlier than they did a generation or two ago. You often get some rare posers from the youth who is having his first taste of schooling. The other morning at breakfast an admiring father asked his budding prime minister how he liked school.

"Oh, very well, pa, except the master with the star teeth!"

"Star teeth! Star teeth?" puzzled the father. "What do you mean by star teeth?"

"Why, you know, pa, those that come out at night."

The attendant servant maid dropped the muffins, and pa suddenly found something of exceptional interest in the morning paper.—Edinburgh Dispatch.

Waterproof Coats of Grass.

In the tropics of Mexico, where torrential rains fall a part of each year, raincoats are a very necessary part of man's apparel. Owing to the intense heat which prevails in the summer season the ordinary rubber raincoat cannot be worn. A rainproof coat is made from native grasses and is worn by the men of the middle and upper classes. The grasses are woven close together, and it is impossible for the rain to beat through them, no matter how hard the storm may be. Some of these coats are made with a hood which protects the head as well as the body.

One Was Enough.

"Papa, why didn't you wear a pair last night?"

"A pair of what, child?"

"A pair of skates."

"What does the boy mean?"

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THE WOOLLEN INDUSTRY—HAS EUROPE PROTECTION?

The Special Commissioner Reports That Modern Equipment and Methods Are Needed.

Ottawa, Jan. 7.—It is understood that Mr. Costello, of customs service, who was named a commissioner to make a report on British and Canadian woollen industries, has reported that the Canadian woollen industry does not require more protection.

All that is required to enable Canadian mills to hold their own with those of Yorkshire is modern equipment and improved methods, such as is to be found in English mills.

Owing to absence in Europe of Mr. Fielding, who is chiefly responsible for tariff matters, the report is not likely to be made public till after the session opens, when it will be presented to parliament.

LADY LANSDOWNE LODGE INSTALLATION

Daughters of England Had Enjoyable Gathering Last Night.

The installation of the officers of Lady Lansdowne Lodge, Daughters of England, was held last night, the following officers being installed by Sister Mitchell, D.D G.P.—

Pres.—Sis. Wolstenholm.
Vice Pres.—Sis. Anderson.
Sec.—Sis. Mitchell.
Treas. — Sis. Tovey.
Chap.—Sis. Roberts.
1st Com—Sis. Rathbone.
2nd Com.—Sis. Pittman
3rd Com.—Sis. Logan
4th Com—Sis. Doe.
I. G.—Sis. Evans.
O. G.—Bro. Taylor.
Surgeon—Dr. Young.
Trustees—Sisters Shaw, Gaskins and Lush.
Auditors—Sisters Oliver, Eyers and Thomas.

After the business had been completed they repaired to Hooper's Grill Room where mine host Hooper provided suitable refreshments.

God save the King.

"GRAND," TO-MORROW—SATURDAY

Matinee and Evening
The Imperial Opera Co.
50—People—50
2 Carloads of Scenery and Effects
Prices:—Matinee, 75c, 50c, 35c, 25c; Children, any part of house, 25c. Evening, $1.00, 75c, 50c, Gallery 25c. 1d

THE HON. G. P. G.

(With apologies to Kipling)

There's a bloomin' boy in Brockville
As is mighty 'ard to beat,
An' in the realm of Politics
'e's always on 'is feet;
Them there Railways and Canals
Is to 'im like little gals,
An' he never needs fer pals,
Does yer, George?

There's a bloomin' boy in Brockville,
As is mighty sore on show,
An' tho' 'e got a private car
About a year ago,
'e don't ever tell a jay
That 'e owns the Right o' Way,
An' 'e's always nice an' gay,
Ain't yer, George?

Then 'ere's to George o' Brockville
Honest G. P. G.;
'e could build a bally railroad
Like the G. T. P.
'e's a corker for 'is size,
'e wears twinkles in 'is eyes,
An' 'is 'ead is wondrous wise,
Our George.'

DONALD C. MacGREGOR.

Toronto,
Jan. 3rd, 1909.

POST CARD COLUMN

Editor Post Card Column:

Dear Sir, — The explanation to my letter of yesterday is not at all satisfactory. The ratepayers of Peterborough should not be compelled to pay for the maintenance of a woman in the county jail who has a husband earning $8 a week, and every right minded citizen and ratepayer who read my letter yesterday will say W. J. C. is right, and they will enter a protest against it. The poor old woman of 76, who roams the streets in all weathers, in preference to being supported by her children, is to be pitied, and the authorities should see that she is looked after, and her husband and family compelled to support her.

W. J. C.

Editor Post Card Column,—

Dear Sir,—Can you kindly tell me if the city of Peterborough ratepayers are paying their taxes and getting receipts for the same under a stamp which our tax collector told one of our ratepayers was not worth the paper it was stamped on? If so will our new council look into the matter and see that we get legal receipts so as to ensure the safety of our city property owners.

Yours truly,

FAIR PLAY.

AN INTERESTING ROUTE

To Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, is via Chicago and St. Paul, Minneapolis or Duluth. Through the brilliantly lighted St. Clair Tunnel by Electricity, without smoke, gas, or dust. Secure pamphlet, "New Route to Winnipeg and West" from nearest Grand Trunk agent. 6d-1

JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

OUR GREATEST PRICE REDUCING EVENT---YOUR BEST ECONOMIZING TIME! SALE BEGINS SATURDAY, JAN. 9th.

Our January Clearance Sale is an event of vital, dynamic money saving opportunities. Its scope is boundless. Nearly everything in the store is sacrificed to force decisive clearance. Profits are unthought of—unexpected. Cost prices prevail, but even cost prices are relentlessly undersold where stocks are especially heavy. Clearance simply means that everything has got to go—that decks must be cleared for our spring campaign. Clearance is opportunity and opportunity is knocking at your door and tremendous savings await your welcome. We never carry goods over a season. It's store policy — one of the unbreakable rules of our business. We dispose of our goods while they are new and seasonable. We stop at no sacrifice to effect absolute clearance of one season's goods before embarking on a new season's campaign. No eight months rest in moth balls for our merchandise. This year we meet the "clearance" period with immense stocks of winter goods. This stock must be moved—cleared out—sold completely and quickly. Because stocks are especially big, prices have been made remarkably small. But this fact will evince itself — when you come.

The January Clearance Sale Begins Saturday, Jan. 9th, at 9 a. m.

Let your first visit be an early one—let your later visits be frequent.

Out Goes the Millinery

Trimmed and untrimmed hats and trimmings—all fresh and in every way desirable—go into the clearance at half, near half and less than half prices. Here's a sample.

24 Trimmed Hats

All this season's shapes, trimmed in the latest styles with ribbon, wings, feathers and the new buckles. Worth up to $9 75 each. Jan. Clearance Sale, each **4.00**

Laces and Embroidery BIG SAVINGS

EMBROIDERY

100 Remnants of fine Swiss and Muslin Embroidery and insertion, all good patterns and different lengths. January Clearance Sale, About Half Price.

CORSET COVER EMBROID'Y

Nice fine quality Corset Cover Embroidery, 18 inches wide, 7 different patterns to choose from. Regular 40c yd. January Clearance Sale, yard..... **.19**

LACES

Fine White French and German Val, Lace and insertion, ¾ to 1 in. wide, all neat patterns. Regular up to 7c yard. January Clearance Sale, yard ..... **.4**

Clearance of Woman's Suits and Coats

Final reductions are marked on every remaining Coat and Suit in our garment section. This means and opportunity for you to buy a fresh Suit or Coat to finish out the remaining winter months and for the early spring at prices ranging all the way to half less than regular. We wont tell of the beauty and style of these garments. Women know that only the very latest and best comprise our stocks. The Prices tell the story.

DIAGONAL TWEED COAT

Made in semi-fitted style, double-breasted, shaped, straps of self over shoulders forming empire effect, colours, navy blue and brown. Reg. $18. Sale Price, each **13.75**

BROADCLOTH COAT

Made with double breasted front, semi-fitting back, trimmed with velvet and silk braid, velvet collar, body and sleeves lined, 56 ins. long, colours, navy and black. Reg. $15. January Clearance Sale, each **11.25**

NIPLESS STYLE COAT

Made of broadcloth, double-breasted and trimmed with self strappings and buttons, inlaid velvet collar and cuffs, 54 ins. long, black only. Reg. $22.50 each. January Clearance Sale, each .. **17.00**

CHEVRON STRIPE TWEED COATS

Double-breasted and semi-fitted, nicely trimmed with military and soutache braid. Regular $20 00. January Clearance Sale, each..... **15.00**

HEAVY TWEED COATS

Made of extra fine quality of tweed, inlaid velvet collar and cuffs. Regular price $25.50. January Clearance Sale, each **12.75**

Undermuslin Prices Lowered

CORSET COVERS 19c

Made of fine cambric trimmed with torchon insertion and lace. Reg. up to 35 cts. each. January Clearance Sale, each ..... **.19**

35c DRAWERS 25c

Made of fine cambric finished ruffles and edged with wide insertion lace. Regular 35c pair. January Clearance Sale, each ..... **.25**

NIGHT DRESSES

Made of fine quality of cambric with torchon lace around neck and sleeves, good full size. Regular up to $1.00. January Clearance Sale, each ..... **.75**

DRESS GOODS AND SILKS AT RECORD LOW PRICES

We cannot recall any bargains to equal those of this Clearance Sale in Fashionable, Select Quality Dress Goods and Silks. Stocks are unusually heavy and we are forced to cut prices heroically to clean up these goods.

CHAIN-DE-SOIE SILK

A fabric composed of Silk and Linen—therefore it will not cut—suitable for coat linings and drop skirts, in colours of black, cream, ivory, Copenhagen blue, brown, shot grey, light grey and in dark and mid navy blue, 42 inches wide, regular 75c per yard. January Clearance Sale, per yard..... **.58**

STRIPE AND CHECK TAFFETA SILK

for dresses and waists, in a large assortment of new seasonable colourings. This is a chance to buy a good silk at a reasonable price, 20 inches wide, French manufacture, sold at 90c yard. January Clearance Sale, yard.... **.68**

CHEVRON SUITINGS IN BLACK AND WHITE

and navy blue and white, full, hard finish and good weight, for suits or skirts. This cloth is of French manufacture and pure wool, 42 inches wide, regular price 85c yard. January Clearance Sale, yard..... **.62**

45 YARDS EXTRA HEAVY FAWN BEAVER CLOTH

for Ladies' and Children's Coats, 54 inches wide This is an extra value and can be bought at a great saving, sold at 2.50 yard. January Clearance Sale, yard.. **1.39**

INVICTI TAFFETA SILK

Wear absolutely guaranteed, extra heavy weight for coats, dresses and waists, 22 inches wide. This is a great value at 1.25. January Clearance Sale, yard..... **.98**

Time to Stock up on Stockings

CASHMERE HOSE

Fine black Cashmere Hose, 2/1 rib, seamless feet, sizes 8½ to 10, good wearing quality. Reg. price 35c pr. Jan. Clearance Sale, pair.. **.29**

BOY'S HOSE

Boy's heavy ribbed Wool Hose, with double knees, sizes from 7 to 10. Reg price 50c pair. January Clearing Sale, pair ..... **.39**

HOSE

25 dozen ladies' plain black Cashmere Hose, seamless feet, pure wool, sizes from 8½ to 10. Reg. price 35c pr. Jan. Clearance Sale, pair **.29**

Wash Goods Bargains

15c DRESS GINGHAMS 11½c

500 yards fine English Ginghams in checks and plaids, suitable for waists, dresses, aprons, etc., colours are positively fast. Reg. 15c yd. January Clearance Sale, yard .... **.11½**

Carpets and Rugs---Values Extraordinary

Clearance prices rule throughout our stocks of high-grade floor-coverings. Big savings are here for those who buy new Carpets and Rugs during the sale.

ENGLISH BRUSSELS CARPET

27 ins. wide in a good range of splendid designs and colourings to choose from, ⅝ borders to match some of the patterns. Regular up to 1.20 yard. January Clearance Sale, yard ..... **.78**

BEST 5 FRAME ENGLISH AND CANADIAN BRUSSELS

⅝ borders to match some of the pattens, A good assortment of high-class designs and colourings to choose from, suitable for any room. Regular up to 1.50 yard. January Clearance Sale, yard..... **1.19**

HEAVY QUALITY OF ENGLISH TAPESTRY

Rugs, all good designs and colourings, 5 different sizes.

Size 12x12 ft., January Clearance Price, each	$17.50
Size 13ft 6 insx10 ft 6 in, January Clearance Price, each	17.50
Size 12x9 ft., January Clearance Price, each	9.75
Size 12x10 ft 6 ins, January Clearance Price, each	10.50
Size 10 ft 6 ins x 9 ft, January Clearance Sale, each	8.35

SEAMLESS AXMINSTER RUGS

In artistic Louis XVI designs, and rich oriental effects, size 11 ft 6 ins x 8 ft 3 ins and 12 ft x 9 ft. Regular to up 45.co. January Clearance Sale, each **32.50**

STAIR OILCLOTH—22½ ins wide. January Clearance Sale 11c. Hemp Stair Carpet, 16 ins wide, January Clearance Sale, yard 6c

Linens

Housekeepers, Here's Your Chance.

$5.00 TABLE CLOTHS $2.99

1 doz. only, slightly damaged pure linen Table Cloths of a superior quality of Irish Linen. These are all pattern cloths, the borders running all the way around, sizes 2x2 yds, 2x2½ yds. and 2x3 yds. Worth in the reg. way up to $5 each. Sale Price, each.. **2.99**

25c HEMSTICHED TOWELS 17c

10 doz pure bleached Huck Towels, good wearing quality with hemstitched ends, size 20x40. Reg. 25c. Sale Price, each **.17**

25c HUCK TOWELING 19c

Fine quality Linen Huck Toweling even mesh, 20 ins wide, full bleached. Regular 25c yd. January Clearance Sale, yard **.19**

60c TABLE LINEN 49c

64 inch pure Linen Table Damask, full bleached pretty floral and conventional designs. Regular 60c yd. Sale Price, yard.. **.49**

DAMASK TABLE NAPKINS

20 dozen pure linen Table Napkins, slightly damaged, assorted qualities and patterns. Marked ⅓ less than their regular value.

KNIT UNDERWEAR SAVINGS

Ladies' fine wool vests, in white and Grey, long sleeves and high neck, tailored cut. Regular price 1.00. January Clearance Sale, **.79**

VESTS

Ladies' grey and white union vests, extra good quality, and a well furnished garment, having high neck and long sleeves Regular 75c each. January Clearance Sale **.46**

O. S. UNDERWEAR

Ladies' extra large size vest ¾ wool, tailored cut, high neck and long sleeves. Regular price 80c. January Clearance Sale, each..... **.63**

VESTS

Ladies' fine cotton fleece lined vests with long sleeves and high neck, extra good value. Regular price 40c. January Clearance Sale.... **.31**

35c WHITE LAWN 27c

100 yds. extra fine quallty White Lawn, full 45 ins. wide, splendid value at 35c yd. January Clearance Sale, yard .... **.27**

Skirt Reductions

$6 SKIRTS $4.50

Ladies' fine Venetian and Panama Skirts, made with gored side and pleated front, button trimmed, black and navy. Reg. $6. Sale Price, each .. **4.69**

BLACK VOILE SKIRT

Made with 15 gores, trimmed with three stitched bands of black sateen, put on in serpentine style. Reg. $10 each. Jan. Clearance Sale. each.. **8.50**

TAILORED SKIRT

Made of black French Panama, with cluster pleats. Reg. $10. Sale Price, each **7.50**

GLOVE BARGAINS

GLOVES

Ladies' fine wool Ringwood Gloves. Colours, red, navy, black, white and grey, reg. price 25c pr. January Clearance Sale, pair... **.19**

CASHMERE GLOVES

Ladies' Cashmere Gloves, fleece lined, 2 dome fasteners, colors, black, red, navy, tan and brown, extra good quality. Regular price 25c per pair. January Clearance Sale ..... **.19**

KID GLOVES

Long French Glace Kid Gloves, 12 button length, mousquetaire style with 2 dome fasteners, colours, navy, green and red, also grey. Every pair guaranteed, regular price 3.00 pr., January Clearance Sale... **2.29**

Underpriced Domestics

Staple goods of year 'round necessity generally have no place in end-of-season sales; but this sale spares nothing. Hence, bargains like these in every-day household needs:—

35c SHEETING 27c

200 yards pure quality English Sheeting, good, even weave in plain or twill, 2¼ yards wide, full bleached, regular 35c yard. January Clearance Sale, yard.. **.27**

20c PILLOW COTTON 16c

Fine quality Circular Pillow Cotton, English made, free from dressing, 40 inches wide, regular 20c yd. Jan. Clearance Sale, yd. **.16**

44 ins. wide, regular 25c. January Clearance Sale, yard **19c**

15c WHITE FLANNELETTE 12 1-2c

200 yards extra heavy English Flannelette, well napped, 36 inches wide, regular 15c yard. January Clearance Sale, yard. .... **.12½**

$4.50 WOOL BLANKETS $3.59

5 pair only soft fleecy Wool Blankets, 8 lb., size 66 x 86. These are slightly soiled, regular 4 50 pair. January Clearance Sale, pair..... **3.59**

RICHARD HALL & SON

353-355 GEORGE STREET, PETERBORO. (LIMITED)

Store Closes Saturday Evening at 9 o'clock

SECOND ANNUAL

Blue Pencil Sale

A Sensational Blouse Sale

Perhaps you still remember the mammoth sale of Summer Blouses—many will, and will appreciate that this seasonable offering is on the same basis.

500 Delaine, Lustre, Cashmere and Flannel

BLOUSES

THE same manufacturer who supplied us before with his samples has turned over this lot, which consists of his entire set of winter and early spring samples—500 and not two alike. A most elegant range of beautifully finished and trimmed Waists in the latest 1909 style. They include Delaine, Lustre, Cashmere and Flannel, dark and light in plain and figured effects. Long or three-quarter length sleeves. Every garment is new, but some are slightly soiled and mussed. Regular values at 2.00 and 3.50

Some of the Latest Songs, Two-Steps and Waltzes

"Varsity" Two Step
"Olympic" Two Step
"Raggity Rag" Ragtime Two Step
"In Dear Old Sweetheart Days" Ballad

Come and hear them rendered in our new Music Department — main floor.

On Sale Saturday Sharp at 8:10 a.m.
Blue Pencil Price
.89

See Big Centre Window

Fresh Blue Pencil values are being added every day to the already large list—every department—come

SEE OUR SPECIAL 2.50 SHOE FOR WOMEN

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N. B.—Positively not more than four Blouses to one customer and under no circumstances will any be sold to dealers.

Well Attended Meetings In The Week Of Prayer Series

Earnest Meetings With Stirring Addresses---Murray Street Baptist and Knox Presbyterian Churches.

In both the Murray Street Baptist and Knox Presbyterian Churches last night there were large congregations to hear the addresses on "The Supremacy of Christ in the Social Life." At the former church Rev. Robt. Pogue presided, while Rev. C. H. Coon was the speaker.

At Knox Church Rev. J. R. Webb presided, and Rev. E. A. Pearson, B. A., was the speaker. He based his remarks on Acts II. 36, "Therefore let all the House of Israel assuredly know that God hath made that same Jesus whom ye have crucified both Lord and Christ."

These were the last words of the first distinctive Christian sermon. While Christ crucified was the theme of salvation, it must not keep from view the enthronement of Christ as King. McKay, of Uganda, said:—"The cross must never be permitted to shadow the throne. The first great note of the evangel was the Lordship of Christ. Conviction of sin comes through being in the presence of the King."

His right to lead and rule implies our obligations to obey. Many fail on the very threshold of Christian life because they do not recognize Christ as being of their lives. The words faith and obedience may be different to the eye, but they have the same meaning. How is this to be applied to social life? By what rule shall Christians govern their social relations? Not by the imitation of the examples of others but in the language of Christ, "Ye are my friends, if ye do whatsoever I command you." The rule is threefold. First, the teaching of the moral law; second, the rule of influence. It must needs be that offences come but woe be to that man by whom the offence cometh. As an illustration of this point the speaker referred to an incident on election night. He was standing beside a man recently moved into the city from the country. He had been in the habit of drinking considerably when visiting the city, but had since joined the T.A.S., and stopped drinking. He claimed that he did not want his example to be of harm to his boys, who are growing up around him. He is doing all in his power to assist the work of temperance.

The third was the rule of service. "Seek ye first the kingdom of God," which implied in the Christian complete devotion to Christ and his work in the world. There were many things that were not unlawful, but for the Christian were inexpedient. The highest purpose of every Christian ought to be the fulfilment of the will of Christ for the betterment of the world.

Rev. Mr. Pearson closed with suggesting what a year 1909 would be if Christ were enthroned as Lord and King.

Splendid Addresses At The Farmers' Institute Meetings

The last of the supplementary meetings, under the auspices of the West Peterborough Farmers' Institute, was held in the City Council Chamber yesterday afternoon, and was a great success from an instructive standpoint, although the attendance was not large.

The chairman was Mr. Telford, president of the Farmers' Institute, and the speakers Mr. Wm. Thurston, secretary of the East Victoria Farmers' Institute, and Mr. Alward, of New Brunswick, a well known institute lecturer. The first address was by Mr. Thurston, his subject being "Bees For the Use of Farmers."

A short address by the chairman followed, in which he emphatically endorsed Mr. Thurston's remarks.

The next speaker introduced was Mr. Alward, whose subjects were "Poultry, Their Feeding," etc., and "The Proper Selection of Seeds For Farming."

The lecture brought out prominently the chief needs in poultry keeping, and emphasized especially the necessity of having clean poultry houses, not overwarm but with plenty of sunlight. It was very necessary, said the lecturer, to see to it that the fowls went to roost with a full crop, as it kept up the natural heat of their bodies.

"The Selection of Seeds" was the next subject taken up. Mr. Alward showed, by means of government experimental charts, the outcome of tests; what yield resulted from a plump seed, a medium sized seed and from a shrivelled seed. The yield from a plump seed was shown clearly to be the best in every way. The seeds had been selected from an ordinary fanning mill, which every farmer has, who sells any grain whatever, the light seed being separated from the medium and the plump by the simple method of being blown aside by the wind, whilst the medium passed through the sieve, and the plump seed remained on the top. He also advocated going amongst the grain in the field, when it was perfectly ripe, picking out all the tall stalks, following them to the ground and finding out whether the seed gave yield to one stalk or several, and taking the grain from the multiple stalks to the amount of about a quart measure, or even a pint would do; then the following spring sowing this in a plot of prepared land, and reaping and sowing for a succession of years in the same place, keeping on, of course, extending one's limits. It was surprising, the speaker said, how much the measure would amount to in three years. In his own experiments along this line a three years' test had resulted in several hundreds of pounds of the best plump grain.

He also pointed out that it was always best to plant one's own growth of oats, taking no notice of flaring advertisements of vast yields from other sources, as what was good for one farm was not necessarily adapted to another.

Mr. Alward referred in this respect to the potato, saying that the very opposite was the case, and that it was always better to endeavour to get a change of ground for this root every few years.

In dealing with the question of seed the lecturer said the best principal to go on was to cut potatoes in such a manner as to have two or three eyes in each piece and not to have them in slices, but good and chunky. These always produced a good crop.

THE HOUSE WITH A FUR REPUTATION---ESTABLISHED 1861

January Sale of FINE FURS

Reductions in all lines. 15% to 30% off regular prices. We guarantee all we advertise. It will pay you to buy now. : : :

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Manufacturing Furriers

413 George Street, Peterborough

Sale of Ladies' Skirts | ADAMS' | 393 George Street

10 Days' Sale of

100 LADIES' DRESS SKIRTS

Sale Commences TUESDAY, JANUARY 5th

and ladies are urged not to miss this exceptional opportunity if in need of Skirts.

READ THE SACRIFICING PRICES

We have grouped these 100 Skirts into 3 lots and 3 prices and sacrificed them as follows:

25 only, Skirts made of all wool Panamas, Venetians and Serges, black and navy, made with pleats, folds and button trimmings. The regular prices were 3.50, 4.00 and 5.00. Ten Days' Sale Price..... **2.63**

30 Ladies' Skirts, made of all wool Panama Cloths and Venetian Serges, and in the season's newest styles, with pleats, folds and button trimmings. The regular prices were 5.00, 6.00 and 6.50. Ten Days' Sale Price..... **3.98**

45 Ladies' Dress Skirts, made of Panama Cloths and Venetian Serges, colours black and navy. Very handsome and fashionable styles with pleats, folds and silk trimmings. Reg. prices were 7.00, 7.50, 8.00 and 10.00. Ten Days' Sale Price ... **4.98**

Harry Adams

TOWN TOPICS

PROBS—Fair and cold to-day and on Saturday with a few snow flurries.

Piano Tuning

Piano tuning promptly attended to. Satisfaction guaranteed. A. F. Hoover, 222 McDonel street. 'Phones — Bell 199k, Mach. 199.

Y. M. C. A. Invited

—St. Luke's A. Y. P. A. will hold a social to-night in the school room, to which members of the Y. M. C. A. are specially invited. Refreshments will be provided.

Private Secretary.

—There will be a rehearsal of "The Private Secretary" to-night in the Knights of Pythias Hall, Simcoe st. All the members of the cast are asked to be present.

Band Practice.

—A full attendance of the members of the 57th Regiment band will be held in the band hall on Simcoe st. to-night when a special practice will be held.

Chosen Friends.

—The installation of the officers of the Chosen Friends will take place to-night in the S. O. E. Hall. It is expected that Grand Organizer Campbell will be present.

Particular

—If you are particular about the way your clothes look, send them to "My Valet," 204 Charlotte street, and have them cleaned, dyed, repaired and pressed. All particular people do.

Woodmen's Notice

—The members of the Sherwood Forest Camp, No. 50, W.O.W., are requested to attend the regular meeting on Monday evening, January 11th, at 8 o'clock. Installation of officers and other important business.

Refreshments will be served.

2d 64887

Personal Items

Miss Eva Stenton is visiting friends in Lindsay.

Miss Essie Ryan is spending a few holidays with friends in Lindsay.

Mr. Herbert Heffernan, of Rochester, is spending a few holidays at his home, Hunter street.

Mrs. Chas. B. Robertson, Three Hills, Alberta, is home on a visit after an absence of five years. She is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Geo. Sloan, 518 Chamberlain st.

The New York Stock Market

(Furnished by J. N. Barber.)

	Opening	Closing
A.C.P	84⅜	83½
Atch	100⅜	99⅛
B.R.T.	71½	69⅜
C.P.R.	177½	176⅜
C.F.I.	45½	43½
Erie	32⅜	32⅜
Great Northern	146⅛	146
L.N.	125	125
Mo. Pac.	70½	71⅜
Northern Pacific	141⅜	141⅛
N.Y.C.	128½	128
Penna	134½	133⅝
R.I.	24⅜	25¼
Rdg.	141⅜	141
Smelters	89¼	87⅜
Soo	145	147½
St. Paul	151⅜	149⅜
S.P	120	118½
U.P.	181½	180⅜
U.S	53½	53
U.S. pf'd.	113½	113⅜
Twin City	98	98
Nipissing	9¼	9⅛
May Wheat	107½	107½
" Corn	61⅜	61½
May Oats	51⅜	32
" Pork	16.65	16.70

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BEST PRIZE FOR ESSAY ON MILK

At the New York State Fair prizes were given for the best essay on the care of milk by the consumer. The first prize was won by Mr. B. Publow. The following are some hints from his essay worth noting:

1. Bottle milk is practically free from outside contamination and is the preferable form for purchasing it.

2. Can milk is liable to contamination from dust, from heat, and from strong-smelling substances in the refrigerator.

3. The top and outside of the bottle should be rinsed off with warm water before being opened, as the milkman usually carries the bottles by the top or neck, and more or less dirt and bacteria are certain to be transferred to the outside of the bottles.

4. Place the milk at once in a refrigerator, in cold water or in a cellar. Keep the covers on the bottles as it prevents material falling in, and also prevents absorption of odors.

5. Wash and scald the bottle as soon as empty.

6. Clean vessels only should be used for holding milk sold by measure. These should have tight fitting covers.

7. Never mix fresh and stale milk as all becomes tainted or sour in a short time.

8. Milk slightly sour can be sweetened by the addition of a small amount of lime water. Pasteurization will add to its keeping quality. This latter is not good policy, but it is a remedy for a common evil.

9. Do not buy milk because it is cheap, for usually it is the dearest in the end.

CO-OPERATION AND RESULT TO FARMERS

Co-operation, what it means and its value to farmers, was brought out in a striking manner in a discussion at the annual meeting of the Ontario Agricultural and Experimental Union recently held in Guelph. The case of the bean producers organizing in Kent County, where, on a paid-up capital of some $14,000, they realized in five years $120,000 more than they would have received had they been unorganized, should start many to thinking out plans which will ultimately crystalize in some form of tangible co-operation, whereby they can sell their produce to the best advantage.

All admit that co-operation has done much for the dairy industry. It has been the very foundation upon which our great cheese industry has been built up to its present status. Co-operation has done much for the fruit growers of Norfolk County, proof of which was the splendid exhibit made at the recent horticultural exhibition in Toronto. Co-operation has done even more for the fruit growers of the Niagara District.

The same principle can be applied equally as well and with telling effect in other lines of agricultural endeavor. Why not extend co-operation to other branches since it has done so much for the fruit and dairy industry. By organizing and by working together in a co-operative way, both in buying and in selling, we can eliminate the profits of the middlemen, produce better crops in larger quantities, get the best price for all that we have to sell and, in doing so, put the farmer's calling on a higher plane, where it would be even more attractive and profitable than it now is.

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United effort, co-operative effort, means millions of dollars extra to the country in increased milk yields. The cow-testing associations cannot be developed and extended any too rapidly. Their aim is definite, logical and eminently practical, and as such should appeal to every dairyman in the land.

MR. EARLE'S ARTICLE ON "SPELLING REFORM"

Mr. Barton Earle will contribute an article to-morrow on the general subject of "Spelling Reform" which is at present attracting as much attention in Toronto. Mr. Earle's long experience as a student and teacher of English should invest his utterances on the subject with more than usual authority and interest. The Examiner opens its columns to comment with the subject on both sides of the question.

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RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

CITY LEAGUE SEASON OPENED— T.A.S. AND STRATHCONAS VICTORS

Abstainers Had a Hard Time in Beating the West Ends, While the Champions Swamped the Belmonts by 14-2.

WERE INTERESTING GAMES

Over three hundred fans were in attendance at the opening of the City League at Brock street Rink last night, and saw two interesting if not especially brilliant battles, the T.A.S. beating the West Ends by 2-1 in the first engagement, and the Strathconas swamping the Belmonts in the second by 14 goals to 2. The ice was in splendid shape, and the conditions were in every way favourable for fast hockey although the fact that some of the players were palpably not in shape tended to slow up the contests. The crowd, however, enjoyed the battles, and there is every reason to expect that the City League will be as popular as ever during the season that has just been opened.

The T.A.S.-West End game was by far the most exciting struggle of the two and the Abstainers just managed to nose out a victory by one goal after a hard fought battle, which was any body's game until the final whistle. The T.A.S. led at half-time by 1-0, and they just managed to hold their lead until the end of the game. On the play the Jackson Park outfit were about entitled to a victory.

After the first fifteen minutes they had the better of the going. They out conditioned and out lasted the Abstainers, and only magnificent goal keeping by Derocher, and inaccurate shooting by the losers kept them from winning out. The winners were heavier and older but were plainly not in condition and faded before the middle of the first half, while the West Ends, three of whom by the way had played in a hard game the night before with the Peterborough Junior O. H. A. team against Port Hope, were going strong until the finish, and at one stage in the second half looked like winners all over. Luck was certainly not with them, however, and although they had plenty of opportunities, either Derocher robbed them with a clever stop, or the shot went wide.

Both teams showed little or no team work, and it was mainly a case of individual efforts, although the West Ends had the better of what combination was in evidence. The kids worked hard all the way but the T.A.S. had enough left in them to hold them off until the finish. It was an interesting struggle, the pace being hot throughout, but the contest was good naturedly fought, and there was no rough work. The crowd found the game most interesting and both sides had a big bunch of rooters.

For the winners Derocher in goal, Cahill at cover point, and Quigley at rover were the stars. Derocher was practically unbeatable, the only shot that beat him being a beauty from Pentland's stick, which landed in the top of the nets. Cahill checked well and his rushes always helped, while Quigley worked hard and fairly effectively on the forward line. For the West Ends Halpin played a splendid game between the posts, and Wade and Fox did some good defence work. Pentland and Short of the junior O.H.A. team were the pick of the forward line, although the other pair did good work.

The T.A.S. scored the only goal in the first period on a rush by Cahill, and also got the second counter, Galvin scoring in the second period. Pentland secured West End's only goal on a brilliant lone handed rush followed by a perfect shot.

The teams and summary follow:—

T.A.S.		West End
	Goal	
Derocher		Halpin
	Point	
Quinlan		Wade
	Cover	
Cahill		C. Dobson
	Rover	
Quigley		Rose
	Centre	
Galvin		McNirn
	Right Wing	
Crough		Short
	Left Wing	
Henry		Pentland

SUMMARY

First Half: 1 T.A.S. — Cahill, 12 mins. Second Half: 2 T.A.S. — Galvin, 6 mins. 3 West End — Pentland, 20 mins.

There was nothing but the Strathconas in the second game, and the champions won under wraps by the hollow score of 14 goals to 2, leading at half by 4 goals to 1. The Belmonts were not in shape and never had a chance to win, although they held the High Commissioners down well in the first half, managing to prevent more than four counters. The winners were in the pink of condition and their team work and speed was too much for the new addition to the City League ranks, who worked hard but could do nothing to stem the Strathcona's attack when the latter got working right. The winners played splendid combination, two, three or four men handling the puck during their assaults on the goal, and they worked in on the Belmont's citadel without the slightest trouble, so that goal keeper Davidson had one of the busiest evenings of his career. At times there was a perfect fusilade on the Belmonts nets while Wilson played solitaire all the way On the play the score should have been larger than it was, the Commissioners being a little off in their shooting, while the Belmont's defence picked off many shots. Despite the one sided score the game was interesting and the crowd remained to the finish.

The Belmonts have a very heavy defence who did good work in blocking shots, helping to keep the score down, but they were not of much assistance in the attack, while the forward line showed lack of practice and had no system in scoring ability. On the other hand the Strath's defence helped out their forward line with continuous rushes, while the advance guard played splendidly together and checked back with effect, the team being exceedingly well balanced. The champions will take a lot of beating during the league this season if their form last night counts for anything. The game was finished with the teams playing five men a side; Waram retired at half time and the Straths dropped Ray at his own request and Weatherstone retired with Clarke when the latter was hurt with ten minutes to play in the second half.

For the winners Dusty at cover and Long at centre were the stars, although all played fine hockey. Ray scintillated while he was on, and Dobson made good at point, his rushing always helping out. Dusty tore off some sensational dashes in the second half and played a fine defence game, while Long was always there in the scoring line.

Davidson played a good game in goal for the losers and Myers and Ecclestone stopped many shots. C. Waram and Wilson worked hard on the forward line.

George Lynch refereed both games and gave every satisfaction.

The teams and summary follow:—

Strathconas		Belmonts
	Goal	
Wilson		Davidson
	Point	
Dobson		Myers
	Cover	
Dusty		Ecclestone
	Rover	
Ray		Clarke
	Centre	
Long		Wilson
	Right Wing	
Seymour		W. Waram
	Left Wing	
Weatherstone		C. Waram

SMUMARY

1 — Strathconas, Long, 3 mins.
2 — Belmonts, W. Waram, 3 mins.
3 — Strathconas, Long, 4 mins.
4 — Strathconas, Long, 1 min.
5 — Strathconas, Weatherstone, 1 m.

Half Time

6 — Strathconas, Long, 7 mins.
7 — Strathconas, Weatherstone, 2 m.
8 — Belmonts, Wilson, 2 mins.
9 — Strathconas, Long, 6 mins.
10 — Strathconas, Dusty, 30 secs.
11 — Strathconas, Dusty, 1 min.
12 — Strathconas, Seymour, 2 min.
13 — Strathconas, Dusty, 2 mins.
14 — Strathconas, Seymour, 2 mins.
15 — Strathconas, Dusty, 1 min.
16 — Strathconas, Seymour, 30 secs.

Pennalties — Seymour, Dusty, 2.

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ROUGH GAME IN CHURCH LEAGUE; ST. ANDREW'S BEAT PARK ST. 4-1

The Church League opened last night with a match between the Park Street Baptist Church and the St. Andrew's teams on the Park street rink and noticeable as much for roughness as for good playing, both teams seemingly trying to engage in a combat of strength than of skill. Penalties were frequent and heavy, the referee, Mr. Wm. Galley, was very impartial in his judgments in this respect. The match resulted in a victory for St. Andrew's by the score of 4-1. For the winners Rae and Patterson and for the losers Gillespie and Killenbeck played the most consistent hockey. These being the only players who were not penalised. A good crowd watched the game and cheered for their respective favourites.

Following is the summary—

First Half scores—Currie, St. Andrews.

Second half — Flanagan, St. Andrews

Looms, Park street.

Rae, St. Andrews.

Penalties—First half—Webb 5 min Webb 3 min.; Barrie 2 min. Stanton 3 min. Flanagan 2 min.

Second half—McDonald 16 min.; Flanagan 3 min. Currie 3 min.; Barrie 3 min.

The teams lined up as follows—

	ST. ANDREWS	
	Patterson	
	McDonald	
	Flanagan	
	Staunton	
H. Rae	Currie	N. Rae
Johnson	Gilbert	Webb
	Loomis	
	Gillespie	
	Barrie	
	Killenbeck	
	PARK STREET	

INTERESTING CURLING GAMES PLAYED; DRAW FOR THIS EVENING'S GAMES

The curling rink is becoming one of the most popular spots in the city, and the games each night are followed by an enthusiastic gallery, who watch the games with interest. The ice is in grand condition just now and last night's games were very interesting. They resulted as follows:

Dr. Eastwood—14.	H. S. Foote—8
A. Moore—19.	D. Hall—18
T. Brightman—13.	Dr. Greer—11
R. Hicks—20.	W. M. Lang—10
D. Davidson—13.	S. T. Medd—8

TO-NIGHT'S GAMES:

The following rinks have been drawn to play to-night:

R. Neill vs. T. F. Matthews.

E. B. Clegg vs. H. R. H. Kenner.
J. H. Ferguson vs. W. J. Thompson.
G. B. Stevens vs. J. H. Burnham.
Dr. Fraser vs. G. L. Hay.
F. M. DelaFosse vs. G. H. Giroux.
S. Ray vs. W. M. Lang.

SELECT SKIPS.

A meeting of the club is called for this evening at 8 o'clock for the purpose of selecting skips for the Shepherd-Neill Cup, which will be played for in the rink on Monday next.

FEES ARE DUE.

A notice is posted up in the rink to the effect that the membership fees are overdue.

GEORGE ST. CHURCH TEAM WON THE JUNIOR CITY LEAGUE OPENER

The junior City League was opened last night before the senior games with a strenuous battle between Otonabees and George street church, the Methodists winning out by 5—2 after a hard battle all the way. Neither team spared the rod to any extent and they laid on the wood freely with the result that Referee Len Dobson was compelled to send a continuous procession to the fence during the contest. There was good hockey in spots, but the spots were few and the game was interesting principally from the manner in which the players wooded up. The score at half time was 2—2 but the Methodists were in better condition and slammed in three goals in the second period while the boys from the south end failed to count. The teams were as follows:

George street.		Otonabees.
Williams	goal	Mahony
Long	point	Harris
Dennistoun	cover	Close
Pratt	rover	Anderson
Geale	centre	Coughlin
Rightmyer	right wing	Rose
Tisdale	left wing	Desautel

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HOCKEY

Although defeated Wednesday night the Peterborough Junior O.H.A. team is by no means out of the running, as the season is only commencing. There are five clubs in the district and anything is liable to happen before the schedule is completed. The locals have still two home games and three games away from home before the district games are over. Oshawa and Whitby have yet to play here while the local kids have to journey to Port Hope, Cobourg and Oshawa.

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There will be a meeting of the Church League on Monday night at 7.30 p.m. in the Y. M. C. A. Important business for all clubs in the league.

BOWLING

Winnipeg, Jan. 4 — To Cecil Parrish of the Garry's belongs the honour of being the third man in Winnipeg to make the possible 300 in the ten pin game. The big score, the one ambition of all bowlers, was made at the Strand alleys last week. The other two men who have also made this score are Garnet Hudson, who made his three years ago, while Frank Rosasco, of the Venice team, got his in a match game early in the winter. The two last games were played in the Saratoga alleys.

Parrish has been away east for the last three weeks on his holidays, during which time he has done practically no bowling, and only arrived back in the city a day or two ago. In conversation with one of the city league bowlers on Tuesday he stated that he was feeling pretty strong and for no one to be surprised if he should spring a sensational score.

As a warmer up Parrish started off with a score of 180, then came the big game, he putting down twelve of the best balls that have been rolled on the alleys for many a day. Every ball rolled in this game was a perfect one, there being none of the lucky strikes that one generally manages to mix up with the good ones. The twelfth and last ball, the crucial one for the possible, was, if anything, the best of the twelve.

Parrish also hung up a record for the Strand for three games, getting the excellent total of 737, made up of 300, 223 and 215. It is also the first time in the history of these alleys that the possible has been made there.

The same bowler made 17 consecutive strikes, (which is in all probability the greatest number that has ever been made in the bowling history of the city. He got four at the end of one game, then twelve in the big one, and started off on the next with a strike.

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There are many dreary evenings that
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As a friend I would suggest as a
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To come with me and bowl a game
or two.

Not the flowing bowl of friendship
that you see upon the bar,
But a friendly game of bowling at
the pins;
And you'll find to your surprise it's
a princely exercise;
You'll enjoy it from the moment it
begins.

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you in the shop all day,
Do you wonder that you feel tough
upon arising?
Just try bowling and you'll find t'will
drive all your cares behind,
You'll get bone and brain and
bloom through exercising.

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The Frontenacs are a hard-luck team. In their last three games they have had the highest pinnage, but have lost the contest on each occasion.

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The Mail and Empire team of the Printers' League, Toronto, is out with a challenge to any Peterborough newspaper team. They will be accommodated with a game in the near future. A return game will be played in Toronto when, it is likely, a second team of picked trundlers will accompany the printers to Toronto and meet one of the Queen City's best five-man teams.

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"Every knock is a boost," Joe Pollard was heard to remark as he made a strike.

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An oyster supper for both teams and the scorer has been wagered upon the first meeting of the Greys and Hams, who are valiantly fighting for the cellar championship. At a conclave last night the Hams were ordered into active training.

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Graham Ferguson has made a New Year's resolution not to bowl below 160 for the remainder of the season.

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The Midgets have added Frank Lawless to their team, and now look strong enough to trim any of them.

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Herb. Martin, the energetic secretary of the league, has gone to Havelock for a few days, and his bland smile will be missed around the alleys.

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The Hams have challenged the Exam. B. team to a three-game contest for a bag of flour to go to some charitable institution.

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After their prospective victory over the Greys next week, Chris. Graham will tour his team through Lakefield, Hiawatha, Millbrook and Young's Point.

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Joe Hay is going to have his tail cut off so it won't fly up in the air. Others should follow his example.

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Bill Stroud has issued a challenge to any member of the Blind Institute, Brantford.

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Jos Pollard has "draw filed" his big mineralite and has promised Billy Wareham a six-hundred total when they meet the Exam. Busy Bees.

ANNUAL MEETING

Of The Peterborough Young Men's Christian Association.

The Annual Meeting of the above Association will be held in the Parlours of the Association Building on Tuesday, January 12th, 1909, at 8 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the annual reports and of electing six directors for the term ending December 31st, 1911.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON QUESTIONS

Suggestive Questions on the Sunday School Lesson for January 10th, are as follows—

The Descent of the Holy Spirit — Acts ii, 1-21.

Golden Text—I will pray the Father and he shall give you another Comforter, that he may abide with you forever; even the spirit of truth.—John xiv, 16-17.

Recall, and repeat some of the thoughts developed in last Sunday's lesson.

Verse 1—What was the day of Pentecost? See Ex. xxxiv, 22, Lev. xxiii 15; Num. xxviii, 26; Deut. xvi, 10.

Is a barren, or unprofitable meeting possible when Christians meet "with one accord?"

Would the Holy Spirit have come on this occasion if there had been divisions among them?

Can the Holy Spirit come to any church in which there are divisions, or into any heart that is not in "accord" or love with everybody?

Verse 2 — Was the sound the Holy Spirit, or was it a great wind which was one of the attendant circumstances of his coming?

Is there any other scriptural account, of God coming with any similar outward manifestations? See I Kings xix, 11-12.

Verse 3. — These cloven tongues were clearly no part of the Holy Spirit; do you think it possible that they were made by forked lightning, or some similar phenomena?

What did the sound of the wind, and the flashes of fire in the shape of tongues typify?

In these days of millions of good books and papers is the human voice still the most potent means of testifying for Jesus?

Was it the Holy Spirit or the tongues that "sat upon each of them?"

Verse 4—What is your conception of the meaning of the statements that "they were all filled with the Holy Spirit," and how many spake with tongues?

Granted that this is the privilege and duty of all men to be filled with the Holy Spirit; does the same hold good with the gift of tongues, and similar spiritual phenomena? See I Cor. xii, 8-10; xiv, 4, 5, 13, 14.

Verse 5 — Are there still "devout men in every nation under heaven," even where the historic Christ has not been heard of?

Verses 6-12—Do devout men filled with God, still make a stir in every community?

What do Christians most need today, in order to "amaze" and convert the world?

All must admit that an educated ministry is desirable, but which will make the most converts, a man with fair intelligence and a common school education, filled with the Holy Spirit or an university graduate lacking such experience?

Verse 13 — What resemblance is there between a man filled with the Holy Spirit, and one under the influence of strong drink?

Verses 14-21—What is the prophesy by the prophet Joel here quoted from? See Joel ii, 28-29.

Should the emphasis for Christian service be upon the natural or the supernatural equipment?

Is the Holy Spirit meant for everybody, even the man on the street, and how may he be received? This question must be answered in writing by members of the club.

Lesson for Sunday, Jan. 17th, 1909 — The Beginning of the Christian Church. Acts ii: 22-47

CHANGING SENTIMENT.

Oliver Goldsmith's "Deserted Village."

Goldsmith in his "Deserted Village," spoke of a certain chapel where those who "went to scoff, remained to pray." So in life one often laughs at what he does not understand and later, when he does understand, his laugh turns to praise. There were some who doubted the merits of Newbro's Herpicide, the scalp germicide and hair dressing, but since they have tried it, they are now among its best friends and strongest endorsers. Herpicide kills the germ that eats the hair off at the root and the hair then grows again. As a hair dressing it is incomparable. Try it.

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CHATS ABOUT FAMOUS BOOKS AND THEIR AUTHORS

By F. M. D.

The next name that appears on the role of English literature is the one that transcends in glory not only all the great names of British origin but also that of all others in all ages of the world.—Shakespeare, by the unanimous opinion of English and foreign critics has been accorded a place unapproached and indeed unapproachable. His seat is on the very apex of literary glory. The great wonder and mystery is that of the life of this, the greatest literary genius of the world, almost nothing is known.

Dearth of Knowledge about Shakespeare

How is it that a writer, who in his own day was acknowledged to be the first dramatist of the country, on whom so many elegies were showered, and to whose memory in 1623 a monument was erected in his native town should have passed away with so little contemporaneous comment?

Betterton, the famous actor visited Stratford during the 17th century, and made enquiries respecting Shakespeare. He interrogated an ancient inhabitant of that town, who had been born about the time of Shakespeare's death, but he was enabled merely to obtain one or two unimportant items of intelligence from this source. All that we really know as authentic, of Shakespeare, is that he was born in 1564, and was the son of John Shakespeare, and of Mary Arden, his wife; that at the age of eighteen he contracted a marriage with Anne Hathaway, a yeoman's daughter, who was some eight years older than himself, that he shortly afterwards went to London, and there in the space of twenty-six odd years, wrote his immortal poems and dramas, and helped to enact them before the public. Nearly all else is mere conjecture.

Shakespeare regardless of Fame

As that great critic Proctor (Barry Cornwall) has written "The registers of Stratford, his own sonnets, a few casual references to him, in the writings or sayings of contemporary authors, are all the sources from which materials for his life may be safely extracted. The public of his time had no curiosity on the subject, or the writers of his time had no anxiety to collect information regarding him, and he himself—beyond, even "That last infirmity of noble minds" the desire of fame—did not think it worth while to place materials for his own history on record; or, secure of such immortality as earth can bestow, was content that we should track him into depths and recesses of his being by the light of his genius alone. What he did, or thought, or suffered, in his own individual person, is now mere matter for ingenious conjecture. We are sure that his mind was vast, liberal, compassionate, generous; that he saw human nature on every side, detecting it in many masks, and changes, that he penetrated into the innermost mysteries of man; that "From this bank and shoal of Time," his intellect soared upwards, and held commerce with the stars; with our dim "Hereafter," and with worlds and agencies beyond our own; and knowing all this, our curiosity as to the possessor of faculties so varied and wonderful, and our consequent disappointment at being baffled at every point of enquiry becomes proportionably great."

Commentators Evidently at Sea

John Shakespeare, the poet's father seems to have held a respectable position in society. He married the daughter of an ancient house, and seems to have risen to such dignities as his native town afforded. It is hardly likely therefore that the surmises of certain critics are correct, that he was a pauper or insolvent, William Shakespeare seems to have had as good an education as Stratford afforded, and to have picked up there a smattering of Latin and Greek. This must have been at any rate a necessary adjunct to the education of those days as it has been ascertained that intercourse between parents and children and even between the tradespeople of that day was occasionally carried on in Latin. Ben Jonson's reference to Shakespeare's "little Latin and less Greek," shows that he knew both Latin and Greek and may be used by way of comparison as differentiating between the mere word learning of Shakespeare and the riper scholarship of Jonson and other scholars of the period. In all other essentials of knowledge there is nothing to show that Shakespeare was not more deeply-read than any of his contempories. His position at the theatre, as proprietor, in 1589, seems to indicate that he must have been for a lengthy period a writer for the stage. What, indeed, could have conduced more to raise him to that dignity than his production of his own dramas? He was also the friend of Lord Southampton, the patron of genius. How could he have obtained this friendship save by some special recognition on the part of his patron, of his transcendent qualities as a dramatist? In this hurried survey of one or two of the critical objections that have been raised to the authenticity of his great dramatic works, no space is possible to deal with the matter adequately. What has been given above has been merely written to show that there is not much ground for positively asserting that Shakespeare by reason of adverse circumstances could not have been the author of the works attributed to him.

The Greatness of Shakespeare

Everyone knows that Shakespeare is great. How can we form an adequate idea of his greatness? In the first place, he had many sides, in the second, he was great on every one of them. Master, seemingly of all human experience, he knew the human heart to perfection. He had also a greater mastery over language than any author that ever lived. The vocabulary employed by him amounts to no less than 21,000 words. The vocabulary of Milton amounts to only 7,000 Shakespeare also had a far greater power of expression than Milton and a marvellous aptitude for fashioning new phrases. Coleridge speaks of his wonderful judgment: Prof. Craik says: "He has invented twenty styles." Lawyers talk of his wonderful legal knowledge, Theologians speak of his intimate acquaintance with the Bible. Printers say he must have been a printer, sailors that he was a seaman, for he knew every branch of the craft.

The genius of Shakespeare indeed was the natural outcome of the times in which he lived, and does not stand alone. He was but the topmost pinnacle in the midst of a mighty mountain range. Side by side with his, and about as wonder provoking as his own stand the majestic names of Marlowe, Peele, and Greene, of Ben Jonson, Beaumont and Fletcher, Massinger and Ford. These dramatists have never been equalled or surpassed by any one except Shakespeare.

AVERAGE CROP HAS BEEN VERY GOOD

From Farm and Dairy.

Ed. The Dairyman and Farming World:—The general average of crops for the province is very good, although in some districts the results were poor. The total yield is far greater than ever before. In 1906, the banner year, the total grain produced amounted to 63,068,816 bus. Last year it aggregated 53,767,251 bus. This year it is estimated at 89,467,795 bus. The average per acre is not so large as in some years, but is good considering the conditions of weather during the latter half of the growing season.

The following figures show the acreage and yield of the four principal crops, as estimated by the Department of Agriculture of Saskatchewan:

Wheat.—2,374,058 acres, 43,539,606 bus.; average per acre 18.34 bus.

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The actual figures are obtained from threshers' reports, and usually substantiate the estimates.

The facilities for moving the crop were more than ever inadequate this season. The wheat blockade at an early date threatened to become worse than ever before. At Indian Head, one of the largest receiving points, the elevators, which number 11, were filled early in the season. At the smaller way stations not more than five per cent. of the cars ordered by elevator companies and farmers have been received. During the first week in October, the Regina to Brandon section of the C. N. R. began to haul grain. This relieved the congestion over the northern routes. The G. T. P. are preparing to take a grand slice of the crop from the C. P. R. At points where the two roads meet, the C. P. R. are careful to furnish plenty of cars. At Asquith, where the G. T. R. station has recently been completed, the elevators are nearly empty and many of the farmers have obtained cars. Next year, when the new road will be in operation, little trouble is apprehended.

The following are the actual yields, as taken from threshers' accounts, of the fields in a typical grain-growing township (36 square miles). Township 18, in Range 22, West of Second Prin. Meridian, located about 18 miles west of Regina, in a good district:

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Oats.—Summer fallow 119 acres, yield 5,080 bus., average per acre 42.70 bus.; stubble 1,242 acres, yield 30,331 bus., average per acre 24.42 bus.; spring and fall plowing 681 acres, yield 16,313 bus., average per acre 23.95 bus.; total 2,042 acres, yield 51,724 bus., average per acre 24.83 bus.

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Sophy of Kravonia

by

ANTHONY HOPE

Author of "The Prisoner of Zenda"

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Continued from last Saturday

"The lamp's broken, and there's only one match in the box," said Sophy, with a low laugh. "Shall we use it now or when you go, monsignaeur?"

"Light it now. My memory rather than my imagination!"

She struck the match. Her face came upon him white in the darkness, with the mark on her cheek a dull red, but her eyes glittered. The match flared and died down.

"It is enough. I shall remember."

"Did I kill him?"

"I don't know whether he's killed—he's badly hurt. This lady here is pretty heavy."

"Give her to me. I'll put her in her place." She took the figure and set it again on the window sill. "And the big man who attacked you?"

"Mistitch? He'll be shot."

"Yes," she agreed, with calm, unquestioning emphasis.

"You know what you did tonight?"

"I had the sense to think of the man in the porch."

"You saved my life."

Sophy gave a laugh of triumph. "What will Marie Zerkovitch say to that?"

"She's my friend, too, and she's told me all about you, but she didn't want us to meet."

"She thinks I bring bad luck."

"She'll have to renounce that heresy now." He felt for the chair and sat down, Sophy leaning against the window sill.

"Why did they attack you?"

He told her of the special grudge which Mistitch and his company had against him and added: "But they all hate me except my own fellows from Volseni. I have a hundred of them in Suleiman's tower, and they're stanch enough."

"Why do they hate you?"

"Oh, I'm their schoolmaster, and a very strict one, I suppose, or, if you like, the pruning knife, and that's not popular with the rotten twigs."

She struck the match.

"There are many rotten twigs?"

She heard his hands fall on the wooden arms of the chair and pictured his look of despair. "All—almost all. It's not their fault. What can you expect? They're encouraged to laziness and to riot. They have no good rifles. The city is left defenseless. I have no big guns." He broke suddenly into a low laugh. "There—that's what Zerkovitch calls my fixed idea. He declares it's written on my heart—big guns!"

"If you had them you'd be master?"

"I could make some attempt at a defense, anyhow. At least we could cover a retreat to the hills if war came." He paused. "And in peace—yes, I should be master of Slavna. I'd bring men from Volseni to serve the guns." His voice had grown vindictive. "Stenovics knows that, I think." He roused himself again and spoke to her earnestly. "Listen. This fellow Mistitch is a great hero with the soldiers and the mob. When I have him shot, as I shall, not on my own account—I could have killed him tonight—but for the sake of discipline, there will very likely be a disturbance. What you did tonight will be all over the city by tomorrow morning. If you see any signs of disturbance, if any people gather around here, go to Zerkovitch's at once, or, if that's not possible or safe, come to me in Suleiman's tower, and I'll send for Marie Zerkovitch too. Will you promise? You must run no risk."

"I'll come if I'm afraid."

"Or if you ought to be?" he insisted.

laughing again.

"Well, then—or if I ought to be," she promised, joining in his laugh. "But the king—isn't he with you?"

"My father likes me. We're good friends. But, 'like father, unlike son,' they say of the Stefanovitches. I'm a martinet, they tell me. Well, he—isn't Nero fiddled—you remember? The king goes fishing. He's remarkably fond of fishing, and his advisers don't discourage him. I tell you all this because you're committed to our side now."

"Yes; I'm committed to your side. Who else is with you?"

"In Slavna? Nobody! Well, the Zerkovitches and my hundred in Suleiman's tower, and perhaps some old men who have seen war. But at Volseni and among the hills they're with me." Again he seemed to muse as he reviewed his scanty forces.

"I wish we had another match. I want to see your face close," said Sophy. He rose, with a laugh, and leaned forward to the window. "Oh, no; you're nothing but a blur still!" she exclaimed impatiently.

Suddenly the prince awoke from his reverie—perhaps from a dream. To Sophy he gave the impression, as he was to give it more than once again, of a man pulling himself up, tightening the rein, drawing back into himself.

"I linger too long," he said. "My duty lies at the tower yonder. I've thanked you badly, but what thanks can a man give for his life? We shall meet again. I'll arrange that with Marie Zerkovitch. You'll remember what I've told you to do in case of danger? You'll act on it?"

"Yes, monseigneur."

He sought her hand, kissed it and then groped his way to the stairs. Sophy went with him down to the porch.

"Be careful to lock your door," he enjoined her, "and don't go out tomorrow unless the streets are quite quiet."

"Oh, but I've a French lesson to give at 10 o'clock," she remonstrated.

"You have to do that?"

"I have to make my living, monseigneur."

"Ah, yes," he said meditatively. "Well, slip out quietly and wear a veil."

"Nobody knows my face."

"Wear a veil. People notice a face like yours. Again thanks, and good night."

Sophy peered out from the porch and watched his quick, soldierly march up the street to St. Michael's square. The night had brightened a little, and she could make out his figure, although dimly, until he turned the corner and was lost to sight. She lingered for a moment before turning to go back to her room—lingered musing on the evening's history.

Chapter Fourteen

KING ALEXIS was minded that all proper recognition should be made of Sophy's service to his family. It had been her fortune to protect a life very precious in his eyes. Allen from his son in temperament and pursuits, he had, none the less, considerable affection for him. But there was more than this. With the prince was bound up the one strong feeling of a nature otherwise easy and careless. The king might go fishing on most lawful days, but it was always a Stefanovitch who fished—a prince who had married a princess of a great house and had felt able to offer Countess Ellenburg no more than a morganatic union. The work his marriage had begun his son's was to complete. The royal house of Kravonia was still on its promotion. It lay with the prince to make its rank acknowledged and secure.

Thus Sophy's action loomed large in the king's eyes, and he was indolently indifferent to the view taken of it in the barrack rooms and the drinking shops of Slavna. Two days after Mistitch's attempt he received Sophy at the palace with every circumstance of compliment. The prince was not present—he made military duty an excuse—but Countess Ellenburg and her little son were in the room, and General Stenovics, with Markart in attendance, stood beside the king's chair.

Sophy saw a tall, handsome, elderly man, with thick iron gray hair most artfully arranged. The care of it was no small part of the duty of Lepage, the king's French body servant. His majesty's manners were dignified, but not formal. The warmth of greeting which he had prepared for Sophy was evidently increased by the impression her appearance made on him. He thanked her in terms of almost overwhelming gratitude.

"You have preserved the future of my family and of our dynasty," he said.

Countess Ellenburg closed her long, narrow eyes. Everything about her was long and narrow, from her eyes to her views, taking in on the way her nose and her chin. Stenovics glanced at her with a smile of uneasy propitiation. It was so particularly important to be gracious just now—gracious both over the preservation of the dynasty and over its preserver.

"No gratitude can be too great for such a service, and no mark of gratitude too high." He glanced around to Markart and called good humoredly. "You, Markart there, a chair for this lady!"

Markart got a chair. Stenovics took it from him and himself prepared to offer it to Sophy, but the king rose, took it and, with a low bow, presented it to the favored object of his gratitude. Sophy courtesied low; the king waited till she sat. Countess Ellenburg bestowed on her a smile of wintry congratulation.

Sophy courtesied low.

"But for you these fellows might, or, rather, would, I think, have killed my son in their blind drunkenness. It detracts in no way from your service that they did not know whom they were attacking."

There was a moment's silence. Sophy was still nervous in such company. She was also uneasily conscious of a most intense gaze directed at her by General Stenovics, but she spoke out.

"They knew perfectly well, sir," she said.

"They knew the prince?" he asked sharply. "Why do you say that? It was dark."

"Not in the street, sir. The illuminations lit it up."

"But they were very drunk."

"They may have been drunk, but they knew the prince. Captain Mistitch called him by his name."

"Stenovics?" The king's voice was full of surprise and question as he turned to his minister. The general was surprised, too, but very suave.

"I can only say that I hear Mlle. de Gruche's words with astonishment. Our accounts are not consistent with what she says. We don't, of course, lay too much stress on the protestations of the two prisoners, but Lieutenant Rastatz is clear that the street was decidedly dark and that they all three believed the man they encountered to be Colonel Stafnitz of the Hussars. That officer much resembles his royal highness in height and figure. In the dark the difference of uniform would not be noticed, especially by men in their condition." He addressed Sophy: "Mistitch had an old quarrel with Stafnitz. That's the true origin of the affair." He turned to the king again. "That is Rastatz's story, sir, as well as Mistitch's own, though Mistitch is, of course, quite aware that his most unseemly and, indeed, criminal talk at the Golden Lion seriously prejudices his case. But we have no reason to distrust Rastatz."

"Lieutenant Rastatz ran away only because he was afraid," Sophy remarked.

"He ran to bring help, mademoiselle," Stenovics corrected her, with a look of gentle reproach. "You were naturally excited," he went on. "Isn't it possible that your memory has played you a trick? Think carefully. Two men's lives may depend on it."

"I heard Captain Mistitch call the prince 'Sergius Stefanovitch,'" said Sophy.

"This lady will be a most important witness," observed the king.

"Very, sir," Stenovics assented dryly.

Sophy had grown eager. "Doesn't the prince say they knew him?"

"His royal highness hasn't been asked for any account at present," Stenovics answered.

"If they knew who it was, they must die," said the king, in evident concern and excitement.

Stenovics contented himself with a bow of obedience. The king rose and gave Sophy his hand.

"We shall hope to see you again soon," he said very graciously. "Meanwhile General Stenovics has something to say to you in my name which will, I trust, prove agreeable to you." His eyes dwelt on her face for a moment as she took her leave.

Stenovics made his communication later in the day, paying Sophy the high compliment of a personal visit at the sign of the Silver Cock for that purpose. His manner was most cordial. Sophy was to receive an honorary appointment in the royal household at an annual salary of 10,000 paras, or some £400.

"It isn't riches—we aren't very rich in Kravonia—but it will, I hope, make you comfortable and relieve you from the tiresome lessons which, Markart tells me, you're now burdened with."

Sophy was duly grateful and asked what her appointment was.

"It's purely honorary," he smiled. "You are to be keeper of the tapestries."

"I know nothing about tapestries," said Sophy, "but I dare say I can learn. It'll be very interesting."

Stenovics leaned back in his chair, with an amused smile.

"There aren't any tapestries," he said. "They were sold a good many years ago."

"Then why do you keep a"—

"When you're older in the royal service you'll see that it's convenient to have a few sinecures," he told her, with a good humored laugh. "See how handy this one is now!"

"You are to be keeper of the tapestries."

"But I shall feel rather an impostor."

"Merely the novelty of it," he assured her consolingly.

Sophy began to laugh, and the general joined in heartily. "Well, that's settled," said he. "You make three or four appearances at court, and nothing more will be necessary. I hope you like your appointment."

Sophy laughed delightedly. "It's charming—and very amusing," she said. "I'm getting very much interested in your country, general."

"My country is returning your kind compliment, I can assure you," he replied. His tone had grown dry, and he seemed to be watching her now. She waved her hands toward the Virgin with the lamp. The massive figure stood in its old place by the window.

"What a lot I owe to her!" she cried.

"We all owe much," said Stenovics.

"The prince thought some people might be angry with me, because Captain Mistitch is a favorite."

"Very possible, I'm afraid, very possible, but in this world we must do our duty, and"—

"Risk the consequences? Yes!"

"If we can't control them, Mlle. de Gruche." He paused a moment and then went on: "The court martial on Mistitch is convened for Saturday. Sterkoff won't be well enough to be tried for another two or three weeks."

"I'm glad he's not dead, though if he recovers only to be shot— Still, I'm glad I didn't kill him."

"Not by your hand," said Stenovics.

"But you mean in effect? Well, I'm not ashamed. Surely they deserve death."

"Undoubtedly—if Rastatz is wrong and your memory right."

"The prince's own story!"

"He isn't committed to any story yet."

Sophy rested her chin on her hand and regarded her companion closely. He did not avoid her glance.

"You're wondering what I mean—what I'm after?" he asked her, smiling quietly. "Oh, yes, I see you are. Go on wondering, thinking, watching things about you for a day or two. There are three days between now and Saturday. You'll see me again before Saturday, and I've no doubt you'll see the prince."

"If Rastatz were right and my memory wrong"—

He smiled still. "The offense against discipline would be so much less serious. The prince is a disciplinarian. To speak with all respect, he forgets sometimes that discipline is, in the last analysis, only a part of policy—a means, not an end. The end is always the safety and tranquillity of the state." He spoke with weighty emphasis.

"The offense against discipline! An attempt to assassinate"—

"I see you cling to your own memory. You won't have anything to say to Rastatz!" He rose and bowed over her hand. "Much may happen between now and Saturday. Look about you, watch and think!"

The general's final injunction, at least, Sophy lost no time in obeying, and on the slightest thought three things were obvious—the king was very grateful to her, Stenovics wished, at any rate, to appear very grateful to her, and, for some reason or another, Stenovics wished her memory to be wrong to the end that the life of Mistitch and his companion—the greater included the less—might be spared. Why did he wish that?

Presumably—his words about the relation of discipline to policy supported the conclusion—to avoid that disturbance which the prince had forecasted as the result of Mistitch's being put to death. But the prince was not afraid of the disturbance. Why should Stenovics be? The commandant was all confidence. Was the minister afraid?

In some sense he was afraid. That she accepted. But she hesitated to believe that he was afraid in the common sense that he was either lacking in nerve or overburdened with humanity, that he either feared fighting or would shrink from a salutary severity in repressing tumult. If he feared, he feared neither for his own skin nor for the skin of others. He feared for his policy or his ambition.

These things were nothing to her. She was for the prince, for his policy and his ambition. Were they the same as Stenovics'? Even a novice at the game could see that this by no means followed of necessity. The king was elderly and went a-fishing. The prince was young and a martinet. In age Stenovics was between the two—nearly twenty years younger than the king, a dozen or so older than the prince. Under the present regime he had matters almost entirely his own way. At first sight there was of a certainty no reason why his ambitions should coincide precisely with those of the prince. Fifty-nine, forty-one, twenty-eight—the ages of the three men in themselves illuminated the situation—that is, if forty-one could manage fifty-nine, but had no such power over twenty-eight.

New to such meditations, yet with a native pleasure in them, taking to the troubled waters as though born a swimmer, Sophy thought and watched and looked about. As to her own part she was clear. Whether Rastatz was right, whether that most vivid and indelible memory of hers was wrong, were questions which awaited the sole determination of the Prince of Slavna.

Her attitude would have been unchanged, but her knowledge much increased, could she have been present at a certain meeting on the terrace of the Hotel de Paris that same evening. Markart was there, and little Rastatz, whose timely flight and accommodating memory rendered him today not only a free man, but a personage of value. But neither did more than wait on the words of the third member of the party—that Colonel Stafnitz of the hussars who had an old feud with Mistitch, for whom Mistitch had mistaken the Prince of Slavna. A most magnanimous, forgiving gentleman apparently, this spare, slim built man with thoughtful eyes. His whole concern was to get Mistitch out of the mess! The feud he seemed to remember not at all. It was a feud of convenience, a feud to swear to at the court martial. He was as ready to accommodate Stenovics with the use of his name as Rastatz was to offer the requisite modifications of his memory. But there, with that supply of a convenient fiction, his pliability stopped. He spoke to Markart, using him as a conduit pipe—the words would flow through to General Stenovics.

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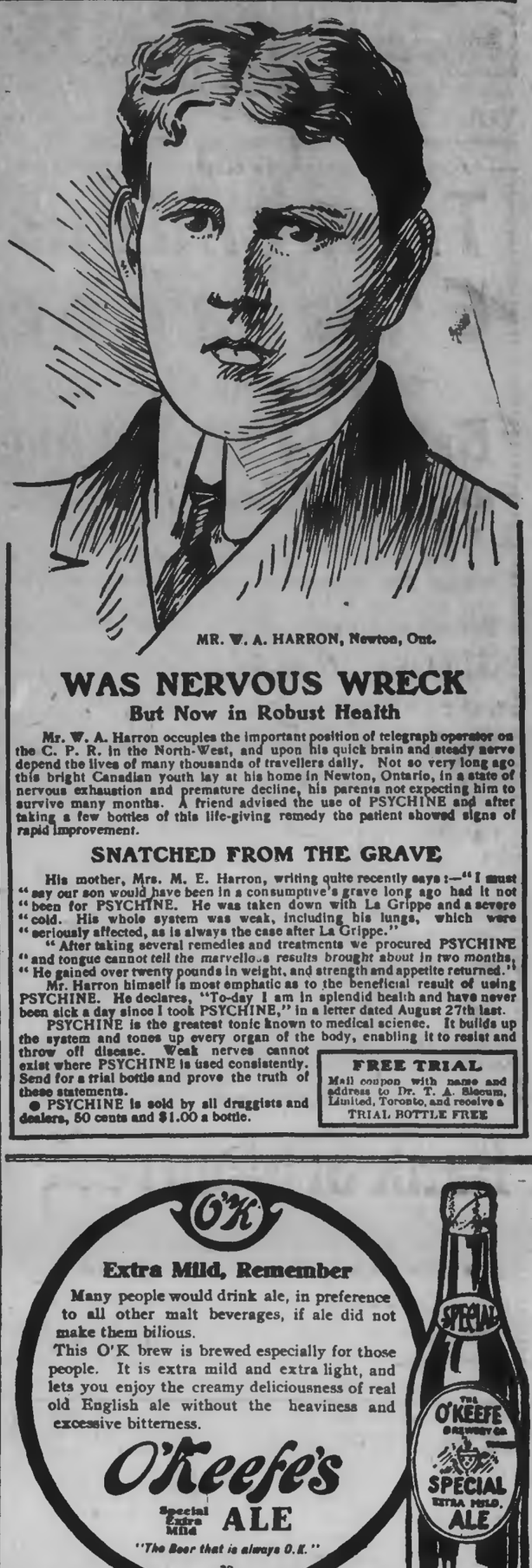

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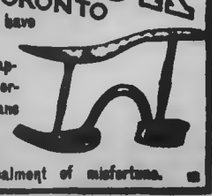

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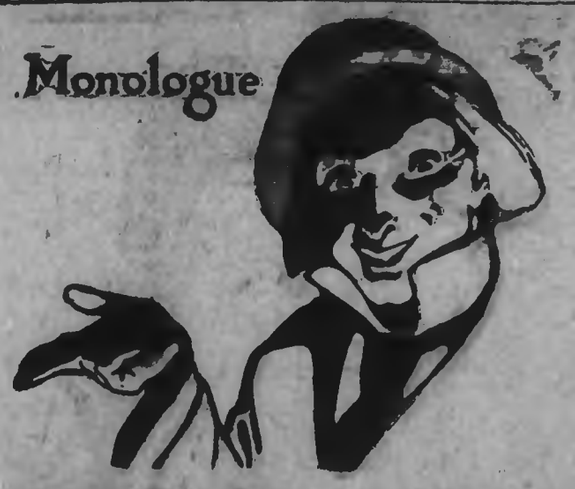

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MRS. JOHN JACOB ASTOR.

everybody knows, did not start in his fur trading venture till the beginning of the nineteenth century.

The women of the Willing family have always been noted for their beauty, and Mrs. John Jacob Astor, with her lovely prematurely gray hair and aristocratic bearing, is no exception to the rule. As Miss Willing, Mrs. Astor made her first appearance in Newport in 1889. Jack Astor was there that summer. They met always at the same round of social bouts, and by the end of the season he was her devoted admirer. In February of 1891 they were married in the Willing mansion in Philadelphia, and, though this is no fairy tale, they have lived happily ever since. There are two charming children to make life more attractive for this fortunate couple—Vincent, a boy of fourteen, and Alice, a tiny girl of three or four years of age.

During the first years of Mrs. Astor's married life there were misfortunes one after the other to keep the family in mourning and prevent Mrs. Astor from formally appearing or leading in society. But for several seasons she has been prominent in London, at the opera in New York and in the summer at Newport. Although the Fifth avenue home, adjoining the late Mrs. William Astor's house, is magnificent enough to please the most fastidious, the country seat, Ferncliffe, on the Hudson, has always been Mrs. Astor's favorite residence. The stone house on an eminence near the river bank was built about forty years ago. It is not old enough to be called "colonial" nor new enough to be modern, but is justly entitled to the term "good old fashioned." It can put up half a hundred guests for a week end, and no one need sleep on the billiard table either.

On the estate there is a magnificent gymnasium costing $200,000 and a wonderful tennis court. So it goes without saying that Mrs. Astor is decidedly an out of doors woman and devoted to sports. Indeed, she may be said to have the athletic fever. She rides horses, drives a spirited cob and is fond of running her own automobile. Another of Mrs. Astor's favorite sports is shooting. There is a big target at Ferncliffe bearing many marks close up to the bullseye placed there by this fair Diana's unerring aim with rifle and revolver. Besides, there is a clay pigeon trap, and more than once milady has been seen to bring down nineteen clay pigeons out of twenty. Then she plays tennis, and of course she is a good golf player. As for sailing boats, Mr. Astor always looks on with pride when his wife holds the tiller.

The magnificent Colony club of New York, one of the finest of woman's clubs, owes its existence to Mrs. Astor's influence.

How to Use the Hands.

Many a woman has at times keenly sympathized with the amateur actress who exclaimed in dismay, "But what shall I do with my hands, monsieur?" The reply would be as unintelligible to a great many others as it was to her, "Let them hang at the end of your arms." Yet that is precisely the thing to do with them.

Delsarte's old law, "Strength at the center and freedom at the extremities," is one of the most effective rules for attaining grace of body—and one of the least understood. "Strength" is often interpreted as rigidity and "freedom" as carelessness, which is not at all a correct elucidation of the terms. Taken as a whole, the waist is the center, and the law means that it should be held firmly, the torso and lower portions of the body swung freely from it. So with the arms. The wrist is the center, the hands the extremities, and therefore in moving the arm the wrist should lead always, the back of it in any upward movement, the front when the motion is downward.

A beautiful hand is an inheritance to be desired, but it loses half its beauty value unless it expresses sympathy and grace in its every movement.

Here is one exercise, very simple and very old, but one which cannot be brought to mind too often:

Double the forearms against the upper arm so that the backs of the hands touch the shoulders. Drop the hands forward from the wrist as though there were no life in them and shake them from that position. This tends to make the wrist supple and leads to a second exercise that trains the wrist to lead. Allow the arms to hang limp at the sides. Lift the arm, then the wrist, then the hand. Each movement follows so closely upon the next that they seem to be one. A few moments of regular practice of this exercise, after the other devitalizing one, will really work an amazing improvement. Very shortly there will be no need for the question, "What shall I do with my hands?"

Washing Blankets.

When blankets are to be washed soap should be cut into small pieces and dissolved into a jelly. This should be added to warm water, enough to form a suds, and borax put in for softening and purifying purposes.

Into this the blankets should be entirely immersed and allowed to remain for half an hour. The water should not be allowed to get cold.

After the blankets are soaked through they should be soused up and down to release the dirt, then put through a wringer. After this the blankets are put through a second suds prepared in the same way as the first. They are squeezed, but not rubbed.

A board should not be used, and, above all, soap should never be rubbed directly on the blanket. This not only causes it to shrink, but the small hairs are all matted by the soap, and the blanket loses its fluffy appearance.

They should be rinsed in warm water with borax or ammonia added to keep them soft and dried on a day of sun and wind.

Tinted Walls Attractive.

Many women who are having their houses done over this winter are choosing paint instead of paper for all the upstairs rooms.

They think this method more hygienic and more cleanly. The walls can be washed down and do not need to be renewed each season.

Not only pale tints, but rich, warm ones, are used, such as terra cotta, german blue and dull red. All the tones of heavy gray are popular.

For the nursery light blue, rose pink and leaf green are used. The ceiling and walls are alike, and there is no attempt at fresco or dado. A molding is used of stained wood, usually white or buff.

Painted walls, with varnished hardwood floors, insure cleanliness and health in a sleeping room.

Women and children who have tried these find themselves suffocating in rooms with carpets, thick wall papers and curtain drapery.

Things Worth Knowing.

When sandwiches of different kinds are served on the same plate, they should be so arranged and marked that the guest may choose according to his or her taste.

A sweet sandwich having cherries inside should have half a cherry on one corner, and that with preserved ginger should be similarly marked with the ginger.

That, if possible, a patient should be induced to give up tea and coffee during convalescence. In a weakened condition they are apt to induce nervousness and sleeplessness.

If lamp chimneys are so badly smoked that they are unsightly, clean them with vinegar and salt. This will remove spots of smoke and leave the glass bright.

An Auto Workbasket.

An automobile workbox is one of the up to date possessions of the woman who does her own mending. The tiny straw car suggests tidiness and dispatch. Spools of thread, papers of needles, scissors and bodkins find a place in the various parts of the motor. Under the chauffeur's seat the spools are arranged, while the tonneau holds rows of needles and pins. The thimble occupies a place all its own on top of the steering wheel, while the car opens at the back to disclose a tiny compartment for the other small sewing conveniences which are always getting lost or misplaced in the large workbox of a single compartment.

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When whitewashing mix lime with skimmilk and it will not crumble off. If you wish it colored add any paint powder.

In choosing a chicken it should be plump on the breast, fat on the back and have white legs. An old chicken is distinguished by its rough legs, and long hairs are found on the breast.

Flower vases often overbalance when in use, for the flowers put into them are likely to make them top heavy. This defect is easily remedied by putting bits of lead, shot or pebbles at the bottom of the vases.

In separating the whites from the yolks of eggs one often will break the yolk into the white. In such case dip a clean cloth into warm water and wring dry. Touch the yolk with the cloth and it will cling to the cloth.

To prevent shoe laces coming undone tie the laces in the usual manner, but before tightening the bow pass its right hand loop through the knot in the center. Then draw the bow tight, and it will stay tied until you pull the string to undo it.

If a lamp is kept full of oil and perfectly clean in all its parts it will never be disagreeable. It is the oil slowly frying on the heated metal which makes the persistent noisome odor, or it is the wick turned too high which emits the occasional choking smell.

To prevent matting from becoming yellow on the floor wash off occasionally with a large coarse cloth which has been dipped in a strong solution of salt water. This will not only prevent it from becoming yellow, but will give the various colors a fresh and new look.

Table linen which has been stained with egg should never be placed in boiling water, as this has the effect of "setting" the stain and making it almost permanent. The best method is to soak the cloth in cold water, which will make it perfectly easy to remove the stain before sending it to the wash.

The Children's Friend.

Mr. C., a distinguished lawyer of Boston, was on his way to Denver to transact some important business. During the afternoon he noticed in the opposite section of the Pullman a gweat faced, tired appearing woman traveling with four small children. Being fond of children and feeling sorry for the mother, he soon made friends with the little ones. Early the next morning he heard their eager questions and the patient "Yes, dear," of the mother as she tried to dress them, and, looking out, he saw a small white foot protruding beyond the opposite curtain. Reaching across the aisle, he took hold of the large toe and began to recite, "This little pig went to market; this little pig stayed at home." The foot was suddenly withdrawn, and a cold, quiet voice said, "That is quite sufficient, thank you."

Mr. C. hastily withdrew to the smoker, where he remained until the train arrived in Denver.—Good Housekeeping.

Hard and Soft.

"What," asked the teacher, "does anthracite mean?"

"That's a kind of coal," said little Willie.

"Yes. Anthracite coal is what we call hard coal. So 'anthracite' must mean 'hard.' Now, can you tell me what 'bituminous' means?'

"That's coal, too," Willie replied.

"But it isn't the same kind of coal that anthracite is, is it? Bituminous coal is what we commonly refer to as soft coal. Now, Willie, let us see if you can form a sentence containing the words anthracite and bituminous."

Willie thought the matter over for a moment and then said:

"Here's one: 'This morning before pa started downtown ma wanted $5 for groceries and things, and she tried to get it by saying bituminous words, but pa gave her an anthracite look, and when he disappeared around the corner she was weeping bituminously.'"—Atlanta Constitution.

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IN the language of thieves, a safe is a "gopher." For more than thirty years William H. Robinson worked exclusively as a bank burglar. Hence the name, "Gopher Bill," which was bestowed upon him by his friends in token of his persistency. As long as Gopher's eyesight was keen and his muscles limber, nothing looked so good to him as a bank vault.

But there came a day when he could no longer scale an iron fence at a bound nor work a drill with accuracy. And on that day he began to do what any other moneyless old man must do—pick up odd jobs. But Gopher's lesser tasks were like his greater ones—criminal. He peddled counterfeit money, ran errands for those of his friends who happened to be in jail, and sometimes went through a house if the windows were low, unlocked, and he was sure no one was at home.

I remember a particular occasion when Gopher, in making $3 for himself, made an enormous amount of trouble for others. While I was in charge of the Philadelphia division of the Secret Service an old companion of Gopher came into my office one day and told me he had some news. He said he had seen the old man in a key store buying keys. He questioned him and learned that he intended to take the keys to the Newcastle (Delaware) prison and give them to "Big Frank" McCoy, who was serving time for the robbery of a bank in Wilmington. Gopher told my informant that he was going to run over with the keys the next morning and that on the night of the same day "Big Frank" would walk out.

McCoy had walked out once before while serving the same sentence, and I knew the information was more than likely to be correct. So I wrote to the Warden and telegraphed the postmaster at Wilmington a request to deliver the letter in person immediately after its arrival.

Two days later I was surprised to read in the morning newspapers that "Big Frank" had escaped from the Newcastle prison the night Gopher said he would go. I was astounded. My letter should have reached the warden in plenty of time to warn him, and in my telegram to the Postmaster I had told him of McCoy's plan to escape. So I went to Wilmington to find out what was the matter.

"Did you get a telegram from me two days ago?" I asked the Postmaster.

"Yes."

"Did you receive the letter for the warden?"

"Oh, yes," he replied, "and I delivered it to him personally, as soon as it came."

Then I went to see the warden.

"Did you get a letter from me?" I asked.

"Yes, I did," he said; "but when the Postmaster delivered it to me I was busy at something else, put it in my pocket and did not find it until to-day."

Things didn't look right to me, and after I returned to Philadelphia I sent to the Washington office a report in which I advocated further investigation. In this I was overruled, on the ground that the matter concerned the State of Delaware rather than the United States. "Big Frank" was never captured and Gopher was left to the peaceful enjoyment of his $2.

In 1879, however, the old man conceived an idea that put him in the penitentiary. I hadn't seen him for months when one day a letter came asking me to go to see him. I knew he never wanted to see me unless he hoped to get something for Gopher, as I also knew he could not be believed under oath. I went to see him, nevertheless, intending to listen to what he said and investigate any statements that might seem to be important.

"Mr. Drummond," said he, "a rich old farmer from Hopewell, Pa., is coming in here to-morrow to buy some counterfeit money. I will point him out to you on the street if you want me to, and you can 'shake him down' for $5,000. But you must give me half of it."

I may remark, parenthetically, that to "shake down" a counterfeit money buyer is to arrest him and then take good money for turning him loose.

I asked Bill how he knew the man was coming. Something in the way I asked the question, perhaps, made the old man suspect that I doubted the correctness of his story. His heart was set upon securing my assistance in the task of shaking down the Pennsylvania farmer, and he at once set forth to prove to me the reliability of his information.

"Did you know old Jim Rogers?" he asked.

"I did when he was alive," said I. "I know he used to deal in counterfeit money."

"Well, old Jim was a great friend of mine, and when he was about to die he sent for me. He was lying in bed, hardly able to talk above a whisper, but when I sat down beside him he put his hand out from under the covers and clasped mine. 'Gopher,' said he, 'you've always been on the square with me, and now that I am about to die I want to will you my business. As you know, I've got a lot of customers for counterfeit money all over Pennsylvania. When they want any stuff they write to me. Part of them know me by my own name and send their letters in care of a saloon in Filbert street. The others know me as Jim Martin and send their orders in care of another saloon. I want you to have all of this business now, Gopher. Go to these saloons, get my mail and fill the orders yourself.'

"By good rights, you see, I should have had all of old Jim's business—but I haven't had it. One of the saloons has held out on me. The fellow who runs it has kept all the letters and sold the counterfeit himself. That's how I knew this Pennsylvania farmer is coming. I've got wind that he wrote to the other place and made arrangements."

All the while that Gopher was telling me this story the thought was running through my mind, "I'll catch Gopher and the saloon keeper now—get them dead to rights and put both of them in the penitentiary." However, when he had finished speaking I only said to him:—

"I'll have a man meet you to-morrow at any place you say, Bill, and we'll arrest the farmer. I'll not go myself, because all of the counterfeit money people know me too well. I've got a very clever negro on my staff—I'll send him."

Gopher thought the negro idea was a good one. I had no colored man at work under me, but I felt that if Gopher was lying about the farmer in order to lay a trap for me I could get a white man up close to him while he was looking for a negro.

"But I want this understood before we go any further," I continued, "I shall try to get the farmer to tell from whom he bought the counterfeit, and if he does it I'll put that man in the penitentiary. If he refuses I'll put the farmer himself in the penitentiary."

"Then I'll not point out the man to you," said Gopher, and further negotiations were off, as I expected they would be.

When I went back to the office I wrote a letter to the chief of the service asking him to send W. W. Hall to Towanda, Pa., to await orders from me, which was done. Then I wrote to F. A. Bates, a police official of Scranton, asking his co-operation. And to both Hall and Bates I forwarded the draft of a letter, which I asked them to copy and mail, one letter to be directed to Jim Rogers and the other to Jim Martin. The letter was as follows:—

"Friend Jim:—I expect to be down to the city next week. I wish you would let me know whether you have any high grade stuff, either paper or silver. I am anxious to get hold of a little if it's the kind I want."

The letter was copied and sent, Hall signing his note "Emory Powers," and directing it to Jim Rogers, and Bates signing his letter "William Stark," and directing it to Jim Martin.

In each instance a reply was received almost by return mail. Bates received a letter from old Gopher Bill himself, as I knew from the handwriting. Bill, however, merely told his correspondent to come and see him when he reached Philadelphia.

Hall's letter was answered by a man whom I shall call Moran, since I understand he is now leading a comparatively decent life and has reputable relatives. Of course, Moran signed the name of Rogers, but I knew who he was. In his reply he was as frank and outspoken as Gopher was guarded, describing his goods as freely as might a legitimate merchant and urging Hall to come down and make a deal.

I at once wrote to Hall and Bates to make appointments for meetings. I also instructed Bates to arrange to see Gopher Bill a few days prior to the meeting between Hall and Moran. To make Gopher and Moran feel entirely at their ease when the time came to put through the deals I laid a little trap for them. Gopher and Moran, it will be remembered, had represented themselves in their correspondence to be Rogers and Martin, respectively. Rogers, alias Martin, was a tall man. Gopher and Moran were short and fat. So I told Bates and Hall to feign surprise and to appear suspicious when they kept their appointments—to comment on the fact that old Jim, whom they should declare they knew well, was tall and lean, while the men who came to deal in his name were the opposite.

Bates carried out his instructions to the letter. Playing the part of a sceptical old farmer, he refused for some time to do business at all. Bill at first attempted to reassure him with general statements, and finally told the story of how old Jim had died and willed him his customers. This explanation satisfied Bates and he bought two hundred trade dollars.

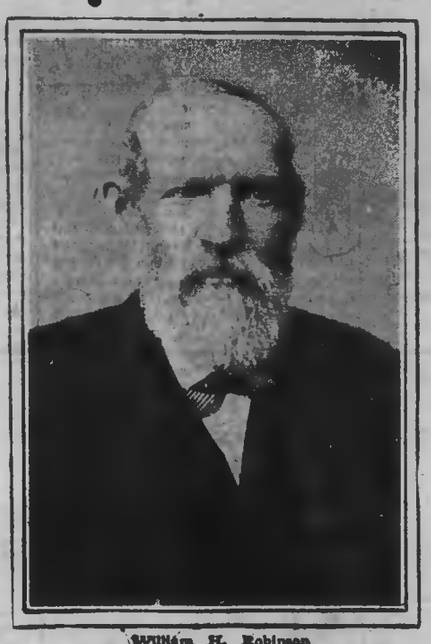
In the case of Moran I thought I saw an opportunity to use his incriminating letter to Hall as evidence against him. In order to do so, however, it was necessary to devise a way to get him to identify it without knowing he was doing so. After photographing his letter I therefore tore out the words in which he had described the goods he had for sale, and wrote on the back of the sheet what appeared to be memoranda regarding the purchase of household effects—this for a purpose that I shall soon make clear.

When the day came for Hall to meet Moran I told Gopher I wanted him to go with me to Camden to tell me if a man whom I pretended I expected to arrest was one of the men concerned in a robbery that Gopher knew about. The old man, knowing he would get $2 for his trouble, readily consented to go. What I wanted was to get Gopher out of Philadelphia while Hall and Moran were negotiating, as I knew Moran, in order to protect himself, would hire Bill to pass out the counterfeit and receive Hall's good money. With one excuse and another I kept the old man in Camden until afternoon, by which time I calculated that Moran would have tired of waiting for him and finished the deal himself.

Hall afterward told me that Moran ran all over town, pretending he was trying to find the man who had the counterfeit, and eventually passed it over himself.

The next thing was to get Gopher into jail as quietly as possible in order not to give Moran an opportunity to flee before we could get him too. So I told him I wanted him to go with me to help me identify a man for whom I pretended to be looking. We walked over to the entrance of the building in which the United States Marshal's office was located, and then I told him I thought we had better go inside, as I did not want to be seen. Before he realized it I had him in the Marshal's office. I gave a signal to Tom Marple, the chief deputy, and he put the old man under arrest.

Marple and I then started for Moran's saloon. As we drew near the place Moran came out and walked down the street in our direction. Moran knew Marple well, as he did me, and when he met us he extended a hand to each in salutation. Each of us grasped a hand and shook it. Each of us held the hand we grasped. As the duration of the greeting seemed to



William H. Robinson

Moran to be a little prolonged, he looked first at Marple, then at me, in a startled sort of way. He tried to pull his hands away. They were fast.

"Come with me," said Marple. "You are under arrest."

Gopher's case was set first for trial and he pleaded guilty. Judge Cadwallader, who was on the bench, received the plea and remanded Bill for sentence until Saturday—it was then Tuesday, if I remember correctly. Moran's case came next, and he put up a stubborn fight. In his day he had been powerful in local politics, and a number of prominent men testified to his good character. It was then that the attorney for the government made use of the letter that Moran had written to Hall, in which he told about the different kinds of counterfeit he had to sell.

Hall was called to the stand and testified to what took place at the meeting when Moran sold him the counterfeit.

"The first thing I did," said Hall, "was to upbraid him for writing me so unguardedly. 'What do you mean,' said I, 'by sending such a letter through the mails?'

"Moran asked if it could be possible that he had been so careless. I replied in the affirmative and withdrew from my pocket his letter. 'There's what you wrote,' said I, 'only I have torn out the words in which you described the counterfeit. Don't ever do that again.'

"'I didn't realize,' said Moran, 'that I had been so careless. Give me the letter,' and he reached out his hand to take it.

"'No,' said I, as I turned the sheet over. 'I have written down some things on the back of the paper that I must buy for my family and I want to keep it.'

"'All right,' said Moran, 'but tear it up as soon as you get through with it.'"

This testimony, of course, if it were true, constituted a complete identification of the letter. But a fortunate circumstance had given me additional proof. Before Moran's arrest I had sent him a letter, in which I asked him to write and let me know where and when I could see him. I supposed he would send the reply to my office, and therefore I gave no address. I was surprised, therefore, one evening

"What Do You Mean by Sending Such a Letter Through the Mails?"

when he came to my house and asked to see me. I went to the door and he handed me a letter.

"Here is a letter that I wrote to you to-day," said he, "but when I came to direct it I found that you had given no address, and as I did not know the street number of your house I brought it over. There is nothing in it except the statement that I can see you if you want me to in the back room of my saloon next Sunday morning."

I thanked him, and put the letter in my pocket without reading it. I knew it would come in handy in backing up his letter to Hall, and wanted to get it out of his sight.

After Hall had finished his testimony I was called to the stand, where I told the story of the second letter. As the law stood at that time, attorneys could not make comparisons between acknowledged and disputed examples of handwriting for the purpose of showing their similarity, but the two letters were nevertheless handed to the jury.

Moran was convicted without hesitation, and sentenced to four years' imprisonment. The severity of the sentence made Gopher change his mind about pleading guilty, and he asked permission to withdraw his plea. The term of court was about to close, and Judge Cadwallader said the plea must stand unless the government could get its witnesses back before the following Wednesday. Some of the witnesses were already as far away as Chicago, and the requirement of the court could therefore not be met.

Gopher Bill stood up in fear and trembling to receive his sentence.

"The sentence of this court," said Judge Cadwallader, in the squeaky voice that all who knew him will so well remember, "is that the defendant be imprisoned in the State Penitentiary for a period of eighteen months."

The unexpected leniency almost unnerved Gopher. If he had gone to trial he probably would have got five years.

The old man, who was then sixty-five, served his time, came out, and, great bank burglar that he had been in his prime, was the cheap handy man of criminals to the end of his days. Moran also served his full sentence. I found out afterward that he intended to "put me out of business," as he expressed it, if I had kept the appointment to meet him in the back room of his saloon that Sunday morning. He told a number of his gang that such was his intention. It was never my purpose to meet him, but if I had I presume that somebody who was ostensibly a drunken loafer would have tried to give me a black eye. Moran would have kicked him out of the place—apparently acting indignantly and as my friend—after which Moran and all his friends would have gloated over my discomfiture.

IN LONESOME NEW YORK CITY.

"NEW YORK is commonly said to be an all night city," complained the visitor from up State, "but I for one have found it anything but hospitable as the night wears on. A few days ago I was obliged to meet a late train at the Grand Central Station, very late, in fact, for the tram did not get in till two in the morning. I started down town about eleven, with a vague idea of going to a show. It did not enter my mind that the Great White Way would not offer some attraction every hour in the twenty-four. New Yorkers will tell you that the street never sleeps and that you can carry on any business, do your banking, buy anything you please at any old time. Well, I didn't find it so.

"At eleven the theatres were letting out, every last one of them. I can remember music halls which only began to fill up at this hour, but there is no such shelter to-day. I was not hungry or thirsty, and after strolling through the hotel lobbies for half an hour I felt that I had worn out my welcome. The public waiting rooms were beginning to thin out, and I imagined the clerks' eyes were on me, so I sought the street. The electric signs still made the street gay at midnight, but the cigar stores, penny arcades, phonograph parlors, the latest shops, were closing down.

"An all night barber shop caught my eye. Here at last was a haven of refuge. I submitted to a hair cut—which I did not need—and, after lingering in the welcome warmth and light of the resort as long as I dared, once more ventured forth. It was only a little past midnight. The all night bank occurred to me—splendid idea! Once inside I found I had no excuse for remaining long, and once more I found myself on the street, having killed but ten minutes in the visit. A belated bootblack parlor was still alight, and by having my shoes repolished I managed to purchase fifteen more minutes' shelter. Another walk about the streets brought the time to nearly one o'clock.

"I had forgotten the drug stores. Selecting a brilliant window at one of the busiest corners I entered. Understand, I was perfectly willing to pay a reasonable price for my shelter and entertainment. A hot drink made an excuse for idling ten minutes more and I was about to make some trifling purchases as the price of my entertainment when the place began to darken. I was told that the store closed at one and they had already stretched a point in keeping the place open after time for me.

"Despite the much vaunted all night district I found myself actually on the street without shelter. I sought the station. Here at least I might sit and read till daylight if I chose. For perhaps half an hour I was undisturbed, when a squad of scrubbers took possession. The floor was soon covered with pools of soapy water, and I must pick my way carefully about these lakes to the doorway. The clock indicated half-past one. For the last half hour of my vigil I carried the banner like any outcast. Talk about New York being an all night town! It's the lonesomest town for a bachelor after midnight that I have ever struck."

THE BEE STING CURE.

NOT a cure for the stings of bees, but the sting of a bee as a cure for something else—namely, rheumatism or gout. The belief that rheumatic pains may be relieved by allowing a bee to sting the affected part is prevalent in widely distant lands. It has been classed by many with other odd popular "cures," such as spitting on the bottom of a stone to cure warts and so on. But there is no doubt that, in this case, tradition is correct, for the bee cure has been tested and reported upon too often by reputable physicians to admit of error.

An Oxford professor has recently spent some time in tracing the origin and history of this queer but effective method of treatment. It first appears in print, so far as he could find, about fifty years ago in a Parisian medical journal, in the shape of an account of the experiences of a French bee keeper, who, finding a rheumatic trouble of long standing relieved by the accidental sting of a bee on his wrist, caused bees to sting him in other parts of the body and so was cured. Since his day the cure appears from time to time in medical literature, often as a supposed new discovery. "It has been successfully employed in many parts of the world. Dr. Féré, an Austrian physician, has a record of about seven hundred cases in which he has used it. The sting causes considerable pain, but this soon ceases, as the part begins to swell, and after two or three such treatments the rheumatism disappears for six months or so.

Evidently the sting acts as a natural hypodermic injection and the so-called "poison" contains the curative principle. A chief constituent of the fluid is formic acid, but whether this or some minor element is responsible for the effect of the sting is not certainly known.

HEAT PHOTOGRAPHY.

A METHOD of photographing with invisible heat radiation has recently been devised. It is now recognized that there is no essential difference between what used to be called "heat rays," "light rays" and "chemical rays." Radiation is of divers wave lengths, and only between certain limits does it affect the eye. Between other limits it produces heat effects and between others it stimulates chemical action, as in a photographic plate.

In general the longest waves produce heat; those not so long, light, and the shortest of all, chemical action. Certain waves are both heat and light rays, and certain others are both light rays and "chemical" rays; but in general the invisible heat rays have no chemical effect, and it is impossible to photograph with them directly.

In the new process advantage is taken of the fact that at very low temperatures the ordinary developers have no effect on an exposed plate. If a plate completely exposed to light be treated with a very cold developer nothing will result; but if any portion of the plate be then heated, the developer will act at the heated parts and there only, and an image will be formed. In some experiments recently described a pot of almost boiling water was used as a source of heat, and between it and the cold plate, about four inches away, was held a membrane in which the letter "W" had been cut. The result was a distinct picture of the letter on the plate.

This odd method of photography may be used to show that hard rubber is transparent to heat rays, while glass is nearly opaque. The reverse, of course, is true of light, and the difference evidently depends on the difference of length of the waves. Plates with a thick coat of gelatine are recommended for these experiments, but any plate may be used successfully.

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A QUEER NEWSPAPER.

Moscow Has an Organ For Thieves and Vagabonds.

Moscow has a curious newspaper called the Bosatska Gazeta, which interpreted means the Barefooted Man's Gazette. It is a little weekly journal, consisting of one double sheet of printed matter. It is ostensibly run by thieves and vagabonds for the benefit of thieves and vagabonds. The bulk of its contents consists of contributions from burglars and other folk who prey upon society, in which they describe their successful exploits. Its tone is humorous and racy. The text is enlivened with comic sketches, some of which are well done. Unless the police suppress it it bids fair to have a prosperous career.

It is not lacking in advertisements, most of them of a decidedly unique character. In one issue, for instance, a young man announces that, "being full of energy and temperament and having a loving heart, he seeks a life partner in the shape of a young lady with small means." The adventurer goes on to say that, "having practiced housebreaking from his tender youth, he is now at twenty-five as expert a burglar as any in Moscow and can therefore assure his wife comfort and even luxury."

The office is situated in the Nikitinska, a shabby enough street, opposite a small theater. It is in a private flat. The editor is always out, and contributors are invited to leave their offerings on the table, where lie an empty vodka bottle, a tea stained piece of blotting paper and a few cigarette ends.

In a word, the management of the paper is wrapped in mystery. Nobody knows where it is printed, least of all the police, who have been on its track since the first number appeared. It comes out once a week and costs 5 kopecks (about 5 cents).—Chicago News.

An Unkissed Baby.

There is in England a nine-months-old boy who has never been kissed. His parents have set up the following rules in a conspicuous place near the entrance to their home:

"Don't kiss the baby.

"Don't handle baby unless your hands are very, very clean.

"Don't bring baby's face close to your own or to your hair.

"Don't allow baby to touch your face or hair.

"Don't talk, breathe, whistle, blow, cough or sneeze into baby's face. We want him to live.

"Don't use your handkerchief on baby's hands, face or mouth."

At the foot of the rules is written: "To some these rules will appear comical or stupid. But they are not written as a joke or without thought. Therefore any person infringing these rules after having read them will incur our displeasure extremely."—London Mail.

Men's Buttons $100 Apiece.

"Here's a set of vest buttons at $100 apiece," said the tailor. "Man is growing more luxurious in his dress. Soon, if he keeps on, his bills will beat woman's."

The buttons, four in number, were for the white waistcoat of evening dress—a large pearl encircled with diamonds. With them went two pearl studs and a pair of pearl and diamond sleeve links. The set cost altogether $850. "Oh, yes," said the tailor, "I sell lots of these sets of buttons! They are the correct thing, you know. The thief if he ripped the buttons off the white vest of the average rich young clubman would probably get a haul worth two or three hundred dollars."—New York Press.

One Result of Prohibition.

Governor Burke in a smoking compartment of a sleeper was telling how he used to water the cows on his father's farm in Iowa.

"Those cows were fearfully thirsty at times," said the governor. "At times I have carried ten pails apiece for every one of the twenty cows we had."

One of the party remarked that he had watered cows time and again, but never saw one drink more than four pails at a time.

"Perhaps you're right," admitted the governor, "but you must remember that those were dry times in Iowa, when we had prohibition laws."—Minneapolis Journal.

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To get best results with rice wash quickly in cold water and drop slowly into water that is boiling rapidly. Rice prepared in this fashion will be soft and mealy, yet whole, in twenty minutes or half an hour. Have plenty of water in the kettle and drain the rice directly it is cooked—before the water stops boiling.

To get best results with macaroni do not break it before cooking. Drop it whole into salted boiling water, cook twenty minutes, drain in a colander, coil it in the baking dish, pour cream sauce over it and finish off with grated cheese and bits of butter. Bake golden brown. You lose much of the substance in breaking it in short lengths before cooking.

To make the mint jelly so popular—and expensive—at exchange and tea rooms try this recipe: Wash and bruise a bunch of fresh mint, cover with a pint of boiling water and simmer very gently fifteen minutes. Strain and to every pint of this liquid while hot allow a package of ready to use lemon jelly powder. Add sugar to taste. Stir until sugar and jelly powder are dissolved. Mold and set on ice to harden. Garnish with fresh mint leaves.

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Household Hints.

Nickel may be kept bright by being rubbed with wool saturated in ammonia.

When brushing a room sweep toward the fireplace; otherwise the draft from the chimney draws the dust in that direction.

Bric-a-brac containing mother-of-pearl should never be cleaned with soap and water. Instead it should be rubbed with a cloth dipped into whiting and water.

The soot that settles at the bottom of the teakettle, caused by being on the fire, will keep the top of the kitchen stove blacked. Dampen a cloth, rub on the bottom of the kettle, then over the stove, and it will keep the stove bright.

Too Much For the Ferret.

An old buck rabbit is not to be lightly tackled by weasel, stoat or even ferret. On the sanded floor of a small public house a ferret of long experience was matched with an old lop eared buck, the property of the landlord. The ferret made straight for the rabbit's throat, but the latter was in the air before master ferret could reach him and, leaping clean over the ferret's head, let out with those powerful hind legs of his a kick which hurled the ferret bodily against the wainscot. Twice the ferret returned to the attack, and twice he missed his grip and went hurtling through the air. The third reprise was enough for him. He knew he was beaten and could not be persuaded to stand up for a fourth round.

Brilliant Fish Hues.

Like birds, many fishes assume their brightest hue when they wish to attract the opposite sex of their species. The colors of the male common pike become exceedingly intense, brilliant and iridescent in the breeding season. The eel also puts on an intense silvery hue at the breeding time which is very noticeable and at one time caused naturalists to distinguish it as a distinct species. The males of the tench, roach and perch also show a marked increase in brilliancy in the breeding season.

Young Folks

THE NAMES OF STATES.

Majority of Them Were Handed Down From the Indians.

Do you know why your state was so named? Do you know that the majority of the states of the Union were named after the Indians? It is so. See the list:

Ohio is Indian and means "beautiful;" Massachusetts, "about great hills;" Utah, "mountain home;" Texas, from the Indian word "teaches," which means "friends." Kansas gets its name from the Indians, and the word means "smoky waters." The word Wyoming comes from the Indian and means "broad valleys;" Nebraska, "black water;" Missouri, "muddy water;" Iowa, "across;" Wisconsin, "rushing waters;" Illinois, from "Illini," which means "tribe of men;" Kentucky, meaning "at head of river;" Oregon, from War-e-gan, "beautiful water." Arizona means "uncertain," because of the desert land where the Indians found game scarce; therefore a journey through that portion of the country was uncertain. New Mexico was named after Mexico proper, and the word comes from "Mexitl" of the ancient Aztecs and signifies "god of war."

The Indians call great lakes "seas," and "seas" in Indian is "Michigan."

Mississippi is named after the river which is so called by the red man because of its greatness in width and length. The word means "father of waters."

The two Dakotas were so named after the Dakota Indians, which at one time embraced an immense tribe, all the branches of the Sioux.

There are states which do not owe their names to the Indians. California is named after an imaginary island of Spanish romance; Nevada (means "snowy;" Colorado is so named because of the red granite and sandstone rocks which are everywhere in the mountain regions. Florida means flowers.

FACTS ABOUT FLAGS.

Significance of Various Colors and the Way They Are Used.

To "strike the flag" is to lower the national colors in token of submission.

A "flag of truce" is a white flag displayed to an enemy to indicate a desire for a parley or consultation.

The white flag is also a sign of peace. After a battle parties from both sides often go out to the field to rescue the wounded or bury the dead under the protection of the white flag.

The red flag is a sign of defiance and is often used by revolutionists. In our naval service it is a mark of danger and shows a vessel to be receiving or discharging her powder.

The black flag is a sign of piracy.

The yellow flag shows a vessel to be in quarantine or is the sign of a contagious disease on board.

A flag at half mast means mourning. Fishing and other vessels return with a flag at half mast to announce the loss or death of one or more of the crew.

Dipping the flag is lowering it slightly and then hoisting it again to salute a vessel or fort.

If the president of the United States goes afloat the American flag is carried in the bow of his barge or hoisted at the main of the vessel on board of which he is.

The president also has a flag—a blue ground with the arms of the United States in the center. This was first used in 1883 by President Arthur.

When a flag is displayed "with the union down"—that is, the flag reversed—it is a signal of distress and a call for assistance.

A Mistake Somewhere.

"A CATalogue at a DOG show!"
Cried Jane. "How very queer!
Bring me a DOGalogue, if you please.
There's something wrong, I fear!"
—Washington Star.

Alliteration—A Game.

This game can be played by any number of persons, each of whom is required to write a story in which each word shall begin with a given letter of the alphabet. The stories may be required to be of the same length, as agreed upon beforehand, or a stated time may be allowed for writing. When all have finished the stories are read aloud, and he whose story is the best, as decided by a majority of the players, is declared the winner.

The Land of Lie-a-Bed.

The lazy land of Lie-a-Bed
Has two fat pillows at the head.
A downy comfort spread all neat
And restful from the head to feet.
A drowsy, dreamy place to stay
And yawn, "I'll not get up today,"
And many children like to go
To wonder-wander here, you know.

It is a pleasant land, and yet
If I were you I would forget
The pathway there and follow back
The shining merry morning track.
The dream world lies too far away
From honest work and happy play,
And you must heed what you have read
And shun the land of Lie-a-Bed.
—Youth's Companion.

Man Made Law.

Ere since the age began
Of legal wig and gown
The law has been set up by man,
But—woman lays it down!

English Etchings.

More than 1,200 English tradesmen are this year entitled to the use of the royal arms over their shop fronts.

Although the sea has washed away 319 acres from the British isles in the last quarter of a century, it has added more than 30,000, which will become productive in time.

Strawberries were extraordinarily cheap in England this year, the price being 4 cents a quart at one time. The crop was the greatest in ten years, the total exceeding 60,000 tons.

It is a not unusual sight in England to see a motor bus belonging to one city running with a load of excursionists around the streets of another town twenty or thirty miles distant.

Things Theatrical.

Robert Edeson began his road tour recently in "The Call of the North."

Bessie Clayton has been engaged for Anna Held's company in "Miss Innocence."

Digby Bell is to play the part of an American father in "An International Marriage."

Never Knew Her Husband's Name.

In declaring that she never knew her husband's first name Mrs. Esther Nieman of Monroe street created laughter at the central police court.

"I have always called him 'Pop' from the first day I married him, and as he did not object I never worried myself about his first name," said Mrs. Nieman, who had her husband arrested on the charge of failing to support her.

The accused husband by direction of the magistrate was induced to tell his wife his full name.

"Certainly. I'm glad to do it," remarked the defendant, "but I think my wife has known right along that I am Jacob Nieman."

After telling his name Nieman was held in $300 bail for trial.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Inducements to Drink.

In Catania an enterprising wine dealer has initiated a novel scheme of drinking by the hour ad libitum. For 15 cents one may drink for sixty minutes, and the current price of wine is 3 cents a liter. The chances are, however, in favor of the merchant, for it requires a strong stomach to drink three liters of Etna wine in one hour. At a neighboring town the charge is 10 cents for the first hour and 15 cents for two. The fashion seems to have "caught on," and at Bologna, where the wines are better, the charge is 41 cents for the first hour, 31 cents for the second and 20 cents for the third. The result of these inducements to drink is said not to be enchanting.

Profits in Cocaine.

It is stated that cocaine is sold at $2.65 an ounce and that it is sold at retail to fiends at 20 cents for about six grains. There being 480 grains to an ounce, the venders at this rate would realize $16 on an ounce of the drug, a clear profit of $13.35. In view of the enormous profit in this trade it can be readily realized that the temptation to violate the city and state ordinances is a very great one and that many of the unscrupulous dealers will resort to almost any trick in order to evade the law.—Charleston News and Courier.

Amiable G. B. Shaw.

Some time ago Mr. Stead, in London, wanted to gather about him some of the brains of Europe and then make a trip around the world in the interests of everlasting peace. He asked G. Bernard Shaw to be one of the party, which invitation most men would have thought a compliment, but Mr. Shaw said, "My dear Stead, I have far more work to do than kings and queens, but if you will bring a collection of rulers to my house in Adelphi terrace I should be very glad to talk to them any morning."

Everybody Satisfied.

Braggs—I'm nothing if not original. I like to be different from other people.

Naggs—Well, that's all right. Doubtless other people are satisfied to have it so.—Chicago News.

Mother Gave Her Child Away.

Had Given up all Hope of Living. Heart Trouble was Cured by Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills.

Mrs. Andrew Savoy, Grattan's, N.B., writes:—"In the year 1905 I was taken sick and did not think I could live any length of time. My trouble was with my heart and people told me that nothing could be done for a case like mine. I consulted the very best doctors but they could do me no good. For seven weeks I could hardly cross the floor. I had no pain, but was so weak nobody in the world can believe how I felt. I had given up all hopes of living and had given my little girl to my sister-in-law.

"One day a friend came to see me, and calling me by name, said, 'Lizzie, if I were you I would try a dose of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills as they are good for heart trouble.' My husband got me a box, but for two days I was not feeling any better, but on the fourth day my husband said, 'I believe those pills are doing you good.' I was able to say, 'Yes, I feel a good deal better this morning.' He said, 'Well, I will get you another box right away.' I took two boxes and three doses out of the third one, and I was perfectly well and have not been sick since then.

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I will be glad if you will publish this testimonial, if it will further the interests of "Fruit-a-tives." They should be in every household. Yours very truly,

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FARMERS' CLUBS BEING ORGANIZED

From Farm and Dairy.

Realising that organization is the order of the day in all occupations in life, the farmers of Morewood, Ont., decided to follow suit and be in the race. We accordingly organized a farmers' club which has in connection with it a produce directory. This organization was formed, mainly, for the interchange of ideas, social intercourse, general enlightenment and to encourage the young men to be able to express their thoughts in a tangible shape and be able to command an audience without being subject to "stage fright," should the occasion arise. Also, that these young men may ask questions of the older men who have had more experience, and that they may be encouraged to adopt new methods.

The Produce Directory in connection with the club allows the members to register anything they have to sell, such as, horses, cows, pigs, potatoes, grain or in fact anything on the farm.

The directory is to be placed at the post office, or some other place of prominence in the village so that anybody requiring anything may find out who has the same without loss of time. Thus it is a benefit to both parties inasmuch as it saves the buyer from having to travel around the whole country to find what he wants.

The rules that we have formulated and adopted, will give one a good idea of our organization. They are:

1. The organization shall be called the Morewood Farmers' Club and Produce Directory. An annual fee of 50 cents per member shall be charged.
2. The board of management shall consist of president, vice-president, secretary-treasurer, and a board of four directors.
3. The annual meeting shall be held on the first Friday of December of each and every year. Regular meetings shall be held on the first Friday of each month.
4. No member shall be eligible to vote or to receive any benefits of the organization unless his fees are paid up in full.
5. The object of this organization shall be to benefit each other by means of discussion and debates regarding farming and the uplifting of our profession.
6. No political discussion shall be allowed on penalty of being expelled.
7. Any member selling an article that is registered in the directory shall be as prompt as possible in cancelling the same, so as to prevent repetition of buyers. A time limit of seven days is allowed for cancellation, after which offenders will be subject to the penalty of a fine, to be determined by the executive. This constitution may be added to as occasion requires.

WHAT THE CHEESEMAKER HAS TO CONTEND WITH

From Farm and Dairy.

One of the chief troubles cheese makers had to contend with last season was over-ripe milk. During the hot months the quality of the cheese made in many factories was materially injured because the milk when received by the maker was in an over-ripe condition and the finest product could not be made from it.

The only remedy is to cool the milk, and keep it cool, until it is ready to be sent to the factory. Unless the farmer has plenty of cold spring water, the only way to keep milk cool in hot weather is with ice. Every patron of a cheese factory should store ice for use in the summer months. A small ice house can be erected at small cost and it is not a very difficult task to store a few loads of ice during the winter months. There is always a creek or pond near at hand at which ice suitable for this purpose can be secured. It will come in handy for other purposes as well as cooling milk for the cheese factory. It will pay cheese makers to give some attention to this question during the next couple of months. By explaining the necessity of cooling milk properly for cheese making, patrons can be induced to take the matter up. The storing of ice by the patron is one of the needs of the business at the present time. The maker will have a much more satisfactory season in 1909 than he did in 1908, if he can induce his patrons to make preparations for putting in a supply of ice for use when the hot weather comes.

REASON WHY BOYS LEAVE THE FARM

From Farm and Dairy.

One reason why many boys have left the farm for the city has been because they have not known the difference between real and artificial pleasures. There is a glamor about the large, luxuriantly furnished theatres, and other places of amusement in the city, that draws a certain type of country boy just as the arc light draws insects. Only too often the result in the same in both cases—destruction.

There is need that we shall make clear to our boys and girls that the young men and women in the cities, who are making the greatest successes of their lives, are not the ones who spend time and money enjoying themselves at operas and dances. They are the young people who are working ten and twelve hours a day in offices and stores, or at their studies and who are saving, not spending their money. Success in the city is gained in one and in only one way: That is by hard work. There is far more opportunity to enjoy simple but real pleasure on the farm than in the city and it costs less.

Take an example: The patrons of the Central Smith cheese factory, Peterboro County, Ont., each year for eleven years, have held an annual banquet. These events have grown in interest and in importance. They now are anticipated with pleasure for months. Generally, one or two prominent speakers from outside points attend and speak briefly on agricultural matters. Musical talent adds to the interest.

The banquet that was held early this month was no exception. It was said that some 400 were present. The ladies had furnished a supply of edibles that tested the strength of the tables. There was almost everything to eat that one could find in any large city restaurant. Every person was expected to sit down and eat as long as they could and anything they wanted. As every one else was having too enjoyable a time to watch what others were doing there was nothing to prevent one from eating as much as the limit set by their capacity would permit. Surprising to state there was no such thing as a separate charge for every piece of pie, cup of tea or other article consumed. Had the usual city banquet prices prevailed the average charge to those present would have been about two

After the banquet an excellent program of speeches, musical selections and recitations was provided. These included magic lantern views shown by Messrs. Geo. H. Barr, and C. F. Whitley, of the Dominion Department of Agriculture. The most enjoyable feature of the evening was the sociability of all present, young and old, men and women. Afterwards came the drive home in the moonlight, over the first snow roads of the season.

We cannot have too many gatherings of this kind. They should be held frequently in every farm community. They promote friendly feelings and add to the enjoyment of farm life. They furnish simple, wholesome pleasure in an abundance that cannot be duplicated by the highest priced entertainments the city can provide. If we will give our boys and girls more opportunities to have a good time we will succeed better in diverting their attention from what is only too often the alluring, but treacherous cry of the city.

A FEW WORDS ON THE FEEDING QUESTION

From Farm and Dairy.

No fixed rules can be laid down in regard to feeding—the heavier breeds will require more food than the smaller, and some fowls eat more than others, so we must use some judgment as to how and what we are feeding. Poultry require a certain amount of animal, vegetable and mineral foods, therefore, you must supply yourself with as many different kinds of food as can be obtained in your locality.

Let it be understood that your hoppers should only contain crushed grains such as oats, corn, bran, middlings, etc., with oyster shell, grit, charcoal and beef scraps. All whole grains such as wheat, corn oats, rye, buckwheat, and even millet seed, should be fed in the litter morning and evening, using a different grain as often as possible, so as not to tire the fowls of any one grain. Corn should only be fed at nights.

During laying we feed as follows: Morning, two quarts of warm skimmilk, one quart of shorts and one of bran well mixed. At noon give them ten to sixteen ounces of green cut bone. At four-o'clock, one-half gallon of whole corn in the litter.

After the birds have gone to roost, I go out and scatter one-half gallon of wheat and oats in the scratching shed to set them to work the minute they can see. A cabbage head, a few red beets, or a mass of boiled potatoes once or twice a week in place of the bone, gives them variety. When the birds show evidence of too much forcing, cut out the midday meal.

The feed last year for 24 birds fed as above cost me $16.00. I sold the old birds on March 22nd to a farmer at 10 cents a pound, $20.40, besides having sold nearly $36.00 worth of eggs at 23 cents a dozen. The birds were the cull of my first hatch, being worth about 56 cents each when I put them in winter quarters. My total gain was $42.96 less feed, $36.96. This leaves out a few eggs we used in the house, before our other stock commenced laying.—F. in Standard

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PRICE OF HOGS REMAIN AT REASONABLE FIGURE

From Farm and Dairy.

In last week's issue one of our correspondents said that if the pork packers would keep the price of hogs at a reasonable figure then farmers would raise plenty of hogs. The inference was that the pork packers could do so if they would. This suggestion has been made time and again. It was advanced once by such an agricultural authority as Hon. John Dryden.

We believe that the pork packers would be glad to maintain the price of hogs at any figure that would ensure their receiving a liberal supply of hogs, and still leave them a profit. But, how can they do it? Is there any product of the farm for which an uniform price is paid?

The price that the packers receive for their hogs is not uniform. It shows wide variations. How then can they agree to pay us a minimum price when they can't get the British consumers to guarantee to pay them a minimum price for bacon?

When the price of cheese advances past a certain figure a large part of the public ceases to buy it. The public might say to us, just as sensibly, if you will agree not to charge more than eleven and a half cents a pound for cheese we will buy all that you make. Just as we are unable to control the condition of our pastures or the milk production of our cows and, therefore, the cost of producing milk, so the pork packers are unable to control the consumption of bacon or the prices that they can pay for hogs.

In the discussion of this subject, while we must protect our own interests, we must at least be fair to the packers. Apparently all we can do is to take the prices paid for hogs over a period of years and then decide whether or not hogs can be raised most years at a profit. If we find that they cannot, then we had better get out of the hog business and let the Danes have the field. If we decide that hog raising is profitable we are not going to advance ourselves by finding fault with the packers for not doing what the conditions of business prevent their doing. One thing seems certain. The Danes are satisfied that they can raise hogs at a profit if we

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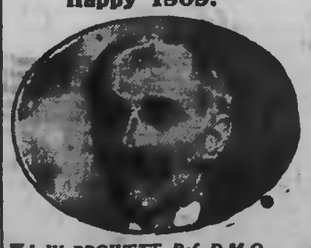

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THE VALUE OF THE POTATO CROP IN ONTARIO

From Farm and Dairy.

Few realize the value of the potato crop in Ontario. According to Prof. C. A. Zavits, of the Ontario Agricultural College, the estimated value of the potato crop for Ontario the past year is $12,000,000. From what we hear of the indifferent quality of Ontario potatoes and the praise which is always handed out to this crop as grown in the Maritime provinces, we would conclude that Ontario potatoes count for little in our markets.

Why is it that Ontario potatoes have been side-tracked, so to speak, while those of the Maritime provinces are so widely advertised as being more desirable? A census by counties, taken by Professor Zavits, through the experimenters connected with the Experimental Union, of the leading varieties grown in different parts of Ontario, brought out the startling fact that 90 different varieties were considered the best and, therefore, were grown extensively in their respective districts.

This fact gives us the key to the potato situation in Ontario. If 90 different varieties are grown extensively over Ontario, we cannot hope to put potatoes of a uniform grade on the market in train-loads or even in car-lots. Farmers down by the sea have recognised the importance of all growing the same varieties. In this way, they are enabled to fill large orders and have them uniform throughout. The lesson for Ontario farmers is obvious. We must focus our attention on a few of the best and grow them only.

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HOW ST. PETER'S T.A.S. HAS PROSPERED SINCE INCEPTION

A Brief Reference to the Great Work it Has Accomplished—Many Happier Homes as a Result of the Disappearance of Drink Habit—Splendid Club Rooms, Strong Bank Account and Success Stamped on Every Department.

REV. DR. O'BRIEN HAS BEEN MOST UNTIRING IN HIS GUIDANCE

Nine years ago last night the seed of total abstinence from intoxicating liquors was implanted among one section of the people of Peterborough. After three times three years existence the society founded upon this principle finds itself pleased with its strength and unfettered grow h, and points proudly not only to the material and moral good it engendered and fostered in itself, but to another seed which has found lodgement in good soil in Ennismore, and is enjoying splendid showing. It is also known that the seed has been cast in several other communities where before many seasons have flitted by, it should sprout and begin to grow, nourished by the Divine Grace in the excellent work that is being done.

St. Peter's T. A. S. was founded on January 8th, 1900. Prior to that the Catholic Literary Society had been endeavouring to advance the educational interests of the young people of St. Peter's. Rev. Father Frank O Sullivan was anxious to have the Catholic Literary Association take up the cause of temperance. Sermons were delivered and the agitation was maintained until the time for action was almost ripe.

A beautiful address on temperance by Rev. Father Murphy, a former Peterborough young man, is still remembered by the large congregation who heard it one Sunday night at St. Peter's Cathedral. This was the final effort made before the organization of the society which followed on the eighth of January, a few nights after Father Murphy's impressive address.

It is scarcely necessary to go into detail regarding the life of the St. Peter's T. A. S. The city of Peterborough is well acquainted with the progress it has made. Between four and fifty men pledged themselves to total abstinence at the inaugural meeting. Last Sunday there were nearly 700 members in a body at the Cathedral to receive Holy Communion, and this is by no means the complete membership.

Rev. Father Frank O'Sullivan was the first spiritual adviser and was succeeded after a year or more by Rev. Dr. O'Brien. There is not a member of the T.A.S. who, if asked whom or what the society's success depended upon but would not immediately point to Dr. O'Brien. To-day with an excellent staff of officers and trustees to assist him the society's bark is running along cheerily through calm waters. There was a time when the little vessel was storm tossed, weakened from within and without. It was Dr. O'Brien's realization of the greatness of the work he had undertaken his trust in God's grace, his own prayers and labours assisted by a few staunch members which kept the sails before the wind and held the rudder firm until the danger zone was safely passed.

He is intimately acquainted with every member. He knows individual trials and struggles and it is his fatherly advice and guidance which has endeared him to every member and has indirectly strengthened the society.

The good done by St. Peter's T. A. S. is realized by everyone. Better and happier homes, sober fathers and sons, in fact, the material benefits are unlimited. The spiritual life of the members is also well looked after. There are no narrow boundaries to the society's efforts. Every provision has been made for the intellectual, physical, social, musical and dramatic abilities of the members.

The rooms are now in excellent condition, are homelike, cheery and appealing. Everything points to continued success and growth. The old feeling that it "would soon fall through" has been laughed to scorn and not a man is now found to utter that sentiment. The society enjoys the good will of every temperance worker in the city and the universal prayer is that St. Peter's T. A. S. will prosper and increase the potentialities it now enjoys.

GUN DRAWN IN FIGHT WAS BUT A CAP SHOOTER

Last Monday at the Burleigh Falls Hotel, during a heated altercation which might have come to blows, Thomas Windsor drew a revolver, and, it is alleged, threatened to shoot John McFarlane. As the result of an information that was laid, High Constable Cochrane, accompanied by Constable Moore, went out to Burleigh yesterday and arrested Mr. Windsor.

When Mr. Cochrane took possession of the gun which, it is claimed, was drawn, to his surprise he found it a toy pistol which shoots caps. While it was utterly useless to hurt anyone it was successful in preventing serious trouble. The case will be heard in the county court.

MR. ALFRED H. LEHANE,
Financial Secretary of St. Peter's T.A.S for many terms. He has been untiring in his duties.

REV. MR. MANNING A REPRESENTATIVE AT THE FUNERAL

Rev. H. M. Manning, formerly member of the Official Board of the Charlotte Street Methodist Church, and chairman of the Peterborough district, was appointed to represent Charlotte Street Church at the funeral of Rev. D. O. Crossley, of Whitby. A resolution of condolence was sent from the Board to Mrs. Crossley and the bereaved family, and a handsome wreath has also been sent. The memorial service will be held on Sunday and the funeral on Monday. Rev. Mr. Crossley was at one time pastor of the Charlotte Street Methodist Church.

Shredded Wheat Banquet, Murray Street Baptist Church, Friday evening, Jan. 15th, at 7 o'clock. Admission 25 cents. 7-Stood

"CHARLIE" HAS TWO WIVES AND LAW CANNOT ADD TO HIS PUNISHMENT

His Endeavours to Even Up With Alexander Dowie Have So Far Been a Success—He Was Discharged This Morning on Two Charges—Must Stay Away From Second Wife.

MAGISTRATE DUMBLE'S JUDGMENT EXPLAINS THE CASE FULLY

Charles Ratchford was charged with having two wives a few days ago, and the law undertook to punish him for his breach of the criminal code, but Charles escaped "Scot" free. He may have foreseen such a predicament and if such were the case the provision he made could scarcely have been improved upon.

Charles was married twice. There is no doubt about that. But he seems to have got the "worst" part of each match. When he accepted the two women for "better or for worse," he probably thought he would be one of the few lucky men who got the "better." His second fall is inexcusable, for he should have profitted by the first experience.

DISCHARGED

When Charles faced Magistrate Dumble this morning, there were two charges against him, viz: one of having assaulted his second wife, and the other of being a bigamist. He evaded the law on the latter charge through a technicality, and was discharged on the former. However he was warned not to return to his second wife, and now although Charles started to build two homes, he can call neither of them his at least the aspect from his standpoint is not a bright one.

THE JUDGMENT

The judgment given by Magistrate Dumble in the bigamy charge was as follows:—

The prisoner being charged with having committed bigamy, elected summary trial and pleaded guilty. The first marriage took place in Canada, the second in England.

Sec. 307 of the Criminal Code, sub-sec. 4 says:—

"No person shall be convicted of bigamy in respect of having gone through a form of marriage in a place not in Canada, unless such person, being a British subject resident in Canada, leaves Canada with intent to go through such form of marriage."

The information herein does not allege that the prisoner is a British subject resident in Canada, nor that he left Canada with intent to go through a form of marriage.

The prisoner pleaded guilty to the charge as it is laid and it discloses no offence.

If the information was amended it would be of no avail, for the offence was committed in England, and the case Regina vs. Plowman, 250 R 68 following McLeod vs. Attorney-General for New South Wales (1891) A. C. 455, holds that Sec. 307, Sub-Sec. 4 of the Criminal Code is ultra vires of the Dominion Parliament.

The prisoner is discharged.

(Sgd.) D. W. DUMBLE
Police Magistrate.

RED TAPE IS BLAMED FOR MANY DEATHS

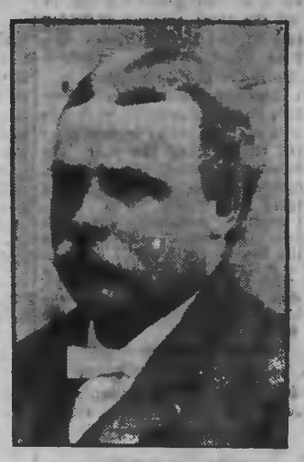
The Charges Are To Be Officially Made In a Very Short Time.

IT HAS CAUSED MUCH DELAY

Examiner Special.

Rome, Jan. 9.—The Red Tape of the Italian bureaucracy was responsible for thousands of deaths in the quake devastated towns according to the charges now being made against the Government. It developed to-day that these charges would have been officially made at the opening session of Parliament yesterday, but the leaders were persuaded to postpone the attack until the public temper becomes slightly calmer. The delay in getting government aid to the stricken towns was due, the opponents of the government say, to the cumbersome Red Tape which the Premier has wound around the different departments.

PETERBOROUGH CASES BEFORE COMMISSIONERS



MR. NICHOLAS BISBY,
The Newly Elected President of St. Peter's T.A.S. and one of the Trustees.

Two Applications Will Come Up Before the Railway Board On Tuesday Next.

A NEW G. T. R. SPUR LINE

Examiner Special

Ottawa, Jan. 9—Of 47 cases to come up here before the Board of Railway Commissioners on Tuesday, at least two concern Peterborough.

One is an application of the G. T. R. for permission to operate a branch line or spur from a point on the applicant company's railway on Bethune street, Peterborough. The streets they are to cross, Dalhousie, Bethune Wolfe streets, etc., are mentioned.

The other is regarding a previously dealt with case. To consider the revision of order number 5132 and has been referred to. Important application touch on better protection at wooden treacle, and others are asking for improvements regarding carrying grain and coal.

FIRST MEETING OF 1909 COUNCIL MONDAY NIGHT

The inaugural meeting of the City Council will be held on Monday morning, when the members will be sworn in. It is likely that there will be the customary meeting on Monday night. The principal business that will come up on Monday is the selection of the chairmen and the personnel of the different standing committees. There is much speculation over the chairmanships of the committees, especially over that of the Fire, Water and Light Committee.

GRATEFUL TO THE PUBLIC FOR THEIR SUPPORT

The directors of the Peterborough Poultry Show wish to thank the public generally for the patronage and the encouragement they gave the most successful show held. The attendance was most encouraging to the directors and was a material factor in the success of the event.

Any persons who have accounts against the association are asked to send them in as soon as possible to the secretary, Mr. C. J. Hicks, Romaine street.

The complete list of prize winners will be published on Monday, lack of space preventing its publication in to-day's issue.

A Sermon On "Slang" Given By Evangelist Billy Lundy

The following sermon in slang dialect, unfortunately too familiar to many of our people to require translation, was delivered with appropriate gestures by Billy Sunday, the evangelist, at his revival meeting in Spokane—of course, in the United States!

"And so David's pa comes up to him where he was working in the field and says: 'Dave, better go up to the house, your ma's anxious about the other boys fighting in the army, hasn't heard from them by 'phone or anything, and she'd like you should go look them up. So Dave hops on a trolley and hikes to the front and stays there with his brothers over night.

"In the morning old Goliah comes out in front of the Philistines and dares the Israelites to fight him. 'Who's that big stiff making all the big talk out there?' asks Dave.

"'Why, that's the headcheese, the big noise,' said his brothers.

"'Why don't someone soak him one?' asks Dave.

"'We've all got cold feet,' says the Israelite.

"'You fellows make me tired,' says Dave, and he pikes out to the brook, gets four pebbles in his shepherd's sack, slams one at Goliah and soaks him in the coco between the lamps. Goliah goes to the mat, takes the count, and Dave pokes him in the slats, chops off his block and the whole Philistine gang skidooed."

Week Of Prayer Services Was Brought To A Close Last Night

The closing meeting of the Week of Prayer series was held last night in St. Paul's church, and was a great success in point of numbers and interest. The auditorium was well filled, the singing was most hearty, and the prayers were fervent and helpful. The Rev. Dr. E. A. Langfeldt, M.A., presided, and conducted devotional exercises. Miss Helen Davies rendered very effectively, "I'm a Pilgrim."

The address of the Rev. Mr. Henderson, pastor of Charlotte street Methodist church, was eloquent and inspiring. The subject of the evening was "The Supremacy of Christ—its results."

The speaker based his remarks on Phil. 25, "Let this mind be in you which was also in Christ Jesus." The work of Christ was referred to in various ways. He was regarded as Teacher, Saviour, Lord, King, Judge, but here He is spoken of as our Pattern.

We can scarcely appreciate the full meaning of this. Christ was Divine. His name was Immanuel—God with us; yet His was also an intensely human life. In our sphere we are to imitate Him. Spiritualizing the old legend regarding His resurrection wherever He has gone flowers have sprung up.

We are Christ's representatives, and what He was so are we to be. He seems to say to us "Remove the obstacles. He is the light—open the shutters—draw back the curtains, that darkness and sin may be dispelled. He is like the ocean. If you remove the barriers it will overflow, so let the barriers of the heart be removed—the body made clean and Christ shall fill your life.

Jesus Christ was the peer of Jehovah, yet He made use of His equality with God for the work of man. He thought it not robbery to be equal with God, yet made Himself of no reputation, and took upon Him the form of a servant.

He was sovereign, yet became servant of all.

He was born in poverty, yet had been equal with God. "The word was with God, and the word was God." He divested Himself of all His glory that He might share the care and burden of humanity. It was "for our sakes" He became poor. We must behold the great unselfish life of Christ.

Do we imitate Him? Do we not find selfishness substituted for love, and gratification instead of helping a brother man. The Christian life means first of all Dethronement of self and then entering upon the service of Christ for man.

The first form of the descent of Christ was His incarnation, the second was His obedience unto death with all its ignominy and disgrace. To us the cross is the badge of what is Christian. In Christ's day it was the sign of shame. "Cursed is everyone that hangeth on a tree."

The Christian must in like manner prove his discipleship by self-sacrifice. Mr. Henderson referred to three or four most suitable instances of heroic Christian service. In one case two Moravian missionaries selling themselves into slavery that they might save the slaves.

In another the missionary and his wife giving themselves to the work among the lepers and there spending their lives in order that these lepers might be saved.

But exaltation is the result—the sequence of humiliation. "Wherefore God also hath highly exalted Him and given Him a name which is above every name." The cross first and then the crown is as universal as the law of gravitation. He that humbleth himself shall be exalted, and the life of Jesus Christ repeats itself in those who follow Him.

Does Not Know That One Son Is Dead And The Other His Murderer

Examiner Special.

Ottawa, Jan. 9.—It is said that on her way to Montreal, unaware that one of her sons, Joseph, is dead and buried, and that the other, Salem, who shot and killed him, is in a Montreal hospital, is Mrs. Assaly, of Syria. Some time ago her son Joseph at Hawkesbury asked his old mother from Syria, to come to this country to visit him and share the wealth that he had. A letter from Hawkesbury tells the pathetic story. The mother, without an inkling of the tragedy, is on her way to Montreal and will probably land there from an ocean liner within the week. She will find Salem in one hospital and his cousin, Mrs. J. Buteras, who was shot in the head and badly hurt, in another.

Toronto Police Unearth What They Believe To Be Another Swindle

Toronto Jan. 8.—In the arrest of Roy W Dunham, of 19 Hepburn street, at one o'clock this afternoon on a general charge of vagrancy, the police are of the opinion that they have nipped in the bud what looks very much like a scheme to defraud girls out of sums of money.

Complaints reached the detective department this morning from several young ladies, concerning an advertisement that appeared in one of the local newspapers yesterday evening. The advertisement was as follows:

"WANTED—Stenographers, three, experienced, for large manufacturing concern just opening up in Toronto, about February 1st. salaries $8 to $16, must be well recommended, and must make a deposit of $5, which will be returned with first week's wages."

The part that the letters received by the detective department complained of was the part referring to the deposit of five dollars.

At one o'clock to-day Detective Twigg arrested Dunham as he was getting his replies from the newspaper office. They were thirty-five in number, and were unopened owing to the timely arrival of the detective. Dunham was taken to police headquarters.

Although the prospective head of a large manufacturing concern, Dunham seemed to be in a very precarious condition financially, having only a few cents in his pockets and a watch chain which was pinned to his vest in such a way as to make it appear as if he was the possessor of a watch.

The mail was all addressed to the General Delivery.

Leader Of Opposition States Position On Women's Suffrage

Ottawa, Jan. 9.—Mr. R. L. Borden, leader of the Opposition in the House of Commons, has sent a reply to the members of the Ottawa Women's Suffrage Association, who asked him how he stood on the question of allowing women to vote. Like others who have replied, he intimates that the ladies are doubtless aware this matter rests with the Provincial Government. He says he desires information on several matters, and asks six questions. One is as to what the results have been in the countries where women's suffrage has been tried; the second, as to what extent it has been tried in political activity; and the others pertain to enquiries as to how it has affected moral and political conditions.

The letter will be read and probably discussed at the next meeting of the Executive of the Association.

Mr. J. J. Kelso Advocates Free Slides And Large Skating Rinks

"The Parks' Department of every northern city ought to provide numerous free skating rinks and toboggan slides for youthful citizens," writes J. J. Kelso, of Toronto. "The cost is not great, and untold health and pleasure can be given to thousands of young people. Everything in the form of outdoor exercise should be encouraged and there should be no charge made. Poor children are often denied the opportunity for rational enjoyment because they cannot pay the ten cents admission fee to the ordinary rinks. Then there should be some effort made to counteract the unnatural excitement of the five cent show, to which young people throng because they have no better amusement. Nature provides all the facilities for good sport of the right sort. A corner of a public park set apart with a man to flood it and sweep off the snow, and there you have a fully equipped rink for hundreds of children. A toboggan slide can be constructed by a carpenter in half a day if there is no hill to turn into a runway for the sleds. Winter sports have been neglected in the past by the great majority of the children, and yet there is no time of the year when the body so much needs and appreciates vigorous outdoor exercise. Therefore a wise municipal government should recognize its responsibility for the happiness and well being of its children.

"In Toronto we now have twelve free skating rinks provided and operated by the Parks Department. This is in addition to several slides that have been established on the hills. Several thousand young people enjoy these good things, and the move has been so popular with all classes that the Parks' Commissioner is now planning to establish twelve more of these rinks. To place a man in charge and defray other expenses costs $5 a day for each rink, and so far this cost has been cheerfully met by the City Government.

"Let all other municipalities do likewise, and they will take the chill off the winter and save medical bills in many poor homes."

REV FATHER F. O'SULLIVAN,
At Present of Port Hope, one of the Founders of St. Peter's T.A.S.

RUNAWAY ON WATER ST. WAS QUITE EXCITING

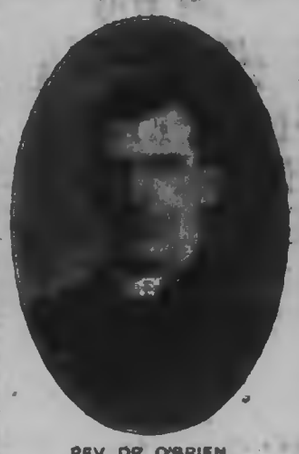
Mr. Michael Crowley of Cronabee, had a rather unpleasant experience this morning while unloading hay at Mr. Gibbs' livery stable. Mr. Crowley drove to the back of the barn and in preparing to unload, threw the lines onto the horses back, they immediately started off, upsetting the load of hay, leaving Mr. Crowley underneath. It was at first thought that Mr. Crowley had left the city, but about 15 minutes later his head appeared from under the load, and the expression on his face was anything but lovely when he found that the horses had had no regard for his feelings, having taken the waggon to the Munro House where Mr. Crowley is in the habit of staying when in town. After he had been extricated from his perilous position, the horses were brought back and the hay had to be pitched onto the waggon and then into the mow. No damage was done to the waggon or the horses.

SUCCESSFUL ENTERTAINMENT OF ST. JOHN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL

The annual Christmas Entertainment in connection with St. Johns Sunday School was perhaps the best of all. The behaviour of the children was very favourably commented upon and the programme was of an original and especially entertaining character. The platform had been provided with scenery seasonably decorated, and every number of the programme was given in costume.

Every effort had been made to render the occasion a success and no small share of credit for the smoothness of this and the excellence of the programme is due to the personal energy and activity of Mr. R. J. Devey, superintendent of the school. The parents and friends of the pupils had largely accepted an invitation to be present and were very greatly pleased with the success of the occasion and the really excellent entertainment provided. At its conclusion refreshments were tastefully and plentifully served. The theatrical effects were provided by Mr. Cotton, and Coleman Bros. were the caterers.

The rector and church wardens were among those present and the former in a few remarks gave great credit for the entertainment and the success the Sunday school is now enjoying to Mr. Devey, the superintendent.



REV. DR. O'BRIEN,
Whose Ambition as Spiritual Adviser of St. Peter's T.A.S. to make it a success is being realized.

The following is the programme—

(Marching—"Hear the Little Feet," St. John's choir boys.

"Sing O Sing of Jesus," — Miss Dean's infant class.

Solo — "The Concert in Massey Hall," Arthur Horsefield.

Recitation—"The Errand Boy," Willie Common.

Song—"Dolly's Singing Lesson," Miss Cuffe.

Toy duet—Isabel Morphet and Cyril Devey.

Piano duet—The Misses Galdman.

Sextette—"If you will come to tea," Misses Whitcroft, Hatton and Rountree; Messrs. Devey, Horsefield and Common.

Violin solo—"Cavalleria Rusticana," Miss Palmer.

Sailors' Song—"The Powder Monkey," solo by Cyril Devey; chorus by St. Johns boy choristers.

"The Moon Song"—Solo parts by Mrs R J Devey, Miss Agnes Horsefield, Masters Cyril H Devey and Arthur Horsefield.

Chorus by Senior Girls.

Soldiers' song—The rifleman by the St. Johns boy choristers.

The training of the children was due to the kindness of Mrs. R. J Devey, Miss Dean and Mr. R J. Devey.

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THE GROWING WEST.

The growth of Western Canada is evidenced by the activity of railway building, to serve the wants created by conditions. The Canadian Pacific Railway proposes to expend $30,000,000 upon extensions and improvements in the Canadian West this year. The Canadian Northern and the Grand Trunk Pacific will spend correspondingly large amounts. These extensions and new lines would not be built if there were not a demand and traffic for them. And yet we have simple souls in Peterborough who oppose the construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific. The wheat crop of the west last year was worth one hundred and twenty-five million dollars. Those of us who live till 1919 will easily see this value doubled, and the railway mileage also multiplied by two. The promise should be gratifying to us of the east. The west cannot grow without correspondingly benefitting the eastern part of Canada. Let us be as big as our country in our ideas of its development.

The number of immigrants coming into Canada in the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1908, was 262,469.

POSTAL ADMINISTRATION.

Since 1896 Canada has been fortunate in having for Postmasters-General, men of sound administrative ideas, men of courage and of progressive spirit, the present incumbent of the office being, now and of late, under especially conspicuous favourable attention. It is no wonder that, under such heads the administration of the Dominion Postal Department has been a brilliant success, and a perusal of the report of the Postmaster-General, for the year ended March 31, 1908, sustains the traditions of efficient administration.

This report shows that, for the year under review, the total revenue to have been $9,483,166, and the total expenditure, $8,381,340, leaving a surplus of $1,101,826. This splendid financial result has not been attained at the expense of the service. There has been expansion in every direction. During the year the number of postoffices was increased by 446, of postal note offices by 546, of money order offices by 129, and of savings bank offices by 41, while 656 miles were added to the train mileage.

Within the past eight years the expenditures of the department, due to extension of services, increase of salaries, etc., have practically doubled. In the same period the number of letters carried has also doubled, are at present in Canada 11,823 post offices, and during the year mail matter passed through them as follows:

During the past eight years the revenue and expenditure of the department have practically doubled, as has also the work performed as represented by the number of letters carried. There are now 11,823 post offices in the country, and during the year mail matter was dispatched from these as follows:

Letters	396,011,000
Postcards	40,664,000
Registered letters	9,078,000
Free letters	13,207,000
Third class matter, pieces	76,496,000
Fourth class packages	6,178,000
Closed parcels for abroad	82,345

The increase in the number of letters carried was 31,916,000, which though large, was less than in any year since 1905—due doubtless to the financial stringency which set in at a usually busy season in the department.

Ontario, as usual, leads in the amount of postal business, as will be seen from the following statement of the number of letters posted:

Ontario	182,838,000
Quebec	77,857,000
Manitoba	33,923,000
British Columbia	29,524,000
Nova Scotia	24,075,000
New Brunswick	15,806,000
Saskatchewan	14,848,000
Alberta	13,540,000
Prince Edward Island	2,907,000
Yukon	693,000

Notable increases are shown in the number of money orders and postal notes issued. There are constant additions to the number of foreign countries with which exchanges are made. Direct or indirect exchange was established during the year with Argentina, Honduras and Costa Rica, besides some parts of Morocco, and it is expected that Russia and Roumania will shortly be brought in. The report shows that during the year 2,990,891 orders were issued for $49,974,007, payable in 37 countries besides Canada. In the same period, with the addition of the postal note issues, generally for fractional amounts, the postoffices remitted $55,284,000, or double the amount in 1902. Of the total amount $6,285,013 was sent to the United States, $5,293,743 to Great Britain, $2,460,270 to Italy, and $739,522 to Japan.

That the chartered banks are coming more into competition with the postoffice savings banks is shown by the fact that during the year the withdrawals exceeded the deposits, the figures being $13,610,865, and $12,293,544 respectively. The number of accounts remaining open was 165,691—a decrease of 1,594. These accounts had to their credit $47,564,284—an increase of $111,326 as compared with the amount on March 31, 1907—due to the addition to the amounts of interest accruing at the close of the year.

The production of all kinds of grain in Canada in 1908 amounted to about eight hundred million bushels.

STRAINING AT A GNAT.

The Toronto News with the zeal of perverts, political and other, enrages itself against all things Liberal, with or without warrant. It has for some time been hounding Mr. Charles Marcil, member elect for Bonaventure, who was Deputy Speaker of the last Parliament, and mentioned as Speaker prospective of the present Parliament. It denounces this gentleman as unfit for the position—his political purity is not up to the lofty standard of the News since it became the organ intrusive of the Conservative party—the party of stainless record. It accuses him of the high crime of claiming in an ante-election address, that he had in his representative capacity been instrumental in procuring public improvements for his riding. The News cannot look upon even the appearance of evil with the least degree of allowance. It's condemnation is retroactive—includes the claim of credit for past representative services, in the category of political corruption and makes the sense of favours past as illicit a form of gratitude as a sense of favours to come. The News even does not make it clear that, as was the case, the offending and criminal election address of Mr. Marcil was issued in the general election of 1904 and not that of 1908. The political statute of limitation has no place in its code of moral law. Political corruption, by a Grit though retroactively defined is an unpardonable sin. Looking at matters in this light the News could much more consistently condemn instead of ignoring as it does, the sins of its new-found ally, the Conservative party. If it has to go back four or five years to fix a constructive political sin upon Mr Marcil, in order to disqualify him as speaker, it would have to go back only slightly further to find real corruption practised by the Conservative party worthy of condemnation by an honest judge. If the object of the News is to purify politics by exposing and denouncing corruption, there are men in its own party and high in the journal's favour, who were intimately mixed with the Conservative corruption of past days. If Mr. Marcil's recital of past services to his constituency disqualifies him for the Speakership, should not Mr. Borden's promise to British Columbia — a bribe to buy a province in bulk—to increase the Dominion subsidy to that province, if given power, be enough to disqualify him as leader of the party of purity? According to the frivolous reasoning of the News, no public man seeking place at the hands of the electors can urge his ability and his will to serve his constituents, without committing a corrupt act. Speaking in Peterborough, Mr. Borden conceded the necessity of buildbuilding the Transcontinental Railway, and promised it returned to power to complete it. Wasn't that as much a corrupt inducement for support as Mr. Marcil's recital of the fact that he had successfully used his influence to procure a wharf or a public building for his county? Verily the News is fatiguing.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Toronto News regards the construction of the Hudson Bay Railway as a bribe. The News would evidently regard the leading of a decent life by a politician as a bribe, since it would tend to advance him in the favour of the electors.

At the municipal elections in Guelph the electors defeated by a majority of 680 a by-law to substitute voting by wards, from the system of a general vote in electing aldermen. The people of that city evidently have found that the general vote plan works satisfactorily. In Peterborough there are many who advocate a return to the ward system. Perhaps this action of Guelph will have some weight with them.

Canadian journalism or the moral taste of the public is improving, or, possibly, both, Canadian newspapers have righteously declined to make a sensation of the Hains murder trial in the United States. Some journals which converted their columns into sewers of sensational filth over the the Thaw trial, now dismiss the hardly less lurid details of the reigning newspaper sensation of mingled murder and immorality in the United States, with paragraphs of contemptuous brevity. They deserve credit for so much deference to the demands of journalistic decency and respectable public opinion.

MR. EARLE WRITES ON SPELLING REFORM

The prospective publication of a new series of school readers has brought into prominence the question of the spelling of certain words, and all sincere lovers of our noble language must be interested in preserving this great heritage from the vandalism of would-be reformers, who, partly from a mistaken sense of their own importance, partly for the sake of a little cheap notoriety, and, let us hope, in some degree, from a sincere desire for improvement, arrogate to themselves the position of orthoepical authorities. It ought not to be necessary to call the attention of Canadians to the facts that the English language is the language of the English people; that, before the United States had an existence, it had reached its present condition; that this country is, and is likely to remain, an important part of the great British Empire, and not of the United States; that, whatever may be said of Canadians, it is a misnomer to speak of the people of the United States as an Anglo-Saxon people; that the chief claim of the people to the south of us to be considered as Anglo-Saxon is that, perhaps, a majority of them speak a more or less, chiefly more, corrupted form of the English language; that Canadians have followed with remarkable fidelity, the form of government, laws, institutions and social customs of the English, and look upon themselves as subjects of the British Empire, while the people of the United States have separated themselves from their past history; that the English language and literature, while, in a general way, they belong to the world, particularly, belong to us; that, from the Mother Country, we have always received the kindest consideration, while, from the brutal treatment of the United Empire Loyalists down to the Boundary Award, the conduct of the United States towards this country has, to say the least, been unfair and ungenerous.

In the face of these facts, it is amazing that any Canadians should look to the United States for models of linguistic excellence.

I need not say that I am in entire sympathy with what I understand to be the intention of our educational authorities of following, in the matter of spelling, as in other matters, English, rather than American methods. My chief interest in the subject arises from a desire to be rid of the annoyance to which I am subjected when these languange-mongerers persist, as in the case of the Toronto "World," in putting their theories into practice. So long as they confine their improved methods to their own effusions, I do not seriously complain, since I can refrain from reading them without loss; but when they introduce their deformities into articles that I do wish to read, I think I can justly claim that I have a grievance. For years I enjoyed reading the "World"; but, now, were it not for Sam Hunter's cartoons, I would scarcely take it up, solely on account of its word-monstrosities. I am an old man, and perhaps, ultra-conservative in my tastes and habits; but I believe that many of my readers will sympathize with me in this.

Language is the result of man's organization and necessities, and has developed as the man developed. It has been, and will be, as long as it is spoken, subject to constant changes; but these changes have been, and will be, governed by well understood laws, have extended over immense tracts of time, and cannot be seriously affected by conventional arrangements. To make any radical changes is as feasible as to change the course of the Gulf Stream and freeze out the people of the British Isles.

All living languages will gradually approximate a phonetic system of spelling; but conventional and revolutionary changes are, impracticable and undesirable. It is not so much the actual changes in the spelling of certain words that I object to, but the way in which the changes are proposed to be brought about. A degree of permanence in language, as in almost every thing else worth having, is more desirable than present perfection; and, if a convention of teachers could change the English language to-day, they might change it again to-morrow. Besides, though the changes asked for now, may, by some, be considered trifling, these changes, if they should prove effective, which they would not, would lead to constant tinkering.

Depend upon it, changes in language take place in accordance with natural laws, and scholars, archbishops, presidents, kings and popes, are as powerless in effecting these changes as peasants, and less powerful than little children.

This running after every new fashion, whether it be in words or dress, is a sure indication of a vulgar mind, and I commend to my readers the following lines from Pope:—

"In words as fashions, the same rule will hold;
Alike fantastic, if too new or old;
Be not the first by whom the new are tried,
Nor yet the last to lay the old aside."

BARTON EARLE.

"Lingua Pura" Also Thrusts His Oar Into the Sea of Spelling Controversy.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

Dear Sir—I was much interested a few days ago in reading your article on spelling "reform". Although impressed with the sincerity of your motive and your strong veneration for antiquities, I cannot say that I see eye to eye with you in your arguments.

I am quite willing to allow that there are certain lengths to which modern spelling should not go, as for instance, the use of the term "thru" for "through" and others of that ilk, foisted onto Canadian journalism by the organ which was mainly responsible for the introduction of that other atrocity in Toronto the Sunday Street Car. But on what basis do you ground your objections to the abbreviations in certain words in order to conform more closely to their sound? Whence did our language spring? Undoubtedly not from any one source. Greece, Rome and even the far distant Eastern lands were drawn upon to assist in its formation. Your arguments seem to point to the belief that all words borrowed from the French, such as, "rigueur," "honneur", etc. should be spelt in English "rigour", "honour" and so on. But where did the French get these words from? Of course from the Latin words "rigor", "honor." What reason do you adduce then for following the French form rather than the Latin? I am really surprised at you, Mr. Editor, with your love for and appreciation of all things pure, advocating a continuance of such a corrupt form of spelling as the English form undoubtedly is. I should like to hear from you on this subject, and doubtless many others would also, and if I am not slain outright at the first prod from your redoubtable pen, will gladly return to the encounter with fresh arguments in another article.

Yours,
LINGUA PURA.

AN AUTHORITY SPEAKS.

The Examiner has received an approving letter from one of the highest educational authorities in Toronto. Though the letter is personal, yet the brief note is so valuable as an authoritative contribution to the discussion on spelling reform, that it is here reproduced, suppressing, of course, the identity of the writer.

"Thanks for the copy of the Examiner with the admirable article on spelling. While I am not extreme in my views on such subjects, I think we should follow the best models. The indifference which our newspaper friends feel about the mode of spelling is natural enough for them, because the press cannot easily make itself the fountain of academic learning. But schoolmasters must be precise and scholarly. Three of our newspaper friends are a trifle "faddy" on the question, namely Mr.——Mr. John ——, and Mr. Wm. ——. Hence the discussion. While nothing official has, as far as I can learn, yet been decided upon, I hope Dr. Pyne will stick to his guns and authorize the British forms until the British literary authorities abandon them for others."

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Call your disease what you will—Indigestion, Gastritis, Nervousness, Dyspepsia, Catarrh of the Stomach, etc.—you know the real name, the real disease is fermentation of the food you eat—a sour Stomach, which belches gas and refuses undigested food or causes a feeling of nausea or miserableness.

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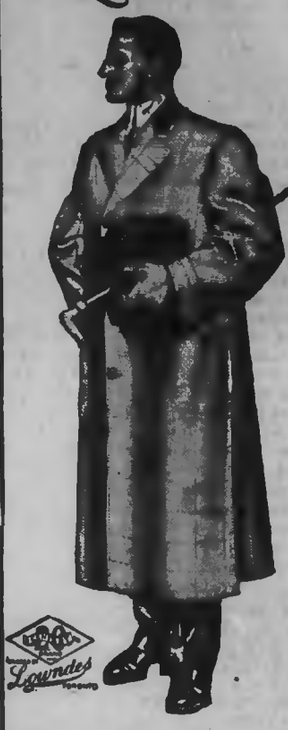

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THE LAKEFIELD OF YORE.

Below we publish the first instalment of extracts from the "Katchewanoonka Herald" of which mention was made in Thursday's issue. Apparently there were preceding issues. This is the first, however, in point of date, in our possession, and although not as interesting as some that are to follow, it will doubtless entertain many old residents of Peterborough and of Smith and Douro townships:

Katchewanoonka Herald, Published Every Monday Morning.

Monday, June 11, 1856

Notice

All contributors to this paper are requested to add a signature or motto to their contributions, otherwise they will not be received.

Articles to be sent on or before Friday evening and directed to Messrs. Allen & Beatty.

Katchewanoonka Herald

We have received by telegraphic despatch the news of the opening of the Parisian Exhibition. This noble work has at last been finished, and adds much lustre to the crown of Louis Napoleon, for the noble manner, in which he carried it out, whilst Europe is shaken by a great and destructive war, and the nations of France and England are battering down the walls of Sebastopool. It is now open for visitors, who are enabled to see the produce of the north, south, east and west, and the riches of the Eastern and Western Hemisphere, under one roof, where the Italian and Turk, Indian and white man can meet together in kindly competition, vying with each other in the costliness and variety of their goods. To have completed this scheme must have been a work of trouble and anxiety. The dividing to every nation in the world per fellowmans of room to exhibit her treasures and manufactures, and the satisfying of the wants and demands of the commissioners, sent by each of the nations to see after their several departments. Therefore, great credit ought to be given to the Emperor for his perseverance in this great work, by which the commerce of Europe will be enhanced and her arts and sciences brought to greater perfection.

Mr. Editor.

All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy, is a saying, I expect, we have all heard in our younger days, when wanting to ask for a release from our studies for a day. Perhaps oftener than when arrived at a maturer age, but I think it is not in the least to be less attended to in the former than in the latter. For there is no doubt that that man that works day after day, year after year, from daylight till dark, is not happier or better off than the man who will now and then give himself a holiday, by doing which he returns to his work with more spirit and pluck in him. The former is always a miserable man, for at times he cannot avoid losing a day or so, and then he will whine and complain over it as a miser would at losing his gold, for he is, in fact, a miser, and what more miserable being can you have. Let not any person suppose that I am advocating idleness. Far from it. And now, young men of Douro, right glad am I to see that you have got up the game of cricket for the ensuing summer; you may depend, if you join one another in the evenings in a good natured, quiet game, you will be the happier and merrier for it. But still, young men, I you are doing at present, do not you think you are something like juvenile misers? Could not even one-half day or even a whole day be spared it. Working from six in the morning till six in the evening, and then going out to make a ground, is making toil of what should be a pleasure, and those useful but hard-used animals the oxen, who, after having worked hard all day, naturally expect to be let go when the day is done, are intensely disgusted to find that they have to go and make a cricket ground, which they feel no interest in, not being players. Although myself, the same as the oxen, no player, I am aware that a ground is necessary, and you may depend you would do more in one day than twenty evenings, for in the evening, after you have done your day's work, a man will, let him be ever so eager for it, feel that he is as I said, before just making a toil of pleasure. I will conclude with that very excellent motto from Virgil, which just fits the subject.

Illic ut perhibent aut intempesta silet nox.

Mr. Editor,

I cannot help writing to you, although I am aware it is not considered correct for one of my sex to appear in print, poor weak creatures as we are, but how one of the lords of creation, and him an Englishman, as he signed himself in your last very able paper, can write as if there was no other man in the world, much more in England, than the present Emperor of the French. I am ashamed of him. He can be no true Englishman. Rather than see such a man at the head of English men and women I would, myself put on breeches, and, I believe, from what experience I have have had in managing my better half, as they like to call themselves, I would get on just as well as he would. Of course, as becomes my sex, I should have been sorry to see him with a bullet through his head, but as long as there are Englishwomen in the world, although, last not least, Englishmen, never let me hear of their being no other man than Napoleon.

Yours truly, Mr. Editor,

An English woman disgusted with an Englishman.

We have received the following letter, and being unable to throw any light on the subject, we insert it, hoping to receive some elucidation of the term next week.

Mr. Editor,—May I trouble you, through the medium of your widely circulated and ably conducted journal, to enlighten me on the derivation of the word "turn pike."

DELTA.

Charadfe

If from my first you should chop off its head,
You had better not play its remains;
For those who have tried it, I know its been said,
Have got a tweak for their pains.

My next broad, flat, high, low, dry, moist, is found
Of various hues throughout the earth appearing.
My whole I am sure you'll own is renowned
In upper Douro clearing.

The answer to this will appear in our next number.

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F. G.

June 9th, 1855.

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Douro, June 9th, 1855.

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Few people realize how frequently croup is caused by catarrhal congestion of the throat. Probably nine cases out of ten of croup is of the catarrhal variety.

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Nearly every case is of the catarrhal variety, and a few doses of Peruna taken at the first appearance of the catarrhal symptoms is generally sufficient to avert the attack of croup altogether.

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In the early history of this country every family had its home-made medicines. Herb teas, bitters, laxatives and tonics were to be found in almost every house, compounded by the housewife, sometimes assisted by the apothecary or the family doctor.

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Nervous System a Wreck.

John G. Hirdler, Garfield, Kas., writes: "On December 2, 1899, I was injured by a fall on the Santa Fe R. R., and my entire *nervous system was impaired* by the same. The help of a physician was useless. I believe I tried every one in the vicinity, but all were alike and I remained without strength.

"I then tried Peruna, and after using it for three months was *totally well.* I am seventy-one years old, and my work on the railroad is hard and tedious, but I can work like a young man in all kinds of weather, heat, cold, rain, snow or storm alike.

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"I highly recommend Peruna and Manalin to all my friends, and, in fact, to everybody."

Thousands of families have learned to trust and believe in Dr. Hartman's judgment, and to rely on his remedy, Peruna.

Catarrh of Stomach.

Mr. John M. Stansberry, Amarillo, Tex., writes:

"For several years I had catarrh of the stomach. I was hardly able to do anything, and could not eat with any satisfaction.

"When I commenced using Peruna, I weighed only 110 pounds. I took six bottles, commencing in the spring, and by the following winter I had gained 63 pounds.

"I owe it all to Peruna. It cannot be praised too highly.

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Old World Mail News Of The Week

INTERESTING ITEMS FROM ACROSS THE SEA.

ENGLAND

A secret messenger, named Brett, said to be carrying anarchist documents and money from London to Londonderry, was recently found in north bound train at Bedford with his throat cut and his pockets empty. Though seriously ill at Bedford Hospital he has managed to explain to the police that a man entered the carriage while the train was nearing that town and attacked and robbed him.

A woman who was sent with her three children to Canada recently at a cost of £30 surprised the Lambeth Guardians the other day by reappearing and asking for relief. She explained that the climate of Canada did not suit her, so she applied to the Canadian authorities, and was sent back at the cost of another £40. She is to be admitted to the work house.

While reading a Bible which he had bought in a second hand shop, a Herne Hill, London, gardener, named Wallace, recently thrown out of work, came upon two £5 notes, and the following inscription—"I gathered this money with great difficulty but having no relative who is in absolute need I make thee, whomsoever shall read this Bible, to be my heir."

Twelve acres of land at Pakefield near Lowestoft, and fourteen houses three shops and twenty-five cottages have been swallowed up by the sea during the past six years. Mr. John Burns has promised to consider the question of granting £10,000 to the district for the erection of defence works.

IRELAND

A daring burglary was perpetrated at Limavady, one Sunday morning, recently, when some persons removed the iron bars protecting the front window of a spirit store owned by Edward Kelly, smashed the window entered the premises and brought out the safe, containing the books and a considerable amount of money. A conveyance, believed to have been a motor car carried off the property. All the available local police scoured the country, and the inhabitants assisted the police in their search, but without avail.

A well-equipped, up-to-date woollen factory has been opened at Lisdonset, Pallyscawley County Tyrone, by Mr. W. Coote, J.P. No expense has been spared in fitting up the factory with all modern requirements, and the most up-to-date machinery. It will turn out all sorts of tweeds and woollen materials, and will employ a large number of hands, and do something to relieve the widespread depression and want of employment in the country.

The late Mrs. Knox, of Auckland, New Zealand, who was born at Ardstraw, County Tyrone, left £4,000 for the deserving poor of the village and district and £500 towards the improvement of the Ardstraw Presbyterian church. Mrs. Knox left nearly £100,000, of which 70,000 goes to charitable and public institutions, and nearly £23,000 to nephews, nieces and friends several of whom live in the neighbourhood of Ardstraw.

SCOTLAND

After an adventurous voyage, lasting over 139 days, the French barque Francoise Dambeise bound from Noumea to Glasgow with nickel arrived at her destination, recently. The Francoise Dambeise had been reinsured at eight guineas per cent. of the overdue market. Early in the voyage a seaman named Francis Gourion fell from aloft and was drowned during a violent gale, and a succession of monstrous icebergs delayed the vessel in the later part of the passage.

At Glasgow the other day a young man named William Read pleaded guilty to cutting down and stealing seven miles of telegraph wires, and he was sentenced to six months' imprisonment. The result of his conduct was that the block system of the railway was dislocated and the lives of passengers and railway servants were jeopardised.

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The ninth anniversary of St. Peter's Total Abstinence Society was fittingly and enjoyably celebrated last night by a concert and lecture in the spacious hall of the St. Peter's school, a large audience gathering to commemorate the noteworthy event. The evening was one of thorough enjoyment and those present will not soon forget the events of the evening. The piece deresistance of the programme was a lecture by Rev. Dr. O'Brien, the spiritual advisor of the society who gave a most comprehensive and interesting address upon Italy and Rome, his remarks being illustrated by over 100 lime-light views, some of which had not been seen in Peterborough previously. Rev. Father McColl acted as chairman in his usual happy and efficient manner. The lecture was preceded by a musical programme of more than usual merit and the delight of the audience was made manifest by the fact that encores were demanded in every case.

The Mandolin Club composed of the Misses. McCarthy and Dorris, violins, Messrs. Brightman, McNicholl, Cranfield and MacPherson, mandolins and Miss Brightman, pianist, opened the programme with a splendidly rendered and most enjoyable selection, and their playing earned them the hearty applause of the audience. Masters Allen were heard to great advantage in a duet, "Just Drop a Line to Mother," their fresh young voices blending splendidly and the applause with which their effort was greeted was merited. As an encore they sang with much success the tuneful little ballad, "In the Days That Are Past and Gone."

Miss Derocher delighted the audience with a recitation that was delivered with dramatic feeling and fine voice, her articulation being especially good.

Mr. F. C. Freeland displayed the resonant qualities of his fine bass voice in a solo that was much appreciated, and he was forced to respond to an enthusiastic encore.

Miss Lavina Hallihan, always a favourite, excelled herself last night in her rendition of the delightful solo, "Roses," in which her fresh strong sweet soprano and clearness of articulation were displayed to fullest advantage. As an encore she gave that grand old favourite, "Annie Laurie," her rendering of the classic leaving nothing to be desired.

Mr. Geo. Lynch responded to the storm of applause with which he was greeted with a clever rendition of "The Old Stove-pipe-hole," the late Dr. Drummond's humorous habitant poem losing none of its fun at his hands. As an encore he gave an equally successful rendition of "The Englishman's Soliloquy."

A recitation by Miss Derocher, this time of a humorous nature was as successful as her first effort, and she was warmly applauded at its conclusion.

Another selection by the Mandolin Club, after which they had to respond to an encore, brought the first part of the programme to a close.

Dr. O'Brien's Lecture.

Rev. Dr. O'Brien's lecture, which followed was decidedly in the nature of a treat. His intimate knowledge of his subject, coupled with his powers of description and his eloquence tended to make his remarks most instructive, interesting and enjoyable, and the audience enjoyed every moment of his splendid address which gave his hearers a very comprehensive idea of the appearance and characteristic features of the architecture of the principal cities in Italy.

In commencing Rev. Dr. O'Brien pointed out to his audience on a map of Italy the location of the Island of Sicily and of Messina, and other towns that have been destroyed in the recent terrible earthquake.

Then starting at Loretto, on the east coast of Italy, the speaker took his interested audience on a tour through that city, Venice with its waterways for streets, its Bridge of Sighs, Grand Canal and Palace of St. Mark's, Padua with its splendid buildings, Milan with its magnificent cathedral, Pisa and its far-famed leaning tower, and finally Rome and St. Peter's Cathedral, the Vatican, Tower of the Holy Angel, the Canadian College, the Coliseum, the ruins of the Forum, the Appian Way, the Sacred Way, and the many other interesting things in connection with the historic city. Beautiful views of all these places and buildings were thrown upon the canvas and lucidly explained by Rev. Dr. O'Brien, who showed that he was thoroughly at home in his subject. Pictures were shown of the catacombs, the famous paintings of Rome and many other interesting things to be seen there.

Between the first and second part of Rev. Dr. O'Brien's lecture a novelty was introduced in the shape of a bagpipe selection by Mr. H. Mackay that "made a hit" and he had to respond to an encore.

Mr. Jas. M. Bennett made an eloquent and witty address in which he spoke in words of highest praise of the work that St. Peter's Total Abstinence Society is doing in Peterborough, and in this connection read three letters which indicated that the society's achievements are recognized not only in Canada, but in the older world as well.

Greeting from Ireland.

The first letter which was read was from Cardinal Logue, head of the Catholic Church in Ireland, which was as follows:

I am very glad to learn that you have such a very flourishing Catholic Temperance Society at Peterborough. As there is nothing which causes greater evils, temporal or spiritual, than the vice of intemperance. A society whose chief object is to counteract this evil is an inestimable blessing. I wish your society every blessing. I trust that it will continue to be worked with zeal and perseverance, that its membership will daily increase and that it will achieve one of the greatest benefits which can be conferred upon any people, the creating of a sound, healthy public opinion against the vice of drunkenness and the eradication of all the evils which drunkenness brings in its train.

Wishing you and your associates every blessing, especially all the blessings and consolation of the approaching Holy season, I am, Dear sir,

Yours faithfully,
Michael Cardinal Logue,
Armagh, Ireland.

The Bishop of Salford.

The second letter which was from the Bishop of Salford, was as follows:

On my return from abroad I find your kind invitation dated Nov. 24, awaiting me. Need I say how pleased I am to hear of the good work that your society is doing, and how gratified I am to learn that you are shortly to hold the ninth anniversary of your foundation? You have a great work to do, and I pray that Almighty God may bless all your efforts with abundant fruit.

I trust that these few lines may be in time for your celebration. With most cordial greeting and good wishes I am,

Yours devotedly in Christ,
Louis Charles, Bishop of Salford,
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Message from Scotland.

The Bishop of Aberdeen sent the following message of greeting:

I am so glad to hear of your large and flourishing Temperance Society.

I hold that the evils of the liquor traffic openly defies the laws of God and assails the peace and well being of the society. It mars the soul, the graces and the power of religion in all its victims and endangers their temporal and eternal safety. The good influences of so powerful an organization as yours must be productive of great happiness to your city and our church, and its founder.

I pray that the blessing of God be unto you all in your noble work and help you to still greater results, for the future, I am,

Yours faithfully, in Christ,
J. L. Chisholm, Bishop of Aberdeen, Scotland.

The evening was a great success and the committee in charge are deserving of the greatest credit for the excellence of the programme. Miss Roberts played the accompaniments in her usual efficient manner.

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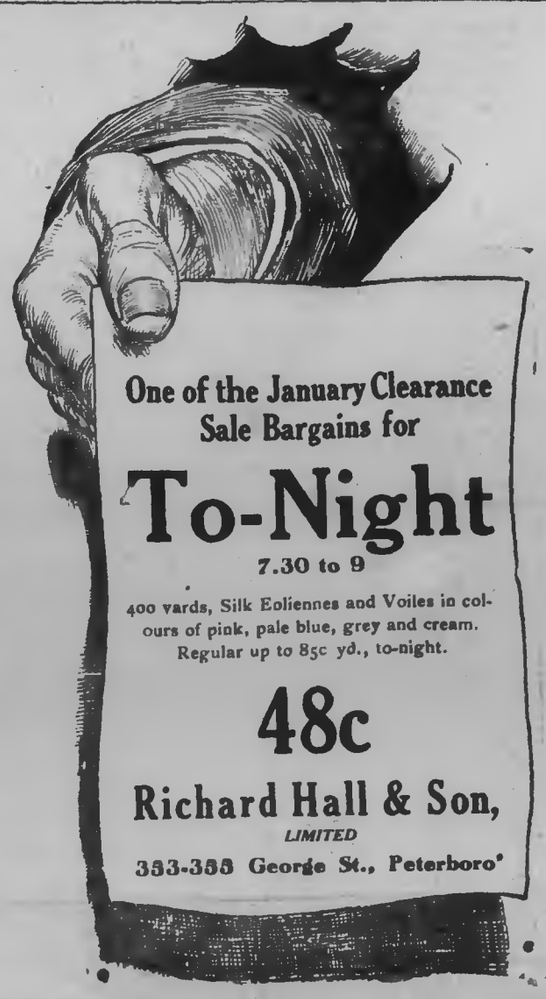

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The market this morning was rather larger than they have been since Christmas, owing, no doubt, to the fact that good roads prevailed in the country, giving the farmers from a distance a chance to get in. Dressed pork was a great deal lower than it was last week, it being only 8c a pound, beef staying the same, 5 and 6 cents a pound.

A good price was paid for butter and eggs, butter being 24 and 28 cents a pound; eggs, 30 and 35 cents a dozen. Turkeys were about the same as they have been for the last two or three weeks, 15 and 20 cents a pound. Chickens took a rise to 65 cents and $1.00 a pair.

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Grand Opera House To-night

ENJOYABLE DANCE HELD ON THURSDAY EVENING

A large dance was held on Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Pearce, 387 Walton street, in honour of her sister, Miss Lillian Cox. The rooms were beautifully decorated with wreaths of evergreens. There were about thirty guests present, amongst whom were Mrs. Rogers, Miss Rogers, Miss Meldrum, Miss Ostrom, Mis McClellan, Miss F. Scott, Miss E, Irwin, Miss G. King, Miss F. Pearce, Miss M. Pearce, all of Peterborough; Miss Clark, of Galt, and Miss O. Sheppard, of Toronto; Messrs. Perry, Clark, Allison, Adams, Chas. Barber, M. Moore, Harry Hall, Harold Hall, Keith Lech, H. Meldrum, D. Shook, H. Cressman, W. Davidson, H. Ardiel, Peterborough; Gordon Cox, Toronto.

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WEDDING BELLS

CAMPBELL—SEYMOUR

Port Perry, Jan. 8.—Special.—A very pretty wedding was solemnized this morning at the residence of Mr. Wm. Campbell, of Port Perry, when his youngest daughter, Miss Mabel Alice Campbell, was united in marriage to Mr. Archibald H. Seymour, son of Mr. C. J. Seymour, Water street, Peterborough.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. McInnis, of the Presbyterian Church, in the presence of a large number of guests. The bride was assisted by her sister, Miss Letitia Campbell, while the best man was Mr. Chas. Seymour, of Peterborough. The bride was attired in a handsome directoire gown of old rose silk, while the bridesmaid wore pale blue mulle. A delightful wedding repast was served at the conclusion of the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Seymour left on a wedding trip to Peterborough, Buffalo and other points, and on their return will take up their residence in Port Perry.

Mr. Seymour is a representative of the firm of J. J. Turner & Sons, Peterborough.

CHURCH SERVICES TO-MORROW IN THE DIFFERENT CHURCHES

ST. PETER'S CATHEDRAL.— At St. Peter's Cathedral there will be three masses celebrated:—

At 8 a.m., Low Mass; at 9.15 a.m., Children's Mass; at 10.30 a.m., High Mass; at 7 p.m., Vespers with sermon.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH — Rev. J. C. Davidson, Rector.

1st Sunday after Epiphany.

8.30 a.m. Holy Communion.

Young men specially invited to this service.

11 a.m. Mattins and Sermon.

Hymns 79, 80, 178, 219.

Venite, 133; Te Deum, Dykes; Benedictus, 130.

Offertory: "Nazareth" (Gounod).

3 p.m. Sunday School, Bible Classes.

7 p.m. Evensong and Sermons

Hymns 79, 76, 246, 31.

Magnificat, Smart; Nunc Dimittis, chant 69.

Anthem: "Who Left His Throne on High" (Stainer).

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH. — Rev. Dr. Langfeldt, M. A., Rector.

1st Sunday after Epiphany.

8 a.m. Holy Communion.

11. Morning Prayer and Sermon.

3 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Class.

7.00 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.

Rev. Dr. Langfeldt will preach at both services.

Weeknight Service, Wednesday, at 8 p.m.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH.—Corner of Rubidge and Sherbrooke Streets.

Rev. H. R. Trumpour, M.A., B.D., Rector.

1st Sunday after Epiphany.

11 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon. Subject: "Take not heed unto the morrow."

3 p.m. Sunday School Christmas Service.

7 p.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon. Subject: "The Prophet Hosea."

CHARLOTTE STREET METHODIST Church—Rev G W Henderson, pastor.

Subject in the morning: "The Parable of the Talents," and in the evening "What will you do with Jesus."

3 p.m. Adult Bible Classes and Sabbath School.

Brotherhood in the Church at 3 p.m. Subject: "The descent of the Holy Spirit."

Monday, 8 p.m. Epworth League Meeting.

On Wednesday night there will be a memorial service in the church commemorative of the Rev. D. O. Crossley, a former pastor of Charlotte street.

MARK STREET METHODIST CHURCH. — Rev. C. H. Coon, pastor.

The Pastor wishes to meet all church members in class at 10 a.m.

The subject of the 11 o'clock service will be "Charter Members of the Church."

Sunday School at 3.45.

Service of prayer at 6.10 p.m.

At 7 p.m. the Pastor will deliver a homily on the Sunday School Lesson "The Descent of the Spirit."

GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH — Rev. Edwin A. Pearson, B.A., Pastor.

The Pastor will conduct both services.

The subject in the morning will be "Some Certainties," and in the evening "Christ at the Door."

2.30 p.m. Sabbath School. The following Bible Classes will meet:

Inthon (Men's). Teacher: the Pastor.

Onward (Ladies'). Teacher: Mr. Switzer.

Welcome (Young Ladies'). Teacher: Mrs. Stubbs.

Friendly (Young Men). Teacher: Mr. Robertson.

ST. JAMES METHODIST — Rev. H. M. Manning, Pastor.

Regular Morning Church Service and Sunday School in the afternoon.

There will be no service at night.

It is proposed to begin public Services in the basement of the New St. James Methodist Church building about the end of January or the beginning of February. In the meantime the Sunday School will be held as usual in the King Edward School, and the week night service in the homes of the members of the congregation.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH — Rev. Robt. Pogue, Pastor.

Rev. Mr. Pogue will preach at both services.

The Sacramentof the Lord's Supper will be observed at the morning service.

Mr Pogue will teach the "Mitto Adult Bible Class." Inspector Mowat will teach the Young Men's Class. The Guild will meet at 3.15 Sabbath evening.

Rev. Mr. Pogue will give an address on the Book of Genesis.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH. — Presbyterian, corner of Rubidge and Brock streets, Rev. Jas. G. Potter, B.A. pastor

Usual Services. 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

3 p.m. Sunday School.

KNOX CHURCH — Rev. H. J. Keith, B.D., M.A.

3.00 p. m. Young Men's Guild and Sunday School.

THE MURRAY STREET BAPTIST CHURCH — Rev. J. R. Webb, pastor.

PARK STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. W. C. Biddiford, Pastor.

11 a.m. "The Standing Art."

3 p.m. Bible school and Pastor's Bible class.

7 p.m. By special request the Pastor will take for his evening subject "The Supremacy of Christ in Business Life."

Monday: Young People's Meeting.

Wednesday, 8 p.m.: Prayer Meeting at Mrs. H. Jewett, Chamberlain street. Mr. J. C. Miller, Choir leader.

All made welcome.

BETHANY CHURCH—Regular services morning and evening, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Bible School at 3 p.m.

GOSPEL HALL — Corner of George and Brock Streets.

The Sunday School will be held at three o'clock. Any children not attending any school are heartily welcome.

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7.00 a.m. Early Morning Prayer Service.

9.15 a.m. Bible Class

11.00 a.m. Holiness Address.

3.00 p.m. Sunday School.

3.00 p.m. Public Song and Praise Service.

7.00 p.m. Public Salvation Meeting.

The band will be in attendance at morning, afternoon and evening services and will render special music.

Wednesday evening at 8.00 p.m. private soldiers' meeting.

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45 Ladies' Dress Skirts, made of Panama Cloths and Venetian Serges, colours black and navy. Very handsome and fashionable styles with pleats, folds and silk trimmings. Reg. prices were 7.00, 7.50, 8.00 and 10 00. Ten Days' Sale Price... **4.98**

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Special Sermon

—Rev. Dr. Langfeldt will preach a special series of sermons on Sunday night upon the subject "The Last Things." The subject to-morrow night will be the "The New Creation."

Driving Party Monday

—The Young People of Knox Church are running a driving party to Springville, Monday. Busses will leave Knox Church from 6 to 6.45 o'clock p.m. Refreshments will be served at Springville Church.

Reading Circle

—A meeting of the W. A. A. Reading Circle will be held at Mrs. Seward's on Monday evening, January 11th, at half-past seven. Miss Bennett will read a paper on Durer.

Particular

—If you are particular about the way your clothes look, send them to "My Valet," 204 Charlotte street, and have them cleaned, dyed, repaired and pressed. All particular people do.

Woodmen's Notice

—The members of the Sherwood Forest Camp, No. 50, W.O.W., are requested to attend the regular meeting on Monday evening, January 11th, at 8 o'clock, Installation of officers and other important business.

Refreshments will be served.

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Crystal's Kindness

— Mr. Ewards, has very kindly said that he would donate the proceeds of the Crystal for Wednesday afternoon to the Dorcas Society, a sewing society who work for the poor of the city.

Applying for Letters

—The Trusts and Guarantee Company, Limited, Toronto, are applying for grant of administration of the estate of the late Antonio Agustino, of the city of Toronto, in the county of York. The estate consists entirely of stock in trade.

Temperance Meeting

—At the Temperance meeting to be held to-morrow afternoon at 4.15 o'clock in the Crystal there will be addresses by representatives of the different Bible classes of the city and by Mr. Hassard of the Y.M.C.A. The George street orchestra will be present.

District Meeting

—The annual meeting of the District Orange Lodge of Peterborough will be held in the Orange Hall in the Village of Keene on Tuesday evening, Jan. 12th. Busses will leave the post office at six o'clock sharp. All officers and members of the Order are requested to attend. W. G. Bartley, Dis. Rec.-Sec. 24-7

Brotherhood at St. Andrew's

—A full attendance of the communicants of St. John's junior chapter of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, is asked for the first corporal communion of the new year at 8.30 tomorrow morning. Each member is again reminded of the special prayer for the occasion.

Hockey Players, Attention!

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Personal Items

Mrs. Frankish and Mr. Arthur Frankish, of Lakefield, were in the city this afternoon.

Miss Lulu Jones, Fenelon Falls, returned home after a two weeks' visit at her uncle's, Mr. R W Jones, Bethune street.

Mr. Robt. Duncan, who has been visiting his parents, after an absence of 15 years, returned to his home in Cleveland, Ohio.

Mr. Horace Sutcliffe, of New York, who has been a few days in Peterborough en route to Chicago, left the city for the West this morning.

DON'T DIET FOR FAT

You have no appetite for gruel, have you? By the same token, if you scale in excess of 150 pounds, I know you have no great liking for gymnasium stunts. As a rule fat folks are neither athletic nor ascetic, except under compulsion, and nowadays they are not under compulsion to be either, no matter how necessary it is for them to reduce. There is a third, better, and surer way of getting rid of superfluous flesh.

The trouble with both dieting and exercise is, first, the trouble; second, the danger (fatty heart); third, wrinkles; and, fourth, stomach disgust. You are liable to all four if you exercise or diet. On the other hand, you can sidestep all four, and still reduce as much or little as you please, even up to losing a pound a day if you see fit by taking a teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime of the following simple home receipt: One-half ounce Marmola, 3-4 ounce Fluid Extract Cascara Aromatic, and 13-4 ounces Peppermint Water.

Any druggist will fill this prescription for you cheaply, and you may take it with perfect confidence that it will do no manner of harm. Instead almost invariably improves the health and, likewise, the complexion.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 25 cents each insertion in either the Daily or Weekly Examiner.

BIRTHS.

ROUTLEY — In Peterborough, on Jan. 8th, 1909, the wife of Mr. Robert Routley, 350 Charlotte street, of a son.

OBITUARY.

MR. CORNELIUS HALPIN

This morning at eight o'clock the death occurred of Mr. Cornelius Halpin, after a long illness, at the age of about seventy years. Mr. Halpin was born in Limerick County, Ireland, and moved to this country when quite a young boy, being one of the old settlers in this county. He is survived by three sons, John, Michael and Thomas, and one daughter, Beatrice, who resided with him.

The funeral will leave the residence, 158 Lake street, at nine o'clock Monday morning, to St. Peter's Cathedral, and from there will proceed to St. Peter's Cemetery for interment.

Friends are requested to omit sending flowers.

The deceased gentleman has been a highly respected resident of Peterborough for about 50 years and has always creditably performed the duties of a good citizen in every respect. He was for about thirty years employed with the late George Hilliard, but for several years past has lived in retirement in the enjoyment of the competence his industry and prosperity accumulated.

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EMPEROR SEEMS TO BE YEARNING FOR WAR

Kaiser Seems Bound to Have Hostilities in Near East.

LISTENING TO HIS STAFF

Emperor of Germany Has Lost Patience With Great Britain and Is In Close Conference With Military Party—Newspaper Reports Tell of Preparations In Europe For Trouble In the Spring.

Berlin, Jan. 9.—Not since the beginning of the complications in the Near East has so much war talk been heard as to-day. The military party is waxing wondrous strong, and officers and staff say that war is inevitable, that everything is prepared and that hostilities will surely break out in March. The Kaiser has lost all patience with England, is turning a deaf ear to the peaceful counsels of the Imperial Chancellor, Prince Von Buelow, and is listening with attention to the warlike utterings of his military staff.

The Kaiser's sudden departure from Hubertusstock and his abandonment of the Corfu trip are all put in as arguments that a coup is being prepared, owing to information received from Kaiser Franz Josef of Austria, who having got 45,000 men into Bosnia and Herzegovina, has made preparations to double that number within three days.

An Austrian agent well known to the court here some weeks ago was charged with the mission of buying with all possible discretion all the stocks of rifle and ammunition he could get hold of. A report on the Boerse also says that Servia has bought 25,000,000 cartridges in Belgium.

These announcements, together with the publication of a quotation from the Servian newspaper, The Politika, to the effect that, although her enemies could not prevent Servia from celebrating a peaceful Christmas, bloodshed was being prepared for Easter, has tended to make people nervous.

One paper publishes a special despatch from Constantinople, which states that a high personage has just seen Kiamfi Pasha and says that the Grand Vizier no longer believes in the possibility of maintenance of the peace of Europe. This personage asserted that he had possession of proof that Austria was preparing for the outbreak of war in a few months and that Turkey was preparing for a campaign against Bulgaria.

Count Richard von Pleil, writing in The Dundschau, says:

"The outlook is war, which would open out a way for Austria to the much-coveted Salonica, and for Bulgaria to the much-desired Macedonia."

Asks Canada to Be Patient.

London, Jan. 9.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—The Daily Mail in an editorial headed, "America's bid for Canada," refers to the vote of the New York Chamber of Commerce in favor of reciprocity and says: "If such a treaty is concluded it will mean nothing less than the absorption of Canada by her neighbor. This will be a disaster to the British race and end all the noble dreams and aspirations in which the largest minds of our race have indulged."

The Mail appeals strongly to Canadian patriotism to show patience, for though the states of the empire have waited long and been rebuffed often, the period of suspense is fast drawing to a close.

New Commission Called For.

London, Jan. 9.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—Reasonable expectation exists that the Anglo-United States treaty will be signed in a few days, though certain points are still under negotiation.

The waterways draft agreement is very technical, but its chief point is the establishment of a commission to deal with the water division between Canada and the United States.

The treaty only lays down general principles and provides machinery for putting these into execution.

The conclusion of the fisheries question will probably be delayed a little. The question of pecuniary claims is still the subject of negotiations.

Federal Appointments.

Ottawa, Jan. 9.—The following appointments have been made: W. J. Cook of Belleville, to be deputy collector of inland revenue; William F. Toner of Collingwood, to be harbor master for the Port of Collingwood; Henry Foreman of Collingwood, to be measuring surveyor of shipping.

Hunter Will Lose Both Feet.

Port Arthur, Ont., Jan. 9.—Archie Cullan aged 19, was brought up from Nipigon with both feet frozen so badly that he will lose them. He was out hunting, and while crossing a creek fell through, getting his feet wet, and they froze before he could reach home.

Collingwood Company Gets Drydock.

Kingston, Jan. 9.—Surveyor Chapleau and men of the Public Works Department are here taking measurements of the Kingston Drydock property, which, it is understood, the Dominion Government has leased to the Collingwood Shipbuilding Co.

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CLERQUE NOT IN CONTROL.

C. D. Warren Says He Cannot Get Hold of Soo Corporation.

New York, Jan. 9.—C. D. Warren of Toronto was interviewed yesterday at the Waldorf-Astoria relative to the report in circulation, that Mr. Clergue had secured control of the Soo plant.

The report, when repeated to Mr. Warren, caused him to smile blandly.

"You may deny that report from me. There is absolutely nothing in it," said Mr. Warren. "If Mr. Clergue is even a stockholder in the company I do not know it, and I think I world. He has not, and cannot, secure control of the Soo."

"Are you here to attend a meeting of the directorate of the Soo to-day?"

"There is no meeting of the board to-day. It takes place next week. I will be present. After the directors meet I may have something that will be of interest to the people of the Soo territory. Until then, however, I have nothing to give out on the matter."

"Does it concern the absorption of the Soo, or will the Soo enlarge its plant?"

"I do not care to say what it is, I say, but I think it will be of universal importance to that section of the country when it takes place," declared Mr. Warren.

He conveyed the impression that the important event would have to do with the extension of the plant, but he absolutely refused to say just what it would be, or in what way it would affect the Soo and the people.

DENTIST IS POISONED.

Brantford Man Said He Took a Seidlitz Powder.

Brantford, Jan. 9.—Dr. W. F. Templar, prominent dentist and real estate holder, is dead here under peculiar circumstances.

He walked from his office across the street to his residence on Dalhousie street yesterday afternoon, staggered to his room and went into convulsions. Four doctors were summoned, but the doctor was beyond human aid.

Before he expired he made the statement that he had taken a seidlitz powder. Coroner Ashton, who was called, stated that the symptoms pointed to strychnine poisoning. A search of the dentist's office revealed the papers of the powder.

It is stated that he was in financial difficulties.

Eastern Dairymen's Officers.

Prescott, Jan. 9.—The thirty-second annual meeting of the Eastern Ontario Dairymen's Association concluded yesterday, with officers elected as follows:

Honorary president, Senator Derbyshire, Brockville; president, J. R. Dargavel, M.P.P., Elgin; vice-president, Henry Glendenning, Manilla; secretary, R. G. Murphy, Brockville, and treasurer, J. R. Anderson, Mountainview. Board of directors—J. H. Singleton, N. Fraser, E. Kidd, N. Longlin, J. McGregor, P. McDermid, G. F. Whittaker, J. A. Saunderson, J. R. Dargavel, T. A. Thompson, J. McGrath, W. J. Paul, M.P.P., J. Whitton, A. Hume, G. Gillespie, A. White and H. Glendenning.

Barred From Reserve.

Montreal, Jan. 9.—Judge Basin, in the Police Court, was called upon yesterday to decide if a white man named Hormidas Perras who had married an Indian woman, had the right to live with her and their children on the Gaughnawaga reserve as he has been doing for some time past.

The law seems quite clear in the matter and strictly forbids a white to domicile with the Indians, and in fact Perras was condemned to pay a nominal fine for the same offences in 1907. His honor took the case en delibre.

Forgeries Nearly a Million.

Oakland, Cal., Jan. 9.—Details of the forgery of James J. Murray's name to notes and documents aggregating $860,000, which led Thursday night to the arrest of F. B. Signor, promoter and mining broker of this city, have come to light.

Signor gave four forged notes to a bank in financing a cement plant, totaling $400,000. In addition the figures include drafts for $400,000, $5,000 and $10,000. Signor has not profited a cent from the forgeries.

Borden and Women Suffrage.

Ottawa, Jan. 9.—R. L. Borden has replied to the request of the Ottawa Woman's Suffrage Association for a statement of his views on the question of woman suffrage. While pointing out that this is a question for the Provincial Legislature, Mr. Borden asks some questions: What have been the results where woman's suffrage has been tried. To what extent has it been tried in political activity? How has it affected moral and political conditions?

Coasting Trade.

Ottawa, Jan. 9.—By an order-in-council the time has been extended during which vessels which are at present engaged in the coasting trade may continue to do so till July 1, 1909.

The Cobalt Range Railway Co. is applying for power to extend its line westerly from Haileybury to Gowganda Lake and northerly from Ville Marie via Opasitca Lake to a junction with the National Transcontinental Railway.

DEAD MAN IS SAID TO BE BROWNING

Identity of Murdered Man is Definitely Decided.

REWARD OUT FOR MINISTER

Examination of False Teeth Found in Stove Goes to Prove That Rev. John H. Carmichael, Who is Missing From Columbus, Mich., Is Slayer—He Has an Insane Sister—Appeared to Be Agitated.

Port Huron, Mich., Jan. 9.—By means of two false teeth it was definitely established yesterday afternoon that Gideon Browning, a carpenter of Adair Village, was the man who was butchered last Tuesday evening in the little Rattle Run Methodist Church in Columbus Township.

With part of the mystery which has enshrouded the brutal crime thus cleared, the supervisors of St. Clair County immediately offered a reward of $500 for the arrest of Rev. John H. Carmichael of Adair, pastor of the little church, and the man who was at first supposed to have been killed, dismembered and then burned in the church stoves, thus becomes the alleged murderer. He is a man over 6 feet tall, weighing more than 200 pounds and the description says:

Both legs have been broken, and he walks with a decided limp. Both his feet turn out noticeably, one at an angle of 45 degrees. He has a scar on the upper lip and another on the side of his nose. His eyes are light blue, or grey. There is another scar on one of his legs below the knee. When he disappeared he wore his brownish beard closed cropped at the sides. The beard and his hair, also brown, showing a little grey, has been recently trimmed.

Strenuous efforts to discover some motive for the destruction of the carpenter by the minister was fruitless yesterday. Rumors that Carmichael had been seen crossing the St. Clair river into Canada could not be corroborated. An officer sent to St. Thomas, Ont., reported no trace of him there.

The wife and daughter of the minister were examined yesterday by the prosecuting attorney here, and he stated afterward that he was convinced that they knew nothing of the murderer nor the man's disappearance. A statement yesterday by Mrs. Carmichael that her husband's sister is an inmate of an insane asylum in West Virginia, may explain some of the horrible features of the crime, if the authorities suspicions about Rev. Mr. Carmichael are borne out. Mrs. Carmichael also said that her husband was moody and restless the night before he disappeared, and apparently brooding over something.

It was also learned yesterday that on Monday, the day before the murder, Rev. Mr. Carmichael came to the postoffice in Adair, apparently much agitated and purturbed, and received a letter which he took away without opening.

Magistrate Removed.

New York, Jan. 9.—City Magistrate Otto H. Droege yesterday was found guilty of the charge of unlawfully freeing women committed by him to the workhouse, and therefore was ordered moved from his position.

It was charged against Droege that he signed orders for the release of only such prisoners as had paid fees to two lawyers who formerly had been associated with him in the practice of law. In addition he was alleged to have offered to bribe reporters to suppress publication of the discovery of the practice.

Suicides After Prayer Meeting.

Woodstock, Jan. 9.—After attending a prayer meeting at the Methodist Church at Hickson Thursday evening, George Brickwood, the 19-year-old son of a railway section boss, swallowed a big dose of strychnine from a bottle that he had in his pocket, and died several hours after.

The young man recently underwent an operation for an abscess on the brain. At the prayer meeting he asked a number of questions. On his way home he took the poison. Then he went on home, and told what he had done.

Murdered by Boys.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 9.—Five boys, ranging in age from 8 to 13 years, were arrested in their class-rooms in the Shaw school yesterday, and charged with the murder of William Wachter, a peddler, who was found with his skull crushed on Thursday.

The boys told the police that they had stoned Wachter "just for fun."

Engineer's Eagle Eye.

London, Jan. 9.—Passengers on No. 23 Grand Trunk passenger train, running between here and Detroit, flocked around Frank Galbraith, the youngest engineer on the division, at Bothwell, thanking him effusively for his watchfulness, which detected a flaw in the tire that might have resulted in a wreck.

Assaulted In His Home.

Chatham, Jan. 9.—Harry Church, a repair man, living on Fifth street, was attacked late Thursday night in his rooms by an unknown man who dealt him a severe blow on the head, rendering him unconscious. Church was reputed to have kept a lot of money in his house.

Doctor Is Acquitted.

Kingston, Jan. 9.—Dr. Geddes was tried recently at Arden on the charge of selling liquor without a license, but was honorably acquitted by Justices of the Peace Andrew and Osborne. Provincial Inspector Ayearst of Toronto appeared for the prosecution.

Windsor Not Interested.

Windsor, Jan. 9.—The Government scheme of old-age annuities was to have been explained here by Dr. Samson, in charge of the Government's lecture bureau, but he got no audience.

TEDDY BUMPED BY REPRESENTATIVES

President Gets Warm Rebuke From Representatives.

MESSAGE NOT RESPECTFUL

Entire Day Is Given Up at Washington to Discussion of Chief Executive's Suggestion Regarding Espionage on Members and Teddy Hears Some Very Plain Language About Himself.

Washington, Jan. 9.—After having made him the target all day for criticism, with here and there words of commendation, the House of Representatives last night, by a vote of 212 to 35, rebuked President Roosevelt by tabling so much of his message as reflected on members of Congress in connection with his recommendations regarding the secret service detectives, and also declaring that it be the sense of the House that they shall decline to consider any communications from any source which is not in its own judgment respectful.

With feelings of outraged dignity and pride on the part of many of its members, the House yesterday gave itself up entirely to a discussion of one of the most momentous questions that ever came before it—its functions as a legislative body—in contradistinction to those of the executive branch of the Government.

"The President denies that the paragraph of the annual message casts reflections on the integrity of the House; attributes to the House 'an entire failure to understand my message.' This House must insist on its own capacity to understand the import of the President's language.

"Be it resolved, that the House in the exercise of its constitutional prerogatives declines to consider any communication from any source which is not in its own judgment respectful; and, be it further

"Resolved, that the special committee and the committee of the whole House on the state of the union be discharged from any consideration of so much of the President's annual message as relates to the secret service, and that the said portion of the message be laid on the table."

By a viva voce vote, the Senate yesterday passed Senator Culbertson's resolution, instructing the committee on the judiciary to report to the Senate whether the President was authorized to permit the absorption of the Tennessee Coal & Iron Co. by the United States Steel Corporation.

Will Cancel Rates.

Montreal, Jan. 9.—"Your tariff and your rules are undoubtedly opposed to the business interests of the country and they have discouraged shippers all over the Dominion. They have been put into force without due notice having been given. In fact, if I had been properly informed as to the real purpose of the new tariff, I would never have given my approval of it," were the comments made yesterday by Judge Mabee in the Railway Commission, which closed its sessions yesterday afternoon.

It was quite evident that the board looked with unanimous favor upon the position taken by the Toronto and Montreal Boards of Trade, and it is probable that the new rates will be cancelled.

Prayer For Pentecost.

New York, Jan. 9.—William Hall, president of the evangelical commission of the New York East Conference, left for Toronto yesterday.

While in Toronto Rev. Mr. Hall will deliver his appeal verbally, calling for a world-wide prayer for a present-day Pentecost. This appeal has already been sent broadcast and is meeting with universal approval by the clergy throughout the country. Such men as Bishop Jos. F. Berry of Indianapolis, W. T. Mallalieu of Boston and Rev. Edward Reed, president of [illegible] College, Carlisle, Pa., have written their endorsement of the plan and believe it will result in much good.

Attempt to Unseat Two Members.

Halifax, N.S., Jan. 9.—In an attempt to break the deadlock in the Newfoundland Legislature, which will re-assemble on Feb. 4, friends of Sir Robert Bond's Government Thursday filed petitions in the Supreme Court asking that Woodford and Murphy, members-elect for Harbor Main be unseated because of illegal acts committed by their agent during the campaign. Woodford and Murphy are supporters of Morris, leader of the Opposition.

William Sloan For Senate?

Ottawa, Jan. 9.—It is asserted here that William Sloan, M.P. for Comox-Atlin, B.C., will be appointed to the Senate, and that Hon. Wm. Templeman, Minister of Inland Revenue, who was defeated in Victoria, will contest the constituency by a bye-election.

Caught Under Tree; Loses Leg.

Tamworth, Ont., Jan. 9.—Fred Coughlin, a farmer near here, was caught underneath a tree he was felling and pinned down for some hours. He was found by a searching party. One leg has been amputated about four inches above the knee.

Port Hope Rector Resigns.

Port Hope, Jan. 9.—Rev. J. E. Revington Jones, who assumed the rectorship of St. Mary's Anglican Church here last Easter, has been obliged because of bronchial trouble to resign, and will leave shortly for Indiana.

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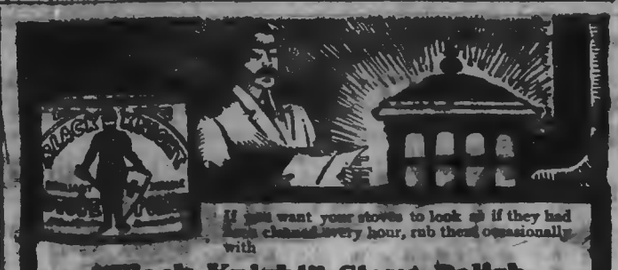

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MONTREAL PEOPLE IN SICILY?

Prof. Haywood and Wife Last Heard of In Italy.

Montreal, Jan. 9.—Did Prof. and Mrs. John Hayward of Montreal perish in the recent disaster in Southern Italy? is the question that is being asked to-day by a number of the professor's friends.

Last August Prof. Hayward, who up till recently was a professor in the engineering department of the applied science faculty of McGill University, left with his wife for a tour of the world, and word was received recently that they were in Sicily.

On Dec. 24 they wrote from Messina to friends in Montreal, stating that they were leaving there that day. On the 25th, according to a postcard received in the city yesterday morning, they were at Smath, a small town on the Campanian coast about 23 miles southwest of Naples.

In Debris Seven Days.

Reggio, Jan. 9.—Among others who escaped uninjured when the shock came were three children, who, after having been buried in the debris of their home for seven days, got out unaided, burrowing like mice.

A man and his wife also have been found uninjured beneath ruins, where they had lain for eight days subsisting on a pint of olive oil.

Will Need 40,000 Men.

Messina, Italy, Jan. 9.—It is believed that 40,000 men will be required to isolate the city, as the peasants from the interior are crowding in much faster than the others are leaving.

Queen Helena's Grief.

Rome, Jan. 9.—Following the desires expressed by Queen Helena the anniversary of her birth, which was observed here yesterday, was not attended by any unusual festivities.

Her Majesty is reported to have said that she wished to celebrate the day by working hard for the earthquake survivors, whose sufferings she cannot drive from her mind.

35 NEARLY ASPHYXIATED.

Pupils and Teacher In Pennsylvania Have a Close Call.

Pottsville Pa., Jan. 9.—Thirty-five pupils of Mount Carbon school and their teacher, Miss Laura Deisher were overcome by coal gas yesterday, caused by a leaky stove pipe, and it was only through the prompt action of the young woman that the lives of her charges were saved.

Noticing several of the children falling asleep and herself becoming stupified, Miss Deisher quickly comprehended the cause. She picked up four of the children and carried them outside, and in returning for a fifth child she was herself overcome and fell over unconscious.

Several women living in the neighborhood saw the four little ones lying on the schoolhouse porch and upon investigation found the entire school of 35 children in a comatose state.

Physicians were summoned from Pottsville and succeeded in resuscitating all of them after considerable trouble.

Walks Half a Mile In Nightdress.

London, Jan. 9.—Mary Cuthbertson, an aged woman, escaped from the Victoria Hospital Thursday night during the absence of a nurse, and clothed only in her nightdress and a pair of open work stockings made her way to a friend's house, nearly a mile distant. The thermometer registered seven degrees above zero, and a bitterly cold wind was blowing, but despite this yesterday morning she appeared quite well. She had been wandering from place to place in Ontario for several weeks and had been placed in the hospital in the hope of curing nervous troubles.

To Search For Explorer.

New York, Jan. 9.—Arrangements are being perfected to send a relief expedition into the Arctic regions next June to search for Dr. Frederick Albert Cook, the explorer, and his party, who left New York on July 4, 1907, in quest of the North Pole.

Envoy a Spendthrift.

Pekin, Jan. 9.—Tang Shao Yi, who is at present in Washington on a special diplomatic mission from the Chinese Government, has been recalled to Pekin.

His mission has been enormously expensive.

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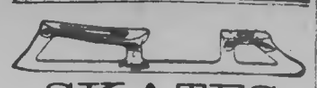

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The Examiner's Sporting Page

RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

FRED SIMPSON MAKES HIS DEBUT AS A PRO. IN NEW YORK TO-NIGHT

If Fred Simpson isn't one of the lions of Hiawatha when he quits the running game for good and settles down in the little Rice Lake hamlet, it will be a funny proposition. Fred has performed before thousands of people in Toronto, Montreal, Hamilton, and London (Eng.), and to-night he makes his debut in another country when he will form one of a relay of three men who are to run a twelve mile race against Alfie Shrubb the English wonder, in a twelve mile canter in Madison Square Garden, New York. Fred left on Thursday, for the American Metropolis and is expected to make a good showing against the world famous Alfie. Williams, of Somerset, Mass., will be the second member of the relay team, and the third has not yet been announced. Four miles is a pretty short distance for Simpson to attempt to negotiate fast enough to keep in sight of Shrubb who burns up the ground at that distance, and some of the local people who know the Indian's characteristics state that he would do better if he were to run the whole twelve miles against the Englishman. Still Simpson is in good shape and may spring a surprise upon the New York public when he gets going. One thing is certain that he will have none of the weak heart stunts that Dorando has been handing out in his recent races.

WHITBY JUNIOR O.H.A. TEAM TO PLAY LOCAL JUNIORS ON TUESDAY

The next O.H.A. game to be played in Peterborough will be on Tuesday night next, when the fast Whitby team will play the local juniors here in what should prove one of the fastest exhibitions of the year. Whitby managed to put the Indian sign on the locals on New Year's Day on their own little rink by 7-1, but the Petes are 50 per cent. stronger than they were then and expect to trim the Lakeshore aggregation here. Peterborough must win to keep in the running and the locals' good little team are going to take no chances and will go at the visitors from the drop of the hat. They should notch up another victory and be ready for their games from home in good shape. The Petes have a royal chance in the district despite their defeat the other night and expect to improve their position as a result of next Tuesday's game. There will doubtless be a big crowd on hand as the juniors have made many friends for themselves in their two games this week.

PROTEST FROM THE "GREYS" HAS BEEN RECEIVED RE CONTROVERSY

The Greys of the Peterborough Bowling League have sent the following communication to Mr. J. B. Hay. It is understood that the controversy between the two teams is at intense heat:

Peterborough, Jan. 7, 1909.

Mr. J. B. Hay,
Bowling Academy, City:

Dear Sir,—This is to inform you that we have been in communication with Mr. Crowe, secretary of the C. A. A. U., He has advised us that Mr. Gene Hurtubise is a professional. Therefore we feel that he should not be allowed to play with the Hams on the night they meet the Greys.

We do not want you to think that we are afraid of the aforesaid gentleman's bowling ability, because we are confident that we can wipe the floor with the Hams any day in the week, barring Sunday. The fact of the matter is we are afraid of injuring our amateur standing.

We trust that you will see the wisdom of barring all professionals from the bowling competition, and thereby do all that is possible to keep the ancient game of bowls in the place it has occupied since the days of Drake and Hawkins, viz., that of the greatest of indoor amateur sports.

It is just possible that it may enter your head that we are after that oyster supper and intend getting it by fair means or foul. Should such an unworthy thought be fathered by such a noble brain as we know you to possess, we trust that you will cast it from you, because Mr. Hay, we consider our honour above such a trifling thing as an oyster supper, especially if we have to put up the coin for it. We trust that we will not have to urge this matter any further. With all due respect to Mr. Hurtubise, we say that he has no right to mingle with amateurs with the highest standing, such as enjoyed by the Greys.

We might also say that it would be wise to have a competent referee on the foul line. We would recommend either Tom Flanagan or Tom O'Rourke. Should you not know these gentlemen send a wire to "Alfie" Shrubb.

The team committee and executive met in silent conclave and after due deliberation refused to play under any other conditions. We would like to say that the chief reason for taking such a course as this, is because we intend playing golf and lawn tennis in the near future and our position could never be the same in athletic circles should we play with Mr. Hurtubise.

ST. JOHN'S WON THE FIRST JUNIOR GAME

Defeated All Saints' by 6-1 in Fast Game Last Night on Knox Rink.

The Junior Church League opened last night with a fast and well-played game at Park street rink between the St. John's and All Saints' teams, the former winning out handily by 6 goals to 1. They were ahead 2—1 at half time and had all the better of the play during the second half. All the winners played good hockey and the match was an excellent exhibition. Ernie Reid refereed to the satisfaction of both teams. The line-up was as follows:

St. John's.		All Saints'.
	Goal.	
C. Halpany		Moore
	Point.	
H. Munro		Price
	Cover.	
G. Campbell		Allen
	Rover.	
T. Halpany		Armstrong
	Centre.	
H. Wallis		Layfield
	Right Wing.	
Howden		Smeaton
	Left Wing.	
Mills		Lebar

BOWLING

The Bankers did a few things to the pins in their league game with the Midgets last night, and not only won the three games but also boosted the league record for three games by 100 pins, setting the mark at 1598, which will likely stand for some time. The Bankers also established the best three-man record for a single game, putting on 581 in their last game. The Midgets with the exception of C. Giroux were off colour and, although they managed to tie the score in the second game, they lost in the roll-off. Ferguson was high man with the excellent total of 558, while Ford was a close second. The Bankers are rolling in great form and their victory last night keeps them safely on top of the heap. The score follows:

Bankers.			
Ford	201	157	188—546
Barker	174	134	186—494
Ferguson	158	193	207—558
	533	484	581—1598
Midgets.			
C. Giroux	168	203	127—508
Hayes	142	147	126—415
L. Giroux	135	134	118—387
	445	484	371—1310

The scores in the Y. M. C. A. bowling tournament last night were as follows:

Little	90	105	72—267
Pratt	146	85	91—322
Wade	108	105	98—311
	344	295	261—900
Millard	117	120	88—325
Armstrong	140	132	171—443
Shirley	132	110	156—398
	389	362	415—1166

HOCKEY

Whitby trimmed Oshawa last night (5-2) in a Junior O.H.A. game at Whitby last night, and as a result are tied with the Port Hope team for the leadership of the district. The standing to date is as follows:—

	Won	Lost	To Play
Port Hope	2	0	6
Whitby	2	0	6
Peterborough	1	2	5
Cobourg	0	2	6
Oshawa	0	1	7

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The members of the George street Methodist church hockey team are asked to be out at practice on Monday night between 6 and 7 o'clock at Brock street rink when a game will be played between the City League and Church League teams.

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The members of the George Street team of the Junior City League are asked to return their certificates to the president, Mr. J. D. Craig, at the Examiner office, as the Otonabees have protested Tuesday night's game.

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The T. A. S. Juniors will practice to-night between seven and eight o'clock, and the seniors from 7.30 to 8 o'clock.

SMALL BUT EFFECTIVE—A Want Ad. in the Examiner. Try it.

CURLING.

A game for the oyster supper was played yesterday afternoon in the curling rink, when T. F. Matthews' rink went down to defeat before D. Davidson's stalwarts. The score was 15 to 10 in favour of Mr. Davidson's rink. The rinks were:

F. Dickson	Hall
R. Hicks	T. F. Matthews
W. Thompson	H. A. Morrow
D. Davidson, sk15,	G. Boucher, sk10

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A very exciting but runaway game was played at the curling rink yesterday afternoon between two local churches, the George street Methodist and the Murray street Baptist The scoring was not in the line of the Baptist church, they being only able to score one point, while the play on the other side seemed to go their way, nine points being theirs. Rev. E A Pearson, pastor of the George street Methodist church was skip for his side and Rev. J R Webb pastor of the Murray street Baptist church was skip for the other side.

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The following are the scores at the Curling Rink last night in the clubs contest:—

Fraser, 8	Hall,	12
Fitzgerald, sk4	Stevenson,	10
Dela Fosse, 9	Giroux,	13
Kenner, 10	Clegg,	7
Thompson, 16	Ferguson,	13
Matthews, 8	Neill,	13
Lang, 1 0.4	Ray,	16

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There will be no more schedule games played at the curling rink until after the bonspiel which starts on Tuesday, January 12th and ends on Saturday, Jan. 16th.

THE ORCHESTRA WERE PLEASANTLY ENTERTAINED

Mr. and Mrs. W. Cunningham entertained the members of the George street Methodist Sunday School Orchestra last night. A very pleasant evening was spent in games and music, which ended up with a grand Oyster Supper, after which a hearty vote of thanks was tendered for the very pleasant evening which was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

ANNUAL MEETING

Of The Peterborough Young Men's Christian Association.

The Annual Meeting of the above Association will be held in the Parlours of the Association Building on Tuesday, January 12th, 1909, at 8 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the annual reports and of electing six directors for the term ending December 31st, 1911.

All members and subscribers are invited to attend.

J. O. SHOOK, President. F. G. HASSARD, Hon. Spec.

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REMEDY FOR DOING AWAY WITH WEEDS

From Farm and Dairy.

The weed nuisance may be perpetuated with the plow. If care be taken, however, it need not be the case very often. Some weed seeds like those of wild mustard have great vitality and may lie, like a sleeping dog, in the soil for years. When the plow again brings them to the surface and they receive a warm May shower they suddenly waken up and show what they are made of.

If all soils were of the proper texture for drainage and for holding plant food, it would not be necessary to plow deeper than four or five inches at any time. In that case, where fields are weedy and many seeds have formed before the plowing is done, these weed seeds would not be turned under in most cases beyond the point of germination. Most of them would be encouraged to grow and then be killed while they were young and tender. This is the reason why, in most seasons, a shallow plowing with a gang immediately after the crop is removed is so beneficial. It covers the weed seeds with sufficient soil that with accompanying moisture to cause them to grow, they may be killed with after cultivation or by a late plowing.

Very often a mistake is made in plowing the field after the hoe crop has been harvested. More especially is this the case if the field has been well cultivated. Through the frequent and thorough cultivation that the hoe crop receives to conserve moisture as well as to kill weeds, nearly all the foul seeds in the three inches of soil at least, have germinated. Below that line there may be a great many different kinds of weed seeds awaiting their opportunity to grow when brought to the surface. The practice of bringing them to the surface with a plow, is altogether too common.

If plowing is necessary at all on the heavier soils, after a hoe crop is harvested, it should be just a light skimming of the surface. In some cases, however, as with the land this year, when it was hard and dry, it could not be plowed at all, except it were plowed to a great depth. In many cases the preparation for a seed bed has been made with cultivators, in the fall for fall wheat and rye, or in the spring for spring crops, and as good and often better crops have been the result. For a catch of grass and clover seed the firm under soil with the fine tilth on top is almost ideal.

For all light soils shallow plowing and working is preferable. With heavier soils, however, the question of drainage and the mechanical texture of the soil have something to do with the depth to which plowing should be done. For keeping weed seeds near the surface the shallow plowing of the soil is preferable.

STANDARD RATION FOR STABLED COWS

From Farm and Dairy.

Will you give for the benefit of your readers a standard ration for dairy cows in the stable.

Take as forming same the following: Timothy hay, red clover, lucern, straw (wheat and oats) mangels, silage, and for grains barley, oats, peas and bran.

Give different combinations and state also which single grain along with bran is best for milk production, along with other coarse feeds.—Dairyman, Halton Co., Ont.

The feeds, both coarse and concentrated, being for the most part such as are to be found on every farm in Canada, your question is worthy of most careful consideration.

To begin with, however, you do not say whether you mean cows in full milk all winter, or spring calving cows as kept by the vast majority of dairymen in Canada. I shall take it that you mean for both classes, however, and begin by suggesting rations for cows in milk.

As the feeds most commonly found on our farms are mixed hay, clover hay, oat straw, mangels and silage, we shall begin by suggesting rations prepared therefrom:

Ration No. 1.

While spring calving cows are still in milk, or for newly calved cows:

Clover hay	5 lbs.
Ensilage	30 lbs.
Mangels	15 lbs.
Straw	5 lbs.

Meal, according to milk being produced, say 1 lb. of meal for 4 or 5 lbs. of milk produced.

Ration No. 2.

As an alternative:

Mixed hay	3 lbs.
Clover hay	5 lbs.
Silage	30 lbs.
Straw	5 lbs.

Meal according to requirements, say 1 lb. meal for 4 lbs. of milk.

Ration No. 3.

Where silage is lacking:

Hay	12 to 15 lbs.
Roots, mangels	40 lbs.
Straw	5 lbs.

Meal as needed, say, 1 lb. meal for 4 or 5 lbs. of milk.

DRY COWS

For dry cows the above rations would be quite satisfactory without any meal added. Where large cows were being fed, the amounts would need to be increased proportionately Where the dry cow was in low flesh a pound or so of meal a day might be found profitable.

For calving cows, supposing all the feeds mentioned to be available, then the following ration might be suggested.

Ration No. 4.

For cows in full flow of milk per 1000 lb. cows:

Clover hay	5 lbs.
Oat straw	5 lbs.
Corn silage	30 lbs.
Mangels	15 lbs.
Lucern	5 lbs.

Meal, 1 lb. for each 5 or 6 lbs. of milk produced.

For dry cows, cut off lucern and clover hay and substitute 5 lbs. of a mixture of timothy and clover. Slightly increase straw. No meal required save under exceptional circumstances. In my opinion timothy hay should be fed in but very small quantities to dairy cows either dry or in milk.

THE MEAL MIXTURE

The grains mentioned are capable of being mixed in a very great variety of ways. As a meal mixture suitable to be fed along with ration No. 1, I would suggest: Bran, 300 lbs., oats, 100 lbs.; peas, 100 lbs.

To be fed with ration No. 2: Bran, 200 lbs.; oats, 100 lbs.; peas, 200 lbs.

To be fed with ration No. 3: Bran 300 lbs.; oats, 200 lbs, peas, 100 lbs

To be fed with ration No. 4: Bran 100 lbs.; barley, 100 lbs.; oats, 100 lbs.; peas, 100 lbs. Or equal parts bran, barley and oats; or bran, 100 lbs.; oats, 300 lbs.; barley, 200 lbs.

Where milk is being sold the addition of barley to the meal ration seems to be particularly advisable as having a beneficial effect upon appearance and flavor. Where milk is being made into butter, and mangels are being fed at all extensively then the meal should consist very largely of bran, say, bran 500 lbs.; oats, 100 lbs.; barley, 100 lbs. Where mangels are fed heavily and no bran or oil cake meal accompanies the same, as a sort of check, there is likely to be trouble at churning time.—J. H. Grisdale, Agriculturist, C. E. F., Ottawa.

Our Boot and Shoe Trade for 1908

Was all that we could expect—we will do our best to merit a continuance of your confidence during the year 1909.

Look for bargains from now until February 1st—our stock-taking time.

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MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Close Lower, Chicago Unchanged—Live Stock—Latest Quotations.

Friday Evening, Jan. 8

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day ½d lower than yesterday, and corn closed ¼d lower.

At Chicago, May wheat closed unchanged from yesterday. May corn closed ⅛c higher, and May oats closed ⅛c lower.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—January 99⅝c bid, July $1.03⅛ bid, May $1.02⅛ bid.
Oats—January 39⅝c bid, May 40⅝c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	$0 94	to $....
Wheat, red, bush	0 93	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 90	....
Rye bush	0 80	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 55	....
Peas, bushel	0 90	....
Barley, bushel	0 55	....
Oats, bushel	0 52	....

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 26
Butter, store lots	0 25	0 26
Butter, creamery solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lr rolls	0 25	0 26
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 40	....
Eggs, cold storage	0 28	....
Cheese, large lb	0 13½	....
Cheese, twin lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11
Honey, combs, dozen	2 25	2 75

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 8.—Closing—Wheat—Spot, No. 2 red western winter easy, 7s 9½d. Futures steady; March 7s 7¾d, May 7s 7d.

Corn—Spot steady; new American mixed, via Galveston, 5s 5d. Futures quiet; Jan. 5s 5½d, March 5s 2¾d, May 5s 2½d.

Peas—Canadian steady, 7s 6½d.

Bacon—Short rib firm, 45s; long clear middles, light, dull, 45s 6d; do., heavy, quiet, 45s; short clear backs dull, 45s.

Cheese—Canadian finest white steady, 58s; do., colored, steady, 61s 6d.

Turpentine—Spirits firm, 28s 3d.

Rosin—Common firm, 5s 9d.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Butter—Steady; receipts, 7455; creamery, extras, 32c to 32½; western imitation firsts, 29c to 30c.

Cheese—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 1132.

Eggs—Easier; receipts, 6811; state, Pennsylvania and nearby, brown and mixed, fancy, 34c to 36c; do., fair to choice, 31c to 33c; western first, 31½c to 32c; official 31½c; do., seconds, 30c to 31c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Unchanged—American Markets Are About Steady.

LONDON, Jan. 8.—London cables for cattle are steady, at 12c to 14½c per pound, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9½c to 9¾c per pound.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Jan. 8.—Cattle—Receipts, 50 head; steady; prime steers, $6.75 to $7.15.

Veals—Receipts, 400 head; active and 25c higher, $7 to $10.

Hogs—Receipts, 12,000 head; active and steady; heavy and mixed, $6.45 to $6.55; yorkers, $6.20 to $6.50; roughs, $5.00 to $5.20; dairies, $5.10 to $5.40.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 12,000 head; active; ewes and mixed sheep 25c higher; lambs 15c higher; lambs, $5 to $8; ewes, $5 to $5.25; sheep, mixed, $3.50 to $5.25.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Beeves—Receipts, 2600; steers more active and firm; bulls and fat cows steady; medium and thin cows slow to 10c lower; steers, $4.25 to $7; oxen, $4.50 to $6; bulls, $3 to $4.75; cows, $1.75 to $4.15.

Calves—Receipts, 484; veals firm, at $8 to $10; common barnyard calves, $3.75 to $4.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 5385; good lambs firm; medium slow; sheep steady; sheep, $5 to $4.75; yearlings, $6.50; fair lambs, $7.62½.

Hogs—Receipts, 6017; nominally steady.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Jan. 8.—Cattle—Receipts, 4000; market steady; steers, $4.00 to $7.75; cows, $3 to $5.50; heifers, $3 to $5.75; bulls, $3.25 to $4.50; calves, $3.50 to $9; stockers and feeders, $2.50 to $5.10.

Hogs—Receipts, 21,000; market 5c to 10c higher; choice heavy shipping, $6.30 to $6.45; butchers, $6.25 to $6.35; light mixed, $5.75 to $6.20; choice light, $5.85 to $6.20; packing, $5.30 to $6.10; pigs, $4.50 to $5.65; bulk of sales, $5.60 to $6.30.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 10,000; market steady; sheep, $4 to $5.90; lambs, $5.25 to $8.10; yearlings, $6.25 to $7.25.

Three Big New Year's Fires.

New York, Jan. 9.—Three big fires in the mercantile district Thursday night did damage estimated at $1,250,000. The high pressure system undoubtedly prevented a far greater loss.

While fire was raging in the six-storey double building, 98-100 Hudson street wholesale grocers' warehouses, where the loss was $500,000, an alarm was turned in for a fire in a manufacturers' building at 113 Bowery, where the loss was $150,000. With both these fires in progress a third broke out at 134 Crosby street, six storeys, occupied by strawgoods dealers, where $600,000 damage was done.

Montreal May Go Dark.

Montreal, Jan. 9.—W. McLea Walbank, general manager of the Light, Heat & Power Co., is writing the City of Montreal warning them that if a settlement of the lightning question is not arrived at by the afternoon of the 14th the street light throughout the whole of Montreal will go out at midnight on that date, not to be lighted again until some arrangement is arrived at. The company demand $75 per arc per year, whereas the city is only willing to pay $60.

Montreal Defaulter Surrenders.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Jan. 9.—Frederick Corby Pole, 34 years old, wanted in Montreal on a charge of grand larceny in the sum of $25,000, has surrendered himself here. The money, according to Pole, was taken by him while he was employed by the brokerage firm of McCuaig Bros. & Co. in Montreal in 1906.

Liquor Detectives Busy.

Belleville, Jan. 9.—Provincial liquor detectives have laid information against four liquor dealers at Marmora for selling liquor to minors: Thomas Reed of Springbrook, for selling liquor without a license and Duncan Narrie of the same place for selling cigarettes on Sunday to a minor.

Six Thousand more.

Toronto, Jan. 9.—A great increase in the contributions was reported by Rev. Dr. Tucker to the executive of the Anglican Missionary Society yesterday. Archbishop Sweatman presided. The contributions last year totalled $102,000. Partial returns showed an increase from all districts. The Toronto donations were $6,000 more than last year.

Red Light Clean Up.

Montreal, Jan. 9.—As a result of the campaign carried on by Rev. Arthur French, the police made wholesale raids last night on disorderly houses, arresting 35 women and 17 men. The places visited are in the heart of the "red light" district. It was a general clean up.

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Any reader of this paper who suffers from any form of kidney trouble, bladder trouble or rheumatism can get free treatment by writing to the celebrated specialist Dr. Lynott of Chicago. Neither the rich nor the poor will be charged. He has sent thousands free treatment, and though cured in their own home they were asked for no money. All he wants is that you tell your friends about it. If you or any member of your family, or any friend, suffers from a kidney complaint like too frequent desire to urinate, prostatic trouble, pain in the back, inflammation of the bladder, bed-wetting, or any of the different kinds of rheumatism, write the doctor a letter describing how you suffer and he will send you a free treatment at his expense; also a letter of medical advice and a big illustrated medical book describing these diseases. Write today. DR. T. FRANK LYNOTT, A-61 Scientific Bldg., Chicago.

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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS

ANY PERSON who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother, or sister of intending homesteader.

DUTIES—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price $3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price $3.00 per acre Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth $300.00.

N.B.—Unauthorized publications of this advertisement will not be paid for.

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18 ins wide on good quality cambric, 25c lines 15c. 30c lines 19c, 35c lines 25c, 40c lines 29c, 50c lines 39c.

Embroidery Strappings or Nainsook Ribbon Galoons

15c lines 10c, 20c lines 12½c, 25c lines 15c, 35c lines 19c.

Cambric Flouncings—65c lines 39c, 75c lines 45c.

Swiss Muslin Flouncings

27 inches wide, for children's dresses or skirts. January White Sale, 75c quality..... .45

January is the profitable time to buy Whitewear, in fact White Goods of every description—particularly does this apply to our sale for '09. Last summer whitewear factories were slack and hungry for orders and we got ours filled at very low rates, this, with the drop in price of raw materials enables us to offer better grade of material and better workmanship and better trimmings, in fact better garments in every respect and lower prices than ever before.

Linens, Towels, Towelling, Appliques, Persian Lawns

Linen

35c Tablings 23c—60 inch unbleached tabling, heavy quality, regular 35c. January White Sale, per yard ..... .23

60c Tablings 48c—6 designs in bleached table linens, 66 inches wide, regular 60c. January White Sale, yard..... .48

40c Persian Lawns 25c—500 yards finest quality Persian Lawns, regular 40c. January White Sale..... .25

Towels and Towelling

35c Towels 23c—A hemmed Huck Towel in all white or white with blue borders, our 35 cent qualities. January Sale Price, pair ..... .23

3 Towelling Snaps—Some months ago we secured for our January Sale 3 specials in crash Towellings. A 17 inch pure white Crash, reg. 8c, Sale Price 5½c
An 18 inch dark striped Crash, reg. 10c, for.. 8½c
An 18 in, pure linen bleached Crash, reg. 12½c, 10c

Fancy Huck Towelling 45c — 4 designs in Fancy Huck Towellings 25 ins wide. Yard.. .45

January Silk Opportunities

Japanese Silks

20 ins wide, in white or cream, all colours, usual 25c, January White Sale 17½c. 27 inches wide, in white or cream, Lyons dye and taffeta finish, best 50c qualities. January Sale ..... .42

English and Taffeta Silks

In white only, either soft or stiff makes, sold everywhere at 50c yard. January White Sale, yard..... .42

Messaline Silks

In white or cream. The most popular and serviceable silk shown. January Sale Price ..... .65

2 Specials in Black Peau de Soie

Both heavy guaranteed qualities. January Sale, 90c line 69c, $1.25 line at ..... .98

Silk and Duchess Ribbons

25c Ribbons for 12 1-2c. Heavy Taffeta Ribbons, 4 ins wide, in 17 shades. January Sale Price .. .. .. .12½

35c Duchess Ribbons 23c

All Silk Duchess Ribbon, 5 ins wide, colours, white, cream, sky, cardinal, pink, navy, black. Reg. 35c, at .23

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Corset Covers

25c Corset Covers 2 for 35c

Odd Corset Covers, lace and embroidery trimmed, several styles, all sizes, reg. 25c. January Sale, 2 for ..... .35

Corset Covers 25c

Fine cotton, loose style with peplin and fitted style with lace and insertion trimmings, all sizes. January Sale .... .25

75c Corset Covers 48c

3 styles extra fine corset covers, lace and embroidery and ribbon trimmings, sizes 34 to 42, reg 75c. January Sale.... .48

$1.25 Corset Covers 98c

Finest Corset Covers, allover Swiss Embroidery and lace trimmings, sizes 34-40, reg. 1.25. January Sale .98

Drawers

SPECIAL Drawers

Good Cotton, in wide umbrella styles, deep flounce, finished with 3 hemstitched tucks, made for trimming to suit yourself. Sizes 23, 25 and 27. January Sale ..... .25

75c Drawers 49c

Fine Nainsook with lawn flounce, 3 small tucks and fine embroidery. Sizes 23, 25, 27, January Sale.. 49

Combinations

2 piece combinations, corset covers and drawers, and corset cover and skirt, several styles at 2.00, 2.50, 3.00, 4.00

Matched Sets

4 pieces to match, 20.00 for 17.50

Petticoats

$1.25 Petticoats 98c

Several styles of fine new petticoats with drop frill and with flounces of embroidery and lace, with insertion to match. Reg. $1.25. January Sale .98

$1.50 Petticoats $1.19

Fine cotton with wide flounce of embroidery and insertions, drop frill lengths, 38-40-42. January Sale..... 1.19

$2.00 Petticoats $1.49

5 doz assorted styles, tucks, embroideries and beading with ribbon trimmings, deep flounces, drop, ruffles. $2.00 styles 1.49

$2.50 Petticoats $1.98

Fine cotton, extra wide embroidery flounces, also two rows of lace insertion with embroidery and frills of wide lace, very full with drop skirt, at.. 1.98

Night Dresses

1.25 Gowns 98c

3 styles, embroidery, lace and insertion trimmings on collar and sleeves, fine quality, regular 1.25 98

1.50 Night Dresses 1.19

3 styles, good cotton, fine insertions, laces, tucks etc., slip over and yoke styles, lengths 56, 58, 60. Regular 1.50, January Sale 1.19

2.00 Gowns 1.49

5 styles new Kimona and slip over styles, beautifully trimmed with lace and embroidery beading with ribbon. Regular 2.00 for..... 1.49

2.50 Gowns 1.98

Mostly slip over styles, ¾ or long sleeves, lace and embroidery insertion and beading trimmings on neck and arms. Full sizes, also O. S. sizes for stout ladies. Regularly sold at 2.50, January White Sale 1.98

January Sale of New White Waists

$1.25 and $1.50 Lawn Waists 99c

Fine Lawn Waists, elaborate fronts of embroidery lace trimmings with tucks, ¾ sleeves. $1.25 and 1.50 styles ..... .99

$1.75 to $2.00 Lawn Waists $1.48

Dainty Waists of fine lawn in tailored and embroidery styles, the new directoire and shirt waist sleeves, open front or back, sizes 34 to 42. January White Sale..... ..... 1.48

$2.25 and $2.50 Lawn Waists $1.98

New White Waists, elaborate designs, new directoire sleeve, high collar trimmed with fine lace and insertion, tucked front and backs, sizes 34 to 40. January White Sale 1.98

Ginghams, Prints and Wash Materials

New Spring Prints

Guaranteed fast colours, best wearing make, light or dark grounds, 31 ins wide. Same as we sold last year at 12½c. January Sale, a yard ..... .10

Dress Ginghams

In blues, pinks, browns, linens, and black, in the new stripes, checks and plaids, suitable for children's or house dresses. Regular 15c and 18c. January Sale, yard..... .12½

Oxford Shirtings

In light or medium grounds, with blue or black stripes or checks, absolutely fast colours. January Sale, 12 1-2c, 15c and.. .20

Swiss Galateas

The never-wear-out kind for boys, in the plain navy or cadet blues or blue grounds with white stripes, dyes that will not fade. January Sale, 15c and..... ..... .20

White Vestings

All white wash materials in fine stripes and pin dots. Regular 20c for ..... .13½

White Swiss Dot Muslins

All sizes of dots in the lot, worth up to 35c. January Sale. ..... .19

Wrapperettes

White grounds with blue, pink or black dots or stripes, suitable for children's wear, regular 12 1-2c. January Sale. 8½

January Sale of New White Waists

$3.00 White Silk Waists $1.99

1 dozen only, White Silk Waists, good quality silk, made with hemstitched pleats and trimmed with lace and tucks. Regular $3.00. January White Sale 1.99

$5.00 Lace Waists $3.98

Very handsome Lace Net Waists, good quality, in white and ecru, in two styles, new directoire sleeves and Gibson collars, silk lined and trimmed with insertion and frills to match, all sizes 3.98

Elaborate New Spring Waists 3.50 to 5.00

The new spring waists in soft lawn in handsome embroidered designs, allovers, embroideries and mulls, spot brussels and fancy nets showing the new yoke and directoire sleeve styles. January Sale Prices, $3.50, 4.00, 4.50 and..... 5.00

January Sale Prices in Staples

The great drop in prices just at the time when these January Sale goods were bought enables us to give you the following.

Stripped Flannelettes

A good assortment of patterns, 25 inches wide 5c

Plain Saxony Flannelette

In white, sky, cardinal or pink, heavy soft finish, 28 inches wide. January White Sale. 8½

Apron Prints with border

Heavy Dutch make and fast dyes, in navy, cadet, and black grounds, covered with small dots, 36 inches wide. January Sale Price .... .10

Pillow Cases

Made of fine English cotton with spoke hemstitching, 40, 42, 44 inch sizes. January Sale, each .... .15

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English Longcloths

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Bleached Sheetings

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There are at present in the House of Refuge 35 inmates, 20 males and 15 females, and although the aggregate number of days of the inmates maintained this year as compared with 1907, is nearly doubled, yet the cost of maintenance with it is estimated be reduced from $2.55 to considerably below $2.00, but of course, last year being the initial year, had its drawbacks by way of supplies not being raised on the farm for the first 7 or 8 months.

The House of Refuge has earned a reputation with regard to the stock raised. A pair of Durham calves born last March were weighed recently and tipped the scales at 1075 lbs. Mr Beavis considers this hard to beat in view of the fact that the animals only received ordinary care. — Lakefield News.

HON. SIDNEY FISHER'S SEAT IS PROTESTED

Montreal, Jan. 9.—Hon. Sydney Fisher, Minister of Agriculture, was yesterday served with papers protesting his election in Brome County.

The legal time limit for protests has passed, but owing to the absence of the minister in Europe attending an international agricultural conference the time limit in his case was extended by the courts.

Mr. Fisher only returned from Rome a few days ago and the bailiff who was entrusted with the serving of the papers has been seeking an opportunity since then to meet Mr. Fisher.

This was obtained yesterday at Farnham, when Mr. Fisher was passing through that place on a train.

WENT IN TO ASK FOR WORK AND CAME OUT WITH $22.00

W. J. Montgomery did not long enjoy liberty after P. C. Meharry started on his trail for the theft of $21.00 belonging to Walter Mackie. In Police Court on Saturday he pleaded guilty, and was remanded for a week.

Friday afternoon, according to the report, Montgomery, who is a young man 18 years old, residing at 137 Romaine street, went into the rear of Stenson's store to the cobbling shop, where Mr. Walter Mackie was working. He enquired about getting some work, and after awaiting around a short time, left the place. Mr. Mackie had a sum of money in a pair of trousers hanging on the wall. Shortly after the money was found missing.

The police were communicated with, and in the evening P.C. Meharry had rounded up his man in a local hotel. Twenty dollars and ninety-one cents were recovered.

WAS HURT BY BEING STRUCK BY CUTTER

Mrs. John Hart Injured While on Her Way to Church Yesterday Morning.

Mrs. John Hart, Bethune street, wife of the well known caretaker of the Collegiate Institute, had a narrow escape from possible serious injury while on her way to church yesterday and she will feel the effects of the accident for some time. She was on London street and was crossing at George street, when a horse and cutter swung around the corner the vehicle striking Mrs. Hart and knocking her down. She was taken by some friends into the residence of Mr. F. Richardson, on London street and later on was driven home, suffering from the shock but otherwise uninjured.

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Minister Wanted For Michigan Murder Cuts His Throat And Will Probably Die

Examiner Special.

Toronto, Jan. 11.—Rev. John H. Carmichael, wanted for Michigan murder, cut his throat at the home of his sister, Mrs. Hughes, at Carthage, Ill., to-day and which is probably fatal. The man, thought to be Carmichael, at Myrtle, was released by rural constable.

DISASTROUS FIRES AT APSLEY CAUSE HAVOC IN TWO HOMES

Apsley, Jan. 11.—Special.—Two fires on the evening of Thursday of last week resulted in heavy loss to the owners, both being caused by overheated pipes, the result of the cold snap.

Late in the afternoon Mr. Robert Mace, who resides about 10 miles north of the village was the first sufferer. Mrs. Mace who was at work in the kitchen, happened to go into the main part of the house and discovered it a mass of flames. She had only time to secure a pocket book containing some $20.00 everything else in the house being consumed, all the men were away in the woods, so she was helpless.

The second fire occurred early in the evening when the home of Mr. Joseph McCauley on the east road, about 6 miles from the village, with a large portion of the contents was destroyed. It could not be learned if there was any insurance in either case.

Ennismore Man Cured Of Cancer When Hope Had Been Given Up

Examiner Special.

Ennismore, Jan. 11.—Mr. Owen O'Connor has just returned from his trip to Brown Hill, Ont., where he went three weeks ago for treatment of a cancer, which two doctors had pronounced incurable. There is no trace of a cancer to-day on Mr. O'Connor's face. The cure is simply wonderful, not even his best friends holding out any hope of its removal. Mrs. Sawder, of that village, is deserving of more than a passing notice. Whatever her remedy for dealing with cancer may be, the results of her treatment are so satisfactory and permanent as to entitle her to an honourable place among the benefactors of mankind.

Mr. O'Connor speaks in the highest terms of the kindness he received at her home, the attention bestowed on his particular case, and the trifling fee charged for her fruitful services. Her home, he says, is patronized by sufferers from this dread disease, from all parts of the continent, and in almost every case she was successful. The public should know more of this wonderful woman, and her still more wonderful remedy for treating cancer.

First Meeting Of Canadian Club To Be Held On Jan. 18

The first meeting of the Canadian Club for this year will be held on Monday evening, January 18, at the National Hotel. Rev. Dr. Gould has been secured as speaker, and the subject of his address will be announced later.

Membership tickets for the year can be obtained from the following members of the executive: Messrs. D. O'Connell, H. R. H. Kenner, Dr. Cameron, J. H. Larmonth, Rev. H. J. Keith, J. E. Hodgson, H. LeBrun, D. Hughes Charles, A. H. Stratton, T. F. Matthews, S. R. Armstrong, F. D. Kerr, or the Secretary, Mr. E. L. Goodwill.

PETERBORO' YOUNG MAN SUING PORT HOPE RINK CO. FOR INJURIES RECEIVED

Mr. James Holland, through his solicitor, Mr. D. H. Chisholm, is claiming damages from the Skating and Curling Rink Company for injuries received while attending the hockey match between Cobourg and Port Hope on New Year's night.

Mr. Holland was standing on the west side of the rink, near one of the windows, and some young lads were endeavouring to gain an entrance to the rink through this window. Charles Floody, an employee of the rink, in an attempt to catch the boys, threw the window up and it struck Mr. Holland in the face with terrific force. It caused a large gash from the upper part of the cheek around to the forehead and both eyes were discoloured and swollen. It required several stitches to close the wound, and Dr. Forrest, who attended Mr. Holland, states that it will leave a lasting scar. Mr. Holland claims that the accident was due to gross negligence on the part of Charles Floody, an employee of the rink.

The claim for damages is $500, but it is probable that a settlement will be arranged. If not a writ will be issued by Mr. Chisholm, and the case will come up at the Assizes in Cobourg.—Port Hope Guide.

Mr. Holland is a Peterborough young man now residing in Port Hope. His parents reside on Chambers street.

Two Burglars Surprised In London St. House---Both Escape

Mr. Hamilton Godfrey, London street, was awakened from sleep on Thursday night last by a noise in the hall below. A few minutes later the continued sounds assured him that someone had gained entrance to the house and was moving around. Mr. Godfrey crept slowly down stairs and surprised the two men. One of them he was able to catch, but the other made good his escape. The former while being held gave his name and Mr. Godfrey was preparing to inform the police, when the second man returned and by combined efforts both got away.

They had entered the house by opening the front door. Nothing has been since seen of the men.

Husband And Wife Affected By Fumes From Coal Stove

Another narrow escape from asphyxiation from gas fumes was reported this time from the south end of the city. On Saturday morning Mr. and Mrs. R. Fell were almost overcome by the fumes which had in some manner escaped from a coal stove. Mrs. Fell was affected to a greater extent than her husband, but both have now thrown off the bad effects resulting from their experience.

SISTER OF LOCAL LADY IS DEAD AT TORONTO

Miss McBirnie Receives the Sad Intelligence of the Death of Her Sister.

Miss Mary McBirnie, who resides with Mr. John Nugent, 206 Brock street, received a telephone message this morning telling her of the sudden death of her sister Sabina, wife of Mr. H. G. Lockhart, of Fernie, B.C. During the forest fires of last summer, Mr. McBirnie, who is a merchant in Fernie, had his premises destroyed. During their reconstruction, Mrs. Lockhart came to Toronto to stay with her family. She was a daughter of the late Mr. McBirnie, a former resident of Peterborough. The remains will be interred in the Little Lake Cemetery. The funeral will be from the Canadian Pacific Railway Station on the arrival of the express from Toronto at 11.35 a.m., on Wednesday next.

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TRANSFORMER ON FIRE YESTERDAY MORNING

Fire Brigade Were Called Out to an Early Blaze at Corner of Water and Simcoe Streets.

The fire brigade were called out early yesterday morning to extinguish a blazing transformer on Water street. Shortly before six o'clock, P. C. Meharry saw the bright reflection and turned in an alarm from box 42. The brigade made a quick run to the scene of trouble and discovered that a transformer on a pole at the corner of Water and Simcoe streets near the Bank of Montreal was on fire. A small stream was turned on and the blaze was quickly extinguished with little damage. There was a high wind blowing towards the bank at the time and it is fortunate that the blaze was discovered when it was, as considerable damage might have resulted.

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LATE CORNELIUS HALPIN LAID TO REST TO-DAY

The funeral of the late Cornelius Halpin, who died on Saturday morning at his house, 158 Lake street, took place this morning at nine o'clock. A large number of persons were present and followed the hearse to the church, where high mass was celebrated by Father Galvin, and from there it proceeded to St. Peter's Cemetery, prayers being said by Rev. Dr. O'Brien. The pall-bearers were Mayor Rush, John O'Brien, James O'Brien, Mr. Bogue, Mr. Drake and James Graham.

The C. M. B. A. was represented by a large number of the members, Mr. Halpin having been one of the order for a long time.

OBITUARY.

MISS MARGARET CAMPBELL

On Saturday evening about 8 o'clock, Miss Margaret Campbell, of North Monaghan, died at the Nihecliis Hospital. Her death was due to a complication of cardiac and pulmonary affection. The deceased lady was the youngest of the family of which Mr. George Campbell, of North Monaghan, near Springville, with whom she lived, and Rev. Isaac Campbell, of Norfolk, Virginia, are brothers. The funeral will take place on Tuesday, January 12th, from the Presbyterian church, Springville, to the Anglican Cemetery, Ida, for interment.

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LOST — COLLIE DOG ANSWERING to the name of Barney, with white spot on breast and on back of neck; anyone harbouring this dog after this notice will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. 3d 7 5926
R. JONES.

LOST — A LADY'S SLIPPER BEtween Gilmour and Walton streets. Finder will kindly return to this office. 3d 7 5922

LOST—TWO HOUNDS, COLOURS white, black and yellow, answer to the names "Jap" and "Nipper." Anyone found harbouring these dogs after this notice will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. 6d-b
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The making of good citizens begins at the cradle—a concise statement of the value of wholesome home training.

LABOUR CONFERENCE.

The labour interests of Canada, through the Executive of the Trades and Labour Congress of Canada, will wait upon the Government to-morrow to submit resolutions adopted, at the Halifax sitting, to the Dominion Cabinet. The result of the coming conference, will not fail to be satisfactory to labour interests, if the demands made are reasonable and practicable. The Liberals of Canada have, from the very nature of the principles of their political faith, always been friendly to fair play for all classes, especially those which represent most fully the people at large; and the Government by its plentiful legislation has striven to the utmost, to provide protection of the interests of labour and guarantees of its rights without derogation of those of any other class. The concession of equal rights in principle and practice is what constitutes the only satisfactory basic principle of logical government and satisfying administration.

The Germans are complaining of the Canadian surtax upon importations from the Fatherland. They have only themselves to blame. The surtax was was imposed in self-defence against German tariff legislation or regulation hostile to this country.

THE SENATE VACANCY.

The Senate vacancy created by the death of Hon Samuel Merner, of Berlin, suggests the idea that in filling it, the claims of the Peterborough district should not be ignored as has been done since Confederation. If the representative character of the Senate is to be held in consistent regard in making appointments, the rights of this district in this respect should not be over-looked. Almost every part of Ontario from Ottawa to Windsor, has been or is represented by a Senator, except Peterborough. In the matter of distribuiton some districts have been doubly and trebly favoured. The Toronto district has had three Senators, Ottawa two, London two and even Lindsay two. In the West Sarnia, Windsor, Hanover, Mount Forest and Beamsville (in the Hamilton district) have been honoured. In the Midlands, Belleville, Cobourg and Lindsay. In the northwest, Barrie and Berlin have not been neglected. In the east, Kingston, Perth, Brockville, Alexandria and Ottawa have not been ignored. In view of these things it is not unreasonable to demand that the west and other parts of the province which have been plentifully provided with Senators, should not stand in the way of having a member appointed for the Peterborough district. In all fairness we have a good claim. Because this claim is urged by the Examiner is not to say that Hon. Mr. Stratton is a candidate. He has no such ambition. He has and will have for the next five years—if it is not less majestic to say as much—more important representative duties to fulfil. The post office address of the next Senator appointed should be Peterborough.

At Confederation Senators Miller and Wark were appointed by Royal proclamation. Sir John Macdonald appointed 21; Hon. Alex. Mackenzie 4; Sir John Abbot 3; Sir John Thompson 3; Sir Mackenzie Bowell 8; Sir Sir Charles Tupper 1, and, old age beginning to decimate the Senate, Sir Wilfrid Laurier 36.

HOME MISSIONS.

Rev. Dr. Neil, of the Westminster Presbyterian Church, in addressing the Evangelical Alliance of Toronto, sounded an alarm which should rouse the churches and Christian citizenship of Canada to action. Speaking of the "strange conceptions many of our foreign population have of Canadian law and order, of home life and national life," he said:

"If we Christian churches in Toronto don't soon do something to educate them as Christian Canadian citizens they will become a great menace to us. In all our activities for what we believe to be the good of our State our opponents use many of the strangers against us. Many of these people are very clever, and there are, I think, no keener-minded children in this city than theirs. We should be at work among them. It would be, I think, a good idea if each church denomination would take one district and do its best to evangelize it."

There we have the whole case for Home Missions. The conditions mentioned as existing and constituting a menace in Toronto, apply (with similar force to the Canadian North-west. This part of Canada is filling up rapidly with a population of complex character. While the vast majority of them are nominally Christians—come from Christian countries—a very large proportion of them have been and have grown up under political and civil conditions which have never yielded a knowledge, or inspired conceptions of what constitutes the high form of Christian civilization, which obtains in Canada. (Without timely and wise guidance they will be or become deteriorating and mischevious elements in our population, and a dangerous and disintegrations factor in influencing our national life. Even those of our new population in the west, who come from the older parts of Canada, from Great Britain and the United States, who were born to the enjoyment of the privileges of, and the practice of the duties of, the highest form of civilization, will show moral lapse and deterioration of character, if they are deprived of the influences of Christian teaching and religious worship, which had made them what they were when they left Christian communities endowed with all the privileges, facilities and environments which go to form the highest development of citizenship.

In view of such facts, the duty of Christian churches and all good citizens is plain. The conditions, which, as shown by the quoted remarks of Dr. Neil, exist in Toronto, suggest the necessity of home mission work. If home mission work is indicated in Toronto, it is also more urgently indicated in the Northwest of Canada, where population is pouring in, where the distances are great and opportunities for Christian worship and Christian teaching are few or altogether wanting. There must be supplied or results that imperil the integrity of the national character will follow. Here is a wide field for church activity, with the harvest ripe and at hand. Not only are the churches and their ministers and members called upon to take action, but, if it is possible to thus differentiate, all good citizens are called to co-operation. The dangen of neglect of our Northwest in regard to the provision of religious and moral prevention and reformatory methods is natural. The big end of the Dominion will, in not many years, be the West. Its influence in national affairs, whether wholesome or unwholesome, will depend upon the measure and effectiveness of the activity of Eastern Canada, in providing the conditions that will insure a high character of western population.

The revived interest of the laymen of our churches in missionary movement is logical, especially in regard to home missions. It is to these that we must look for the prevention of the debasement of the standard of Canadian citizenship. No one will for one moment disparage the merits of foreign missions; but as we in Canada are situated, the demands of home missions are paramount. The spirit of Christ's commission to His apostles was the Home Mission spirit—"repentance and remission of sins shall be preached in His name among all nations, beginning at Jerusalem," . . . and ye shall be witness for me, both in Jerusalem, and in Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth." Our "Jerusalem" is the Canadian Northwest. A man must first provide for his own household before he is free to spend his means upon the most commendable outside objects of liberality. No woman is called to any work that will involve neglect of her home duties. Does it not follow that the Christian zeal and liberality are misplaced, that take practical cognizance of the demands of foreign missions when the Home Mission field is suffering from lack of harvesters. Home Missions have the first call from the Biblical point of view, and the secular point of view discloses a similar priority of claim.

There is more truth than cynicism in the saying that charity begins at home.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

One of the most important co-incidents of the recent trade depression was the falling off of customs revenue receipts, due less activity of importation. Therefore a resumption of normal revenue condition is, pro tanto, an indication that the wave of hard times has largely spent its force. The Customs revenue of Canada for the month of December, 1908, has been the largest in the history of the Dominion for that month. The receipts were $7,183,356, an excess of $89,825 over the collection of the same month in the buoyant year, 1907. It looks as if the tide of trade has turned.

THE BLUE MOSQUE.

If Ever Color Calls, It Calls in the Mosque of Ibrahim Aga.

As every one who visits Rome goes to St. Peter's, so every one who visits Cairo goes to the mosque of Mohammed Ali in the citadel, a gorgeous building in a magnificent situation, the interior of which always makes me think of court functions and of the pomp of life rather than of prayer and self denial. More attractive to me is the "blue mosque," to which I returned again and again, enticed almost as by the fascination of the living blue of a summer sky.

This mosque, which is the mosque of Ibrahim Aga, but which is familiarly known to its lovers as the "blue mosque," lies to the left of a ramshackle street and from the outside does not look specially inviting. Even when I passed through its door and stood in the court beyond at first I felt not its charm. All looked old and rough, unkempt and in confusion. The red and white stripes of the walls and the arches of the arcade, the mean little place for ablution—a pipe and a row of brass taps—led the mind from a Neapolitan ice to a second rate school, and for a moment I thought of abruptly retiring and seeking more splendid precincts. And then I looked across the court to the arcade that lay beyond, and I saw the exquisite "love color" of the marvelous tiles that give this mosque its name.

The huge pillars of this arcade are striped and ugly, but between them shone with an ineffable luster a wall of purple and blue, of purple and blue so strong and yet so delicate that it held the eyes and drew the body forward. If ever color calls, it calls in the "blue mosque" of Ibrahim Aga. And when I had crossed the court, when I stood beside the pulpit, with its delicious wooden folding doors, and studied the tiles of which this wonderful wall is composed, I found them as lovely near as they are lovely far off. From a distance they resemble a nature effect, are almost like a bit of southern sea or of sky, a fragment of gleaming Mediterranean seen through the pillars of a loggia or of Sicilian blue watching over Etna in the long summer days.

When one is close to them they are a miracle of art. The background of them is a milky white upon which is an elaborate pattern of purple and blue, generally conventional and representative of no known object, but occasionally showing tall trees somewhat resembling cypresses. But it is impossible in words adequately to describe the effect of these tiles and of the tiles that line to the very roof the tomb house on the right of the court. They are like a cry of ecstasy going up in this otherwise not very beautiful mosque. They make it unforgettable; they draw you back to it again and yet again. On the darkest day of winter they set something of summer there. In the saddest moment they proclaim the fact that there is joy in the world; that there was joy in the hearts of creative artists years upon years ago. If you are ever in Cairo and sink into depression, go to the "blue mosque" and see if it does not have upon you an uplifting moral effect. And then, if you like, go on from it to the Gamia el Mouayad sometimes called El Ahmar (the red) where you will find greater glories though no greater fascination, for the tiles hold their own among all the wonders of Cairo.—Robert Hichens in Century.

Helps Some.

Church—And how he done anything to relieve suffering humanity? Go them—Oh, yes; he has sent his daughter abroad to take her singing lessons —Yonkers Statesman.

To Suffer From Headaches Makes Life Miserable.

It takes a person that has had or is subject to headaches to describe the suffering which attends them.

The majority of cases are caused by constipation and dyspepsia. The dull throbbings, the intense pain, sometimes in one part, sometimes in another, and then over the whole head, varying in its severity by the cause which brings it on, purely indicates that there is something the matter with the stomach or bowels. To the fact that Burdock Blood Bitters reaches every part of the system is due its success in relieving and permanently curing headache. It has proven a specific for the malady in all its forms.

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"Have you confessed to murder?" was asked.

"Gentlemen, don't try to be funny. This is a sacred thing. I was in Boston three years ago, and I picked up a package on the street. On opening it I found seventy-five $1,000 bills. The name of the loser was there, but I took that money and got out of town by the first train. My conscience told me that I was as bad as a thief, but I tried to stifle it."

"A drummer with a conscience!" sneered three of the listeners in chorus.

"I went to Chicago with the money," continued the drummer, "and invested it in real estate. I knew it was wrong, but I did it. Six months ago I found myself worth $200,000. Conscience would not down. It got so bad that I couldn't look even a confidence man in the face. At length I started for Boston and hunted up the loser of the wealth. I found him in his office and told my story. When it was finished I laid my all before him and asked his forgiveness."

"And what did he do?"

"I will tell you what he did, and I shall never forget it. He looked at me and saw how I was suffering, and he took me by the hand and said in a fatherly way:

"'My friend, suffer no more. I was going to a poker game when I lost that money, and it would have gone anyhow.'

"But what in thunder are you doing on the road if you are worth $200,000?" shouted a voice.

"Conscience again, gentlemen—conscience. It won't let me retire and leave you fellows to do all the lying!"

The Earth's Changes.

The surface of the earth is undergoing steady transformation, largely through the agency of man, but perhaps nowhere is the plant and animal life of the region being more rapidly superseded than in New Zealand. The native Polynesian race, crowded by Europeans, is becoming extinct. Many of the imported animals run wild and multiply rapidly at the expense of the native species, even the streams being filled with European and American trout, which grow to great size.

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The difficulty is that to get these effects a great deal of fruit must be eaten, and the excess of pulp and seedy matter may upset the digestion. The better way is to give the children "Fruit-a-tives", which are tablets made of concentrated fruit juices with valuable tonics added.

"Fruit-a-tives" have the combined effect of the different fruit juices, helping all the eliminating organs to work properly, curing Constipation, toning up the system, and keeping the children plump and rosy. 25c. for a trial box, 50c. for regular size—5 boxes for $1.00. Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

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MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Close Unchanged, Chicago Lower—Live Stock—Latest Quotations.

Saturday Evening, Jan. 9.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day unchanged from yesterday, and corn closed 1-2d higher.

At Chicago, May wheat closed 2-8c lower than yesterday, May corn 2-8c lower, and May oats closed 1-8c lower.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—January 99¾c bid, July $1.05¾ bid, May $1.06¾ bid.
Oats—January 65¾c bid, May 61c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	0 94	to $....
Wheat, red, bush	0 93	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 93	....
Rye, bushel	0 88	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 85	....
Peas, bushel	0 90	....
Barley, bushel	0 59	0 62
Oats, bushel	0 43	....

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 26
Butter, store lots	0 23	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 28	0 29
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 40	....
Eggs, cold storage	0 28	....
Cheese, large, lb	0 15½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 16	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11
Honey, combs, dozen	2 25	2 75

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 9.—Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 9½d. Futures quiet; March 7s 7¾d, May 7s 7d.

Corn—Spot steady; new American mixed, via Galveston, 5s 5d. Futures quiet; Jan. 5s 5½d, March 5s 3¾d, May 5s 2¾d.

Peas—Canadian steady, 7s 6½d.

Hops—At London (Pacific coast) steady, £2 to £3 10s.

Flour—Winter patents firm, 28s.

Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, spot steady, 30s.

Beef—Extra India mess steady, 112s 6d.

Pork—Prime mess, western, quiet, 82s 6d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., strong, 48s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs., firm, 42s 6d; short rib, 16 to 24 lbs., firm, 45s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs., dull, 45s 6d; do., heavy, 35 to 40 lbs., quiet, 45s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs., dull, 45s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs., easy, 45s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs., dull, 30s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, firm, 42s 6d; American refined, in pails, 43s 6d, firm.

Butter—Good U. S. steady, 92s.

Cheese—Canadian finest white firm, 48s 6d; do., colored, firm, 48s 6d.

Tallow—Prime city dull, 23s; Australian, in London, dull, 23s 6d.

Turpentine—Spirits firm, 35s 6d.

Linseed oil—Dull, 28s 9d.

Petroleum—Steady, 7½d.

Rosin—Common firm, 4s 6d.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—Butter—Steady; unchanged; receipts, 2331.

Cheese—Firm; unchanged; receipts, 1886.

Eggs—Steady; receipts, 4323; state, Pennsylvania and near-by fancy selected, white, 33c to 34c; do., fair to choice, 32c to 33c; brown and mixed fancy, 34c to 35c; do., fair to choice, 31c to 33c; western firsts, 31½c to 32c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Steady—Hogs Are Down 10c at Buffalo.

LONDON, Jan. 9.—London cables for cattle are steady, at 12c to 14 1-2c per pound, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9 1-4c to 9 1-2c per lb.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 9.—John Rogers & Co., Liverpool, cable to-day: United States steers from 13 to 14 cents; Canadians 11 to 13 cents; ranchers, 10c to 11 1-2c; cows and heifers, 10 to 11 1-2c; bulls, 10c. Market is firm.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—Beeves—Receipts, 1194; all for slaughterers; nothing doing; feeling steady; shipments, 3708 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 388; market steady to strong; veals, $9 to $10; western calves, $4.37 1-2; Indiana do., $4.50 to $6.

Sheep and lambs — Receipts, 5720; sheep, steady; lambs, firm; sheep, $3 to $4.50; lambs, $7.50 to $8; culls, $4.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 6417; no sales.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Jan. 9.—Cattle—Receipts 400; steady; beeves, $4 to $7.50; Texans, $3.90 to $4.60; westerners, $4 to $5.60; stockers and feeders, $3.25 to $4.90; cows and heifers, $1.75 to $5.15; calves, $7.50 to $9.50.

Hogs—Receipts 18,000; 5c lower; light, $5.40 to $6.10; mixed, $5.65 to $6.25; heavy, $5.70 to $6.20; rough, $5.70 to $5.85; good to choice heavy, $5.85 to $6.20; pigs, $4.80 to $5.50; bulk of sales, $5.80 to $6.15.

Sheep—Receipts 2000; steady; native, $3.10 to $5.75; western, $3.15 to $5.85; yearlings, $5 to $7.25; lambs, native, $5 to $8.10; western, $5 to $8.

Two Brothers Disappeared.

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 11.—John Charbonneau disappeared from Brampton, Ont., Dec. 14, 1907. The same day, two years later, his brother disappeared. Neither has been heard from, and the court here on Saturday found that both left the same estate here to a penny.

Suing For Million.

St. Louis, Jan. 11.—Suit for nearly $1,000,000 was filed against local street car companies on behalf of the City of St. Louis Saturday.

The claim is based upon the nonpayment of a tax of one mill for every paid passenger since March 25, 1898.

NO WOMAN

CAN BE STRONG AND HEALTHY UNLESS THE KIDNEYS ARE WELL.

When the kidneys are ill, the whole body is ill, for the poisons which the kidneys ought to filter out of the blood are left in the system. Then how important it must be to see to it that this system of sewerage be not clogged up. Those who have never been troubled with kidney trouble know not the misery and suffering which those afflicted undergo.

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Doan's Kidney Pills are entirely vegetable, and may be safely taken by young and old.

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Mrs. M. Bryanton, Spring Valley, P.E.I., writes: "I was troubled with my kidneys for two years. They were so bad at times I could not cross the floor for the pain. I tried a doctor but he did me no good at all. I sent to my nearest druggist and got four boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills, and I am glad to say that after taking them I have had no more trouble for nearly three years now."

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Fig Pills will cure Rheumatism and all Blood Disease. Pimples and Blotches removed in a few days by taking Fig Pills. One taken at night time will make you feel better in the morning. Large boxes, 25c.

Forget For Senator?

Montreal, Jan. 11.—It is rumored here that Lieutenant-Governor Forget of Saskatchewan, whose term is drawing to a close, will be called to the Canadian Senate, replacing the late Senator Bernier, whose death was announced the other day from St. Boniface. As an official of the Department of the Interior at Regina, then lieutenant-governor of the Northwest Territories, and later on first governor of the new province of Saskatchewan, Hon. Mr. Forget has had excellent opportunities to study the Canadian west.

Not a Reformer.

New York, Jan. 11.—The nephew of the great Chinese reformer, Kang Yu Wei, Y. S. Wan, who is at present in this city, said in an interview with a representative of the Associated Press yesterday: "The American people have made a mistake in believing that Yuan Shi Kai, recently dismissed from his great offices in Pekin, was a reformer. Not only was he not a reformer, but a destroyer of reforms."

Confesses to Murder

Syracuse, N.Y., Jan. 11.—A despatch to The Herald from Oneida, N. Y., says:

George Burlingame, charged with the murder of Elbert W. Baldwin, whose body was found in the canal in Oneida a month ago, has confessed that he stabbed Baldwin in a quarrel over a woman, then struck him over the head with a heavy stone and threw the body into the canal.

Ex-Jailer Jailed.

Vancouver, Jan. 11.—J. Miller, for five years jailer at the city police station, was discharged a few months ago. Since then he has been proprietor of the Turkish baths, which the police raided Friday as disorderly resort. He was tried Saturday afternoon and sentenced to six months in jail. The magistrate lectured him severely and Miller before being led out of the dock, over which he had long presided broke down and wept like a child.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT

Wm. Madill desires to announce to the readers of the Examiner that they have secured the agency for Parisian Sage, the marvelous dandruff cure and delightful hair dressing.

Wm. Madill is glad to state that Parisian Sage is a rigidly guaranteed hair restorer.

It cures dandruff in two weeks by killing the dandruff microbes; it stops falling hair; it cures all scalp diseases, or money back.

It is a most pleasant hair dressing, especially for ladies, as it makes the hair soft and lustrous. The price is only 50 cents a large bottle at Wm. Madill's, or by express, all charges prepaid, from Giroux Mfg. Co., Fort Erie, Ont.

Women Slain In Feud.

Williamstown, Ky., Jan. 11.—Miss Ethel Ransom, aged 25 years, was killed, and five other persons injured, two probably fatally, as a result of a feud fight on the streets of Williamstown on Saturday, between the Lantern and Ransom families.

Miss Ransom's brother, Sidney, was probably fatally wounded, as was also Chas. Clark, Gov. Clark, Emmit Hallman and Tina Turner were wounded slightly.

Grover and Geo. Lankum, both of whom escaped serious injury, were arrested.

Asters For Parliament.

London, Jan. 11.—Political gossip here is busily commenting on two new Conservative candidates for Parliament, young Waldorf Astor and his brother-in-law, Capt. Spencer Clay.

Mr. Astor is standing for Plymouth and Clay for Tunbridge. According to local reports the prospects of both for election are very rosy.

Big Storm In West.

Salt Lake, Utah, Jan. 11.—The unprecedented storm of the last few days over the northwestern Pacific states gives no indications of abatement. The unusual cold continues and the snowfall is beginning to impede railway traffic.

Bank Manager Sentenced.

Winnipeg, Jan. 11.—C. De Forbes, former bank manager and secretary of Malcolms' Western Canneries Limited, was on Saturday sentenced to 23 months in jail for forgery.

How Indians Catch Monkeys.

In South America the Indians take a cocoanut and cut a hole in each end just large enough for the monkey's paws. Then they fill the middle of the nut with sugar. When a monkey comes across the shell he thrusts in one paw and, finding sugar, he pushes in the other. He closes both paws on the sugar and then will not remove either for fear he shall lose the sugar. Then, while he cannot use either paw, he is easily caught.

ALL IS DESOLATION.

London Correspondent Describes the Ruins at Messina.

London, Jan. 11.—Of all the recent despatches from the ruined cities of southern Italy, that which gives the most complete picture of the conditions there is one from the special correspondent of The London Times, who witnessed the result of the San Francisco earthquake. In describing his arrival on the scene this correspondent telegraphs:

"When we had passed Scylla and rounded Capo del Faro there opened upon us the panorama of destruction. Pare, Paradina, and all the villages along the coast were in ruins. Then Messina came into sight. The sun was setting, and a lovely frame of violet hills, a tranquil dark sea, and a sky of emerald and gold surrounded the scene of the world's greatest tragedy.

"At first the extent of the disaster was not apparent, for the white walls showed prettily against the dark background, and it was hard to believe that the city was destroyed. But soon we saw that nothing remained but tottering shells. All along the magnificent curved sea front was ruin. Nothing broke the desolate line. Nothing had been spared.

"And then we entered the harbor and the most dreadful things of all became apparent to us. Messina was dead. Throughout the length of the Corso Vittorio Emanuele, which a few days ago had been an esplanade busy with traffic and gay with life and color, was silence—the silence of the grave. Sometimes a few soldiers passed, and at one point there was a small crowd waiting for the distribution of food. The rest was death. That was the first impression.

"Night fell, and the only illumination was from lamps and the searchlights of many ships in the harbor. I was rowed ashore. The searchlight on an Italian warship played on a single spot, and to it the boatmen took me. It was where the troops had organized some sort of headquarters, and a little band of soldiers were sitting around a camp fire. They talked softly, as men do in the presence of death, and, in the brilliant light from the ship, it seemed that this was the only place alive in what had been a town of 100,000 inhabitants. This was my second impression.

"I walked the length of the Corso, and then I realized the full horror of what had befallen Messina. The largest city in Sicily had been smashed as a glass dish would be smashed if it were thrown upon a stone floor. That any of the inhabitants survived seems a miracle. That the most appalling estimates of the loss of life have not been exaggerations appears evident. To go into details is useless. It is ruin everywhere."

Fire at Niagara Falls.

Niagara Falls, Jan. 11.—Fire did damage estimated at $1,500 at the Parkdale Inn on Saturday morning destroying the top floor of the building. Fire supposed to have originated through a defective chimney. The flames were discovered by the night watchman at the Clifton Hotel, who roused the inmates of the burning building and called the fire brigade. The guests and hotel staff formed a bucket brigade until the fire-fighters came, but the entire upper store was destroyed. Loss partially covered by insurance.

Keir Hardie In America Again.

New York, Jan. 11.—Keir Hardie arrived on the Campania Saturday. Mr. Hardie comes over particularly to deliver an address in Carnegie Hall on Tuesday evening for the Civic Forum, although he will speak also in Boston and in Brooklyn before making his hasty return in order to be on hand for the important labor conference in Portsmouth on Jan. 26.

His subject on Tuesday evening is to be "A Revolution in British Politics and Its Lessons for America."

Frozen to Death.

Bradford, Jan. 11.—At noon Saturday, D. Sutherland forced his way into James Newburn's residence, the latter not having been seen around since Thursday afternoon, and found the body of Newburn frozen stiff. Newburn was a man of about 80 years of age and was living alone. He has four sons and two daughters. Two sons live in the United States, one in Manitoba and the other in this neighborhood.

Electricity For Michigan Central.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 11.—The Journal says that important changes in the operation of the Michigan Central Railway have been decided upon, involving the electrification of all the road's terminals here, and of the main line as far west as Ypsilanti, which is 30 miles from Detroit.

Electric power will be generated by waterpower of the Huron River at Chelsea, Mich.

Almost Gas Victims.

Woodstock, Jan. 11.—Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Thompson, residing just south of the city, narrowly escaped asphyxiation by coal gas on Saturday night, when Mrs. Thompson rose she fell over in a faint, and Mr. Thompson was very ill. Gas had escaped from the coal stove nearby, the top having been left open. It took two doctors to bring the unfortunate lady around yesterday morning.

Water $1 Per Barrel.

Vancouver, B.C., Jan. 11.—Prince Rupert has been without water for a week on account of the freezing up of pipes in the cold snap, in which the mercury stands about zero. The only available water is from a small creek, which is peddled around town at a dollar per barrel. The freezing of the water mains has resulted in the suspension of railway construction within the town limits.

Sued For Libel.

Quebec, Jan. 11.—An action for $500 has been taken out by Hon. L. A. Taschereau against La Compagnie Generale de Publication of Montreal for an alleged libellous article published by that concern about a week ago.

Red Cross Fund.

Washington, Jan. 11.—The red cross fund for the earthquake sufferers yesterday totalled $721,031.

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They reached the northern burg about 5 o'clock, after a most pleasant and refreshing drive of some fourteen miles.

After a thorough warming up, the supper bell rang forth a welcome call, and thirty hungry singers betook themselves to the spacious dining hall, when a sumptuous banquet was spread under the supervision of Mrs. Lawless. Needless to say, the kind hostess, received ample proof of the superiority of her cooking. After full justice was done to the good things, the parlour was invaded and for three hours, music, song and story enlivened the flying moments. After thanking Mrs. Lawless for her great kindness and tendering a hearty vote of thanks to Father Fitzpatrick, the homeward drive, beneath a bright, silvery moon, closed the annual outing of St. Martin's famous choir.

TEMPERANCE AND MORAL REFORM LEAGUE MAKE PREPARATIONS

Following the Week of Prayer, the City Temperance and Moral Reform League will begin its programme of campaign with the vote for the banishment of the bar next January.

The work of the League will be educative throughout the year. The spirit that permeates the executive is that of good-will to the citizenship of this progressive city. In the language of Rev. Dr. Henderson, the League clearly recognizes the fact that the true spirit of Christianity to-day must be translated in the liberty and loving service for the uplift of men around us.

The object of the League will be to bring before the attention of the citizens of Peterborough, facts bearing upon the importance of removing the saloon from the hotel business. It will appeal to those who have been drawn under the power of strong drink, and will seek to work along the lines of the T.A.S., in securing the total abstinence pledge from the men of the city. It will appeal also to the higher ideals in the men who indulge moderately, in the hope that, for the sake of others, they will forego that which after all is a most dangerous and questionable delight. The League will appeal to the man engaged in the traffic themselves in the hope that they may get a clear clear view of the awful havoc that their daily efforts are producing, and the high esteem in which they would otherwise be held if they would cut out the bar and do all that they are capable of doing in helping to build up a strong and genuine citizenship where every British subject would be free to enjoy the blessings of his home and family circle. It will be the object of the League also to furnish facts relative to the large gains to the commercial interests of the city, and from time to time, will have the testimony of prominent business men in the towns and cities, where the enormous sums of money (worse than wasted in strong drink, have been converted into groceries, boots and shoes, clothing and bank accounts.

The league will appeal to all the citizens for their assistance in procuring helpful hints and information that will add to the interest of the educational work.

The League has opened an office in the new block, 173 Simcoe street, where all communications, clippings, short, pointed letters may be sent.

Considerable space has been purchased in the city press for the Saturday editions, which will be under the able management of an intelligent, wise and judicial editorial committee, and the executive invites all who are interested in this work to meet with them any Thursday night at their rooms at 178, Simcoe street.

REV. J. G. POTTER.

ANNUAL MEETING

Of The Peterborough Young Men's Christian Association.

The Annual Meeting of the above Association will be held in the Parlours of the Association Building on Tuesday, January 12th, 1909, at 8 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the annual reports and of electing six directors for the term ending December 31st, 1911.

All members and subscribers are invited to attend.

J. C. SHOOK, President. F. G. HASSARD, Gen. Sec.

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FIRST SERMON OF SERIES ON "THE LAST THINGS" BY DR. LANGFELDT

Last night at St. Luke's Church, Ashburnham, Dr. Langfeldt gave the first sermon of a series, which he intends to deliver to his congregation, entitled "The Last Things." The text was taken from St. Paul's Epistle to the Romans, chap.8, v. 19, "For the earnest expectation of the creature waiteth for the manifestation of the sons of God.

The Rev. Dr. Langfeldt pointed out that there is no point in the Christian faith on which such vague conceptions have been formed as about the hope that is set before us, and there are few things laid down more distinctly in both the Old and New Testament than in what that hope should consist.

The ordinary idea that Christian people form as to what is in store for them is something to this effect. That after death their souls pass into heaven, and that at the end of all things, they are turned out of heaven to go back to earth and dress themselves up in the old cast off clothing of their bodies and then stand up for judgment and receive their sentence. And then after this parade the good souls henceforth return to be forever in heaven. But this scheme does not hang together happily, and is without Scriptural guarantee.

In the second chapter of Revelations we have seven exhortations made by Christ Himself to seven churches in Asia that were in trouble, and seven descriptions are given of the rewards laid up for those individual churches, which should resist the wicked one, and persevere to the end. In not one of them is a promise that they should go to heaven, which to the modern minds is everything. What is assured to them is ruling over the nations, eating of the tree of life in Paradise, sitting near the Throne of God, and being clothed in white raiment.

St. Paul teaches that there will be a new creation, and that this depends on the restoration of man, and that the classification of the souls does not take place immediately after death, but in the future.

That there will be happiness in the world is very true, and it will be the same until the end. Dr. Langfeldt also gave many incidents of how the earth is befouled by man by reason of the hideous crimes which are committed in it,

He says that this is not forever, as it will pass completely away and all creation looks forward to this, the hope not of men only but of every sensitive being. In the text St. Paul points out that, the great hope set before the faithful is the restoration of all things, when all that offends will be cast out, and this earth will pass through the re-creating hands of God, to fit it to be [illegible] of His sons in their risen and glorified bodies.

The sufferings of the present time are not worth being compared with the glory that shall be revealed in us at that time.

The hour is coming when all that are in their graves shall hear His voice and shall come forth. They that have done good unto the resurrection of life, and they that have done evil unto the resurrection of damnation. Christ in his declaration of the last judgment expressly says "That it is only after the resurrection that He will say to the righteous, 'Enter thou into the joy of the Lord.'"

As to the stage between death and the resurrection very little is revealed to us. We only know that the souls of the righteous are in the hands of God, and that no torment shall touch them. It has been supposed that the soul passes through a progression of holiness, towards perfection, till it reaches the great end of the journey, which is when soul and body are united at the day of resurrection and judgment. But we know nothing for certain. Scripture is singularly silent upon this. It is more likely that this advance towards perfection takes place after the resurrection in the new world, and the further we look in the Epistles we see that in them the hope set before us is not the going to heaven, but the resurrection at the last day.

How say some, there will be no resurrection. But if this be true Christ is not risen from the dead, and if Christ is not risen then is our faith vain. St. Paul says not one word about going to heaven. He says that were it not for the hope of resurrection set before us we, should of all men be the most miserable. St. Paul understood it that we should be rewarded at the last day, and in the Creed the only hope set before us is the rising from the dead. Then surely our risen bodies will have to live on a risen, renovated earth, that earth being in heaven, in that God is in and around and above it, and that we have very sure testimony in the Scriptures that this risen and glorified creation will be the place of our residence hereafter.

He ends by saying that this world goes through various phases and transformations at the end, but does not cease to exist. It will be purged with fire and will be the home of risen men sanctified and glorified.

BRIDGENORTH COURT ELECTS OFFICERS

Canadian Order of Foresters Held a Regular Meeting Last Week.

Court Bridgenorth No. 315, Canadian Order of Foresters has elected the following officers for the season at a recent meeting:

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" A Jobe ..... C.R.
" D Woods ..... V.C.R.
" T Black ..... R.S.
" R F Smith ..... F.S.
" R Telford ..... Treas.
" H Taylor ..... Chap.
" V Paul ..... S.W.
" J Cullen ..... J.W.
" R Seabler ..... S.B.
" S Ball ..... J.B.
" Dr. W Scott, M.D. ..... Physician.

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Inaugural Meeting Of Council; The Chairmen Are Appointed

Newly Elected Civic Board Meets This Morning for the First Time —Four New Chairmen Selected by Council.

MAYOR RUSH'S ADDRESS.

THE CHAIRMEN

Board of Works—Ald. Phelan.
Fire, Water and Light— Ald. Buller. (New).
Manufactures — Railways and Franchises—Ald. Gillespie. (new)
Finance—Printing and Licenses —Ald. Morrow.
Property—Market, Building and Health—Ald. Bradburn.
Legal —Reception, Legislation and joint with County—Ald. Turner. (New)
Special PowerCommittee— Ald. McIntyre. (New).

The inaugural meeting of the newly elected city council was held this morning at 11 o'clock with all the council present as follows —Mayor H. Rush, Ald. Hicks, Duffus Duncan, Morgan, Buller, Bradburn, Turner, Gillespie, Metheral, McIntyre, Morrow and Phelan. The chief features of the meeting were the Mayor's address and the appointing of the chairmen of the standing committees for the year, which resulted in the re election of three of the old chairmen and the appointing of four new ones.

When the council met City Clerk Armstrong announced the result of the municipal election and reported that all the newly elected council had taken declarations as to their qualifications of offices.

Mayor's Address

Mayor Rush then read the following address to the council--

I am pleased to welcome you to the Council of the City of Peterborough for this year as the choice of the electors to look after the interests of the municipality. I feel honoured myself in being placed in this position for another term, and I know we all feel the responsibility of the trust reposed in us.

It will be our duty to carry on the policy of building up the city For this purpose no opportunity should be overlooked. Advantage should be taken of every opening to add to our industries whenever it can be done on terms advantageous to the city and anything that can be done to attract industries should be carried out.

The matter of experditures will require our careful attention. The additional schools that have been erected and the enlarged accommodation for school purposes has added considerably to the expenditure for educational purposes, and the requirements of the Board of Education, as shown by the demand which has been forwarded to the council will be materially more than last year. This sum must be raised, and will increase the tax rate for that purpose, and that we may keep the total rate as low as possible, consistent with proper service we will have to lay our plans for the year's work with the utmost care. Careful estimates of cost of every projected work should be made before it is undertaken, and the expenditures guarded to produce the best results.

The question of increased sewer accommodation was taken up last year and will require to be dealt with this year, so that the congestion at the outlet will be relieved, either by the construction of a new outlet or by such other means as may be found expedient.

I am sure that we can look forward to a year of harmonious effort to advance the interests of the city.

On motion of Ald. Phelan and Ald. Morrow, it was decided that the standing committees should be struck by the committee of the whole council, and accordingly the council was adjourned to meet immediately afterwards in committee of the whole in the committee room downstairs.

When the question of appointing the chairman of the standing committee came up it was moved by Ald. Morrow seconded by Ald. Bradburn that the chairmen be appointed by ballot without nomination. Ald. Morgan expressed himself as being in favour of having them selected openly but the other motion carried.

Ald. Hicks moved that Ald. Phelan be chairman of the Board of Works, and the motion carried unanimously.

Ald. Phelan in thanking the council for the appointment referred to the fact that he had been blamed for decreasing the wages of the corporation employees which charge he denied emphatically.

Ald. Morgan moved seconded by Ald Bradburn that Ald. Buller be made chairman of the Fire, Water and Light Committee and the motion was carried unanimously.

Ald. Morrow was appointed chairman of the Finance Committee unanimously on motion of Ald Bradburn and Phelan.

The chairmanship of the Manufacturer's Committee which includes Railways and Franchises, was given to Ald. Gillespie without opposition on motion of Ald. Morrow and Phelan

Ald. McIntyre was nominated for the chairmanship of the Property Committee by Ald. Morgan and Metheral and Ald. Bradburn was moved in amendment by Ald. Morrow and Gillespie.

On a ballot being taken Ald. Bradburn was elected by a vote of 6-5 Ald. Hicks not voting— as he afterwards stated.

On motion of Ald Bradburn and Buller, Ald. Turner was unanimously elected to the chairmanship of the Legal and Reception Committee

Ald Bradburn moved seconded by Ald. Duncan that the Power Committee be combined with the Manufacturer's Committee and the motion carried but was withdrawn later.

Ald. Morrow offered to resign from the chairmanship of the Finance Committee in favour of Ald. McIntyre but the latter did not want the position. He stated that he felt that he should have been given the chairmanship of the Property Committee He had had it two years ago and thought that he was not fairly treated last year when it was taken from him. He thought that he would have made a good chairman of that Committee and felt that it should have been given to him.

Ald. Bradburn moved that Ald. McIntyre be made chairman of the Special Power Committee and the motion was carried although Ald. McIntyre made the proposition that Ald. Bradburn should take that committee and give him the Property.

The action of the Mayor in notifying the Peterborough Canal Company that in case that company was not given a deed of their land on the waterfront the money paid by them as their share of the settlement of the Rogers claim should be refunded to them, was endorsed by the council.

The chairmen of the different committees were empowered to draft the personnel of the standing committees and they will report at the regular meeting of the council to-night.

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Presentations Were Made By Members Of Ennismore Class

Ennismore, Jan. 10.—During the Christmas holidays the pupils of the continuation class waited on their teachers, Mr. J. A. O'Donohue and Rev. M. F. Fitzpatrick, and presented each with a very appropriate Christmas gift, accompanied by an address.

The gift to Mr. O'Donohue consisted of ten volumes of the principal poets, elegantly bound in rich Morocco, while that to the Rev. Father Fitzpatrick was a genuine eider-down comforter, richly worked and embroidered.

In thanking the pupils for their valuable and highly-appreciated gifts, Father Fitzpatrick laid particular stress on the excellent character of the work done by Mr. O'Donohue for the past three years, and for the kindly spirit which he noticed always existed between teachers and pupils. He congratulated the pupils on their earnestness and devotion to duty, and pointed with pride to the success of last year, when eight candidates wrote on examinations, five of whom obtained Normal entrance and three third class certificates. This should serve as a spur to faithful, honest work on the part of the present class. Mr. O'Donohue paid a well-deserved compliment to Father Fitzpatrick on the zeal and energy required to establish such a school, where the children of the township were educated in their own homes, and on his devotion to the cause of education, not here alone, but in the public schools of the township.

The closing of the six different schools of the parish was held in the T. A. S. hall, and, afforded the parents an opportunity of judging for themselves, the thoroughness of the work done by the teachers. The concert was by far the best ever given by the children, and the parents went home perfectly delighted.

The council for the coming year is composed of good, level-headed men, and the ratepayers will look for some much needed improvements on the road. A stone crusher is an absolute necessity, as no permanent roads can be made without one.

Miss Duffus, of Peterborough, is at present visiting at the home of M. C. Sullivan, and apparently having an excellent outing.

The Conway Bros. have just closed a most successful season of threshing. Besides a thresher they also operate a sawing machine, with which they do some extraordinary work. For example, last week they cut out of cordwood fifteen cords of stove wood in the short space of two hours. This is a record-breaker for Ennismore. The Conway Bros. are deserving of the high esteem in which they are held by the community at large.

The Inspector Makes Favourable Report On St. Joseph's Hospital

The following are the notes of inspection of St. Joseph's Hospital under the management of the trustees of St. Joseph's made by R. W. Bruce Smith; inspection on Dec 28th, 1908.

Buildings

The building is brick, three storeys with basement, well constructed.

The furnishings are excellent. Wards, beds bedding and furnishings were all inspected and found neat, clean and in perfect order.

There is a splendid new operating room.

The heating, lighting, ventilation, water supply and sewage disposal are all very satisfactory. The new plumbing is a great improvement.

Fire Protection

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Dietary

The dietary is suitable, properly prepared, and nicely served.

The records are neatly and correctly kept.

A careful record of the disposition of all supplies is kept

An inventory is kept of every article purchased and its use is carefully accounted for each month. This is very satisfactory.

Special features observed at inspection—

Special note must be made of the new addition completed during the year and which greatly improved the accommodation at this hospital. The work of construction has been well done. Other improvements, particularly the installation of new closets, baths etc., add greatly to the comfort and sanitary equipment of the institution. The expenditures have evidently been well and wisely made, and this hospital will now compare favourable with any in the Province

Needs and recommendations for improvements—

Ninety-seven patients averaging a stay of twenty-three days each in the hospital, were treated entirely free during the past year. The large majority of these patients were from the city of Peterborough and strange to say the city council makes no grant to the hospital. Brockville council votes to the two hospitals there each year $800. Chatham votes to its hospital each year $4,000 Guelph's municipal grant to its two hospitals annually amounts to $3,000 Why does the city council of Peterborough become an exception to all other hospital centres in Ontario?

CAPT. H. R. POUSSETTE MADE COMMISSIONER

Becomes Canadian Trade Commissioner at Durban, South Africa.

The appointment of Capt. H. R. Poussette, son of Mr. H. M. Poussette, of Sarnia, and a nephew of Mr. A. P. Poussette, K.C., city, as Canadian Trade Commissioner in Durban, South Africa, is a substantial recognition of his ability and knowledge of the country to which he is sent. Capt. Poussette was educated at Upper Canada College, Toronto, and also took a course at the Royal Military College, Kingston, and at the London depot of the Royal Military College. In 1895 he was gazetted to a lieutenancy in the 26th Middlesex Regiment, and four years later he was placed in command of his company. To South Africa Capt. Poussette went with Baden Powell's police, and after the war had command of various districts in Cape Colony and the Orange River Colony. When the Imperial Government recently handed the administration of the force over to the colonial Government the Canadians and others were gradually replaced by men of Dutch descent. Capt. Poussette was also relieved of his command and his appointment by the Dominion Government will enable him to remain in South Africa.

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A quiet wedding was solemnized at the seven o'clock mass at St. Peter's Cathedral this morning when Stella Ball, daughter of ... Wm Ball was united in marriage to Mr John Alfred McCoy. They were attended by Mr. Maurice Crowley and Miss Lillie Callahan The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. O'Brien.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 25 cents each insertion in either the Daily or Weekly Examiner

BIRTHS

FREDERICK— In Peterborough, on Jan. 10, 1909, the wife of Dr. Frederick, 492 George street, of a son.

MENZIES — In Peterborough, on Monday, Jan. 11th, 1909, at 228 Stewart street, John Menzies, eldest son of the late James Menzies, aged 68 years. Funeral announcement to-morrow.

The New York Stock Market

(Furnished by J. N. Barber.)

	Opening	Closing
A.C.P	82⅛	81⅞
Atch	90¼	90⅜
B.R.T.	67⅜	68⅜
C.P.R.	176⅜	176⅛
Erie	31¼	30½
Great Northern	145¼	145⅛
L.N.	124⅛	123
Mo. Pac.	60⅜	60⅛
Northern Pacific	140⅜	141
N.Y.C.	128⅛	128
Penna	132½	132⅜
R.I.	24⅜	24⅜
Rdg.	138⅜	138⅛
Smelters	85½	85
Soo	145⅛	145½
St. Paul	148	148⅛
S.P	116⅜	117½
U.P.	178	178⅛
U.S	52	51⅜
U.S. p'f'd.	113⅛	112⅞
Twin City	99½	99½
Nipissing	10	9⅞
May-Wheat	106⅜	106
" Corn	61⅜	61½
May Oats	51⅜	51⅜
" Pork	16.52	16.67

IS LEAVING ON VISIT TO ENGLAND

Mr. Wm. Coleman Leaves Peterborough on Thursday—St. John's Choir Says Farewell.

Mr. Wm. Coleman, who has been singing tenor in the choir of St. John's for a long time past, leaves the city on Thursday for a few months' holidays in England. After Evensong last night the Rector and the choir-master voiced the appreciation of Mr. Coleman's faithful work in the choir, and assured him that the best wishes of the choir and congregation accompany him on his well earned holiday. He expects to return at Easter.

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FORTY BODIES TAKEN OUT

Almost All the Worshippers Are Killed or Injured by Terrible Accident —Bodies of Dead Removed Now Number Forty and More Are Believed to Be Immured In the Ruins — Pillars Give Way.

Berne, Switzerland, Jan. 11.—During Divine service yesterday an ancient church near Sion suddenly collapsed, burying the worshippers in the ruins. Practically all the members of the congregation were killed or injured. The wildest panic prevailed, those who escaped rushing through the field, shouting that an earthquake had overtaken the village.

Other villagers joined in the outcry and were with difficulty calmed. After an hour's exertion the fire company of the place extricated forty corpses, but it is believed that there is still a number under the timbers. Sixty persons were badly injured. The collapse of the church was caused by the time-worn pillars in the underground crypt giving away.

Charged With Forgery.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Jan. 11—Charged with forgery Alexander Anslow, an Englishman, aged 25, is under arrest here.

On Saturday morning Anslow went to the Imperial Bank and tried to borrow $50 on his own note. The bank told him he could have the money if he got two other signatures. Anslow went out returning in about 30 minutes later with the note signed by Robert Albertson, Grand Trunk ticket agent, and H. J. Jackson, agent for Michigan Central Railway at Niagara Falls Centre, and got the money.

The bank, on enquiry, found both signatures were forgeries, and Anslow was arrested by Chief Mains on Saturday afternoon.

Evil Days In Japan.

Chicago, Jan. 11.—According to Prof. W. D. McClintock of the University of Chicago there were more suicides in Japan last year than in any twelve months in the nation's history.

The professor attributes the increase in self-destruction among the Mikado's subjects to hard times, the pessimistic spirit of the people and the breaking down of the old religion among the upper and lower classes.

"The cost of living in Japan," said Prof. McClintock in a talk before the George Howland Club, "is very high and the people are complaining of the huge war debt. Japan, like many other countries, is face to face with the labor problem."

Buoy May Lead to Pole.

Christiania, Jan. 11.—The Meteorological Institute has received a letter from Soeroe, Finmark, stating that a buoy which was driven ashore Nov. 3 last contained a notice to the effect that the buoy was set adrift on July 24, 1900, near Cape Bathurst and about 284 miles northeast of the Mackenzie River.

It is believed that the buoy was carried through the Polar Seas between Greenland and Spitzbergen. It would seem to support the conclusions on which Capt. Ronald Amundsen bases his expedition on the Fram, which will start from San Francisco early in 1910.

Attacked by Burglar.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Jan. 11.—At one o'clock yesterday morning Officer Farrell of the city police found the back door of A. E. Dell's grocery store, Niagara Falls south, open. Stepping inside he was immediately attacked by the burglar, but after a severe fight Farrell overpowered his assailant, who is a man named Hopkinson of this city. The burglar had secured entrance by breaking the back window and unfastening the catch. Evidently he had opened the back door to make a quick exit in case of discovery. The stock was not in disorder nor was the safe disturbed.

King to Visit Kaiser.

London, Jan. 11.—King Edward has relented, so it is said in court circles, and, after all, he and Queen Alexandra are going to Berlin to visit the Kaiser. In official quarters the general view is that the visit to Berlin had better be deferred.

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ARRESTED FOR MURDER.

Former Owen Sound Man Is In Serious Trouble In Nebraska.

Agallala, Neb., Jan. 11.—Lafayette Dales, alias John H. Dales, has been arrested here, charged with the murder of Vally Mann on the prairies east of here last October. A woman traveling with him as his wife is also in custody on a charge of complicity.

After his arrest Dales made a confession and said that he formerly lived at Owen Sound, Ontario, having left there eight years ago, when he jumped a $1,000 bond under which he was awaiting trial on a charge of larceny. At that time he deserted a wife and three children, one daughter married. His family are highly respected in Owen Sound.

The woman with Dales, a Mrs. Smith, claims that she was married to Dales in 1887, at which time he was known as William S. Lynch, and that the day after the wedding he deserted her and went to Canada, where he was married again.

Five years ago Mrs. Dales of Owen Sound received a C.O.D. parcel and on opening it found a note stating that the clothes contained therein were those of her husband, who had died and been buried at Youngstown, N.Y. She had doubts, however, as to his death. Being an attractive woman, it is said she has had many offers of marriage, all of which she refused, believing that her husband was still alive.

JAILER INSULTS "BEAK."

Then St. Agathe Magistrate Has Free Fight With Official.

Montreal, Jan. 11.—A sensational affair is reported from St. Agathe, a small town in the northern part of the County of Terrebonne. The trial of one Robert for assault was in progress before District Magistrate Grignon, when Jailer Loisiaau entered and spoke very harshly to several of the witnesses and when censured by the judge he insulted the magistrate in open court.

As no one would accept the court's order to arrest the offender the judge undertook the job himself and a free fight ensued to the great scandal of the spectators.

The judge shortly afterwards condemned the jailer for contempt of court and ordered a bailiff, Victor Garceau, to take charge of the delinquent.

Here another scuffle took place and as no arrest was possible, the case ended by the magistrate declaring that he would not sit unless the jailer, who is also guardian of the municipal hall, was dismissed.

Hains' Trial Nearing End.

Flushing, N.Y., Jan. 11.—With the calling of one or two minor witnesses to-day the defence in the trial of Thornton J. Hains will sum up its case to the jury. Prosecutor Darrin promised Justice Crane Saturday afternoon that he would only take an hour more to get in all the evidence.

All of the session Saturday was given over to rebutting the evidence that James Tierney, the defence's eye-witness to the shooting of the publisher, was on the float when the tragedy occurred. Members of the Bayside Yacht Club swore that they did not see Tierney. These witnesses further declared that the actions and appearance of Capt. Peter C. Hains were those of a rational man.

Benefit Society Fight.

Hamilton, Jan. 11.—Chairs and knives, it is alleged, were used to canvass votes for the candidates for treasurer for a benefit society in connection with the employes of the steel plant at a meeting held Saturday evening in the Orange Hall. George Fox, Gibson avenue, was cut in the head and received a wound that required five stitches when he was carried across the street to Dr. Wardell's office. From what the police are able to learn about the affair, some Italians wanted to see the treasurer of the society elected, and in a row that started chairs were used and knives drawn.

Legs Amputated.

Montreal, Jan. 11.—Salem Assaley, the Syrian peddler who shot and killed his brother and tried to murder his sister-in-law at Hawkesbury on Dec. 28th, had both his legs amputated Saturday at L'Original. Assaley spent five days and five nights without food or water under a pile of wood in the shed adjoining the house where the deed was committed, and then dragged himself four miles along the road with both his legs frozen, only to be arrested on the train while on his way to Montreal. Assaley is not likely to recover from the operation.

Door Open For England.

London, Jan. 11.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—Ottawa despatches lead The Sunday Observer to declare that Canada is determined to keep the door open for the Mother Country.

"Ottawa will respond to any overture from Canada's great neighbor upon condition the imperial interests shall not be pennilized. This is the strongest national statesmanship. The true destiny of Canada is to be the great link between the Empire and the United States and not to cause anther separation between America and the rest of the British race."

Austrian Officers Called Back.

Berne, Switzerland, Jan. 11.—The Bund says it learns authoritatively that all the reserves of Austrin under officers residing in Switzerland have received orders to join their regiments on Jan. 25.

THIS DEMENTED MAN MAY BE MURDERER

Man Answering Carmichael's Description Caught at Claremont.

OIL USED IN CREMATION

It Develops That Missing Michigan Minister Had Lamps Specially Filled Before Crime—Demented Tramp Now In Custody Near Toronto Tallies With All Descriptions Given of Slayer of Browning.

Toronto, Jan. 11.—A demented, though harmless man, supposed to be Rev. John H. Carmichael of Adair, Michigan, suspected of butchering Gideon Browning, a carpenter, and burning his dismembered body in a stove was arrested about 9 o'clock last night and locked up in a C.P.R. oil house near Claremont, 21 miles east of Toronto.

A special volunteer guard was placed upon him for the night, and he will likely be taken to Whitby jail to-day.

He was first seen trudging along the C.P.R. tracks at Markham going in the direction of Locust Hill. He was too well-dressed for an ordinary tramp and his height, handsome bearing and peculiar manner of walking with both feet extremely turned out; together with his deep musical voice as he passed the time of day with all who met him, aroused a suspicion that he might be the man who is so much wanted by the supervisors of St. Clair County, Michigan.

A hue and cry was raised and search parties started out from both

REV. JOHN H. CARMICHAEL.

villages. The man was run down just outside of Claremont, shortly after 8 o'clock. He had left the railroad tracks and was hoofing it up a side-road.

From his irrelevant religious talk and his utter indifference and inability to give a satisfactory account of himself, he was believed to be hopelessly insane.

His description tallies pretty well with the newspaper description of Carmichael, and it is said somebody saw in him a marked resemblance to the cut of the Adair clergyman which has been published in the papers.

Used Oil to Cremate.

Port Huron, Jan. 11.—An interesting development yesterday in the Rattle Run murder mystery was the report that shortly before last Tuesday's tragedy Mr. Carmichael had ordered all the lamps of the church filled with oil. It had been customary to use only part of the lamps and those not used regularly had not been filled for a long time. In directing the filling of the lamps, however, the preacher made it plain that none of them should be overlooked. Notwithstanding that the preacher's directions were carried out, it has developed since the murder that the oil was low in many of the lamps. As the light had not been used for a meeting since the last filling, the theory has been advanced that oil from the lamps was emptied into the stove to hasten the cremation of the body of Gideon Browning.

A good deal of surprise had been manifested over the almost complete cremation of the victim's body, only a few bones and fragments of flesh being left. Footprints left by the pastor in the churchyard indicate that his last movements here were made just as the soft ground was beginning to freeze, and this would have been between 1 and 2 o'clock Wednesday morning.

It was discovered also that instead of tying his horse in the shed back of the church, the interior of the shed being visible from the highway in the moonlight, he left his rig in the shed back of the Lutheran Church, across the road.

Elgin Man Killed.

St. Thomas, Jan. 11.—Malcolm C. Leitch of Dutton, and one of the best known men in Elgin County, was instantly killed at West Lorne on Saturday evening, being struck by a fast Michigan Central eastbound train from Wolverine. Mr. Leitch has been bailiff for more than ten years, was in West Lorne serving papers and walking along the road in the village at 7 o'clock. The flyer was late and he did not see it. He was thrown eighty feet and decapitated.

Willing to Sell.

Winnipeg, Jan. 11.—The Winnipeg Street Railway Co. has signified its willingness to sell to the city its power plant and electric railway system.

Nothing, however, was stated as to price or terms, excepting that the impression was given that the company would be favorable to arbitration.

Taft Will Keep Secret.

Augusta, Ga., Jan. 11.—President-elect Taft has determined that no new Cabinet appointment shall be known until March 4. He will deny all Cabinet rumors, predictions or announcements from any source or quarter whatsoever.

SEVERAL TRAGEDIES AMONG THE SKATERS

Four Drownings Are Reported Throughout the Province.

SKATE INTO OPEN WATER

Eli Gibson and Jessie Robertson of Parry Sound Lose Their Lives While Skating on Bay — Owen Sound Youth Is Victim of Disaster—Boy Near Kingston Is Drowned—Toronto Boy Is Killed.

Owen Sound, Jan. 11.—The town had its first skating fatality that has occurred in years yesterday afternoon. The cold snap of the past week put a skim of ice on the bay near the mouth of the harbor and hundreds were skating on the Brook and Owen Sound sides of the bay.

Robert Hammond, a young man of 20 years, whose parents reside near Jones Falls, three miles from this place, was one of a party skating on the harbor, his companion being Miss Marguerite Lynch. They got on thin ice near the end of the old Boyd Wharf and went through into about four feet of water. Hammond was quick to get out on the edge of the ice and endeavored to pull out his companion, when the ice gave way again and let them in.

By this time half a dozen young men jumped in and after some difficulty succeeded in getting Miss Lynch out on the ice. They then attempted to rescue Hammond, who, by this time, had become thoroughly benumbed. The young man who had hold of him was seized with cramps and was unable to hold up Hammond, who sank into water about six feet deep, and was drowned.

Skaters Drowned.

Parry Sound, Jan. 11.—The first drowning fatality of the winter occurred here on Saturday night, when Eli, son of Matthew Gibson, turnkey of the jail, and Miss Jessie, daughter of Robert Robertson, lost their lives by skating into open water.

The young couple were last seen skating up the north shore and on their failing to reurn home, search parties started out yesterday morning. The young man's hat and a fur ruff belonging to the young lady were found at the edge of an open space of some acres in extent and the searchers after a short time spent in grappling, recovered both bodies. The young couple were about 20 years of age.

Skated Into Hole.

Brockville, Jan. 11.—Skating on the river after dark resulted in an accident to Louis Davis, a well-known hockeyist, which nearly cost him his life. He went into an air hole at the western limits of the town in a secluded spot and struggled hard in the cold waters for several minutes before assistance arrived. It was then with great difficulty that he was rescued by James Brosnau. He managed to hold himself up by clinging to the ice, which time and again broke down under his weight. Louis was taken to a nearby house and put to bed. A doctor was called to attend him.

Broke Through the Ice.

Kingston, Jan. 11.—A lad, aged 10, named McGee, while skating on the bay at Adolphustown got on thin ice, broke through and was drowned.

A Skating Fatality.

Toronto, Jan. 11.—While skating on Kew Beach Park ring at six o'clock Friday evening, Manville Babington, the 12-year-old son of E. R. Babington, architect, 35 Lee avenue, received such injuries that he died from concussion of the brain some hours later. He and a number of companions were skating about the open rink, when Manville collided with another boy. Both lads must have had their heads down, as they did not see each other.

Edward Meehan Dead.

Toronto, Jan. 11.—Mr. Edward M. Meehan, one of the best-known newspaper printers in the province, passed away on Saturday afternoon after only four days' illness. He is survived by a widow and three sons. Deceased was 53 years of age. He was a past president of Typographical Union No. 91, and also represented the printers' local in a number of capacities.

Conservative Elected.

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 11.—The bye-election for the Provincial Legislature in Virden on Saturday to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Hon. J. H. Agnew, Provincial Treasurer, resulted in the return of Harvey Simpson, Conservative, by 206 majority.

Mr. Agnew was returned at the last election by a majority of 85.

Four Fatally Burned.

Dickinson, N.D., Jan. 11.—Three daughters of Joseph Kibl, a homesteader, living 12 miles from here, were burned to death when their home was destroyed by fire Saturday during the absence of their parents. A fourth daughter was fatally burned.

Canary Isles Shaken.

San Sebastian, Spain, Jan. 11.—Telegrams received here from the Canary Islands report severe earth shocks Friday and especially at Las Palmas where several of the oldest houses in town were damaged. No casualties have been reported.

King Edward Not Sick.

London, Jan. 11.—King Edward's appearance at various shooting parties in the recent severe weather has quieted the ever-prevalent rumors concerning his enfeebled condition. He has several times remained out for some hours in thick snow and then ridden home in the cold air.

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RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

SIMPSON MAKES FINE SHOWING IN FIRST PROFESSIONAL RACE BUT SHRUBB WINS THE RELAY EVENT

New York, Jan. 9.—Alfred Shrubb won his handicap race to-night, beating three runners. The English runner did twelve miles, each of his rivals to travel four. Shrubb's competitors were Frank M Kanaly of Cambridge, Mass.; Fred Simpson, an Ojibway Indian from Peterborough, Ont., and Tom L. Williams of Somerville, Mass.

That New Yorkers do not care for anything in the way of foot races but long-distance events between star performers of the Longboat-Dorando type was shown by the comparative smallness of to-night's crowd. There were, however, more than 3000 persons on hand at 9 o'clock, when a five-mile professional handicap was started.

Shrubb ran the four miles in 21.20, and had nearly three laps the better of it when Kanaly was succeeded by Simpson, the Ojibway Indian.

The redskin started off at top speed, and the crowd greeted him with war whoops. He wore a sky blue jersey and white running drawers. In appearance he was a ringer for Longboat.

But Shrubb, nothing daunted, went after Simpson at a great rate. The latter had drawn away about half a lap, and was going steadily when Shrubb finished five miles in 26 minutes 55 seconds. Dorando's time for the same distance was, 28 minutes 27 4-5 seconds. The Indian had so much speed in the next half mile that Shrubb could not gain on him to any great extent, but at that the Briton seemed content to travel at an even pace, still holding an advantage of two laps and a half. Shrubb had the same kind of a lead at the end of six miles, his time being 32 minutes 15 seconds.

At six and one-half miles the Indian was still making it a stand off, for Shrubb had not been able to cut down the distance between them. Simpson was making a much better showing than Kanaly, and seemed to be in better trim. Shrubb ran seven miles in 37.43. He was still two and one-half laps ahead. Dorando's time for this distance was 40 minutes 31 4-5 sec. Shrubb was gaining now, and at the end of the next half mile he had increased his lead to two and three-quarter laps.

The Indian sprinted in the next two laps and drew away, but it was clear that the Englishman had eased up a bit. Shrubb's time for the eight miles was 43 minutes 15 seconds with the same lead.

Williams succeeded Sampson then, and as the latter started off with a sprint, Shrubb looked across the track at him and laughed.

Shrubb ran eleven miles in 1 hour 20 seconds and was two and three-fourths laps ahead, with Williams plodding along wearily. In the next half mile Shrubb increased his lead to three laps. After that the Englishman was easily the master. He ran the last lap at top speed, and won by three and one-half laps in 1.05.57.

A New York despatch on Saturday before the race said:—

New York, January 9. — Alfred Shrubb's attempt to defeat three runners in a twelve-mile race at the Madison Square Garden to-night will mark the professional debut of a new runner, who is expected to become the world's champion Marathon runner. The debutant is Fred Simpson, a full-blooded Ojibway Indian, who lives at Peterborough Canada. He is a farmer, is 27 years old, is married and has four children. Simpson has been running amateur for three years. In fact, he started out the same day as Longboat, but they were in different races. In the try-out for the Canadian representatives who were to take part in the Olympic Marathon at London last summer, Simpson ran twenty miles in 1 hour and 58 minutes and could have gone faster but for the fact that he was far in the lead at the finish. He finished sixth in the London Marathon, and was the first of the Canadians to show up.

"I think I could have won that race," says Simpson, "but for the intense heat which came on all of a sudden. I was running strong at the finish, but, naturally, was tired."

Tom Eck got hold of Simpson a few weeks ago and the Indian decided to turn professional. That is why he is to run against Shrubb to-night. It is a kind of try-out.

"I am not especially fast at four miles," Simpson admitted, "but I will give the Englishman the run for it. The main thing I want is to see how these fellows run."

Shrubb will run the entire twelve miles against Simpson, Kanaly and Williams, each of whom will run four miles.

Shrubb is Confident

"I think I can win this race easily," said Shrubb to-day, "as I have beaten some very fast men at that distance. About the Marathon distance, I am not so certain," went on the Englishman. "I have never gone that far, and I don't know whether I will have enough endurance or not."

Shrubb smiled as he said this, for he had just said he had run twenty miles in a try-out at the Pastime Athletic Club, where he is training.

"Endurance is not the thing that appeals to me in a race so much as speed," said Shrubb. "I have always counted on my speed. There's all the difference in the world between the man who runs for speed and one who goes out to show endurance. I don't think the Marathon race can compare with a ten-mile race in interest to one who likes to see the fine points of an athlete."

Shrubb then made the rather surprising statement that the man who starts in to race feeling very good usually loses. "I had much rather start out feeling a little loggy," he said. "If I feel drowsy and tired I usually work that off and round into shape as I go. If I start in feeling fresh something is liable to happen. The man who is fresh at the start usually is the first to lay down."

The Englishman is not impressed with the style of any of the long-distance runners he has seen. "But I will admit," he says, "that Longboat is a remarkable runner when it comes to endurance." Shrubb will run Dorando, Hayes and Longboat a distance of fifteen miles, and will bet that he can beat all three of them. "It anybody thinks that kind of a race would be interesting," he says, "I am ready to start any time. They can run five miles each, and I will run the entire fifteen."

THE GAME WITH WHITBY TO-MORROW SHOULD BE FASTEST OF THE SEASON

Local fans will have an opportunity of seeing a splendid game of hockey to-morrow night, when the speedy Whitby seven, who trimmed the local juniors by 7—1 on New Year's day, will clash with them there on their own rink. Whitby has a classy team and will, no doubt, give the locals the hardest kind of an argument, even on the Brock street rink, but the Peterbprough outfit is confident. They state that they have lost their last game and that henceforth there will be nothing but victories to chalk up for them. It is likely that the line-up for to-morrow night will be changed a little, and the change is expected to round out the team nicely. The boys are in the best of shape and are looking for a complete reversal of the score, although advices from Whitby are to the effect that the lakeshore team is equally confident and will have their strongest line-up on for to-morrow night. It will be a battle royal all the way, and those who appreciate fast, clean hockey cannot afford to overlook this match. The locals realize that they must win to keep in the running and they can be counted upon to put up the hardest kind of a battle throughout. There should be a big crowd present, as the match will be worth seeing.

THE FIRST MARATHON RACE TOLD IN THE DIALECT OF MODERN SLANG

The following is an account of the first Marathon as told by a writer in the Morning Telegraph. The literary style is not exactly classic but as an example of the use of slang words and expressions it tells the story in a rather amusing way.

It appears that when the Persian army got gay and went down and started to tramp around through the backyards of the Greeks and rob their banana stands like a member of the police force, about ten thousand of these Greeks shoved their pushcarts into a back alley and under the leadership of one Miltiades, who was probably the undisputed heavyweight champion of his times, had themselves in the sage brush in the foothills overlooking the Plain of Marathon, where the Persians were hold ing a basket picnic and sitting around on damask rugs playing pinochle for a nickel a corner and drinking booze stolen from the corner saloon.

Miltiades, with rare ring generalship, watched till he saw that the Grand High Muck-a-Muck of the Persian army was deeply interested in a pedro problem, then he and his banana venders waltzed out into the open and whacked them over the head with their butcher knives and splattered them around over the scenery till the county coroner had to collect the remains with a blotting paper.

When it was all over and old Miltiades saw that he had pulled off a pretty nifty piece of work, like all pugilists he was extremely anxious to get a correct a count of the affair in the papers. He couldn't trust the Associated Press reports. And besides he had a wood cut of himself in ring costume that he wanted to get printed with the story. So he called a young Greek soldier who happened to be a space writer on an Athens evening paper, and taking him out to the public road told him to scoot for the office of his paper in time to catch the first edition and put him right before the sporting public, and to say that he was ready to meet all comers at any weight.

We are told that this Greek soldier was somewhat of a runner for a banana merchant, and he must have been there with the goods. Borrowing a chew of tobacco from Miltiades he dug his toes into the sand and was away on the road to Athens with the speed of the wind. As he warmed up to the job he forget the wounds he had received on the field of battle. On he sped toward Athens, thinking only of reaching the editorial rooms with his news beat before the forms had closed and of hanging up a record for the distance that Longboat and Dorando and the rest of the runners of posterity couldn't touch with an automobile.

We have no official record of this first Marathon race, but that guy must have been going some. Farmers along the route say that he stepped forty feet at a clip and the friction of his speed parched the corn in the fields. Be that as it may, just as the managing editor of the Athens Advertiser had shot the last sheet of copy into the composing room and was looking up his cook to go out and hit one of his favourite drinks of budge, a bleeding, battle-scarred shred of humanity came up in the elevator and staggered into the editorial sanctum. Supporting himself on a cut file he shouted in the words later plagiarized by Mr. Roosevelt, "We've licked 'em to a frazzle," threw his copy on the night editor's desk, then wilted into the waste basket dead as a mackerel.

He never lived to know that he had invented the Marathon race. From the historical account of the first Marathon race we can see that Dorando is the only runner of the present day who runs the Marathon according to the ideas of the originator as he also drops dead in every race.

MANY MATCHES ARE SCHEDULED; BIG BILL OF FARE FOR HOCKEY FANS

There will be plenty of hockey for Peterborough people this week, as in addition to the Junior and Senior City Leagues and Church Leagues, there will be Junior and Intermediate O. H. A. games on the bill of fare. Following is the list for the week.

Monday

Brock street rink, 9.30 to 10.30. Mercantile League game, between Auburn's and Ackerman's.

Park street rink, Junior Church League, Murray Street Baptists vs. Knox Church.

Tuesday

Brock street rink, 8.15 o'clock, Junior O. H. A. Whitby vs. Peterborough.

Knox Church rink, Senior Church League game, Park Street vs. Knox Church.

Thursday

Brock street rink, 6.45 o'clock, Junior City League game, Chieftains vs. T. A. S.

Brock street rink, 8 o'clock, Senior City League game, Lakefield vs. Belmonts.

Brock street rink, 9 o'clock, Senior City League game, Stratheonas vs. T. A. S.

Park street rink, Senior Church League game, St. Andrew's vs. George Street.

Friday

Brock street rink, 8.15, Intermediate O. H. A. game, Belleville vs. Peterborough.

Park street rink, Junior Church League game, Murray Street vs. All Saints'.

CURLING.

Saturday night at the curling rink only four games were played. They resulted as follows:

Morrow, skip, 14; Hollingshead, skip, 9.
Cameron, skip, 15; Yeats, skip, 9.
Neill, skip, 5; Kerr, skip, 6.
Boucher, skip, 10; Connal, skip, 10.

HOCKEY

The Peterborough Lock Company hockey team challenges Cressman's Counter Hoppers to a game to be played as soon as possible.

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Knox church senior seven defeated Ackerman's Leather Workers in a friendly exhibition game that was played on the church rink on Saturday night. The final score was 6—0 in favour of the Presbyterians. The game was clean and fast. Mr. Herb Reid refereed.

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The Norelti Hockey Team challenges the Frean Air Club to a game of hockey at Brock street rink as soon as the ice can be secured.

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The following team will represent Knox church in their junior church league game with Murray street, at Park street rink to-night: Goal, Dwyer; point, Byers; cover, Neary; rover, Sullivan; centre, Mein; right, Bucknell; left, Condon.

TIME IN TURKEY.

The Hours Are Always Changing and Holidays Are Numerous.

In addition to laziness in Turkey there is inaccuracy. The Turkish official is naturally inaccurate, and habit and conceit make him more so. This perhaps is due to the way in which Turkey measures time. Twelve o'clock in the day corresponds with sunset—that is to say, whatever hour the sun sets, it must always be 12. Consequently the hours change always, getting later the first half of the year and earlier in the last, which compels everybody to put his watch to daily torture. So no one in Turkey can flatter himself that he has the exact time. The most strict of Englishmen soon loses his national punctuality, so when two Turks make an appointment it is within the limit of half an hour or an hour, and even then they don't generally arrive till after the time agreed on, each one calculating on the utmost possible delay on the part of the other.

Consequently the state employees are not bound down by very severe discipline. No one expects them to arrive at their office at any particular time, especially as the majority of them go hardly at all. As for the most industrious, they appear for two or three hours in the afternoon only, and rather late. In the morning state offices are usually closed. Besides this workdays are rather scarce for the race of officials. Friday is the Sabbath of the Mohammedans. Saturday is the day after a feast day, and one does not do much then. Sunday the Greeks and Armenians remain, like good Christians, at home, and the Mohammedans generally imitate so good an example. Monday is again the morrow of a feast day. Wednesday there is a meeting of the council of ministers, and few employees go then to the ministry. With religious festivals added in, it is easy to understand that out of the 365 days of the year there are not many left to consecrate to the interests of the Ottoman empire.—Nicholas C. Adossides in American Magazine.

The Horological Revenge.

They were looking over their wedding presents. He pointed to a small bronze clock. "Seems to me," he said, "that I have seen that before."

"You have," she returned serenely. "You gave it to my first husband and me for a wedding present. When we divided the things after the divorce he kept the clock, and now he is sending it back to us."

A CLASH WITH TURNER.

Retort of the Print Seller Who Longed to See the Artist.

Turner, happening one day to pass a printshop, noticed in the window a copy of one of the engravings from his famous "Liber Studiorum." The print was in a very dirty, ragged state. Entering the shop, Turner asked to see the master and when the man came forward proceeded at once to blame him in no measured terms for having neglected so valuable a print and for having allowed it to become so disfigured. The man protested that it was no fault of his, as he did but offer the engraving for sale in the same state in which he had bought it from some other dealer.

This did not satisfy Turner, however, and he and the man continued arguing for some time.

At last the print seller lost all patience.

"Perhaps, sir," he said, "when you have quite finished what you have to say you will kindly tell me what you have to do with this engraving and what business is it of yours whether the print is clean or dirty."

"This is what I have to do with it," answered the enraged artist—"it was I who drew the original of that print. My name is Turner, and I did every line of that engraving with my own hand. Now do you wonder that I am angry at seeing my work in so disgraceful a state?"

"Indeed, sir!" replied the print seller. "So you are the great artist himself! All my life long it has been my wish that I might some day have the good fortune to see Mr. Turner. Now that I have seen him I sincerely hope that I may never see him again."

REGULATING BALLOONS.

France Made the First Laws Governing Aerial Traffic.

In 1871, when French balloons from beleaguered Paris were dropping on the "sacred soil" of Prussia, a royal decree declared them confiscate as contraband of war. And on the conclusion of peace a measure was passed through the German reichstag which forbade under penalty of death any future similar aerial violation of German territory during time of war.

So long ago as 1830, again, balloon ascents were made illegal in Turkey so far as regards Constantinople and forty miles around, and in 1872 the prohibition was extended to include the entire Turkish empire. To France, however, belongs the distinction of having made the first laws for the regulation of aerial traffic. In 1784 it was solemnly decreed that nobody should be permitted to go up in a balloon "or any other kind of aerostatic machine" which was worked by burning spirits of wine or any other means of making a fire.

Later, in 1811, it was enacted in France that henceforth no balloon, whether free or captive, should be permitted to ascend with any species of furnace or stove, that no one should be allowed to ascend in a balloon unless he carried a parachute and that ascents were not to be begun later than one hour before sunset nor earlier than an hour after sunrise. Furthermore, no ascents whatever were to be undertaken during the garnering of the harvest nor for six weeks prior thereto.

London in White.

After a few visits to the White City one feels rather desirous of whitewashing the whole of London. Why not? White is an admirable background for color. Our blue sky becomes bluer and our gray sky looks more beautiful behind it, while a golden sky makes white buildings delightful. If we could only make the whole city white, to begin with, and then gradually and sparingly color, what a beautiful city London would be!

The First New Woman.

"We new women are really not so new as we think we are," said one of them. "In the thirteenth century there were lots of us. Can anything 700 years old be new? The University of Bologna had for professor of jurisprudence Morella d'Andria. She was no more new than beautiful. Her charms were so overpowering that the trustees made her lecture behind a curtain. When she lectured openly the students, their minds wholly occupied with her beauty, could not attend to what she said. Madonna Mansolina was professor of anatomy, Matilda Tromboni taught languages and Marie Magnesi held the chair of mathematics. This university was by no means a second rate one. On the contrary, it was perhaps the leading university of Europe. It had 10,000 students."

Called For the Author.

The Friars, an organization of theatrical press agents, dined a manager more conspicuous for his shrewdness than for his culture. When the menu had been properly discussed the guest of honor amazed his hosts by making a speech notable not only for its grace and wit, but for some show of erudition. He sat down at last amid loud applause, when Augustus Thomas, at the same time joining the handclapping, shouted: "Author! Author!"

Emotional England.

Ours is a nation of sentiment. We are probably more sentimental in a tearful way than any other country in Europe. The strongest man in England can weep when he hears a hymn that used to be played on the organ of the village church when he was a boy, but there is not much depth in the tears. They are not very salt.—London Ladies' Field.

A True Heroine.

"What is your idea of a heroine, John?" asked the wife of his bosom as she looked up from the novel she was reading.

"A heroine, my dear," answered John, "is a woman who could talk back, but doesn't."

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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS

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DUTIES—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price $3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price $3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth $300.00.

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W. W. CORY,
Deputy of the Minister of Interior.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE

CANADIAN PACIFIC

Going East	Leave Peterborough
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal, Kingston	11.35 a m
For Indian River, Norwood, Havelock, Tweed	7.51 p m
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	12.33 a m

Going West	Leave Peterborough
For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	5.35 a m
For Barkston, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	7.35 a m
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points	4.35 p m

GRAND TRUNK.

	Arrive	Depar
Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Gravenhurst, North Bay, Sturgeon Falls and Toronto	11.50 a.m. 8.30 p.m.	8.35 a.m 5.00 p.m. 11.45 a.m
Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	8.30 a.m. 5.00 p.m.	8.35 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Cobourg Montreal and East	8.30 p.m	11.45 a.m 8.35 a.m 9.05 p.m
Toronto, Lindsay, Stouffville, Uxbridge and Markham	11.50 a.m. 5.00 p.m. 10.10 p.m.	7.20 a.m 11.45a.m
Lindsay Local	8.15 a.m.	5.10 p.m
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	8.30 a.m. 5.00 p.m.	8.35 a.m 1.40 p.m
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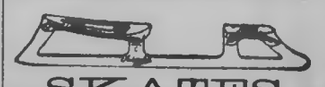

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TOWN TOPICS

PROBS.—Strong north winds, fair, and much colder, with snow flurries Tuesday, fair and cold.

Skating on the River

—There were many skaters on the river yesterday afternoon, enjoying the long stretch of good ice.

No Police Court

—The rail birds were disappointed this morning at the police court, when the doors remained shut. There was nothing doing.

Piano Tuning

Piano tuning promptly attended to. Satisfaction guaranteed. A. F. Hoover, 222 McDonel street. 'Phones — Bell 199k, Mach. 199.

Poultry Association

—The Poultry Association will meet to-morrow night in the Bank of Montreal Chambers. All the members are expected to be present.

W. A. Meeting

—The Women's Auxiliary of the George Street Methodist Church will meet on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Wand, Burnham street, East City.

Joint Installation

—There will be a joint installation of the officers of Lift Lock Tent No. 16, K. O. T. M. and Queen of Canada Hive to-night. All the members are requested to be present.

Special Service

—There will be special prayer services held in the basement of the George Street Methodist Church every night this week, conducted by the pastor. All welcome.

Particular

—If you are particular about the way your clothes look, send them to "My Valet," 204 Charlotte street, and have them cleaned, dyed, repaired and pressed. All particular people do.

Scots Concert Company

—The Imperial Scots' Concert Company, which appears at the Conservatory of Music Hall to-night, has been very favourably commented upon. Mr. Hamilton is termed the Cyrus of Scottish music.

Paid in Full

—Ticket holders for Paid in Full at the Grand Opera House to-night, are requested to be in their seats by a quarter after eight, as the performance will begin promptly at that hour. There are a few good seats left, though the advance sale has been unusually large.

District Meeting

—The annual meeting of the District Orange Lodge of Peterborough will be held in the Orange Hall in the Village of Keene on Tuesday evening, Jan. 12th. 'Busses will leave the post office at 4 o'clock sharp. All officers and members of the Order are requested to attend. W. G. Bartley, Dis. Rec.-Sec. 2d-7

Charlotte St. League

—The League meeting at the Charlotte street church to-night will be an interesting one. Mr. J Goodwin will occupy the chair and Mr R G Cox will speak. Every young man and woman in the city is invited to be present. Bright singing, lively speaking, from 8 o'clock to 9.

Court Stanley A. O. F.

—At the regular meeting of Court Stanley, A. O. F., to be held to-morrow evening in S.O.E. Hall, a joint installation of the officers of Queen Alexandra Circle and Court Stanley will be duly installed after which refreshments will be served and a large attendance is requested.

Knox Church Young People Society

—Busses will leave Knox church, for Springville, at 6.30 p.m., and 6.45 p.m., sharp. The Young People of Springville are entertaining Knox, the latter having a programme prepared for the evening. It is expected a good time will be spent at the Springville Presbyterian church.

Memorial Service

There will be a Memorial Service in the Charlotte street Methodist Church on Wednesday night next, commemorative of Rev. D. O. Crossley, a former pastor of the church, who was greatly liked and respected by members of his congregation here. There will be a short sermon by the pastor and addresses from several representatives of the Board. The public is invited to be present.

Banquet to be Held

—The members of Lansdowne Lodge S. O. E. are making arrangements to celebrate the 25th anniversary of the inauguration of the lodge with a banquet to be held in the lodge room on the evening of Jan. 21st. Committees have been appointed to look after the arrangements for the affair.

Ladies True Blues

—The Ladies' Loyal True Blues will hold their first Scarlet Degree meeting on Tuesday evening in the L.O.L. Hall, on Simcoe street. There will no doubt be a large gathering of scarlet members present as an invitation is extended to all True Blues in the city with this degree, to assist in conferring it on the Search Light Lodge. This meeting should interest any True Blue that might be visiting in the city.

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Personal Items

Mrs. McDermid, 519 Weller street, will not receive on Tuesday.

Mrs. H. B. Collier, 555 Weller st., will not receive to-morrow.

Miss Mamie Rogers is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Burnham, in Toronto.

Miss Dorothy Hilliard, of Lakefield, is the guest of Miss Philippa Dela Fosse, 283 Stewart street.

Mrs. John Jayes returned home Saturday after spending a few days in Toronto visiting her son.

Mr. Fred Fearman, of Hamilton, passed through the city this morning on his way to Lakefield.

A number of boys passed through the city this morning on their way back to the Grove School in Lakefield.

Rev. E Soward, Perry street, assisted Rev. Dr. Langfeldt at both the morning and evening services at St. Luke's church yesterday.

Among those successful at the recent qualifying examinations for entrance into the civil service, held at Toronto, are Mr. Terrot H. Glover, city, and Miss Kate Gannon, of Ennismore.

Miss Laura Smithson, who has been spending the Christmas and New Year's holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Smithson, has returned to Toronto to resume her studies at the University.

The Examiner has been asked to say that the statement recently published, that the Misses Edwards, who went to Toronto, had joined an opera company, is incorrect. Some of their friends want to have the error corrected.

SALE OF RAISINS

1000 Boxes

I am instructed by the Consignors to sell by Public Auction one thousand half boxes of raisins, which arrived too late for the Christmas trade. These raisins are of the highest grade and in prime condition and will be sold in lots or by the box, (28 lbs.,) to suit purchasers. Sale at 2 o'clock on Monday, 25th January, at 130 Simcoe Street, between W. H. Hamilton's Grocery and the Bank of Montreal. Terms cash. 12d-8

JOHN HAGGART, Auctioneer

CHURCH SERVICES AND NOTICES

St. Luke's

The Girls' Auxiliary will meet tonight in the Infant Class school room at 8 o'clock.

A meeting of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew will be held on Tuesday night at 8 o'clock.

The regular mid-weekly meeting will be held on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

The Women's Auxiliary will resume its meetings on Thursday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock.

On Friday evening the annual Christmas tree and entertainment for St. Luke's Sunday school will be held. The parents and friends of the scholars are cordially invited. A very enjoyable affair is promised. A silver collection will be taken up at the door to defray expenses.

All Saints' Church.

The following are the meetings at All Saints' church for the week—

Monday, 7.30 o'clock special meeting of the Girls' Guild and a meeting of the Women's Guild at the same hour.

Tuesday, 8 p.m. the Men's Association will meet when the first Bible Class will be held.

Wednesday, at 8 p.m. the Sunday School teachers will meet at 521 Homewood ave.

Thursday, at 2.30 p.m. the Women's Auxiliary will meet and at 7.45 p.m. the mid week services will begin again.

Friday at 4.15 p.m. the Junior Girls' Auxiliary will meet.

ST. JOHNS.

Monday—4.15 p. m., boys' practice; 7.30, Girls' Auxiliary.

Tuesday—3.30, Women's Auxiliary; 8 p. m., Sunday School children's concert in the school room. All members of the congregation are asked to come to this event, for which a splendid programme is ready.

Wednesday—3.30 to 4.30, Women's Devotional and Social Hour conducted by Mrs. Palmer. Mothers invited to attend and the babes with them; 8 p. m., Girls' Guild; 8 p. m., service in the Guild Room. At this service the rector will be glad to meet candidates for the rite of Confirmation; Brotherhood of St. Andrew meeting.

Thursday—8 p. m., choir practice.

Friday—4 p. m., Mission Band.

Saturday—9 a. m., Boys' practice.

Sunday—Holy Communion, 8.30 a. m.

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Mr. George Baird has returned from Sherbrooke, Que., where he was called on a sad errand owing to the death of his father, Mr. John Baird, who passed away in the eastern town last week at the age of seventy-four years. The late Mr. Baird was well known in Peterborough, and had lived here some time ago. He is survived by his wife and three sons and three daughters. Mr. Geo. Baird is the only relative living in Peterborough, and his many friends here will sympathize with him in the bereavement which has come upon him.

Attention is called to the Auction Sale of a very pretty and comfortable home south of Aberdeen Avenue and east of Aylmer Street, at present occupied by Mr. R. F. Ivey. It lies a little west of the New Normal School, where so many houses are now in course of erection. The house has a good cellar, large rooms, handsome grate and fire place, etc. Sale at Munro Hotel, 25th January, at 2 p.m. 4d-7 -tf

CURLING.

It was announced at the Charlotte street rink this morning that the annual match for the Sheppard-Neill trophy will be begun to-night at nine o'clock, between four Peterborough and four Orillia rinks. This is one of the events of the curling season and will be the main attraction to-night. The four rinks will play in bonspiel, beginning to-morrow afternoon.

Shredded Wheat Banquet, Murray Street Baptist Church, Friday evening, Jan. 15th, at 7 o'clock. Admission 25 cents. 7-8tood

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The Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company, will be held at the City Council Chamber, Peterborough on Monday the 18th January, 1909, at 3 p.m., for the purpose of electing Directors for the present year, the consideration of reports and the transaction of other necessary business.

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E. A. PECK, Secretary. W. H. MOORE, President.

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Nearly everything in the store is reduced. Every department has its offerings priced at cost and less. Practically every need can be supplied here and now at an enormous saving; and, remember, early choosing is the best.

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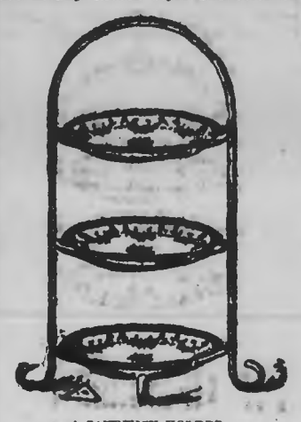

A SANDWICH HOLDER.

china. It is usual to put tiny sandwiches in the top one, buttered toast in the second one and small cakes or slices of layer cake in the third one. Before the food is laid on them each one should be covered with a fancy doily.

Small Rugs in Fashion.

While large rugs are not going out, small ones are getting smaller. Some of the prettiest look like children's play rugs. They are in beautiful colors, with a little fringe at the end, and many are of cashmere design.

They are used over doorsills, between folding doors, in front of pieces of furniture and under chairs.

There may be half a dozen in one room and a whole strip of them in a hall.

Apt Pupil.

"Didn't I see the grocer's boy kiss you this morning, Martha?"

"Yes'm. But he ain't to blame, ma'am. 'Twas the iceman set him the bad example."

The Fleur-de-lis.

The origin and therefore the full heraldic meaning of the fleur-de-lis is disputed. By some the emblem is supposed to represent a lily, by others the iron head of some weapon, presumably a lance. From the claims put forth by English sovereigns to certain principalities in France, gained by inheritance or marriage, the French royal coat appeared as a quartering in the English royal arms, but it was abolished by George IV.

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"Yes, sir," said the pompous individual, "I always pay cash for everything I get." "Dear me!" exclaimed the matter of fact person. "What's the matter with your credit?"

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PROBS—Snow in most localities. Colder to-morrow.

OUR
Quarter Century Celebration
and
Annual Whitewear Sale
NOW IN FULL SWING

New Bargains Added To The Already Immense List

For Wednesday

1,000 yards of Up-to-date Materials in
DRESS GOODS
35c per yard
Formerly 50c, 75c to 1.00. Blacks, creams and all colours in a great variety of weaves and qualities. Plain Cloth, Voiles, Panamas, Serges, Eoliennes, Crepe de Chenes, etc., etc.

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DRESS TRIMMINGS
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35c Per Pair
A bargain just when needed, good quality of white kid, made to sell at 50c and 75c per pair

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Several styles, fringed and hemstitched plain and figured Huck Towels, formerly 30c per pair.

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Large quantity of Odd Lines of Wool and Fleece—Lined Underwear to be cleared before stock-taking, at
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Some of these lines worth double the price, also sweeping clearance of
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The opportunity to have a complete group taken may not occur again. Appointments at
The ROY Studio

GABLE WALL FELL AT POWER HOUSE

Blame is Handed Around From One to Another and So On.

The east gable wall of the new power house at Crow Bay tumbled over one day last week. There is a great deal of talk about it; the Engineer blaming the Mayor and three Councillors, and they blaming the Engineer and Contractor. It is not for us to say who is to blame as we know nothing of engineering, although we surmise. The new Council will find out who is to blame. We think a thorough investigation should be made.—Campbellford Despatch.

THE SILVER NORTH

Cobalt, Lorraine, Larder Lake and Gowganda.

Travellers returning from the great mineral fields of the north are more enthusiastic than ever regarding the permanency of the Silver Camp. One hundred and fifty teams are now employed daily in moving passengers, freight and supplies to the new Gowganda finds from Earlton, Englehart and Carlton. It is only 18 miles from Charlton to Elk Lake where there are 22 mines, and from Elk Lake to Gowganda is 32 miles.

Leaving Toronto 10.15 p.m. daily, on the Grand Trunk "Cobalt Special", Elk Lake can be reached the next afternoon, via Cobalt, Haileybury, New Liskeard and Charlton, and this will continue to be the best way.

The Ontario Government are being strongly urged to push on the extension of their line from Charlton, which will open up this rich territory.

Full information can be obtained by writing J. D. McDonald, District Passenger Agent, G. T. R., Toronto, Ont. 5d9

PORT HOPE BRAKEMAN DIES FROM HIS INJURIES

Examiner Special.

Toronto, Jan. 12.—Bert Sherrin, Grand Trunk freight conductor, of Port Hope, died at Grace Hospital this morning of concussion of the brain. He was brought to the hospital on Sunday to be attended for a broken arm, sustained in a fall from the roof of a freight car. At that time there were no marks of wounds on his head, and the doctors who examined him came to the conclusion he was all right so far as that was concerned. A few hours after being admitted to the hospital, however, he lapsed into unconsciousness and never recovered.

Hockey Sticks, all perfect, Banks', Under the Market Clock

KNOX YOUNG PEOPLE ENJOY PLEASANT TIME

About eighty Peterborough people the greater part of them being from Knox church Young People's Society drove to Springville last night where they were the guests of the Young People's Society of the Springville Presbyterian church at a most enjoyable concert. Six buses were required to solve the transportation problem but Springville was reached in good time after an enjoyable drive.

Rev. Mr. Johnston was on motion elected chairman and the following program rendered entirely by members of Knox church and was greatly enjoyed.

Solo—Rev H J Keith
Recitation—Miss Barr.
Trio—Messrs. McCannan, Thompson and Davenport.
Duet—Mrs Parker and Mr McCannan.
Solo—Miss Barclay
Dialogue—The Misses Barclay, Mr. Cartmer and Mr. Campbell Stewart.
Solo—Miss Ethel Hunter
Recitation—Mr Jackson
Instrumental—Mr R Common
Solo—Miss Agnes Carr.
Duet—Messrs Common and Thompson
Solo—Miss Miller
Reading—Mr Parker.
Solo—Miss Barclay

At the conclusion of the program refreshments were served by the young people of the Springville church and a very enjoyable social time spent.

The Springville Society will pay a return visit to Knox church on February 15th.

Obviate EYE Trouble
The Greatest Evil in connection with Eye Trouble is due to the fact that the faulty organ does not generally betray itself until the damage has made serious headway. You can prevent this risk by simply paying a visit to Fowler's Optical Department with the Nugent Drug Co., and allowing our Specialist in Eyesight to make thorough examination. If there is no trouble with your eyes, the examination will cost you nothing, and you will have the satisfaction of knowing that your Eyes are right. If, however, there be any defect which needs correcting we guarantee to fit you with glasses that will surely correct it.
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FRANCHISE TO GAS COMPANY IS EXTENDED THREE MONTHS; THEY MAY LOCATE AT LINDSAY

Council Discussed the Matter at Their Meeting Last Night---Land Owners Block Company's Plans.

AN AGREEMENT POSSIBLE

The franchise of the city streets for the purpose of laying gas mains which was extended to the natural gas concern which Mr. Chas E Dettman of Waynesburg, Pa., is interested in has been extended three months, the original time having elapsed on January first. Mr. Robert Leary who is also connected with the company, was present at the council meeting last night and stated that the arrangements for the securing the desired land had not been completed on account of the blocking tactics on the part of some of the land owners outside the city to the west.

Mr. Leary stated that every advancement that had been made for the securing of the lease of the lands referred to have come to naught the owners refusing to accept all the overtures that have been made. Mr. Leary states that they will not sign anything. There are four who are acting in this manner and Mr. Dettman refuses to proceed with the work until he can secure all the land in the block in which he desires to carry on operations.

May go to Lindsay

Mr. Leary read a letter from Mr. Dettman in which it was stated that the work was ready to be commenced as soon as the other lots have been secured. In the mean time Peterborough may miss this opportunity as it is believed that other parts are similar to those in North Monaghan. Mr. Leary will go to Lindsay on Wednesday for the purpose of considering the proposition with some important men of that town. It was moved by Ald. Bradburn and Butler that the franchise be extended three months, during which time it is expected that something will be done.

Ald. Morgan stated that he thought the idea was a good one and if the gas rate could be reduced he was sure that no taxpayer would object to the franchising of the streets if this would bring about that result. It was also decided that the Mayor, Ald. Gilkespie and Ald. Bradburn accompany Mr. Leary in an interview with the four men who are holding out in an endeavour to bring about a satisfactory agreement.

Many Interesting Cases To Come Before Railway Board In Their Meeting At Ottawa

Ottawa, Jan. 12—Of the 47 cases to come before the Board of Railway Commissioners at the session opening here to-day, there are some that interest Peterborough.

The Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen allege dangerous positions of switches, switchstands, etc., generally by being placed near tracks on which the employees of the C. P. R. Railway have to work at Kenora and Keewatin yards.

Christie, Henderson & Co., Limited, of Toronto, want the G. T. R. to construct a branch line from the quarries of the applicants to a branch line of the railway company between Harrisburg and Guelph; and for payment by the railway company of the costs and expenses incurred by the applicants.

The G. T. R. and the C. P. R. are applying for an order fixing the compensation to be paid by the Canadian Northern for the use of the Union Station property at Toronto, including the service and accommodation provided.

The City of Toronto wants crossings on Eastern ave., Toronto, protected; and there is also an adjourned application of Toronto relative to constructing a high level crossing above the Don Improvement, and certain railway tracks crossing King street, and for an Order determining the proportioning of the costs amongst those concerned.

H. L. Drayton, K.C., Toronto, complains re the level crossing of the G. T. R. at Windermere and Ellis avenues, township of York.

The Town of Welland complains regarding the dangerous condition of the crossing of the G.T.R., the Michigan Central Railroad, and the Toronto, Hamilton and Buffalo Railway Co., on Main street, Welland, Ont.

The Toronto and Niagara Power Co., wants authority to install twelve underground tile ducts under certain railway tracks, where the same cross Bloor street.

A draft order on the board will be considered regarding equipping non-platform cars with proper operating levers dispensing with the operating wheel at present in use on the ends of such cars; there is also the important question of providing better protection of wooden trestles and bridges on railways to be discussed.

W. D. Woodruff, St. Catharines, wants the G.T.R. to provide better station and siding facilities near Vine Land for the handling of traffic for the Ontario Experimental Farm; the Bay of Quinte Railway Co., wants a settlement as to compensation that the company has to make to the Kingston and Pembroke Railway in respect to running rights it has over the K. and P. from Harrowsmith to Kingston; and there are applications affecting Arnprior, Montreal, Kingston and many other points.

The Retail Coal Dealers' Association ask for an order respecting the receiving of coal from shippers, the weighing of it at port of entry, collecting freight, settlement as to shortages, etc., etc.

GEO. PRICE, FOR FOUR YEARS WORLD'S CHAMPION OARSMAN, IS DYING

Examiner Special.

St. John, N. B., Jan. 12—George Price, veteran oarsman, and world's champion for four years, is believed to be dying here.

George Price is now about 69 years of age. He was bow oar of the famous Paris crew, of St. John. This crew was made up of fishermen. They obtained the name by going over to Paris in '67 to a big international regatta, and in the two days there, cleaning up everything in sight.

After that the crew rowed many races at home, beating among others the famous Ward Brothers, at Springfield. They raced here on Toronto Bay in '70 and '71 against the Prince Alfred crew and won.

The English Championship crew, which came out to Canada defeated them at Lachine. On the Kennebecasis River near St. John, in meeting this crew a second time, James Hetherforth, champion sculler of the world and stroke of the Englishmen, fell dead in his boat a mile from the finish. The Paris crew finished and made a record for the course.

At the Centennial in 1876 the crew made a poor showing. This was the last race they entered.

Price owed his position in the boat to his skill as a steersman. He was five years older than the other members of the crew. His occupation was customs preventive on a boat running from St. John to Boston.

The Paris crew were—Robert Fulton, stroke; Elijah Ross, 3; Sam Hilton, 2; George Price, bow.

DESPATCH SAYS THAT JOHN T. FAY'S DEATH WAS RESULT OF ACCIDENT

A Philadelphia despatch to the Bill Board says:—M. J. McGowan arrived in Philadelphia on Dec. 28, having come east with the remains of John T Fay, who died in Oakland, Cal., ten days ago. Mr. McGowan had the book privilege with the Fay Show and states that the untimely death of Mr. Fay was the result of an accident, and he was not a suicide. He was talking to Mr. Fay a few moments before the sad event, and states that he was unusually bright and cheery. The company were packing up preparatory to moving to the next stand and it is presumed that an accidentally discharged revolver caused the death of Mr. Fay. The company had bookings for twenty-five weeks, but the tour was abandoned. Mr. McGowan will organize another company on the same lines, and play Western Vaudeville time after the first of the year.

John T. Fay, who recently killed himself, caused more or less of a sensation when he appeared here several years ago with his wife in occult demonstrations. Mrs. Anna Eva Fay, of Baltimore, Md., mother of the dead man, very much disliked the fact that Mr. Fay taught his wife the mind reading and other stunts and when here last predicted that her son would not have a natural death.

Protestant Home Inmate Dies At 91; His Wife Was 111 Years Of Age

Three years ago it will be remembered, the death took place at the Protestant Home, of Mrs Badge, who had reached the remarkable age of 111 years, and who had to be tied in her chair during the last years of her life in order to keep her from falling from the seat. This morning her husband, William Badge, passed away at the Home, at the age of ninety-one years, death being due to the effects of old age. The deceased was born in Yorkshire, England, and after coming to this country, had lived at Ida, some fifteen miles from this city. He had been an inmate of the Home since 1903, being preceded there by his wife.

The funeral will take place on Thursday at 2 o'clock to the Little Lake Cemetery, with Rev. Canon Davidson officiating.

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The business will, in future, be carried on by Miss Allan, who will settle all claims against the late firm, and to whom all accounts owing thereto are payable.

January 12, 1909.

REMANDED FOR A WEEK ON VAGRANCY CHARGE

A case that had its pathetic side was commenced before Police Magistrate Dumble at the police court this morning, when a young man, (William Gregg, was charged with vagrancy. He had been the victim of an accident, as the result of which his right leg was amputated above the ankle and he is forced to walk on crutches. He has been unable to do any work, owing to his injury, and it is stated that he is without means of sustenance. Gregg was not asked to plead this morning, but was remanded for eight days to give the police an opportunity to look into his case. In the meantime he will be an inmate of the county gaol.

THE LITTLE LAKE CEMETERY COMPANY

The Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company, will be held at the City Council Chamber, Peterborough on Monday the 18th January, 1909, at 2 p.m., for the purpose of electing Directors for the present year, the consideration of reports and the transaction of other necessary business.

Dated 9th January 1909.

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LOST — COLLIE DOG ANSWERING to the name of Barney, with white spot on breast and on back of neck; anyone harbouring this dog after this notice will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law. 3d 7 5926
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TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 1909

ROYAL BANK.

In another part of this number of the Examiner will be found the detailed report of the annual meeting of the shareholders of the Royal Bank. It reveals a flourishing condition of the interests of this progressive and progressing financial institution. The statement presented shows net earnings of $746,776, equivalent to a rate of profit of 19 1-2 per cent. upon the bank's capital of $3,900,000. The deposits of the year show an increase of $4,200,000, the total being $37,443,441. The liquidable assets of the Royal Bank, amount to $21,944,449, representing more than 52 1-2 per cent. of the total liabilities to the public. The sum of $210,000 added to reserve brings up the total of that fund to $4,600,000. With this provision made, with the contribution of $25,000 to the officers' pension fund, their remained $78,685.86 to be carried forward to profit and loss. The shareholders would be unreasonable not to be satisfied with so satisfactory a showing of the results of the bank's operations for the year and the prospects for future success presented. The local branch under the management of Mr. V Eastwood is sharing in the general progress, and is satisfactorily expanding in local interests and public favour.

OUR CIVIC NEED.

London the Less, is not a slow place by any means. It is perishing with thirst, having to struggle financially and otherwise with a water supply problem. Yet on January 4th the electors voted $5,000 towards a hospital for consumptives. This seems a trifle but it is to be remembered that London maintains a general hospital at a large expense. We in Peterborough do not, perhaps, appreciate the extent to which we are indebted to private liberality for hospital service. The Nicholls Hospital, one of the best in the province, was erected and is maintained without a cent of expense to the general body of ratepayers. Neither does an equally excellent hospital, St. Joseph's make any municipal levy upon the tax rate, yet we can't get a $5,000 or $6,000 isolation hospital built. We even had our splendid system of parks supplied by private liberality, the province gave us our water front, nature planted a magnificent and fruitful country around us, and poured a noble river through our streets; government enterprise has made, or is making an inland city a lake port through the Trent Canal, private enterprise has supplied us with railways radiating to five points of the compass; enterprise has planted in our borders a cluster of industries great and smaller, and in many other ways we are well favoured. Under these circumstances we should take a broad and liberal view of demands upon our resources for needed improvements, for needed public utilities. We have a first-rate water system that is paying its way and should not be penny wise in equipping our good city with everything it needs to keep it in the van of the progressive population centres of this progressive province. We need many things —a Smith street bridge, a park for the southern end of the city, and above all, more manufacturing industries, and if we get these we should get our hands upon more power. We need—or have we now?—a wide-awake and live Board of Trade, and we need a more aggressive policy of industrial expansion on the part of our City Council. Does it ever occur to our Aldermen that it is a long time between new industries? We need to take on new activity and new enterprise in the direction of adding to our industrial assets. Robust and energetic civic administration will not confine the application of its energies to collecting and expending so many thousands a year; in doing over again things that have been done since Peterborough was a hamlet. We need to blaze new trails of enterprise. We need alert initiative, we need more steam in the boiler, more oil for the wheels of progress. The City Council should set as a mark of aim, the acquirement of the addition of at least one large new industry every year. It is hoped that our new City Council will fall into line and dress its ranks for a vigorous industrial campaign for the year 1909. Civic administration in its widest sense, its highest conception of usefulness and achievement is not automatic. There must be something to make the wheels go round. Our permanent civic staff, with a little watching and guiding can run the machinery of municipal routine and leave our City Fathers opportunity to busy themselves with some larger form of activity. Our civic need is the spirit of doing things which ought to be done.

The Town of Welland has an Industrial Commissioner whose business it is to keep a look-out for new industries and to bring them to the town, and he does it, simply by doing it.

BRITAIN PAYING OLD-AGE PENSIONS.

The British old-age pension act went into force at the beginning of the year. The operation of the scheme, which provides for the payment of pensions to needy persons of seventy years of age and upwards, will be watched with considerable interest in Canada, as in other parts of the world. Already it is seen that the tribunals by which pension claims are adjudicated show a disposition to strictly interpret the law, as out of 700,000 applications filed 200,000 have been rejected.

Extensive machinery is created by the act for examination and adjudication of claims for admission to its benefits. The proposal of the Radicals and Socialists, that pension payments be conditioned on age alone, and that sixty or sixty-five years be the age of eligibility, was rejected by the government, which insisted on the seventy-year condition. The ministry also refused to make every applicant who is a British subject and of the prescribed age, eligible for a pension. Instead, it stipulated that no pension should be paid to persons who had led idle, worthless lives, who had a prison record, had received poorhouse relief, or who possessed private means. In the latter case, however, there is a graded scale, under which the claimant is admitted to a share in the dole proportioned to his private income. The act fixes the maximum amount paid to any pensioner at five shillings per week.

Notwithstanding the modest maximum payment and the large number of applications refused, the government will probably not be able to keep the aggregate outlay below the estimated figure of $35,000,000. Fresh sources of revenue will have to be found. No official announcement has been made, but it is expected that the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Lloyd-George, will in his next budget recommend a tax on taverns and considerably increased duties on land incomes and inheritances.—London Advertiser.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

A man named Thorogood is wanted in Owen Sound for bigamy. Serves him right for spelling "Thorough" after the manner of the Toronto World.

"It is," argues the Ottawa Free Press, "merely a coincidence that the decision of the Department of Education of Ontario, to insist upon the use of the letter "u" comes under the supervision of that department by a Deputy Minister whose name is A. H. U. Colquhoun!" The department is justified in retaining the "u," as it is abundantly embodied in one of the most able of its constituent members.

The Conservative Victoria Colonist says:—"Mr. Mackenzie King took Christmas dinner with Lord Morley. The way in which this brilliant young Canadian is forging to the front as a public man is very gratifying to the whole of the people of the Dominion, who do not allow partisan prejudices to stifle their sense of pride in the achievements of one of their own 'boys.'"

The United States elector can't touch the quick like a Canadian voter. When the Canadian electors defeat a premier he is down and out, dead and gone twenty-four hours after the ballots are counted. If Theodore Roosevelt had been a candidate for the presidency and had been defeated as president, he could have "held down his job" and done business till the 4th of March next—nearly five months of irresponsible administration, after a popular vote of want of confidence. We have responsible government in Canada, where governments and administrations cannot, so far as administrative initiative is concerned, hold office an hour after the people have condemned them. The president of the United States and his Cabinet can hold office, outside of criminal malfeasance, no matter how ruinously they rule, till their term expires by the effluxion of time—the people are powerless.

Says He Didn't Say It.

Montreal, Jan. 12.—J. W. Levesque, M.P.P. for Laval, who is one of the numerous defendants in libel actions instituted by Hon. Geo. E. Foster, M.P., arising out of speeches made during the Federal election campaign of last fall, in which Mr. Foster's relations with the Union Trust and Foresters' affairs were criticized, has filed his plea in court here.

He denies the statements attributed to him and claims that what he did say was justified by the facts and in the public interest.

Waited at Church.

Cornwall, Jan. 12.—A young man named Lanthier, who originally hailed from Montreal, was to have been married at St. Columban's Church yesterday morning to a Miss Walsh, with whom he had been keeping company for several months. The bride and her relatives were in the church on time and the priest was waiting, but Lanthier came not. Finally a message was sent that Mr. Lanthier had left town suddenly the night before, for parts unknown.

Transfered to Toronto.

Brockville, Jan. 12.—Miss J. Gibson, for some years the matron of the Eastern Hospital for the Insane here, has been notified of her appointment to a similar position in the Toronto institution. She will be succeeded here by Miss Jones of London, Ont.

WATERWAYS PACT SIGNED.

Long Labors on U.S.-Canadian Treaty Come to an End.

Washington, Jan. 12.—After a long period of hard, patient work, some features of which ran into years, United States Secretary of State Root and Ambassador James Bryce of Great Britain last night signed a treaty for the settlement of international differences between Canada and the United States.

This is the agreement which has been popularly alluded to as the "waterways treaty," but its scope is broader than that designation implies, as it contemplates a disposition of everything in the nature of differences between the two countries, and machinery for questions that may arise along certain lines in the future.

Provision is made for a joint high commission to be made permanent in character.

The final draft and printing of the treaty was not finished until late yesterday, almost at the last moment, a whole page having to be reprinted because of a slight alteration in the text.

Dependent upon the final ratification of the treaty rests the settlement of numerous complex questions connected with the water boundaries, which have been the source of more or less annoyance at different times.

Included in these are the regulations of the use of the waters of the Great Lakes, with the secondary, but none the less important question of the diversion of the waters of these boundaries, including Niagara Falls, which involve that of the amount of water to be taken out for power purposes, the navigation of the St. John river between Maine and New Brunswick, and the use of the Milk river in the northwest.

The work of the present commission will be continued by the organization until it is completed—its other work gradually being absorbed by the joint high commission to be appointed in accordance with the treaty signed last night.

Not Unsatisfactory.

London, Jan. 12.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—The absolute agreement reached between Great Britain, the United States and Canada on the waterways question and the fisheries draft treaty are regarded by Great Britain as "not unsatisfactory." The matter now rests with Canada and Newfoundland.

Bull Fight For Relief Fund.

Mexico City, Jan. 12.—President Diaz and his Cabinet on Sunday attended a bull fight given for the benefit of the Italian earthquake sufferers. Thirty-five thousand dollars in gold was added to the Mexican relief fund.

May Go to Hamilton.

Kingston, Jan. 12.—Rev. C. L. Bilkey, curate of St. James' Church, may accept a call as curate to Canon Wade, Church of Ascension, Hamilton.

Choked by Piece of Beef.

Kingston, Jan. 12.—John Cheevers, Gananoque, aged 60 years, was choked to death on beef which he was eating at dinner in his boarding-house.

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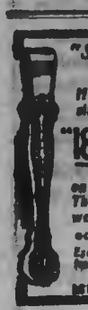

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Complete List Of The Prize Winners At Poultry Show

Names and Addresses of Those Who Showed Winning Birds at the Successful Event Last Week---Local People Won Prizes.

Below will be found a complete list of the prize winners at the successful show, held under the auspices of the Peterborough Poultry Association last week, as furnished the Examiner by the Secretary, Mr. C. J. Hicks:—

Class 1—Light Brahmas

Cock—1st, C. H. Wilson; 2nd, J. W. F. Hall.
Hen—1st, McIntosh and Halliday; 2nd, C B. Tucker.
Cockerel—1st, C H Wilson; 3rd, C H Wilson
Pullet—1st, C H Wilson; 2nd, J R Hope.

Class 2—Dark Brahmas

Cock—1st, McIntosh and Halliday.
Hen—1st, C H Wilson; 2nd, McIntosh and Halliday.
Pullet—1st, C H Wilson.

Class 3—Buff Cochins

Cock—1st, C H Wilson.
Hen—1st, C H Wilson.

Class 4—Partridge Cochins

Cock—1st, C H Wilson.
Hen—1st, C H Wilson; 2nd, McIntosh and Halliday; 3rd, Stewart and Grady.
Cockerel—1st, C H Wilson; 3rd, Lush and Dunnett.
Pullet—2nd, George Paxman; 3rd, Lush and Dunnett.

Class 5—Langshans

Cock—1st, McIntosh and Halliday.
Hen—1st, McIntosh and Halliday.
Pullet—1st, McIntosh and Halliday.
Cockerel—1st, Harry Small.

Class 6—Barred Ply Rocks

Cock—1st, W D Card; 2nd, Lush and Dunnett; 3rd, W D Card.
Hen—1st, Frank Head; 2nd, W D Card; 3rd, Frank Head.
Cockerel—1st, Joe Kelly; 2nd, W D Card; 3rd, Joe Kelly.
Pullet—1st, Joe Kelly; 2nd, W D Card; 3rd, Frank Head.

Class 7— White Ply Rocks

Cock—1st, Lush and Dunnett; 2nd, W D Card.
Hen—1st, W D Card; 2nd, Lush and Dunnett; 3rd, R Robson.
Cockerel—3rd, J B Pentland.
Pullet—3rd, J B Pentland.

Class 8—Buff Ply Rocks

Hen—1st, R J Kidd; 2nd, R J Kidd; 3rd, John Bickell.
Cockerel—1st, Leslie Stevens; 2nd, R J Kidd.
Pullet—1st, Leslie Stevens; 2nd, Leslie Stevens; 3rd, R J Kidd.

Class 9—G. L. Wyandottes

Cock—1st and 2nd, J R Hope.
Hen—1st and 2nd, J R Hope.
Cockerel—1st, J R Hope.
Pullet—1st, J R Hope.

Class 10—S. L. Wyandottes

Cock—1st, J Baptie; 2nd, J R Hope; 3rd, J Baptie.
Hen—1st, J Baptie; 2nd, J R Hope; 3rd, J Baptie.
Cockerel—1st and 2nd, J Baptie; 3rd, McIntosh and Halliday.
Pullets—1st, McIntosh and Halliday; 2nd and 3rd, J Baptie.

Class 11— White Wyandottes

Cock—1st, J R Hope; 2nd, McIntosh and Halliday; 3rd, Geo. Buller.
Hen—1st, J R Hope; 2nd, Lush and Dunnett;.
Cockerel—1st and 2nd, J R Hope; 3rd, Lush and Dunnett.
Pullet—1st, Lush and Dunnett; 2nd and 3rd, J R Hope.

Class 12&13—Partridge Wyandottes and Wyandottes A. O. V.

Cock—1st, J J Cunningham; 2nd, Howard Varcoe; 3rd, Orval King.
Hen—1st, Orval King; 2nd, J R Hope; 3rd, Harry Small.
Cockerel—1st, J J Cunningham; 2nd, J R Hope; 3rd, Lush and Dunnett.
Pullet—1st, 2nd and 3rd, J J Cunningham.
Cock—1st, J R Hope;
Hen—1st, J R Hope.
Pullet—1st, J R Hope; 2nd, J Baptie.

Class 14—Rhode Island Reds

Cock—1st, W D Card; 2nd, Vickery Bros.; 3rd, Fred Brown.
Hen—1st, Vickery Bros; 2nd, T Bottrell & Son; 3rd, Fred Brown.
Cockerel—1st, C H Wilson; 2nd, Vickery Bros.; 3rd, McIntosh & Halliday.
Pullet—1st, McIntosh & Halliday; 2nd and 3rd, Vickery Bros.

Class 15— Indian Games A. O. V.

Cock—1st, W D Card.
Hen—1st, W D Card.
Cockerel—1st, T Bottrell & Son; 2nd, W D Card.

Class 16— Exhibition Games

Pullet—2nd, McIntosh & Halliday.

Class 17— Sumatra Games

Cock—1st, T Bottrell & Son.
Hen—1st, T Bottrell & Son.
Pullet—1st, McIntosh & Halliday; 2nd W D Card.

Class 18—Anconas

Cockerel—1st, D Cameron; 2nd, Andrew Millar; 3rd, Howard Varcoe.
Pullet—1st and 2nd, D. Cameron.

Class 19—R. C. White Leghorns

Cock—1st, Howard Varcoe.
Hen—2nd, Howard Varcoe.

Class 20—White S. C. Leghorns

Cock—1st, E Syers; 2nd, John Bickell; 3rd, R A Dutton.
Hen—1st and 2nd, E Syers; 3rd, John Bickell.
Cockerel—1st and 2nd, E Syers; 3rd, Edson Wegg.
Pullet—1st, E Syers; 2nd, G Buller; 3rd, E Syers.

Class 21—R. C. Brown Leghorn

Cock—1st, C H Wilson; 2nd, T Bottrell & Son.
Hen—1st, C H Wilson; 2nd, T. Bottrell & Son.
Cockerel—1st, C H Wilson; 2nd, Lush & Dunnett; 3rd, McIntosh & Halliday.
Pullet—1st, McIntosh & Halliday; 2nd, C H Wilson; 3rd, W D Card.

Class 22—S. C. Brown Leghorn

Cock—1st, Vickery Bros; 2nd and 3rd, Lush & Dunnett.
Hen—1st and 2nd, Vickery Bros.
Cockerel—1st and 2nd, Vickery Bros.; 3rd, C H Wilson.
Pullet—1st and 2nd, Vickery Bros.; 3rd, Lush & Dunnett.

Class 23—Buff Leghorns

Cock—1st, Lush & Dunnett; 2nd, McIntosh & Halliday; 3rd, Lush & Dunnett.
Hen—1st, Chas. Brereton; 2nd, McIntosh & Halliday; 3rd, Lush & Dunnett.
Cockerel—1st, C H Wilson; 2nd, Lush & Dunnett; 3rd, Chas Brereton.
Pullet—1st, McIntosh & Halliday; 2nd, Howard Outram; 3rd, John Matheson.

Class 24—A. O. V. Leghorns

Cock—1st, Howard Outram; 2nd, Lush & Dunnett; 3rd, W D Card.
Hen—1st, Lush & Dunnett; 2nd, Howard Varcoe.
Cockerel—1st, E Syers; 2nd, Howard Varcoe.
Pullet—1st, Lush & Dunnett; 2nd, McIntosh & Halliday.

Class 25—S. C. Black Minorcas

Cock—1st, F Branch; 2nd, John Bickell; 3rd, W D Card.
Hen—1st, Jos Kelly; 2nd, R Robson; 3rd, Lush & Dunnett.
Cockerel—1st and 2nd, R Robson; 3rd, Geo. Buller.
Pullet—1st and 2nd, R Robson; 3rd, John Bickell.

Class 26—R. C. Black Minorcas

Cockerel—1st, and 2nd, E Srigley; 3rd, Lush and Dunnett.
Pullet—1st, Lush and Dunnett; 2nd and 3rd E Srigley.

Class 27—Andulusians

Cock—1st, Howard Outram.
Cockerel—1st, Howard Outram.
Pullets—1st, Howard Outram; 2nd, Leslie Stevens.

Class 28—Dorkings

Cock—1st, C H Wilson; 2nd, Jas Baptie; 3rd, J J Hartley.
Hen—C H Wilson; 2nd, J R Hope; 3rd, Jas. Baptie.
Cockerel—1st, J J Hartley; 2nd, Lush & Dunnett.
Pullet—1st, C H Wilson; 2nd, Lush & Dunnett; 3rd, J J Hartley.

Class 29—Buff Orpingtons

Cock—1st, Howard Outram.
Hen—1st and 2nd, Chas. Brereton; 3rd, W D Card.
Cockerel—1st, Lush & Dunnett; 3rd, Chas. Brereton.
Pullet—1st, Vickery Bros.; 2nd, Howard Outram; 3rd, John Matheson.

Class 30—Black Orpingtons

Cock—1st, Lush & Dunnett; 2nd, McIntosh & Halliday; 3rd, Howard Varcoe.
Hen—1st, Lush & Dunnett; 2nd and 3rd, Howard Varcoe.
Cockerel—1st and 2nd, Lush & Dunnett; 3rd, McIntosh & Halliday.
Pullet — 1st, Lush & Dunnett; 2nd, Howard Varcoe; 3rd, Lush & Dunnett.

Class 31—Houdans

Cock—1st, McIntosh & Halliday; 3rd, D Cameron.
Hen—1st, McIntosh & Halliday; 2nd, Stewart & Grady; 3rd, D Cameron.
Cockerel—1st, McIntosh & Halliday; 2nd, John Hefferman; 3rd, Stewart & Grady.
Pullet—2nd and 3rd, John Hefferman.

Class 32—W C B Polands

Pullet—1st, W D Card.

Class 33—Golden Polands

Cockerel—2nd, McIntosh & Halliday.
Pullet—2nd, McIntosh & Halliday.

Class 34—S L Polands

Hen—1st, George Paxman; 2nd, McIntosh & Halliday.
Cockerel—1st and 2nd, George Paxman.
Pullet—1st, George Paxman.

Class 36—G S Hamburgs

Cock—1st, Jas. Baptie; 2nd, Lush & Dunnett.
Hen—1st and 2nd, Jas. Baptie.
Cockerel—1st and 2nd, Jas. Baptie.
Pullet—1st and 2nd, Jas. Baptie.

Class 37—S S Hamburgs

Cock—1st, Jas. Baptie; 2nd, Lush & Dunnett; 3rd, Jas. Baptie.
Hen—1st, 2nd and 3rd, Lush & Dunnett.
Cockerel—1st, Jas. Baptie; 3rd. Lush & Dunnett.
Pullet—1st, Jas. Baptie; 2nd and 3rd, Lush & Dunnett

Class 39—Black Hamburgs

Cock—1st, Jas. Baptie; 2nd, J J Cunningham; 3rd, Harry Small.
Hen—1st, Jas. Baptie.
Cockerel—1st and 2nd, Lush & Dunnett; 3rd, Jas. Baptie
Pullet—1st and 2nd, Lush & Dunnett; 3rd, Jas. Baptie.

Class 40—A O V Fowls

Cock—1st, E Syers.
Hen—2nd and 3rd, McIntosh & Halliday.
Pullet—1st, W D Card; 2nd, McIntosh & Halliday.

Class 41—A O V Fowls, Guiena Hens

Cock—1st, Gerald O'Brien.
Hen—1st, Gerald O'Brien.

Class 42—Ex. Game Bantams

Cock—1st, Vickery Bros.; 2nd, T Bottrell & Son.
Hen—1st, Vickery Bros.; 3rd, T Bottrell and Son.
Cockerel—1st, T Bottrell & Son; 2nd, Vickery Bros.; 3rd, Lush & Dunnett.
Pullet—1st, T Bottrell & Son; 2nd, Vickery Bros.; 3rd, Leslie Stevens.

Class 44—R C Bantams

Cock—1st, C H Wilson; 2nd, Vickery Bros.
Hen—1st, C H Wilson; 2nd, Stewart & Grady.
Cockerel—1st and 2nd, C H Wilson.
Pullet—1st, Vickery Bros.; 2nd, Stewart & Grady.

Class 45—Bantams, Cochins White, and Partridge

Cock—1st, Leslie Stevens; 2nd, Jas. Baptie; 3rd, Stewart & Grady.
Hen—1st, Leslie Stevens,
Cockerel—2nd, Leslie Stevens.
Pullet—2nd, Leslie Stevens.

Class 46—Buff Bantams

Cock—2nd, W D Card.
Hen—2nd, W D Card.

Class 47—Black C. Bantams

Cock—1st, J J Cunningham.
Hen—2nd, J R Hope.
Pullet—2nd, J R Hope; 3rd, J J Cunningham.

Class 48—Bantams A. O. V.

Cock—1st and 2nd, T Bottrell & Son.
Hen—1st, Vickery Bros.; 2nd, T Bottrell & Son.
Cockerel—2nd, Leslie Stevens.
Pullet—2nd, Leslie Stevens; 3rd, Lush & Dunnett.

Class 52—Turkeys

Cock—1st, Jas, Baptie,
Hen—1st, Jas. Baptie.

Class 53—Geese, Toulouse

Gander—1st, W D Card.
Goose—1st, W D Card.
Gosling (male)—1st, J R Hope; 2nd, W D Card.
Gosling (female)—1st, W D Card.

Class 55—Pekin Ducks

Drake—1st, Percy Hamilton.
Duck—1st, Percy Hamilton.

Class 56—Rouen Ducks

Drake—1st, W D Card.
Duck—1st, W D Card.
Duckling (male)—1st, J R Hope.
Duckling (female)—J R Hope.

Class 60—Dressed Fowl

Pair—1st, John Matheson.

Class 61—Pigeons, Pouters

Pair—1st, T Bottrell & Son.

Class 62—Pigeons, Jacobins

Pair—1st, Howard Outram.

Class 63—Pigeons, Fantails

Pair—1st, Howard Outram; 2nd, Geo. Buller.

Class 64—Pigeons, Collection

Collection—1st, T Bottrell & Son; 2nd, Cesare Laplante; 3rd, Howard Outram.

Class 66—Rabbits, A V

Pair—1st, Stewart & Grady.

Class 68—Eggs, White

Dozen—1st, John Bickell; 2nd, E Westcott.

Class 69—Eggs, Brown

Dozen—1st, John Matheson; 2nd, John Bickell; 3rd, Geo, Buller.

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REV. D. O. CROSSLEY'S FUNERAL AT WHITBY

Many Tributes Paid to the Memory of the Well Known Methodist Divine.

Whitby, Jan. 10.—Memorial services for the Rev. D. O. Crossley were held in the Methodist Tabernacle this morning. The platform and chancel were a mass of flowers from the churches throughout the Bay of Quinte Conference, at which he had been stationed since entering the ministry, thirty-six years ago. Conference President, Rev. Robert McCullough, was chairman. Appropriate singing by the choir and prayer by Rev. J. W. Bell, of Pickering. Scripture lessons by Rev. S. T. Tucker, of Greenwood, were followed with short addresses by Rev. Dr. Abraham, of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church and Rev. J. P. Wilson, of Lindsay; Rev. R. M. Manning, of Peterborough; Rev. E. E. Howard, of Myrtle; Rev. W. B. Tucker, of Oshawa; Rev. Dr. J. J. Hare, principal of the Ontario Ladies' College; Rev. A. J. Tyrell, of Greenbank; and the benediction by Rev. Roger Allin, of Brooklin. A touching tribute was paid to the manliness and unselfish devotion which were Mr. Crossley most marked characteristics.

The funeral leaves by the local Grand Trunk train to-morrow morning for Toronto and King, where the interment takes place. Mr. Crossley, merchant, of Bracebridge, son of the deceased, and Rev. H. T. Crossley, a brother, the famous evangelist, from Lansing, Mich., were mourners. Mrs. Beatty, of Toronto, intimately associated with the family, was also present.

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FIRST TIME HOME IN EIGHTEEN YEARS

Mr. R. J. Duncan, of Cleveland, Visited Father and Other Relatives.

Mr. R. J. Duncan, of Cleveland O. has returned home after spending a number of holidays with his father Mr. Robt. Duncan, McDonel street, and also his brother, Ald. Duncan, George street. It is 18 years since Mr. Duncan was in Peterborough before. He is now engaged as foreman of the machine room of the Cleveland Press. Mr. Duncan learned his trade in the Examiner, and 20 years ago left Peterborough for wider experience. He renewed many acquaintances whilst here, and noticed as other old boys have done the city is steadily increasing.

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The back aches at times with a dull feeling, making you worry and restless, sharp pains shoot across the region of the kidneys, it is agony to bend, stoop or lift. The rubbing of liniments or application of plasters does no good in these cases, they do not reach the cause. To get rid of these symptoms and exchange the bad back for a new and stronger one, follow the example of this Peterborough citizen:

Mrs. John Barclay, 583 Water street, Peterborough, Ont., says: "My back was weak and tender, and a dull, grinding pain had settled in the small of it: I could not stoop to lift anything and could scarcely turn in bed. Rheumatism had settled in my hands and shoulders. I was in constant suffering and could find no relief. The urine plainly told the disordered, inactive state of the kidneys, as it was thick and highly coloured and contained a quantity of brick dust sediment. Booth's Kidney Pills were advertised at the Market Drug Store, and I tried them. I found more relief in one box of Booth's Kidney Pills than in all else put together. My back strengthened and the pains left it. Rheumatism disappeared and has not since returned. The urine cleared, I am strong and well and feel like a new person." Sold by dealers. Price, 50 cents. The R. T. Booth, Co., Limited., Fort Erie, Ont., sole Canadian agents.

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Routine Business At First Meeting Of Council For Year; Several By-laws Were Passed

Mr. W. J. Johnston is the New Member of the Board of Health---Many Communications Were Received and Dealt With---Board of Education Matters.

The first meeting of the new Council was held last night with a full attendance. There was a fairly large amount of business on the file that required attention and received due consideration. The meeting was concluded at nine thirty, which as far as early closing is concerned, is a good sign.

Purchase of Stone

A communication was received from the city engineer, stating that it was a good time to secure stone for crushing, while the sleighing is good. He advised that advertisements be posted for 600 cords, to be purchased at $3.00 per cord. (Ald. Hicks suggested that the matter be promptly acted upon.

The Board of Works will look after this affair.

The report of the results of the recent elections was presented by the clerk.

From Mr. T. B. McGrath, applying for the position of assessor.

A similar application was received from Mr. F. J. Jamieson. Both were referred to the Committee of the Whole Council.

Horse Was Injured

A letter from Mr. S. J. McCluskey, stating that on the evening of December 21st, his horse was struck by the hose waggon of the fire department, while standing on Hunter street. It was knocked off its feet and rather seriously injured. He states he has been put to considerable expense and asks for remuneration. Referred to Legal Committee.

From the Canadian Municipal Journal Company, asking for subscriptions for this journal.—Received.

Real Estate Title

From Bicknell, Bain and Strathy, regarding the title of a part of Murray street, (By a by-law number 467, passed in 1884, a part of Murray street was conveyed to the William Hamilton Company, but has never been claimed. This communication was a notice to the effect that a claim was now being made. —Referred to the Property Committee.

Chief's Telephone

An extension to the house telephone at Chief Roxzel's residence was formerly paid for by the city. Last year, however, a change was made and the chief had to meet the additional cost himself. The chief is entitled to different fines during the year, which he has never claimed, and he considers that this is a reason why the city should pay for the extra 'phone bill. Last year, for instance, he might have collected about $30.00 in fines, but did not do so. The cost of the 'phone is $12.50, not quite half the sum which he did not take as his rightful claim last year. —The matter was referred to the Finance Committee.

Board of Education Matters

A communication was received from the secretary of the Board of Education, stating that the sum of $10,000 is required by the Board for permanent improvements, namely, for the completion of the new Collegiate and the equipment which is necessary. They ask that a by-law be passed for the issuing of debentures to raise this sum. Referred to the Committee of the Whole. A deputation of the Board will wait on the Council at the next meeting to explain this matter.

Pay the Demand

It was moved by Ald. Morrow, seconded by Ald. Turner, that the demand of the School Board for the month of January be paid. The motion carried. There was some discussion, however. Ald. Bradburn, Hicks and Buller wanted an explanation of the increase in the years, which had been noticed during the past three years. Ald. Morrow stated that several of the members of the Board of Education had intended to be present, but they were told that they need not attend until the next meeting.

For Charity

A request for a donation was received from J. Ross Robertson, of the Sick Children's Hospital, Toronto.—Finance Committee.

Oil Supply

A request was received from the Crescent Oil Company, asking for the contract for supplying the city with oil for the coming year.—Referred to the Board of Works.

By-Laws

By-law No. 1428—A by-law authorizing the Commissioners of the City Trust to sell to Mr. Wm. Weatherstone one acre of the Hilliard property for the sum of $150, on which he is to erect a factory for the manufacture of mats.

By-law No. 1429—A by-law to authorize the construction of a sewer on part of Dublin street, and to make an agreement for meeting the cost thereof.

By-law No. 1430—A by-law to authorize the execution of an agreement with the Peterborough Light and Power Company regarding the gas mains and city streets.

By-law No. 1431—A by-law to appoint the members of the Board of Health of Peterborough.

Romaine St. Sewer

A new question was introduced at the meeting last night. It was about a sewer down on Romaine street. It seems that the sewer was not built according to the best ideas at least from all reports it was not fit for use when it was announced ready for use. Ald. Duncan by way of variety asked what was being done in regard to this piece of civic workmanship. He thought that now in the dry season it was the proper time to undertake the work. Ald. Phelan stated that it was the intention of the Board of Works to go ahead with the work at once. Ald. Morgan was out with a suggestion to have the work done by the city street commissioner.

Last Year's Estimates

The City Treasurer presented the following statements of the estimates that were made for 1908 and also the actual receipts and expenditures—

Receipts

Statement of estimated receits for the year 1908; and actual receipts to December 31st, 1908.

Estimated Receipts

Arrears of taxes	150.00
County Registrar	400.00
Dog tax	900.00
Licenses—from License Commissioners	5200.00
From other sources	2500.00
Market tolls	1000.00
Police court	1800 00
Percentage on Taxes	400.00
Provincial railway tax	300.00
Rents received	1163 00
Statute labour tax	300.00
Taxes 1907	6500.00
	$20,613.00

Actual Receipts

Arrears of taxes	201.98
Administration of Justice	14 00
County Registrar	192.63
Charity	73.28
Dog tax	965.00
Fire Department	49.49
Interest	468.26
Licenses—From License Commissioners	5231 60
From other sources	3167 50
Market tolls	1319.99
Miscellaneous	7: 0 53
Police court	1459.42
Percentage of taxes	126.98
Provincial railway tax	337 38
Peterborough's City Trust--General Debentures	75.00
Rents received	1282.77
Statute Labour	252.00
Streets and Bridges	95.0
Taxes 1907	6816.96
	$22 997 60

Expenditures

Statement of appropriation for the year 1908 and expenditures to December 31st. 1908.

Appropriation

Assessments and taxes	2600.00
Administration of Justice	100 0 00
Charity	2400.00
Chairmen's expenses	100.00
Concrete walk maintenance Account	100.00
Dog tax	35 00
Election and by-laws	700.00
Fire department	70. 1 00
Health	2200 00
Heating	500 00
Insurance	200 00
Interest	505.00
Law and legislation	1150 00
Light	8500.00
Loss on taxes	3300.00
Market	300
Miscellaneous	12 9.00
Municipal Government	4300.00
Parks	150 00
Property	960.00
Printing, stationery and Advertising	500 00
R. C. Separate schools	79 0.00
Streets and bridges	16500.00
Snow removal	2400.00
Special grants	2700.00
Sewer maintenance	200.00
Street watering	25 0 16
Voters lists	250.00
Water Commissioners	8800.00
Board of Education	46000.00
Peterborough's City Trust.	
Public School debentures	7308.93
City general debentures	12315.31
Local improv. debentures, city's share	7245.93
Local improv. debentures, frontage	12589.74
Collegiate Institute Deben	4835.75
	$178,525.85

Actual Expenditure

Assessments and taxes	2847.29
Admin. of Justice	9884.86
Charity	3615.85
Concrete walk maintenance Account	18.46
Collegiate Ins.	307.07
Dog tax	28.00
Election and by-laws	751.90
Fire department	11466.78
Health	1525.27
Heating	540.51
Insurance	215.61
Interest	2270 87
Law and legislation	1040.14
Light	8705.99
Loss on taxes	2400.65
Market	650.98
Miscellaneous	1123 80
Municipal Government	4306.50
Parks	27.10
Property	64.00
Printing, stationery and Advertising	408.33
Refunds	419.93
R. C. Seperate schools	7915 00
Streets and bridges	24833.07
Snow removal	250 .73
Special Grants	2900 00
Sewer maintenance	3 .05
Street watering	2511.71
Street numbering	.20
Voters lists	12.62
Water Commissioners	8560 00
Board of Education	46000 00
Peterborough's City Trust	
Public school deb	7261.76
City, general deb.	11713.29
Local improv. debentures, city's share	6853.31
Local improv. debentures, frontage	1224.77
Collegiate Ins. deb.	4592 34
	$101,029.93

City Dep't

From the City Treasurer, stating that the balance of the city account on Dec 31st, was $60,552.91 in the bank's favour.

Statement of Roll

Tax Collector W J Green presented the following statement of the roll, ending Dec 31:

Total amount on roll	$159,356 66
By amount deposited	145,263 33
Balance	$ 14,093 33
Less Discount	2,290, 65
Balance	$ 11,802 68

Total amount collected and deposited during December, 1908, $1,292.33.

From the City Solicitor, stating that he had received an order from the Secretary of the Board of Railway Commissioners authorizing the G.T.R. to construct a siding to the Geo Matthews Company's premises. He stated that he had written for a copy of the plan of the same.

From Mr A D Cartwright, stating that an application of the G. T. R. Company for leave to construct, maintain and operate two branch lines of railway or spurs from a point on the railway on Bethune street. One crossing Bethune street to lot No. 9, north of Dalhousie street, and No. two crossing Bethune street to lot No. 9, north of Wolfe street, would receive the attention of the Railway Board in Toronto to-day.

OFFICERS ELECTED BY CHOSEN FRIENDS

F. W. Campbell Came From Hamilton to Perform Ceremony.

The Chosen Friends' ceremony of installation of officers took place Friday night in the S.O.E. Hall in the presence of the largest audience that has ever been known to attend. F. W. Campbell, Grand Organiser, from Hamilton, was present to perform the ceremony. He gave an address upon the prosperity of the Order in Peterborough and the Dominion of Canada, showing how this Order of Chosen Friends has rapidly grown from a small number of members to an extensive body reaching from Newfoundland to the Pacific Ocean, this fraternal society having gone ahead by leaps and bounds, he said, in the last 21 years. It ranks as one of the first to-day, financially. He stated that the society was so well organized on a basis of economy by the Grand Council that the greatest of success was assured to it and while there are nearly six hundred Councils and over five thousand new members were added last year, they are still looking forward to greater achievements in the present year.

The membership at present is about 35,000, with over three-quarters of a million dollars in the bank to pay death, sick and funeral benefit claims.

The officers installed for this year are:

Dr Marshall—P.C.
W Payton—C. C.
Miss V Doxsee—V.C.
Mrs. A Gibbs—Recorder.
A Hanna—Treasurer.
Miss E Marshall—Prelate.
J W Brownlee—Marshal.
Miss H Doughty—Warden.
R E Elliott—Guard.
R Ivory—Sentry.

Representatives to the Grand Council—Dr. Marshall, R McGill and Mrs. A Gibbs.

A large number of new members were added to the council at the same time.

THIS ATHLETE OF FIFTY-TWO YEARS

Says He Owes His Wonderful Energy to Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Was Tortured With Rheumatism and a Cripple Till the Great Kidney Remedy Cured Him.

Six Nations, Ont., Jan. 11th, Special --Fifty two years of age but still young enough to captain the lacrosse team, John Silversmith, of this place can truly be looked upon as a wonderful athlete. One would naturally think he was all his life a healthy man. But it was far otherwise, and he unhesitatingly states that his wonderful energy and vitality are due to Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"I suffered from Rheumatism for over seven years," Mr. Silversmith says in telling his story, and it finally made a complete cripple of me. My back was bent nearly double and when I tried to walk I had to use crutches. Latterly I could not get around at all and I suffered excruciating pain.

"Two boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills gave me relief, sixteen boxes cured me completely."

Dodd's Kidney Pills always cure Rheumatism because Rheumatism is caused by disordered kidneys and Dodd's Kidney Pills always cure disordered kidneys.

THE CITY FATHERS WILL ATTEND CHURCH

Accept Invitation of Ministerial Association to Attend Church.

The city fathers will attend church in a body next Sunday it being the annual event arranged by the Ministerial Association. This year it was decided to invite the Mayor and Aldermen to attend George Street church on Jan 17th and Rev E. A. Pearson has been delegated to preach to them. A communication was received last night from Rev Mr Pearson as secretary of the Ministerial Association, and on motion of Ald. Gillespie and Ald. McIntyre it was received

Shredded Wheat Banquet, Murray Street Baptist Church, Friday evening, Jan. 15th, at 7 o'clock. Admission 25 cents. 7-3tod

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The Greatest Lung Healing Medicine known to science. A guaranteed cure for all Lung Trouble, Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Sore Throat and Consumption. Every Bottle sold under a guarantee. The only Cough Medicine endorsed by doctors. 25c. Bottles.

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Fig Pills will cure Rheumatism and all Blood Disease. Pimples and Blotches removed in a few days by taking Fig Pills. One taken at night time will make you feel better in the morning. Large boxes, 25c.

EX-ALD. JOHNSTON ON BOARD OF HEALTH

The Only Change in the Members From Last Year.

Only one new face will be seen around the Board of Health this year. Mr. Jos. Murfy's term expired but he was re-appointed. The vacancy resulting from the death of the late Alfred Parker will be filled by ex-Ald. Johnston. This was decided on at the meeting of the council last night when a special by-law was passed and on motion these appointments were confirmed.

NO MORE DANDRUFF.

Newbro's Herpicide Destroys the Pestiferous Causes of Annoying Dandruff

Does your head itch? Is your coat or dress full of white flakes after dressing your hair? That's the effect of dandruff. Is your hair thinning? Are you beginning to get bald in spots? Are you already, in fact, rapidly becoming bald? If so, that is the effect of a measly little parasite that burrows in at the root of the hair, and throws up the scalp in dandruff and eats off the hair at the root. Science's latest discovery is a destroyer of that pestiferous germ. That destroyer is contained in no other hair preparation on earth but Newbro's Herpicide. Try it and be convinced. A delightful dressing.

Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to the Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. Two Sizes 50c and $1. McDermid & Jury, and Payne's Drug Store, Special Agents.

OBITUARY.

MR. JOHN MENZIES

An old and well respected citizen passed away yesterday in the person of Mr. John Menzies, oldest son of the late James Menzies, in the 69th year of his age. Death came peacefully at the family residence, 228 Stewart street, while surrounded by his faithful wife and a number of relatives and friends. The illness was of short duration, the deceased having been stricken down by the rupture of a blood vessel, which rendered him unconscious and closed his earthly life at noon yesterday. The late Mr. Menzies was born in Perthshire, Scotland, November, 1840, and came to Quebec with his parents in 1851, afterwards removing to Peterborough in 1853, where he has resided ever since. He was married to Sarah Bradfield, daughter of the late William Bradfield, of Douro, in 1875. One child was born to this issue, which died in infancy. Deceased was of a quiet, genial nature, an affectionate husband, and an exemplary member of St. John's Church. Sincere sympathy will go out to his sorrowing wife, who has been so suddenly bereft of her faithful companion in life, and to his four brothers and three sisters, William, Donald, Jennie and Kate, of this city; Robert J., of Lindsay; James, of Montreal; and Mrs. Walter Paterson of Milwaukee.

Funeral will take place from the family residence, 228 Stewart street, on Wednesday afternoon, at two o'clock.

SARAH JANE GILCHRIST

The "Silver State" of Deer Lodge City, Mont., contains an obituary notice of a former Peterborough resident in the person of Mrs. Duncan McLeod.

The notice is as follows:

Ovando, Mont., Oct. 17.—Died at their home on McCabe Creek, near Ovando, on October 13, 1908, Sarah Jane Gilchrist, wife of Duncan McLeod, born at Golftown, N.H., on the 16th day of November, 1823, and a daughter of Dr. John Gilchrist, of Port Hope, Canada, the first physician licensed by the government. Surviving her are her husband, and two daughters, Mrs. Alfred Stewart, of Ovando, Mont., and Mrs Geo. Reynolds, of Portland, Ore., and two sisters, Mrs. Charles Perry, of Peterborough, Canada, and Miss Anna Gilchrist, of Port Hope, Canada.

Before coming to Ovando, Mrs. McLeod had lived with her husband in several states of the union, and for many years lived in Helena, where Mr. McLeod was engaged in mining, real estate and insurance. Since coming to Ovando they have lived a retired life, and are much respected by their friends and neighbours.

Interment was made in the Ovando cemetery followed by a large concourse of sorrowing friends.

WEDDING BELLS

RUTHERFORD—DUNSEATH

In Toronto on Wednesday, December 30th, Mr. Will Rutherford, of Otonabee, was united in marriage to Miss Bertha Dunseath, of Fenelon. The ceremony was performed at 7.30 the evening by Rev Dr. Neil, pastor of Westminster Presbyterian church.

Tremendous Clearance

For A January Clean-up

Before Stock-Taking

At The Peterboro' Bookstore

Our Annual Price-cutting Sale before stock-taking has commenced. Many of our readers are familiar with our yearly habit of making Radical Reductions all over the store previous to stock-taking. This is a sale that has pleased everybody because it is a chance to economize and save money.

We Set a High-Water Mark for Each Day's Selling

The reductions in Books, Stationery and Fancy Goods will be unparalleled.

Heroic January Clean-Up

Odd Lines, Broken Lots and Ends of Broken Lots and Ends of Broken Lines left over after our heavy holiday selling. Perfectly new desirable goods, at marvellous reductions.

Playing Cards, Tally Cards and Evening Games

Will all be found in the bargain wave that has swept over the store.

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Decorations for the Home, Pictures, Desk Ornaments, Gift Books, Fancy Glassware, Hand Mirrors, Photo Frames, Whisk Holders, Novelties in Bronze, Cut Glass, Toilet Sets, etc., at positively Clearing-Out Prices.

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"THE PETERBOROUGH BOOKSTORE"
417 George Street, Peterborough

A LITERARY SOCIETY FORMED IN GALWAY

Special to the Examiner.

Galway, Jan 13—On January 8th, a literary meeting was formed called The Galway Literary Society. The meeting was held in C. M. B. A. for the purpose of electing the different officers for the coming year.

The following were chosen—
Pres.—Ed. Allen.
Vice Pres.—Herbert Cluston.
Rec Sec.—Miss Pearl Ferguson.
Treasurer—Jno. McGuire.
Critic—Patrick Collins.
Manager—Jas. Allen.
Lookout Com—Emmie Doherty, Veronica Allen and Nora Collins.

Debates will be held every two weeks, the first subject, "Is Married Life Happier than Single?"

Affirmative—Jno. McGuire, Ed. Cain and Mrs. Jno. McGuire.

Negative—Kittie Cain, Herbert Cluston and Pearl Ferguson.

Readings by Tuffield Dyer, Miss O'Neil and Veronica Allen.

After some good music and singing the meeting broke up to assemble again in two weeks.

Watch for the advertisement with the big arrow cut

January Clearance Sale

Handkerchief Specials

Our wish for a thorough clean-up in the Handkerchief stock is responsible for the best 'Kerchief bargains you have ever known. Those who appreciate big values will buy in dozen lots. Here's a sample:—

50 Dozen Ladies' Fine Handkerchiefs, in plain and fancy, regular 10c, 12½c and 15c each. January Clearance Sale,

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165th Wednesday Annex Event—8:10-5:30

Children's Coats

Cream Cashmere **Cream Silk**

110 Cream Cashmere, 72 Cream Silk Children's Coats. This is the entire range of a manufacturer's set of samples. Beautifully made and trimmed garments. Some are slightly mussed, but positively not soiled, and are valued at $3.00, $3.50 and $4.00. The greatest bargain in Children's Wear ever offered in Peterborough. Wednesday in the Annex 1.79
See Window To-night.

"Boggity Bog" (March two step) In Dear Old Sweetheart Days, (ballad) Two new sheets of music. Music Dept., main floor, rear.

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New Spring Embroideries

2,400 yds of New Spring Embroideries and Insertions in dainty Swiss patterns from 3 to 9 ins in width, bought in large quantities direct from the makers for our January White Sale. Reg. 12½c to 20c per yd. In the Annex Wednesday at, per yard (see window) **7½c**

Sateen Underskirts

Do you require a Black Sateen Underskirt? 72 to be sold in this week's Annex. Made of fair quality English Sateen, deep flounce, well made and finished. Special at 89c. In the Annex Wednesday only **45c**

Flannelette Blankets

Heavy, warm Flannelette Blankets in 11/4 size, large enough for any double bed, white or grey with coloured borders. Over 100 prs. in each. This blanket is the best quality and cannot be bought anywhere for less than $1.25. A pair **89c**

Children's Underwear

Watson's unshrinkable Wool Underwear: Vests and Drawers, all sizes. Easily the best lines in the trade at reg. prices. Divided into two lots :

Sizes 16 to 22. Sold up to 45c. In the Annex Wednesday garment **33c**

Sizes 24 to 32. Sold up to 60c. In the Annex Wednesday, garment **42c**

When the Clock Strikes Two

Women's Night Gowns

Ten dozen (120) Women's Flannelette Night Gowns in pink, blue and grey stripes, lace trimmed at neck. Full sizes, worth 59 cts. In the Annex Wednesday at 2 o'clock ..... (not before) ..... **35c per Garment**

ADMIRE POINTS TO A BARGAIN

Watch for the Advertisment with the Arrow. Cressman's 385-387-389 George Street Peterborough

Standing Committees Of Council For Year Are Selected By Report Of Committee Of The Whole

The personnel of the committees of the City Council was decided upon last night, when Ald Bradburn presented the following report from the special nominating committee:

That the standing committees for the year 1909 be composed as follows:

BOARD OF WORKS—Ald. Phelan, Chairman; Ald. Bradburn, Buller, Gillespie, McIntyre, Turner, Duncan.

FIRE, WATER AND LIGHT—Ald. Buller, Chairman; Ald. Turner, Hicks and Morgan.

MANUFACTURES, (Railways and Franchises)—Ald. Gillespie, Chairman; Ald. Hicks, Morrow, Duttus and Metheral.

FINANCE, (Printing and Licenses)—Ald. Morrow, Chairman; Ald. Phelan, Gillespie and Bradburn.

PROPERTY, (Market, Building and Health)—Ald. Bradburn, Chairman; Ald. Morgan, Hicks, Duncan and McIntyre.

LEGAL, (Reception, Legislation and Joint with County)—Ald. Turner, Chairman; Ald. McIntyre, Metheral and Duttus.

That a Special Power Committee be appointed composed of Ald. McIntyre, Chairman; Ald. Morrow, Bradburn, Gillespie, Morgan and Phelan.

That a grant of $500 be made to the Mayor to be paid quarterly at the beginning of each quarter.

That the agreement arrived at to settle the claim of Mrs. Rogers, regarding stagnant water caused by the filling in of the water front, namely, that the City pay $800, the Canadian Pacific Railway $600 and the Peterborough Cereal Company $350, be confirmed, and that the City Treasurer be authorized to issue a cheque for $800 to the City Solicitor to carry out this agreement and that the City Solicitor be authorized to pay the money to Mrs. Rogers upon receiving a proper release, also that the Mayor be authorized to give a letter to the Peterborough Cereal Company, agreeing that if the Company is not given a conveyance of the land referred to in bylaw No. 1128 and the City resumes possession of the said land, the City will return to the Company the $350 paid by them with interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum.

Splendid Concert By The Imperial Scots Company

It would appear as if the Caledonian population of Peterborough and the citizens generally are inclined to the teetotal principle. They don't seem to fancy either "Imperial" or "Scotch." There was a small audience last night at the Conservatory Hall to listen with delight to one of the best concert presentations ever given in Peterborough—by the Imperial Scots Company. A recall was demanded for every number on the programme, and in the majority of cases responded to, with the result that a programme of thirteen numbers was expended into one of twenty-five. The company are artists individually, and know how to sing—their voices in the last number of the programme being as clear, true and musical as at the beginning. They were conscientious artists, too, giving as prompt deference to the demands of a handful of auditors as they could have done to a crowded house. The same conscientiousness marked their work. They always did their best, and their best was delightful in every sense. Ruby Scott Grant, the soprano, has a beautiful voice, of robust and vibrant sonority, but always musical and sweet. She sings with the competent ease of a trained singer, with dramatic consistency and intelligent appreciation of sentimental and musical values. As the French would put it Ruby Scott Grant is not a mere chanteuse, she is a cantatrice—an artist with splendid voice and method. Mr. J. M. Hamilton, the tenor, while hardly in the robust class, is a great lyric artist, modified by a distinctly dramatic temperament, especially evident in such splendid declamations as "Draw the Sword, Scotland," sung with great fire and finish in full Highland costume; and his duets with the soprano were sung with such dramatic effect as to give the flavour of opera to their joint vocal offerings. These were also marked by the beautiful blend of two beautiful voices. Mr. Fred Barclay, heralded as the "Prince of Scotch Comic Singers, by the pawky humour of his drolleries, captured the audience and could not escape repetition of his three set numbers. Perhaps the highest word of praise is due the pianist of the company, Miss Annie McKay, whose accompaniments were perfection, in both judgment and taste. Altogether the Imperial Scots Company provided one of the very best musical entertainments, and perhaps the best Scotch concert ever given in Peterborough. If a return engagement is possible a crowded house should greet their re-appearance.

Gospel Temperance Meeting In Crystal Sunday Was A Success

The Gospel Temperance meeting held Sunday afternoon was a most endouraging success, both as to numbers in attendance and the quality of the addresses given. Every seat at the "Crystal" was occupied and all the available standing room taken up, while numbers who sought entrance were unable to get in. The meeting was in the hands of the various Bible classes of the city, and short addresses were made by representatives of these classes.

The first speaker was ex-Alderman Johnston, from the George Street Methodist Church. He spoke on the question of revenue, pointing out that the nineteen bars and five wholesale liquor establishments in the city were greatly in excess of the needs, and expressing the opinion that if all the money that is worse than wasted in these places were directed into proper channels, there would be little trouble about the revenue.

He was followed by Mr. Stabler, of the Murray Street Church, who discussed the question of influence, dealing especially with the influence that can be legitimately exerted by a young man who is not a voter. He showed that education is a most important factor in this question, pointed out the advantage of pledge taking, and urged young men everywhere to put themselves on record as against the evil.

The next speaker was Mr. George Hall, of Knox Church, who spoke on the responsibility of a Christian in the matter of his example. Should he by his example encourage moderate drinking, when he saw the effects that are being produced on home and social life by the liquor habit. He should by his example and influence do all he could, not only to put a stop to drinking, but to promote the passage of prohibitory legislation.

Mr. Downey, from Charlotte Street, said that the history of the world had consisted of three things—movement, achievement, improvement. Nations had moved in the direction of the abandonment of slavery, which had resulted in the achievement of freedom and the improvement in the condition of the race. So it must be with this question. Move in the way of education and agitation. When the time comes achieve closing the bars by popular vote and so bring lasting benefit.

Mr. R. A. Jackson, of Park Street, drew a contrast between the effects of spending money for the products of agriculture and manufacture and for liquor, showing how the one brought benefit and the other degradation and death.

Mr. R. Lees, in the absence of Mr. R. Patterson, of St. Andrew's, spoke briefly on the evils of the treating habit, and Mr. Hassard, of the Y. M. C. A., brought the meeting to a close with a pointed address, in which he stated the position of the institution he represented.

The orchestra of the George Street Church was present and took charge of the musical part of the programme to the delight and satisfaction of all present. The chair was occupied by Dr. Middleton.

Next Sunday's meeting will be addressed by Rev. H. J. Keith, of Knox Church.

A naval seaman has once every day to salute the quarter-deck of his ship, even if no officer is upon it. "Salada" Tea is in such popular favour that many people feel like saluting a packet wherever seen. 109

SALE OF RAISINS

1000 Boxes

I am instructed by the Consignors to sell by Public Auction one thousand half boxes of raisins, which arrived too late for the Christmas trade. These raisins are of the highest grade and in prime condition and will be sold in lots or by the box, (28 lbs.,) to suit purchasers. Sale at 2 o'clock on Monday, 25th January, at 130 Simcoe Street, between W. H. Hamilton's Grocery and the Bank of Montreal. Terms cash. 12d-8

JOHN HAGGART, Auctioneer

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Ayer's Cherry Pectoral	20 and 40c
Baby's Own Tablets	20c
Chases Pills	15c
British Troop Oil	20c
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Four T's Cough Syrup	20c
Scott's Emulsion	40 and 80c
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Wampole's Cod Liver Oil	80c
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$2.25, $2.50 and $3.00 GOLF WAISTS for $1.98

36 only Ladies' Golf Waists and Coats. Colours, black, white, cardinal and navy, our regular 2.25, 2.50 and 3.00 lines, your choice this week for..... **1.98**

$1.50 GIRLS' SWEATERS for 98c

We have grouped into one lot all our Children's, Misses' and Girls' NORFOLK COATS and SWEATERS, colours, white, navy and cardinal, formerly sold at 1.50. Priced them at one price for this week, your choice for..... **.98**

50c TOQUES, SASHES and MITTS for 40c

All our regular 50c lines of TOQUES, SASHES and LONG MITTS to match Sweaters. Your choice this week for ..... **.40**

35c TOQUES for 25c

8 dozen fine quality plain Toques, all colours, your choice this week for..... **.25**

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HERE ON A VISIT FROM THE NORTHWEST

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. G. Humphrey of Gretwold, Man., are visiting Mr. William Yelland, McDonel street. It is six years since Mr. Humphrey was in Peterborough. He is now engaged extensively in a general business, mostly in the hardware line. They will remain in the east about three weeks.

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The Philomathean Society Has Its First Meeting Of The Year

The regular meeting of the Collegiate Philomathean Society was held yesterday evening in the Assembly Hall. The meeting opened with the reading of the minutes which were approved and signed.

The first number of the programme was a speech on "Hannibal" by Mr. Cyril Moore, which was heartily applauded. The next item was a beautifully rendered piano solo by Miss Jean Hill, followed by a speech on "The early history of Peterborough County," by Miss Gertrude Yenney. Then there was a humorous reading by Miss Carol Johnston, which was very well given and much appreciated by the audience. Another speech followed on "Voyages to the Arctic Ocean" by Mr. Gran. Mowat. We understand this was Mr. Mowat's first speech in public, and as such it was extremely well given. Next was a pleasing vocal duet by Messrs. Carlisle and then a speech on "The Awakening of China" by Miss A. Stinson, which was quite the success of the evening.

The meetings concluded with the criticism by Mr. Stubbs, and the singing of the National Anthem.

The Woodmen Have Enjoyable Time At Their Installation

Last night in the S. O. E. hall Sherwood Forest Camp, No. 50, Woodmen of the World, held their annual installation of officers for the year 1909. Organizer S. Cameron, of Lindsay, was present and performed the ceremony. The camps at Lindsay, Port Hope and Campbellford were largely represented and a great number were initiated into the camp. The following officers were duly installed:

P. C. C.—Wm. Atcheson.
C. C.—R. N. Jones.
Advt. Lieut.—A. E. Bartley.
Banker—James Kyle.
Clerk—A. A. Huskill.
Asst. Clerk—G. Armstrong.
Escort—P. D. Fitzgerald.
Watchman—T. Medd.
Sentry—Wm. Taylor.
Managers—W. J. Johnson, F. C. Copperwaithe, James Belleghem.

After the close of the meeting a banquet was held in Mr. T. H. Hooper's grill room, where eighty Woodmen sat down to enjoy the many good things provided. After the needs of the inner man had been attended to speeches were given by the chairman of the evening, Mr. W. J. Johnston, and after that Mrs. Wm. Gibbs, of the Ladies' Circle, gave an interesting address. Short addresses were given by Mr. C. Ough, of Port Hope; Mr. Grills, of Campbellford; Mr. S. Cameron, of Lindsay, and R. N. Jones, of the local camp.

The evening was brought to a close with the singing of the National Anthem, "God Save the King."

"PRIVATE SECRETARY" REHEARSAL CALLED

There will be a rehearsal in the Knights of Pythias hall, to-morrow night of the "Private Secretary," the stirring comedy which is to be produced by city amateurs at no distant date. Every member of the cast is expected to be on hand and in time—with all or our lines!—promptly, as this rehearsal is an important one. From what can be learned those engaged in producing the Private Secretary will give this first rate comedy a worthy presentation under the capable coaching of Mr. Irving Beers.

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D. Henry	D. Bradshaw	R. C. Braund
J.T. Donoghue	N. Routley	J. J. Lynch
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THE MURDER MYSTERY HAS BEEN SOLVED

Rev. Mr. Carmichael Leaves Confession and Kills Himself.

SAYS HE WAS HYPNOTIZED

Minister Who Slew Gideon Browning Says That He Was Under the Influence of the Carpenter and Killed Him to End the Spell — Carmichael Cut Throat and Died While In Custody at Illinois.

Carthage, Ill., Jan. 12.—Rev. John Haviland Carmichael, the clergyman who is wanted for the murder of Gideon Browning at Rattle Run, Mich., is under arrest here. He was taken into custody early yesterday after an attempt to commit suicide by cutting his throat. Carmichael made two serious wounds in his neck, and it was at first believed by the physician in attendance that he would recover, but he died at noon.

A letter of ten pages was written by Carmichael before he attempted suicide, admitting his identity, and confessing that he killed Browning, cut up the body, and burned it in the church stove while under the hypnotic influence of Browning.

Carmichael had been staying here for the last two days at a private boarding-house.

His attempt at suicide was made while in an outhouse on the premises of the place at which he had secured a room.

He has a sister living here, a Mrs. Hughes, but he has not been with her to any extent.

The confession given out yesterday afternoon, follows:

Carthage, Ills., Jan. 9, 1909.

To Mr. Waggoneil, Port Huron.

Honored Sir: I write this letter to explain some things in connection with Columbus church tragedy. I am guilty only because I am a coward. The man had such a hypnotic influence over me that I felt that something must be done. I feel greatly ashamed that a man said to be short-minded should be able to compel me to yield to his will, but I said nothing about it.

At first he said: "It's all right, older, don't be afraid." Then he began to talk about how we two could get rich. Three times he came to the rear of my barn and talked to me through the manure hole, twice he was at the river when I went to water my stock, and each time I felt that he was doing something that he was proud of. Once when I was going out to Columbus he was on the pike near the pike schoolhouse. When I overtook him he asked me to ride. I could not refuse. He asked me if ever I had driven up the pike to Port Huron, and said: "Come, let's drive up"; I dissented, but he kept on until he persuaded me to go. He got out and stood at the corner while I went to the barn with the rig.

Then after we had been at the restaurant, for which he paid, also for the horse, he gave me half a dollar and he wanted me to go across there and buy a small hatchet for his boy to play with. I began to tell him to go and do his own buying when he set his eyes upon me in the queerest sort of a look, something like the look of a snake's eyes.

Then I felt his influence tightening his grip on my mind, so I went, intending to go into the store and out the back way to get the horse and rush off for home. When I turned to close the door he stood looking upon me through the window and I just thought of the hatchet and came out again, but by that time he had disappeared, so I went to the barn, got my rig and started for home. When I made the turn into Military street, he was at the corner to get in. He rode as far as South Park, where he got out to take the car. He took the hatchet with him and said nothing, nor did I think anything at the time about the change.

Once at the depot at Adair he came out of the house in his shirt sleeves and exercised me by compelling me to walk the rails. All the while I felt as small as a bantam chicken.

When he arranged with me about his wedding he said he would go to Port Huron and meet me on the road between that place and the church. I thought he fully meant to get married when he engaged my services, but when he said it was all right, the others would come in a carriage.

When we went into the church I wanted to light a lamp, to which he dissented, saying "No, Elder, no light unless they should come." Presently he said: "Maybe you'd better have a little fire." So I went and passed wood to him through the window. When I had put in what I thought would be enough he said: "Now, Elder, the moon is shining right on the front door and if you go around there to come in some one may see you. Just put up some wood here and come in at this window." I brought a few sticks and laid them across each other, from the top of which he helped me in the building. He let the window nearly down again and we kept looking out through the opening to see the others come down the state road. Presently he took a big hearty laugh and said: "There ain't no use looking for there ain't going to be no wedding."

Thrilled.

He was sitting where the gleams of light shone on his face and his eyes were so brilliant that I was thrilled through and through with the queerest sort of feeling. I asked why then he had made the present arrangements, when he said, "Well, Elder, I just wanted to have a little fun. You consider yourself an educated man, and look down on a poor ignorant fellow like me. And I just thought I would show you what I could do. I knowed if I could handle you I could handle other men, too, and make a big thing out of it."

Then he said, "Now, if I say raise your hand, up she goes, see that's no dream." I felt my hand raise without no effort whatever on my part.

Then he said, "If I say let down your hand, down it goes," and I felt it going down in a singular manner.

The Combat.

By this time I was so alarmed I was in a cold sweat. I leaned over to see if anyone might be on the road when he began to laugh again and I saw that he was holding a weapon of some sort up his sleeve. Instantly I made a grab for it and got the hatchet from him and asked what he meant to do with that.

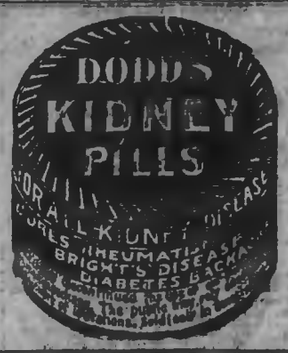
He said, "I'll show you," and from his overcoat pocket, drew out a knife in each hand. He came at me, striking with both hands, while I backed across the church, down the side aisle and across the front, but I did not dare to turn about to open the front door. Then I threw the hatchet and struck him and he fell. I then turned to open the door when he grabbed my leg and threw me down where my hands came upon the hatchet. There was a desperate struggle, in which I used the hatchet until he laid quiet and still.

I cannot tell all that happened after that. I was wild to dispose of the body. I was in a horrible terror, so I began pulling off his garments that I might drag the body somewhere and hide it. Then when my eyes fell upon one of those knives I flew into a rage and began to cut it when he woke up and grabbed me again.

Cremated the Body.

Then for a while I used that hatchet until I was sure he was dead. Then I saw the fire was hot enough to make the stove pipe red nearly to the elbow, so I grabbed him by the feet and dragged him down there and cut him to pieces, putting in each part as it was dismembered. Then I began to put the garments into the front stove when I remembered that it had a poor draft and the things might not burn. Then I saw that my clothing was torn and bloody, while some of his were yet whole and I changed and then took all but a few of mine and piled them in along with the body. I then went up nearly to tunnel station, where I turned my rig about and started it on the back track. My big coat hid my torn and bloody garments until I got to Chicago, where I purchased others. I am tired of trying to hide, though I have succeeded in eluding the detectives so far. If you get this while I am yet alive, come and get me, I shall not be far from Carthage, Illinois.

(Signed) J. M. Carmichael.



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VANCOUVER SHAKEN.

Distinct Tremor Is Felt In Pacific Coast Cities.

Vancouver, B.C., Jan. 12.—A slight earthquake was felt here yesterday afternoon, about 3.45 o'clock.

In Fairview, Grandview and other high altitudes around the city, people rushed from their houses into the streets.

Reports of a slight shock came from Seattle, Victoria, Sumas, Tacoma and Bellingham.

The shock lasted from 7 to 30 seconds, according to various reports from different parts of the city.

In Bellingham plaster was knocked off the walls of houses and electric chandeliers shaken to the floor.

Tackled Two Burglars.

Kingston, Jan. 12.—Arthur Ellis, architect, caught two burglars in his house on Saturday night. He and his wife were out, and on their return heard persons upstairs. The electric lights were turned on, and the men sought refuge in the bathroom, where Ellis hung to the door knob until pulled into the room. He switched off the lights and found the men cowering and afraid. One disgorged all his thefts, money, trinkets, etc., and then, seizing a razor, flourished it and got away. Ellis held the other burglar, who cried and pleaded for mercy. Finally Ellis let him go.

Transferred to Canada.

London, Jan. 12.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—The Imperial Government will transfer Esquimault to Canada, the program for its defence being carried out by the Dominion as arranged with the home authorities.

NEW EXPRESS RATES ARE CANCELLED

Railway Commission Throws Out Express Schedule.

APPEAL WILL BE ENTERED

Justice Mabee and Colleagues Act Promptly in the Matter of the 1909 Tariff Put Into Force by the Express Companies and Says the Order Permitting It Was Issued Under a Misconception.

Ottawa, Jan. 12.—The Railway Commission took prompt and effective measures yesterday afternoon to protect the public against the increases in express rates all over Canada involved in the new classification, which went into effect on the first day of the year. Chief Commissioner Mabee, after hearing further evidence from the companies and from shippers, handed out a judgment summarily cancelling the new classification and restoring the old rate in force prior to January 1st. He explained that the board's order approving the new classification had been issued under a misconception as to the real effect of the changes applied for by the companies. It had been understood by the commissioners, he said, that the new classification would on the whole mean a slight reduction in rates to the general shipping public, and they had relied on the companies keeping the agreement entered into with the late chief commissioner, Judge Killam, that no radical changes would be made in the rates pending the result of the general inquiry into rates now proceeding, but now that it was made evident that the new classification involved serious changes and general increases, the board's plain duty was to recall the order of approval issued under a misconception. The companies are ordered to notify their agents at once to restore the old rates.

Notice of Appeal.

The question of claims for rebates on overcharges under the new rates from the first of the year until now will be settled according to individual cases. Counsel for the Canadian Northern Express Co. gave notice of appeal to the Governor-General in Council from the ruling of the board.

BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

Cobourg harbor receipts last year, April to October, totalled $1,388.

The Star City, Sask., Hotel was burned Sunday night; loss $5,000.

Fire badly damaged the building and plant of The Kemptville Advance on Sunday.

"Teddy" Elliott of Wingham was struck with a hockey puck and is in a serious condition from hemorrhage of the lungs.

The Dominion Government has decided to improve the steamboat channel through the Thousand Islands to make an all-Canadian waterway.

The bureau of the inter-Parliamentary union is unable to accept the invitation to Quebec in 1910, but if the offer holds good it would accept in 1912.

Additions For U. S. Navy.

Washington, D.C., Jan. 12.—The increase of the U. S. navy to the extent of $20,000,000 was agreed upon yesterday by the House committee on naval affairs.

The following naval program for appropriations at this session adopted by the committee: Two battleships of 26,000 tons displacement, $19,000,000; five torpedo boat destroyers, $4,000,000; three colliers, $3,600,000; four submarines, $2,000,000; one sub-surface boat, $400,000.

Two battleships are recommended by the committee instead of four, as estimated for by the Navy Department.

Just One Hail For the Chief.

Washington, Jan. 12.—If President-elect Taft has a sensitive musical ear, it will not be jarred on inauguration day with a constant repetition of the tune, "Hail to the Chief."

Heretofore it has been the custom of every band, drum corps, and other musical aggregation taking part in the inaugural procession to strike up this time-honored air in passing the President's reviewing stand. At the forth-coming inauguration the musical salute will be played but once and then by the band first passing in front of the President.

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— OF —
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LIABILITIES

To the Public	Dec. 31, 1907.	Dec. 31, 1908
Deposits bearing interest	$20,216,479.53	$24,300,726.66
Deposits not bearing interest	12,989,309.56	13,090,564.60
Interest accrued on Deposits	59,709.11	52,160.33
Total Deposits	$33,265,498.20	$37,443,441.59
Notes of the Bank in Circulation	3,653,910.65	3,556,432.65
Balance due to other Banks in Canada	156,508.45	183,102.61
Balances due to Agents in Great Britain	193,897.06	.....
Balances due to Agents in Foreign Countries	436,961.62	560,818.64
	$37,706,775.98	$41,693,795.69
To the Shareholders		
Capital Paid-up	$3,900,000.00	3,900,000.00
Reserve Fund	4,390,000.00	4,600,000.00
Dividend No. 81 (quarterly at 10 per cent.)	97,500.00	.....
Dividend No. 85 (quarterly at 10 per cent.)	.....	97,500.00
Former Dividends unclaimed	312.61	280.00
Rebate on Bills Discounted, not yet due	100,000.00	100,000.00
Balance on Profits carried forward	156,909.76	78,685.26
	$48,351,498.35	$50,470,210.95

ASSETS

Gold and Silver Coin	$ 2,514,350.84	$ 3,221,717.14
Dominion Government Notes	2,990,185.75	3,760,344.35
Deposit with Government for Security of Note Circulation	180,000.00	180,000.00
Notes and Cheques on other Banks	2,285,589.00	2,985,741.48
Balances due from other banks in Canada	64,304.52	36,289.51
Balances due from Agents in Great Britain	.....	372,958.60
Balances due from Agencies in Foreign Countries	772,075.15	896,657.36
Government and Municipal Securities	3,482,695.45	2,693,101.20
Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks	3,365,048.88	3,501,489 26
Call and Short Loans on Stocks and Bonds	3,916,543.97	3,288,141.29
	$19,570,793.56	$21,944,440.19
Loans to other Banks in Canada	.....	496,248.15
Loans to Provincial Governments	18,373.75	107,656.95
Current Loans and Discounts	25,862,931.29	26,736,164.89
Overdue Debts (Loss Provided for)	17,713.13	34,776.28
Bank Premises	881,686.62	1,150,924.39
	$48,351,498.35	$50,470,210.95

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

By net Profits for the Year, after deducting Charges of Management, Accrued Interest on Deposits, full provision for all bad and doubtful debts,, and rebate of Interest on all unmatured bills	$746,776.50	
By balance of Profit and Loss Account, December 31, 1907	156,909.76	$903,685.26
Appropriated as follows:		
To Dividend (10 per cent.)	390,000.00	
To transferred to Officers' Pension Fund	25,000.00	
To written off Bank Premises' Account	200,000.00	
To transferred to Reserve Fund	210,000.00	
To balance of Profit and Loss carried forward	78,685.26	$903,685.26

EDSON L. PEASE,
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The Examiner's Sporting Page

RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

ORILLIA CURLERS WIN FIRST HALF OF THE SHEPHERD-NEILL CONTEST; NORTHERNERS AHEAD BY 4 SHOTS

Four rinks of Orillia curlers invaded Peterborough last night and were successful in winning the first of the contest for the Shepherd-Neill Trophy from a similiar number of local rinks by a four shot after a hard fought and interesting game. The visitors reached here on the 9 o'clock train and went direct to the rink where the locals were ready and the game was commenced at 9.30, terminating at 12.40. About fifty enthusiastic curlers remained until the finish and much interest was taken in the games. the ice was in fine condition and every end was keenly contested. Skip Neill succeeded in beating Skip Tudhope of Orillia by 11 shots but each of the other Peterborough rinks were down and his lead was not enough to carry them through. Skip Brown was beaten by 7 shots by Skip Thompson. Skip Giroux was three shots down to Skip Harvie and Toogood of Orillia beat Skip Ray by 16-11.

The return half of the game will be played in Orillia at an early date, as soon as the Peterborough bonspiel is over The conditions are that four rinks on each side will have to play in the second half.

The Shepherd-Neill Trophy was presented by Mr. Shepherd of Orillia and Mr. R. Neill of Peterborough to be competed for annually by the curlers of the two towns. The Orillia curlers won the first contest, but Peterborough followed up by winning the trophy for two years in succession. Last year however the Orillia knights of the stone succeeded in carrying off the honours again, and winning last night they have a good start in the race this year

The scores last night follow:

Peterborough	Orillia
Dr Wightman	J Millison
J E A Fitzgerald	Wm. Fox
T Brightman	Angus Carss
C N Brown--Skip 15	Geo Thompson Skip 22
L Hall	W Crew
J Montgomery	T W Robbins
W M Lang	A D Thompson
G Giroux—Skip 11	Dr J W Harvie—Skip 14
W Adamson	Geo Moore
W Reid	R Wade
W E Talbot	G Rapley
Robt Neill Skip 20	J H Tudhope 9
A Webb	Rev. Dollard
D Hall	D A MacNab
R Hicks	D J Grant
S Ray Skip 11	F Toogood skip 16

GREAT INTEREST IN TO-NIGHT'S BIG JUNIOR O.H.A. GAME WITH WHITBY

A magnificent sheet of ice is available for to-night's big junior game with Whitby and the fans should see one of the hardest exhibitions of the season when the two great little teams clash. Whitby has still to be defeated in the district, having won their first two matches, but the locals are going to make a crimp in their lead by trimming them here to-night if the feat can be accomplished. Capt. Ray's bunch are in fit condition to-night, having rested since last game, and they will go on the ice fully recovered from the effects of their strenuous week They are fully confident of being able to reverse the score at Whitby, where Peterborough were beaten on New Year's Day, and if condition and determination can accomplish the stunt, they will do what they say. At all events it will be a merry ding dong battle all the way, and fans who appreciate fast hockey cannot attord to over-look the struggle which will commence at 8.15 sharp.

The team committee has decided to make a change in the line-up of the locals to-night, and the team will face the enemy in the following battle array:

Goal—L Giroux.
Point—Wade.
Cover point—Pentland.
Rover—Ray. (Capt.)
Centre—C Giroux.
Right wing—Short.
Left wing—Millier.

BIG BONSPIEL OPENED TO-DAY; THE SKIPS IN THE AFTERNOON DRAW

The Peterborough bonspiel opened this afternoon at two o'clock, at the curling rink, with twenty-eight rinks entered. All the outside rinks arrived in town this morning and the rinks to play are:

Thirteen from Peterborough.
Six from Lindsay.
Two from Bobcaygeon.
Two from Orillia.
Two from Keene.
One from Napanee.
One from Colborne.
One from Beaverton.

The teams drawn to play this afternoon at two o'clock are:

F. Toogood, Orillia, vs. W. A. Davis, Bobcaygeon.

Dr. Greer, Peterborough, vs. W. Campbell, Keene.

G. Thompson, Orillia, vs. F. L. Wilson, Colborne.

T. F. Matthews, Peterborough, vs. G. A. Little, Lindsay.

S. Ray, Peterborough, vs. R. Neill, Peterborough.

Rev. E A Pearson, Peterborough, vs A Dobson, Beaverton.

A Moore, Peterborough vs. O'Connor, Lindsay.

At 4.30 the following teams will play:

Rev. J Wallace, Lindsay, vs. J McIntyre, Keene.

G S Ham, Napance, vs. S Gage, Lindsay.

W G Morrow, Peterborough vs. D Fraser, Peterborough.

D Davidson, Peterborough vs. W G Ferguson, Peterborough.

J D Flavelle, Lindsay, vs. O N Brown, Peterborough.

W G Read, Bobcaygeon, vs. Geo. W MacFadden, Lindsay.

G H Giroux, Peterborough, vs. J H Connal, Peterborough

Every day the Examiner will publish the results of the games, giving the names of the players competing in the various rinks.

THE MURRAY ST. TEAM WHITEWASH KNOX JUNIORS BY A SCORE OF 4-0

The second game in the junior series of the Church Hockey League was pulled off on Park street rink last night, when Murray street Baptists showed under Knox Midgets by a 4 to 0 tally. Neither septette showed much team work, but there were numerous individual rushes in which Evans and Sullivan were the particular stars, the former netting all the Baptist's goals. The work of Dwyer in goal for the Presbyterians was all to the good, and called forth rounds of applause from the crowd on the boards.

Both teams have good material on their line-ups and with some team work developed can put up a good article of hockey before the close of the season.

The following is the line-up.

Murray street—I — Scott, Irwin, Miller, Evans, Doughty, Matthews, McConnell.

Knox—0 — Dwyer, Byers, Condon, Meehan, Taylor, Sullivan, Bucknell.

Referee—C Gilbert.

LAKEFIELD WILL HAVE STRONG TEAM FOR CITY LEAGUE GAME THURSDAY

Two good games will be seen in the City League series this week. The Lakefield team will make their first appearance of the season on Thursday night against the Belmonts, and native runners bring the report from Centreville that the team from Lake Katchewanooka is just about the fastest aggregation of puck chasers that has ever been out from that section in search of City League honours. Quinn and Simpson are on the forward line along with a new arrival in Lakefield, who is said to be a phenom., while Gordon Nicholls of the old Charlotte street champion team will be at point. On paper the Lakefield aggregation look all to the Jamaica, and they may take a lot of beating. The Belmonts expect to win, however, and it will be a hard fought contest.

The second game will be between the Strathconas and the T.A.S., the winners of the first two league games. The Abstainers will have a greatly strengthened line-up and hope to tie a knot in the Straths' championship aspirations by beating them Thursday. Rumours coming from the T.A.S. training quarters have it that Bill Meagher, Fred McGrath and other stalwarts who helped the red and black to win honours in other years will be on their team Thursday. The Straths, however, are in good condition and express no fear of the result. Looking at it from here it will be a game well worth seeing.

JUNIOR RACE IN DISTRICT IS CLOSE

Cobourg Trimmed Port Hope and Every Team in District Has Still a Chance.

Cobourg juniors put it all over Port Hope in a junior O.H.A. game at Cobourg the other night by 9—2 and as a result the situation in this district looks brighter for Peterborough, the local kids having an excellent chance to win out yet, despite their defeat at the hands of Port Hope last week. A victory over Whitby here to-night will put them right in the running and there will be a merry chase from then on, as the teams seem very evenly matched. It may prove a difficult task to trim Port Hope on their own ice, but stranger things have happened and the locals are going to make a big effort to pull off the feat. In the meantime they will have to win to-night's game.

The standing is as follows:

	Won.	Lost.	To play.
Whitby	2	0	6
Port Hope.....	2	1	5
Peterborough ...	1	2	5
Cobourg...	1	2	5
Oshawa...	0	1	7

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HOCKEY

The second game in the Mercantile League played last night at the Brock street rink, resulted in a victory for Ackerman's team by a score of 4—2 over the Auburns. The leather men led at the half by 2—0, and had the better of the play all the way, although the contest was hard fought from start to finish. It was a lively battle and not any too clean, both teams showing a tendency to wood up, so that referee, V. Morphet, was kept busy. He gave satisfaction to both teams. The opposing forces were as follows:

Auburns.	Ackerman's.
Goal.	
Kempt...	...Garside
Point.	
Brumwell...	...Cochrane
Cover.	
Shaw...	...C. Ackerman
Rover.	
Mesley...	...Harper
Centre.	
Hayes...	...Goselin
Right Wing.	
Downie...	...Godfrey
Left Wing.	
Trotter...	...Robertson

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The Fresh Air Club accepts the challenge of the Novel-Ti hockey team.

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The Strathcona City League team will practice to-night before the junior O H A game in preparation for their city league game with the T A S on Thursday night. The following players are asked to be out—Wilson, Barber, Roddy, Dusty, Dobson, Ray, Long, Seymour, Weatherstone and McMillan.

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The Peterborough Intermediate O. H. A. team will practice with the Strathconas to-night, before the Junior O. H. A. game with Whitby

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The Furriers challenge the Cressman team to a game of hockey, to be played at the Brock street rink as soon as the ice can be secured.

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The Brantford Expositor has a cut of Walter Miller, the Peterborough player, with the Brantford pro. team, together with the following write-up: Walter Miller, who is now playing centre or rover, looks to have struck his gait. He was secured from Peterborough last year, where he had but few opportunities in last company. Roy Brown thought he looked good, although in need of development. Miller worked faithfully to make good, and may be he hasn't Thursday night he was cheered to the echo for spectacular rushes. If Walter improves his checking a little, he will be a star. He is at any rate a fixture on the team, and is probably the youngest one of the bunch. He has the physique and style for a great fixture.

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The Lindsay Warder says of Friday's hockey match:

The Lindsay intermediates got away to a flying start again in the O.H.A. series. Belleville happened to be unlucky enough to first oppose the Lindsay team and that touted outfit tasted the bitter cup of defeat the score being 2—0.

It is a merry thought that the Bay City team didn't score once on home ice.

They are all wondering how it happened in Belleville now. Championships are looking distant and unattainable objects in that city.

The luscious odds everybody was talking about failed to show up and little money changed hands, not that it was Lindsay sports' fault The memory of the defeat the Lindsay Midgets inflicted a couple of years ago is still green in the minds of Belleville sports.

According to report the game was a rough and ready exhibition. The local team returned home this morning with a number of casualties to report.

Bill Goddard has a bad knee.

Sullivan has a yard or so of court plaster on his ear.

Randall is nursing several hammered ribs.

Taylor has to search for a portion of his person that isn't bruised.

And so on.

The team played great hockey last night and the game was one of the most exciting yet seen on the Belleville ice. The first goal was scored a fraction of a second before half time and the second goal about the middle of the second half. Goddard, assisted by splendid combination, notched the two counters.

MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool and Chicago Wheat Futures Close Lower—Live Stock—Latest Quotations.

Monday Evening, Jan. 11.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day ¼d to ⅜d lower than on Saturday last and corn closed ¼d lower.

At Chicago, May wheat closed ⅝c lower than on Saturday; May corn closed unchanged, and May oats closed ⅛c lower.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—January 99⅜c bid, July $1.00 bid, May $1.01⅝ bid.
Oats—January 35⅛c bid, May 41c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	$0 94	to $....
Wheat, red, bush	0 93	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 90	....
Rye, bushel	0 89	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 55	....
Peas, bushel	0 88	....
Barley, bushel	0 52	....
Oats, bushel	0 44	....

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 26
Butter, store lots	0 22	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 28	0 30
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 40	....
Eggs, cold storage	0 26	....
Cheese, large, lb	0 13½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11
Honey, combs, dozen	2 25	2 75

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Butter, steady; receipts, 4782; creamery, specials, 33½c (official 32c); extras, 32½c to 32c; third to first, 24c to 31c; held creamery, common to special, 23c to 30c; process, common to special, 15c to 25c; western factory, first, 21½c to 22c; western imitation, creamery, first, 23c to 24c.

Cheese—Firm; receipts, 230; state, full creamery, specials, 14½c to 15½c; Sept., fancy, 14½c; Oct., best, 14c; late made small, best, 13½c; good to prime, 12c to 13c; common to fair, 10½c to 11½c; skims, full to specials, 2½c to 11½c.

Eggs, firmer; receipts, 5550; state, Pennsylvania and nearby fancy selected white, 33c to 40c; do., fair to choice, 32c to 33c; brown and mixed, fancy, 34c to 35c; do. fair to choice, 31c to 32c; western, first, 31½c to 32c; seconds, 30c to 31c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Unchanged—Cattle and Hogs 25c Lower In States.

LONDON, Jan. 11.—London cables for cattle are steady, at 12c to 16½c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9½c to 9¾c per lb.

Toronto Junction Live Stock.

TORONTO JUNCTION, Jan. 11.—Receipts of live stock at the Union Stock Yards were 48 carloads, consisting of 936 cattle, 5 hogs, 253 sheep and lambs, with 6 calves.

Exporters.

The export trade was active and more would have sold readily had space on the boats been available. Straight loads of steers sold at $5 to $5.50, the latter price being obtained by Dunn & Levack for one load of the best cattle; export bulls sold at $3.75 to $4.25; with an extra quality one or two, at $4.50 per cwt.

Butchers.

Prime picked lots of butchers' cattle, butchers' weights, sold at $4.80 to $5.10; loads of good, $4.50 to $4.75; medium, $4 to $4.30; common, $3.50 to $3.90; canners, $1.50 to $2.50.

Milkers and Springers.

A limited number of milkers and springers were quoted at $30 to $50 each, the quality not being very good.

Veal Calves.

A few veal calves sold at $3 to $7 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs.

Receipts of sheep and lambs were moderate, with prices firmer. Sheep, ewes, sold at $3.50 to $4.15; lambs, $5.50 to $6.35 per cwt.

Hogs.

Gunns, Limited, report prices firmer at $6.40 for selects, fed at market, and $6.15 to drovers at country points, f.o.b., cars.

Montreal Live Stock.

MONTREAL, Jan. 11.—At the Montreal Stock Yards' West End Market the receipts of live stock for the week ending Jan. 9 were 2365 cattle, 1114 sheep and lambs, 1589 hogs and 125 calves. The offerings for local consumption to-day were 1100 cattle, 550 sheep and lambs, 1500 hogs and 50 calves. There was no important change in the condition of the market for cattle, as compared with a week ago, except that feeling was former, owing to smaller supplies, but prices are unchanged. The attendance of buyers was large, and as the weather was more favorable than last week for keeping stock and prospects of a colder wave coming they showed a disposition to operate more freely and in consequence a fairly active trade was done. Cables from Liverpool on Saturday reported the market for cattle and noted no change in prices, but this fact was no inducement to exporters here, and trade in this respect was slow. A few extra choice stall-fed Ontario cattle were sold as high as $5.15 per cwt., while choice brought 5c; choice northwest ranchers, 4¾c; good beeves, 4½c to 4¾c; fair, 3¾c to 4c; common, 2½c to 3¼c, and inferior, 1½c to 2¾c per lb. A weaker feeling has developed in the market for sheep since this day week, and prices have declined ½c to ¾c per pound, notwithstanding the small supply coming forward. The demand is only fair and sales of choice lots were made at 4¼c to 4c, and culls, at 3½c to 3¾c per pound. In lambs, the feeling remains firm under a good demand and all the offerings met with a ready sale, 5¾c to 6c for choice lots, and at 5½c to 5¾c for good per pound. Calves were scarce, for which there was a fairly good enquiry, at prices ranging from $2 to $8 each, as to size and quality.

An easier feeling has prevailed in the live hog situation since last Wednesday, and prices this morning were 10c to 15c per cwt. lower, in spite of the continued small supplies coming forward, and the fact that the prospects are they will become still scarcer in the near future, as packers in some cases state that they are not in the country to come out, consequently they expect values to react again soon. The demand this morning was good and sales of selected lots were made at $6.90 to $7.10 per cwt., weighed off cars.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Jan. 11.—Cattle—Receipts, 2000 head; active and 25c lower; prime steers, $4.50 to $5.75; shipping, $5.50 to $5.40; butchers', $5 to $5; heifers, $4 to $5.75; cows, $3.50 to $5; bulls, $3 to $4.50.

Veals—Receipts, 700 head; active and steady, $7 to $9.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 28,000 head, fairly active and 25c lower; heavy, $6.15 to $6.25; mixed, $6.10 to $6.20; yorkers, $6.75 to $6.10; pigs, $5.50 to $6.75; roughs, $5.25 to $5.60; stags, $4 to $4.75; dairies, $5.75 to $6.10.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 23,000 head, active; sheep, steady; lambs, 25c to 30c lower; lambs, $5 to $7.70; a few $7.75; yearlings, $6.50 to $7; wethers, $5.25 to $5.75; ewes, $5 to $5.25; sheep, mixed, $2.50 to $5.25.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Beeves—Receipts, 1947; steers, slow and 10c lower; bulls, firm to 10c higher; good cows, steady; medium and common, 10c to 25c higher; steers, $4.25 to $6.75; oxen, $4.25; bulls, $3.25 to $4.80; cows, $1.80 to $4.15; tops, $4.50; dressed beef, steady, at 8c to 10½c.

Calves—Receipts, 1624, veals, firm to 25c higher; barnyard and western calves, steady; all sold; veals, $6 to $10.25; few tops, $10.50; culls, $5; barnyard fed calves, $3 to $5; westerns, $4.25 to $6.37½; dressed calves, steady; city dressed veals, 9c to 15c; extra, 16c, country dressed, 6c to 12½c.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 15,900, sheep, steady to firm; lambs, steady; all sold. Sheep, $3 to $5; culls, $2 to $2.75; lambs $7 to $8; culls, $4.50 to $5.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 14,057; no sales, feeling easier.

Three Coaches Left Rails.

Port Arthur, Jan. 12.—Three coaches of No. 97 left the track near Gravel yesterday morning and were damaged considerably. The officials say the passengers and crew were unhurt.

Freed as Priest.

New York, Jan. 12.—When arraigned in court yesterday on a charge of abducting Juliette Testa, a Newark, N.J., girl of 15 years, Nicolas Siani declared in court that he was not ordained by the Roman Catholic Church as a priest, although he had posed for three years as such. Siani was curate of the Church of St. Rocco in Newark.

Siani was discharged by the court and he and Miss Testa were sent to the City Hall in the custody of a detective to secure a marriage license.

Blythe Committed.

East Toronto, Jan. 12.—Haggard and worn and apparently now fully realizing his awful position, Walter Blythe of Agincourt was yesterday morning brought before Police Magistrate Ellis, charged with the murder of his wife by beating her to death with a poker.

The prisoner pleaded "not guilty." After hearing the evidence of the constable, Blythe was committed for trial at the spring Assizes.

Lynched.

Poplarville, Miss., Jan. 12.—A mob stormed the jail Sunday night and lynched Ping Willis, a negro who on Sunday attempted an assault on the young daughter of former Sheriff J. A. Moody.

Siam's Weights and Measures.

In Siam the liquid measure used is derived from a cocoanut shell which is capable of holding 830 tamarind seeds, and twenty of these units equal the capacity of a wooden bucket. In dry measure 830 tamarind seeds make one "k'anahn," and twenty-five "k'anahn" make one "sat," or bamboo basket; eighty "sat" make one "kwien," or cart. This is an example of the primitive origin of most units of weight and measures.

The First Slow One.

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"Yes, Clarence," the beautiful girl rejoined, her red lip curling slightly. "The others all took the initiative."

Unkind.

"My dear," exclaimed a young bride, "my husband writes so beautifully! You really ought to see some of his love letters!" "Yes, dear, I know," was the unkind retort. "I have a drawer full of them at home!"

Genius.

"Is genius really the capacity for taking pains?"

"No," answered the poet. "Genius is the capacity for going without eating."

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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS

ANY PERSON who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother, or sister of intending homesteader.

DUTIES—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price $3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price $3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth $300.00.

N.B.—Unauthorized publications of this advertisement will not be paid for.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy of the Minister of Interior

RAILWAY TIME TABLE

CANADIAN PACIFIC

Going East	Leave Peterborough
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal, Kingston	11.50 a m
For Indian River, Norwood, Havelock, Tweed	7.51 p m
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	12.31 a m
Going West	**Leave Peterborough**
For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	4.56 a m
For Burleton, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	7.35 a m
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points	4.35 p m

GRAND TRUNK

	Arrive Depot
Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Georgetown, North Bay, Sturgeon Falls and Toronto	11.40 a.m. 9.50 a.m 3.00 p.m. 11.55 a.m
Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	8.00 a.m. 9.45 p.m. 3.00 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Cobourg, Montreal and East	3.00 p.m 11.55 a.m
Toronto, Lindsay, Stouffville, Uxbridge and Markham	11.40 a.m. 7.10 a.m 3.00 p.m. 10.10 p.m. 11.55a.m
Lindsay Local	8.55 a.m. 9.10 p.m
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Eldorado, Kingston, Montreal and East	8.55 a.m. 9.50 a.m 3.55 p.m. 7.50 p.m
Lakefield and Stony Lake	10.00 a.m. 8.20 a.m 5.15 p.m. 12.30 p.m

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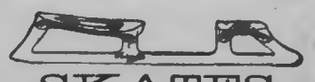

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TOWN TOPICS

PROBS—Northerly gales and cold, with snow. Wednesday.—Decidedly cold.

Piano Tuning

Piano tuning promptly attended to. Satisfaction guaranteed. A. F. Heever, 222 McDonel street. 'Phones — Bell 199k, Mach. 199.

W. A. Meeting

—The Woman's Auxiliary of the Mark street Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Ward, Burnham street, East City.

Annual Meeting

—The Annual Meeting of the Royal Templars of Temperance, which was called for last night, was unavoidably postponed on account of illness of some of the officers. Further announcements will be made in the press.

Particular

—If you are particular about the way your clothes look, send them to "My Valet," 204 Charlotte street, and have them cleaned, dyed, repaired and pressed. All particular people do.

Annual Meeting.

—The annual meeting of the Peterborough Industrial Exhibition will be held in the city council chamber, Peterborough, on the afternoon of Friday, Jan. 22nd, at 2.30. All members are requested to be present.

R. H. LLARY, President. 1a1w

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Personal Items

Mr John Young, of Toronto, is visiting Mr. John Foster, 250 Charlotte street.

Mrs. W. E. Wright, of Winnipeg is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. E. Watson Boswell ave.

Mrs (Dr.) King and Miss King will receive on Thursday and afterwards on the second Thursday of the month.

M. Pappas leaves to-night for Chicago and other American cities, to look up more new features for his Royal Theatre.

Mrs. Donald Potter will receive on Thursday of this week and afterward on the second Wednesday and Thursdays of the month.

Mr and Mrs. Jas. Stubbs, of this city were called to Toronto this morning to their son, W J Stubbs, of the Bell Telephone Office there, who is seriously ill.

CHURCH SERVICES AND NOTICES

St. Andrew's Church.

Following are the meetings for St. Andrew's Church this week:

Tuesday—7.45 p. m., the Young Ladies' Mission Band.

Wednesday—Prayer meeting; 7.45, Teachers' class; 9, Board of Managers and Session.

KNOX CHURCH.

The meetings for the week are:

Wednesday evening—8 p. m., Mid-week service; 9 p. m., Teachers' Training Class.

Thursday—3 p. m., Ladies' Aid meeting; 8 p. m., choir practice; 9 p. m., annual meeting of Sunday School teachers and officers at 204 Rubbidge street.

Friday evening—Boys' Club.

Skates put on Boots, Banks', Under the Market Clock.

CITY CLERGYMEN URGE COUNCIL NOT TO LOWER POOL ROOM LICENSES

The ministers of the city have written the City Council letters regarding the licensing of pool rooms in Peterborough. At the meeting last night a communication was received from the Rev. E. A. Langfeldt, Rural Dean of the district, and also from Rev. H. J. Keith, representing the Ministerial Association, in which they urged the Council not to decrease the license, but if possible to increase it if they could not be wiped out entirely. It was stated that it had been shown that there had been gambling allowed in certain of these establishments, and the influence at any time was not edifying to young men. The matter was given to the property Committee to deal with.

LICENSE BOARD IS SAME AS LAST YEAR

No change has been made in the personnel of the Board of License Commissioners for West ePterborough on the list published in the Ontario Gazette. The Board for this year will therefore consist of Dr. Morrison and Messrs. H. LeBrun and James Rendin.

The Commissioners for East Peterborough will also be the same as last year.

CAUTION TO COUNCIL ABOUT FROST AND FIRE DEPARTMENT

A caution has been sent to the City from John A Robertson, Secretary of the Canadian Fire Underwriters' Association, to the effect that at this season of the year it was very important that the equipment of the Fire Department be kept free from ice. They advised that every precaution be taken to keep the hydrants free of ice, also the hose, chemical apparatus, etc. It was pointed out that fires have frequently made rapid headway through the inefficiency of parts of the apparatus which has been frozen, the result of carelessness. The letter was handed over to the Fire, Water and Light Committee.

The New York Stock Market

(Furnished by J. N. Barber.)

	Opening	Closing
A.O.F.	81¾	81¾
Atch	99	98
B.R.T.	66¾	66¾
C.P.R.	175¾	177¾
Erie	30½	30½
Great Northern	143	143½
L.N.	132¾	133
Mo. Pac.	69	69¼
Northern Pacific	139¾	139¾
N.Y.C.	129½	129¾
Penna	128	128
R.I.	24½	24½
Sdr.	137¾	137
Smelters	85	85¾
Soo	145¾	145½
St. Paul	147¾	148½
S.P	117¾	117
U.P.	177¾	177¾
U.S	51¾	51¾
U.S. pfd.	112¾	113
Twin City	100	100
Nipissing	9¾	10
May Wheat	106	104¾
" Corn	61¾	61¾
May Oats	51¾	51½
" Pork	16.65	16.67

ANNUAL MEETING

Of The Peterborough Young Men's Christian Association.

The Annual Meeting of the above Association will be held in the Parlours of the Association Building on Tuesday, January 12th, 1909, at 8 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the annual reports and of electing six directors for the term ending December 31st, 1911.

All members and subscribers are invited to attend.

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THE ACETYLENE GAS IN RINK EXPLODES

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ENTIRE WALL BLOWN OUT

Gas Plant in New Curling Rink Blows Up and Anthony Morris, Caretaker, is Seriously Injured—Citizens Are Scorched and One Has the Buttons Blown From His Coat—Damage Amounts to $600.

Stratford, Jan. 12.—As the result of an explosion at the acetylene gas plant in the curling rink here at 6.15 last night, Anthony Morris, the caretaker, lies in the city hospital terribly burned about the face and hands, and the east end of the new rink is a total wreck.

The plant was located in an outbuilding adjoining the rink, and the force of the explosion shattered the whole front. The shock was followed by fire, which was speedily extinguished.

D. D. Hay, R. S. Frame and E. C. Turnbull, prominent manufacturers, were passing the rink shortly before the explosion. They detected the smell of escaping gas and entered the rink to warn the caretaker. Scarcely had they told him when the explosion occurred. All three escaped serious injury, however, Mr. Frame having the buttons blown off his coat.

The loss will be in the neighborhood of $500; partially covered by insurance.

TILLMAN FLAYS TEDDY.

Senator Fiercely Resents President In U. S. Senate.

Washington, Jan. 12.—The galleries of the Senate were crowded yesterday when Senator Tillman rose to reply to President Roosevelt's strictures in respect to the Senator's connection with the Oregon timber land transactions. The President, Senator Tillman said, live in a house of which even the floor was glass. Later on in the session it was his intention to devote some time to bringing Theodore Roosevelt face to face with his true self, so as to let the people of the United States see what sort of man they had bowed down to. For the present he would content himself with applying to him this quotation from Spencer:

"He ranges throughout the whole world; neither is there any that can restrain him. Of late he has grown especially presumptuous and pestilent, barking and biting at all alike whether they be blameworthy or innocent. None are free from his attacks. He spares neither the learned wit nor the gentle poet, but rends and tears without regard of person, reason or time."

Reorganization of Soo.

Toronto, Jan. 12.—Hon. A. J. Matheson is in New York in connection with the reorganization of the Lake Superior Corporation and the Canadian Improvement Co., better known as the "Soo" Corporation.

An accession of capital from England to the extent, it is stated, of $50,000,000 will be made the occasion of paying off the balance of the loan obtained under the provincial guarantee in 1904. Originally $2,000,000, half the amount, was paid off in 1906, and the balance has been renewed from time to time.

The Algoma Central Railway, included among the Soo Company's assets and industries, will be extended to meet the G.T.P. Railway, and this activity will seek assistance from the Government.

A Tariff Reform Move?

London, Jan. 12.—The London correspondent of The Lancashire Post says in connection with the Imperial Press Congress an interesting point has arisen in regard to those back of it in London, and in response to a request from an Ottawa resident a Canadian journalist in London is anxious to ascertain if it is all a manoeuvre on the part of the English tariff reformers. The correspondent adds, if so, any British tariff plan for "hobbling" the Dominion press will be hopelessly ineffective in view of the movement in the United States to secure reciprocity with Canada.

Woman Frozen to Death.

Winnipeg, Jan. 12.—A despatch was received from Creelman yesterday giving meagre details of a brutal crime following a domestic quarrel. A man, whose name is unknown, drove his wife out in the bitter cold, with the thermometer standing at 50 below zero. The unfortunate woman was frozen to death beside the woodpile, where she had sought shelter from the wind.

The Mounted Police are investigating the sensational story.

Ask $60,000 Increase.

Ottawa, Jan. 12.—In his inaugural address before the new City Council yesterday morning, Mayor Hopewell urged the abolition of all civic committees, in view of the success of the board of control, and advised a new agreement with the Dominion Government, by which the city shall secure an increase of from $80,000 to $150,000 in the grant for fire protection and water service given to the Government.

Cattle Free From Disease.

Brantford, Jan. 12.—Dr. Wingate, veterinary inspector of the Department of Agriculture, who has been making a tour of Tuscorara Township in search of cases of foot and mouth disease among cattle, has been recalled. The Department will recall the inspectors, as Canadian cattle are considered free from disease.

Osborne Stays in Toronto.

Montreal, Jan. 12.—D. McNicoll, general manager of the C.P.R., stated yesterday that there was no truth in the report emanating from Toronto to the effect that James Osborne and C. Murphy, superintendents respectively at Toronto and Montreal, are to be transferred to each other's posts.

RURAL MAIL DELIVERY.

Number of Routes Will Probably Soon Be Established.

Ottawa, Jan. 12.—It is stated that enquiries are now being made with a view to rural mail delivery establishment on the following routes:

Ottawa division — Between Burnetown and Renfrew, and between Charlton and Glenhaven.

London division—Between Thedford and Port Franks, Waterford and Hartford, Cayuga and Upper Colenville and Sarnia, Strathroy and Amiens, Galt and Glenmorris, Lakeside and Thamesford, Alma and Winfield, Cayuga and Gypsum Mines, Bright and Cassell, Simcoe and Oakhaine.

Kingston division—between Odessa and Ernestown Station.

Moosejaw division — Between Glen Adelaide and Manor.

Toronto division — Between Cedarville and Mount Forest, between Gouglis Bay and Sault Ste. Marie.

Halifax division — between Maitland and Yarmouth.

In addition, rural mail delivery has also recently been placed in operation on the following routes in Prince Edward Island: Between Ellis River and Miscouche and between Arlington and Richmond, each being in the Charlottetown division.

C.P.R. Acquires Paper.

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 12.—The transfer of The Tribune to the C.P.R. and other corporation interests is one of the topics of conversation on the streets this morning. The deal has either been closed or will be within the next few days.

According to a report the consideration is $47,000 for The Tribune plant. R. L. Richardson, owner and manager, will retain the building and editorship of The Weekly Tribune, while the new management will increase and improve the plant with the intention of bringing out a morning as well as an evening edition. It will be an Associated Press paper, of which organization the C.P.R. controls the Canadian franchises.

Soldiers as Burglars.

New York, Jan. 12.—Tied to a chair, with his outcries stifled by a gag forced far back in his throat with the muzzle of a pistol, Harry Rawlinson, night watchman for a contracting company in its stables on West 15th street, was robbed by three soldiers from Fort Hancock early Sunday. Two of the soldiers were captured through information given by their comrades.

Under Ruins, Alive 18 Days.

Messina, Jan. 12.—Sunday at noon a man named Bensaja, who had spent 14 days without food locked in the ruins of his home, was taken out unconscious and resuscitated. He had been caught in a kind of a straight jacket formed by the debris and unable to move, was compelled to watch the lingering death of his wife and four children.

Blinded by Excitement.

Chatham, Jan. 12.—While Mrs. Jas. Wardell was preparing to go to Hamilton to attend the wedding of her son, she fell on her porch and broke her wrist. She was lying on the ground when her husband found her. He became so excited that he was stricken stone blind and remained in that state for several hours.

Tongue Almost Torn Out.

Chatham, Jan. 12.—The two-year-old son of Herbert Clark, concession 6, Raleigh Township, fell off a high chair Saturday afternoon. His tongue caught in the arm of the chair and it was almost torn from the mouth.

It's in the Packing

Soak a juicy sirloin in ice water a week—then cook and serve it. Would it taste as it should? Neither do oysters treated *that* way.

"Sealshipt" Oysters

taste *right*—have all the peculiar delicacy of oysters you get at the shore because no ice or water touches them—no preservative is used or needed.

The ice is packed *around* the sealed galvanized steel cans. "Sealshipt" Oysters are clean—fresh, thoroughly palatable, *always*.

New ways of preparing oysters are given in "Sealshipt Recipes"—an interesting book about oysters. Ask any of the following dealers for a copy and try a pint of "Sealshipt" Oysters today.

No water. All solid meats.

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Hereafter the Peterborough Optical Institute closes at nine o'clock every Saturday night instead of ten as formerly, and 6 o'clock other evenings.

APPOINTMENTS

Evening is quite as suitable as day time for eye examinations for glasses but it is usually necessary to arrange a day or two in advance in order to secure a suitable appointment. Appointments are made by phone, letter or a call.

THE PETERBOROUGH OPTICAL INSTITUTE

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Prices are from 20 cents a bottle up.

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DELICATESSEN

GROCERY DEPT. Cash Bargains

3 lbs. New Currants	24c
3 lbs. New Raisins for	20c
New Orange and Lemon Peel, lb.	15c
New Citron Peel, per lb.	20c
Shelled Almonds and Walnuts, lb.	35c
Tomatoes, per tin	10c
Peas, Beans and Corn, per tin	8c
3 bottles Pickles for	25c
New Dates, per lb.	10c
New Figs, per lb.	10c
Mince Meat, 3 lbs. for	25c

MEAT DEPARTMENT

A choice and complete stock of Fresh and Salt Meat, Bologna Sausage, Canned Goods, Pickles, Sauces, etc., can always be had from us.

JUST ARRIVED

Oysters, Turkeys, Geese, Chickens, Ducks, etc., for Christmas and New Year trade. A trial order will convince you that our stock is first class and that we will not be undersold by anyone. Our Motto—Goods delivered to all parts of the city without disappointment.

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Wedding Cakes

Great care in selecting ingredients and skill in decorating and designing.

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Evening Parties, At Homes and New Year Function service always satisfactory.

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Card of Thanks

Peterborough, November 10th, 1908.

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Dear Sirs,—I beg to acknowledge receipt to-day of cheque from The London Mutual Fire Insurance Company in full settlement of my claim for loss by fire, which occurred just three weeks ago.

I wish to thank you and your Company for the liberal and satisfactory manner in which my loss has been adjusted and paid, and would heartily recommend the London Mutual to the insuring public

Yours truly,

[Sgd.] THOMAS YOUNG.

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THE GOLDEN LION STORE

PROBS— Easterly winds and decidely cold. Thursday strong east and south east winds with snow.

OUR
Quarter Century Celebration
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Annual Whitewear Sale
NOW IN FULL SWING

New Bargains Added To The Already Immense List

For Wednesday

1,000 yards of Up-to-date Materials in
DRESS GOODS
35c per yard
Formerly 50c, 75c to 1.00. Blacks, creams and all colours in a great variety of weaves and qualities. Plain Cloth, Voiles, Panamas, Serges, Eoliennes, Crepe de Chenes, etc., etc.

2 Lots of
DRESS TRIMMINGS
2c Per Yard
Trimmings and fancy braids in white, black and all colours. Formerly sold up to 35c.
5c Per Yard
Trimmings and fancy appliques, etc. White, black and all colours. Formerly sold up to 75c.

Lot of Very Handsome
SILK BLOUSES
5.00 each
Very superior Sample Blouses, in black, white, cream, navy blue, sky blue, pink, ecru, etc., in net, allover lace, chiffon, taffeta and messaline silk. Made to sell at from 7.50 to 12.00.

Men's White Kid Gloves
35c Per Pair
A bargain just when needed, good quality of white kid, made to sell at 50c and 75c per pair

Linen Huck TOWELS
12 1-2c each
Several styles, fringed and hemstitched plain and figured Huck Towels, formerly 30c per pair.

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4 lots on sale at about half our regular price. Swiss make edgings and insertions.
5c Formerly 8c to 10c
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15c Formerly 25c to 30c

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THE GOLDEN LION STORE

H. LeBRUN & CO.'S
Genuine Rush Prices
ON ALL MADE-TO-ORDER AND READY-MADE CLOTHING

We don't want to exaggerate a bit, but such buying chances as the following have very seldom been offered in Peterborough. Our desire to close up our regular year's business with a very light stock is the chief reason for this very extraordinary January

CUT-PRICE SALE

We are offering HIGH-GRADE MADE-TO-MEASURE CLOTHING at and below cost, in order to reduce our big range of Suitings and Overcoatings. Here are a few samples of the Rush Prices :—

Men's Best Melton or Beaver Overcoats, made to order, former price $25.00. Rush Sale Price 18.00
Men's Scotch Tweed, Melton or Beaver Overcoats, made to order, former price $20.00. Rush Sale Price 15.00
Men's Worsted Pants, made to order, former price $6.50. Rush Sale Price 5.00
Men's Worsted Pants, made to order, former price $4.00. Rush Sale Price 3.00
Men's $5.00 Vest Patterns, made to order for 3.50
Men's Best Single or Double Breasted Tweed Suits, made to order, former price $20.00. Rush Sale Price 15.50
Men's Serge and Worsted Suits, made to order, former price $22.00 and $24.00. Rush Sale Price 18.00, 20.00
These are the most sweeping cuts we have ever made on Made-to-measure Garments. Every Garment will be made up and finished in the same first-class style as if regular price were pa'd.

Men's Ready-made Overcoats, were $15.00. Rush Sale Price 11.00
Men's Fashionable Winter Overcoats, were $10.00. Rush Sale Price 7.75
Men's Heavy Tweed Overcoats, were $7.00. Rush Sale Price 5.00
Men's Ready-made Tweed Suits, were $7.00. Rush Sale Price 4.75
Men's Ready made Worsteds and Serge Suits, were $12.00. Rush Sale Price 9.50
Men's Working Pants 1.00, 1.25, 1.50
Men's Tweed and Worsted Pants 2.00, 2.50, 3.00
Men's Underwear marked down to cost.
Men's Imported Underwear, including Wolsey's and other makes, 20 to 30 per cent. discount.

Reductions Apply to Every Department
ANTICIPATE YOUR PRESENT AND FUTURE WANTS AND BUY NOW

For New Year's
Fine Watches
If you are thinking of giving a watch New Year's then our large stock will be of interest to you. Remember, in buying a Watch quality is what counts every time. Some Watches are dear at any price. We pay most particular attention in selecting our movements.
FOR LADIES—In Gold Filled Cases, hand engraved designs, not common patterns, but all entirely new, with fine movements guaranteed by us, from $10.00 up. For Solid Gold 14 Kt. Cases, the prices start from $25 up.
FOR MEN—In Gold Filled Cases they are priced from $10 up. In Solid Gold 14 Kt. Cases, from $25.
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TO-DAY!
See the
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A Wig Chase
A Touch of Nature
and
The Misdeeds of a Sack of Coal

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Family Re-unions At New Year's
The opportunity to have a complete group taken may not occur again. Appointments at
The ROY Studio

Obviate EYE Trouble
The Greatest Evil in connection with Eye Trouble is due to the fact that the faulty organ does not generally betray itself until the damage has made serious headway. You can prevent this risk by simply paying a visit to Fowler's Optical Department with the Nugent Drug Co., and allowing our Specialist in Eyesight to make thorough examination. If there is no trouble with your eyes, the examination will cost you nothing, and you will have the satisfaction of knowing that your Eyes are right. If, however, there be any defect which needs correcting we guarantee to fit you with glasses that will surely correct it.
A. A. FOWLER, Eyesight Specialist
With Nugent Drug Company

$10,000 FIRE IN CAR BARNS AT KINGSTON

Broom Factory Was Also Destroyed in Big Blaze This Morning.

Examiner Special.

Kingston, Ont., Jan. 13.—Fire, which broke out early this morning in the street car barns on Ontario street, caused a loss of $10000. The night was bitterly cold, the fiercest of the year, but the firemen fought valiantly, aided by the battery men. Two street cars were burned. George Crawford's broom factory adjacent, was nearly gutted. His loss is $5,000. Both properties were fairly well insured.

IT WAS ONLY A TOY CAP SHOOTER

Police Court Case Was Held Just the Same and Charge Dismissed.

The toy gun case was heard in the County court yesterday by Magistrate Edmison. Mr. John McFarlane charged Thos. Winder with having threatened him with a firearm, in the shape of a revolver. Investigation showed that the gun was none other than a toy cap shooter as harmless as a Noah's ark, but resembling the real thing very closely. The case was dismissed, the complainant paying his costs. The affair took place at Burleigh, the gun being drawn it is stated, just in time to prevent a quarrel.

COBOURG MAN WELL KNOWN HERE IS DEAD

Examiner Special.

Cobourg, Jan. 13.—W J Huston, well known photographer and business man and prominent member of Peterborough Association Baptist Churches, died here. Widow and four young sons survive. Funeral to-day.

NO ADVANCE IN THE CITY WATER RATES

Some of our citizens are under the impression that the water rates for city water have been advanced. There is, however, no increase; only a change in the mode of payment of lawn rates. Instead of being paid by themselves these are now included with the household rates and to be paid together with them, quarterly, subject to the liberal discount of 33 1-3 per cent. We, in Peterborough may complain of our general (rate of taxation but there is no municipality in Canada possessing a better managed system or where more favourable water rates prevail.

Hockey Sticks, all perfect, Banks', Under the Market Clock

GOOD PRICE FOR AN ENNISMORE COLT

A two-year-old Percheron colt, the get of the Ennismore syndicate stallion "Trenton," and bred and owned by Mr. Edward Corkery, was sold a few days ago to a buyer in Peterborough for the handsome figure of $200. A colt that grows in value at the rate of $100 per year is, according to horsemen, "going some," and if the pace is kept up till the animal reaches adult age, it will be worth a small farm. The price obtained is considered a good one, and speaks well for the colt itself, for the Percheron breed, for the sire and for the enterprise of the farmers of Ennismore.

THE WEATHER

SOME exceptionally cold weather has prevailed in the north-western portion of Canada during the past week, while in the east the weather has been comparatively mild. Last night, however, the thermometer took a little dip and went down to 10 below zero, but the temperature has moderated considerably since morning.

SCENES OF THE DISASTER.

SECTION OF RUINED PALMI.
Showing the tangled mass of ruins beneath which were buried many victims. A few of the survivors are seen standing among the piles of stone and mortar.

PRACTICAL SERMONS GIVEN INDIRECTLY DURING USUAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE COURT

Magistrate Dumble's Comments, Remarks and Advice May Well be Classed as Influential as a Sermon — Illustrations Always There — Temperance, Industry and Honesty To-day.

THE RAILBIRDS HEAR IT.

If the rail birds at the Police Court derive no other benefit by their daily attendance, they are at least frequently taught lessons in the ordinary virtues. Many of them are probably non-attendants at church on Sundays, but every other day in the week they receive forcible sermonettes accompanied by illustrations that should impress upon them the advisability of careful living.

This morning, for instance, there were three cases heard, and each indirectly taught a good lesson that could benefit everybody. They are as follows :—

Lesson of Temperance

James Wilson was sober and sorry this morning as he admitted the charge of having been drunk yesterday in spite of the fact that his name is on the Indian List. He has been on the water waggon for over four months, having been greatly assisted by the Salvation Army.

Yesterday he was feeling particularly poorly from asthma, and an old "pard" came along and enticed Jim to "come and have a drink." The struggle against the temptation could not have been a hard one, for Jim left his work and after four months of commendable sobriety, it did not take much to put him into sweet oblivion. Magistrate Dumble observed that the devil comes in all kinds of forms, and an old companion serves his purpose as well as anything else. "Whenever you see a man with a bottle go to the other side of the street," His Honour advised, and Jim responded "Yes, sir."

Staff-Capt. Walton stated that he would try to do the best he could for Wilson, and Jim tottered from the box promising to get back into the path of temperance again.

Lesson of Industry

Harry Waters, the next man to receive attention, has reached that stage of vagrancy that he may be termed a professional. To the charge that he was a vagrant without visible means of support, etc., he replied "Correct," and explained that he could not get any work. Chief Roszel understood him to say that he could not eat, whereupon the Magistrate remarked that his case would take care of him and he would soon have to be laid away. However Mr. Waters still enjoys the ability to eat, but it is work that fails him.

Chief Roszel disclosed the fact that this complaint was chronic with Mr. Waters, who had served in the jail and in Central Prison for the same reason. He was looking for six months on the knoll, but His Honour considered three sufficient, and at their termination Mr. Waters will have to go to work.

Lesson of Honesty

Stanley Hartley, "10 years, going on 11," Edward Shearer, 11 years, and John Jordan, 14 past, are three boys who were charged with stealing the sum of $5.40 from a George street concern. It happened shortly after supper hour and with the tiny little wad deep in a pocket of one of them, they went forth like gay young club men to take on a happy feeling. From all reports they visited three restaurants in a couple of hours and had a feast which they had only dreamed of like "Little Nemo in Wonderland." But good things do not last for ever, and trouble is generally preceded by pleasure. The boys were rounded up and spent the night hours in goal.

The money had been left in an overcoat pocket, and how the lads stole it is more than the proprietor can explain. Mr. Dumbe blamed the parents, stating that they should be sent to jail. People who have noticed the actions of these boys of late warned them to mend their ways but they would not pay attention to kindly advice. Mr. Dumble stated that the rawhide should be used on some parents. "Moral degeneration in the home causes the trouble," Mr. Hartley explained that he intended to move to Millbrook in a short time and wanted his boy given a chance. However the Magistrate enlarged the case until Friday when something will be done with them.

Pioneer Resident Of Otonabee Is Dead At The Age Of 89 Years

Examiner Special

Keene, Jan. 13.—One of the oldest residents of Otonabee passed away last night in the person of Mrs. Alexander Fife whose death occurred near Bethel, after an illness of a week. The deceased who was eighty-nine years of age was born in Otonabee and had been a continuous resident of that township all her life, being widely known and respected by the people of the community. Her maiden name was Margaret Eaton and she was a daughter of the late Alexander Eaton, one of the pioneers of Otonabee. During her long life she had seen the township develop from a backwoods community, small clearings in the forest being the only signs of cultivation, to a prosperous and smiling farm country. She had to experience the trials and hardships incidental to the pioneer's life during her residence in the township. Her husband, the late Alexander Fife predeceased her about thirty-five years ago. She is survived by three sons, Mr. John Fife, Reeve of Otonabee; Mr. George Fife, of Otonabee, and Mr. Alexander Fife, of North Dakota, and two daughters, Mrs. McConnell, of Otonabee, and Mrs. Jas. Heal, of Peterborough.

The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Ninety-eight Requests For Help During Past Nine Days

Since January 1st Mr. F. W. Miller relief officer, has been keeping an account of the number of requests for aid which he received daily and up to the present there have been no less than 98 demands on the city's charity account during the nine days which are left after one holiday and two Sundays are taken out of consideration.

This does not mean that all these people have been given aid in fact few, if any of them have been helped, but it shows what might be the case if aid was given to everyone who comes along. Mr. Miller has as busy a time in his office at this time of the year as could be very well dealt with. There are deserving cases which demand attention and are to be stated at the meeting last night in many of the other instances he does not like to turn them away but he knows he must under the circumstances which he always makes it a point to acquaint himself with.

Miller's Worm Powders, cure all ailments of children like magic. Sold by J. D. Tully, druggist, Peterborough.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 25 cents each insertion in either the Daily or Weekly Examiner.

BIRTHS.

DARLING — In Smith at the family residence on the 4th line, to Mrs. Herbert Darling, on Friday, January 8th, 1909, a daughter.

SEMI-READY WARDROBE
Suits Overcoats All Odd $10
Natty 1908—09 styles handsomely tailored in the semi ready idea. A most inviting range to choose from and worth your while to investigate. You may find exactly what you want and what you will pay full price for later on. Values, none less than 15.00 and up as high as 20.00. But just because they are lonelies—choice is yours for TEN DOLLARS. Interesting! isn't it?

Creaman's
TOGGERY SHOP
389 GEORGE ST.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS FOR 1909

Annual Meeting Well Attended at Orange Hall, Simcoe Street.

The City of Peterborough District Orange Lodge held their annual meeting last evening in the Orange Hall, Simcoe street. The meeting was well attended, and the following efficient staff of officers was elected, and installed by the W. County Master, Bro. W. H. G. Armstrong :

W. Dist. Master—Bro. R. E. Juby.
W. Dist. D.M.—Bro. C. E. Wiley.
W. Dist. Chap.—Bro. Rev. R. A. Pogue.
W. Dist. Rec. Sec.—Bro. M. Armstrong.
W. Dist. Fin. Sec.—Bro. H. Patterson.
W. Dist. Treas.—Bro. Jas. Garside.
W. Dist. D. of C.—Bro. C. Hawley.
W. Dist. 1st Lect.—Bro. C. H. Huffman.
W. Dist. 2nd Lect.—Bro. Wm. Nottall.

OFFICERS FOR 1909 WERE INSTALLED

A. O. U. W. Lodge, No. 135, Held Meeting —J. J. Turner, Sr., Conducted The Work.

Installation of the A. O. U. W. Lodge, No. 135, was held last night, Mr. J. J. Turner, Sr., conducting the installation ceremony. The officers were as follows :

P. M. W.—J. J. Turner, Sr.
M. W.—Jas. Mulholland.
Foreman—G. W. Powell.
Recorder—T. G. Gillespie.
Financier—F. J. Jamieson.
Treasurer—W. C. Barrie.
Guide—Adam C. Gould.
Inner Watchman—Wm. Bell.
Outer Watchman—R. G. Ivey.
Representative to the Grand Lodge—James Mulholland.
Alternate—F. J. Jamieson.
Auditors—F. J. Jamieson and T. G. Gillespie.

HARLEYBURY JUNIORS WON FROM COBALT

Cobalt, Jan. 13.—Haileybury defeated Cobalt here Monday night in the first hockey game of the junior O.H.A. series in New Ontario, by a score of 5 to 3. Parmalee, Smith and Storey put up a good game in goal; for Haileybury, and the game from first to last was lively. These two are former Ottawa boys. Herb Clark, of Cobalt was referee.

The line-up :

Cobalt—Goal, A Sweet; point, Grisdale; cover, R F Clark; forwards, R Ramsay, C G Parmalee, P Bonsall and B Duncan.

Haileybury—Goal, O Storey; point, Jimmy Wright, cover, Jack Merrick; forwards, Willie Austin, Karl Neil, Len Smith, Colin Fergoson.

WANTED.

MEN WANTED AT ONCE ON SALARY and Expenses. One good man in each locality with rig or capable of handling horses to advertise and introduce our guaranteed Royal Purple Stock and Poultry Specifics. No experience necessary, we lay out your work for you. $25 a week and expenses. Position permanent. Write W. A. Jenkins Manfg. Co., London, Ont.

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WANTED — ORGANIZER IN PETERborough for first-class social and beneficial order; good remuneration. Address R. H. A., Land, National Club, Toronto. 30d 113 4693

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FRESH AIR.

Fresh air is injurious—to the pneumonia microbe, which like all germ forms causing pulmonary diseases, flourishes and multiplies most plenteously in hermetically sealed or badly ventilated sleeping rooms. The modern—and in initial stages—curative treatment of consumption is breathing open air, irrespective of temperature. There is a popular delusion that "night air" is unwholesome. It is, however, no delusion, when the night air consists of re-breathed air in close sleeping chambers; then it is deadly, in proportion to the want of admixture of outer air. Such night air with outer air entirely excluded would, in time, cause asphyxiation as surely as carbon dioxide, or carbonic acid gas, which air expired from the lungs practically is. People forget or ignore the rudimentary physiological fact that the air we breathe out from the lungs is strongly charged with a poisonous gas (carbon dioxide) and if re-breathed sufficiently often is fatal to life. There is reason in breathing fresh or pure air. If the lungs or other pulmonary organs are affected, common sense suggests that they should be supplied with clean, pure, wholesome air—not air vitiated by breathing and re-breathing as is done by sleeping in close and badly ventilated rooms. No one with a weak or diseased or sensitive stomach, would think of eating tainted or rotten meat. Yet millions of us sleep in sealed bed chambers where after an occupancy of an hour or two the air becomes tainted and progressively rotten and unfit for breathing. Any one who will take the trouble to go from the open air into a closed sleeping room where one or two persons have lain all night, will notice a close, heavy, stuffy animal smell, the accumulated emanation from the lungs and bodies of the occupants, and be glad to escape to purer air. Yet that is the foul poison-laden air the occupants of the room have been breathing, especially the latter part of the night. Every sleeping room should be freely ventilated. If healthy conditions are desired and if the house is heated by hot air or hot water, the first thing done before getting into bed should be to shut off the heat, pile on the blankets, open the window, get under the bed covers and sleep as soundly as the condition of conscience will permit; for the other conditions, to sound, wholesome sleep will have been provided in the form of the fresh air of Heaven, Heaven's best physical gift to man. A device which permits without any inconvenience, the free access of pure air in all sorts of weather, even the most stormy is used by many persons. It consists of a light wooden box, without a bottom. This fits the width of the window and the lower sash rests upon the top. The box projects over the window sill outside and over the floor of the room inside. The air enters the open or under side of the box outside, passes upwards over the window sill and escapes through the under side of the box into the room, providing a constant and even current of fresh air and excluding the most violent gales or storms of snow or rain, and providing the only wholesome condition under which sleep can be taken, abundance of pure, fresh air.

If modern medical science regards and uses fresh air as the best curative agent of consumption, it is certainly the best preventive agent.

THE FRUITS OF FAITH.

The great industries at the Canadian Soo in their present condition and future prospects, illustrate the difference in the previsionary powers of Hon. G. W. Ross and Sir James Whitney. Towards the close of 1903 the extended condition of these industries in conjunction with a stringency in the money market, necessitated re-organization. To effect this it was made plain that unless the Ontario Government came to the rescue, the works could not be brought into operation. Hon. Mr. Ross recognized the possibilities of the situation and introduced and passed legislation guaranteeing the bonds of the Canadian Improvement Company. At that time, Sir James Whitney, then leader of the Opposition, led his followers in a vigorous crusade against the guarantee, and to show his idea of the folly of the proposal, and of the uselessness of the Soo industries, declared that "the money might as well be thrown into the Lake"—Superior, no doubt. Mr. Ross was right and Mr. Whitney was wrong. The money, instead of being thrown "into the lake," was thrown into the enterprise, which took on new life, flourished and became one of the foremost industrial assets of the country.

Early in the history of the Government of the doubting Mr. Whitney one million of the two million guarantee was paid off, and the Government of Sir James Whitney has been notified by the proprietors that the second instalment will be paid off within a short time. The confidence which Hon. Mr. Ross and his Liberal followers practically showed they had in the enterprise, his faith and theirs, were not only justified by the subsequent successful operations of the works, but have commanded the practical confidence of British capitalists. Within the past few days the large interests of the Lake Superior Corporation at Sault Ste Marie have been acquired by British financiers. At the head of these is Mr. Robert Flemming, one of the most successful of British financiers on a large scale, and with him is associated Mr. F. S. Pearson, D.Sc., the eminent engineer of London, Eng., and New York, and associated on the directorate with a great number of important companies, such as the Dominion Iron and Steel Company and more than half a dozen others. The new management, it is stated, will extend the operations of the Soo works, erect large modern blast furnaces, extend the Algoma Central Railway to connect with the Grand Trunk Pacific and effect other advances and improvements, such as ample available capital will easily admit of doing. It is believed that under the new management the Soo industries will afford great practical evidence that the guarantee of the Ross Government was well worth while, and will be given great and practical additional justification of the guarantee, without which the works would have collapsed.

In the history of Provincial administration the record of the Ross Government will be credited with the application of an expansive and progressive policy, which has been and will long continue to be of solid advantage to the country. Against great active and passive opposition the Government explored the unknown and theretofore unregarded country of North Ontario, revealed, in part its potentialities of wealth, opened it up with the first provincial built and owned railway, and in this process revealed a store of mineral wealth that is to-day yielding millions, not to speak of disclosing and making accessible important agricultural possibilities. But for that Government we should not probably have anything like these results. But for that Government we should not have had the Soo industries in their revived condition, for the party led by Sir James Whitney was both actively and passively hostile to these great undertakings. The liberality of the aid to the enterprise in its beginning was denounced by Sir James as a "colossal steal," and the money to guarantee their revival, "might as well have been thrown into Lake Superior." His unfaith in "the land of the stunted poplar," would have prevented the exploitation enterprise that has made it one of the richest financial harvest fields of Ontario.

The value of the mineral product of Canada last year amounted to $86,183,417, of which $9,535,407 was silver, very largely contributed by New Ontario mines.

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Digests All You Eat Leaving Nothing to Ferment in Stomach.

When your stomach is weak or lacking in gastric juice, anything that you eat, no difference what it is, will sour on your stomach, raise the bile and acids to cover your food like oil on water, causing indigestion, dyspepsia, stomach nervousness and belching of sour poisons, which produce foul odours, nasty taste, bilious headache, heartburn, intestinal griping and make you an object of misery. This is stomach trouble which can not be overcome with ordinary digestive medicines. It is caused by fermentation of your food, which will be remedied at once by Pape's Diapepsin, a preparation pleasant to take and as harmless as candy, though it will digest and prepare for assimilation into the blood all the food you eat.

Indigestion is a result, not a cause of your stomach. If your stomach is sour and unhealthy, your food becomes tainted, and that's what is caused the indigestion and gas on stomach and other miseries. Pape's Diapepsin is an antacid, most powerful digestive and thorough regulator for weak stomachs. These Triangles will digest any kind of food you eat and will cleanse the stomach and intestines in a natural way, which makes you feel fine five minutes afterwards.

Any good pharmacy here will supply you with a case of Pape's Diapepsin for fifty cents. Just reading about this remarkable stomach preparation will not help. You should get now and get a case. Put your stomach in full health and by tomorrow you will forget the misery of stomach trouble. Your case is no different from many others. It isn't stomach nerves or catarrh of the stomach, or gastritis, or dyspepsia. It is food rotting—food fermentation—that's all—and takes about five minutes to overcome.

HAVELOCK ITEMS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Many Paragraphs From the Railroad Town—Farmers' Institute Meetings.

Special to The Examiner.

Havelock, Jan. 13.—A number of young people of the town attended a party at Mr. Hugh Kelly's residence, South Dummer, on Wednesday evening. All report a most delightful time, also enjoying the sleigh drive there.

Miss Effie Fowler, of Peterborough, is the guest of her brother, Mr. Jas. E. Fowler.

Three teachers have been engaged by the School Board to fill the vacancies, namely: Miss Robertson, of Brockville, to take charge of the room formerly in charge of Miss Jewell; Miss Francey, of Millbrook, to take charge of the room formerly in charge of Miss Parks; and Miss Black, of Trenton, for the primary department.

A number of people from town attended a party at Mr. M. White's residence, Belmont, on Tuesday night, when dancing and other amusements was indulged in until the wee small hours.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Burgess, of Belmont, were presented with a beautiful dinner set on Christmas day, the twentieth anniversary of their wedding, by friends in Havelock, Campbellford and Cobourg. On New Year's evening those who presented the dishes, assembled at Mr. Burgess' residence and spent the evening in various forms of amusement, including brilliant instrumental solos, contributed by Mr. Roy Burgess, of Toronto.

Mr. T. C. Caskey, of Blairton, was seized with a paralytic stroke on the 26th ult., and his condition is said to be very critical.

Miss Tracey, of Hamilton; Misses V. Donohue and G. Fry, and Messrs. John Sullivan and Hobson Dunford, of Peterborough; Misses Louise and Katie Smith and Messrs. McNichol, of Norwood, Mr. Leo McNicholl, of Chicago, and Miss K. Graham, of Hastings, were among those who attended the hockey club dance on Thursday night of last week.

Miss Mary Haig was the successful contestant for the big $18 doll, given by A. S. Denike, in the recent competition, having secured 4,947 votes. The standing of the next three, all of whom secured dolls, were as follows: Vera Knox, 2,145; Grace Vansickle, 1,966; and Maudie McGuire, 1169.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Beatty, Mr. and Mrs. R. Nelson, Miss B. French and Mr. A. Nelson, all of Campbellford, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Armiston, on New Year's day.

Miss Ida Howe spent New Year's with friends at Lindsay.

Mr. W. H. Ritchie is in Palmerston this week attending at the bedside of his brother, Mr. Geo. Ritchie, who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Ferguson, of Perth, were the guests of their son, Mr. A. Ferguson, last week.

Mr. Fred Peters, of the Rainy River district, is the guest at his home.

Miss Florence McWilliams, of Marmora, is the guest of her sister, Miss Minnie McWilliams.

Mr. Herb Martin, of Peterborough, is spending a few weeks in town, assisting Mr. Jas. E. Fowler, jeweller.

Mrs. Campbell returned home on Tuesday, after an extended visit with friends at Toronto, Buffalo and London.

Dr. Andrews, of Toronto, spent a few days in town last week.

Mr. Jas. Thompson, M. P. P., is spending a few days in Cobalt on business.

Dr. and Mrs. Hourigan left on Monday to visit at the doctor's home, Smith's Falls. On their return they will spend a few days in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. McGuire, before returning to their home at Woodstock.

The programme for the Farmer's Institute meeting on Friday, was as follows:

Address by chairman—Wm. Matheson.
Instrumental duet—Misses Ida and Flo Howe.
Address—Mr. Jos. Knox, Reeve.
Duet—Misses Rose and Graham.
Address—"Our Homes for Our Boys," E. W. Kitchen, Lovering.
Solo—Miss Bertha Bryans.
Duet—Messrs. L. and E. McNichol.
Comic song—Mr. Roscoe Dingman.
Address—C. H. Alward, Havelock, N. B.
Dialogue—Messrs. J. Knox and R. Webb.
Duet—Misses Brill.
Song—Mr. John Ruttan.
Address—J. A. Sexsmith, M.P.
Flag drill—By twenty-four girls.
Solo—Miss E. McGill.
Solo—Miss Vera Knox.
Address—Mr. Chas. O'Reilly.
Solo—Miss M. Archer.
Solo—Miss Katie Chambers.
Song—Master J. McGill.
Song—Mr. Thos. McQuoig.

A very large audience was present and the programme was highly appreciated by all.

Miss McCaw, of the staff of the Peterborough Conservatory of Music, was a guest at the hockey boys "At Home," on Thursday last.

The marriage of Miss Ethel Outwater to Mr. Samuel Sedbrooke took place at Christ Church, Norwood, on December 25th, at 5 p. m., Rev. Mr. Pickford performing the ceremony. A wedding reception was held at the residence of the groom on Ottawa street, Havelock, in the evening. The young couple are residing in their new residence on Matheson street east. The many friends extend congratulations.

The Farmers' Institute meeting will be held in the opera house on Friday evening, January 8th. A good programme is being prepared, composed of local talent. The flag drill, which proved a favourite at the school concert, will again be given.

Miller's Grip Powders cure. Sold by J. D Tully, druggist, Peterborough.

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DUTIES—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price $3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price $3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth $300.00.

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Finished in the best style, with Nickel Top Bands, Skirts and Feet, Improved Roller Grates and Patent Smoke and Ash Shield.

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1 No. 3 Quebec Idea Heater, regular price 8.50, Sale Price 6.50

1 No. 4 Quebec Idea Heater, reg. price 10.50, Sale Price 8.50

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Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is now recognized as the standard remedy for woman's ills.

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What Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for Mrs. Tweedale, it will do for other suffering women.

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Brewed of finest hops and malt—filtered twice—then pasteurized.

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Lich Colliery In Which Fifty Men Were Killed Only a Fortnight Ago Is Visited With Another Terrible Catastrophe—Women and Children Rush to Pit Mouth When the Detonation Was Heard.

Bluefield, W.Va., Jan. 13.—Again the earth trembled yesterday and that unknown substance in which there is more deadly energy and destruction to the atom than in tons of dynamite, let go its awful engine of disaster in the mines of the Lick branch colliery, and snuffed out 100 lives.

It was in these same mines where two weeks ago to a day 50 miners were killed by a similar explosion.

In the quiet of the early morning there came a mighty rumbling in the bowels of the earth reverberating along the miles of corridors and air passages crowded with those who work there.

Scarcely had the detonation died away before a throng of terrorized women and children, in anxiety and dread, rushed to the mine mouth and implored those there to allow them to aid in the effort to save some of their loved ones. Mine Foreman Bowers, who was near the entrance, was blown from his feet, but managed to crawl out safely, as did also Robert Smith, a miner. With the foreman was a miner named Holiday and he, too, was bowled over.

A rescue party, organized on the moment, rushed into the jaw of the smoking mine and tried to rescue him. They were driven back by the deadly fumes of the after gases and were compelled to leave him to his fate.

A train was rushed from this city to the scene of the disaster, some 25 miles away, carrying bratticing and other material, to be used in the work of exploration and rescue.

There was supposed to be from 60 to 80 miners in the section of the mine affected. The debris from the explosion of two weeks ago had not been cleared away and 20 men were engaged in this work. Nineteen contract miners, with their crews, were at work in a new entry, and it is feared that all of these men were lost.

The explosion was in a different part of the mine than that of two weeks ago. Since that catastrophe the mine had been inspected by Government officials and by the most experienced mine men in the region, and all, it is said, expressed the opinion that it was safe.

Skaters Narrowly Escape.

Brockville, Jan. 13.—David Lewis and Fred Amond skated into an air-hole on the river and for several minutes their lives hung in the balance, particularly that of Lewis.

The boys did their best to extricate themselves, but their efforts were nullified by the thin ice breaking around them. Eventually a plank was shoved out by a rescuer. Amond succeeded in catching it and was saved. Lewis, who was further away, did not fare so well. He was rapidly becoming chilled and made frantic appeals for aid. The plank was too short to reach him and finally a rope was procured. Lewis' hands, however, were powerless, but he caught the rope in his teeth and in this way was pulled out more dead than alive.

Saw Scene In Vision.

Hartford, Conn., Jan. 13.—Rev. Charles E. Stowe in a speech here Monday night before a church club said his mother, Harriett Beeches Stowe, received the idea of "Uncle Tom's Cabin," in a vision which she had in church, in which she saw clearly depicted the pathetic death of old Uncle Tom.

He said his mother began the story with this scene, writing the book backward.

In a recent court case it was shown that Mrs. Stowe's sister, Mrs. Isabella Beecher Hooker, held communication with spirits concerning her will and the phases of her every-day life.

Montreal Italian Murdered.

Montreal, Jan. 13.—Dominico Ranieri was stabbed to death on Vitre street on Monday night.

Cries for help attracted investigation by a passerby, who reached the spot of the crime just in time to see Ranieri fall to the ground with blood welling from his mouth, and to catch a glimpse of two running men. No suspicion of foul play was then entertained, as no marks of violence were visible. At the morgue three knife wounds were found in Ranieri's back.

New Transportation Company.

Kingston, Ont., Jan. 13.—Forwarders, Limited, a transportation company, has been organized in Kingston. The Moore's elevator will be taken over and suitable steam barges and other floats secured to carry grain from Kingston to Montreal. Ald. W. G. Craig is president and outside capitalists are represented on the board. They have secured a charter from the Dominion Government, authorizing a capital of $500,000.

Sultan's Brother Dead.

London, Jan. 13.—A despatch from Tangier to The Daily Telegraph says that news has been received here from Fez reporting the sudden death of Mulai Mohammed, brother of the Sultan and at one time pretender to the Moroccan throne.

There are rumors that Mulai Mohammed was poisoned.

Big Burglary at Kingston.

Kingston Jan. 13—Thieves smashed the lock in the store door of Louis Abramson, gents' furnisher, Princess street, Monday night, and made off with goods valued at $2,000.

The thieves also rummaged through the old safe, which was unlocked, and carried off farmers' notes, to the value of $1,500.

FRUIT JUICES CLEAR THE SKIN

The skin mirrors faithfully the state of the blood, and the blood shows how well—or how badly—the liver, bowels, kidneys and the millions of tiny glands in the skin are doing their work. If these organs are not properly clearing out the waste matter, the blood will be poisoned and the skin sallow, "muddy" and sprinkled with pimples.

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Death of J. H. McLeod.

Ottawa, Jan. 13.—John H. McLeod, secretary of the agricultural committee of the Commons, died yesterday, aged 70. One of his sons is Robt. H. McLeod, well known newspaper correspondent. He himself was at one time a member of the Parliamentary press gallery. Prior to that he was schoolmaster at North Sydney, N.S.

Double Funeral.

Parry Sound, Jan. 13.—A joint funeral service in the Methodist church of the victims of the double drowning accident of Saturday evening was one of the largest ever held here and as a mark of respect and sympathy business was suspended and all places of business closed during the hour of the funeral.

Eight Hurt In I.C.R. Wreck.

Quebec, Jan. 13.—At 5 o'clock yesterday morning the I.C.R. local train, loading freight at St. Michel de Bellechasse, was struck by a special from the Maritime Provinces.

Three passenger coaches were demolished and eight passengers were injured.

Alderman Resigns.

Belleville, Jan. 13.—Ald. Thomas has resigned from the council. He thinks the aldermen used him badly in giving him an unimportant chairmanship as he stood next to the head on the poll. J. B. Harker, next on the list, will take Mr. Thomas' place.

A SURPRISED MINISTER

"For many years I have been a sufferer from bronchial catarrh, and had despaired of anything like a cure. Judge of my pleasant surprise when I first used Hyomei, which brought complete relief. Hyomei has been a veritable godsend."—Rev. Charles Hartley, Sardinia, Ohio.

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CARMICHAEL WAS LYING.

Police Says Confession Does Not Explain Murder.

Port Huron, Mich., Jan. 13.—"To my mind, Rev. J. H. Carmichael died as he had lived, almost, you might say, with a lie on his lips."

This was the statement of Prosecuting Attorney Frederick B. Brown, after a careful perusal of the confession left by the minister, murderer and suicide.

"His recent life has been a lie. Of that I am convinced. His confession appears to me as merely the pitiful attempt of a guilt-stained man to right himself in the eyes of the world before ending his miserable existence.

"I do not think that the confession shows mental weakness. Perhaps Carmichael's mind had become poisoned, but the statements he made appear to me to be as carefully thought out as the crime.

"Browning was a weak, simple-minded man. I doubt if he even knew what hypnotism was. He certainly could not have exercised an influence over Carmichael.

"I shall always believe there was another and deeper motive for this crime. What it was, neither you nor I nor any other man can tell. These facts died with Carmichael. They may never be revealed."

Other officials regard the confession as a "poor excuse."

"That was never written for a death-bed confession," said Under Sheriff Petit, "Carmichael wrote that with the idea that he would mail it to the sheriff and then come back, or be brought back, and stand trial. Then he found it getting too hot for him and he killed himself."

REPRESENTATIVES OF LABOUR HAVE DEMANDS

Delegates Present Case to Sir Wilfrid and Hon. Mr. Lemieux.

WANT THE I. C. R. RETAINED

Eight-Hour Day on Government Work, Higher Salaries For Letter Carriers, Minister of Labor, and Abolition of Assisted Immigration Are Included In the Program of the Trades and Labor Council.

Ottawa, Jan. 13.—The representatives of the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress wh waited upon Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux yesterday afternoon were given considerate hearing.

The requests of the delegates were that legislation should be passed to: Prohibit strikebreakers during investigations; let onus of asking for conciliation board rest with company; adopt eight-hour day on Government work and fair wage schedule; increase pay of letter carriers; appoint Minister of Labor; retain I.C.R.; repeal provision requiring $300 deposit for Federal candidates; make election day a public holiday; abolish assisted immigration; exclude Asiatics; appoint technical education commission.

J. A. O'Donoghue, who was the first speaker, asked that during the progress of investigations under the Lemieux Act, the introduction of strikebreakers should be prohibited. Taking the case of the C.P.R. machinists' strike, he pointed out that the machinists had suffered criticism because it was at their instance the board of conciliation was named and they had declaimed to accept its findings. He argued that the onus of asking for a board should rest with the company in all cases.

Alphonse Verville, M. P., in urging the adoption of the eight-hour day, said the reduction of hours on the I.C.R. was proof that eight hours was sufficient for Government work.

James Simpson urged an increase for the letter carriers. He said: "It is a fine thing to have a surplus, but a surplus that is built up by starving the employes is creditable neither to the Department nor the Government."

P. M. Draper, in asking for the appointment of a Minister of Labor, alluded to the reports that the Intercolonial may be allowed to pass out of Government control. Against this he protested on behalf of the laboring people. "It is the centre and inspiration of Government ownership in Canada," he said.

Hon. Mr. Lemieux, who was the first to reply, said the suggestion in regard to a holiday election day would be laid before the Minister of Justice. He promised that the matter of better pay for letter carriers would be looked into, but pointed out that the Department is in receipt of hundreds of applications from men willing to become letter carriers at the present rate of pay. It should be remembered, he said that letter carriers who receive $2.25 a day, are allowed three weeks' holidays every year and a free uniform.

Mr. Lemieux assured the delegates that but few Japanese are coming into Canada at present, that of the four hundred who entered during the past year, the majority were of classes whom it would be undesirable to exclude. As to the Hindoos they were British subjects and for this reason their coming was a more difficult matter to control.

"None of them are coming in now," remarked Sir Wilfrid.

"The British Government," continued Mr. Lemieux, "is endeavoring to send them to Honduras."

Mr. Lemieux saw difficulty in complying with the request made as to conciliation boards. Sir Wilfrid remarked that no matter which side called the board, it was upon the findings that public opinion was formed.

Mr. O'Donoghue admitted that it was a difficult matter. He declared, however, that the act was favorable to the employers. As it was being upheld by the unions the Government should give consideration to the requests in amendments they might make.

Proceeding Sir Wilfrid said that while a few Chinese were coming into Canada it must be remembered that they were needed in the west as domestic servants.

Touching on the matter of technical education, the Premier made it plain that while the Government would collect the information required it would be handed over to the Provincial Governments to do the best they could with it as the Dominion had nothing to do with education.

Mr. Draper wanted to know if the door had not already been open to technical education by the establishment of experimental farms.

"Well, we won't open any more doors," replied Sir Wilfrid.

Murdered and Body Buried.

Allantown Pa., Jan. 13.—The body of Leopold Ermann, a Philadelphia jewelry peddler, who has been missing since Nov. 18, was found buried under the concrete floor of a chicken brooder on George N. Schaeffer's premises near Schenecksville.

Moir Trial To-Day.

London, Jan. 13.—The trial of Private William Moir, charged with the murder of Color-Sergt. Lloyd of Stratford, at Wolseley Barracks, began this morning before Chief Justice Meredith.

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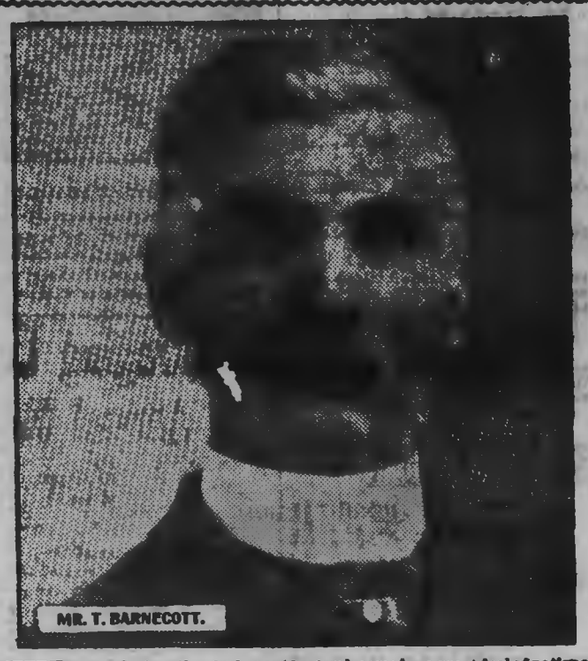

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Delegates to Trades and Labour Council—Wm. Geary, H. Carveth, D. Coughlin.

The above officers were duly installed by past president J. Alexander on Monday, Jan. 11, 1909.

The members are thankful to report that they have retained their membership through last year in spite of the depression in the building line and have a good bank account to show.

They hold their meetings on the second and fourth Mondays in the Orange Hall, Simcoe street Their annual smoker will likely be held in the near future.

SUGGEST A HOUSE FOR THE HOSPITAL

Charity Board Talked Over This Question Last Night.

The Isolation Hospital tune (so to speak) has been whistled and sung on the streets and off and like some of the old favourite melodies, it still survives, every now and then appearing on the programme of a meeting here or there, and is received with the old time favour. Last night the Charity Board had it as one of the numbers on its programme and nearly everybody joined in the chorus. At any rate the opinion expressed was that it was necessary that a building be provided at once. One of the members suggested that the city might be able to purchase a fairly large building on the outskirts of the city at a reasonable price, three or four thousand dollars and this would entirely meet the city's demands for the next few years to come. Some of the members of the city council seem to have this question as one of the planks in their platform and something will likely result before the year is out. In the meantime other sections of the citizens are anxious to see a building provided as soon as possible in order to meet any exigency that may present itself.

SPORTING EDITOR'S CASE IN THE SPRING

Criminal Libel Preferred Against Mr. M. Robinson is Laid Over.

Hamilton, Jan. 13.—The case of M. M Robinson, sporting editor of the Spectator, against whom a true bill was returned by the Grand Jury yesterday, in the charge of criminal libel preferred by F C Mills of the Times, stands over until the spring assizes by consent of both parties, as a result of the dispute as to who is to conduct the prosecution, and the fact that W. J Southam, business manager of the Spectator, was obliged to leave for Bermuda this afternoon.

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SCENES OF THE DISASTER.

ANOTHER SCENE IN THE VILLAGE OF BAGNARA.

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Encouraging Reports Read At Annual Meeting Of Y.M.C.A.; Year Has Been Successful

The annual meeting of the Y M C A was held in the parlours of the Association last night with the president, Mr. J. C. Shook, in the chair. There was a fairly large attendance of members and considerable interest was displayed in the affairs of the Association. In opening the meeting, he referred to the work accomplished during the past year. Secretary Hassard also made a verbal report.

The reports of the various departments were as follows:—

Membership Committee

On Jan. 1, 1908, there were 175 full privileged members, 135 limited privilege and 105 boys, making a total of 415 members.

All these members were not taking part in the activities of the Association and were consequently struck off the membership list and placed on the subscribers' list. Therefore the report for this year of active members is a record one.

Full privileged members, December 31, 1908 — 163.
Limited privileged — 90.
Boys — 135.
Total — 388 active members.

This shows a decrease of 27, although many more are taking advantage of the privileges.

Physical Department

Considerable progress was reported by the Physical Committee, under the efficient leadership of Mr. Collings. Great interest had been developed in athletics. There was one team in the O.R.F.U., one in the City Rugby League, but were handicapped for want of a practice field; a basketball league of five teams played for the Cressman trophy, which was won by the Brownies; a gymnasium corps was organized as was also a track and field club; a boxing and wrestling class was formed. The work along all the lines has been very favourable.

Boys' Department

The interest in the Boys' Department is showing a general increase. The Y. M. C. A. Chieftain Baseball team won the championship last summer. Five Bible Classes have an enrolment of 56. Two are taught by older boys. The boys' rooms were moved from the basement to the second floor which is a great improvement. The visit of Mr. F. H. T. Ritchie, Canadian Boys' Secretary, was very successful, and the older boys' conference on November 7, 8, and 9, when 152 boys from all parts of Ontario attended, did much to stimulate the work of the department. The visit of Mr. R. A. Waite of New York, on November 28, 29 and 30, increased the activity in the religious work in the department. The boys have their own debating club and harrier club for the promotion of literary attainments and athletics. Besides mock court trials in the Conservatory of Music Hall in September, the boys have had three socials.

Educational Committee

The Educational Committee in its report referred to the several improvements that have been made. In the reading room there are 6 daily and 8 weekly papers, and 16 monthly magazines, or a total of 30 periodicals. Classes in junior matriculation were held on three nights a week.

Property Committee

The Property Committee Reports showed in addition to many incidental repairs, there was installed one pair of bowling alleys complete, provided for by the members of the association. A jacket boiler was installed which will prove an economy in, heating bath water in the summer. Repairs were made to the boiler, the first since it was installed twelve years ago.

Social Committee

The Social Committee's report referred to the various social functions during the year, including the New Year's reception at which the Ladies' Auxiliary assisted, and the formation of a social service club.

Religious Work

The Religious Work Committee reported that during the winter and spring, men's meetings were held Sunday afternoons at 4.15, but in the fall it was decided to hold opera house meetings once a month if suitable speakers could be secured. Only one has been held so far. The Bible Class on Sunday afternoon has taken the place of the mass meeting. Practice on the part of the religious committee is to put in touch with the pastors of the churches all those who in any of the meetings express a desire to lead a Christian life, and they have thus been brought into contact with the churches. The universal week of prayer for young men was observed by the association from November 7th to 15th. In connection with this work the members are helping to support a representative in India, and towards this support 48 of the members have, with a $5 contribution from the Ladies' Auxiliary, contributed $100, the largest figure raised for several years.

Finance Committee

The Finance Committee made the following statement of receipts and expenditures:—

RECEIPTS

Subscriptions	$2,879.00
Memberships:	
Full	994.50
Limited	399.00
Boys	410.00
Lockers	82.50
Dormitories	609.65
Less expense	65.80
	543.85
Hall Rentals	61.00
Bowling Alleys	308.10
Less Expense	126.86
	81.24
	$5,451.69

EXPENDITURE

Bowling alley installation	635.24
Jacket boiler	120.00
Additions to equipment	177.63
Salaries	2,479.82
Light, water and fuel	827.24
Insurance and taxes	170.38
Repairs to boiler and building	264.28
Bank interest	12.80
Office Expenses	143.50
Printing	133.59
Gymnasium equipment	52.00
Religious work	67.19
Educational work	94.75
Social work	19.91
Physical work	122.19
Boys' work	71.58
Provincial committee	10.00
Boys' conference expenses	31.36
Miscellaneous	59.74
	$5,482.22
Deficit	30.53

ASSETS

Building as appraised in 1907	$32,000.00
Land as appraised in 1907	900.00
Furniture and equipment, including bowling alleys	3,737.86
	$44,737.86

LIABILITIES

Bank of Toronto	277.57
Balance due on bowling alleys	304.89
Surplus carried forward, less deficit	43,222.43
Add value of bowling alley installation and other equipment, paid out of current receipts	932.97
	$44,737.86

INSTALLATION OF THE A.O.F. OFFICERS

Interesting Ceremony Took Place Last Night—Queen Alexandra Circle.

The installation of the officers of Court Stanley, A. O. F., and Queen Alexandra Circle, A. O. F., took place in the S. O. E. Hall last night. After the usual business had been concluded Chief Ranger, Bro. T. Hendry, called on Bro. W. J. Johnston, and with the assistance of Bro Record, the officers of Court Stanley were installed. District Chief Companion Mrs. W. Head then installed the officers of Queen Alexandra Circle. Several speeches were made and refreshments served. Bro. Huycke favoured the gathering with plenty of music, and the large attendance of both courts spent a very enjoyable evening.

The following officers were installed.

Court Stanley A. O. F.
C. R.—R. J. Goodenough.
P. C. R.—T. Hendry.
S. C. R.—A. Brotherson.
Treasurer—S. Adlam.
Secretary—R. J. McWilliams.
S. Secretary—A. H. Dryland.
S. W.—Jas. Shields.
J. W.—R. N. Hopkins.
S. B.—Chas. Jayes.
J. B.—J. F. Elliott.
Trustees—H. Hanwell, D. Oliver, Geo. Tremain.
Chap.—D. Hamilton.
Physicians—Dr. Scott and Dr. Amys.
Auditors—Geo. R. Record, A. Gilbert, W. J. Johnston.
Cor. A. Forester—S. Adlam.
Pianist—Asa Huyck.
Delegate to High Court—T. Hendry.
Alternate—Geo. R. Record.
Ast. Coun.—R. J. McWilliams, S. Adlam, Geo. R. Record, H. Hanwell, Jas. McDonald, Geo. Tremain, R. J. Goodenough.

Queen Alexandra Circle
C. C.—Com. T. Hendry.
P. C. C.—Com. Mrs. J. Scott.
S. C. C.—Com. Miss Rose.
Treasurer—Com. Miss E. Record.
Sec.—Com. Miss E. Martin.
R. G.—Com. Mrs. McLean.
L. G.—Com. Mrs. Record.
I. G.—Com. Mrs. Adlam.
O. G.—Com. S. Adlam.
Chap.—Com. Mrs. Bougourd.
Medical Officer—Dr. Morgan.
Trustees—Com. Mesdames Adlam, Hamilton, Stevens.
Auditors—Com. S. Adlam, R. J. McWilliams, Geo. R. Record.

A SCIENTIFIC WONDER

The Secret of a Famous Healing Balm.

The re-discovery of a secret that has lain hidden in the dust of 20 centuries is an event full of fascinating interest, and the story of Zam-Buk, the world-famed first-aid and skin-cure will always enlist attention. Zam-Buk is the virtual descendant of those wonderful and mysterious herbal balms by the use of which those manly athletes of Ancient Greece and the stalwart gladiators of Rome ensured the healthiness and ready-healing of their skin.

Many are the attempts that were made to produce a perfect balm for the skin, but only in Zam-Buk has been welcomed in mansion and cottage, and the people of two hemispheres realised that they have been placed in possession of an absolutely unique cure for skin complaints.

The reasons for this triumph of science are simple and few. Taking a lesson from the Ancients, the proprietors of Zam-Buk first of all wisely decided that the ideal balm must be purely herbal and contain not the slightest trace of rancid animal fats or poisonous minerals. Thus Zam-Buk is made solely from rich and pure essences obtained from certain rare medicinal herbs. These juices and *extracts are prepared and refined by* ingenious scientific process and then so skilfully blended that a unique, effective, and yet perfectly natural preparation for dispelling skin-disease is secured.

Zam-Buk has an affinity for the human skin such as no ordinary ointment or liniment can possibly possess. Besides soothing pain and allaying irritation, it possesses unique antiseptic and germicidal *qualities which virtually chase disease germs out* of their hiding-places in the skin tissues; at the same time it purifies the pores and invigorates the natural functions of the skin in a way that no other preparation can.

Zam-Buk solves in a perfect manner the problem of always having ing handy at home or at one's work an ever-ready and reliable first-aid *for cuts, burns, scalds, bruises, lacerations, scratches, etc.* Zam-Buk is without equal for eczema, ulcers, piles, bad leg, ringworm, scalp sores, festering sores, sprains, stiffness, poisoned wounds of all kinds, face sores, chafing, chapped hands, cold-sores, frostbites, sore feet, diseased ankles, and all itching, irritation, and inflammation.

Zam-Buk is a daily need in every household and is sold by all druggists and stores at fifty cents a box. Refuse harmful and dangerous substitutes sometimes "pushed" as being "just as good."

CITY OF PETERBORO DISTRICT ORANGEMEN

Officers Were Elected at Annual Meeting Last Evening.

Last night a large number of the members of the District of Peterborough Lodge drove to Keene to be present at an annual meeting of the Orange Lodge. After the general routine of the business had been transacted, the election and installation of officers took place and resulted as follows—

D M—Bro R Ritchie, No. 321.
D D M—Bro T McIntyre, No. 494.
Chap—Bro Handcock, No 494.
D R S—Bro W G Bartley, No. 321.
F S—Bro A Holden, No. 321.
D Treas—Bro C Kitney, No. 321
Dir of Cer.—Bro C Elliott, No 178
Dist. L.—Bro T O Holden, No. 321
Dept L.—Bro T D Hamilton, No. 457

The new officers were duly installed by Past District Master T. A. Young, No. 178.

Mr. Geo. Bartley has been District Recording Secretary for the district during the past twelve years and was re-elected last night for another term in office.

Tremendous Clearance

For A January Clean-up

Before Stock-Taking

At The Peterboro' Bookstore

Our Annual Price-cutting Sale before stock-taking has commenced. Many of our readers are familiar with our yearly habit of making Radical Reductions all over the store previous to stock-taking. This is a sale that has pleased everybody because it is a chance to economize and save money.

We Set a High-Water Mark for Each Day's Selling

The reductions in Books, Stationery and Fancy Goods will be unparalleled.

Heroic January Clean-Up

Odd Lines, Broken Lots and Ends of Broken Lots and Ends of Broken Lines left over after our heavy holiday selling. Perfectly new desirable goods, at marvellous reductions.

Playing Cards, Tally Cards and Evening Games

Will all be found in the bargain wave that has swept over the store.

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Decorations for the Home, Pictures, Desk Ornaments, Gift Books, Fancy Glassware, Hand Mirrors, Photo Frames, Whisk Holders, Novelties in Bronze, Cut Glass, Toilet Sets, etc, at positively Clearing-Out Prices.

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Peterborough Manager

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January Clearance Sale

NECKWEAR and GLOVES, BARGAIN PRICED

A notable underpricing of dress accessories of new style and most desirable qualities. Only hints can be given here:—

Guaranteed Kid Gloves—In colours of Tan, Grey, Brown, Mode, Black and White, 2 dome fasteners. January Clearance Sale, pair... .79

Fancy Neck Ruffs—Made of Satin Chiffon, and Mechlin, Colours, Black, White and Sky. January Clearance Sale..... 2.49

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BLUE PENCIL SALE ends Friday, January 15th. Stock-taking is just over and odd lines galore will be on sale during the next two days, Thursday and Friday prices never were lower than you will see attached to all Blue Pencil cards throughout the store.

Cressman's

The Latest in Music

Any piece played for you upon request.
Ask for the new Two-step "Raggity-Rag."

385, 387, 389 George Street

BIG BILL OF FARE FOR THE CITY LEAGUE PATRONS TO-MORROW NIGHT

There is a great bill of fare for the fans at to-morrow night's City League games. The first game will bring together the Belmonts and Lakefield, and it promises to be an interesting struggle from start to finish. Much interest is being taken in the Lakefield team on account of the reports from the north that the Cementville team has gathered together the best aggregation that has ever been sent after the City League silverware. They will likely have a big bunch of supporters with them, and there will be some excitement before the result is known, as the Belmonts will have some changes in their line-up that are expected to make them fifty per cent. stronger than they were last week, when they fell before the Strathconas.

The second game will bring together the T. A. S. and Strathconas, and as the Abstainers will have a stronger line-up than the one that wore the red and black last week there should be a hard battle. The champions will likely have several changes, too, and expect to be as strong as ever, although Dobson is out of the game with an injured knee.

The Junior City League game, which precedes the double header, should be a corker. The speedy Chieftains, the team which was to have represented Peterborough in the Junior O. H. A. ranks this season, will clash with the Junior T. A. S., and a lively battle should be the result, as both teams are in the best of shape.

Geo. Lynch will referee the senior games.

SPEEDY BELLEVILLE TEAM WILL BE HERE FOR BIG GAME ON FRIDAY

The first Intermediate O. H. A. game of the season will be played here on Friday night when Peterborough's old rivals the Belleville seven will meet the locals in what should prove a lightning fast exhibition of Canada's national winter game. Belleville are reported to have a splendid team this year, Dr. Gilbert, the old Varsity star is at cover point and with him is a fast and well balanced team who will take a lot of beating. The Quad City seven are confident of winning here and will have their strongest line up on Friday night. They will have to be class if they hope to beat Peterborough, as the local team has been practising faithfully since the ice first came and will be in the best of shape for the opening. A strong team has been collected and there will be some surprises for the fans when the line up is announced. The team that will represent Peterborough will be a pretty clever aggregation and those who have been watching the practises realize that the outfit will make things lively for the other teams in the district. Friday's game should prove one of the best games that has been seen here in several years and there is every indication of a record crowd as much interest is being displayed in the game in Peterborough.

ALLEY RECORD FOR THREE GAMES WAS BROKEN

Mr. R. B. Gray, of Toronto, a commercial man who is a frequent visitor in Peterborough, and who is well known to the local ten pin fraternity, made an onslaught on local alley records last night at the P.B.C., and succeeded in establishing a new mark for three consecutive games that should stand for some time to come. Mr. Gray and J. B. Hay were engaged in a series of games when the visitor accomplished his remarkable feat. He had been off colour in his first three games, but on his fourth he started to topple the pins over in a way that made the spectators gasp with astonishment. He started off with a spare and three strikes followed. Two more spares followed to be succeeded with five strikes in row, the final score being 253, only 11 pins behind the best single game ever put up on the alleys, the record being 264 held by Geo. Cairns. In his second game Mr. Gray started off with five strikes and piled up a score of 236. The pins broke badly for him in his final game, he got but 172, a total for the three games of 661, or five pins more than the record established some months ago by B. A. Lillie.

The disposition of the valuable silver trophy donated some time ago has been definitely decided upon. It will be offered as a challenge trophy, emblematic of the city championship and the competition that will be started immediately for its possession should set at rest the controversy that has been raging for some time past as to the identity of the real bowling champion of Peterborough. The club has consulted a number of leading bowlers and it is the consensus of opinion that the trophy should be disposed of in this way. Practically all the bowlers now taking part in the league games will enter and all others who are desirous of going after the honours should hand in their names to the club at once. Generous handicaps will be allotted to the less experienced bowlers and the competition should be a hard fought one.

Skates put on Boots, Banks', Under the Market Clock.

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KNOX CHURCH BEAT PARK ST. ONE GOAL

By the smallest possible margin Knox church defeated Park street in a senior church League on Knox rink last night. The Presbyterians won by a score of 1—0. Neither team scored in the first half, but immediately after the face off Hillier carried the rubber from centre through the Park street team for the only score of the game. It was hard, fast hockey throughout. Knox church had Dwyer of their junior team in goal, and he played a stellar game. Both teams played nice hockey and the game was about the best in the series to date. The teams lined up as follows:

Knox.	Park Street.
Goal.	
Dwyer	Killingbeck
Point.	
Crowe	Gillespie
Cover point.	
Galley	Barrie
Rover	
Bartley	Loomis
Centre.	
Hillier	Gilbert
Right Wing	
Thompson	Garside
Left Wing	
F Reid	H Reid

E Reid—Referee.

New Life for a quarter. Miller's Compound Iron Pills. Sold by J. D. Tully, druggist, Peterborough.

SCENES OF THE DISASTER.

RUINS OF BAGNARA.

This place is situated on the Calabrian Coast a few miles from the City of Reggio. It gives one a vivid idea of the manner in which the earthquake was felt in that part of the country.

Charity Board Declines To Interfere With This Case

Elderly Woman Who Appeared in Court Will Not Likely be Sent to the Protestant Home—Is at Present in the Jail.

SHE HAS BEEN REMANDED.

One of the questions considered at the meeting of the Charity Board last night was the case referred to in these columns last week, regarding an elderly woman who was remanded for one week on the charge of vagrancy and is now spending the time in the jail while her husband is at work earning eight dollars a week and yet cannot provide for her. A letter was received from Chief Rorel in which he stated that he had seen the husband and had him sign his name to an order whereby he would pay two dollars a week for the maintenance of his wife and it was thought that the city through the Charity Board would make up the rest. However, after a discussion of the question last night it was decided to take no steps in the matter and nothing will be done until the woman comes up before the Magistrate in a day or so on the original charge, the information of which it is understood was laid by the husband.

Just what will be done is not known at present, but the general opinion expressed is that the woman should not be sent to jail on the charge. From facts learned it is understood that the husband is not entirely to blame but to what extent has not been made known.

Treasurer's Report

The following report was presented by the secretary Mr. William Yelland—

Receipts

Balance for 1907	$236 92
City of Peterborough	1600.00
City of Peter. Loan	400.00
Interest	5.66
Total	$2404.58
Balance of Expenses	402.58
Total	$2807.16

Payments

Expenses	$2806 69
Interest	47
Total	$2807.16

Maccabees Joint Installation Was Most Enjoyable Occasion

Lift Lock Tent, No. 16, of the Knights of the Maccabees and Queen of Canada Hive, No. 336, held a joint installation of officers in the Orange Hall, Simcoe street, last night. Installing officer, J. Titterson, District Commander, installed the following officers:

Lift Lock Tent No. 16

Com.—W. P. Mitchell.
L. Com.—E. Waterman.
R. K. and F. K.—J. Titterson.
Chap.—N. King.
Physician—Dr. Leach.
Sergt.—A. M. Fletcher.
M. at Arms—A Temple.
1st Guard—R. Patterson.
2nd Guard—T. Hall.
Sent.—F. Coates.
Pick.—T. Muncton.

Queen of Canada Hive No. 336

Past Com.—Lady Titterson.
Com.—Lady McCallum.
L. Com.—Lady Tooley.
R. K. and F. K.—Lady Pratt.
Chap.—Lady Hall.
Sergt.—Lady Brooks.
Mistress at Arms.—Lady Williamson.
Sent.—Lady Stevens.
Pick.—Lady Marshall.

After the installation of officers H. W. Moore took a picture of the officers, and a pleasant hour or more was spent in games, after which refreshments were served by the ladies of the Hive, and an enjoyable time was spent.

The next Provincial Convention is to be held in Peterborough.

Two Drug Stores Will Remain Open Nightly In The Future

The Peterborough drug store proprietors have decided that two stores shall remain open every night instead of one, as has been customary in the past. The other stores close at seven o'clock as usual and the other two will be open to the public until ten o'clock. The schedule has been decided upon as follows:

Monday night—McGill and Warne Drug Company.
Tuesday—McDonald and Davidson.
Wednesday—Tully and McDermid & Jury.
Thursday—Payne and Davidson.
Friday—Lynch and Nugent Drug Company.

There are nine druggists and one of them had to be given two nights. Mr. R. Davidson, the youngest and the latest to join the ranks was given this favour. All the stores will be open on Saturday nights and on nights preceding holidays.

Young Man Is Charged With Theft Of Gold Filled Watch

High County Constable Cochrane drove out into Harvey yesterday and after supper arrested Gilbert Connors, a young man who is charged with having stolen a gold filled watch from Mrs. Albert Bishop. The young man was brought into the city and will be tried in the County Court next Monday before Magistrate Edmison. The story of the theft is that on last Sunday a number of neighbours called at the Bishop residence, among them young Connors. All of the men went out with Mr. Bishop, leaving Connors alone in the house. Mrs. Bishop, it is stated, went out into the yard for a short time, and afterwards the watch was missing. Mr. Bishop had been seen putting the watch in a trunk by everybody, and Connors was the only one who had a chance to take it. He has been arrested on suspicion.

CONSOLATION GAMES PLAYED IN LOCAL 'SPIEL THIS MORNING

The following games were played this morning at nine o'clock, in the first round of the Consolation event:

W. A. Davis, Bobcaygeon, 12, vs. V. Campbell, Keene, 10.
F. L. Wilson, Colborne, 11, vs. T. F. Matthews, Peterborough, 10.
R. Neill, Peterborough, 11, vs. Rev. Pearson, Peterborough, 5.
T. V. O'Connor, Lindsay, 15, vs. McIntyre, Keene, 7.
T. Gibson, Lindsay, 27, vs. D. Fraser, Peterborough, 8.
W. G. Ferguson, Peterborough, 11, vs. C. N. Brown, Peterborough, 15.
G. H. Giroux, Peterborough, 14, vs. McFadden, Lindsay, 8.

A DRASTIC CLEARANCE

Everything is to be rushed out before inventory time at the Peterborough Bookstore at lowest possible reductions: Books, Stationery, Fancy Goods, Toilet Sets, Mirrors, Photo Frames, Cards and Card Games reduced as never before; same with all remaining odd lots of holiday lines.

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The Prices On Our Finest Overcoats Go Down

The List of Injured Prices

22.50	Coats	for	17.95
20.00	Coats	for	15.95
18.00	Coats	for	13.95
16.00	Coats	for	12.95
15.00	Coats	for	11.95
13.50	Coats	for	10.95
12.50	Coats	for	9.95
10.00	Coats	for	7.95

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Baby's Own Tablets	20c
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British Troop Oil	20c
Egyptian Liniment	20c
Four T's Cough Syrup	20c
Scott's Emulsion	40 and 80c
Syrup Hypophosphites	75c
Lithia Tablets	35c
Zam-Buk	40c
Sat Hyatica	35 and 75c
Wampole's Cod Liver Oil	80c
Nerviline	20c

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10 dozen Black Morien Underskirts at Half Price

Made of extra quality Morien with an 18 inch flounce, four rows of strapping, 3 inch frill at bottom. Extra width, well made.

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Connal & Son		J. E. Lillico
M. Halpin	C. Alexander	Geof. O'Brien
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Wife of Charles Coles Driven Out of Her Home With Only a Thin Cotton Nightdress on, Will Probably Die as a Result of Exposure—Was Found by Neighbour and Taken to His Home Nearby.

Creelman, Sask., Jan. 13.—Investigation of the reported murder of a woman near here by the police reveals a harrowing story of a husband's brutality, which may result in sending him to the gallows. The man's name is Charles Coles, a homesteader, five miles south, who came from the United States several months ago. He and his wife quarelled frequently, and it is alleged he treated her most brutally. But his brutality reached the limit a few nights ago when he threw her out in the cold, when the thermometer registered 42 below zero, and with nothing to protect her from the storm but a thin cotton night dress. A neighbor, who happened to be passing and wished to obtain protection for the night, sought admission to the house, but was ordered to leave at once on pain of being shot. As he turned to go he heard groans from the direction of a wagon box, and going to investigate found the unfortunate woman lying there almost frozen to death. He picked her up and managed to reach his own home with her, but she was so terribly frozen that recovery is impossible. She has so far refused to lay a charge against her husband, and as a result he has not yet been arrested, but will be should she die or should he attempt to leave the country.

Earthquake on Coast.

Port Townsend, Wash., Jan. 13.—An earthquake shock caused considerable damage here at 3.30 o'clock Monday afternoon, lasting from 10 to 15 seconds. The trembling took the form of a vibratory convulsion, swaying buildings and breaking many windows and fragile roofs.

Reports from adjoining towns and cities show that the force of the shock extended over an area of at least 50 miles square, and in several places two distinct shocks, separated by more than a minute, were felt. In many places in this city where water pipes lay in frozen ground, the earthquake broke the pipes and flooded the houses.

It is reported that immediately after the shock smoke was seen arising from Mount Baker, an extinct or dormant volcano.

Verdict For $30,000.

Ottawa, Jan. 13.—A verdict of $30,000 against the Ottawa Electric Co. was given by the jury at the Assizes yesterday in favor of Edward A. Bredenberg, the London mining engineer, who was injured in the Britannia line accident last May.

Mr. Bredenberg had his leg amputated. He claimed $50,000 on the ground that being a mining engineer in the Yukon at a salary of $6,000 he was unable to continue his profession and his earning powers was lost.

Quits Cigarettes and Dies.

Hazleton, Ind., Jan. 13.—Edward Lane, twenty years old, died here as the result of keeping a New Year's resolution in which he gave up the use of cigarettes. He was addicted to excessive smoking and was urged to stop them with the New Year.

So accustomed had the young man become to their use, the denial of them affected his nervous system seriously. But he determined to do without smoking, thinking the keen desire for them would pass away.

Gompers to Meet Roosevelt.

Washington, Jan. 13.—President Roosevelt will have a conference with President Gompers and other officials of the American Federation of Labor at the White House on Thursday morning.

The conference is at the request of Mr. Gompers and in accordance with the action taken by the Denver convention of the Federation which directed its officials to take up with the president a number of questions affecting labor interests.

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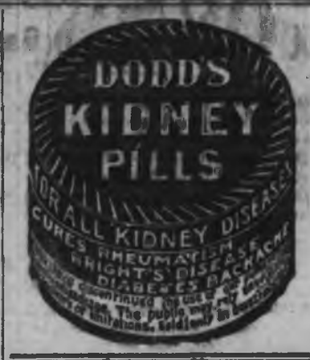

WAR TALK ENDS.

Austria and Turkey Agree on Indemnity For Bosnia.

Constantinople, Jan. 13.—The Turkish Government accepts the Austro-Hungarian offer of $10,800,000 indemnity for the annexation of Bosnia and Herzegovina, thus removing every possibility of war. The Grand Vizier Kiamil Pasha received Marquis Pallavicini, the Austro-Hungarian Ambassador, at noon yesterday and notified him of the decision of the Council of Ministers.

The Grand Vizier made an effort to induce Austria to increase the compensation another half million pounds, but Ambassador Pallavicini declared that an increase in the amount was out of the question. If the offer was rejected, he declared, negotiations would be broken off. It is believed that settlement of the difficulty with Austria will facilitate an understanding with Bulgaria.

Montenegro and Servia Angry.

Vienna, Jan. 13.—It is felt here that the settlement reached between Austria-Hungary and Turkey may have an irritating effect on the other countries concerned in the near eastern difficulty. According to reports that have come into Vienna, Servia and Montenegro resent the fact that they were not considered in the arrangement, and they may be expected to raise objections. But the agreement between the two principal powers has made war to-day a more remote possibility than at any time since the annexation.

The Government continues in the belief that Servia has no grounds for complaint, and as a protection against any surprise will keep up military preparations in the annexed provinces and on the Servian and Montenegrin frontiers. Its next care will be to rebuild the Austria trade in Turkey by the removal of the boycott which led to its collapse.

IS I.C.R. PURCHASED?

Rumor Says Mackenzie and Mann Will Take It Over.

Montreal, Jan. 13.—There is a rumor current here that Mackenzie and Mann have got the Intercolonial hard and fast and that the prices paid will be forty millions.

The purchasers will no doubt bond the road. At $20,000 a mile from Halifax to Montreal this will be equal to sixteen millions.

There can be no doubt that the announcement of such a deal will encounter a great deal of opposition from the lower provinces, although evidence is not wanting that agencies are at work attempting to win Nova Scotia and New Brunswick over to the idea of a sale to one of the big corporations.

It is stated that the whole Government is so tired of the deficits that very little opposition to the project has been met with.

Mr. Borden will of course oppose the measure.

Private Bankers Sentenced.

Erie, Pa., Jan. 13.—A fine of $2,000, the return of the property embezzled, or the value thereof, and imprisonment in the Western Penitentiary for one year was the penalty imposed by Judge E. A. Walling of the Criminal Court upon William A. Ensign and Charles W. Ensign, father and son, who conducted a bank at Northeast, and were convicted of receiving deposits, knowing the bank was about to fail.

The elder Ensign is about 80 years of age.

Railway Offices Attacked.

Pernambuco, Brazil, Jan. 13.—The Brazilian employes of the Great Western Railway of Brazil, a British concern, employing 4,000 men, went on strike yesterday afternoon.

Race feeling against the English runs high in the state, and the police were called out to preserve order. They were powerless, however, to prevent the raiding of the company's main offices.

The strikers have seized the rolling stock and practically are in possession of the terminals.

Fire In Church.

St. Catharines, Jan. 13.—St. Patrick's Roman Catholic Church, Merritton, had a narrow escape from destruction by fire Monday night. New transformers for the electric light plant were being installed, and in some manner the wire, which runs along a room, became ignited and when first discovered a portion of the roof was in flames. An immediate alarm was given and the quick response of the firemen saved the church, the damage being confined to a small area of the roof and to portions of the interior, the damage to the latter being due to heavy smoke.

Dutch Steamer Sunk.

Singapore, Jan. 13.—The French liner Polynesien ran down and sank the Dutch steamer Dyaudi at the wharf here yesterday. Seven natives were drowned. The Polynesien proceeded on her way.

Assault on Policemen.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 13.—Charles Westman, aged 20, of London, Ont., was arrested yesterday on suspicion of being implicated in an attack on two London policemen last week.

To Investigate Contract.

Regina, Jan. 13.—The Saskatchewan Legislature after a hot debate has called for the appointment of a royal commission, composed of judges provincial of the Supreme Court, to enquire fully into the whole subject of the Morang school book contract.

A NOTABLE WEDDING.

Lady Violet Elliot Marries Lord Fitzmaurice In Calcutta.

Calcutta, India, Jan. 13.—The wedding of Capt. Lord Charles Fitzmaurice, 1st Dragoons, and Lady Violet Elliot, celebrated at St. Paul's Cathedral, Calcutta, yesterday, was an event of unusual interest.

The imperial significance of the union is noteworthy. The bridegroom's father, the Marquis of Lansdowne, has been Governor-General of Canada and of India, while the bride's father, the Earl of Minto, assumed the Governor-Generalship of India immediately on his return from Canada. Only last spring the bride's sister, Lady Ruby Elliot, married Viscount Errington, the eldest son of the Earl of Cromer. As a further testimony of imperial service rendered by members of these families, it may be mentioned that just one hundred years ago the Right Hon. Hugh Elliot, brother of the first Earl of Minto, was governor of the Madras Presidency.

Lady Violet Elliot's wedding dress was of ivory satin charmeuse, fastened with ornaments of pearls and silver. The train was of silver cloth, beautifully embroidered in a design of feathers and roses worked in crystals and diamonds. With her going-away dress Lady Violet wore a cloak of blue satin charmeuse, lined with apricot satin, and a hat of pink straw trimmed with pink satin ribbon and a spray of wisteria. All her trousseau had been sent out from London, and she received many articles of jewelry from her relatives and friends.

Witnesses Coached?

Flushing, N.Y., Jan. 13.—Charges that the testimony of members of the Bayside Yacht Club was manufactured and witnesses were withdrawn from the stand because their evidence was not sufficiently rehearsed, were made by Lawyer John F. McIntyre yesterday in summing up for the defence in the trial of Thornton Hains.

Mr. McIntyre had not finished his closing address when adjournment was taken until to-day.

Counsel spent over five hours yesterday in reviewing the evidence and pointing out discrepancies, which the lawyer asserted, showed much of the testimony of the state had been rehearsed in an instruction school. Mr. McIntyre declared that much of the testimony of Mrs. William E. Annis, whose husband was shot and killed by Capt. Hains, was "manifestly false, and she had been taken from the witness stand when it was seen that her story had not been sufficiently rehearsed."

French Deputy Goes to Jail.

Paris, Jan. 13.—Pierre Bietry, a member of the Chamber of Deputies from Finistere, was yesterday sentenced to six months' imprisonment for breaking the seals placed a fortnight ago by the Paris police upon the offices of Le Jaune, a newspaper edited by him.

The case of Bietry is closely allied with the Mattis incident. Mattis is the unemployed waiter who on Christmas Day waylaid ex-President Fallieres on the streets of Paris and made an attempt to pull his beard. Mattis was connected with the "Yellow Syndicate," a supposed Royalist organization, and, as a result the police sealed the office of Le Jaune, the originator of the syndicate, with the intention of making a thorough search of the premises.

$50,000 For Alienating Affections.

New York, Jan. 13.—A verdict for the full amount of $50,000 sued for by Mrs. Una Goslin against Miss Annie Irene Magher for alienation of the affections of her husband, Alfred R. Goslin, of so-called "get-rich-quick" fame, was brought in by the jury here yesterday.

Both Goslin and the defendant, who was [illegible] stenographer, now live in Paris, France.

Sausage Casing 73 Feet Long.

Carey, O., Jan. 13.—Truman C. Keller, farmer near this village, who is butchering his hogs, Saturday made a sausage from a single casing that is 73 feet and 9 inches long. It was taken from a hog that weighed 387 pounds.

Great Demand For Record.

Washington, Jan. 13.—The demand for copies of The Congressional Record containing the proceedings of the House last Friday when the secret service portion of the President's message was laid on the table has been so great that members cannot comply with it. To meet the further demand Representative Langley of Kentucky has introduced a resolution calling for an edition of 2,000,000 copies of The Record.

General Staff of Empire.

London, Jan. 13.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—Sir Frederick Borden sails for Canada on Friday. The Canadian Associated Press understands the discussions of Sir Frederick Borden with Gen. Hood, Minister of War, will result almost immediately in written regulations for the constitution of a general staff of the Empire for submission to the oversea Governments.

Fire at Killarney.

Killarney, Man., Jan. 13.—About 8 o'clock yesterday morning fire broke out in the brick building owned by George Gear and occupied by Rollins and Middleton's poolroom on the lower flat, and by G. Hay, a lawyer, and W. T. Weeds' dental parlors on the upper flat. Loss $10,000; covered by insurance.

Dog Attacks Live Stock.

Ayr, Jan. 13.—A vicious dog attacked several head of swine and cattle in the barn of James Black. The animal was killed with a pitchfork and the head sent to Ottawa for examination.

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MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool and Chicago Wheat Futures Close Lower—Live Stock—Latest Quotations.

Tuesday Evening, Jan. 12.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day ⅝d to ¾d lower, and corn closed ½d to ⅝d lower than yesterday.

At Chicago, May wheat closed 1⅛c lower than yesterday. May corn closed ⅛c lower, and May oats closed ⅛c higher.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—January 98¼c bid, July $1.01⅛ bid, May $1.00⅛ bid.

Oats—January 37⅛c bid, May 41⅛c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	$0 94	to $....
Wheat, red, bush	0 93	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 90	....
Rye, bushel	0 89	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 55	....
Peas, bushel	0 85	....
Barley, bushel	0 53	....
Oats, bushel	0 44	....

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 28
Butter, store lots	0 23	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 28	0 30
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 40	....
Eggs, cold storage	0 26	....
Cheese, large, lb	0 13½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11
Honey, combs, dozen	2 25	2 75

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 12.—Closing—Wheat—Spot, easy; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 9½d; futures, barely steady; March, 7s 6⅝d; May, 7s 6d.

Corn—Spot, steady; new American mixed (via Galveston), 5s 5d; futures, quiet; Jan., 5s 2¾d; March, 5s 3¼d; May, 5s 2¾d.

Flour—Winter patents, steady, 29s 9d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., strong, 47s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs., steady, 33s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, steady, 43s 3d; American refined, in pails, steady, 40s.

Turpentine spirits—Firm, 31s.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—Butter—Steady; receipts, 12,408; creamery extras, 32c to 33c.

Cheese—Firm; receipts 1118; state, full cream, late made, small, best 18½c.

Eggs—Higher and firm; receipts, 3878; state, Pennsylvania and near-by fancy, selected, white, 40c; do., fair to choice, 36c to 38c; do., brown and mixed fancy, 35c to 36c; do., fair to choice, 33c to 34c; western firsts, 33c; do., seconds, 31c to 32c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Firm—Hogs Active and 15c to 20c Higher at Buffalo.

LONDON, Jan. 12.—London cables for cattle are steady, at 12c to 14½c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9½c to 9¾c per lb.

Toronto Live Stock.

TORONTO, Jan. 12.—Receipts of live stock, as reported by the railways, were 84 cars, composed of 1456 cattle, 1278 hogs, 600 sheep and lambs with 40 calves.

Experters.

A limited number of exporters found ready sale, and more would have sold had they been offered. Steers sold from $5 to $5.50.

Butchers.

Prime picked lots of heifers and steers are worth $4.80 to $5; loads of good, $4.40 to $4.70; medium quality, $3.75 to $4.35; cows, $3 to $4.25; canners, $1.50 to $2.

Feeders and Stockers.

H. & W. Murby report light deliveries, all of which were readily taken. The Messrs. Murby bought 50 feeders, 800 to 900 lbs. each, at $3.40 to $3.70 per cwt.

Milkers and Springers.

A moderate delivery of milkers and springers sold from $30 to $50 each.

Veal Calves.

Receipts of veal calves were not large, and prices were firm at $3 to $7 per cwt., and one or two extra quality calves sold as high as $7.50 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs.

The run of sheep and lambs was light, which caused prices to be strong. Sheep, ewes, sold at $3.75 to $4.25; rams, $3 to $3.50 per cwt.; lambs, $5.50 to $6.35 per cwt.

Hogs.

Mr. Harris quoted selects at $6.40, and $6.15 f.o.b. cars to drovers at country points.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Jan. 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 150 head; fairly active and steady; prime steers, $6.50 to $6.75.

Veals—Receipts, 300 head; active and steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 12,750 head; active and 15c to 20c higher; heavy and medium, $6.30 to $6.40; yorkers, $6.20 to $6.30; pigs, $5.65 to $5.75; roughs, $5.25 to $5.35; dairies, $5.90 to $6.25.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 900 head; active; wethers, 25c higher; lambs, 5c higher; lambs, $5 to $7.75; wethers, $5.50 to $6.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—Beeves—Receipts, 1031; nothing doing in live cattle; feeling weak.

Calves—Receipts, 407; steady; veals, $9 to $10; tops, $10.50; western calves, $5.62½ to $5.75; Indiana do., $4.25 to $5.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 1849; steady; sheep, $3 to $4.75; yearlings, $6.25; lambs, $7.50 to $8.

Hogs—Receipts, 6733; market weak at $6 to $6.25.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Jan. 12.—Cattle—Receipts, 5000; market steady; steers, $4.60 to $7.50; cows, $2 to $5.50; heifers, $3 to $5.75; bulls, $3 to $5.90; calves, $3.50 to $10; stockers and feeders, $2.50 to $5.15.

Hogs—Receipts, 25,000; market 10c to 15c higher; choice heavy shipping, $6.30 to $6.50; butchers, $6.10 to $6.25; light mixed, $6.00 to $6.75; choice light, $6.30 to $6.05; packing, $5.95 to $6.10; pigs, $4.50 to $5.35; bulk of sales, $5.80 to $6.20.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 17,000; market steady; sheep, $4 to $6; lambs, $6.25 to $8; yearlings, $4.25 to $7.25.

Charges Against Negro.

Windsor, Jan. 13.—Jeremiah Jackson, a negro, 36 years of age, was arrested at Puce, a village about fifteen miles east of here, on a charge of attempted murder.

It is alleged Jackson burned the home of Thomas Carter another negro, because the latter's 15-year-old daughter refused to elope with him.

When arrested the officers identified him as the man who thirteen years ago figured in a murderous assault and escaped. He will be charged with assault with attempt to kill, arson, and bringing stolen goods into Canada.

Clay Products Manufacturers Meet.

Brantford, Jan. 13.—Canadian clay products manufacturers assembled here yesterday for the seventh annual convention. About 100 delegates are in attendance from all parts of Canada. Mayor Wood delivered an address of welcome.

Both Feet Frozen.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 13.—Romeo Cote, aged 16, was found in a box car at Milwaukee Junction on Monday with both feet frozen and was brought to the central station. He told the police he ran away from his home at St. Henri, Que., five weeks ago.

Relic of George III.

A loving cup which has just been sold by a firm of Abingdon (Eng.) auctioneers for $1,225 was presented by George III. to a mayor of Oxford for services at the King's coronation, and the leather case in which it is kept still bears the seal of William Pitt.

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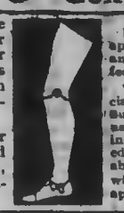

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RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

PETERBORO'S BIG BONSPIEL IN FULL SWING; FIRST ROUND OF THE PRELIMINARY WAS COMPLETED WITH MANY EXCITING GAMES

Peterborough's big curling bonspiel is in full swing, having started yesterday afternoon at two o'clock, with thirty-eight rinks battling for the honours. Twenty-one games were played yesterday, with the result that considerable weeding out was done, the first round of the primary being completed last night. The curling yesterday was of the keenest variety, many of the matches being most exciting, and the big crowd of spectators present followed the contestants with interest. The local rinks in the bonspiel failed to get away to a good start, most of them failing to qualify for the second round. All seven sheets of ice were in constant use yesterday, and there were many complimentary references to the quality of the ice and the excellence of the arrangements made for the bonspiel.

One of the most exciting games yesterday was that between the two veterans, W. J. Reid, of Bobcaygeon, and G. McFadden, of Lindsay. It was a stubborn fight all the way, and the spectators gathered to watch the final ends. At the end of the thirteenth end the Bobcaygeon quartette was three to the good, but McFadden's men rallied and by steady curling piled up a three end, which tied the score and necessitated an extra end. The end was most exciting, but the 'Cygeon four succeeded in getting two shots and won out.

Rev. Mr. Wallace, of Lindsay, and J. R. McIntyre, of Keene, had a merry battle, which was exciting all the way, the Lindsay clergyman finally winning out by one shot.

Two Peterborough skips, Messrs. Geo. Giroux and J. H. Connal, fought it out to the last end, the latter winning by one shot.

In the evening games the most exciting was the battle between Skip Toogood, of Orillia, and Dr. Greer, of Peterborough, which required an extra end. The rinks were tied at the end of the forteenth end, with eight each, and in the play off the northerners succeeded in getting one shot. Dr. Greer's last stone came within two inches of being shot.

The well known eastern curler, Skip Ham, of Napanee, and Skip W. G. Morrow, of Peterborough, had a bitter fight, the former winning by one shot.

The curling was uniformly good throughout, and the second round today should witness some exciting games. The visiting rinks are doing well, especially Flavelle, of Lindsay, Dobson, of Beaverton; Toogood, of Orillia; and Ham, of Napanee.

Below will be found the rinks with their skips and scores, which played yesterday afternoon and last night:

Primary at 2 p.m.—

Orillia.	Bobcaygeon.
Rev. Dollard	M A Fallis
Geo Moore	H Mark
D A McNab	A E Bottum
F Toogood, sk. 17	W A Davis, sk.13

Peterborough.	Keene.
R Cameron	F Easson
F B Yeates	J Bruce
E B Clegg	J C Reid
Dr. Greer, sk. 15	W Campbell, sk.4

Colborne.	Orillia.
R L Coxall	J M Ilson
Dr. Robinson	W Fox
R E Edwards	R B Carss
F L Wilson, sk.7	G Thompson, sk.15

Peterborough.	Lindsay.
M Lyle	W G Ressor
David Hall	M H Sisson
W M Lang	T. Burke
F F Matthews, sk.8	G A Little, sk.15

Peterborough.	Peterborough.
Geo H.ll	W Adamson
H F Foote	W Reid
R Hicks	W E Talbot
S Ray, sk...17	R Neill, sk....9

Peterborough.	Beaverton.
F Brownscombe	M Roach

B F Ackerman	W Dobson
D Belleghem	I Birchard
Rev. Pearson, sk.8	A Dobson, sk.18

Peterborough.	Lindsay.
S A Oke	F Carew
G A Baptie	R Butler
W Baptie	F Knowlson
A Moore, sk.16.	L V O'Connor, sk.10

Preliminary round continued at 6 o'clock—

Lindsay.	Keene.
W Knowlson	J Howson
A B Terry	J Moore
J M. Knowlson	Dr. McWilliams
Rev. Wallace, sk.13	J R McIntyre, 12.

Napanee.	Lindsay.
H Daly	A Higginbottom
R G H Traver	T R Tilley
C I Maybee	Jas. Boxall
C S Ham, sk. 13.	Thos. Gage, sk.10

Peterborough.	Peterborough.
R Carton	C James
H A Morrow	Geo Maitland
G L Hay	M C Tooley
W G Morrow, sk.18	D Fraser, sk.7

Peterborough.	Peterborough.
S D Hall	G Ferguson
Geo. Baucher	W Taylor
W J Thompson	W T Hall
D Davidson, sk.21	W G Ferguson, 10

Preliminary contest—

Lindsay.	Peterborough.
F Williams	L Hall
W Williams	J Montgomery
R H Cuthbert	T Brightman
J D Flavelle, 20.	C N Brown, 9

First round Primary—

Bobcaygeon.	Lindsay.
C Dickson	E Williams
W T C Boyd	L Sylvester
J T Robinson	J B McNulty
W J Reid, 11.	G McFadden, 9

Peterborough.	Peterborough.
H Evans	Dr Wightman
A A Hollingshead	J E Fitzgerald
S F Medd	Dr Eastwood
G H Giroux, 11	J H Connal, 12

First round primary started at 8 o'clock, p.m.

Orillia.	Peterborough.
Toogood—9.	Dr. Greer—8.
Orillia.	Lindsay.
Thompson—11	Little—17.
Peterborough.	Beaverton.
Ray—11	Dobson—12
Peterborough.	Lindsay.
Moore—13.	Wallace—9.
Peterborough.	Lindsay.
Davidson—10.	Flavelle—19.
Napanee.	Peterborough.
Ham—12.	Morrow—11.

PETERBORO JUNIORS BEAT WHITBY IN LIGHTNING FAST O. H. A. GAME BY SCORE OF 9-6 HERE LAST NIGHT

Visitors Were in Front 2-0 in the Early Stages But Faded on End —Peterboros Played the Finest of Hockey Throughout — Outlasting and Out-playing Whitby.

SCORE WAS TIED AT HALF.

Maybe those Peterborough O. H. A. Juniors didn't extract ample revenge from Whitby in the Junior O. H. A. game at the Brock Street Rink last night for the trimming the locals received at the hands of Whitby, on their own ice on New Year's day. The locals won handily by 9—6, after having all the better of the play from the middle of the first half on. Whitby came strong at the opening, and before fifteen minutes had gone they were out in front with a 2—0 score, and with the locals working at top speed, but unable to find the nets. Then the visitors began to fade. They were smothered up by the fast doubling back of the Peterborough forward line, and unable to negotiate the defence, while at the same time the Peterborough line began to work together and get away in a line, with the result that the score was tied at the half and after that there was never much doubt of the result. Although the visitors showed flashes of the speed that had marked their work in the opening, once in a while, Peterborough, on the other hand, improved all the way, and they had the visitors backing up throughout the whole of the second half.

It was good fast hockey all through and if it was at times not brilliant, it was at least interesting. Both teams drove along under a full head of steam, and there was no let up until the end, when both sides slowed, perceptibly. There was plenty of combination and good individual work, and a few other features not usually on the bill of fare, thrown in as side dishes. One of these resulted in Goal Umpire McGiffin, of Whitby, being shunted to the side lines, where he almost fell a victim to the anger of the crowd. The fair sized crowd enjoyed every moment of the play, and the victory of Peterborough's good little team was much appreciated. The septette is deserving of credit for their performance. They fought an uphill game and did not quit when the enemy was in the lead and their determination as much as anything else won for them. They never let up until they had pulled the game out of the fire, and their plucky playing won them many friends.

There were many exciting moments, especially in the early part of the second half, when with the score 3—2 in favour of Peterborough, three of the locals were called upon to hold off six of the visitors, and they succeeded in preventing a score. Ray and Waugh had a mix-up and the local rover went off for five minutes, while the Whitby man got three. Almost immediately Hillier and Jones got ten minutes for scrapping. Then Wade and Giroux, of the locals, were both sent away and Waugh came back, leaving Pentland, Short and Goalkeeper Giroux to fight off the six Whitby men. They accomplished the feat, too, and did it so well that Whitby didn't get a shot on the nets until the teams were even again.

The locals' victory was earned. Capt. Ray's bunch of youngsters played a pretty classy brand of hockey all the way, and when they found themselves here was nothing else to the contest. They were a little erratic in their passing in the first few minutes, but they came along nicely before half time and in the second half were going great guns, while Whitby went down with all hands on board. The Petes played clever combination and took full advantage of their opportunities when in close, while, on the other hand, the district leaders blew up generally when they got within range and forgot the combination that they showed themselves capable of in centre ice. Then, too, when the visitors wiggled through they were always checked by the local forwards backing up fast, while Peterborough, on the other hand, when they rushed, broke entirely free of the forwards as a rule, boring down on the defence at a pace that left their opponents in their back wash. The locals were in the best of shape, thanks to Trainer Bill Milburn, and showed themselves capable of going the full hour at full speed, while Whitby, with one or two exceptions, seemed to tire as the game progressed. The local defence played fine hockey and the visitors had troubles of their own in trying to get through, cumbered as they were by the aggressive checking of the locals' line.

For the locals Ray at rover showed his customary brilliancy and played a hard, effective and useful game, his fast doubling back being a feature. Losing the puck on a rush he was back hammering at the heels of the visitors or nipping in front of them, and stealing the rubber, while he showed his usual speed and clever stick handling in the attack. Cyril Giroux went at full speed for the hour, playing a grandg ame. He was always in his place, checked splendidly and shot with effect. Bill Short at right wing, was there or in the vicinity all the way, and held Blanchard, the star left wing of the visitors, down to perfection, while, on the other hand, he was shooting from the boards in splendid fashion. Hillier played his first game in O. H. A. company on the other wing, and checked well, although he was plainly nervous.

The defence handled themselves in grand fashion. Pentland, who was moved back to cover point, showed that he knew how to play the position, checking and relieving well. Wade played a really magnificent game at point. It was almost impossible to circumvent him, and his rushes in the second half were the features of the game. On one occasion he carried the puck from his position through the whole Whitby team, being tripped as he passed Lavery, and scoring while on his knees on the ice. Later he secured the rubber behind his own goal and galloped the length of the rink for a counter, and once again carried the puck from one end to the other and passed neatly to Ray for another goal. Len Giroux shone between the flags, pulling off some brilliant stops. Several times he was called upon to beat off two and three shots in succession, and he cleared splendidly.

That Whitby team is no funeral procession. They have a well-balanced team with lots of speed on the forward line, and they were playing a pretty combination in centre ice that if persisted in when close on the nets might have proved remarkably dangerous. Blanchard at left wing was the star of their team in the early part of the play, although he wilted on end. He has great speed, is a clever stick handler and shoots hard and with effect. In the last half Smith, the little centre man, came along in great fashion and did some fine work with the puck. Waugh was good at cover, and Smith did good work in the nets, especially, in the first half.

E. J. Livingstone, of Toronto, refereed the battle satisfactorily. He was strict but impartial, and frowned on any suggestion of rough play, with the result that there was a procession of considerable length to the fence for minor offences.

The teams were as follows:

PETERBORO
L. Giroux
Wade
Pentland
Ray
Short — C. Giroux — Hillier

WHITBY.
Blanchard — J. Smith — Wilson
Jones.
Waugh
Lavery
H. Smith.

Whitby had considerably the better of the play at the start and for the first fifteen minutes they looked decidedly dangerous. The play was fast from the beginning. Thirty seconds after the face off Blanchard and H. Smith got away together and carried the puck in for what looked like a certain score, but Giroux pulled off a sensational save. Whitby pressed and kept the play in Peterborough territory, the local forwards seemingly unable to work loose from their checks. Hillier was benched for slashing during this period but there was no score until he was back. Finally after 11 minutes hard playing Smith and Blanchard carried the puck from centre on a pretty combined rush and Smith scored on a neat shot from close in.

Peterborough 0; Whitby 1.

Four minutes after Whitby followed up by scoring again Blanchard came up the wing alone and eluding Ray and Pentland shot from the boards, the long shot beating Giroux, although he practically stopped it.

Peterborough 0; Whitby 2.

The locals began to come on with a rush from this on. In one minute Ray intercepted a pass at centre and skating around the visitor's defence with a pretty rush placed the puck behind Smith.

Peterborough 1; Whitby 2.

Peterborough kept pressing and were having the better of the play at this stage. Ray and Short combined beautifully and deadly scored. The puck went into the corner and Short passed out in front to Giroux who did the needful.

Peterborough 2; Whitby 2.

Ray was penalized for slashing and a moment after Wilson of the visitors was sent away for the same offence. Hillier got another rap just before half time for using his stick too freely.

The locals were all over the visitors in the second half and had considerably the better of the play throughout. The teams started in fresh and inclined to liven it up, but Referee Livingstone soon broke up their intentions. Ray and Waugh got together and the local man got five minutes and the visitor three. Half a minute afterwards Hillier and Jones had a sparring match which resulted in their banishment from the scene of activites for ten minutes. With the teams playing five a side Giroux broke the deadlock by getting a pass at centre and scoring in seven minutes on a beautiful shot from well out.

Peterborough 3; Whitby 2.

Almost immediately afterwards Wade was sent away for cross-checking Blanchard and Giroux followed him a few seconds later. Waugh came back with his three minutes served and the three Peterborough men left on the ice refused to allow the visitors to score, holding them in amid the cheers of the crowd and Wade, Giroux and Ray were back again. The teams were even when Short broke away for a nice rush along the boards and scored on a pretty shot from the side in four minutes.

Peterborough 4; Whitby 2.

A minute after Wade broke up a Whitby rush and tearing loose from the forward line came down along skating around the visitor's defence in a grand rush. Lavery tripped him after he had passed the Whitby point but he scooped the puck into the nets while on his knees.

Peterborough 5; Whitby 2.

Lavery was banished for the trip. Whitby rushed and Blanchard shot the puck glancing off Giroux's pads into the corner of the rink. The goal umpire McGiffin of Whitby waved his white flag for a goal and was relegated from the scene at the request of the locals amid great excitement. The goal had to count however.

Peterborough 5; Whitby 3.

Giroux was sent away for tripping but was back again when Wade broke away for a sensational rush carrying the puck from behind his own goal the length of the rink for a score in three minutes.

Peterborough 6; Whitby 3.

Short and Ray got away together nicely and the right wing scored but the play was called back for an off side. A few minutes afterwards, however, the same pair got working again and Ray carrying the puck from centre transferred to Short who scored without trouble.

Peterborough 7; Whitby 3.

Ray made it still bigger a moment later after Wade had made another rink length rush with a clever pass at the right time, Ray scoring in one minute.

Peterborough 8; Whitby 3.

Smith and Jones broke away from the face off and former scored for Whitby on some nice combination in thirty seconds.

Peterborough 8; Whitby 4.

The visitors began to revive again at this stage and three minutes after scored, Blanchard doing the trick on a shot from close in.

Peterborough 8; Whitby 5.

It only took Peterborough thirty seconds to get that one back. Ray scoring after Pentland had carried up the puck nicely.

Peterborough 9, Whitby 5.

Ray was penalized for tripping and Wade was also away for slashing and the locals were playing five to seven, but Whitby were too tired to make use of their opportunity, although they succeeded in getting the last goal in four minutes. Smith doing the trick.

Peterborough 9, Whitby 6.

The summary follows—

Goals

1 Whitby, Smith 11 min.
2 Whitby, Blanchard 4 min.
3 Peterborough, Ray, 4 min.
4 Peterborough, Giroux, 2 min. Half time.
Peterborough, Giroux, 7 min.
6 Peterborough, Short, 4 min.
7 Peterborough, Wade 1 min.
8 Whitby, Blanchard, 1 min.
9 Peterborough, Wade, 3 min.
10 Peterborough, Short, 5 min.
11 Peterborough, Ray 1 min.
12 Whitby, Smith, 30 sec.
13 Whitby, Blanchard, 3 min.
14 Peterborough, Ray, 30 sec.
15 Whitby, Smith, 4 min.

Penalties

First Half—Peterborough—Hillier 2; Ray; total 3
Whitby—Wilson. Total 1
Second Half—Peterborough — Ray 2; Hillier, Giroux 2; Wade 2; total —7.
Whitby—Waugh, Jones, Lavery, total—3.

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The sporting editor of the Examiner has received from W. A. Hoagland a list of the walkers who are expected to start in the big four day race in the Armouries, Auburn, N.Y., which opens to-morrow night.

The list includes—
Geo Klubertanz, Rochester, N.Y.
Tom Slator, Oswego, N.Y.
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J E Lake, Syracuse N.Y
Jim Harrison, Peterbouough, Can.
Jas. Frazer, Bayonne, N.J.
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John Terry, Buffalo, N.Y.
Eddie Weier, Trenton, N.J.
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Jas. Graham, Buffalo, N.Y.
Willie Bennett, Auburn, N.Y.
Geo. Brown, Auburn, N.Y.
W A Hoagland, Auburn, N.Y.
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WHITTY'S TEAM BEAT MAPLE LEAFS OF WINNIPEG EASILY MONDAY

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 13.—In Monday night's Fit Reform Cup hockey match Edmonton defeated Maple Leafs by 13 to 5, showing in most decisive fashion that Whitcroft's team is still a strong aggregation.

Maple Leafs had Joe Hall, whom Edmonton dropped before starting for the Stanley Cup, but he was no help he was expected to be. The Edmonton line was too fast for him.

Miller and Decton fully justified Whitcroft's desire to play them in the first of the Stanley Cup matches against the Wanderers, when overruled by club officers.

Reports of a change in management of the Edmonton team are denied.

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TOWN TOPICS

PROBS.—Easterly winds, and decidedly cold. Thursday, strong east and south-east winds with snow.

Literary Society Meeting

—The T.A.B. Ladies' Literary society will meet on Friday evening. A paper on "Canada" will be read by Miss Nora Fitzgerald. 3d-10-5956

At St. Luke's

—The Ven. Archdeacon Warren, of Toronto will officiated at St. Luke's church next Sunday in the absence of the rector, Rev. Dr. Langtry, who is on sick leave.

Prayer Meeting Adjourned

—St. James church prayer meeting will be adjourned to-night so that the people may be present at the memorial service to be held in the Charlotte street church.

Chemong Lake Ice Bridge

—The Chemong Lake ice bridge has been underpinned by the veteran contractor, Jack Frost, to such a strength that it is now used safely for the heaviest loads of grain and wood.

Particular

—If you are particular about the way your clothes look, send them to "My Valet," 204 Charlotte street, and have them cleaned, dyed, repaired and pressed. All particular people do.

A Correction

—Through an unfortunate mistake it was stated in the Examiner's report of St. Peter's T. A. S. anniversary concert, that the accompaniments were played by Miss Roberts. It should have stated that Miss Doherty presided at the piano.

All Saint's Concert

—The Men's Association of All Saints' Church met last night and made arrangements to hold a concert next Tuesday night, when the talent for the programme will be provided by Mr. Gliddon, of the Conservatory of Music.

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Personal Items

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Mr. Jas. Maher, of Lindsay, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Aileen Fair left this morning to visit friends in Millbrook and Montreal.

Miss Lola Ostrom of Toronto is the guest of Miss Ruby Clegg, 495 Stewart street.

Mrs. F. C. Conroy left on Monday to visit Miss Flint for a few weeks at Michigan.

Mr. Perry Cox, who has been visiting in the city since September, returned yesterday to his home at St. Ola, Ont.

Miss Alberta Gooding, Peterborough, is staying with Miss Ione Heintzman, Annette street, West Toronto.—Toronto Star.

Miss Lillian Cox who has been visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Pearce, Walton street, returned to her home in Toronto yesterday.

Mrs. R. F. Hick, Toronto, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Giles Stone, Bethune street, during the absence of her husband, who is on a business trip to the coast for his firm.

At the annual meeting of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada held in Toronto yesterday, Rev. Dr. Misrah of Springville was elected a member of the standing committee.

Mr. Ephraim McIlmoyle and wife, who are in the east on a visit from their home in Saskatchewan, are spending a few days with Mr. and and Mrs. W A McIlmoyle, King street.

Mrs. Robt. Bradshaw and daughter, Mona, of Haileybury, Ont., and the Misses Ellen and Beatrice Bradshaw, of Lindsay, were the guests of Mrs. John Browne, 525 George street, yesterday.

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I am instructed by the Consignors to sell by Public Auction one thousand half boxes of raisins, which arrived too late for the Christmas trade. These raisins are of the highest grade and in prime condition and will be sold in lots or by the box, (28 lbs.,) to suit purchasers. Sale at 2 o'clock on Monday, 25th January, at 130 Simcoe Street, between W. H. Hamilton's Grocery and the Bank of Montreal. Terms cash. 12d-8

JOHN HAGGART, Auctioneer

OBITUARY.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. McGregor, Carlisle avenue, died yesterday morning and was buried in the afternoon in Little Lake Cemetery. The sympathy of the whole community is with Mr. and Mrs. McGregor in their sad bereavement.

WILLIAM VANNESS HAGGART

The death occurred this morning of William Vanness Haggart, the eldest son of Mr. James Haggart, 619 Union street, aged 21 years, 11 months. The deceased was very well known in Peterborough, having been born here and lived the greater part of his life in the city. He was a resident of Richfield Springs, N.Y., for three years, but returned to Peterborough last summer and had lived here since. He had been ill for some time with pulmonary affection.

The deceased was married and his wife survives as well as his parents, one brother, Mr. Fred Haggart, and one sister, Mrs. Mutton, residing in Creston in the Kootenay District, B.C.

The funeral will take place on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence, Union street to Little Lake Cemetery.

CATHERINE McFEE

Norwood, Jan. 12.—On Wednesday, Jan. 6th, death relieved Catharine McFee of her sufferings. The deceased was forty-seven years of age and a daughter of the late Hugh McFee, of Dummer.

Although in ailing health for a long time her, death came as a shock to her many friends.

The late Miss McFee has always resided in Dummer and was a member of Warsaw Presbyterian church.

Four brothers, James, Andrew, William and David, of the West, and one sister, Mrs. Jas. Young, of this village, are left to mourn the sad loss.

The funeral service was conducted by Rev. P Currie, of Warsaw, assisted by Rev. G A Macdonnan. The remains were laid to rest in Cottesloe Cemetery.

MRS. CLARENCE LUFFMAN

The many friends of Mrs Clarence Luffman will be sorry to hear of her death this morning a Nicholls hospital. Mrs. Luffman has been ill for the past few months and was taken to the hospital a few days ago. She is survived by her husband father, mother, two children and four sisters and one brother. The sisters are Mrs Jas. Loggan, of Tweed, Mrs Jas Luffman of Corbyville; Mrs Jos Belch of Belleville; and Mrs. George Belch also of Belleville.

The funeral will be held on Thursday morning from the home of the deceased, 124 Lake street and proceed to Little Lake Cemetery for interment. Service will be held at the house.

WEDDING BELLS

SCOTT—SCOTT

A quiet wedding was solemnized in the Guild Room of St. Paul's Presbyterian church yesterday afternoon, when Miss Ada Melia Scott, of Asphodel township was united in marriage to Mr. Robert A Scott of the same township. The ceremony was performed at 3 o'clock by Rev. Robt. Pogue, pastor of the church in the presence of Mr. and Mrs. George McKee who acted as witnesses. The young couple will reside in Asphodel, leaving for their new home last night. The groom's gift to the bride was a pretty pearl crescent.

MILLER—FOSTER

The wedding was solemnized on Wednesday of last week at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Foster, of the Temperance House, Hunter street, of their daughter, Miss Clara May Foster to Mr. Joseph Thomas Miller, of Peterborough. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Canon Davidson, of St. John's Church, in the presence of only the immediate relatives of the young couple. Miss Ollie Foster, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, while the groom was assisted by his brother, Mr. W. J. Miller. Mr. and Mrs. Miller have taken up residence in Peterborough.

HOCKEY

Cressman's team defeated the Novel-Ti team last night at Brock street rink by 6 goals to 1. The contest was an interesting one. Stan. Tisdale was referee.

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The George street senior Church League team will play St. Andrew's team to-morrow night at Park street rink. The following team will represent the George street line-up:—Williams, Ackerman, Long, Deale, Curtis, Sanderson and Pratt.

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The C.P.R. telegraphers want to challenge the G.N.W. telegraphers to a game of hockey to be played at the Brock street rink as soon as available.

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A full attendance of the West Ends is called for to-night from 10 to 11 at the Brock street rink.

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The Midgets challenge the Little Peters the game to be played as soon as possible on Knox Church rink.

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L.N.	132¾	132¾
Mo. Pac.	68¼	68¼
Northern Pacific	139¾	139¾
N.Y.C.	125¾	127¾
Penna	138¾	138¼
R.I.	24¾	24¼
Rdg.	137¾	137¾
Smelters	85	85¾
Soo	144¾	144¾
St. Paul	147¾	147¼
S.P	117¼	117¼
U.P.	177¾	177¾
U.S	51¾	52
U.S. pfds.	119¾	119¾
Twin City	100¼	99¾
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May Oats	51¾	51¼
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The Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company, will be held at the City Council Chamber, Peterborough on Monday the 18th January, 1909, at 3 p.m., for the purpose of electing Directors for the present year, the consideration of reports and the transaction of other necessary business.

Dated 9th January 1909.

E. A. PECK, Secretary. W. H. MOORE, President.

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THE LATEST HAPPENINGS FROM MOUNT PLEASANT

Mount Julian, Jan. 9.—A fine Christmas tree entertainment was held in Eden Methodist church on Wednesday evening, Dec. 23rd.

Before Santa Claus dispensed the handsome number of presents which adorned the tree and were contributed entirely by the people of the neighbourhood, the following good programme was presented—

The Gospel Bells—The Choir,
Recitation—Emily Church
Recitation—Laura Windover
A Morning Drill—Six Little Girls
Recitation—Alice Reid
Recitation—Percy Thompson
Joy Bells—The Choir
Recitation—Frank Church
Recitation—Francis Bronson
Dialogue—The old woman who lived in a shoe—Miss King, and twelve little boys and girls.
Song—Three Jews—Percy Thompson Emily Church and Alice Reid.
Dialogue—A Class in Geography—Laura Windover and 8 boys and girls.
Reading—Mrs. Lauder
Meet Me There—The Choir

Our teacher Miss King deserves much credit for training the children in their parts also Messrs. Lorne Northey and Oliver Church for their rendering of the part of Santa Claus, with all the others who helped to make the evening a thoroughly enjoyable one.

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Eczema or Salt Rheum, as it is often called, is one of the most agonizing of skin diseases. It manifests itself in little round blisters, which contain an extremely irritating fluid. These break and subsequently a crust or scale is formed.

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Tomatoes, per tin	10c
Peas, Beans and Corn, per tin	8c
3 bottles Pickles for	25c
New Dates, per lb.	10c
New Figs, per lb.	10c
Mince Meat, 3 lbs. for	25c

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I wish to thank you and your Company for the liberal and satisfactory manner in which my loss has been adjusted and paid, and would heartily recommend the London Mutual to the insuring public

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[Sgd.] THOMAS YOUNG.

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THE GOLDEN LION STORE

PROBS — East winds, cloudy and comparatively mild to-day and on Friday, with local snow falls.

Fair's Quarter Century Celebration and WHITEWEAR SALE

Is creating a furore. Our store has been crowded daily since its commencement. Don't miss your chance of the good things.

You have never been offered better values in WHITE LINGERIE UNDERWEAR than we are showing. These items are an index to the many.

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$1.25 to $1.50 values for 75c—A number of styles, slightly soiled, but otherwise perfect, elaborately trimmed with embroidery and lace.

20c value for 12½c—plainly made of superior English long cloth.

35c value for 25c — Neck trimmed with Swiss embroidery and torchon lace insertion.

40c value for 24c—Daintily trimmed with Maltese lace and insertion.

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90c value for 75c—Made of English long cloth with hemstitched and Swiss emoroidery flounce.

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65c value for 52c—Made of fine soft long cloth, with flounce of torchon lace and insertion.

90c value for 75c—English long cloth with new fillet lace and insertion.

$1.35 value for 1.15—Very fine nainsook, with 6 inch flounce of Maltese lace.

$2.15 value for 1.75—Soft nainsook with beautiful Swiss insertion and embroidery.

NIGHT GOWNS

$1.00 value for 75c—Low neck in marguerite style, trimmed with Swiss beading.

$1.25 value for 98c—Long Cloth with neck and sleeves trimmed with Swiss embroidery and torchon lace.

$1.40 value for 1.00—Soft finish long cloth trimmed with German valenciennes lace and insertion.

$1.75 value for 1.40—Fine soft nainsook, trimmed with embroidery beading and baby ribbon.

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Men's Worsted Pants, made to order, former price $6.50. Rush Sale Price 5.00

Men's Worsted Pants, made to order, former price $4.00. Rush Sale Price 3.00

Men's $5.00 Vest Patterns, made to order for 3.50

Men's Best Single or Double Breasted Tweed Suits, made to order, former price $20.00. Rush Sale Price 15.50

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Men's Ready-made Tweed Suits, were $7.00. Rush Sale Price 4.75

Men's Rowdy made Worsteds and Serge Suits, were $12.00. Rush Sale Price 9.50

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Memorial Service Last Night At Charlotte Street Church

Congregation Pays Tribute to Their Deceased Pastor Who Laboured Successfully for Their Spiritual and Material Welfare---What He Did for the Church----A Martyr for the Interests of Humanity.

The congregation of the Charlotte street Methodist church paid respect to the memory of one of their most devoted pastors, the late Rev. D O Crossley, who passed away Friday, Jan. 8th, in Whitby, by a memorial service, held last night. There was a large attendance manifesting the deep esteem and love in which the deceased pastor was held by members of the flock which he at one time tended diligently and ceaselessly as the Master had commanded. It was a tribute to the memory of the departed one who will always be remembered by the people of Charlotte street church for the great labours he accomplished here for the improvement of the spiritual and material welfare of the entire congregation.

Rev. Mr. Henderson conducted the meeting which was carried out with a reverence that was enhanced by the thought of the pastor who had once prayed with the congregation and guided them, but who had since been called to his reward.

His Business Ability

The Board of the church had arranged to have a few of the members refer to the life of their late pastor, and Mr. A B Cunningham who was the first, spoke of the business ability of the late Rev. D O Crossley. Figures failed, he said, to give an idea of the task which the deceased undertook and successfully accomplished during his pastorate in Peterborough. His desire to get the church free of debt was more than that idea. He felt that only when that work was done could they advance and take up greater tasks. He likewise practised what he preached. He voluntarily gave $50.00 to the fund for the church, saying that it was a subject dear to his heart.

When he commenced his duties as pastor there was a debt on the church of $12,000 and from 1897 to 1904 the congregation paid off $13,000. At the outset his task had been difficult, as the subscriptions were rather few, but towards the end the responses were general and hearty. This enabled the church to take up other works and in every department an increase has been made. In the Sunday School it has grown rapidly and last Sunday the record attendance of 475 was experienced. Thus Rev. Mr. Crossley had planted the good seed and the congregation was now reaping the fruits of his toil and labour.

His Personality

Dr. M A Morrison was the next speaker. He stated that mere words at this time failed to express the feelings and emotions of the heart. There were two characteristics which stood out marking the deceased as a man above ordinary men. One of these was his great desire for work. Dr. Morrison reviewed instances when his dominating will carried him through things which seemed almost too great for his frail physical strength. He was a man who did things and did them well. Thoughts of his work and of his charge were always uppermost in his mind, and even when he lay in his bed overcome by illness.

The other outstanding quality was his devotion to the ministry. Shortly after beginning his work here he was offered a position in secular life with a salary double that which he was receiving as pastor. This he refused, saying that his work was in the pulpit and among his people. He had been called to that and in that he would remain.

His Death

Rev. H M Manning, of St. James' church who represented Charlotte street church at his burial, told in a graphic manner the events leading up to and which were directly responsible for his death. After three lives had been offered up on the altar of Bacchus, Rev. Mr. Crossley felt that it was his duty to undertake a great moral reform in a movement to abolish the bars in Whitby. His task in Peterborough was light in comparison with this. He preached from the pulpit and at meetings, he appealed to men, he laboured indefatiguably. He won many to the cause in spite of great opposition. He contracted a slight cold on the Sunday before voting day, and on the Monday went out and cast his vote. The defeat of the cause hurried his end. The promises that men had made, but had ruthlessly broken, caused him a terrible shock and worried him in his delirium. "It was that strenuous work of weeks that caused his death," Mr. Manning said, "and he literally laid down his life in the interests of humanity. If he had taken the responsibility easily he would be living, but he died a martyr. It is men like him that we need in these days, as an example to us that we may see how much we are lacking in real earnestness."

Mr. Manning closed with a reference to the obsequies.

The following is the account of his death in the Christian Guardian:

It was with sincerest regret that

LATE D. O. CROSSLEY.

In respect for whom Memorial Service was held at Charlotte Street Church last night.

his many friends learned of the death of Rev. D O Crossley, pastor of the Methodist Tabernacle, Whitby. He became ill on Sunday, Jan. 3, but on Monday went out to vote for Local Option. He grew rapidly worse and passed away on Friday, Jan. 8. He was sixty years of age, and had been in our work since 1872. He entered the ministry in the Methodist Episcopal Church, and after the Union was stationed at Deseronto, Newbury, Belleville Tabernacle, Napanee West, Peterborough, Charlotte street, Bowmanville, and Whitby. He leaves a wife to mourn the loss of a devoted husband. The evangelist, Rev. H T Crossley, is a brother. We extend our sincerest sympathy to the bereaved ones.

During the service a quartette, composed of Mrs. B. Hughes, Miss S. Lee, Mr. James Browne and Mr. Chas. Harmer, sang "One Sweetly Solemn Thought," in an impressive manner.

"He Wipes the Tear From Every Eye," was sung by Mrs. Hughes with expression and sympathy.

DISCHARGED

Gunner Moir Acquitted To-day of Murder Charge on Ground Of Insanity.

Examiner Special.

London, Ont., Jan. 14.—Gunner Moir was acquitted here this afternoon of the murder of Sergt. Lloyd of Stratford, on Good Friday, 1908. Insanity was the reason given by the jury.

"WAS ENTIRELY IRRESPONSIBLE"

Doctor's Opinion in the Moir Trial at Brantford.

Examiner Special.

London, Jan. 14.—The evidence for the defence in the trial of Gunner Moir to-day included important testimony from Dr. Robinson, who stated that it was his opinion that the prisoner was "entirely irresponsible" when he shot Sergeant Lloyd, Stratford.' The reason given was that Moir was suffering from epilepsy.

WIARTON CEMENT COMPANY ASSIGNS

Examiner Special.

Toronto, Jan. 14.—Colonial Portland Cement Company, Limited, Wiarton, has assigned and winding up order granted.

A GLOVE, A MITT AND SCARF WERE FOUND

During the past few days a furlined mit and a glove have been brought to the Examiner office by a person who found them on the street. The owners of the missing articles are asked to come and take them away, or if they do not desire to do that, to leave the mates, as they cannot be used by the members of the staff as they are at present.

A scarf found on the street last night may also be recovered by calling at this office.

To our Friends and Patrons

We Wish You A Happy and Prosperous New Year 1909

We thank the people of Peterborough for their liberal patronage and their many expressions of confidence and kindness during the past year.

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HOUSE ORNATE FOR NUPTIAL EVENT

Mr. H. C. Macdonald, of Richard Hall & Son, Followed Artistic Design.

The house decorations at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Moore yesterday for the wedding of their daughter to Mr. Noble Kelly, were more than ordinarily beautiful. The work was left in the hands of Richard Hall and Son and was carried out by Mr. H. C. Macdonald, whose artistic work has been frequently complimented by the citizens as seen in the windows of that firm. The scheme in the dining room was white and pink gracefully and delicately carried out by means of apple blossoms and vines. In the parlour, where the ceremony was performed an arch and lattice work bore a whit effect relieved by green here and there.

The halls were decorated with ivy and contrasted delicately with the other rooms.

CHARITY BOARD'S REFUSAL TO ASSIST MRS. DRURY MEETS WITH CRITICISM OF COURT

Woman Saved From Being Turned Out on Streets by Personal Care of Magistrate Dumble—Refused to Take Responsibility of Her Maintenance.

WHAT IS THE NEXT STEP?

Only Magistrate Dumble's charity saved Mrs. Robert Drury from being turned into the streets this morning, homeless and practically friendless. This little old woman, who says she is seventy-five years of age, has been the subject of general discussion as to what was to be done with her. She had been charged with vagrancy, her husband having laid the information with Chief Roszel. On her appearance in the police court a week ago she had been remanded until to-day, when the case was dismissed in the police court.

Magistrate's Remarks

In reviewing the affair Mr. Dumble referred to it as follows:

"The charge is that Mary Drury is a vagrant, that is, that she has no home and no visible means of maintaining herself. It appears she is the wife of Robert Drury, who works at the Peter Hamilton Manufacturing Company, and earns $8 a week. The wife is about ten years older than the husband. She has three grown up children who are married, two of them residing in Peterborough.

The woman is frail, both in mind and body. The husband boards in a hotel, where he says he pays four dollars a week for his board. He has no home for his wife and is anxious to have her taken care of by the public. Under pressure he finally gave an order upon his employers for $2.00 a week to be used in support of his wife. Application was made to the Protestant Home to take her in and that institution finally consented to take her if the Charity Board would bear the responsibility for her keep at $1.50 a week.

Board Refuses

The Charity Board in committee have refused to assume this responsibility. The problem with the court, now, is to find a place for her that she may not perish in the streets. The jail is not the proper place and the city of Peterborough has not provided any home for the destitute poor and the court can do nothing but turn her out. The husband having set apart two dollars for her maintenance, it was thought that the Charity Board would not hesitate to accept the responsibility to the Protestant Home. The criminal code forbids imprisoning in the county goal as a vagrant anyone who has been a resident in the municipality over two years. I have therefore to dismiss this charge and suffer this homeless woman to go out at a season of the year when it is a cruelty to turn out a dog. The responsibility of this woman's death, if it should occur through exposure must rest on the Charity Committee."

The Magistrate handed Chief Roszel two dollars, saying that he would pay for her board at the Home for one week. In the meantime it is believed that some steps will be taken to provide for the maintenance of the woman for the rest of her life.

It is stated on good authority that the woman's children are willing to provide for her and give her a good home and made attempts to do so, which, however, have not been taken advantage of.

THE DORCAS SOCIETY RECEIVES PROCEEDS

Yesterday Mr. Edwards very kindly gave the proceeds of the afternoon at the Crystal, which amounted to $11.50, to the Dorcas Sewing Society. This society works for the poor of this city making every year many homes bright and happy through the winter by clothing the women and children. The society is very grateful to Mr. Edwards for his great kindness in helping them to go ahead with this good work.

CHICAGO WOMAN'S OPINION OF DIVORCE

Chicago, Jan. 14 — "Marriage is founded on love, not friendship; one will make you forever happy, the other forever unhappy." With this advice to young women, Mrs. T. T. Woolens, who after eight years of married life obtained a divorce from the president of the Hayes Dental Company, told the story of the romance and tragedy of her own life to-day.

Two flaxen-haired girls — one six years old, the other five — clung close to her as she voiced her philosophy of love and marriage.

"I loved as much as any girl could ever love," she said, "I knew, though, that my husband had only a kindly friendship toward me. He took that friendship to mean love. Result — unhappiness."

Mrs. Woolens charged desertion.

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TO RENT—OFFICE No. 11 IN BANK OF Commerce Building; heated, possession immediately. Apply at 427 George Street.

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LOST ON FRIDAY AFTERNOON LAST a Scotch Collie Bitch about 8 months old. Reward for information left at this office, or any one found harbouring same after this date will be prosecuted. 3d 9 5951

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Thursday, January, 14th, 1909

CANADA'S SHARE.

Sir James Whitney, speaking recently, in certainly academic mood, makes a statement which will not stand analysis. He says the only return Canada "makes for all that the Mother Country does for us is to pay the salary of the Governor-General." That is only a part of the truth. We give the Mother Country a market, and on terms of preference which no other nation enjoys. We give lands, living and homes to her congested population, we give a preference to British literature. Canada feeds the Mother Land and the day is not far distant when our fertile plains can and will supply all the breadstuffs the British people can consume, and above all Canada constitutes the centre of the outer circle of Empire, whose maintenance is the glory of Britain. We spend some two million dollars a year in the maintenance of a militia, permanent garrisons and conducting a military college which has provided more than a hundred first class officers to the British army and navy. Take it all in all, Canada does a good deal to help the Mother Country in grateful return for all the great things the Mother Country does for us. We do not want to fight; we want to be left in peace to grow. Past experience shows that if the Mother Land is foolish or unfortunate enough to be embroiled in a war, Canada will come to her help in a very substantial manner. Great Britain and the Empire will be the gainer if Canada is permitted to use in peace all her resources to develop its great heritage. Millions can be more profitably employed and to the advantage of both, in building up a Greater Britain on this continent, than in maintaining an expensive and burdensome military establishment and a toy navy—our best wouldn't be much. Our resources would not permit of our doing much in the way of building eight or nine million Dreadnaughts. In case of war Canada could look after the commissariat department, while our insular cousins were fighting. Such a division of responsibility indicates to what an extent Canada is prepared and able to do something for all that Britain does for us.

Canada borrowed one hundred and sixty-five millions of British money last year to assist in making herself a source of real strength to the Empire.

BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA.

The Bank of Nova Scotia enjoys a green old age. Its seventy-seventh annual report shows a continued prosperity. It reveals net profits of $559,557.58. After placing $15,000 to the credit of the officers' pension fund, writing off $100,000 from office premises and allowing $100,000 each for anticipated loss through liquidation of the Ontario and Sovereign Banks and providing for four quarterly dividends of $90,000 each, the remainder to be added to profit and loss, the sum of $55,741.78. Dividend rates of 12 1-2 per cent. were declared and paid upon the paid-up capital of the bank of $3,000,000. The report indicates a flourishing condition of all the interests of the bank. The statement should give satisfaction to the shareholders and the public, and reflects credit upon the management. The local office under the management of Mr. J. H. Ferguson, has shared in the general prosperity and contributed its quota thereto. The text of the report appears in these columns to-day and will be perused with interest.

BUILD UP PETERBOROUGH.

The Mayor of Brantford in issuing his inaugural address, presented an extensive municipal programme. The most important issues dealt with were the bringing of new industries to the city, the co-related matter of obtaining cheap power and the also related question of improving railway facilities. In these respects Peterborough has little to trouble itself with the two latter, and especially the last; but it has much to do in the matter of securing new industries, and securing additional cheap power. We have the cheap power to a certain extent, and the desirable railway facilities to be importantly augmented by the addition of water transportation through the completion of the Trent Canal to Lake Ontario. Speaking on the subject of new industries for Brantford, the Expositor, in dealing with the Mayor's message says:

The first essential is the securing of new industries which will bring capital to the city, afford labour for workingmen, increase the population, fill vacant houses and stimulate every line of local trade. The second essential is the meeting of the civic requirements which a growing population and a prosperous city will create, among which, in the case of Brantford, will be an improved market in order that the people on the one hand may get their food supplies at first hand and the farmers on the other may be brought here to dispose of their produce and in turn make their purchases at local stores.

The industrial prestige of the city during the next few years will depend largely on the system which the city sees fit to adopt. WHAT IS ACTUALLY NEEDED IS A THOROUGHLY EQUIPPED INDUSTRIAL DEPARTMENT, the chief business of which would be to "hustle" for new industries. In this connection, in addition to the advantages which Brantford is already able to offer to incoming concerns, there should be the boon of cheap power and enlarged railway facilities. The entire power situation will be taken up at once, as well also, it is hoped, the question of the city securing options on desirable industrial sites and connecting the same with the railway lines. Once given an active industrial growth Brantford will readily meet the requirements arising therefrom.

The Expositor's remarks, can, mutatis mutandis, be regarded as a sermon to our own Aldermen and Board of Trade, and it is to be hoped they will lay its teaching to heart as much as they will regard the sermon which is to be launched at our city fathers next Sunday. Peterborough must not be allowed to stand still, though there is hardly such a thing as standing still; we either advance or go back. We look to our civic and trade interest representatives to maintain the pace. Would it not be well for the city council to consider the question of the establishment of what Brantford proposes, a thoroughly equipped industrial department, involving the creation of a commissioner whose duty it shall be to especially busy himself with keeping *an outlook for* industrial enterprises, in search of the most desirable location? Such a commissioner would have the time to place himself in touch and keep himself in touch, with the continental and even transcontinental situations, in a manner evidently not to be expected nor possible to members of the city council, absorbed in a combination of personal and civic duties. Incidentally such a commissioner could interest himself in promoting other civic interests such as publicity activities and the arrangement of conventions, the attraction of excursions and other means for making Peterborough a centre of resort for the outside world. The city fathers might also profitably consider with a view to early action, the question of obtaining additional cheap power from available resources within easy and cheap power distance of the city. There is a big field of activity outside the routine of civic administration, which is almost automatic, to engage the attention of our city representatives in the council.

The buildings of the Bessemer steel plant of the Lake Superior Corporation at Sault Ste. Marie, are 350 feet by 1,500 feet in area.

A YEAR OF NOTABLE ANNIVERSARIES.

The year 1909 is peculiarly rich in centennial anniversaries of the births of men whose names are writ large in the history of civilization. Abraham Lincoln and Darwin were both born on February, 12th, 1809. Edgar Allan Poe, the melancholy poet, came into the world January 19th of the same year, while Tennyson, whose crossing of the bar seems to have occurred but yesterday, first saw the light on August 6th. Oliver Wendell Holmes, one of the brightest lights in American literature, was born on August 29th, while Gladstone whose career has, perhaps been subjected to more varying judgment than that of any other man of modern times, came on the scene four days after the Christmas festivities. In this year, too, occurs the four hundreth anniversary of the birth of John Calvin, whose rigid creed has swayed the minds of unnumbered millions.

It is not necessary, however, to go beyond the past century for anniversaries which cause 1909 to stand out above and beyond any other year in the first quarter of the twentieth century. Is there some unseen influence exerted from beyond our sphere, which for good or ill controls the destinies of those born in a particular year, or under particular conditions? Or did the world-shaking events of the first fifteen years of the nineteenth century, have an influence in broadening and strengthening minds which were in the most plastic form at that time?—Weekly Sun.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Canada ranks tenth in the wheat producing countries of the world, and it will not be long before this order is changed and this country will forge further to the front.

The Canadian Northwest, says the Wall Street Journal, is now drawing 100,000 of America's best farm population away to the virgin lands of the north. However unpleasant these facts may be to an American, it is folly to blind one's self to the fact that the Canadian Northwest is destined to supply beef and pork, and cheese and butter and bread to the world. It has the soil, the climate and the cheap transportation, and it will have the people.

Alfred Austin the British poet-laureate, takes a rather pessimistic view of the results of extending the franchise to women. He says they are emotional and if given a voice in the management of national affairs, they would embroil the country in war, and leave mere man to do the fighting—the bleeding and dying, "while the very utmost women could do would be to act as ministering angels." His poetic imagination evidently cannot conjure up regiments of militant Amazons.

DOURO COUNCIL HOLD FIRST MEETING

Appointment of Officials to Look After the Township's Affairs—Commencing the Year's Work.

MEMBERS OF NEW COUNCIL

Examiner Special.

The council elect for the current year met in the town hall, Douro, on Monday, January 11th, at 11 a. m. After having subscribed to the necessary declaration of qualification and office for several members, took their seats. The reeve, Mr. Frank Moher, was in the chair, and Councillors Wm. Charlton, Michael Walsh, Patrick Farley and Bartholomew Leahy.

On motion the minutes of the previous meeting were read and signed.

Moved by Coun. Walsh and Charlton, that Geo. E. Wilson and Maurice Condon be appointed auditors for 1909, at a salary of $9 each.

Moved in amendment by Coun. Leahy, that Wm. Garbutt and Geo. E. Wilson be auditors for 1909 at same salary.—Lost.

Moved by Coun. Charlton and Walsh, that W. J. Bullock's resignation as member of the Board of Health be accepted.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Leahy and Charlton, that Stewart Brown, William Frankish and J. P. Leahy be appointed members of the Board of Health for three years, two years and one year, respectively.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Walsh and Charlton, that the matter with regard to taxes on G. W. Morrow's property be laid over until next meeting of council.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Walsh and Farley, that this council are of the opinion that a number of ratepayers who are in the Union School Section with Lakefield, are not being justly dealt with, by being placed in the new school section recently formed by arbitration, and would recommend that they be placed back in Union School Section.—Carried unanimously.

Moved by Coun. Leahy and Walsh, that J. E. Galvin be appointed assessor for 1909 at a salary of $50.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Charlton and Walsh, that Michael Mahoney be appointed caretaker of town hall at a salary of $9.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Walsh and Farley, that the clerk be authorized to procure one copy of the Municipal World for 1909, for use of council.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Walsh and Leahy, that the reeve and Coun. Charlton be appointed a committee to let the printing contract for 1909.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Leahy and Farley, that the statement of P. Quinlan re work on boundary between Douro and Otonabee in 1908 be laid on the table until the next meeting of council.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Walsh and Farley, that Coun. Leahy be appointed commissioner to dispose of trees on Dummer road, running through lots 2 and 3 in 9 and 10 concessions.—Carried.

Moved by Coun. Walsh and Leahy, that the collector be advised to collect the balance of taxes as soon as possible.—Carried.

The orders on treasurer were:
To Joseph Condon, $3.00, overcharge of statute labour in 1908.
To Joseph Moher, $1.00, overcharge of statute labour in 1908.
To H. Little, $6.45, for putting in culvert and repairing road in 1908.
To G. W. Green, $5.50, being half cost of pump on boundary, between Douro and Dummer, in 1908.
By-laws No.s. 692, 693, 694, 695, appointing "auditors," "Members of Board of Health," "assessor," and "authorizing the head and treasurer to borrow money to meet the now current expenditure of township," each received its several readings and was passed, signed and sealed.

On motion of Coun. Charlton and Walsh, the council adjourned to meet at a call from the reeve.—Carried.

HASTINGS ITEMS OF INTEREST

Hastings, Jan. 13.—Miss Jessie Baker, who has been teaching the Dutch Line School, leaves at the New Year to take charge of the school at Dartmouth. Miss Baker is a sister of Mrs. Harold Wilson, of town.

The many friends here of Mr. Geo. Gumpricht, piano tuner, regret very much to learn of his sudden demise. Mr. Gumpricht was widely known in this locality and much respected.

A New Year's service was held in the Presbyterian Church on Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

This week being the "Week of Prayer," service is being held nightly in the different churches of the town.

The Hastings hockey club held their annual meeting on Tuesday evening, 29th ult., when the officers for the ensuing year were elected, with John Welsh, Sr., as Hon. President and Dr. Wilson as Hon. Vice-President.

Mr. J. Jones, of town, was the lucky winner of the gold watch, which was given as a prize in the guessing contest on the weight of the cake of soap, which has for some time past been displayed in a local grocery shop window. The soap was weighed by Mr. Alex Wilson. The actual weight of the cake was 117 1-2 lbs., while Mr. Jones guessed it at 116 lbs. 3 oz.

Mr. John Wills recently slaughtered a yearling heifer which, when dressed, tipped the scales at 476 lbs. This is the best we have seen in town for some time and took the prize for Christmas beef.

Mr. Fletcher Anderson, of Carleton Place, is visiting his mother, Mrs. A. Anderson.

Dr. and Mrs. Berry spent the holiday in town, the guests of the Misses Fowlds.

The concert given in the town hall on Christmas night by the Methodist Sunday School, was a decided success in every particular. All the different numbers which were given showed that great pains had been taken by those who had the entertainment in charge. The house was crowded to its utmost capacity and the best of order prevailed throughout the entire length of the programme, which consisted of songs by the primary class, drills by older girls, solos, dialogues and quartettes, while almost every number had to respond to an encore. What is worthy of more particular mention were the selections which were rendered in such a pleasing manner by "Little Annie Christie," the gifted child elocutionist, of Peterborough. This child, although of very tender years, appeared in four different numbers, and each number called for an encore, which were given in such a manner as to show that she possesses a gift rarely met with in one so young. Some of the audience were heard to remark that although there had been several adult professionals here, they could not compare with "Little Miss Christie." The committee in charge have reason to be proud of the success of the entertainment.

Mrs. J. H. Hess and daughter, Myrtle, are spending the week in Toronto.

Mrs. Robert Tudhope and children, of Norwood, are guests of Mr. H. Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Buchanan, of Havelock, have been visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Joseph Carter, Sr.

Mr. Geo. Stwvenson, of Peterborough, spent Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Stevenson, Sr.

Mr. Frank Hill, of Toronto, spent the holiday with his mother, Mrs. Wm. Hill.

Miss Attie Fowlds, of Port Perry, was in town for the holidays.

Miss Hattie Preston, of Asphodel, is visiting with friends in Mount Pleasant.

Mr. A. Knight spent Sunday at his home in Warkworth.

Mr. Wm. English, of Detroit, is renewing old acquaintances in town.

Mr. John Mundy, of Toronto, has been visiting his mother, Mrs. C. Mundy.

Mr. Gordon Johnston, of Egmvale, spent the holidays with his parents.

Mr. O. Burns, Sask., is holidaying with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. (Rev.) Burns.

Mr. Robt. Carter, of Peterborough, spent Christmas with his mother, Mrs. J. Carter.

Miss Eva Moore, of Albert College, Belleville, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Christie and daughter, Annie, of Peterborough, spent the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Beavis.

The reeveship of Hastings is being contested by Mr. D. Learmouth and Mr. T. Howard.

Asphodel mourns the loss of another respected resident, in the person of Mr. Jas. D. Buck, who departed this life on Sunday, the 20th. Deceased was in his fifty-ninth year and had been ailing for some time, and his demise was not unexpected. Surviving the deceased are a wife, six sons and three daughters, who remain to mourn his loss.

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Just as long as you have dandruff your head will itch. It's the little microbes that are gnawing down into the hair roots. It may take a long time for these pesistent pests to get down to the vital part but when they do, they will destroy the life of the hair in a very short time.

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1 No. 18 Wonder Oak, regular price $12.50. Sale Price..... 9.95
A very neat Stove, with Nickel Top, Band and Skir., Flat Shaker Grate and Ash Pan.

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THE TRIAL OF MOIR HAS COMMENCED

Alleged Murderer of Sergt. Lloyd at London Faces Jury.

DEFENCE PLEADS INSANITY

Crown Completes Its Case Against Young Wolseley Barracks Soldier Defence Shows Its Hand Enough to Indicate That It Will Blame Fits For Crime—No Doubt He Shot Color-Sergeant Lloyd.

London, Jan. 14.—When the trial of Private William A. Moir, charged with the slaying of Color-Sergt. Lloyd, was adjourned at six o'clock last night, all the evidence for the crown was in and the defence had advanced far enough with their case to give a clear idea of the line upon which they are fighting in their efforts to save the young soldier.

The evidence given by the defence favored strong the "brain storm idea." Evidence was brought out to show that Moir was subject to fits, but no evidence was adduced to show that he still retained the use of his limbs during these attacks. A good deal of testimony, however, was advanced to show that such cases are not impossible, and the defence appear to be prepared to back this line of argument by further witnesses, who are being called to-day.

The evidence of the crown traced the tragedy from the time that Moir reached the barracks until he was captured in the stable near Arthur.

There is no shadow of doubt that Moir did the shooting. It is a point to which the defence hold, however, that Lloyd was reaching for the muzzle of the rifle in Moir's hands when the fatal shot was fired.

One feature of the trial was the statement of one of the witnesses at the barracks, who said that he had in his own possession at the time of the shooting from 1,500 to 2,000 rounds of ammunition.

It is expected that the evidence will be concluded to-day, and the fate of Moir will probably be in the hands of the jury before night.

Coal Output Checked.

Washington, Jan. 14.—Bituminous coal production in the United States in 1908 reached a total of between 320 and 330 million tons.

In 1907 more than 400,000,000 tons were produced.

The surveys' investigation showed that the cause for less activity in the coal mining industry was one of the result which followed the financial depression in the latter part of 1907. A short cotton crop and a period of idleness from April 1 to June 15, pending a settlement of the wage scale controversy, also affected coal production adversely.

Railroad shipments of anthracite in the last year amounted to more than 64,000,000 long tons, as compared with more than 67,000,000 long tons the previous year.

Fired the Suffragette.

Birmingham, Eng., Jan. 14.—During a dinner given to Winston Churchill last night, a woman in evening dress went to the table where Mr. Churchill was sitting and commenced to argue with him in favor of votes for women. The conversation was carried on for some time, the woman standing facing Mr. Churchill, who, with his wife, remained seated, eating his dinner. Finally the officials insisted that the woman leave the dining hall, and, upon refusing to do so she was taken by the shoulders and escorted to the door, meanwhile shouting suffragette battle cries.

Broke Through Ice.

Kingston, Jan. 14.—Seven degrees below zero was the record yesterday. A sheet of ice formed across the harbor, not strong enough to hold a horse. Patrick McDermott, Wolfe Island, broke through with his horse and had a thrilling rescue.

Protests Called Off.

St. John's, Nfld., Jan. 14.—The two parties have agreed to call off all election petitions, as the business men fear that the trials would mean a setback in business.

Judge Mathieu Retires.

Montreal, Jan. 14.—Justice Mathieu of the Supreme Court, who has served twenty-five years on the bench, retired yesterday on full pension.

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JUROR SHOWS PLUCK.

Thos. Walsh Saves Hains Case From a Re-trial.

Flushing, N.Y., Jan. 14.—Events crowded fast yesterday in the trial of Thornton Jenkins Hains. When court adjourned last night, Juror Thomas Walsh, injured in a street car accident in New York Tuesday night, was placed in the care of a physician by Justice Crane, that his injuries might not cause a mis-trial of the case.

Counsel for the defence concluded their summing up yesterday afternoon, and Prosecutor Darrin began his address to the jury. Mr. Darrin will conclude his speech some time to-day, and Justice Crane after his charge will give the case over to the jury.

Only the pluck of Juror Walsh saved the Hains' case from mis-trial and postponement yesterday. Battered almost beyond recognition from a fall from a street car, Walsh came from the hospital to the court and sat through the day's trial, though at times he appeared to suffer greatly, and Justice Crane took frequent recesses that the injured juror might recover his strength. The juror informed Justice Crane that he felt that he could continue, but only when a physician gave his assent would the justice permit the case to go on. He was cared for last night by a physician in Flushing.

Prosecutor Darrin, following the closing address of Mr. McIntyre for the defence, bitterly scored many of the defence's witnesses called to testify as to the insanity of Capt. Hains. For over two hours the state's attorney dwelt upon the question of the rationality of the army officer. His address to the jury was clothed in no dramatic terms of forensic utterance, and he confined himself to marshalling the facts from the evidence.

Militia to Oust General.

Bismarck, N.D., Jan. 14.—In spite of a court injunction an armed guard of the state militia patroled the state capital Tuesday night and it will remain on duty pending the settlement of the legal controversy regarding the relative rights of Gen. T. H. Poole and Col. A. P. Peake.

Gen. Poole was retired by Governor Burke. The militia was called out on Tuesday after Gen. Poole had re-entered the capital and taken possession of his offices, from which he had been ousted the preceding day.

Another Concession.

London, Jan. 14.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—Regarding the waterways treaty, The Standard says we apparently decide on Canada's behalf the Canadian suitors shall be compelled to submit to the decision of a joint commission, while the United States suitors will find a court appeal in their Senate. Such a provision is extremely unfortunate. The day of concessions to the beautiful eyes of the United States or any other power, has definitely passed away.

Fort William Marine Traffic.

Fort William, Jan. 14.—The customs house returns show that during the season of navigation for 1908, 1,885 vessels arrived and departed with a tonnage of 3,530,460, and crews of 46,286. For 1907 the number of vessels to arrive and depart was 1,829, but the difference in number was more than made up in 1908 by the larger size of the vessels as they aggregated a greater tonnage capacity of over 1,300,000, or a greater tonnage capacity per boat of 600 tons.

Frozen to Death.

Waterous, Sask., Jan. 14.—William Evans, an English homesteader, aged 55, living two and a half miles northwest from here, left Waterous on Saturday forenoon for his shack, and not being seen again his footsteps were traced, and the man was found lying frozen in a bluff were he had crawled to die.

George Smith, County Judge.

Ottawa, Jan. 14.—At yesterday's meeting of the Cabinet, George Smith, ex-M.P., Woodstock, was appointed county court judge of Essex County, Ont. He succeeds Judge Mickle, who was appointed a month ago, but who resigned.

INDIAN CHIEFS ASK FOR $380,000

Want Refund of Money Badly Invested by Government.

THEY DEPOSITED IT IN 1834

Chiefs Representing Six Nations Go to Ottawa to Ask Return of Funds Said to Have Been Left With the Government and Lost In Old Canal Scheme Which Failed a Number of Years Ago.

Toronto, Jan. 14.—Three Indian chiefs, with blood in their eyes passed through Toronto last night bound for Ottawa. They were Chiefs Dekanenranch (two ranks of men), Sbohskohrovane (big raft), and Sakokares (much bite) — modernly known as A. G. Smith, William Smith and Josiah Hill.

They are after a refund from the Dominion Government of $153,028 with compound interest from the year 1834 to the present time; the price and accrued interest upon 1,800 acres of valuable corn land which was flooded by the construction operations of the Grand River Navigation Co. in the early thirties; also the price and interest of 200 acres of land said to have been forced from their people by the Canadian Government to be utilized as tow-paths along the waterway which was never developed.

They have been deputed by the council of the Six Nation Indians of the Brant Reserve, and, armed with a voluminous legal brief and a letter of assurance from Hon. Frank Oliver, superintendent of Indian affairs, that they will be given a fair hearing, they are in high hopes of securing a requittal in full without going into the law courts.

Senator Belcourt and Solicitor A. G. Chisholm of London have been their legal advisers.

The trio left Brantford at 4.30 and had supper with "Chief" Tom Flanagan at the Grand Central Hotel, leaving for Ottawa via C.P.R. at 10 p.m.

The Claim.

Their case is this: They always had the privilege of selling land in order to secure money for improvement and living purposes, and the Imperial Government permitted them to deposit the proceeds with the crown for safekeeping with interest. In 1834, when a chartered company wanted to make the Grand River navigable from Lake Erie to Brantford, the Government appropriated their people's funds and invested it against their wish in stock of the Grand River Navigation Co.

Enough money was subscribed in this way to absorb three-quarters of the capital stock. The Buffalo & Lake Huron Railway (now the Grand Trunk) was chartered and killed the scheme.

In addition to surrendering some 300 acres of land for a tow-path along the canal, 1,800 acres of corn land were flooded and rendered forever useless. While the scheme was still in embryo the Government of Upper Canada got the trust of the Indians' money in its hands, and, according to Chief A. G. Smith, "did as they pleased with it afterwards."

Realizing that the Brant River Navigation scheme was a failure, they urged time and again that their money be restored to them, and were so anxious to get rid of the stock that they agreed to surrender an additional 40,000 acres of land providing that the purchaser would take over the defunct stock. The Government took the 40,000 acres, but left them still laden with the stock, Sir John Colborne, they say, was governor at that time.

There are now in Canada about 4,000 descendants of the Six Nation Indians, and they expect that the Government's sense of justice will refund to them $800,000. They now have between $800,000 and $900,000 invested with the Government, upon which they are drawing interest.

Aged Trio Bound and Robbed.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 14.—Binding, gagging and assaulting Solomon Loughner, 80 years old, and his two sisters, both of whom are between 70 and 80 years old, six masked robbers Tuesday night ransacked the house, securing about $1,500 in cash, ate their supper and then disappeared.

The Loughners live on an isolated farm.

Not Responsible.

Woodstock, Jan. 14.—Roy Ingles, the young man who put up a highway robbery game on himself, and then sent threatening letters to Henry Craig, was before the magistrate yesterday afternoon. On the evidence of two doctors as to his mental capacity, Ingles was sent to the Orillia Asylum.

Canada's Army Act.

London, Jan. 14.—(C.A.P. Cable)—Sir Frederick Borden made representations to the Home Government with reference to the Army Act, which Ottawa seeks to adopt. In the special circumstances of Canada, constitutional difficulties have prevented this from being done.

Confused by Signals.

Windsor, Jan. 14.—Daniel Wood, tunnel employe, was struck by a Sandwich street car early yesterday, and was seriously injured. The motorman states that Wood became confused by the warning signals and stepped directly in front of the car. His injuries consist of severe scalp wounds and broken ribs.

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PROFIT AND LOSS.

1907. Dec. 31.	By Balance		$71,164 20	
1908. Dec. 31.	" Net profits for current year; losses by bad debts estimated and provided for		559,577 58	$630,741 78
1908. Mar. 31,	To Dividend No. 153, at 12% per annum, payable 1st April, 1908		90,000 00	
June 30.	" Dividend No. 154, at 12% per annum, payable 2nd July, 1908		90,000 00	
Sept. 30.	" Dividend No. 155, at 12% per annum, payable 1st October, 1908		90,000 00	
Dec. 31.	" Dividend No. 156, at 12% per annum, payable 2nd January, 1909		90,000 00	
	" Contribution to Officers' Pension Fund		15,000 00	
	" Written off Bank Premises Account		100,000 00	
	" Provision for anticipated loss through guarantee of $200,000 in connection with liquidation of the Ontario Bank		50,000 00	
	" Provision for anticipated loss through liquidation of Sovereign Bank of Canada		50,000 00	
	" Balance carried forward		55,741 78	
				$630,741 78

GENERAL STATEMENT AS AT DECEMBER 31st, 1908.

LIABILITIES.

Deposits not bearing Interest	$6,418,908 81	
Deposits bearing Interest	24,667,959 23	
Interest accrued on Deposits	131,230 93	
		31,218,098 97
Deposits by other Banks in Canada	242,339 96	
Deposits by other Banks in United Kingdom	21,864 57	
Deposits by other Banks in Foreign Countries	691,155 88	
		955,360 41
Notes in Circulation	2,988,974 89	
Drafts drawn between Branches outstanding	823,476 26	
		3,812,451 15
		35,985,910 53
Capital paid up	3,000,000 00	
Reserve Fund	5,400,000 00	
Reserve for loss in liquidating insolvent banks	100,000 00	
Profit and loss, balance carried to 1909	55,741 78	
Rebate of Interest @ 6% on Time Loans	114,960 72	
Dividend Warrants outstanding	435 00	
Dividend No. 156, payable 2nd Jan., 1909	90,000 00	
		8,760,737 50
		$44,746,648 03

ASSETS.

Specie	$2,399,623 44	
Dominion Notes—Legal Tenders	2,598,022 25	
Notes of and Cheques on other Banks	1,865,707 69	
Due from other Banks in Canada	574 94	
Due from other Banks in Foreign Countries	1,953,006 11	
Sterling Exchange	1,218,349 73	
	10,035,284 16	
Investments, (Provincial, Municipal and other Bonds)	6,699,958 93	
Call Loans, secured by Bonds, Debentures and Stocks	6,391,511 01	
Call Loans, secured by Grain and other Staple Commodities	3,675,727 67	
		26,802,481 79
Deposits with Dominion Government for security of Note Circulation	151,236 81	
Loans to Provinces and Municipalities	338,341 13	
Current Loans, secured by Bonds, Debentures and Stocks	1,099,509 41	
Current Loans, secured by Grain and other Staple Commodities	1,183,780 25	
Overdrafts, secured	159,895 63	
Overdrafts, authorized but not specially secured	88,738 37	
Notes and Bills discounted and current	13,436,121 15	
Notes and Bills overdue	714 35	
Advances to the Sovereign Bank of Canada in connection with its liquidation	613,860 18	
Bank Premises	850,409 48	
Stationery Department	28,159 48	
		17,944,166 24
		44,746,648 03

NOTE: A contingent liability of $200,000, in conjunction with several other banks in connection with the liquidation of the Ontario Bank is not fully expressed in the above statement.

The latest return from Mandeville, Jamaica, is dated December 23rd, 1908, and the figures thereof are incorporated herein.

H. C. McLEOD, General Manager.

AUDITORS' REPORT.

We hereby certify that we have personally checked the cash on hand at Halifax, St. John, Montreal and Toronto. We have also verified the securities held as investments, personally examining those held by the Canadian branches of the Bank, and procuring certificates by responsible business men, not in the employ of the Bank, certifying to the existence of the remainder of these securities.

We have further to report that having examined the foregoing Balance Sheet, and having compared the same with the books of the Head Office, and the certified returns from the branches, we are of the opinion that it is a full and fair Balance Sheet, exhibiting a true and correct view of the Bank's affairs as at 31st December, 1908.

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THE CAMERA CLUB HOLDS A MEETING

Two Papers Were Presented and Read Showing What the Camera Can Do.

The Peterborough Camera Club held a very interesting meeting last night at the club's headquarters, 412 George street.

Two papers were presented and read, the first being on photography as an aid to surveyors and surveying, by Mr. J. A. Delisle, and was illustrated by ch 's of his own drawing, and the second was on "Plain Lighting at Home Portraiture."

At the next meeting a representative of the Eastman Kodak Company, of Toronto, will give a demonstration on printing and developing velox and also sepia effects on the velox by re-development. All amateur photographers are cordially invited to be present. This meeting is on the 28th of January.

TRADES AND LABOUR COUNCIL'S OFFICERS

Regular Meeting Held in the Foresters' Hall Last Night to Choose Leaders for Year.

A regular meeting of the Trades and Labour Council was held last night in the Foresters' Hall. Mr. Alexander, the past president, was in the chair and installed the following officers for the year 1909:

President—Edward Coley.
Vice-President—John McCauliff.
Recording and Corresponding Secretary—Frank Turner.
Financial Secretary—William Mowry.
Treasurer—Henry Carvetb.
Sergeant at Arms—Daniel Coughlin.
Trustees—W. Geary, W. Hall, E. Yarrington.

The soil of Ceylon is of volcanic origin, containing phosphorus and minerals in a large degree. This imparts to "Salada" (the well-known packet Ceylon tea,) a delicacy and fragrance that is incomparable. 110

THE LOCAL CAMERA FIENDS PRAISED

"Camera Craft" Writes the Club From San Francisco.

The following will appear in the February number of the "Camera Craft," an amateur photographers' magazine, published in San Francisco, Cal:

The Peterborough Camera Club

We clip the following from a recent issue of the "Evening Examiner," of Peterborough, Canada. "The Camera Club section of the Arts and Crafts Exhibit in the Green Room of the Young Women's Christian Association, attracted large attention. There were one hundred pictures entered, all of them being worth close inspection. The judges, Mrs. D. Hughes Charles, Miss Hatton, and Fred Roy, awarded the prizes. N. A. Howard-Moore, first prize, folding pocket kodak, donated by Eastman Kodak Company; R. Picard, second prize, chemical scales, donated by Tate-Taylor Optical Company; R. S. Rose, third prize, subscription to "Camera Craft"; fourth prize, a photo by Baron de Meyer, to Mrs. McCarthy; and three prizes of membership in the Camera Club, to Rev. Dr. Marsh, C. Primeau and E. Mitchell."

The Peterborough Camera Club is to be commended for the onterprise which was shown in the matter, and it cannot fail to reap its reward in an increased membership and added interest.

THE SILVER NORTH

Cobalt, Lorraine, Larder Lake and Gowganda.

Travellers returning from the great mineral fields of the north are more enthusiastic than ever regarding the permanency of the Silver Camp. One hundred and fifty teams are now employed daily in moving passengers, freight and supplies to the new Gowganda finds from Earlton, Entelhart and Carlton. It is only 18 miles from Charlton to Elk Lake where there are 22 mines, and from Elk Lake to Gowganda is 32 miles.

Leaving Toronto 10.15 p. m. daily, on the Grand Trunk "Cobalt Special", Elk Lake can be reached the next afternoon, via Cobalt, Haileybury, New Liskeard and Charlton, and this will continue to be the best way.

The Ontario Government are being strongly urged to push on the extension of their line from Charlton, which will open up this rich territory.

Full information can be obtained by writing J. D. McDonald, District Passenger Agent, G. T. R. Toronto, Ont. 569

MUSIC AND DRAMA

FROM THE GALLERY

Joseph O'Mara, the famous Irish tenor, who is appearing in the Broadway Theatre production of "Peggy Machree," told this good one to Eddie Burke in the Metropole: "I was playing Faust in Limerick. When Mephisto seized me and we started to sink through the stage in the last act, the trap got wedged and we got only half way down when the property flames raged up around us — but there we stuck. Suddenly a chap in the gallery yelled: "Hey, Mike, bell is full and they can't get in."

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NATURAL GAS PROPOSITION WAS LAID BEFORE LINDSAY PEOPLE AND MET WITH APPROVAL

Mr. R. H. Leary Met the Board of Trade and Council in Regard to the Matter—8000 Acres Guaranteed.

WILL GET A FRANCHISE.

Lindsay, Jan 13th—Mr. Robert H Leary, of Peterborough, was in town to-day and held a palaver with W. B. Sparling, President of the Board of Trade; Johnston Ross, F. C. Taylor, and Wm. Flavelle in the Simpson House, relative to the securing of a franchise to lay gas mains on the streets of the town and supplying Lindsay with natural gas.

Some time ago natural gas, said to be in unlimited quantities, was struck in Monaghan township, Peterborough county. Mr C. E. Dettman of Waynesburg, Pa., decided to exploit the find and a company was formed. Mr. Leary, of Peterborough, mentioned above, is actively interested in this company. He is also president of the Peterborough Agricultural Society.

This company is of the opinion that there is a stratum of natural gas running right through the county, which passes through Victoria county. Mr. Leary is here to take arrangements for the securing, if possible, of a franchise to place mains on Lindsay's streets.

If the right to do this can be secured along with the lease of sufficient land, tests for gas will be made in this county.

"8,000 acres of land in a block is necessary," stated Mr Leary.

"They are willing to drill 4,000 feet to make the test."

The lease which the company desire over the land entitles the said company merely to the oil and gas in the property. It is desirable to have the land in a block to secure the full right in case a vein of gas was struck that would lead in any direction.

Extensive tests will be made all over this property. If a test is not made on a farmer's land in a year he will be allowed 25 cents per acre for the lease.

A public meeting of the citizens will be held to-night at 7.30 to discuss the project fully, along with the council and Board of Trade. Mayor Begg was notified by the gentlemen mentioned above and he gave his full consent to the calling of a meeting.

It seems that property owners in Monaghan township have been asking exorbitant sums for the use of their land and thus have been blocking the extension of the mains to Peterborough city.

Mr. Leary stated to the Peterborough council that every overture made to these property owners had been refused, and they would not go on with the work unless some agreement was reached. Lin say met. became interested, and Mr. Leary came to Lindsay as a result of a communication received.

(Mr. R. H. Leary, who returned this morning from Lindsay, where he had been in the interest of the firm of American capitalists, who have secured a franchise of Peterborough streets for the purpose of carrying on a natural gas business, reports that the proposition was received with hearty approval by the Lindsay people.

A joint meeting of the Board of Trade and city council was held last night, at which the matter was discussed, and after Mr. Leary had laid the proposition before the meeting, the offer of the company was enthusiastically received, and there will not be any difficulty in securing a franchise or in getting the land necessary. Mr. Leary states that the Lindsay people will guarantee the company a block of land containing 8,000 acres, so that the difficulty met with here in getting land will not be found in the Scugog community. In the event of the company getting what they are asking for in Lindsay. (Mr. Leary does not know what course they will adopt in regard to Peterborough. Several farmers in the section of land wanted are still blocking the scheme by refusing to give leases of their property to the company.

ATTRACTIVE PROGRAMME FOR THE Y.M.C.A. BOYS GYM. CLOSING

The Boys of the Y.M.C.A. will put on an exhibition of their gymnasium work on Thursday evening, January 21.

This exhibition will give the parents and friends an opportunity to see what the boys are doing in the gymnasium. The programme is a very good one and will include drills, marches, apparatus work, games, races, burlesque basket ball, and a ladies' championship walking race and many other features.

The drill will be put on by the Junior School Boys, and will be in the form of running formations with music accompaniment.

A dumbbell drill will be put on by the Business Boys, and apparatus work by the Collegiate Boys.

Among the specialities will be ball hustle, blind pillow fight, obstacle race, potato race, ladies' walking race and sack basketball.

Great interest is being taken in the ladies' walking race, and this race promises to be one of the best sporting events of the season.

The blind pillow fight and sack basketball will give lots of opportunity for a good laugh, and the races will make plenty of excitement.

A very pleasant evening is looked for, and will be an education to some who do not know what goes on in the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium.

Tickets can be had from any of the boys or at the Y.M.C.A. office.

LEGAL COMMITTEE TAKES UP SOME DAMAGE CLAIMS AGAINST CITY

The Legal Committee have had the honour of being the first of the City Council committees to meet, Ald. Turner's committee being convened last night to consider several requests for damages.

The request for damages from Mr. McClusky, whose horse was struck by the fire department rig some time ago on Hunter street, was taken up. The request was considered, but as there was no information to hand the matter was left over until another meeting. In the meantime evidence will be gathered, to enable the committee to deal intelligently with the subject.

The city has had to bear a portion of the cost of the flagman at the C. P. R. crossing on Aylmer street. Recently the Grand Trunk put a siding across Aylmer street to connect with the C. P. R. siding to the Matthews Company factory. Now the Legal Committee considers that the G. T. R. should pay the city's portion of the cost of maintaining the flagman.

Mr. R. F. McWilliams presented a claim for damages on behalf of Mr. Kennedy, who fell on the sidewalk on Hunter street last February. The matter will also be looked into and taken up at another meeting.

ANOTHER LETTER ON THE CITY'S FINANCES

To the Editor of the Examiner,—

Dear Sir:— Shortly before the late municipal election I wrote you a letter criticizing the management of the city finances by the Mayor and Council of 1908, and I predicted an overdraft on the current business of the year of $15,000. To that letter Mayor Rush replied accusing me of making "misleading" statements, and by stating one side of what had still to be taken into account and not the other side, he tried to make it appear that all would be well in the end.

I want now to invite your readers' attention to the statement of the actual position at the end of 1908 as shown by the City Treasurer's report to the first meeting of the new Councils I said the deficit would be $15,000. The Treasurer shows it actually was $20,745. Now will the Mayor tell us who was making the "misleading" statements.

Possibly the Mayor will again claim credit for the outstanding taxes, amounting according to the Tax Collector's statement to $11,800. If so he must deduct the similar arrears of the preceding year, which, according to the same statement amounted to $8,700. If this allowance should be made the deficit at the end of the year will still be $17,600, which is in addition to the spending of the surplus of $6,600 received from that terribly extravagant Council of 1907.

Yours truly,
R. F. McWILLIAMS.

NOTE — If Mayor Rush wishes to reply to above letter, space will be afforded him, but with that the correspondence on the subject will close. There does not seem to be any evidence of wrong doing on the part of last year's Council, or any necessity of prolonging an election controversy throughout the year.

A DRASTIC CLEARANCE

Everything is to be rushed out before inventory time at the Peterborough Bookstore at lowest possible reductions: Books, Stationery, Fancy Goods, Toilet Sets, Mirrors, Photo Frames, Cards and Card Games reduced as never before; same with all remaining odd lots of holiday lines.

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CELEBRATED THEIR GOLDEN WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. William B. Wilson, Formerly of Peterborough, Married Fifty Years.

On the twenty-seventh day of December, 1858, at Peterborough, Isabella Milburn and William B. Wilson were married by Rev. John Cameron. On New Year's Day, 1909, at their home in Bright, Ont., Mr. and Mrs. Wilson were At Home to their friends to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage. The guests present numbered sixty-one, and of these some had come from far Saskatchewan and Vancouver. The home was tastefully decorated the predominant colours being white and gold. After dinner, some guests expressed, in felicitous terms, their pleasure at being present, and their congratulations and good wishes, whilst others contributed music and recitations. Needless to add there were the usual gifts, useful, ornamental and monetary, from relatives and friends, present and absent. Ever since they came to live in Bright, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson have been actively connected with the Methodist Church. Mr. Wilson is a member of the Parsonage Trustee Board, and the Quarterly Official Board, and for several years filled the office of church treasurer; whilst Mrs. Wilson has been a class leader, Sunday School worker, and president of the Ladies' Aid for many years.

—Christian Guardian.

ARROW POINTS TO A BARGAIN

WATCH for the advertisement with the Big Arrow cut.

MARKET BUTCHERS PLAY TIT FOR TAT

A Sort of Friendly Combine That Was Worked to Get Even.

A reporter casually remarked a business coup that was worked yesterday on the market by three butchers. Each of them had a sleigh load of meat and competition was keen for all the business that came along. It was a friendly rivalry. Finally the man at the south sleigh walked up to the middle one, where a citizen was pricing the different quarters, and said, "That's pretty good looking meat, but if you do not see just what you want, come down to my sleigh till you see what I've got." The man went away and the middle and north men resolved to get square.

After a short time had passed and several men were standing near the south sleigh, they both strolled leisurely down and took a part in the conversation. Finally one of them corralled the south man and the other button-holed a prospective buyer and whispered in his ear to come up to his sleigh and he could get "as nice a piece of beef as there was on the market and the price would be all right." And then the conversation with the south man abruptly ceased.

CORNWALL WOMAN LOOKING FOR MAN

Has Written Chief Roszel About Her Brother-in-Law.

Chief Roszel has received a letter from Mrs. Clara Perkins, of Cornwall, asking him if he has any information about John Lafare or Lafave, which ever it may be. The writing is not the most legible possible, and it may be one or the other. The writer is a sister-in-law of the the man she is looking for. It is learned that the chief is at present unacquainted with the individual referred to, nor does he know anything of his whereabouts.

HAIR TELLS CHARACTER.

Color of Hair Said to Indicate a Person's Temperament.

Many people believe that blonde or light hair denotes affection and dark hair constancy. A person without hair is not devoid of character, far from it. The Disposition of the average baldheaded man is to show such solicitude for the welfare of others, that he neglects himself. A germ causes baldness. Prof. Sabouraud of Paris, France, inoculated a rabbit with Dandruff germs, causing it to become totally bald in five weeks' time. To rid the scalp of these dangerous germs it is necessary to apply Newbro's Herpicide

Do the cause — you remove the effect."

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COURT CHEMONG OFFICERS TO BE INSTALLED TO-NIGHT

High Court Deputies, G. N. Brown and A. Bradshaw, who have been officially visiting Norwood and Rosemeath, respectively, arrived in the city this morning. They will be present at a meeting to-night of Court Chemong, 540 I. O. F. for the purpose of installing the officers elect of the Court. All members are urged to be present.

Tremendous Clearance

For A January Clean-up

Before Stock-Taking

At The Peterboro' Bookstore

Our Annual Price-cutting Sale before stock-taking has commenced. Many of our readers are familiar with our yearly habit of making Radical Reductions all over the store previous to stock-taking. This is a sale that has pleased everybody because it is a chance to economize and save money.

We Set a High-Water Mark for Each Day's Selling

The reductions in Books, Stationery and Fancy Goods will be unparalleled.

Heroic January Clean-Up

Odd Lines, Broken Lots and Ends of Broken Lots and Ends of Broken Lines left over after our heavy holiday selling. Perfectly new desirable goods, at marvellous reductions.

Playing Cards, Tally Cards and Evening Games

Will all be found in the bargain wave that has swept over the store.

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Hereafter the Peterborough Optical Institute closes at nine o'clock every Saturday night instead of ten as formerly, and 8 o'clock other evenings.

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BUILDING SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING

Officers Elected and Good Report Was Presented.

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Workingmen's Building and Savings Society was held last night at the Bank of Ottawa Chambers when the officers for 1909 were elected as follows:—

President — T. B. McGrath.
Vice-President — Jas. Lynch.
Secretary — John Corkery.
Treasurer — Jas. Murty.
Directors — Geo. Ball, M. Coughlin, J. Cunningham, R. Sheehy, E. A. Peck, Antony Murty, H. LeBrun, Fred. McFadden, Con. Gainey, W. M. Hinchcliffe and Fred Derocher.
Auditors — Jas. Drain and John Sullivan.

The report was most satisfactory, showing the society to be strong in every respect.

ON A PLEASURE TRIP AND BUSINESS COMBINED

Mr. W. J. Coleman, of Coleman Bros., Leaves for England.

W. J. Coleman, of the firm of Coleman Bros., left the city to-day for New York where he will sail on the White Star Liner "Celtic" bound for Liverpool. Mr. Coleman is combining business with pleasure as well as visiting his home in Wiltshire. He will stay some time in London for the purpose of gaining a month's experience with a well known firm of Caterers and Confectioners. On his return he will have the advantage of a week's experience in New York to get further knowledge of American work. This knowledge combined with the determination to still further improve the business in Peterborough, will be utilized for the benefit of this firm's patrons.

Mr. George Hutton, who has been with Coleman Bros. since September is taking full charge of the bake house in the absence of Mr. C. E. Coleman. Mr. Hutton was formerly in charge of a well known Dundee firm for 7 years.

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The amount of money there is thrown away on imperfect and unsuitable glasses which fail to give satisfaction to their wearers. : : : :

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THE C.O.F. OFFICERS WERE INSTALLED

Past High Chief Ranger F. J. Jamieson Performed the Ceremony.

Past High Chief Ranger F. J. Jameson, installed the following officers of Court Peterborough No. 29, C. O. F., at a recent meeting:

J. P. C. R.—George Hardwick.
C. R.—Wm. Whiteroft.
V. C. R.—Albert Long.
R. S.—Charles Stenton.
F. S.—H. Nesbitt.
Treas.—Frank Adams.
Chaplain—Gordon Carter.
S. W.—E. R. Menzies.
J. W.—W. Flannery.
S. B.—D. Menzies.
J. B.—Wm. Carter.
Court Physician—Dr. Eastwood.
Trustees—Jos. Metheral, George Stenton, Albert Carpenter.
Auditor—F. A. Coates.

The usual spread provided by the newly installed officers was followed by speech making.

MACBETH CLASS TO RESUME THIS EVENING

Mr. A. Mowat will resume the study of Macbeth with his large and enthusiastic class this evening.

The members of Mr. Mowat's class feel that this Thursday evening hour is one of great privilege and benefit. There are about fifty names on this class role, but there is still room in our large drawing room for others to enjoy with us this helpful hour.

Mr. Mowat will finish the study of Macbeth in two or three more lessons, when he will begin a series of lectures on "The Development of the English Novel." Remember the hour—eight o'clock sharp each Thursday.

The development of the spiritual life is the underlying purpose of all association work. No book will so richly repay study as the Bible. We desire to welcome many new faces to our Bible Circle, which meets each Friday evening at eight o'clock. We are following a series of character studies.

The Educational Committee is planning for new classes, which will be announced within a week.

THE DOMINION BANK.

To the rapidly-growing list of annual statements recently issued by financial institutions is added the exceptionally satisfactory exhibit of the Dominion Bank. Comparison with previous yearly reports by the same bank reveals the fact that, the increase in the paid-up capital by $134,795 during the year fractionally decreased the percentage of profits. The net profits were actually several thousand dollars greater than in the previous year, a very fine achievement in a year when general business experienced the contraction felt in the last twelve months. The profits were $641,318, or 16.25 per cent on the present paid-up capital of $3,983,392. The dividends at the rate of 12 per cent. took $473,462. $100,000 was written off bank premises account and a balance of $302,956 was carried to profit and loss. Last year $205,140 was carried forward. An amount of $148,274, the premium received on the new capital stock being carried to the reserve fund, increases that fund to $4,941,731, or a million dollars more than the paid-up capital. The great strength of the bank is best shown, however, at a glance at its assets. Cash assets are over ten million and immediately available assets $17,506,000, or 43 per cent. of the total liabilities to the public. The tendency of deposits to increase at the present time is emphasized in this instance by the growth in this item to a record level, total deposits by the public being nearly $38,000,000 or $3,700,000 above last year. At the same time the amount of bills discounted and advances current indicate a large and profitable business in hand. 1d'w

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The "Soo Loan Guarantee" Has Been Discharged In Full

The Balance of $1,000,000 Paid Provincial Treasurer by Canadian Improvement Company---Where Ross Government Deserves Credit.

As was intimated in the editorial columns of the Examiner yesterday, would be the case, the Province of Ontario has, according to the Globe, been relieved of all responsibility in connection with what is commonly known as "the Soo loan guarantee." Sir James Whitney last night received from Hon. Mr. Matheson, the Provincial Treasurer, who went to New York a few days ago in connection with the matter, the following telegram: "The Canadian Improvement Co. paid in $1,000,000, and the Morton Trust Co. gave a certificate that all guaranteed certificates are cancelled and the matter closed."

The guarantee of the Province was given in 1904 on a $2,000,000 loan to the Lake Superior Corporation during the crisis of 1904. The corporation has immense industries at Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., and the action of the ten Government in the year named in guaranteeing the loan gave the industries a new lease of life, and was indirectly an immense boon to the town.

Some time ago the Province was relieved of $1,000,000 of the guarantee, and the step outlined in Hon. Mr. Matheson's telegram relieves it of the rest.

As stated in The Globe of Monday, a large interest in the Lake Superior Corporation has been secured by Mr. Robert Fleming of Edinburgh and London, a financier of international repute, and Dr. F. S. Pearson, a famous engineer, will have charge of the industries. The developments of the last few days promise much for the future of the corporation and Sault Ste. Marie.

The above is very gratifying intelligence. Such a result at once illustrates the public-spirit and foresight of the Ross Government and justifies the prompt and patriotic action it took in the emergency of 1904. This action resulted in placing the Soo industries on their feet and has led to the present flourishing outlook under the recent change of proprietorship. But for this action the industries would, no doubt, have collapsed. The action of the Government was all the more creditable because it was taken in face of the dead weight of the hostility and pessimism of the Conservative Opposition of the day, and of the machinations of powerful United States interests concerned in in bringing about of the competition represented by the active operation of the great cluster of industries at Sault Ste. Marie. Now that the whole of the two millions covered by the guarantee has been paid, and the works are in operation with a flourishing future in sight, Sir James Whitney will look back with regret upon his pessimistic assertion that the money "might as well have been thrown into Lake Superior." Courage and foresight are two of the essentials of productive and constructive statesmanship.

Havelock Council Meets For First Time In The New Year

Examiner Special.

Havelock, Jan. 13 — Miss Edith McWilliams returned to her home in Marmora, Saturday, after a week's vacation in town, the guest of her sister, Miss Minnie McWilliams.

Mr. Culverwell, of Port Hope, spent a few days in town last week.

Mr. Pratt, of Smith's Falls, was in town on Saturday.

Miss French, of Campbellford, was the guest of Miss Carrie McKelvie for a few days last week.

Mr. Oscar Bracken, who has been dispatcher at Toronto since last Spring, is back again to Havelock filling the position as day operator, at the station here, in the vacancy caused by Mr. McCutcheon who has been transferred to Lindsay.

Miss Annie Smith has returned to town again, after a few weeks' vacation in her home at Campbellford.

Mr. Jas. E. Fowler was in Peterborough, on Monday, on business.

Miss Rayburn of Tweed, spent Sunday the guest of Miss Minnie McWilliams.

Misses Ada Holcombe and Anna Bryans spent Sunday last the guests of Miss Jennie Hickey, Marmora.

Miss Effie Fowler, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Fowler during the past week, returned to her home in Peterborough on Monday.

The death occurred on Saturday of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Clive O'Hara, aged three months. The funeral service was held at the house on Monday at 10.30 a.m., and from there the remains were taken to Perth (by noon train) for burial. The sympathy of the many friends is extended to the bereaved parents.

The sad death occurred on Monday morning of Mr. Caleb Bannon (an old resident of Belmont), after a long, lingering illnes. Deceased was sixty-five years of age and leaves to mourn his loss a wife, five sons and four daughters, to whom the sympathy of their many friends is extended. The funeral will take place on Wednesday from the family residence, Belmont, at 1.30 p.m., and from there to the Maple Grove cemetery for interment. Services will be conducted by Rev. Mr. Balfour, pastor of the Methodist Church, of which deceased was a life long member.

A number of the young people of town have received invitations to an "at home" in Marmora on Wednesday night, Jan. 13th, under the auspices of the young ladies of that place.

Miss Annie Smith of town, will hold a recital in the Opera House on the evening of January 25th.

Invitations have been issued to an "at home" under the auspices of the I. O. F., to be held on Wednesday night of next week, January 20th.

A number from town attended the Opera House at Peterborough on Monday night to witness "Paid in Full."

Mr. Jack Barlow, returned to Toronto on Monday, after an extended visit at his home in town.

Miss Gladys Cain returned home on Monday after three weeks' vacation with friends in the east.

Miss Sarah Martin returned home Monday from Sharbot Lake, where she spent the last week at her home.

The Council met on Monday night, Jan. 11th, at 7.30.

The following gentlemen, having taken the declaration of office, took their seats:—

Joseph Knox, Reeve; Geo. Phillips, Thos. Wood, W. A. McMaster, George Young councillors.

The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Councillor Griffith, of Belmont Township, addressed the Council in reference to use of Town Hall for Council meetings.

Moved by Councillor Phillips, seconded by Councillor Wood, that Belmont Council have Council Chamber for Council Meetings for balance of year for $10.00. Carried.

First reading of by-law to appoint officers, Wood and Young.

And, Wood and Young, Reeve in chair.

Moved by Young, seconded by Phillips, that J. W. Bryans be Clerk and Treasurer. Carried.

Moved by Phillips, seconded by Young, that H. T. Andrews be auditor.

Moved by Wood, seconded by McMaster, that E. Fennell be auditor.

3rd reading, Phillips and Wood.

Moved by Phillips, seconded by McMaster, that the following accounts be paid:—

Mr. Spencer, 1 cord wood, $4.50; J. Brooks, 1 1-2 $5.00; P. Lancaster, by-law ballot, $2.50. Carried.

Moved by Young, seconded by Wood, that Council adjourn until Wednesday Jan. 13, at 7.30 p.m.

An "at home" will be given by a number of the young men of town on Thursday evening of this week in the Opera House.

A meeting in the interest of a club for the young men of town was held in the Town Hall on Monday night.

Latest Local News From Lakefield; Many Holiday Visitors There

Examiner Special.

Mrs. Gilbert, who has been spending the Christmas holidays with friends in Toronto, returned to the Grove on Friday last.

Mr. William Young, of Davidson, Sask., arrived in the village last week to visit at his home in Smith.

Miss Traill was the guest of Mrs. F. J. Tate for a few days last week.

Mr. R. S. Merifield, who has been here for some time employed in the G.T.R. Station, returned to his home at Cannington on Tuesday last.

Rev. A. W. and Mrs. Mackenzie returned home on Tuesday, after spending a few days visiting Mr. Mackenzie's parents, Ven. Archdeacon and Mrs. Mackenzie, at Brantford.

Mrs. F. Arnoldi, of Toronto, arrived on Saturday last to spend a few days at "Harborne," the guest of Mrs. F. J. Tate.

Mr. G. Evans Atwood, of Peterborough, was in the village on Friday last, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Atwood.

Miss Jones, of London, Eng., is the guest of Rev. A. W. and Mrs. Mackenzie at the Grove.

Rev. C. R. Spencer, of Young's Point, was in the village on Monday.

Mr. James Quinn, of Brampton, spent a few days last week in the village.

Mrs. P. Wade Strickland, of Rock Island, Ill., is visiting Mrs. F. J. Tate, at "Harborne."

Mr. and Mrs. D. Sabatino and Miss Jennie Sabatino spent a few days last week in Toronto.

The Grove School re-opened on Monday, Jan. 11th, for the Easter term.

The annual Christmas treat of St. John's Baptist Church Sunday School took place on Saturday last. It consisted this year of a sleigh drive to Young's Point and back again instead of the Christmas tree and entertainment usually held. Tea at the Rectory awaited them on their return, and prizes were awarded to the successful scholars for work done during the past year. Candies and oranges were also distributed among them all, and their bright happy faces as they trudged homewards plainly showed that their outing had been a most enjoyable one.

Messrs. A. Murphy and P. Johnston of Bethany, spent a few days last week in the village.

Mr. John Swan, of Pittsburg, Pa., who was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Tate for a few days returned home on Tuesday last.

The Women's Auxiliary and Parish Workers both resume their meetings at the Rectory this week.

Messrs. R. C. Strickland and E. R. Tate were in Peterborough on Tuesday last.

Miss Dorothy Hilliard is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dela Fosse in Peterborough.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 25 cents each insertion in either the Daily or Weekly Examiner.

BIRTHS.

TRUSSLER — In Peterborough, Jan. 14, 1909, the wife of Mr. J. Trussler, 367 Westcott street, of a daughter.

APPLICATION TO PARLIAMENT.

An Application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario at its next session, by the Peterborough Radial Railway Company, for an Act extending the time for the completion of the Company's Railway, and authorizing the Company to construct an extension of this Railway from Clear Lake, through the Township of Douro and the Township of Dummer or the Township of Smith, to a point on Stony Lake in the County of Peterborough.

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MATHESON COMPLETES TASK

Provincial Treasurer, Who Has Been In New York Conducting Negotiations Regarding Canadian Improvement Co. and Soo Corporation, Wires That Certificates Are Finally Cancelled.

Toronto, Jan. 14.—Hon. Col. Matheson, Provincial Treasurer, has been in New York for several days taking part in the arrangements by which the affairs of the Canadian Improvement Co. and the Soo Corporation are being settled up.

It will be remembered that one-half of the amount guaranteed by the province was paid off some time ago, leaving the provincial liability at $1,000,000.

Last night Sir James Whitney received the following telegram from Col. Matheson:

"The Canadian Improvement Co. paid in $1,000,000 and Morton Trust Co. gave certificate that all guaranteed certificates are cancelled and the matter closed."

"This," said James Whitney, "puts an end to the provincial liability and the Provincial Treasurer deserves great credit for the pains he has bestowed upon this matter from the beginning, ending in the satisfactory result above mentioned."

SHOULD BE FRENCHMAN.

L'Action Sociale Speaks Regarding Forget's Successor.

Montreal, Jan. 14.—The announcement that Lieutenant-Governor Forget of Saskatchewan may be called to the Senate in place of the late Senator Bernier of St. Boniface, has caused a good deal of comment in the Quebec press.

L'Action Sociale, the Quebec clerical organ, not only wants the vacancy caused by the death of Senator Bernier filled by a French-Canadian, but that journal also wants the governorship to go to a French candidate.

L'Action Sociale says they do not want to raise the race cry, but simply to ask that they shall retain their position in the west.

The French, the paper says, were the first to occupy the great west, and they should count for something in the opinion of the paper.

A Vain Sacrifice.

London, Jan. 14.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—Col. George T. Denison, Toronto, writes The Standard with reference to Great Britain's marked loss of prestige in Canada, in the last seven years:

The feeling is general, he says, that the Canadian blood shed in South Africa was a vain sacrifice to aid the Empire which is too feebly governed to profit by such loyal devotion.

If Britain does not soon reciprocate the preference, or at least take measures to protect herself from impending disaster, Canada may be induced to play her own business game.

Tennessee Votes "Dry."

Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 14.—The bill to prohibit the sale of all intoxicating liquors in Tennessee passed the lower House of the General Assembly last night by a vote of 62 to 34.

The measure now goes to Governor Patterson, who, it is expected, will veto it. Under the constitution, his veto only acts as a suggestion, not as a stay, and a bare majority may pass a bill over the executive's unfavorable action.

The bill provides that prohibition become effective July 1, 1909.

Professor of Aeronautics.

Goettingen, Germany, Jan. 14.—The first aeronautical professorship in the world has been founded by the University of Goettingen and Dr. Ludwig Prandl of the mathematical and physical faculty has been assigned as professor.

J. Lorne McDougall Dying.

Ottawa, Jan. 14.—J. Lorne McDougall, for many years auditor-general of the Dominion, suffered a second stroke of paralysis last evening. His condition is serious, his physicians holding out but little hope for his recovery.

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ROOFER IS KILLED.

One Man Dies and Another Is Hurt at Newmarket.

Toronto, Jan. 14.—John Hoy, 35 years, married, 221 Maria street, West Toronto, a foreman tinsmith, is dead and John Trempe, 25 years married, 254 Sydenham street, a helper, is in so critical a condition at the General Hospital, that an ante-mortem statement was taken last night.

This is the result of the collapse of a roofer's scaffolding on the new Friends' College, in course of construction at Newmarket, at four o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The two men had been at work upon the sub-contract of A. Matthews, who was putting on the slates and tin work of the roof.

They were finishing up the slater's work, which had been left two weeks ago, and, according to Trempe, were at a point of 25 feet from the edge of the roof, using the scaffold tackle that the slaters had used when this gave way. The men slipped to the eaves and unable to stop their flight, dropped 50 feet to the ground.

Hoy's right arm was broken and three ribs were crushed, one of these puncturing his lung, causing a severe internal hemorrhage.

Trempe's left thigh was broken and his right arm was fractured. Both suffered severely from shock.

Trempe was met at the Union Station by a private ambulance and hurried to the General Hospital. Hoy's body was sent to Harry Ellis' College street undertaking rooms. Dr. Scott, who is a coroner, communicated with County Crown Attorney Drayton, who did not decide as to the necessity of an inquest, but ordered the taking of a statement from Trempe, which was done.

Hoy is an Englishman. He, with Trempe, who is a Canadian, had been employed by the Matthews' firm for two years.

He leaves a widow and one little girl, four years old.

Did He Slay Brother?

North Bay, Jan. 14.—Maurice Ryan, awaiting trial here on a charge of highway robbery, was served yesterday with information charging him with the murder of his brother on or about Nov. 6, 1907. The preliminary hearing begins before Police Magistrate Weegar this morning.

The body of the murdered man was well concealed under brush and leaves in a wild, uncleared covering, which had hidden the remains for nearly a year, before the crime was revealed.

Detective Greer has secured a striking piece of evidence in the form of a Traders' Bank check with the name of Joseph Ryan forged to it. It was made out for $200 against a bank at Tupper Lake, New York State.

Lives Lost In Fire.

Ottawa, Jan. 14.—Annie, aged five; Elisabeth, aged three, the two children of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. O'Neill, Armstrong street, were burned to death at three o'clock yesterday morning.

When the temperature was 15 degrees below zero fire broke out. The father, sleeping downstairs, rushed up and managed to save his wife, though both were badly burned about the hands and head.

The place was a frame structure and burned rapidly. Wm. Marriott, his wife and four children occupied one part of it, but all escaped safely, though their possessions were burned, including Marriott's cork leg.

Messina Is Rebuilding.

Messina, Jan. 14.—While thousands still are buried under ruins, any signs of revival of the city are greeted with enthusiasm by the survivors. A fruit merchant, who was the first to reship yesterday a hundred cases of oranges, lemons and other fruit for the far east, was saluted like a hero, while the appearance of two cabs on the streets was considered an historic event.

Amid the ruins of the city, villages of huts are springing up. One of these villages includes not less than three thousand huts, extending for a distance of two miles.

To Appeal Against Sentence.

Washington, D.C., Jan. 14.—The appeal from the recent decision of Judge Wright in sentencing Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison to jail for contempt will be vigorously pressed and a call for funds for that purpose will shortly be issued by the American Federation of Labor.

This action was decided upon at a conference here yesterday between the executive council of the federation and Alton B. Parker of New York, chief counsel for the federation officials.

Another 'Quake In Italy.

Rome, Jan. 14.—A slight earthquake was experienced early yesterday morning throughout Lombary, Venetia and Tuscany. No damage was done and no one was injured, but wild panics occurred.

According to the reports of the observatories, the centre of the disturbance was near Leimbach, Austria.

The 'quake was strongest in Italy at Trevise, 16 miles north of Venice.

Accident Fatal.

Tamworth, Ont., Jan. 14.—Fred. Coughlin of this place, the young man who had his leg taken off by a tree falling on it last week, died yesterday morning. He leaves a young widow and a boy five years old.

Unknown Killed by Train.

Ottawa, Jan. 14.—The dead body of a man, partly frozen, was found on the G.T.R. tracks yesterday morning, a few miles from Madawaska. A hat was found on the fender of an eastbound train.

MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Close Lower, Chicago Higher—Live Stock —Latest Quotations.

Wednesday Evening, Jan. 13.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day ¾d to ⅞d lower than yesterday, and corn closed ¼d lower.

At Chicago May wheat closed 1⅛c higher than yesterday; May corn closed ⅛c higher, and May oats closed unchanged.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—January 99⅛c bid, July $1.02⅞ bid. May $1.01⅛ bid.

Oats—January 37¼c bid, May 41⅛c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	90 to $....
Wheat, red, bush	0 ....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 ....
Rye, bushel	0 ....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 ....
Peas, bushel	0 ....
Barley, bushel	0 ....
Oats, bushel	0 ....

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 ....
Butter, store lots	0 ....
Butter, creamery, solids	0 ....
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 ....
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 ....
Eggs, cold storage	0 ....
Cheese, large, lb	0 ....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 ....
Honey, extracted	0 ....
Honey, combs, dozen	0 ....

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 13.—Closing—Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 9½d; futures, steady; March, 7s 9½d; May, 7s 8½d. Corn, spot, steady; new American mixed, via Galveston, 4s 6d; futures, steady; Jan., 4s 8½d; March, 4s 8½d; May, 4s 9½d. Lard, prime western, in tierces, firm, 48s 6d; American refined, in pails, firm, 49s 6d.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 12.—Butter, steady, unchanged; receipts, 4,324.

Cheese—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 1,553.

Eggs, firm; receipts, 21,137; western firsts, 34c to 35½c (official price 32c); seconds, 31c to 33c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Remain Firm—Hogs Again Lower at Buffalo.

LONDON, Jan. 13.—London cables for cattle are steady, at 12c to 14½c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9½c to 9¾c per lb.

Montreal Live Stock.

MONTREAL, Jan. 13.—At the Canadian Pacific Live Stock Market this morning the offerings were 600 cattle, 225 sheep and lambs, 625 hogs and 50 calves. The weather was all that could be desired for this trade, it being good and cold; consequently buyers generally were in good humor and showed a disposition to operate freely in cattle; in consequence an active trade was done, as the supply was just about large enough to go around. The undertone to the market was firm, and the advance in prices noted on Monday was fully maintained. Choice beeves sold at 5½c; good at 4¾c to 5c; fair at 4c to 4½c; common at 3½c to 3¾c, and inferior at 2c to 3c per lb.

There was no change in the condition of the market for sheep and lambs, prices being firm under a good demand and small offerings. Sheep sold at 3¾c to 4c, and lambs at 5½c to 6c per lb. A few odd extra choice lambs brought as high as 6c per lb. There continues to be a very firm feeling in the market for hogs, owing to the limited supplies coming forward and the good demand for the same from packers, and sales of selected lots were made at $7 to $7.25 per 100 lbs., weighted off the cars. The demand for calves was fair at prices ranging from $3 to $10 each, according to size and quality.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Jan. 13.—Cattle—Steady; prime steers, $5.60 to $5.75. Veals—Receipts, 300 head; active and 25c higher, $7 to $10.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,000 head; slow; pigs and yorkers, 10c to 15c lower; others, 5c to 10c higher; heavy, $6.50 to $6.65; mixed, $6.30 to $6.40; yorkers, $6.75 to $6.85; pigs, $6.50 to $6.65; roughs, $5.40 to $5.65.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 4,000 head; active; sheep, steady; lambs, 15c to 25c higher; lambs, $5 to $8.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Beeves—Receipts, 1574; steers, slow and 10c lower; bulls and cows, steady to strong; steers, $5.25 to $7; oxen and stags, $3.50 to $5; bulls, $3.60 to $4.80; cows, $1.20 to $4.50.

Calves—Receipts, 1238; veals, firm; barnyard calves, steady; western calves, nominal; veals, $8 to $10.50; culls, $5 to $5.50; barnyard calves, $3 to $4.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 12,877; full, steady; sheep, $3 to $5; lambs, $5.75 to $8.

Hogs—Receipts, 6709; feeling a trifle firm; quotations, $6 to $6.25 for light to heavy hogs; pigs, included.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Jan. 13.—Cattle—Receipts, 18,000; market steady to strong; steers $4.65 to $7.25; cows, $3 to $5.50; heifers, $3 to $5.75; bulls, $3.40 to $4.50; calves, $3.50 to $10; stockers and feeders, $3.50 to $5.15.

Hogs—Receipts, 22,000; market 10c to 15c advance; choice heavy shipping, $6.30 to $6.40; butchers, $6.20 to $6.35; light mixed, $5.75 to $6.20; choice light, $5.95 to $6.10; packing, $5.90 to $6.15; pigs, $4.50 to $5.50; bulk of sales, $5.90 to $6.20.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 15,000; market for lambs steady, but for sheep weak; sheep, $4 to $6; lambs, $5.25 to $8; yearlings, $4.25 to $7.25.

New Novitiate Near Toronto.

Toronto, Jan. 14.—The Christian Brothers are negotiating for a large property on the Kingston road, very near St. John's Church, Norway, which, it is expected, will pass into the hands of the order. The price is to be $30,000 and the land will be used as a site for a novitiate or preparatory school for young men contemplating joining the Brothers.

Editor Sent to Jail.

Plattsburg, N.Y., Jan. 14.—Geo. W. Harper, who was convicted of criminal libel Tuesday night, was sentenced yesterday to 30 days in prison and to pay a fine of $500.

Harper's conviction was for publishing in The Champlain Counsellor, of which he is editor, charges against Collector of Customs John F. O'Brien.

Text Books a Nuisance.

London, Jan. 14.—Dr. Bovey, addressing the Mathematical Association, thought text-books and examinations an unmitigated nuisance, if perhaps necessary. They were being abandoned in America as much as possible. He expressed a high opinion of mathematics as mental discipline.

U. S. Pension Decrease.

Washington, Jan. 14.—An appropriation of $161,018,000 for pensions was agreed on yesterday by the committee on appropriations in the drafting of the annual pension appropriation bill. This amount is over $2,000,000 less than the appropriation last year.

Labor Organizer In Quebec.

Ottawa, Jan. 14.—The executive council of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada have renewed the engagement of John G. O'Donoghue as their solicitor for 1909. It was also decided to place an organizer in the province of Quebec.

Silk Train on Fire.

Medicine Hat, Jan. 14.—A rear-end collision is reported at Tompkins, Sask. A million-dollar silk train is said to be on fire.

Sunday Cars In Alberta.

Edmonton, Alta., Jan. 14.—A deputation of the City Council interviewed the Government with reference to Sunday street car operation, which last session was expressly forbidden by statute.

The Government gave assurance that the law would be amended to permit Sunday operation, provided a majority of ratepayers declared themselves in favor thereof.

May Live on Reserve.

Montreal, Jan. 14.—Hormisdah Perrault, the French-Canadian who has an Indian wife living at Caughnawaga, had a judgment rendered in his favor in the Police Court yesterday. Perrault had been in the habit of going down to see his wife, but this, according to Judge Bazin, did not make him a resident.

Nine Years For Forgery.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 14.—Julius K. Dillman arrested here last week for forgery, and wanted in many cities throughout the United States on the same charge, pleaded guilty here yesterday and was sentenced to serve nine years in the penitentiary.

U.S.-Jap Immigration.

Washington Jan. 14.—During the 12 months ended Nov. 1 last, the total number of Japanese admitted to the United States was 6,017, and the total number which left the United States was 5,833, an increase in the Japanese population of 185.

Trees Scarce In America.

Washington, Jan. 14.—"The time is coming in this country when trees will be as scarce as diamonds unless immediate steps are taken to preserve our forests."

This was the dark picture painted in an address by Secretary of Agriculture Wilson at the 28th annual meeting of the American Forestry Association here yesterday. The secretary declared that our forest growth is getting scarcer and scarcer every day and that we are using three times as much wood as we are growing.

Hon. Mr. Graham Denies Story.

Ottawa, Jan. 14.—Hon. George P. Graham emphatically denies the story to the effect that Mackenzie and Mann have bought the Intercolonial.

No negotiations for sale or lease have taken place and no offer has been received, he says.

J. E. Walsh, transportation manager of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, on behalf of the association, waited on the Minister yesterday to advise against selling or leasing the road.

Condemned Man Now a Father.

Toronto, Jan. 14.—The wife of Stephen Swyryda, the Galician who is to be hanged at Brampton on Feb. 11 for the murder of a young fellow-countryman at Erindale, has given birth to a child.

The woman is living in the city in very poor circumstances. Efforts are still being made to have the death sentence commuted.

Carmichael Often Mesmerized.

Wellsburg, W.Va., Jan. 14.—Rev. John Carmichael wrote his brother, M. C. Carmichael, of this place, in part:

"I have now shipped you a little package containing something. If any of these can be published so that the family may get the good of them, it might help a little in their living."

It is stated here that as a boy the dead man was often easily mesmerized, and that he had a horror of hypnotism.

Truce In Chinese Feud.

San Francisco, Jan. 14.—Merchants in the Chinese quarter, who have Tong affiliations, had their doors open yesterday for the first time in several weeks. The two warring organizations, the Sue Don and the On Yick, have signed a truce which is to hold until Feb. 10, or 20 days after the Chinese New Year. The war has paralyzed business.

Light Plant Has Surplus.

Kingston, Jan. 14.—The civic light plant will show a slight surplus for 1908. The year stands as a most strenuous one, in view of reduced rates, increased taxes and general repairs.

Carrie Nation Arrested.

Newcastle-on-Tyne, Eng., Jan. 14.—Carrie Nation, the American anti-saloon crusader, was arrested here yesterday while engaged in a raid on a saloon. She was released on bail.

Thirty-Five Recovered.

Bluefield, W.Va., Jan. 14.—Thirty-five bodies have been taken from the mine at Lickbranch.

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RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

LINDSAY RINKS IN THE FINALS OF THE PRIMARY EVENT OF BIG 'SPIEL; LITTLE DEFEATS FLAVELLE IN FINAL

When play in the big local bonspiel was brought to a close last night only two of the twenty-eight rinks which started on Tuesday afternoon were left in the running for the primary prizes, and they were from that headquarters of good curlers, Lindsay. Skip Flavelle and Skip Little, of Lindsay, fought their way through the various rounds to face each other in the finals this morning. The games yesterday were keenly contested, and that the bonspiel has been one of the most successful ever held here is conceded on all sides.

Considerable progress was made yesterday and last night with the Consolation contest, and the probabilities are that the event will be over to-night.

Great interest was taken in the bonspiel yesterday, and there were many spectators present throughout the day, while at night several hundred people followed the play.

Peterborough's last chance to figure in the primary finals faded yesterday afternoon, when Skip A. Moore was badly beaten by Skip Dobson, of Beaverton, to the tune of 20—5, while the veteran Skip W. A. Read, of Bobcaygeon, defeated J. H. Connell, by 14—11. Little, of Lindsay, proved "too good for Skip Togood, of Orillia, defeating the northerners by 14 shots to 8, while at the same time Skip Flavelle, of Lindsay, was demonstrating the secret of his success at Winnipeg by beating the well known Napanee curler, Skip Ham, by 14—10, in an interesting game.

This left two Lindsay rinks, Beaverton and Bobcaygeon in the semi-finals, and the draw was made as follows for the game last night:

Flavelle, of Lindsay, vs. Read, of Bobcaygeon.

Little, of Lindsay, vs. Dobson, of Beaverton.

A big crowd of interested spectators was on hand for the semi-finals, and the chief interest settled in the battle between Flavelle and Read, both tankard winners. They had a beautiful game, in which the curling was at times brilliant and always interesting, and the good plays of the two rinks were enthusiastically cheered by the big gallery, which followed the progress of the game.

The Bobcaygeon rink played carefully and steadily at the beginning, getting a shot on each of the first two ends. Flavelle's men tied the score with a two-end in the third, but the quartette from Little Bob came back with a one and then a two end, and were three to the good at the end of the fifth. Flavelle won the sixth with one shot, but Read's four retaliated by taking one on the seventh, maintaining their lead of three. The complexion of affairs was changed in the ninth, however, when Skip Flavelle, by raising a guard with his last stone changed a majority of one for 'Caygeon into three for himself and tied the score.

This was the exciting stage of the game, with both sides doing steady, careful curling. Read succeeded in scoring a two-end in the ninth, but Flavelle repeated the feat in the next and the two were still tied, with four ends to play. Flavelle, however, by splendid curling got one in both the eleventh and twelfth and cinched the game with three in the thirteenth. Lindsay were lying three, and although Read had a chance to draw in, his last stone was heavy and did not change the situation. Read threw caution to the winds in the last end when needing five to win he tried to build up a big end. He was lying three when Flavelle played his first stone, getting shot with a nice draw. Reid wasted his first shot and Flavelle drew in another. Reid made a pretty attempt with his last stone but only succeeded in taking out one stone, leaving Lindsay one up on the end and six on the game. It was a splendid game and both rinks are to be congratulated. The personnel of the rinks was as follows—

Lindsay	Bobcaygeon
F Williams	C Dickson
W Williams	W T C Boyd
R H Cubbert	J T Robinson
J D Flavelle—14	W J Reid—8

By ends—

Lindsay	—	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	1	— 14
Bobcaygeon	—	1	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	— 5

Little Beat Dobson

Meanwhile over across the rink Geo Little of Lindsay was qualifying for the finals by beating A. Dobson of Beaverton in an interesting game which was however marked by considerable loose play, big ends being a feature. The Lindsay quartette won by 18 to 10 and were never in serious difficulty, Beaverton, who had played several brilliant games throughout the spell, being off colour that night. Little started out with one in the first and two in the second and was never collared afterwards. Beaverton won the third by one but dropped the next two by the same margin and then after winning the sixth with one let Little get away with a three end in the seventh and Lindsay were six to the good. Two in the eighth and one in the ninth improved Beaverton's stock a little but they were set back in the tenth when Lindsay piled up a five end. Nothing daunted Beaverton came back with a majority of four in the next end, only to lose the twelfth by three. The thirteenth fell to Beaverton by one shot, but Lindsay lay two on the last end winning out by 18-10. The rinks and score by ends were as follows—

Lindsay		Beaverton
W G Reesor		M Roach
M H Sisson		W. Dobson
T Burke...		L Birchard
G A Little—18		A Dobson — 10

Lindsay	—	1	2	0	1	1	0	3	0	1 — 18
Beaverton	—	0	0	1	0	0	2	1	6	0 — 10

Following were the scores in the primary competition yesterday.

Afternoon Games

Toogood, Orillia —8	vs.	Little, Lindsay —14	
Dobson, Beav. —20	vs.	Moore, Pet. —8	
Ham, Napanee —10	vs.	Flavelle, Lin. 14	
Reid, Bob —14	vs.	J H Connal, Pet. —11	

Evening Games at 8

Little, Lind. —18	vs.	Dobson, Beav. —10	
Flavelle, Lind. —14	vs.	Reid, Bob. — 8	

Little won the Final

The final game in the primary in the curling bonspiel this morning between the two Lindsay rinks skipped by Messrs. Flavelle and Little was intensely interesting and was followed by a large gallery of spectators. The play was of a see-saw nature all the way, but Little's men curled brilliantly in the last few ends and won out by a score of 18—14.

The rinks were as follows:

Lindsay.	Lindsay.
E Williams	W G Reesor
W. Williams	Mit Sisson
R H Cubbert	T Burke
J D Flavelle, sk.14	G A Little, sk.18

Consolation

The games this morning in the fourth round of the consolation were very interesting. They resulted as follows:

Lindsay.	Peterborough.
L V O'Connor, 14.	G L Giroux, 16.

Peterborough.	Peterborough.
W G Morrow, 13.	D Davidson, 12.

Peterborough.	Napanee.
J H Connal, 9.	G S Ham, 12.

The semi-finals are being played this afternoon, Skip O'Connor of Lindsay, being drawn against Skip Morrow, of Peterborough, and G S Ham, of Napanee, against W. J Read, of Bobcaygeon.

BELLEVILLE CONFIDENT OF WINNING BIG GAME WITH LOCALS TO-MORROW

To-morrow night's intermediate O. H.A. game between Belleville and Peterborough is arousing considerable excitement and there is every indication of an old time crowd being on hand to see the old rivals in action against each other once again. Belleville, nothing daunted by their defeat at the hands of Lindsay are coming here to-morrow night with the firm determination of beating Peterborough here and then going on and beating Lindsay on their own ice. The Dead City team have always been noted for their determination and with the strong team that Dr. Gilbert has rounded into shape there is every reason to expect that they will prove very awkward adversaries here to-morrow night. Most of the good little junior team which represented Belleville several years ago are playing intermediate now and they are said to be a classy bunch of puck chasers. The team that will represent Peterborough to-morow night will however, prove a surprise not only to Belleville but to the local fans, as a very strong seven in the pink of condition will be sent out to do battle for the locals and the crowd will have something to root for. It should prove a hard fought, interesting game from start to finish and will be well worth seeing. Any one who enjoys good hockey cannot afford to miss to-morrow night's game, which will be one of the events of the season. The old rivalry between Belleville and Peterborough is helping to swell the interest in the event.

THE CITY LEAGUE TEAMS HAVE STRENGTHENED LINE-UPS FOR TO-NIGHT

The fans are taking great interest in the City League games to-night The Lakefield team is proving a drawing card as the team from the north always have lots of friends in Peterborough who admire the many plucky expeditions they have made after the Stratton trophy To-night the Cementville seven will clash with the Belmonts in the first game, and it should prove a fine exhibition throughout The Belmonts have several changes in their line up from the team that represented them last week and they are confidently looking for a victory as they are in much better shape than they were seven days ago. Leo Quinn, Harry Simpson, Gordon Nicholls and other well known players are on the Lakefield line up and they will undoubtedly prove an awkward proposition. it should be a game well worth seeing.

The Belmonts will line up as follows—

Goal—Thornton.
Point—Myers
Cover—Ecclestone.
Rover—Wilson
Centre—Elliott
Right Wing—Taylor
Left Wing - Waram

The second game will bring together the champion Strathconas and the T A S and one of the best games in the league to date should be the result, as both teams are in the best of shape and it will be hard, fast hockey all the way. The Abstainers will have a stronger line up than last week and threaten to make things interesting for the High Commissioners, who are going on their third year of City League hockey without a defeat. Manager Deanutro's Pets are going to break the long string of victories to-night if possible and the fans will see a struggle that they will long remember.

The Straths team committee has selected the following team to represent them against the T A S—

Goal—Wilson.
Point—Smith
Cover Point—Dusty
Rover—Ray.
Centre—Long.
Right Wing—Seymour.
Left Wing—McMillan.

Before the senior games there will be a Junior League fixture that should prove a splendid exhibition as the opposing teams are the Chieftains and the T A S juniors. It will be the first appearance of Manager Jack Trimbeck's crack little team and their playing will be watched with interest. The Abstainers have a lively aggregation of players wearing their colours and it will be a good game throughout.

The Chieftains will line up as followers—

Goal—Lees
Point—Munro
Cover—Wallis
Rover—Cran.
Centre—Hall
Right Wing—Burritt
Left Wing—Fortye.

Geo Lynch will referee the senior games and S. W. Ross the junior contest.

PRAISE FOR THE GENTLEMANLY BEHAVIOUR OF WHITTY'S TEAM

That the Edmonton hockey team, by their conduct while in Montreal, evidently made a good impression on those with whom they came in contact, is evidenced by the following letter under date of January 2nd, received by ex-Mayor McDougall from A. S. McLeary, manager of the Corona Hotel, Montreal:—

"My dear sir — The Edmonton hockey team left here yesterday for Ottawa, and it was with a feeling of regret that I saw them go. I have been in the hotel business for some years, and I have never yet seen a more orderly or respectful lot of young men in any house where I have been. You, sir, as mayor of Edmonton, should feel proud to have such favourable impressions left behind by the representatives of your city, and I am more than sorry they were not successful in taking the Stanley Cup with them. However, the season has just begun, and possibly later on they may return, and I have no doubt but that they will give a better account of themselves. I sincerely hope they will have as pleasant a recollection of their visit at the "Corona" as I have. Wishing you the compliments of the season, I am, yours very truly,

A. S. McLEAN,
Manager."

JUNIOR O.H.A. RACE IS INTERESTING

Any of the Clubs in the District Has Still a Chance to Win.

There is a very pretty race going just now in this district of the junior O H A and it would take a pretty good doperter to pick the winner. Tuesday night's games when Peterborough trimmed Whitby and Cobourg put it over Oshawa, changed the situation somewhat and almost any one of the teams has a chance to win out. Peterborough will journey to Cobourg to-morrow night and a victory there will help them considerably in the race. The boys are in good shape and playing fine hockey just now and with any kind of luck should win the contest, which will boost their standing.

Following is the record for the district—

	won	lost	to play
Port Hope	2	1	5
Whitby	2	1	5
Peterboro	2	2	4
Cobourg	2	2	4
Oshawa	0	2	6

GAUNTLET THROWN AT LITTLE PETES

Midgets Will Claim Return Game by Default.

There are signs of disruption in the local Buster Brown League. The Midgets loudly claim that the Little Pets are afraid to play a return game for fear of being defeated. On New Year's day they trimmed the Midgets by 4-3 and since then the latter have been clamouring for another game. The Pets have steered clear of this however and on occasions when the return had been arranged for they failed to appear. If they do not play his second game the Midgets claim it by default. The supporters of the latter are willing to put up all kinds of money that their septette can trim the Little Pets.

PETERBORO' HORSES AT LINDSAY RACES

Hurkland and Patterson Made Good Showing Yesterday in Ice Events

Lindsay, Jan. 13.—The races to-day were run off on a fast ice track and were attended by a large crowd. They proved very exciting. Maud Keswick was the only horse entered in the free for all, as the owners of the others did not wish to enter in a sure defeat race. The management of the meet offered the owner of Keswick a purse of $50 if the mare broke the track ice record of 2.20. This the mare did, doing the mile in 2.17.

Named Race

Hurkland; Nicholls, Lakefield.2 1 1 1
Molly K.; Murray, Downeyville.....5 2 2 2
Sam Hal; Sam Hallett, Sunderland.....1 5 3 3
Lapidist Smiler; Geo. Barry, Minden.....3 5 5 5
Best time—1.07 1-4.

2.22 Class

Ideal; J. Rombough, Wingham.1 1 1
King Bryson; Sam McBride, Toronto.....2 2 2
Sweetheart; H. Laidel, Cooks-town.....3 3 4
Patterson; Jones, Peterborough.4 4 3
Best time—2.24.

HASTINGS RACES END OF NEXT WEEK

Two Days of Good Sport Promised in the Village on 21st and 22nd.

Next Thursday and Friday two days of horse racing will be seen at the Hastings track. There will be four events, one named race, a free for all, 2.20 class and 2.30 class. The purses aggregate $75.00 more than last year and two days of good sport are looked forward to.

JUNIOR TEAMS FOR COBOURG

The Peterborough Juniors will be without the services of Capt. Ray in the Junior O. H. A. game at Cobourg to-morrow night. The team committee has decided that it will be better to hold the speedy little rover for use on the Intermediate team against Belleville here to-morrow night, feeling that the Port Hope Junior game away from home is more important than to-morrow's game with Cobourg. However, the team that will go down to-morrow will be strong and should beat Cobourg, even on their own ice, as the boys are in the best of shape and will put up the game of their lives. The following team will represent Peterborough:

Goal—L. Giroux.
Point—Wide.
Cover—Pentland.
Rover—Short.
Centre—C. Giroux.
Right Wing—Porter.
Left Wing—Hillier or Gorham.

The above eight players are asked to be at the G. T. R. station to-morrow morning at 11.45 to Cobourg and are asked to bring with them blue sweaters. Messrs. Metheral and Milburn will accompany the team to Cobourg.

PETERBOROUGH TEAM AGAINST BELLEVILLE

The team that will represent Peterborough against Belleville in the Intermediate O. H. A. game here to-morrow night will be picked from the following players:

Wasson, Derocher, Glover, Moore, Ray, Long, Rose, Dusty and Parnell. The team will practice between six and seven o'clock to-night in final preparation for the game.

SHRUBB WANTS HIS $5,000 NOW

New York, Jan. 13.—It was learned from a reliable source last night that Matthew Maloney, the holder of the world's record and a winner of the recent amateur Marathon race, has been tempted by the offers of a large purse, and will soon turn professional. It is said that he has accepted Promoter Pat Powers' guarantee of $5,000, win or lose, to race the Indian, Tom Longboat, over the Marathon distance at the garden some time in April. Maloney is scheduled to compete for a trophy in the Brooklyn Seagate Marathon, to be run on Lincoln's birthday, and will then desert the amateur ranks.

It was learned, in this connection that the Shrubb-Longboat race will probably be called off on account of the demands of the English crack that he receive $5,000 as his share for the race, whether he defeats the Indian or not.

Shrubb is Master

Tom Flanagan is of the opinion that the Shrubb-Longboat Marathon scheduled for Jan. 26th in New York may never be run, but that Shrubb may get on some ten or fifteen mile races with the Indian instead.

Shrubb evidently figures that, with Flanagan out of the way, and with Powers looking only at the business end of it, he can almost have his own way, and, as the day of the big race draws closer, he is beginning to get nervous, with the ultimate result that he may demand a change.

THEY WERE EASY FOR LINDSAY TEAM

The Cobourg seven were the victims last night.

The Lakeside outfit proved false alarms and were beaten by the Midgets by the whitewash score — 10-0. The second nick in the post didn't take much effort on the part of the Lindsay team, and as yet not a goal has been scored against them.

Of course Cobourg has the excuse that three of their men, McCallum, Payne, and Bulger, were off and the team thus weakened considerably. Excuses are good enough to offer the general public but they don't go with the O.H.A. officials.

The game was a rough and ready affair and lots of mixing it up kept the affair from being tame. The penalty time-keepers were called upon to work overtime and sentences were imposed upon offenders by Judge Al. Clarke many times. Such little trivialities as taking a man's feet from under him with one fell swoop were part of the routine.

Then Koyl and Bentley and Crossen and Taylor seemed to have private feuds of their own and took a tilt at each other when opportunity offered itself.

Yes, the score was 10-0 at full time and 4-0 at the turning post, and the game was as one-sided as a horse race between The Eel and a cart-horse.

Lindsay's big defence kept the puck from the local citadel, while the speedy forwards whisked the rubber around the Cobourg nets. At times shots rained on the goal keeper of the visiting team and he was lucky to stop as many as he did.

It seemed that from the first the visitors recognized that defeat would be their lot and aimed only to stem the tide of goals a little. Their forward line was miserably weak, and although Crossen didn't do so badly at cover point, the youngster playing point was too scared to accomplish anything vital.

—Lindsay Warder.

OSHAWA JUNIORS BEATEN ON OWN ICE

Cobourg Won Tuesday Night's Game by 6 Goals to 2.

Oshawa, Jan. 13.—Cobourg juniors defeated Oshawa by 6 to 2 in a junior O.H.A. game last night. The locals led at half-time by 2 to 1, but Cobourg finished strong. The teams:

Oshawa—2.	Cobourg—6.
Goal.	
Legg	Reynolds
Point.	
Bray	Guy
Cover.	
Kemp	Hayden
Rover.	
Bawkes	Doheny
Centre.	
Boulden	Pratt
Right wing.	
Elliott	Crowther
Left wing.	
Canning	Glidden

Referee—Art Anglin, Toronto.

HOCKEY

St. Andrew's will play George street to-night in their second Senior Church League game at Peck street rink.

The St. Andrew's team will line up as follows:

Goal—Patterson.
Point—McDonald.
Cover—Flannagan.
Rover—Staunton.
Centre—Rae.
Right wing—Currie.
Left wing—Dormer.

Jas. Squires will referee the contest.

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The intermediates are confident of winning their game at Peterborough on Friday night. They will also play Peterborough here on Monday night next.—Belleville Ontario.

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The Canadian Express Company challenge the Dominion Express Company to a hockey match, to be played as soon as the Brock street rink can be secured.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE

CANADIAN PACIFIC

Going East	Leave Peterborough
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal, Kingston	11.20 a m
For Indian River, Norwood, Havelock, Tweed	7.44 p m
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	12.31 a m
Going West	**Leave Peterborough**
For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	8.30 a m
For Burketon, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	7.05 a m
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points	4.35 p m

GRAND TRUNK.

	Arrive Depar
Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Gravenhurst, North Bay, Sudbury and Toronto	11.00 a.m. 9.00 a.m 5.05 p.m. 11.45 a.m
Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	5.05 a.m. 9.05 p.m. 5.05 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & Windsor, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Rochester, Montreal and Boston	5.05 p.m 11.45 a.m 5.05 p.m
Toronto, Lindsay, Stouffville, Uxbridge and Markham	11.00 a.m. 7.10 a.m 5.05 p.m. 10.10 p.m. 11.45a.m
Lindsay Local	9.05 a.m. 9.10 p.m
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	9.05 a.m. 9.05 a.m 5.05 p.m. 5.05 p.m
Lakefield and Stony Lake	10.0 a.m. 9.05 a.m 6.10 p.m. 12.20 p.m

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LATEST CITY NEWS.

No Choir Practice

—There will be no Choir Practice in St. Andrew's Church to-night.

Probabilities

—East winds, cloudy and comparatively cold to-day and on Friday, with local snow falls or rain.

Literary Society Meeting

—The T. A. A. Ladies' Literary Society will meet on Friday evening. A paper on "Canada" will be read by Miss Nora Fitzgerald. 3d-10-5955

Annual Meeting

—The annual meeting of the teachers and officers of Knox Church Sunday School will be held to-night at 289 Rubidge street. A full attendance of members is expected.

Local Option Meeting

—The local option workers of the city will meet at the City Temperance League office, 178 Simcoe street, on Friday night of this week, instead of Thursday as previously announced.

Particular

—If you are particular about the way your clothes look, send them to "My Valet," 204 Charlotte street, and have them cleaned, dyed, repaired and pressed. All particular people do.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Mr. R J Devey was in Toronto yesterday.

Mrs. Mackenzie, of Lakefield, was in the city to-day.

Mr. Jack Gemmell was in Toronto yesterday on business.

Mrs. W. H. Robertson, Water st., will not receive to-morrow.

Mr. Jas. Conlin of Bolivar street, is visiting his cousin in Cobourg.

Mr. W H Denham, of the Quaker Oats Company, was in Fergus yesterday.

Miss John Preston, of Selwyn, is the guest of Mrs. P. Preston, 205 McDonel street.

Mrs. Alf. M. Simmons will receive with her mother Mrs. Roy, to-morrow afternoon.

Miss Josephine Conroy, 33 Hunter street, left on Monday to visit Miss A. Doyle, at Flint, Mich.

Mrs. J. C. Anderson, corner of Rogers and Douro streets, will receive to-morrow, Friday, Jan. 15th.

Mrs. F H Crowley and her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Whitton, Lundy's Lane, have returned home after a short visit to Montreal.

The many friends of Mrs. R. J. Elliott will learn with regret that she has been called to Lindsay, owing to the illness of her mother, Mrs. J. Hooper.

Mrs. J Graham and Miss Graham, of Winnipeg, who have been the guests of Miss Bell, 532 Charlotte street, for the last week, returned home to-day.

Miss Jones, of London, England, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Mackenzie, Lakefield, passed through the city this morning on her way to Galt.

Rev. Dr. Langfeldt, Rector of St. Luke's Church, left this afternoon for Orillia on an enforced vacation made necessary by the state of his health. The length of his visit is not known but during his absence from the city Rev. Canon Davidson of St. John's Church will attend to the wants of the members of St. Luke's who may be ill. Any communications with regard to the church work may be addressed to Mrs. G. R. Browning.

WEDDING BELLS

KELLY—MOORE

A wedding that is of interest to many in the city was celebrated yesterday at "Moorevale," Smith, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Moore, when their daughter, Mary, became the wife of Thomas Noble Dean Kelly, son of the late W. H. Kelly, of Bridgenorth. The ceremony took place at two o'clock, in the presence of over sixty guests, the Rev. Mr. Bonnar, pastor of Gilmour Memorial Baptist Church, officiating.

The bride was handsomely gowned in ivory satin, wearing the conventional veil and orange blossoms and carrying a beautiful shower bouquet of white bride roses. She was attended by Miss Mary Elliott, of Peterborough, and Miss Beatrice Kelly, of Bridgenorth, both of whom were dainty cream empire gowns and pearl rings, the gifts of the groom. The wedding march was played by Miss Ida Sanderson, who, when the ceremony was over, sang "The Voice that Breathed O'er Eden." The groom was assisted by Dr. Barritt, Kelly, of Toronto.

The large number of presents that were received evidenced the popularity of the happy couple.

An elaborate luncheon was served before Mr. and Mrs. Kelly left on their honeymoon, which will be spent in Toronto, Niagara Falls and Buffalo. The bride wore a travelling suit of navy blue with Persian lamb coat and toque.

Many guests were present from the city and outside points, including Mr. F. D. Moore, of Lindsay; Dr. Mac Queen, of Yarker; Miss Zetta Bottum, of Bobcaygeon; Mr. Geo. Marrow and the Misses Morrow, and Mr. and Mrs. George E. Elliott, of this city.

COUNTY CHILDREN AT THE COLLEGIATE

Movement Being Instituted in the County to Have Pupils Attend Free of Charge—To Assist Needy Family.

CONSIDERABLE BUSINESS.

Examiner Special.

North Monaghan, Jan. 13.—The inaugural meeting of the North Monaghan Township Council was held on Monday the 11th day of January, in the County Court House at the hour of 2 p.m.

There were present Messrs. John J Morrow, R A Dobbin and Walter McMorrow, R A Dobbin and Walter McKee, Councillors. After each member had made and subscribed the statutory declaration of qualification and of office, the council organized for the transaction of public affairs.

The Reeve presiding.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

Communications were read from the following:

The Ontario Municipal Association, asking the council to petition the Legislature to have section 605 of the Municipal Act repealed.—No action taken.

The Municipal World, soliciting subscriptions.—No action taken.

Wm. Stevens, re arrears of taxes as referred from last meeting.—No action taken.

W J Armstrong, re refund of dog tax, as referred from last meeting.—No action taken.

Mr. Eastwood of North Monaghan, attended the meeting and requested the council to take such action as might bring about a conference between the County and City authorities with a view, of making such an arrangement as might permit County pupils to attend the Collegiate Institute in Peterborough without payment of a fee.

This was referred to the Reeve, who was requested to act conjointly with the Reeve of Smith Township and to bring the matter before the County Council at its next session.

Mr. Hearman of N. Monaghan attended the meeting and said that owing to an entire failure of his crop he was in slightly strained circumstances financially and asked for a little time in which to pay his taxes for 1908.

This was referred to the tax collector.

Mr. R Lillico also attended the meeting and asked the council to alter the boundaries of Road District No. 1 and 2 so as to take lot 1 in the 11 con. from No. 2 and add it to No. 1 and thereby place the road from Scott's Corners" to the line between 11 and 12 cons. in Road Dis. No. 1.

This was referred to the next meeting.

The clerk reported having received from the County Registrar a copy of a plan of the Sub. Division of a part of the S. W. quarter of lot 12 on the 12 con. in the Township as registered on the 17th day of Dec 1908.

Applications for the office of assessor for 1909 were received from Mr. Stevens and E Johnston.

Accounts were presented from The Times Pub. Co., balance of Contract for 1908, $12.30.

D R O account $8.00.

Rent of S. house, $4.

Moved by Messrs. Morrow and Howden that the amounts as read be passed and paid. This was carried.

Moved by Messrs. Howden and Morrow, that Mr. Osway Dawe be re-appointed a member of the local Board of Health for a term of three years.—Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Dobbin and Howden, that Mr. B. Johnston be re-appointed assessor for the year 1909 at the same salary as in 1908. This was carried.

Moved by Messrs. McKee and Morrow, that Messrs. T. M. Hunter and B. Sanderson be appointed auditors of township accounts of 1908. This was carried.

Moved by Messrs. McKee and Dobbin, that Mr. Howden is hereby authorized to purchase newspapers for a needy family in the township, to the amount of $5. This was carried.

On motion By-laws Nos. 907, to appoint auditors; 908, to appoint an assessor; 909, to appoint poundkeepers, etc.; 910, to appoint a member of the Board of Health; 912, to borrow money to meet current accounts, were introduced, given the necessary publication and finally passed.

Under By-law No. 909 the same poundkeepers and fenceviewers as were appointed in 1908 were confirmed for 1909.

Council then adjourned, to meet in the Town Hall, North Monaghan, on Monday, February 8th, at two p. m.

Shredded Wheat Banquet, Murray Street Baptist Church, Friday evening, Jan. 15th, at 7 o'clock. Admission 25 cents. 7-Stood

CURLING.

The games in the Consolation Event yesterday were interesting throughout, some splendid curling being done. One of the most exciting contests was that between Skip Davidson of Peterborough, and Skip Toogood of Orillia. The rinks were even up at the end of the fourteenth end, and an extra end had to be played, Peterborough scoring two after a well played and thoroughly enjoyable game.

The scores in the consolation event follow:—

Second Round Consolation, 1 p.m.

Orillia		Peterborough	
Thompson — 7		Ray — 19	
Lindsay		Peterborough	
Wallace — 8		Morrow—17	
Bobcaygeon		Colborne	
Davis — 5		Wilson —22	
Peterborough		Lindsay	
Neill — 10		O'Connor — 13	
Lindsay		Peterborough	
Gage — 14		Brown — 10	
Peterborough		Peterborough	
Giroux — 10		Greer — 9	

Consolation, 3rd round, 8 p.m.

Peterborough		Peterborough	
Ray — 19		Morrow — 13	
Peterborough		Orillia	
Davidson — 13		Toogood—11	
Colborne		Lindsay	
Wilson — 7		O'Connor—21	
Lindsay		Peterborough	
Gage — 11		Giroux—16	
Peterborough		Peterborough	
Moore — 14		Connal — 16	

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A.C.P	80½	80½
Atch	98½	98¾
B.R.T.	82½	82½
C.P.R.	175¾	175¾
Erie	30	30¾
Great Northern	143½	143½
L.N.	123	123
Mo. Pac.	69¾	69¾
Northern Pacific	130¾	130½
N.Y.C.	128¾	127¾
Penna	128½	128½
R.I.	24¾	24
Rdg.	137¾	137½
Smelters	85½	84¾
Soo	144¾	144½
St. Paul	147¾	147½
S.P	117½	117½
U.P.	177½	176¾
U.S	51¾	51¾
U.S. pfd.	112¾	112¾
Twin City	100½	100¾
Nipissing	9¾	10
May Wheat	106	106¾
" Corn	61½	61¾
May Oats	57½	57¾
" Pork	16.75	16.75

THE LATEST NEWS FROM THE VILLAGE OF KEENE

Keene, Jan. 13.—Mrs. Northey of Fenelon Falls, and Mr. Henry Connell, of Calgary, spent a couple of days with Mr. Wm. Connell last week.

Miss Mabel McCann, of St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto, is spending her holidays at her home here.

Miss Laura Jory of Warsaw, is visiting her cousin, Miss Edna Taylor.

Miss Mabel McKittrick, of Petrolea, is visiting friends in Keene.

Miss Jennie Boyle, of Lanark, is a guest at the home of Mr. John McFarlane.

Mr. and Mrs. A B Greenbanks, of Norwood, spent a few days in the vicinity last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Torrance Sharp left on Monday morning for their home in Winnipeg.

The first fancy dress carnival of the season will be held on Friday, Jan. 22.

Mr. J L Dodds, of Brechin, was in Keene last week.

The Keene and Warkworth hockey teams will play to-night in Warkworth. This will be the first league match of the season for the Keene team.

The Lakefield hockey team came down last Friday and played a friendly game with the Keene boys. The score stood 12—9 in favour of the visitors.

The annual oyster supper and concert and dance held under the auspices of the Orange Lodge will be on Friday, Jan. 15th.

The annual congregational meeting of the Presbyterian church will be held on the afternoon of Thursday, Jan. 21st.

The annual meeting of the Otonabee Agricultural Society for the purpose of receiving reports, electing officers, etc., will be held in the Council Chamber on Tuesday, Jan. 19.

The district meeting of the West Peterborough L.O.L. will be held in the lodge room in Keene to-night. A number from Peterborough are expected to attend.

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WALTER MILLER WAS BADLY INJURED IN G. T. R. WRECK NEAR GUELPH YESTERDAY

Local Hockey Player Was in a Smash-up With the Brantford Team — Was Returning From Game in Guelph.

WILL BE OUT OF GAME.

(Walter Miller, son of Mr. Finch Miller, City Relief Officer, was one of those injured in the G. T. R. wreck near Guelph yesterday. He was returning from Guelph with the other members of the Brantford pro team, with which he was playing rover, and was in the car that was derailed, having one finger cut off, which will keep him out of the game for some time. As soon as he was able, after the accident, he wired his father that he had been in a wreck but that he was all right. The following despatch from Brantford gives the details of the accident., Jack Marks, of Brantford, who was so badly injured, is well known here, having played here for Belleville and other towns.

Brantford, Jan. 14. — The Brantford professional hockey team, returning from Guelph on the Grand Trunk 10.40 train this morning figured, with a number of other passengers, in a most dangerous wreck, in which altogether 25 were seriously injured, and Jack Marks and Walter Miller, two of the Brantford players, were badly hurt. The last passenger coach on the train at a point near Gourock, four miles south of Guelph, jumped the track and was dragged on its side for over 100 yards, when the train came to a dead stop. The other players on the Brantford team are reported to be uninjured, besides Messrs. Fred Westbrook and Hugh Howie, who accompanied the team to Guelph last night, where the Brantfords pulled out a victory.

Hospitals Full

The injured have been removed to the Guelph hospitals and the number reaches in all about 25, from the information it was possible to obtain from that city this afternoon. Marks and Miller will be brought home this afternoon, it was announced by Secretary Nelson.

The Injuries

From reports received Jack Marks is the worst of the injured. He has an arm broken and several ribs fractured, and is said to be badly hurt internally. From the description of his injuries it is doubtful if the speedy skater and brilliant player will ever play hockey again. He is expected, however, to recover, although his internal injuries, it is said, will incapacitate him for a long time. Walter Miller is badly cut up, and has a hand cut open from which a couple of fingers were severed. Tom Hutton, who accompanied the team, is also reported to have been hurt internally.

Story of the Wreck

The train was due to leave Guelph at 10.40 this morning, but as usual it was several minutes late. Pulling out of Guelph for Hespeler, the train struck a fast clip. The accident happened at 11.15, just four miles below Guelph.

The Causes

A broken flange and a spread rail were given as the cause of the disaster. When the coach left the rails, it turned over on its side and for one hundred yards, amid the crashing, banging and splintering of the coach, windows and timbers on the ties, the train continued on its terrible death-dealing course, until the stop was made.

In Other Car

Most of the Brantford players were in the smoking car, including Messrs. Howie and Westbrook. The passengers in the other part of the train were unhurt, the remainder of the outfit receiving no damage whatever. The names of the other members of the team who were with Marks and Miller could not be ascertained.

Work of Rescue

The work of rescue commenced immediately and the task was a terrible one. The rescuers had a hard time in getting out the injured. Many of the passengers were knocked unconscious, others were pinned, bleeding and with bones broken, under the debris in the wrecked coach. Amid the moans of the injured, Messrs. Howie and Westbrook, with the others, set to work to get out those buried in the glass and broken timber. Jack Marks was found by Mr. Howie and an axe had to be brought in commission before he could be removed. Mr. R. H Brydon, of Guelph, had to be practically cut out from the ruins. He was badly injured.

Returned This Morning

Manager Roy Brown and Trainer Hamburg were not with the party. They left Guelph for Brantford on the 4.40 train this morning and arrived at half-past seven. The manager, when informed of the disaster, was very much overcome this afternoon, especially when told of the serious injuries to Jack Marks, one of the most popular players and loyal team-mates who ever donned a shoe. A multitude of friends and fans will wish for Marks' speedy recovery, as well as for the recovery of Walter Miller.

Out of Game for Good

Brantford, Ont., Jan. 14.—Members of Brantford professional hockey team arrived here from Guelph this afternoon in a pretty well crippled condition. Marks and Miller, two of the worst injured in the wreck, were taken to the hospital here to-night. Both will be out of the game for the season and probably for good. Marks' arm is broken in six places below the elbow, two ribs fractured, and has internal injuries of a severe nature. Miller is injured about the spine and may be incapacitated for life. Other members of the team are badly shaken up. News of the disaster caused a gloom in this city as both men were great favourites. Tommy Smith, reported among the injured, escaped from the car unscratched.

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Bought Whiskey For Man On Indian List And Gets Jail For A Month Or $25

If an old pal of yours was feeling ill and in distress from asthma and if he asked you to buy for him a bottle of whiskey to relieve the pain, what would you do, knowing that he was blacklisted and could not procure it himself?

William Clark had an experience of this kind, and he forgot the law from probably a charitable motive. However the sequences were disastrous for himself. The other day his friend, Jim Wilson, appeared in court charged with being drunk although he was on the Indian list. Wilson was allowed to go cot free, but in the meantime the police found out where he got the King Cole variety that is sold in round bottles. They learned that William Clark had been the go-between and Magistrate Dumble laid upon William's shoulders the minimum fine of $25.00 without costs, and in default of payment, two million five hundred and ninety-two thousand seconds, in the county gaol—in other words 30 days on the hill.

Clark was given 10 days to pay his fine, but it is likely that he will spend time rather than spend $25.00.

He stated that he did not know that Wilson was listed. Jim had told his tale of woe and Clark bought the Whiskey. Wilson said the latter had a "horn" out of the bottle and he himself had the rest. This fact casts a doubt on Clark's charitable motives. At any rate Magistrate Dumble did not take long to conclude that Clark had broken the law. He told the defendant that he should not help a man go wrong while he was trying to get along and keep away from drink. Clark asked the Magistrate to make the fine as light as possible, but the minimum was $25.00.

Robbed Of His Savings He Starts Back To Work Again

Young Man Had Saved $250 While Teaching School and Was on His Way to College to Improve Himself— Money Taken While Asleep.

OBTAINS ANOTHER SCHOOL.

William Thompson is the name of a young school teacher who after saving $250.00 of his earnings to enable him to attend the Calgary Normal school was robbed of his little fortune on a train while traveling from Kamsack to Edmonton en route to Calgary. Instead of sitting down to mourn over his loss he has secured a school at Lacombe and intends to go saving his money again to pursue his course at the Normal School.

He is an ative of Bridgeville, Pictou county, Nova Scotia, and went west about a year ago where he commenced teaching. When he saved $250.00 he started out for Calgary to take the Normal course to better fit him for the teaching profession. One night, only a short time ago, he slept on the train and awoke in the morning to find his money gone. Someone had robbed him. Search proved fruitless and the authorities had no clue on whom to work. Now he is back again at the beginning of the struggle. It is stated that a number of those who have heard of his misfortune are doing what they can to assist him, but it is likely that he will have to go over the same ground as that which got him the other little bank account.

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THE HAINS CASE JURY IS STILL OUT

Examiner Special.

Flushing, N. Y., Jan. 15.—The Hains jury is still out. Justice Crane says he will dismiss them if they do not agree after being out twenty-four hours.

THE FORMER AUDITOR GENERAL IS DEAD

Examiner Special.

Ottawa, Jan. 15—J. Lorne McDougall formerly Auditor-General of Canada, died to-day.

HOAGLAND AHEAD OF THE WALKERS

Examiner Special.

Auburn, N.Y.—Jan. 15.—W A Hoagland last night was in first place in the four-day walking match in the Armoury, here. None of the Canadians were placed at the end of the first two days.

Band at Street Railway Rink To-night.

T. JENKIN HAINS IS ACQUITTED

(Furnished by J. N. Barber.)

New York, 12 M.—The Haine jury, after being out all night, have so far failed to render a verdict. It looks like a disagreement. Now taking a recess for dinner.

New York, Jan. 15.—The Haine jury is said to stand 10 to 2 for acquittal.

New York, Jan. 15 (2:55 p.m.)—Haine has been acquitted.

Pittsburg, Jan. 15.—Rhinehart the banker gets fifteen years

WOMAN CHARGED WITH MAN-BEATING

Alleged to Have Assaulted Her Husband And Will Appear on Tuesday.

A woman was charged with having assaulted her husband yesterday and appeared in Court this afternoon. She was remanded until Tuesday.

WANTED.

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BETTER TIMES.

It we wish to go beyond the evidences we see around us; beyond what comes within our knowledge, we can find indications that the cloud of commercial, industrial and financial depression has passed and the clear sky appears. Perhaps one of the sanest authorities on finance in Canada is Mr. B E Walker, president of the Canadian Bank of Commerce. In his annual address, of the proportions and dignity of a budget speech, he takes a decidely hopeful view of the situation. He tells us that conditions are greatly improved over those of last January, and gives reasons for the faith that is in him. The world-wide pace of expenditure has been slackened to a sufficent extent to ease the money markets and besides Canada has had an excellent harvest. We have felt the pinch of hard times, but Mr. Walker shows that we in Canada have suffered less than other countries. We can note all over the country a resumption, or, at least, a preparations for resumption, of large enterprises, and the existence of a more buoyant and hopeful spirit. A pretty sure index of increased national ease in trade conditions is the customs returns, the revenue from which represents the state of commercial activity, and this again is dependent upon popular command of the means of purchasing the goods of merchants.

As previously noted in these columns, the customs revenue for December of last year showed an excess over the corresponding month of the buoyant year of 1907, $89,825. During the past year, up to the month mentioned, the customs returns showed a steady decline as compared with the corresponding months of 1907, and it is almost certain that from the present continuous improvement will be shown. For the nine months of the fiscal year ending March 31st, next, the total revenue has been $62,298,583, a decrease of $11,457,375 as compared with the corresponding period of 1907. The total expenditure on consolidated fund account was $50,432,021, an increase of $4 705,535. Capital expenditure totalled $26,316,434, of which $22,960,899 was on public works railways and canals. the construction of the National Transcontinental Railway being, of course, responsible for most of this. The net public debt on the 31st of December stood at $291,573,767. In a country like Canada, where so much is to be done to bring our great resources in, so to speak, liquidable form, the expenditure of large sums to provide transportation and allied facilities, is of course inevitable; it is also inevitable that additions should be made to the public debt. This is defensible, not only as an investment certain to yield large national returns, but the incidental expenditure of large sums in construction work will increase the volume of money in circulation with the evident advantages to trade and commerce. Contrary to what the pessimists say the credit of Canada in the money markets of the world is good. Mr. Walker spoke within his knowledge and within the truth, when he said, in his annual address, "this comparative ease (of realizing on Caandian securities), it is well to remember is due to the high state of our credit in London and sympathetically elsewhere." When the world has confidence in us we have the best of warrants in having confidence in ourselves. If we talk good times we have good times with us, and the surest way to have hard times is to talk hard times. The New Year opens with a hopeful outlook and there is every indication that all branches of national enterprise will show in 1909 a progressive improvement in condition.

It is criminal for any man to say that the nation is declining; for the very expression of that opinion tends to make it true.—Rt. Hon. Herbert Asquith.

THE PHILISTINE SPIRIT.

Referring to the recent procession in Toronto upon the eve of the municipal vote on license reduction, under the heading a "Bad Example," the Canadian Churchman says:

The voting is over, and in about a week most of the adults will have forgotten the municipal agitation. But youthful minds retain the impressions that unusual happenings give. Knowing this, we express our extreme regret at a scene we witnessed in Toronto. Vans full of children, who were taken in a 'procession, using the opportunity of hooting and being disrespectful to their elders. We were shocked that those responsible for such a demonstration should train up young boys and girls to show dishonour and disrespect to older people. Of the merits of the matter, of the reason of such improper conduct, the children knew nothing. They are ready enough to be unruly and insulting without being taught conduct which will bear fruit in after years. You cannot sow the wind without reaping the whirlwind. We do not want young Canada to grow up a race of rude, lawless larrikins. We have plenty of men and women who know the elements of learning, but we men and women who are spiritually minded, possessed of higher instincts, and who realize that boys and girls should be taught to do to others as they would be done unto; in a word, that they have souls to be developed and minds to be trained.

The comments made above deal with a condition, that is a menace to good citizenship, the prevalent and growing lack of the spirit of veneration. Religion itself is only the practical application of the spirit of veneration or reverence, the basic idea of all worship. Children who are permitted to practise disrespect or irreverence towards their parents, teachers, elders or superiors, will easily grow up without reverence for the divine, or a proper respect for the claims of law and order. Such children are anarchists in the making. Our whole population, infant, juvenile and adult, seems to be infected with the spirit so mischievously prevalent in the country to the south of us, of universal equality —"Jack is as good as his master." This spirit indulged and encouraged leads or tends to (according to the material worked upon) disrespect for age, antiquity; for culture, for refinement for the ordinary decencies of civilized society and every thing that interferes with the unbridled indulgence of untrained and undirected impulses, in line with the natural trend of human nature—evil. From this flows disregard for the restraints of wholesome discipline of which we have too frequent evidence. The Brockville Times deals with a case in point, as follows:

Because the school authorities changed the hours for closing from 3.30 to 4 p.m., the pupils of the Jarvis street Collegiate Institute, Toronto, issued a pamphlet which was characterized by insolent defiance of the authorities. The Toronto newspapers quoye passages from this precious manifesto and its gross impertinence would be amusing were it not for the fact that the issuing of such a screed shows a lamentable lack of a sense of discipline among the precocious brats responsible for it. If the Toronto school authorities are worth their salt, or if they have any respect for themselves, they ought to find out the authors of the pamphlet and expel them summarily. A sound caning would also have a most wholesome effect upon the impudent little rebels. And the incident suggests the question: what kind of home training have these children had? Certainly not the kind of training which is going to make them good citizens of Canada and upholders of law, order and authority. If their parents had brought them up in the way they should go, they would never have dared to cross swords with those put in authority over them.

It is difficult to fix with any degree of definiteness the responsibility for the innate or inculcated irreverence behind such incidents as the foregoing. Ineffective home, school and even church training, has its share. The spirit has invaded every walk of life; even the press is infected. The attitude of levity in regard to things worthy of veneration is reflected in disregard for dignified form of expression, in the corruption of our language and the universal resort to slang. Even a dignified Toronto morning journal is afloat on the wave. In a featured front page article yesterday the slang phrase "it's up to" was expressed in prominent letters. Since the little press discussion on spelling reform began, many journals have expressed flippant scorn for the "antiquated" "fogeyish" way of spelling, made venerable by centuries of usage of the greatest literary authorities in the world. This may seem a trifling matter, but it is an outcrop of the spirit of lack of reverence for what is venerable, the same spirit that leads the 'hoodlum' to scoff at refinement of speech or propriety of deportment, that leads the children of this generation to show outrageous disrespect for the persons of parents and teachers, and disregard of parental and school restraint. Lack of discipline in our general population has the same disastrous tendencies in the social body as it has in an army. All who value the good, the true and the beautiful are called upon to lend their aid to exorcise the Philistine spirit, always dangerous, whether in its overt or insidious manifestations.

The fifth commandment is being relegated to the index expurgatorius of modern life.

HISTORY OF CANADIAN JOURNALISM.

Everyone who is interested in the history of Canada will welcome a new book, "A History of Canadian Journalism," which has just been issued. The volume, which furnishes in permanent form the first comprehensive history of the press in Canada, covers a great deal of ground not dealt with in any other extent publication. The reader, as he peruses its pages, is constantly surprised to find in it hitherto unpublished delights on the careers of our public men, as well as full and first hand information regarding our great journalists and our great newspapers. Altogether, it is one of the most valuable historical works which has appeared in Canada.

Not only is the matter fresh and interesting and important, but the style throughout is quite equal to the best. This will be better appreciated when it is stated that the contributors include Goldwin Smith, Dr. A H U Colquhoun, Deputy Minister of Education for Ontario; John Reade, F.R.S.C., Montreal Gazette; Arthur Wallis, Toronto Mail and Empire; J E.B McCready, Charlottetown Guardian; J P Robertson, Winnipeg; Robert Bellar, Huntingdon Gleaner; J K Mclnnes, Regina Leader; J W Bengough, Toronto, and R E Gosnell, Vancouver.

One portion of the book presents an exceedingly interesting history of the Canadian Press Association, in honour of whose 50th birthday the book was first projected, with other sections devoted to the press in each of the Provinces.

The book includes 268 pages with 40 half-tone portraits of prominent journalists. Typographically the book is very pleasing with its large type, heavy paper with rough edges and gilt top, and its handsome cloth binding. Orders may be sent in care of John R Bone, Secretary Canadian Press Association, Daily Star, Toronto. The price is $2.00 a copy, postage 15 cents extra.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Col. Sam Hughes has submitted to the City Council of Toronto a plan for purifying sewage by chlorine gas. Col. Sam's enemies say that he has a supreme confidence in the power of gas.

Montreal is the fifth port in importance on this continent, being surpassed only by New York, Galveston, Boston and New Orleans in the United States. Mr. Walker, president of the Bank of Commerce, recalls that the improvement made to the St. Lawrence route, under the auspices of the much criticised—in some quarters—Department of Marine, has saved vessel owners $6,000,000 in eight years.

Mr. Byron E. Walker's financial and trade review, delivered in connection with the annual meeting of the Bank of Commerce, has come to be regarded as something cognate in weight and influence to a budget speech. It reveals a tireless industry in collection, and shrewd appraisement of th erelative value of facts concerning our national financial, industrial and commercial operations.

A BLESSING TO MANY PEOPLE

May Mean Much Less Sickness Here When This Prescription is Known.

IS A HOME-MADE REMEDY

This is a simple home receipe now being made known in all the larger cities through the newspapers. It is intended to check the many cases of rheumatism, kidney and bladder trouble which have made so many cripples and invalids and weaklings of some of our brightest and strongest people.

The druggists here have been notified to supply themselves with the ingredients, and the sufferer will have no trouble to obtain them. The prescription is as follows: Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; and Compound Syrup of Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Mix by shaking well in a bottle. The dose is one teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime.

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Those who suffer and are accustomed to purchase a bottle of medicine should not let a little inconvenience interfere with making this up.

SPECIAL MEETINGS AT THE BARRACKS

Colonel Mapp Will be Here for Saturday and Sunday—The Public is Invited.

The week end of the Salvation Army will be a special event and Staff Captain Walton has arranged for a number of splendid meetings. Col. Henry W. Mapp, chief secretary of the Army in Canada, will be here accompanied by his wife. He will conduct services on Saturday night and all day Sunday. These will be held at the usual hours, but the afternoon service at three o'clock on Sunday is of special importance. Mayor Rush has been invited to be present with some of the aldermen a bright and interesting meeting is assured. Colonel Mapp is one of the foremost speakers in the Army in Canada, and being a stranger to Peterborough large attendances are looked forward to at every meeting. Mayor Rush will extend a civic welcome to Colonel Mapp at the Sunday afternoon meeting.

A general invitation is extended to the citizens of Peterborough to hear this eloquent speaker at the Salvation Army Barracks.

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APPOINT ASSESSORS PERMANENTLY

To the Editor of The Examiner:

Dear Sir:— I ask space in your valuable paper to call attention to what seems to me an inconsistency in the appointment of city officials. I am sure that the Council does not intend to do anything unfair, and that it will be necessary only to call attention to the matter to have it set right.

While the appointments of Clerk, Treasurer, Collector, Engineer, Street Commissioner, Plumbing Inspector, Chief of Police and others are made permanent or during good conduct, the Assessors are appointed annually.

Now I think all will agree that the office of Assessor is a very important one, and if, as I believe, continuity is desirable in the cases of the other officials, it is surely desirable in the case of the Assessors.

It must be possible to find, in a city like Peterborough, men capable of filling for a number of consecutive years, even this important position, and surely each year of service should increase their efficiency.

As to the propriety of appointing last year's Assessors, I shall say nothing, believing that the Council are the proper and fittest judges of their suitability but I do think that their appointment should be made the same as others and that they should be relieved of unnecessary trouble and anxiety.

There can be no doubt that the efficiency of Assessors is more likely to be secured by generous and trustful treatment than by the course which, I am sure thoughtlessly, has been followed in the past.

I have not written this so much as a ratepayer, having interests common to all ratepayers, but as a man addressing himself to men.

I am, Mr. Editor,
Respectfully yours,
OBSERVER.

SOUTHLAND SEPTETTE IS TO SING HERE

Will Give a Concert Under the Auspices of the Y.W.C.A. Ladies' Corps.

The Leaders Corps of the Y.M.C.A. have been fortunate in securing the Old Southland Sextette to give a concert in the Opera House on Friday evening, the 29th of this month. This company is one of the best aggregations of Jubilee Singers touring Canada and the United States, and they will put on an entertainment that is artistic, bright and pleasing in the highest and best sense; so that those who hear the sextette in their programme of Southland melodies and old plantation selections will not be disappointed, and those who fail to hear the company will miss such an entertainment as has not been given in this city for many a day.

STRONG LEGAL ARGUMENT IN COUNTY COURT

A large number of the ratepayers of Douro, Dummer and Lakefield were present at the Court House this morning to hear the argument known as the Lakefield school case, which was held before Judge Weller.

Mr. O A Langley of Lakefield, appeared on behalf of the ratepayers in the Township of Douro, who are moving to set aside the award of the arbitrators allowing the boundaries of the Union School Section. Mr. E A Peck opposed the application on behalf of the trustees of the new non-union section created by award, and Mr. Dumble represented the Lakefield Public School Board.

At the conclusion of the argument the judge stated that if substantial injustice is shown the award will be set aside.

A DRASTIC CLEARANCE

Everything is to be rushed out before inventory time at the Peterborough Bookstore at lowest possible reductions: Books, Stationery, Fancy Goods, Toilet Sets, Mirrors, Photo Frames, Cards and Card Games reduced as never before; same with all remaining odd lots of holiday lines.

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2 No. 14 Walker Plain Oaks, regular price $14. Sale Price 10.50
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1 No. 18 Walker Plain Oak, regular price $18. Sale Price 14.50
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Thanking all my patrons for past orders and soliciting a continuance of same. I wish all a Prosperous New Year.

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RYAN ON TRIAL.

Alibi Is Advanced In North Bay Fratricied Case.

North Bay, Jan. 15—The preliminary trial of Maurice Ryan, charged with highway robbery, and with the murder of his brother, began yesterday afternoon before Magistrate Weegar. The town hall was filled to the doors.

The highway robbery charge resulted in a committal. Joseph Goulet, of Waverley, Mass., swore that while returning from a trip to Winnipeg he stopped off at North Bay to meet some friends, but got acquainted with Ryan, who proposed driving out a short way in the country and having a good time. Ryan gave him drink, and the last he remembered was holding his money about $65, in his hand, with Ryan taking it away. He recovered consciousness lying in the road with his money gone.

Two witnesses testified to seeing a buggy driven rapidly from the scene and finding Goulet unconscious.

The evidence of William Ryan — a brother of the accused, furnished a a surprise in setting up an alibi for the prisoner. William Ryan works in a livery stable and swore that on the night of his brother Joseph's disappearance the prisoner and Joseph came to the stable and engaged a rig. They drove away, but Maurice returned about midnight saying that Joseph Driscoll, a chum of Joseph Ryan, had driven his brother to Callendar. Prisoner then went to bed in the office, and remained all night, and could not have left without his knowing it. The rig was found in the morning in an outside shed with the murdered man's grip in the buggy, and blood stains on the robe. The witness did not think there was anything strange about these circumstances. Driscoll he has not seen since.

James Ryan, another brother, testified to seeing Maurice with a hundred dollar bill after Joseph's disappearance. Joseph had at least one thousand dollars in cash on his person the night he started to leave town.

Joseph Cook swore that Maurice Ryan paid a note for $150 after Joseph Ryan disappeared.

Evidence was also given that Maurice Ryan had sold the furniture in his brother's resort for $200 and kept the proceeds, took charge of his brother's trunk and effects and tried to draw $200 out of a bank in Tupper Lake, New York State, signing his brother's name to a check. One witness swore that the prisoner said he had received a letter from his brother Joseph.

An important witness, Nora McKeown, has not been seen since 9 o'clock Wednesday night, although every effort is being made to locate her.

G. L. T. Bull is defending the prisoner and Crown Attorney Browning is prosecuting.

Must Not Receive Visitors.

Detroit, Jan. 15.—Judge Wisger of Flint, Mich., delivered a unique judgment yesterday when he sentenced Mrs. Grace Conger, a resident of that city to "stay at home nights, report to the court every 60 days, and to receive no callers for the next three years, except in the presence of the adult members of your family."

Mrs. Conger, who is an unusually attractive looking woman of 40 years and mother of a family of five children, was arrested in Syracuse a few days ago, whither she had eloped with Odson Brooks, a prominent resident of Flint, and a close friend of her husband.

Brooks was given a sentence of three months in the Iona Reformatory.

Three Years For Colored Burglar.

Chatham, Jan. 15.—John Dean, colored, was sentenced to three years in Kingston Penitentiary for burglary. His wife fainted in court while he gave evidence and was nearly hysterical when the sentence was imposed.

Charles Siddell, a companion, got 18 months.

Thirty-Seven at Dairy School.

Kingston, Jan. 15.—The Eastern Ontario Dairy School has opened with 37 pupils, an unusually large number. G. G. Publow, chief dairy instructor, is acting superintendent.

'Phone Rates Lowered.

Edmonton, Alta., Jan. 15.—An order in council has been passed putting into effect a readjusted schedule of rentals and tolls on the Government telephone system. The reduction will average 25 per cent., but will not affect exchanges where there are over a thousand subscribers, though there will be a reduction in all exchanges on private residence 'phones.

J. Lorne McDougall's Illness.

Ottawa, Jan. 15.—The condition of J. Lorne McDougall, former Auditor-General of Canada, remains unchanged. He is not gaining any strength.

A WOMAN'S BACK WAS NOT MADE TO ACHE.

Thousands of Women Suffer Untold Misery Every Day With Aching Backs That Really Have No Business To Ache.

Under ordinary conditions it ought to be strong and ready to bear the burdens of life.

It is hard to do housework with an aching back. Backaches come from sick kidneys, and what a lot of trouble sick kidneys cause.

But they can't help it. If more work is put on them than they can stand it is not to be wondered that they get out of order.

Backache is simply a warning from the kidneys and should be attended to immediately so as to avoid years of terrible suffering from kidney troubles.

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MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Close Higher, Chicago Lower—Live Stock —Latest Quotations.

Thursday Evening, Jan. 14.

Liverpool wheat futures closed today ¼d to ½d higher than yesterday, and corn closed unchanged.

At Chicago May wheat closed ⅝c lower than yesterday; May corn closed ½c lower and May oats closed unchanged.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—January 99⅝c bid, July $1.02⅝ bid. May $1.01¼ bid.

Oats—January 37⅝c bid, May 41⅜c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	$0 95 to $....	
Wheat, red, bush	0 95	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 93	....
Rye, bushel	0 88	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 55	....
Peas, bushel	0 88	....
Barley, bushel	0 58	....
Oats, bushel	0 44	....

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 26
Butter, store lots	0 23	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 28	0 29
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 35	0 40
Eggs, cold storage	0 26	0 27
Cheese, large, lb	0 13½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11
Honey, combs, dozen	2 25	2 75

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 14.—Closing; Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 5½d; futures quiet; March, 7s 6¼d; May, 7s 5⅝d. Corn—Spot steady. American mixed, new (via Galveston), 5s 4½d. Futures dull; Jan., 5s 2½d; March, 5s 2⅝d; May, 5s 2½d. Bacon—Clear bellies, easy, 50s. Turpentine spirits—Firm, 30s 6d.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Butter—Steadier, unchanged. Receipts 2305. Cheese—Firm, unchanged; receipts 734. Eggs—Firm; receipts 6197; State Penns. and nearby brown and mixed, fancy, 35c to 37c; do., fair to choice, 32c to 34c; western first, 33c to 33½c; seconds, 31c to 32½c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Are Firm—American Markets Steady For Hogs and Cattle.

LONDON, Jan. 14.—London cables for cattle are steady, at 12c to 14½c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9½c to 9¾c per lb.

Toronto Live Stock.

TORONTO, Jan. 14.—Receipts of live stock at the City Market on Wednesday and Thursday, as reported by the railways, were 116 carloads, consisting of 1710 cattle, 3014 hogs, 1300 sheep and lambs, and 57 calves.

Exporters.

During the week there has been an excellent demand for export cattle, prices for which steadily advanced, growing a little stronger each day until $5.75 was bid. Maybee and Wilson, for an extra choice load of steers, to be delivered Friday morning. Outside of this sale, prices ranged from $5 to $5.60 for steels; bulls sold from $4 to $4.50, and one extra quality bull, the best on the market, brought in by C. Capes, Brigden, Ont., which brought $5 per cwt.; but this price must not be regarded as a criterion by any means, as it is seldom there is an animal of this kind of as good quality on the market.

Butchers.

The market for good to choice butchers has been strong all week, and, prime picked lots sell readily at $5; loads of good, $4.60 to $4.80; medium to good, $4 to $4.40; common, $3.50 to $3.90; cows, $2.50 to $4.50; canners, $1.50 to $2.

Feeders and Steckers.

H. and W. Murby report a fair trade, with prices higher. The Messrs. Murby bought 160 cattlethis week at following quotations: Feeders, 950 to 1100 lbs., $3.90 to $4.40; feeders, $800 to 950 lbs., $3.50 to $3.90; stockers, 600 to 800 lbs., $3.25 to $3.50 per cwt.

Milkers and Springers.

There has been a fair delivery of milkers and springers, the bulk of which classed as medium not many choice cows coming forward. Prices ranged from $30 to $55, with a very few at $60, and only one cow at $70.

Veal Calves.

Veal calves are scarce, especially those of good quality. Common to medium sold at $3 to $4.50, and good to choice $6 to $7.50 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs.

Receipts moderate, prices firmer. Ewes, $3.75 to $4.25; light butcher ewes, yearlings, $4.50; rams, $3 to $3.50; lambs, $5.50 to $6.50, with a few selected at $6.60 per cwt.

Hogs.

The hog market has been firm all week and closed at still higher prices. Mr. Harris quoted selects fed and watered at $6.50, and $6.25 f.o.b. cars at country points.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, N.Y., Jan. 14.—Cattle—Receipts 75 head; fairly active and steady; prime steers, $6.50 to $6.75.

Veals—Receipts 200 head; active and 50c lower; $7 to $9.75.

Hogs—Receipts 7700 head; slow and steady; yorkers, $5.75 to $6.20; roughs, $5.25 to $5.65.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 3000 head; active; sheep steady; lambs 25c lower; lambs, $5 to $7.75.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—Beeves—Receipts 1564. Feeling nominally steady. Dressed beef in moderate demand at 8c to 10½c. Calves—Receipts 598. Feeling steady. Fair to good veals sold at $9.75 to $10.12½. Dressed calves firm. City dressed veals, 9c to 16c; country dressed, 8c to 14c.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 6686; feeling steady; one car unsold. Common sheep at $3.50; prime yearlings, $6.75; lambs, $7.50 to $7.75; no choice lambs offered; culls $5.

Hogs—Receipts 4367. No sales reported; feeling steady.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Jan. 14.—Cattle — Receipts, 10,000; market 10c to 15c lower; steers, $4.60 to $7.25; cows $3 to $5.50; heifers, $3 to $5.75; bulls, $3.40 to $3.80; calves, $3.50 to $10; stockers and feeders, $3.50 to $4.60.

Hogs—Receipts, 30,000; market weak to 10c lower; choice heavy shipping, $6.25 to $6.37½; butchers', $6.20 to $6.35; light mixed, $5.75 to $5.95; choice light, $5.95 to $6.15; packing, $5.90 to $6.20; pigs, $4.50 to $5.50; bulk of sales, $5.85 to $6.25.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 15,000; market easy; sheep, $4 to $6; lambs, $5.25 to $8.10; yearlings, $4.25 to $7.25.

Dairymen End Session.

Brantford, Jan. 15.—The Western Dairymen's Association concluded their session yesterday, electing these officers: J. J. Parsons, Jarvis, president; John H. Scott, Exeter, first vice-president; Wm. Waddell, Kerwood, second vice-president; D. A. Dempsey, Stratford, third vice-president. Directors—J. A. Paget, Canboro; S. R. Wallace, Burgessville; S. E. Facey, Harrietsville; George M. McKenzie, Ingersoll; J. B. Smith, Alton; W. S. Stock, Britton; J. A. Nelles, London, and J. C. Hegler, Ingersoll. Auditors —I. W. Steinhoff, Stratford, representative to Western Fair, London, and Robt. Johnston, representative to Toronto Exhibition.

Two Barns Burned.

Kincardine, Jan. 15.—Nathaniel Bell, Pine River, yesterday morning had two fine barns, with contents, destroyed by fire, caused by the upsetting of a lantern while doing chores. The live stock was saved.

Northcliffe Buying Stock?

Montreal, Jan. 15.—The recent purchases of Laurentide Paper stock in the local market are attributed on good authority to Lord Northcliffe.

More Bread in a Barrel.

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Co-Operation Pays.

Ottawa Jan. 15.—About a year ago members of the Government Workmen's Association, initiating a co-operative purchasing scheme, made arrangements with a company for one thousand tons of coal, on which the members saved one dollar a ton. Later, they purchased butter and saved $205.

Altogether by their co-operative plan they have saved about $1,500 and have made arrangements to extend operations.

To Reply to Grain Growers.

Winnipeg, Jan. 15.—Premier Roblin stated yesterday that the reply of the Premiers to the Grain Growers' executive had been declared satisfactory, and that he would sign it at once.

It will be sent to Regina for Premier Scott's approval and signature, and thence to Edmonton to Premier Rutherford, who will present it to the Grain Growers' secretary at Calgary.

Tuberculosis League Meeting.

Arnprior, Jan. 15.—There was only a small attendance at the public meeting held in the town hall for the formation of a local league of the National Association for the prevention of tuberculosis.

It is proposed to build a tuberculosis hospital for the Counties of Lanark, Renfrew and Carleton, at some convenient point if at all possible.

Newspapers Mustn't Print Liquor Ads.

Augusta, Ga., Jan. 15.—The Georgia Anti-Saloon League will prosecute newspapers of the state for printing whisky advertisements, on the ground that the papers are hired agents and solicitors for whisky houses, in violation of the state prohibition law.

140 Miners Entombed.

Veesprim, Hungary, Jan. 15.—In an explosion of fire damp in the Auka coal mine here yesterday, which was followed later by a dust explosion and fire, 140 men were entombed.

Sixteen living miners and the bodies of 45 dead persons thus far have been brought out of the pit.

Nurses to Visit Quebec Schools.

Quebec, Jan. 15.—An innovation has been introduced in the public schools by the appointment of two trained nurses by the Protestant board of school commissioners, who will visit the city schools and render what services may come to their notice.

Provost Macklem Resigns.

Toronto, Jan. 15.—Provost Street Macklem sent his resignation to the corporation board of Trinity College on Jan. 2, to take effect on Sept. 30, and the fact was made public yesterday. An earnest effort is to be made to induce him to remain.

$100,000 For a Site.

Vancouver, B.C., Jan. 15.—American capitalists yesterday paid $100,000 for a site for a grain elevator at False Creek.

City to Prospect For Coal.

Lethbridge, Alta., Jan. 15.—The city will spend $1,000 prospecting for coal to be used in the power plant.

Not to Tutor Alfonso.

Pau, Jan. 15.—Wilbur Wright, who arrived here yesterday with Hart O. Berg, says there is no truth in the report that he has been engaged by King Alfonso of Spain to teach him to fly.

What It Was.

She was visiting a Chinese restaurant for the first time and had ordered, among other things, an omelet. After sampling the succulent chop suey and the appetizing chow mein she turned her attention to what seemed a dish of pancakes. Puzzling over the combination of ham, onion and other ingredients, she suddenly exclaimed to her companion, "Why, there's egg in this!"

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Prospect of Telephone Service Seems Brighter—Fine Driving on the Lake Now—Many Accidents Happen

HAD FINGER CHOPPED OFF.

Stony Lake, Jan. 15—Stony Lake must have come under a very unfortunate planet this fall as there has been so many accidents; but none so bad as that which happened to Thomas Puffer. We are pleased to hear that he is doing so well.

Mr. William Drain (son of Mr. John Drain at the lake) chopped off the first joint of the forefinger of his left hand a few days ago. He was working in Wildman's camp on the ninth line when the accident happened. He will be laid off work for a few days.

The ice in the lake has not been so fine for driving on for some years, and all those who have marsh hay on the other side are hustling it home before the deep snow comes, which is not likely to come very soon.

There seems to be some prospect of a telephone from Norwood to Stony Lake. We hope that this may materialize and become a fact. Now is a splendid time to get out poles as there is not much snow and the swamps are pretty dry. If the lines run to Norwood it will require some poles 30 or 35 ft. at the railway crossing; say 5 35 ft., 5 30 ft., 5 inches at top end; 10 30 ft., then down to 25 ft., then 20 ft., all 5 inches at small end. You want to know how many wires will be strung — the fewer wires the further the poles can be apart.

PUTTING SUFFERER OUT OF MISERY

Doctor Raises Question of Killing When All Hope of Saving is Gone.

Considerable excitement has been aroused in Paris by the question raised by Dr. Bosredon of Brive, and taken up by his Paris colleagues whether a doctor has a right, under certain circumstances, to take a man's life.

Dr. Bosredon was the first medical man who arrived on the scene of the railway accident in Brive Tunnel. The stoker of the engine, a man named Lefort, was caught under the wreck and slowly burned to death.

"When I reached him," writes Dr. Bosredon, "the man was screaming with agony and begged me to kill him. There was no possible hope of saving his life. He was being slowly burned to death, and his body was horribly crushed.

"I considered that my conscience permitted me to put an end to his agony, and asked a gendarme for his revolver. He said that he had none, and the stoker was slowly burned to death, instead of being put out of his pain there and then."— Paris Cor. London Express.

INSTALLED A.O.U.W. OFFICERS AT COLBORNE

District Deputy J. J. Turner, Sr., Had an Enjoyable Visit Last Night.

District Deputy J. J. Turner, Sr., of the A.O.U.W., was in Colborne last night installing the officers of Faith Lodge, A. O. U. W. A very enjoyable evening was spent. Immediately after the installation an oyster supper was served and a pleasant time spent around the festive board. Mr. Turner met many friends in Colborne, including Grand Master Workman B. Mooney, of Rodney, Ont. A feature of the evening was the presentation of a gold locket to a young member of the lodge, who was only initiated two weeks ago, and has succeeded in bringing in thirteen new members in that period.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY TO HOLD MEETING

Mr. Cornish Will Deliver Lecture on Volcanoes.

The first meeting of the re-organized Historical Society will be held in the Collegiate Institute on Tuesday, Jan. 26th. This is the first of a series of monthly meetings which are being arranged and for this occasion an address will be given by Mr. G. S. Cornish, B.A., of the Normal School staff. His subject is one that should be of special interest at present, being on "Volcanoes." Mr. Cornish is a scientist of provincial reputation and should deal with his subject in an interesting and instructive manner. A cordial invitation is extended to all those interested to be present. The lecture will probably be followed by a discussion on different points brought out in the address.

CEMETERY COMPANY'S ANNUAL MEETING

Will be Held at 3 o'clock on Monday Afternoon Next.

A preliminary meeting of the directors of the Little Lake Cemetery Company was held yesterday afternoon, to consider and prepare matters to be dealt with at the annual meeting of the shareholders, on Monday, January 18th. It is desirable that there should be a large attendance of the latter. An erroneous impression prevails in regard to the Cemetery Company. It is not, as some think, a close corporation. Every owner of a lot is thereby a shareholder, and entitled to take part in the proceedings of the annual meeting. No dividends are paid. All moneys received are either devoted to maintenance and extension or funded for similar purposes. Everybody interested is invited and urged to attend the annual meeting, on Monday, January 18th, at 3 o'clock p. m.

Officers Were Elected In Two Local Lodges Of The I. O. O. F.

A meeting of the I.O.O.F. was held last night in their hall on George st.

The officers of the Peterborough Lodge, No. 111, and the Otonabee Lodge, No. 13, were installed for the year 1909 by Bro. A. A. Fowler, District Deputy Grand Master for District No. 22, assisted by Bros. R. F. Morrow, P.G.; J W Miller, P.G.; W G Freeburn, P.G.; R J Matchett, P.G.; W F Reesor, P.G.

The officers elected for the Peterborough Lodge, No. 111, were:—
J P G — Bro. A. A. Fowler.
N G — Bro. Wm. Robertson.
V G — Bro. George Gillespie.
Rec. Sec. — Bro. John White.
Fin. Sec. — Bro. G. W. Green.
Treasurer — Wm. Madill.
Warden — Alex Morrison.
Conductor — Herb Campbell.
Chaplain — G. A. Hamon.
R S N G — W. G. Freeburn.
L S N G — Bro. George Duncan.
R S V G — Bro. Wm. Savigny.
L S V G — Bro. Robert Jones.
R S S — Bro. Ira Gooodfellow.
L S S — Bro. Wm. McLaren.
I G — Bro. Ira Huggins.
O G — Bro. Walter J. Hoooper.
Pianist — Bro. Bruce Hutchison.

The officers elected for the Otonabee Lodge, No. 13, were as follows:—
J P G — Bro. J. E. Emmerson.
N G — Bro. H. W. Watte.
V G — Bro. T. Sills.
Rec. Sec. — Bro. W. S. Robinson.
Fin. Sec. — Bro. R. S. Cottrell.
Treasurer — Bro. H. Meredith.
Warden — Bro. J. Londerville.
Conductor — Bro. D. H. Downie.

MR. A. A. FOWLER,
District Deputy Grand Master, who installed the officers of the local Oddfellow Lodges last night.

Chaplain — Bro. M. T. Breckenridge.
R S N G — Bro. E. G. Poole.
L S N G — Bro. G. F. Cairns.
R S V G — Bro. R. Murduff.
L S V G — Bro. J. Shadgett.
R S S — Bro. E. Searight.
L S S — Bro. J. Buchanan.
I G — Bro. R. Craig.
O G — Bro. E. Kennedy.

Officers Of Court Chemong Were Installed Last Night

The regular meeting of Court Chemong, No. 530, Independent Order of Foresters, was held last night in the S. O. E. hall. Several applications for membership were considered for initiation at the next meeting night. Several members were reported on the sick list, and two were reported permanently disabled, and the Court recommended that they receive the half of their insurance at the end of six months. After the business was concluded Chief Ranger Bro. W. G. McKee requested Bro. G. N. Brown, D.H.C.R., to take the chair, and with the assistance of Bro. A. Bradshaw, D.S.C.R., who acted as High Conductor, and Bro. A. Allison, S.P.C.R., who acted as High Marshal, the twelve officers for 1909 were duly installed in their respective chairs of office.

Under the order of "Good and Welfare," several musical selections were contributed by Mr. P. Wilson, and were much appreciated. Brief but cheery speeches were made by Bro. G. N. Brown, D.H.C.R., and Bro. A. Bradshaw, D.S.C.R., who both reported progress and prosperity throughout Eastern Ontario, where they had laboured during the past year. The order had an experience of thirty-five years and now had 250,000 members, a surplus of $12,500,000, and had paid $27,000,000 in benefits. They were both pleased to renew acquaintances with the Peterborough brethren.

Bro. A. Allison, S.P.C.R., in a splendid speech, referred in feeling terms to the commendable work of the I. O. F. in so tenderly caring for the orphan children of deceased members, and quoted an instance where the house of the widow built by the insurance money of her late husband had been destroyed by fire, the order came to the rescue and provided for widow and children. Another widow and children were assisted to the Canadian Northwest and provided for, and were now locating land there. He paid a high tribute to Bro. J. C. Morgan, M.A., Superintendent of Orphans' Home, whom, he said, the children loved like a father. He was proud of the order for carrying on a work so Christian-like as this.

On motion of Bro. Wallace and Bro. Spring votes of thanks were tendered to Bros. Brown and Bradshaw.

The meeting then adjourned until January 28th, when the officers' reports will be given.

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Boy's heavy ribbed black Wool Hose, sizes from 6 to 10. Worth up to 35c pr. January Clearance Sale pr. 19c

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A fine even thread, for an afternoon or evening gown, good drapery material, 40 ins wide. Regular 85c yd. January Clearance Sale, yd 62c

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Heavy quality Cocoa Door Mats, for outside use, extra fine and closely woven. January Clearance Sale, each 69c

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Annual Meeting Of The Sunday School Of George Street Church

Many Reports Were Read and Adopted at the Yearly Business Gathering Held Last Night--- Was Largely Attended.

The annual meeting of the George Street Methodist Church Sunday School was held last night in the basement of the church, to elect the teachers and officers for the year, 1909.

The meeting opened by singing a sing of a hymn.

The meeting opened with the singware read and confirmed.

The reports of the ordinary accounts of the George Street Sunday School were read, and it was moved by Mr. Armstrong and seconded by Dr. Middleton, that this report be referred to the church auditors.

This report shows the receipts to be $935.15, expenditures $544.71; leaving the substantial balance of $390.44 to begin the year 1909 with.

The "Ordinary Account" report of the Grace Church Sunday School was read, and moved by Mr. J. J. Hartley, seconded by Mr. Wm. Hartley, that this report be referred to the church auditors.

The receipts were $66.55, payments $79.49, leaving a deficit of $12.49.

The library accounts of the George Street Sunday School were read and it was decided to refer this account to the church auditors.

The receipts were $175.11, payments $274.92, leaving a deficiency of $99.81.

The library account of the Grace Church Sunday School was also read, and decided to be referred to the church auditors.

The receipts were $145.97, payments $4.85, leaving a balance of $141.12.

The election of officers and teachers took place next and resulted as follows:

George Street Sunday School

Superintendent Home Department —T. W. Robinson.

Assistant Superintendents—J. S. Knapman and Dr. J. E. Middleton.

Secretary Home Department — Mrs. J. Stubbs.

Secretary—Ray Best.

Treasurer—W. H. Mann.

Assistant Treasurer—A. Gray.

Librarians—Messrs. F. H. Dobbin, T. E. Pratt, W. J. Routley, F. Cressman, H. Cressman, M. Dobbin.

Music Director—Mr. W. E. McCann.

Leader of Orchestra—A. H. Cunningham.

Pianists—Miss E. Chasty and Miss L. Smith.

Teachers

Bible Classes—Rev. E. A. Pearson, Wm. Miller, Geo. Robinson, F. C. Moore. W. C. Switzer, J. J. Lank, Mrs. J. Stubbs, J. F. Thornton, Mrs. R. Mann.

Intermediate Classes — Girls' classes—Miss E. Chasty, Miss A. Frise. Mr. J. Tisdall, Miss P. Hendell, Miss M. Brough, Mis B. Griffith, Miss A. Davis, Miss A. Crafts. Miss S. Miller, Miss M. Elliott, Mrs. J. Tisdall, Miss R. Carlisle, Miss N. Smith, Miss A. E. Wood.

Boys' Classes — Miss M. Hazard, Miss L. McGuire, Miss E. Goodfellow, Miss L. Carlisle, Miss N. Shearer, Mrs. J. O. Fife, Miss L. Higgins, Miss M. M. Kidd, Mrs. B. Jenkins, Miss N. Sherin, Miss B. Sanderson, Miss Fife, Mrs. J. Long.

Primary Department—Mrs. E. D. Lewis, superintendent; Miss Edna Armstrong, Mrs. J. Little.

Cradle Roll—Miss B. Shortley.

Beginners—Mrs. J. S. Knapman.

Chinese Classes—Miss W. Gumpricht, Miss E. Ackerman, Miss T. Morrow, Miss W. V. Moore, Miss M. Anderson.

For Grace church Sunday School Superintendent—G. H. Powell.

Secretary and Treasurer— Norman Allistou.

Librarians — Fred Brown, and Lesley Gilgore.

Teachers—Wm. Hartley, Joseph Downing, Miss L. Kendry, Miss O Allistou, Miss G. Hartley, Miss Hanson, Miss Higgins, Miss T. Hartley, Mrs. Srigley, Mrs. Bulmer.

Primary—Miss Bulcher, Miss Curtis, and Miss Allistou.

In the Grace church Sunday School the first Sunday of the month after the 1st of May willbe kept as a Missionary Sunday, all collections will go toward the Mission Fund.

The Home Department has about 125 members on the roll and is doing extremely well, Mr. T. W Robinson making a splendid superintendant.

The following is a list of the visitors—

Dist. No. 1—Miss Edwards
Dist. No. 2—Miss Higgins
Dist. No. 3—Mrs. Rothwell
Dist. No 4—Mrs. H. Moore.
Dist. No. 5—Miss Walton.
Dist. No 6—Miss Brough
Dist. No. 7—Mrs. Curtis
Dist. No. 8—Mrs. Tisdall.
Dist. No. 9—Mrs. Devins
Dist. No 10—Mrs. Sargunson
Dist. No. 11—Miss Sherin
Dist. No. 12—Miss Taylor.
Dist. No. 13—Mrs. Micks.
Dist. No. 14—Miss F. Morrow
Dist. No. 15—Miss Spearet.
Dist. No. 16—Miss Wood

Moved by Dr. Middleton and seconded by Mr. T. W. Robinson that the same plan of last year be followed of giving the City Association $10 and $5 to the Sunday School Aid and Extension Fund—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Swister and seconded by Mr. Shortley that Messrs. Armstrong and Middleton be appointed a committee to sell the small organ. Carried.

Moved by Dr. Middleton and seconded by Mr. Armstrong that a vote of thanks be tendered the orchestra for their faithfulness and punctuality. Carried.

The orchestra of this church is a very large one, having a membership of over twelve and the music rendered is of the highest standard.

A short programme was rendered after the business of the evening was over, which was greatly enjoyed by all present. The first number was a selection from the orchestra, which was listened to with great delight. Miss McCall, Miss Chasty, Rev. Mr. Pearson, The Male Quartette, and Mrs. Hughes sang many pretty songs which showed the excellent training that the members of the choir receive and these songs were enjoyed immensely.

After having a guessing contest which was won by Miss Shortly the prize being a bunch of white carnations and another selection from the orchestra, coffee and sandwiches were handed around by the ladies, also cake and ice cream were on the menu.

After a few short speeches were given by Mr. T. W. Robinson, Dr. Middleton, Mr. Miller, Mr. Hartley, Mr. Armstrong and Mrs. Armstrong the meeting broke up with the singing of the Doxology, everybody having spent a very happy and enjoyable evening.

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WON SECOND PRIZE FOR WINDOW DRESSING

In the last issue of the Canadian Grocer ise the announcement of the winners of the prizes in the Christmas Window Dressing Contest. The Queen uQality window of Messrs. P. Connal & Son, won second -rize in Class One. White & Gillespie's window and J. M. Donovan's window, also of Peterborough, won favourable notice. Th econtest was open to all Canada and the entries were numerous and meritorious. Mr. Connal's window won many compliments in the city for the novelty of the idea and the dainty manner in which it was carried out.

OBITUARY.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Popham will be sorry to hear of the death of their infant child. The death occurred at the home of the parents, 553 Homewood ave. The funeral, which is private, will proceed to St. Peter's Cemetery for interment on Saturday at 9 a.m.

SOO INDUSTRIES STRENGTHENED BY SIX MILLIONS OF BRITISH CAPITAL

British Financial Magnates Have Brought About Extinction of Guarantee Liability----Mr. Matheson Generously Admits That "The Province Has Been Put to No Loss.'

The Toronto Globe of to-day contains the following—

Hon. A. J. Matheson, the Provincial Treasurer, returned from New York yesterday, bringing the documents under which Onta io secured a release from all obligations under the Soo loan guarantee of 1904. The documents were signed by the Provincial Treasurer and the representatives of the Canadian Improvement Co. yesterday afternoon at New York.

Hon. Col Matheson was accompanied by Mr W H Hearst, M.P.P. for Sault Ste. Marie, who was the original agent of the Government in respect to the Soo industries. Mr. Hearst resigned to contest the Soo seat, and was succeeded by Mr. Boyce. In addition to the prospective development of the industries and extension of the Algoma Central contemplated by Mr Fleming and his associates, Ontario's representatives urged upon them the advisability of extending the Manitoulin & North shore Railway to Little Current, consideration being assured.

"The Province has been put to no loss in the matter," said the Minister. "The Canadian Improvement Co. has paid all expenses."

"Mr Robert Fleming and his associated have taken over control of the Company," continued Hon. Col. Matheson. Mr. Fleming has the highest financial standing, and is a shrewd and able Scotchman. He has taken over the interests of the Canadian Improvement Co., those of the Sovereign Bank and larger Philadelphia interests.

"It means a big 'thing to the resources of that country," added the Minister. "We couldn't have done a better thing than get all this British capital. It was much better than a foreclosure."

Mr. Fleming and his associates have already put over $6,000,000 into the undertaking, and further investments are planned in the development of all the allied industries and extensions of the railways.

Ontario was represented on the former board of the Lake Superior Corporation by Messrs. C. D. Warren Geo. Drummond, R. S. Wilson-Smith and Geo. Pattison, M.P.P., but the province will have no further status on the board with the releasing of its guarantee.

Sir James Whitney received a message last evening from Hon. J. J. Foy, the Attorney-General, stating that he had arrived in New York on his return from the old world. Mr. Foy will remain in New York to-day in conference with Mr. Robert Fleming, the head of th efinancial interests which have taken control of the Lake Superior corporation. He will return to Toronto to-morrow.

Woeful Woo! Was Fined $20 For Selling Tobacco To Minors

Supposing that C. Q. Woo has a profit of two cents on every package of Old Chum, (the actual amount would be a lit le less than two cents, he will have to sell one thousand packages to make up the fine of $20 that was imposed by Magistrate Dumble this morning for selling tobacco to minors.

Last Tuesday night three small boys Eddie Shearer, Stanley Hartley and John Jordon between them stole $5.00. An item of the subsequent jollification was tobacco and they decided to make their purchases at the King Street Chinese restaurant. They bought small pipes first and then went down to get a supply of the weed. There were two men inside having their supper and the boys waited until they had finished. Young Hartley went in and according to his story got a package of Old Chum from C. Q. Woo himself. Jordon later entered and got two packages one being for Shearer. His purchase was made from Ing Louey Woo's new cook who also acts as servitor while Woo turns the ham and eggs.

Ing stated in his testimony that Jordon had told him he was 18 years old, whereas the boy is only 14 and scarcely looks it.

Woo testified that he did not sell tobacco to Hartley and had told his new man Ing Louey" to be careful and not sell to small boys.

Ing said that Jordon told him it was for his father.

Magistrate Dumble found that the charge had been substantiated in the cases of Hartley and Jordon purchases and imposed a fine of $10 in each without costs.

Mr. G. N. Gordon, who represented C. Q. Woo will it is understood appeal the case.

PETERBORO' FOUR UP IN FIRST GAME FOR FITZGERALD-BOTTUM SHIELD

Peterborough curlers are four shots up in the first part of the Fitzgerald—Bottum shield contest which was played last night in the new rink here. It was supposed that three Bobcaygeon rink were to play here but as only 2 were down for the bonspiel and they wished to play before they went home, the locals agreed to it. The game was a good one all through and although there has been so much curling this week it was watched by quite a crowd. The return half will be played in Bobcaygeon in the near future.

The scores and rinks are—

Bobcaygeon		Peterborough
Dr. Foley		Dr. Wightman
H. Mark		Dr. Eastwood
W. A. Hemp		J. H Conroy
A. E Bottum 14	J E. A. Fitzgerald	—19
C. Dickson		W M Lang
W J C Boyd		H Foote
J T Robinson		R Nel.
W J Reid 9		C N Brown 11

GEORGE ST. BEATEN IN CHURCH LEAGUE

Methodists Lost by Score of 7-3 to St. Andrew's Team Last Night.

The Senior Church League fixture last night provided a good brand of hockey, St. Andrew's putting it over George street by the score of 7—3. The game was very interesting and while the margin looks rather wide it hardly indicates the play. It was pulled off on Park street ice and quite a number witnessed the struggle. Roughness was absent throughout, only one man being ruled off, and Jim Squires' rulings were always impartial and kept the men playing hockey all the time.

The teams faced each other as follows:

St. Andrew's — Goal, Patterson; point, Staunton; cover, Flannagan; forwards, Ray and Currie.

George Street — Goal, Williams; point, Ackerman; cover, Curtis; forwards, Pratt and Long.

Referee—Jim Squires.

Time keepers—E. N. MacWilliams and Ernie Reid.

George street played nice combination, but could not net goals. Pratt and Long for the Methodists, and Flannagan and Ray for the Presbyterians, were the scintillators. Only five men a side played.

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15.00	Coats for	11.95
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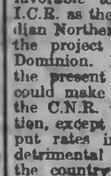

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Eastern and Western Sections Will Be United.

LINE NORTH OF SUPERIOR

William Mackenzie Gives Interview In Which He Confirms Statements That Connecting Road Between East and West Systems Will Soon Be Constructed—Says the I.C.R. Should Not Be Sold.

Montreal, Jan. 15.—Reports that Mackenzie and Mann will build round the north shore of Lake Superior, and thus connect the eastern and western sections of the Canadian Northern Railway, were confirmed yesterday by William Mackenzie, who is here, so rumor says, in connection with the offer that firm are said to be contemplating for the Canadian Government (I.C.R.) system from Montreal to Halifax.

Although the president of the C.N.R. would make no admission as to the amount they would be willing to give Mr. Mackenzie stated that for five or six years past he had been favorable to the absorption of the I.C.R. as the eastern link of the Canadian Northern, and he still considered the project a profitable one to the Dominion. Not knowing much about the present rates on the I.C.R., he could make no statement as to what the C.N.R. would do in this connection, except that no corporation would put rates into force that would be detrimental to the best interests of the country through which the line runs.

Mr. Mackenzie was more definite as to the north shore line.

"Yes," he said, "we are going to build that section in the near future, and already a good portion of the road is permanently located from Port Arthur eastward. We have found a first-rate route and the location lies between the Grand Trunk Pacific and the C.P.R., and while in some places we come nearer the G.T.P., at other points we approach nearer to the shore route of the C.P.R."

Mr. Mackenzie intimated a policy to build this line as soon as possible, but the beginning of the work during the present year depended upon circumstances. The road now being constructed from Hawkesbury to Ottawa would be fully completed during the coming summer and the link from Hawkesbury to Montreal permanently located to a point on the Back River would likewise be shoved ahead.

It is understood as soon as the link is completed from Port Arthur to Parry Sound the section of road now being operated by the Grand Trunk between the capital and Parry Sound will be transferred to the foot of the Rocky Mountains. It is likely that long before the section round Lake Superior is completed the Canadian Northern will have begun work on the Pacific side of the Rockies. They have a charter to build through the Yellow Head Pass.

Motorless Aeroplane.

Canton, O., Jan. 15.—Wm. H. Martin, former surveyor of Stark County, announces that he has made eight successful flights in a motorless aeroplane of his invention.

His wife rode in the machine at a height of 30 feet for a distance of two hundred feet.

The aeroplane is operated on sleigh runners. As soon as it receives sufficient velocity it rises in the air and sails.

Martin will purchase a motor, he says.

Connaught at Messina.

Messina, Jan. 15.—The Duke of Connaught arrived here Wednesday afternoon on board the British cruiser Aboukir. He said:

"This beautiful city seems to have passed through a sieve like ground wheat."

A crowd of people pressed around the duke imploring aid. He distributed a large sum of money and then after taking several photographs of the ruins shook hands with the soldiers working at the excavations.

Fiend With Penknife.

Hamilton, Ohio, Jan. 15.—Rudolph Wirts, a promiennt business man, ran amuck with a penknife, injuring six persons including his wife, who will probably die. He cut and stabbed the woman forty-four times, cut out her left eye and severed her right thumb.

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BOILS.

Mr. S. J. Weir, Riverview, Ont., writes:—"Last summer I had nineteen boils on my neck and back. I was off work for over two weeks. I took everything I could think of but to no effect. I got a bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters and before I had used half the bottle the boils were gone. I took the rest of it, however, and I have not had a boil since."

PIMPLES.

Mrs. W. J. Crandon, St. Mary's, Ont., writes:—"I was troubled with pimples on my face for a couple of years and tried a good deal of patent medicine, but they were not of much use. Finally I used four bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters and am now entirely cured."

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EXIT ROJESTVENSKY.

Disgraced Admiral Dies of Neuralgia of the Heart.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 15.—The death is announced of Vice-Admiral Rojestvensky who was in command of the Russian fleet in May, 1905, when he was practically annihilated by the Japanese in the battle of the Sea of Japan. Death was due to neuralgia of the heart.

VICE-ADMIRAL ROJESTVENSKY.

Sinovi Petrovitch Rojestvensky, who was about 60 years of age, had been in the Russian naval service the greater part of his life. Graduating from the Michael Military Academy, Rojestvensky rose steadily until he became chief of the naval headquarters' staff and the head of the intelligence department of the Russian navy.

Returning to Russia after the battle with Togo, he pleaded guilty to charges of cowardice to save his brother officers, but was declared not guilty. Others were condemned to death, but their sentences were commuted.

HIGH-HANDED DEALINGS.

Multitude of Charges Laid Against Express Companies.

Toronto, Jan. 15.—All kinds of accusations were hurled at the express companies by complaining shippers, before the Dominion Board of Railway Commissioners in the city hall yesterday.

Loose business methods, double charging, excessive rates, utter indifference as to prompt shipment and delivery, collusion in increasing prices and discrimination against certain districts of cities, wholesale destruction of merchandise through careless handling and even threatening employes with dismissal if they attempted to deliver or collect packages outside of certain prescribed bounds, were all mentioned, and left for Chairman Mabee and Commissioner McLean to ponder upon.

The complainants represented wholesale milliners, lobster merchants, fruit growers pop manufacturers, hardware establishments, etc., and came from various parts of the province. Some protests were by letter.

At the adjournment last evening Counsel E. Lafleur, K.C., for the Canadian Express Co., announced that the companies would produce no evidence at the present session, as they wanted time to investigate all the complaints.

Willing to Wear Clothes Now.

Prince Albert, Sask., Jan. 15.—Warden Fred Kerr of Prince Albert jail will take six Doukhobor women, who have been confined to jail for the past six months, to their homes at Hileberno, to-day.

These women are some of the pilgrims who spent last winter at Fort William, and who persisted in doing without clothes last year. They have quite recovered from frenzy and wear clothes and eat anything given them. When they first arrived at the jail they had to be fed by force.

Did Brother Malign Sister?

Winnipeg, Jan. 15.—A peculiar case is pending in the provincial court.

J. C. Stuart of La Riviere, Man., became possessed of some anonymous letters containing scandalous stories about his daughter, Margaret. The provincial police, after investigating, charged the brother of the girl, Duncan R. Stuart, aged 19, an agricultural college student, with writing the letters, and offer expert evidence of the handwriting. The youth denies the accusation. Neither father nor girl credit the charge.

A Raid at Gananoque.

Gananoque, Jan. 15.—The police on Wednesday night raided a supposed poker club, making four arrests. Three others got away. The police long suspected the rooms were frequented by young men for the purpose of gambling. One table and three packs of cards were confiscated. Two ten-cent pieces were found on the floor. The frequenters yesterday pleaded not guilty and were remanded.

Kern Beaten For Senatorship.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 15.—Benjamin F. Shiveley of South Bend was chosen by the Democratic caucus of the Indiana Legislature early yesterday as U. S. Senator, after a night of exciting and spirited balloting with John W. Kern, late Democratic candidate for vice-president.

More Police For Kingston.

Kingston, Jan. 15.—On account of many recent burglaries, some merchants are agitating for more police.

MOIR GOES TO THE ASYLUM FOR LIFE

Murderer of Sergt. Lloyd at London is Adjudged Insane.

TO END DAYS IN ASYLUM

Jurors In Murder Case Spend Only Fifteen Minutes In Deliberation Before Deciding Upon Verdict—Judge Says Epileptics Must Be Confined — Lawyers Waive Addresses to the Jury.

London, Jan. 15.—After 15 minutes' consideration the jury yesterday morning acquitted, on the ground of insanity, Private Moir, late of the Royal Canadian Regiment, charged with the murder by shooting of Sergt. Lloyd at Wolseley Barracks last spring. Chancellor Meredith in his charge to the jury said there was no doubt Moir had been insane.

Moir will be committed to the Hamilton Asylum, and Dr. Bruce Smith, provincial inspector of prisons, says that not in 32 years has anyone sent to the asylum on account of epilepsy been allowed his freedom.

"Under the verdict," said the chancellor, "the prisoner will be kept in close confinement till the pleasure of the crown is known, which means practically he will be confined to an asylum for life. This trial shows the public are in danger from epileptics such as the unfortunate prisoner. Such people may go around without having knowledge of their condition and their homicidal mania may develop at any time.

"Those in charge of affairs should see that epileptics such as the prisoner should be subject to imprisonment for life, or until such time as medical science will have discovered a remedy, which has not yet been done."

Moir, who had flushed and shown emotion by twitching lips and gulping throat when the verdict was announced, was then led away through the crowded court-room.

The chief witness yesterday morning was Dr. W. J. Robinson, superintendent of London Asylum, who declared Moir to be an epileptic, having treated him for that disease in 1906. Alcohol would excite an attack and when senses were recovered the patient would have no knowledge of what might have occurred. Alcohol and epileptic mania were frequently confused.

Dr. C. K. Clarke, superintendent of Toronto Asylum, believed Moir to be an epileptic. An epileptic was usually irritable. Up to a certain point this irritabilty might have nothing to do with epilepsy, but after that it had.

There were no addresses by counsel.

SILK TRAIN WRECKED.

Two Trainmen Are Killed In Wreck at Sidewood, Sask.

Medicine Hat, Jan. 15.—Two trainmen were killed in a rear-end freight wreck Wednesday in which silk valued at about $100,000 was very badly damaged.

The dead men are, D. D. King, fireman and —. Porter, brakeman, of Medicine Hat. Engineer Degan and Brakeman Tatmount were seriously hurt.

An eastbound freight carrying silk stopped at Sidewood, Sask., 55 miles west of Swift Current, when a second eastbound freight struck it, destroying the caboose and six cars.

The silk on the leading train formed part of the cargo of the C.P.R. liner Empress of India, which arrived the other day from the Orient.

New Messina May Arise.

Paris, Jan. 15.—Duke Pompeo Little of Lombardy called on the Italian ambassador, Signor Gallint, yesterday and offered to donate part of an extensive tract of land in Manatee County, Florida, owned by him for the purpose of colonizing 5,000 victims of the earthquake in Calabria and Sicily.

The ambassador has communicated the duke's proposal to the Italian Government.

The duke would allot to each family two farms, one free and the other to be worked for a small rental.

Awaiting Verdict.

Flushing, N.Y., Jan. 15.—The jury in the case of Thornton Jenkins Hains retired at 4:55 o'clock yesterday afternoon to determine whether the indictment charging him with being a principal with his brother, Capt. Peter C. Hains, Jr., in the killing of William E. Annis has been proved or not.

The case was given to the jury after Prosecutor Darrin had completed his closing and Justice Crane had charged the law and reveiwed the evidence.

Books Stolen From Sheriff's Care.

Ottawa, Jan. 15.—A peculiar disappearance of important books from the store of Irving & Co., tailors, Sparks street, has occurred.

The firm had gone into liquidation and the stock and books were seized by the sheriff. The place was locked up, but someone secured entrance and the books have been abstracted.

Not Asking For $35,000,000.

Montreal, Jan. 15—President Whyte of the C.P.R., who arrived here yesterday to go over the estimates with Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, denies reports from the west that he demands an expenditure of $35,000,000 in western lines for the coming season.

Anoth[illegible]

Washington, Jan. 15.—The Senate committee on public buildings soon will start an investigation into the demolition of the old Pennsylvania depot, which was torn down by order of the President, apparently in the absence of legislative authority.

Engine Plunges Into Lake.

Revelstoke, B.C., Jan. 15.—Carrying its engineer and fireman with it, the locomotive of a westbound C.P.R. freight train ran into a snowslide at Three Valley Lake at full speed at 8 o'clock yesterday morning, and, leaving the rails, jumped down the embankment and plunged into the lake. Both men were drowned.

Doctor Amazed by Great Zam-Buk Cure

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BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

At Bologna, Italy, two women died of fright during Wednesday's slight earthquake.

Blanche Goddard of Newton Abbott has divorced Oliver John Goddard, now in Canada.

At Minneapolis, 32 engineering students at the university have struck in protest against the teacher's "kindergarten methods."

Inspector James L. Hughes has presented a library of 100 volumes of literature, history and travel to the Girls' Industrial School.

The foot and mouth disease has been eradicated in New York, Pennsylvania, Maryland and Michigan, but the Federal quarantine will not be completely lifted at present.

The new Cuban congress is in session at Havana, occupying for the first time in the history of the republic, its own home, having met during the former period of independence in an old tobacco warehouse.

Frederick Hardy Ruffles, about 45, who described himself as a Winnipeg dairy farmer, disappeared at Meopham, Kent, and several dairy farming pupils regret the payment of heavy premiums. Many tradesmen would also like to see the color of his money.

Farmer Terribly Scalded.

Kimberley, Ont., Jan. 15.—While preparing to kill hogs, Matthew Ferguson, farmer, near here, accidentally fell into a cauldron of boiling water and was so badly scalded that Dr. Bibby of Flesherton held out little hope for recovery.

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RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

STRATHCONAS AND LAKEFIELD WERE THE CITY LEAGUE WINNERS; BOTH GAMES WERE ONE-SIDED

Five hundred fans gathered for the City League games at the Brock street rink last night, and saw one excellently played junior game and two rather loose exhibitions in the senior series. In the major events —the Lakefield team made a very successful debut for the season by trimming the Belmonts to the tune of 13—2, while the Stratheonas increased their lead in the league race by winning from the T. A. S. handily in the second contest by an 8—2 score. Neither game was a really good exhibition of hockey, chiefly from the fact that the losing team in each case never had a chance to win, and the winners played indifferently, realizing that they were not in danger. The result was that there were times in both games in which the play lagged so much as to bore the audience, only an occasional streak of hockey being thrown in with the mediocre variety. However, the crowd seemed to find both games interesting, and they remained until the finish.

The Lakefield team showed practically no changes in their line-up from last year's team, but at that they were miles too good for the Belmonts and the contest dwindled down into a question of how big a score the Cementville seven would be able to pile up. The Belmonts scored the first goal, but were never in the hunt after that, the northerners being in and out around them, with the result that the game became a procession. Lakefield were ahead at the half by 7—2, and they piled on six more in the last period, coming within one goal of equalling the score amassed by the Strathconas against the same team last week. The Belmonts were demoralized, having no combination and being without system, both on the defence and on the attack, while they had not the speed or the condition to hold Lakefield.

Leo Quinn was at cover point for Lakefield, and he was the bright shining star of the contest. He had speed to burn and when he got going went through the Belmont ranks like Paderewski through a faucet. His stick handling was magnificent, and his long sweeping strides carried him away from the Belmont forwards and around their defence in easy fashion. The crowd cheered his performance to the echo, and he earned all the bouquets that were coming his way. Quinn is about fifty per cent. of the Lakefield team, although he received good support from his club mates last night. Tony Sabatino was always in his place at centre and figured in the goal getting While Quinn, especially in the second half, played a fine game at left wing, shooting nicely from the boards. The defence had little to do, Crawford only having two shots to handle during the second half.

Elliott was the best of the Belmonts He worked like a Trojan throughout, and although he was unable to accomplish much, was in the game from start to finish. The other forwards worked hard, but there was no system and their individual work was unsuccessful.

Myers, Ecclestone and Davidson were an overworked trio, and must have been glad when the game was over.

Belmonts scored the first goal in three minutes, Taylor lifting one past Crawford from the wing, but Lakefield came back with a pretty goal in thirty seconds, on a combination rush between Sabatino and Simpson, and after that there was nothing to the contest. Quinn began to get in his serpentine rushes and although he was slashed pretty freely by the Belmont defence, he never let up his great work, being responsible for most of the scores.

The teams were as follows:

	LAKEFIELD	
	Crawford	
	M. Sabatino	
	Quinn	
	T. Sabatino	
Morin	Simpson	Quinlan
Waram	Wilson	Taylor
	Elliott	
	Ecclestone	
	Myers	
	Davidson	
	BELMONTS	

The summary which follows tells the story of the play.

Summary

1—Belmonts; Taylor, 3 min.
2—Lakefield; T. Sabatino, 30 secs.
3—Lakefield; T. Sabatino, 2.30.
4—Lakefield; Quinn, 6 mins.
5—Lakefield; T. Sabatino, 3 mins.
6—Lakefield; Quinn, 7 mins.
7—Belmonts; Waram, 30 secs.
8—Lakefield; Quinn, 5 mins.
9—Lakefield; Simpson, 2 mins.
Half Time.
10—Lakefield; Quinn, 2 mins.
11—Lakefield; Quinlan, 5 mins.
12—Lakefield; Quinlan, 3 mins.
13—Lakefield; Morin, 4 mins.
14—Lakefield; Morin, 11 min.
15—Lakefield; Quinn, 2 mins.
Penalties—
First Half — Belmonts — Taylor, Waram, Wilson; total 3.
Lakefield—Quinn; total 1.
Second Half — Belmonts — Ecclestone, Elliott 2, Myers 2, Wilson; total 6.
Lakefield—M. Sabatino; total 1.

Straths Beat Abstainers

The Strathconas—T A S contest which followed was listless throughout proving rather a disappointment as a fast and game between the two was looked forward to. The Straths won easily but failed to play in anything like their usual form, losing many opportunities and failing to get together with their usual team work on the forward line. However, they were never in danger after they scored the first four goals before the T A S tallied and repeated the performance with a quartette in the second half while the T A S added a lone counter. It was not good hockey by any means, the play lagging badly in spots. The Straths had too much speed for the Abstainers and backed up so fast that the T A S line had few chances to break away and when they did get going the High Commissioners' defence had no trouble to handle them. Both teams contributed some dumb playing but it was seen soon after the start that the champions had the game on ice, a fourth they were not working together as usual. The Abstainers worked hard all the way and checked well, but they suffered as had the Belmonts in the first game by not having any combination on the forward line.

Ray played a very useful and effective game at rover for the Straths his back checking always helping, while he rushed well as usual. The other three forwards worked hard all through but could not seem to let going at their usual clip. Seymour got a bump shortly after half time that left him dazzled for the rest of the game. Dusty was as effective as ever at cover and his rushes helped while Smith at point played a splendid game both on the defence and on the attack. His hurdling was one of the features and he got away with some spectacular work. Wilson had little to do in the nets.

Cyril Giroux of the junior O H A team and Quigley did the best work on the Abstainers' line, although Coughlin who had played earlier in the evening for the T A S juniors against the Chieftains did splendid work. Crough and Cahil made a good defence and Derocher in goal kept the score from going into double figures by pulling off some spectacular stops. The winners were coming right in on top of him but he went out a score of times and beat them off in clever fashion.

STRATHCONAS

	Wilson	
	Smith	
	Ray	
Seymour	Long	McMillan
Galvin	Giroux	Coughlin
	Quigley	
	Crough	
	Cahill	
	Derocher	

T A S

The Summary

1 Straths—Ray, 2 min.
2 Straths—McMillan, 8 min.
3 Straths—Long, 5 min.
4 Straths—Ray, 4 min.
5 T A S—Galvin, 3 min.
Half Time.
6 Straths—Seymour, 4 min.
7 T A S—Giroux, 5 min.
8 Straths—M Millan, 4 min.
9 Straths—Long, 1 min.
10 Straths—Seymour, 2 min.
Penalties—First Half—
Straths—McMillan, Smith, total 2
Second Half—
Straths—Dusty, Ray, Seymour, total 3.
T A S—Quigley, 2. total 2.

WALTER MILLER,
The Peterborough member of the Brantford hockey club who was injured in the G. T. R. wreck near Guelph, yesterday.

THREE GAMES IN LOCAL BOWLING LEAGUE WERE PLAYED LAST NIGHT

After a few days' rest the ten pin tournament at the P.B.C. alleys was resumed last night with renewed energy caused by the arrival of the handsome trophy which is referred to elsewhere in this issue.

There were three matches pulled off last night which provided two distinct sensations. The first was the downfall of the Bankers, whose scalps were carried into camp by the Pacifics. The money counters lost two of the three games, and for the first time since the tournament opened have bid farewell to the first place. The Examiner A bunch are now in the lead and the other teams will endeavour to pull them down from their exalted position.

The scores for last night's games are as follows:—

LOCK WORKS—				
Laing	130	162	96—4	390
Westbrooke	115	123	122—4	360
Lacheur	147	110	149—	406
	392	395	368—1155	
B.A.C.—				
Bruce	147	188	181—	461
Macrae	128	166	122—	416
Campbell	126	114	119—	359
	401	469	382—1246	
BANKERS—				
Ford	194	122	150—	466
Barber	200	147	127—	474
Ferguson	185	172	134—	491
	579	441	431—1441	
PACIFICS—				
Connors	161	156	141—	458
Lillie	169	187	155—	491
McIlroy	154	166	145—	465
	474	439	441—1454	
GRAYS—				
Parker	151	139	174—	465
McFadden	194	140	134—	470
Sullivan	128	109	133—	367
	473	379	441—1292	
HUTCH'S HAMS—				
Hutchinson	161	141	139—	441
Hurtubise	139	131	161—	432
Hay	148	161	280—	589
	439	433	490—1362	

THE CHIEFTAINS SHOWED GREAT FORM IN JUNIOR LEAGUE GAME

Manager Jack Thirnbeck's crack little team — the Chieftains — did things to the T.A.S. Juniors in the Junior City League game played at the Brock street Rink last night before the Senior League fixtures. The Chieftains won out by 8-4, leading at half by 3-2. The game was by far the best exhibition of the night, the youngsters unravelling a pretty classy brand of hockey all the way. The pace was hot from start to finish with no let-up in the play, and the crowd enjoyed the fray immensely.

Superior team work won for the Chieftains. When their combination got working in the second half they went along like a piece of well oiled machinery, carrying the puck right in on the nets so that the goal keeper never had a chance to keep them away. Early in the game they were bunching too much to be effective, but they soon steadied down and when they did the Abstainers were out of the hunt.

Individually the T.A.S. were good. They have a number of fast men on their line-up, and if they worked together as did the Chieftains, the result might have been closer. Their individual efforts, however, were not enough to win for them, cumbered as they were by the fast back checking of the Chieftains' line and the goodwork of their defence.

The Chieftains' playing was a revelation to the crowd. Two or three men handled the puck in every rush and they shot well too, while their checking was excellent. Crane was the star of a splendid forward line. His stick handling and shooting could not have been improved upon, while his checking always helped. Wallis played a fine game at cover, and Lees in goal pulled off some splendid stops in the second half. The team is well balanced and will take a lot of beating.

For the T.A.S. Coughlin, Milloy and Gorham were the stars, playing nice hockey, but team work was lacking.

S. W. Rose made a very satisfactory referee, and the teams and summary were as follows:—

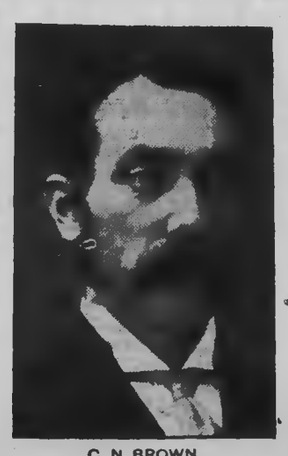
	CHIEFTAINS	
	Lees	
	Munro	
	Wallis	
	Crane	
Burritt	Hall	Fortye
Gorham	Milloy	Corkery
	Coughlin	
	Kenneally	
	Heffernan	
	Callaghan	
	T.A.S.	

1. T.A.S. — Corkery.
2. Chieftains — Hall.
3. T.A.S. — Heffernan.
4. Chieftains — Hall.
5. Chieftains — Hall.
Half time.
6. Chieftains — Crane.
7. T.A.S. — Milloy.
8. Chieftains — Crane.
9. T.A.S. — Coughlin.
10. Chieftains — Crane.
11. Chieftains — Wallis.
12. Chieftains — Hall.

THE NAPANEE RINK WINS FIRST PRIZE IN CONSOLATION EVENT BY BEATING O'CONNOR OF LINDSAY

The Primary
1 Geo Little, Lindsay.
2 J. D. Flavelle, Lindsay.
Consolation Event
1 G. S. Ham, Napanee
2 L. V. O'Connor, Lindsay.
3 W. G. Morrow, Peterborough.

What has proved one of the most successful bonspiels in the history of the Peterborough Curling Club was



C. N. BROWN,
President of the Peterborough Curling Club under whose auspices this week's successful bonspiel has been held.

brought to a close early last evening by the playing of the finals in the consolation event resulting in Skip Ham of Napanee defeating Skip L. V. O'Connor of Lindsay, in the last game by 5 shots the score being Ham 20, O'Connor 15. Skip Morrow of Peterborough defeated Skip Reid of Bobcaygeon for third prize in the consolation event by 8-7 being the only Peterborough rink to win a prize in the spiel.

The fourth round of the consolation played yesterday morning resulted in L. V. O'Connor of Lindsay, W. G. Morrow of Peterborough, G. S. Ham of Napanee, and W. J. Reid of Bobcaygeon being left for the semi final round in the afternoon.

There was a big crowd of spectators on hand in the afternoon to watch the play off and they saw two highly interesting games. O'Connor and Morrow were drawn against each other and the Lindsay quartette won an interesting game by eight up. At the same time two well known curlers, Ham of Napanee and Reid of Bobcaygeon were battling it out on another rink the easterners winning out by 4 shots after a splendid game.

This left it for Napanee and Lindsay to fight it out in the finals, which were commenced immediately afterwards and the result was another clean cut victory for Skip Ham's rink. The Lindsay quartette were well ahead in the early stages being seven ahead at one time, but the Napanee men curled brilliantly in the nine ends and won out by 5 shots. It was fine curling all through and the big crowd found the match most interesting.

Skip Morrow of Peterborough and Skip Reid of Bobcaygeon played off for third prize, the honours falling to Peterborough after a bitter game by one shot, the score being Morrow 8 Reid 7.

The rinks and scores in the finals were as follows—

For 1st Prize

Napanee		Lindsay
H. Daly		F Carew
R G H Traver		R Butler
C I Maybee		F Knowlson
G S Ham 20	L V O'Connor 15	

For 3rd Prize

Peterborough		Bobcaygeon
R Carlon		C Dickson
H A Morrow		W C T Boyd
G L Hay		J T Robinson
W G Morrow 8		W J Reid 7

Thus ended a most successful bonspiel and the local curlers who had

MR. W. G. MORROW,
Skip of the only Peterborough rink to win a prize at the local bonspiel.

the affair in charge are to be congratulated upon the happy culmination of their efforts. The visiting curlers have been unanimous in their praise of the rest men they received and of the manner in which the spiel was conducted. The new rink has been praised on all sides by the visitors as a commodious, well lighted and well arranged building.

PETERBORO'S STRONG TEAM FOR TO-NIGHT'S GAME WITH BELLEVILLE

The great interest that is being taken in the opening of the Intermediate O. H. A. season here to-night, with the big game between Belleville and the locals, presages a record crowd at to-night's game, which will be called at Brock street rink at 8.15 o'clock. Both teams are confident of winning and a great battle should be the result, as the ice is in splendid condition for fast hockey. A telephone message from Belleville this morning supplied the information that Belleville will have their strongest line-up on, including Dr. Gilbert, and that they expect to beat Peterborough here to-night without much trouble. That there is a surprise in store for them is the opinion of the fans who have attended the recent practices of the intermediates. The local team is in excellent shape and if they do not pull off a victory they will be a very much surprised bunch. Peterborough are determined to win the district, and to get away to a good start will do their utmost to hand Belleville a package of limes to-night. It will be fast, hard hockey all the way and the fans cannot afford to miss the opener. It is expected that Waghorne will referee the contest.

The Petes will have Charlie Ray, rover of the junior team, on their line-up, as well as Glover, Parnell and Moore of the old intermediate and senior team, on the defence so that the team on paper looks strong enough to beat any team in the district. They have been practising faithfully and are in condition to go the route at top speed to-night. The Peterborough team will line up as follows:

Goal—Derocher.
Point—Glover.
Cover point—Moore.
Rover—Ray.
Centre—Parnell.
Right wing—Rose.
Left wing—Dusty.

There should be a big crowd on hand, as the game will be well worth seeing.

BONSPIEL PRIZES PRESENTED TO THE WINNERS LAST NIGHT

The closing act in the curling bonspiel was the presentation of the prizes to the winning rinks, which event took place in the club room, at the rink, immediately at the conclusion of the finals in the consolation event, and which formed a very pleasant closing to what has been a most enjoyable and successful affair. Mr. C. N. Brown, the president of the Peterborough Curling Club, presided, and presented the prizes in a happy manner. The winners and their prizes were as follows: Skip Little, Lindsay, first in the primary, four pairs of curling stones; Skip Flavelle, of Lindsay, second in the primary, four gold lockets; Skip Ham, of Napanee, first in the consolation, four travelling bags; Skip O'Connor, of Lindsay, second in the consolation, four pairs of military brushes, and Skip Morrow, of Peterborough, four cut glass bon-bon dishes.

The feature of the speeches that were made, was the unanimous expression of the fact that the bonspiel had been a grand success, and that the utmost harmony and good feeling had prevailed throughout. Rev. Wallace, president of the Lindsay Club, and Messrs. J. D. Flavelle and L. V. O'Connor spoke on behalf of Lindsay Club, and Mr. J. Sellam, of Napanee for that club, congratulated the Peterborough curlers on the great success of the bonspiel. Mr. Flavelle warmly praised the rink, saying that it was the best rink that he had ever played in.

The local curlers have reason to shake hands with themselves over the result of their efforts to make the event a success. All the outside clubs were enthusiastic over the manner in which they were received and treated while here.

The Bobcaygeon curlers, who played the first game for the Fitzgerald-Bottum trophy, last night, were entertained by the local club at a delightful little banquet at Coleman's restaurant last night.

HOCKEY

The Collegiate Institute hockey team is looking for a game with some of the junior teams in the city. They would like to play the T.A.S., Otonabees or the Business College, the latter preferred.

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A meeting of the executive of the Junior City League is called for Saturday night at eight o'clock at the Examiner office.

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The Little Petes accept the challenge of the Midgets and will be pleased to meet them at as early a date as possible.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE

CANADIAN PACIFIC

Going East	Leave Peterborough
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal, Kingston	11.30 a m
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Going West	**Leave Peterborough**
For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	6.35 a m
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For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points	4.36 p m

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	Arrive	Depar
Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Penetanguishene, Perth Bay, Brockville and Toronto	11.40 a.m. 9.55 p.m.	8.05 a.m. 11.55 a.m.
Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	9.55 a.m. 9.55 p.m.	9.05 p.m. 9.05 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara, Falls, Buffalo, Cobourg, Montreal and East	9.55 p.m.	11.05 a.m.
Toronto, Lindsay, Stouffville, Uxbridge and Markham	11.40 a.m. 9.55 p.m.	7.10 a.m. 3.00 p.m.
Lindsay Local	10.10 p.m.	11.40a.m.
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	9.55 a.m. 9.55 p.m.	9.05 a.m. 9.05 p.m.
Lakefield and Stony Lake	10.10 a.m. 6.15 p.m.	8.05 a.m. 12.50 p.m.

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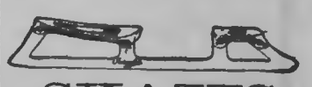

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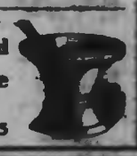

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LATEST CITY NEWS.

Probabilities

—North-west winds, fair, becoming colder. Saturday—North and north-west winds and cold.

Private Secretary

—There will be a rehearsal of the "Private Secretary" in the Knights of Pythias' Hall to-morrow night.

Literary Society Meeting

—The T. Eds. Ladies' Literary Society will meet on Friday evening. A paper on "Canada" will be read by Miss Nora Fitzgerald. 6d-10-5033

Monthly Meeting

—The monthly meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y.M.C.A. will be held on Monday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

—Hear Harry Lauder at the Peterborough Music Store.

Have you Tried it?

—The sample of Celery King left at your door. The Warne Drug Co., Limited, have just opened up a fresh stock of this wonderful herb medicine. Large package 25c.

Particular

—If you are particular about the way your clothes look, send them to "My Valet," 204 Charlotte street, and have them cleaned, dyed, repaired and pressed. All particular people do.

Edmonton Coal

—Before last Friday the price of coal in Edmonton was $8.50 a ton. That day it advanced fifty cents and on Saturday was selling at $6.00 and some at $5.50 a ton. The reason for the rapid advance in the western city is that the people wait until the last minute to get in a supply and then when a cold spell comes along there is a general rush for it, with the above results. It is safe to say that if the first prices prevailed in Peterborough the citizens would not hesitate long in securing enough to last a whole year.

Band at Street Railway Rink To-night.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Mr Levi Payne, of Lakefield, was in the city this morning.

Mrs. A. W. Mackenzie of Lakefield was in the city yesterda

Mr. and Mrs. John Hayes of Lakefield, were in the city yesterda.

Mr. O. A. Langley, of Lakefield, was in the city this morning on business.

Mr. Edward Jory, of Pine Grove, Lakefield, was in the city this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Botteral of Lakefield were in the city this morning.

Miss Vi Fraser and Mr. Jack Fraser left for Brantford this morning to attend the wedding of their sister, which takes place Saturday afternoon.

Miss Jones of London, England, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Mackenzie at The Grove, Lakefield, passed through the city yesterday on her way to Galt, Ontario.

Shredded Wheat Banquet, Murray Street Baptist Church, Friday evening, Jan. 15th, at 7 o'clock. Admission 25 cents. 7-Stood

LANG & MAHER STOCK
Still in the hands of Clearing Agent for a few days more.
Further announcement later.
Bargains greater than ever.
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BARGAIN ANNEX A GOOD FEATURE

A. W. Cressman's Special Department Favourably Criticized.

The "Bargain Annex" is a department which Cressman, of Peterborough, introduces with profit in connection with holiday seasons. He gives it the benefit of strong advertising. Here is a paragraph from his ad. which is in itself descriptive of the methods employed: "Big Dress Goods Bargain—Last week's annex dress goods sale was such a big success that we have selected another lot for this week's annex in plain navy, black, brown, etc. In the annex all one price. As is always customary in the cases of special or general merchandising, plans with which A. W. Cressman featureizes his business the proposition is always given the benefit of the best possible publicity. That is one explanation of their success.

GOSELIN STILL CUTS THE PRICE OF MEATS

Saturday's cash specials at Goselin's Meat Market will be round steak at 12c per lb., or 10 lbs. for $1.00. This is the spot for the best meat at the lowest prices. The beef is all heifer and steer beef, and in prime condition, guaranteed. Come and buy a good round to-morrow.

Sirloin roasts 12c; porterhouse roasts 12c; rib roasts, 3:; shoulder roasts 9c; boiling beef, 6 to 8).

Shoulder roasts, 20 lbs. and upward 8c. lb.

Fresh Pork sausage 10c.
Head cheese, our own make, 4 lbs. for 25c.
Hind quarter beef -7c.
Fore quarter beef—6c.
Hind quarter lamb—15.
Fore quarter lamb —12 1-2.
Loin of lamb—16.
Leg of lamb—17.
Fresh pork- 15
Hind quarter pork —12 1-2.
Fore quarter of pork—11 1-2.
Hind quarter mutton—12 1-2.
Fore quarter mutton -11 1-2.
Loin of mutton—14
Leg of mutton—15

These prices are good for this week and all next week, and are strictly for cash.

F. J. Goselin, 241 George street. 'Phone Bell 316K.

BOYS ALLOWED TO GO WITH WARNING

Magistrate Dumble Gives Them Another Chance to Make Good.

The three boys who, a few days ago appeared before Magistrate Dumble, although not charged with theft in order that their record might not be blotched, were admittedly guilty. This afternoon they were allowed to go free after a warning from His Worship. They promised to do better and they will be watched in future by the police to see that they are keeping their promise.

Band at Street Railway Rink To-night.

MANY ENTRIES FOR BOWLING CONTEST

Handsome Trophy Has Stimulated the Interest in big Handicap Event.

Entries are coming in fast for the trophy competition which started yesterday at the P.B.C. The trophy which is a handsome and valuable one is in the form of a silver punch bowl, gold lined. It rests on three gold ten pins with a number of bowls grouped beneath, the whole standing on an ebony base. It will be emblematic of the individual ten pin championship, and the competition now in progress should set at rest the controversy which has been raging for some time past as to the identity of the bowling champion of Peterborough.

The present competition will last until the end of February and it has been decided that the player who makes the ten highest scores during that period shall become the possessor of the trophy, which he will hold as a challenge trophy, and he will be subject to a challenge on Thursday evening of each week throughout the season, the bowler winning it the most number of times before the end of next season to become the permanent owner of the handsome piece of silverware.

In order to give all devotees of the great indoor pastime an opportunity of having the honour of winning the championship emblem it has been decided to allot generous handicaps to the less experienced members of the fraternity, and already this course has been justified by the large number of entries received from new bowlers. The big fellows, too, are taking up the idea with great enthusiasm, and are almost to a man entering for the trophy.

A suggestion has been made that a number of the high men at the finish of the competition be entered in the Canadian tournament which will be held early in March in Hamilton, and the prospects are that some of them will go to the Ambitious City and try their skill against some of the cracks who will assemble there from all over Canada and many points across the border to do battle for Canadian national bowling honours.

THE BUSINESS BOYS' TEA AT THE Y.M.C.A.

The regular Business Boys' tea was held last night in the Y.M.C.A. Banquet Hall. The night has been changed from Tuesday to Thursday night. Aftersupper a half hour Bible study was held by Dr. Middleton.

All business boys are cordially invited to attend the meetings.

THE G. T. R. ISSUES NEW MAP OF CONTINENT

The Grand Trunk Railway System has just issued what is considered to be the most complete map of the North American continent, showing the relative positions of the Grand Trunk Railway System, the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway and their connections. The map is printed in five colours, the combination of vinces of the Dominion. The colour being used for each of the States of the republic and each of the Provinces of the Dominion. The colours used for the water portion of the country is light blue, making a pleasing contrast with the tints used for the land portions. The map is 45 inches by 65 inches, printed on heavy coated stock, mounted on rollers and bound with linen.

Among the special features that are embodied in this map may be mentioned the following: The Grand Trunk Railway System is shown with reference designating the double track under operation, other lines of the company in operation, through car lines and connections. The lines of the Grand Trunk Pacific under operation, under construction and the proposed branch lines are also shown in an accurate and comprehensive way. The Trans-Atlantic and Trans-Pacific steamship routes appear in dotted lines and include all the principal lines operating from all the principal seaports on both the Atlantic and Pacific coasts.

The typographical features are shown, such as mountains, lakes, rivers, etc. In addition to the main map there are two key maps, one showing the routes around the world on Mercator's projection, which is a most interesting feature, and one that shows the relative positions of all the countries on the globe with the around the world routes. The other key map is a part of Alaska, showing north Pacific coast points steamship routes, Behring Sea and a part of Siberia.

The exebution of the map is a credit to the publishers, and it is the best railway map published and one that will be sought after for its general usefulness.

STANDING OF THE CITY HOCKEY LEAGUE TEAMS

As a result of last night's games in the Senior City League, the standing of the teams to date is as follows:

	Won	Lost	Goals For	Goals Against
Strathconas	2	0	22	4
Lakefield	1	0	13	2
T. A. S.	1	1	4	9
West Ends	0	1	1	2
Belmonts	0	2	4	27

Games neext week—Belmonts vs. T. A. S; Lakefield vs. West Ends.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(Furnished by J. N. Barber.)

	Opening	Closing
A.C.P	79½	80
Atch	99½	99½
B.R.T.	69	68½
C.P.R.	176	176½
C.W.I.	40½	40
Erie	30	30½
Great Northern	142½	142½
G.N.	123	123
Mo. Pac.	69	69½
Northern Pacific	130½	130
N.Y.C.	132½	132½
Penna	132½	132½
R.I.	24½	24½
Rdg.	136½	136
Smelters	84½	83½
Soo	144½	144½
St. Paul	148½	148½
S.P	118½	119
U.P.	178½	178½
U.S	51½	51½
U.S. pf'd.	113½	113½
Iwin City	—	—
Nipissing	10	10
May Wheat	106½	105½
" Corn	61½	60½
May Oats	51½	51½
" Pork	16.87	16.87

Attention is called to the Auction Sale of a very pretty and comfortable home south of Aberdeen Avenue and east of Aylmer Street, at present occupied by Mr. R. F. Ivey. It lies a little west of the New Normal School, where so many houses are now in course of erection. The house has a good cellar, large rooms, handsome grate and fire place, etc. Sale at Munro Hotel, 25th January, at 2 p.m. 4d-9-MF

THE EGG YIELD IS SCARCE THIS YEAR

Complaints come from all sides that egg yieldrs are low. What is the reason? I don't know; I wish I did. The egg yield here is also low. There may be a number of conditions that tend to keep the yield low. Last fall was so favorable that I found that hens laid almost continuously till quite late, going into moult very late. They will not lay for a month or two yet. The early pullets laid well during the fall months and are taking a rest now. The late pullets did not get started before this exceptionally cold snap, hence are still not producing. The lack of sunshine retards laying, so that all these conditions (and there may be others) probably in part account for the lack of eggs.

The best thing to do is to give the very best care possible; change the feed somewhat; give plenty of it, and induce a good healthy exercise. Keep the places clean and birds free from vermin; houses well ventilated but free from draughts; dry, and as bright as possible.—F. C. E.

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Gin Pills Cured Them. Free Sample Box Leads to Cure.
Only those who have been tortured with Kidney Trouble can appreciate how Mr. Trumper suffered. Being a railroad man, he was called upon to do all kinds of heavy work. The constant strain of lifting, weakened the kidneys.
I received the sample box of Gin Pills and was greatly benefitted by them. My kidneys were in such bad condition I could not lift or stoop without pain. In fact, they pained me nearly all the time. I have taken three boxes of Gin Pills, working all the time at heavy work on the railroad and did not lose a day.
FRANK TRUMPER, Napanee, Ont.
Do sharp twinges catch you as you stoop? Are you subject to Rheumatism, Sciatica or Lumbago? Does your Bladder give trouble? Take Gin Pills on our positive guarantee that they will cure you or money refunded, 50c a box—6 for $2.50. At dealers, or direct if you cannot obtain from druggist. Sample box free if you mention this paper.
Dept. B., National Drug & Chemical Co., Limited, Toronto. 117

THE LITTLE LAKE CEMETERY COMPANY

The Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company, will be held at the City Council Chamber, Peterborough on Monday the 18th January, 1909, at 8 p.m., for the purpose of electing Directors for the present year, the consideration of reports and the transaction of other necessary business.

Dated 9th January 1909.

E. A. PECK, Secretary. W. H. MOORE, President.

6d-3 1w-2 5833

SALE OF RAISINS
1000 Boxes
I am instructed by the Consignors to sell by Public Auction one thousand half boxes of raisins, which arrived too late for the Christmas trade. These raisins are of the highest grade and in prime condition and will be sold in lots or by the box, (28 lbs.,) to suit purchasers.
Sale at 2 o'clock, on
Monday, 25th January,
at 130 Simcoe Street, between W. H. Hamilton's Grocery and the Bank of Montreal.
Terms Cash
JOHN HAGGART,
12d-8 Auctioneer

PARTNERSHIP DISSOLVED.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing under the name and style of Misses Allen & Felion, Milliners, of the City of Peterborough, has been dissolved.

The business will, in future, be carried on by Miss Allen, who will settle all claims against the late firm, and to whom all accounts owing thereto are payable.

January 12, 1909.

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3 lbs. New Currants....24c
3 lbs. New Raisins for....20c
New Orange and Lemon Peel, lb. 15c
New Citron Peel, per lb....28c
Shelled Almonds and Walnuts, lb. 35c
Tomatoes, per tin....10c
Peas, Beans and Corn, per tin....8c
3 bottles Pickles for....25c
New Dates, per lb....10c
New Figs, per lb....10c
Mince Meat, 3 lbs. for....25c
MEAT DEPARTMENT
A choice and complete stock of Fresh and Salt Meat, Bologna Sausage, Canned Goods, Pickles, Sauces, etc., can always be had from us.
JUST ARRIVED
Oysters, Turkeys, Geese, Chickens, Ducks, etc., for Christmas and New Year trade. A trial order will convince you that our stock is first class and that we will not be undersold by anyone. Our Motto—Goods delivered to all parts of the city without disappointment.
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Reductions in all lines. 15% to 30% off regular prices. We guarantee all we advertise. It will pay you to buy now. : : :
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Peterborough, November 10th, 1908.

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Dear Sirs,---I beg to acknowledge receipt to-day of cheque from The London Mutual Fire Insurance Company in full settlement of my claim for loss by fire, which occurred just three weeks ago.

I wish to thank you and your Company for the liberal and satisfactory manner in which my loss has been adjusted and paid, and would heartily recommend the London Mutual to the insuring public

Yours truly,
[Sgd.] THOMAS YOUNG.

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—and—

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TUESDAY, JAN. 19th

4,000 Yards Dress Muslins

French, English and American Make

go on sale this day at one-third to one-half less than regular value. Absolutely new and of surpassing beauty, this lot far excels our previous showings.

SEE OUR SHOW WINDOWS MONDAY

We have divided this 4,000 yards in Three Lots, as follows :—

LOT 1 **12½c.** Per Yard

Embraces regular 20c materials such as Holly Batiste, Claribel Batiste, French Organdie, Swiss Muslin, Printed Mulls, etc., in light and dark grounds.

LOT 2 **15c.** Per Yard

Embraces Regular 25c materials, among which are Printed Voiles, Printed French Organdies, Swiss Muslin, Amaryllis Batiste, Carreau de Paris, Swiss Mulls and many other styles in very pretty patterns and colour combinations.

LOT 3 **20c.** Per Yard

Embraces Regular 35c and 40c materials of the very highest class, such as Plain Voile Clarion, a new cotton fabric in White, Cream, Black and Colours; Printed Voile Clarion in handsome stripes and figures; Chiffon D'Empire, a very fine French Organdie in exquisite designs and colourings, and several other weaves.

Those who have benefitted by our previous January Dress Muslin Sales will not need a second invitation to be here in good time on Tuesday.

Robert Fair & Co.

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383 GEORGE STREET : PETERBOROUGH

H. LeBRUN & CO.'S Genuine Rush Prices

ON ALL MADE-TO-ORDER AND READY-MADE CLOTHING

We don't want to exaggerate a bit, but such buying chances as the following have very seldom been offered in Peterborough. Our desire to close up our regular year's business with a very light stock is the chief reason for this very extraordinary January

CUT-PRICE SALE

We are offering HIGH-GRADE MADE-TO-MEASURE CLOTHING at and below cost, in order to reduce our big range of Suitings and Overcoatings. Here are a few samples of the Rush Prices :—

Men's Best Melton or Beaver Overcoats, made to order, former price $25.00. Rush Sale Price **18.00**

Men's Scotch Tweed, Melton or Beaver Overcoats, made to order, former price $20.00. Rush Sale Price **15.00**

Men's Worsted Pants, made to order, former price $6.50. Rush Sale Price **5.00**

Men's Worsted Pants, made to order, former price $4.00. Rush Sale Price **3.00**

Men's $5.00 Vest Patterns, made to order for **3.50**

Men's Best Single or Double Breasted Tweed Suits, made to order, former price $20.00. Rush Sale Price **15.50**

Men's Serge and Worsted Suits, made to order, former price $24.00 and $24.00. Rush Sale Price **18.00, 20.00**

These are the most sweeping cuts we have ever made on Made-to-measure Garments. Every Garment will be made up and finished in the same first-class style as if regular price were paid.

Men's Ready-made Overcoats, were $15.00. Rush Sale Price **11.00**

Men's Fashionable Winter Overcoats, were $10.00. Rush Sale Price **7.75**

Men's Heavy Tweed Overcoats, were $7.00. Rush Sale Price **5.00**

Men's Ready-made Tweed Suits, were $7.00. Rush Sale Price **4.75**

Men's Ready made Worsteds and Serge Suits, were $12.00. Rush Sale Price **9.50**

Men's Working Pants **1.00, 1.25, 1.50**

Men's Tweed and Worsted Pants **2.00, 2.50, 3.00**

Men's Underwear marked down to cost.

Men's Imported Underwear, including Wolsey's and other makes, 20 to 30 per cent. discount.

Reductions Apply to Every Department

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For New Year's

Fine Watches

If you are thinking of giving a watch New Year's then our large stock will be of interest to you. Remember, in buying a Watch quality is what counts every time. Some Watches are dear at any price. We pay most particular attention in selecting our movements.

FOR LADIES—In Gold Filled Cases, hand engraved designs, not common patterns, but all entirely new, with fine movements guaranteed by us, from $10.00 up. For Solid Gold 14 Kt. Cases, the prices start from $24 up.

FOR MEN—In Gold Filled Cases they are priced from $10 up. In Solid Gold 14 Kt. Cases, from $25.

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Report From the Lockmasters at the Different Locks as Supplied to The Examiner by Superintendent McClellan.

THE INCREASE IS GREAT.

Superintendent J. H. McClellan, of the Trent Valley Canal, has supplied the Examiner with a report of the number of lockages at the different points along the canal during the past season. The following figures, which are given as supplied by each lockmaster, illustrate the growth of traffic :—

Hydraulic Lift Lock Kirkfield

Wm. Jobe, Lockmaster

This is the second year that the Kirkfield Hydraulic Lift Lock has been operated, and notwithstanding the fact that there is no through route from Georgian Bay as yet, and therefore, nothing to demand very much traffic on the Lake Simcoe-Balsam Lake Division of the canal, there has been, nevertheless, a slight increase in the number of lockages this year. The following tabby will show the number of lockages at the Kirkfield Hydraulic Lift Lock during the past season :

	Steamers	Small Boats	Scows	Rafts
April	—	—	—	—
May	4	4	7	—
June	22	8	6	—
July	17	18	8	—
August	20	19	3	—
September	20	16	2	1
October	2	2	2	—

Total number of steamboats 85.
Total number of small boats 66.
Total number of scows 28.
Total number of rafts 1.
Total number of lockages 180.
Comparison for past two years, 1907—136 (total.) 1908—180 total.

Rosedale Lock

A. A. Sackett, acting lockmaster

A substantial new lock, much larger than the old wooden lock formerly at this place is now about completed. A splendid new concrete dam is also being constructed at Rosedale. Balsam Lake just above the Rosedale Lock constitutes the summit waters of the Trent Canal. From Balsam Lake the waters of the Trent Canal flow eastward to Lake Ontario. While the artificial stretch from Balsam Lake to Lake Simcoe carries a very light portion of the water from Balsam Lake to Georgian Bay.

A record of the lockages at Rosedale during the past year is as follows...

	Steamers	Small Boats	Scows
May	88	—	51
June	162	23	21
July	171	54	38
August	187	89	47
September	139	54	50
October	83	44	32
November	9	7	—

Total number of steamboats, 839.
Total number of small boats, 271.
Total number of scows, 220.
Total lockages, 1330.
Total number feet of lumber, 65,000.

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CHATS ABOUT FAMOUS BOOKS AND THEIR AUTHORS

By F. M. D.

"The place and the value of Christopher Marlowe as a leader among English poets it would be almost impossible for historical criticism to overestimate. To none of them all, perhaps, have so many of the greatest among them, been so deeply and so directly indebted. Nor was ever any great writer's influence upon his fellows more utterly and unmixedly an influence for good. He first, and he alone, guided Shakespeare into the right way of work; his music, in which there is no echo of any man's before him, found its own echo in the more prolonged but hardly more exalted harmony of Milton's. He is the greatest discoverer, the most daring and inspired pioneer in all our poetic literature. Before him there was neither genuine blank verse, nor a genuine tragedy in our language. After his arrival, the way was prepared, the paths were made straight for Shakespeare."

In the above words, Swinburne, than whom there is none living more qualified to render an opinion, sums up the great debt which followers of English literature owe to Christopher Marlowe. Although more is known of the life of this great genius than of his contemporary, Shakespeare, there is little enough that can be with safety reckoned on as authentic, and what little there is, apart from his great services to the drama, is of a saddening character. For Marlowe was one of those men, at whom the world looks askance; a lover of low jokes, a drunkard and a libertine, a scoffer at Christianity. Our literature, however, furnishes us with more than one example of a poet or a prose writer, who whilst capable of writing the most sublime and touching passages, breathing the very spirit of reverent piety, can still revel in the gutter with the veriest outcasts of society. It was so with Marlowe. In his short life there seems to have been a wonderful admixture of bodyriot and soul-rapture. In the companionship of his roystering friends, Peele, Green and Nash, he seems to have passed his leisure hours, getting mixed up in all sorts of disgraceful brawls, in one of which he had his leg broken, and in another by a stab from a knife, the lamp of his genius extinguished forever. There is an entry in the burial register of St. Nicholas Church, Deptford, which reads as follows: "Christopher Marlowe, slain by Francis Archer, June 1, 1593." There are two accounts extant relating to his death. Both although differing widely in certain features, unhappily agree in the statement of his murder.

Born at Canterbury in 1563, or 1564, the son of a shoemaker, Marlowe was educated at King's school, Canterbury, and proceeded from there to Cambridge, where he took the M. A. degree in 1587. Prior to his leaving Cambridge, he had composed his tragedy of Tamburlaine the Great, "the first tragedy worthy of the name in our language." This was followed by Doctor Faustus, and several other plays, and also by some beautiful lyrics; one especially "The Passionate Shepherd" is unrivalled in its way, for its purity of fancy and bright melody. Sir Walter Raleigh's reply to it, entitled "The Nymph's Reply to the Passionate Shepherd" written in the same metre is well known to lovers of poetry. The play entitled "Doctor Faustus" dealing with the doings of one who has been termed "facile princeps of magicians" is, no doubt, Marlowe's greatest work. There are passages in it, notably the terrible scene depicting Faustus in despair at the impending approach of Mephistophilis, which have, possibly, never been surpassed by any writer an vividness of illustration and tragic power. It is transcribed herewith and will appeal to all lovers of the tragic muse. Its splendour has been marvelled at by no less a genius than Goethe, the creator of the modern version of the well known legend:

THE DOOM OF DOCTOR FAUSTUS

(The clock strikes eleven.
Faust. O, Faustus.
Now hast thou but one bare hour to live,
And then thou must be damned perpetually.
Stand still, you ever-moving spheres of heaven,
That time may cease and midnight never come.
Fair Nature's eye, rise, rise again and make
Perpetual day; or let this hour be but
A year, a month, a week, a natural day,
That Faustus may relent and save his soul
O lente, lente, currite, noctis equi
The stars move still, time runs the clock will strike,
The devil will come and Faustus must be damned.
Oh, I will leap to heaven; who pulls me down?
See where Christ's blood streams in the firmament!
One drop of blood will save me, O my Christ,—
Rend not my heart for naming of my Christ.
Yet will I call on Him; O spare me, Lucifer.
Where is it now? 'tis gone!
And see a threatening arm and angry brow.
Mountains and hills, come, come and fall on me,
And hide me from the heavy wrath of heaven.
No! Then I will headlong run into the earth.
Gape, earth. Oh, no, it will not harbour me
You stars that reigned at my nativity,
Whose influence have allotted earth and hell,
Now draw up Faustus like a foggy mist
Into the entrails of yon labouring cloud,
That when you vomit forth into the air,
My limbs may issue from your smoky mouths,
But let my soul mount and ascend to heaven.
(The clock strikes)
Oh, half the hour is past; 'twill all be past anon.
Oh, if my soul must suffer for my sin,
Impose some end to my incessant pain.
Let Faustus live in hell a thousand years,
A hundred thousand and at last be saved;
No end is limited to damned souls.
Why wert thou not a creature wanting soul?
Oh, why is thou immortal that thou hast?
Oh, Pythagoras' Metempsychosis were that true.
This soul should fly from me, and I be changed
Into some brutish beast.
All beasts are happy, for when they die
Their souls are soon dissolved in elements;
But mine must live still to be plagued in hell.
Cursed be the parents that engendered me;
No, Faustus curse thyself, curse Lucifer,
That hath deprived thee of the joys of heaven.
(The clock strikes twelve.)
It strikes, it strikes; now body, turn to air.
Or Lucifer will bear thee quick to hell.
O soul, be changed into small water drops,
And fall into the ocean; ne'er be found.
(Thunder, and enter the devils.)
Oh mercy, heaven, look not so fierce on me.
Adders and serpents, let me breathe awhile;
Ugly hell, gape not, come not Lucifer;
I'll burn my books—Oh! Mephistophilis!

(Enter scholars.)

First Scholar—
"Come, gentlemen, let us go visit Faustus,
For such a dreadful night was never seen
Since first the world's creation did begin;
Such fearful shrieks and cries were never heard.
Pray heaven the Doctor have escaped the danger

Second Scholar—
O help us heaven! see, here are Faustus' limbs
All torn asunder by the hand of death.

Third Scholar—
The devil whom Faustus served hath torn him thus:
For, 'twixt the hours of twelve and one, methought
I heard him shriek and call aloud for help
At which same time the house seemed all on fire
With dreadful horrors of these damned fiends.

Second Scholar—
Well gentlemen, though Faustus' end be such
As every Christian heart laments to think on,
Yet, for he was a scholar once admired
For wondrous knowledge in our German schools,
We'll give his mangled limbs due burial;
And all the scholars clothed in mourning black,
Shall wait upon his heavy funeral.

Chorus—
Cut is the branch that might have grown full straight,
And burned is Apollo's laurel bough
That sometime grew within this learned man;
Faustus is gone. Regard his hellish fall,
Whose fiendful fortune may exhort the wise
Only to wonder at unlawful things
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Sophy of Kravonia

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Continued from last Saturday

"If the general doesn't want to see me now—and I can understand that he mustn't be caught confabbing with any supposed parties to the affair—you must make it plain to him how matters stand. Somehow and by some means our dear Hercules must be saved. Hercules is an ass, but so are most of the men and all the rowdies of Slavna. They love their Hercules, and they won't let him die without a fight—and a very big fight. In that fight what might happen to his royal highness, the commandant? And if anything did happen to him, what might happen to General Stenovics? I don't know that either, but it seems to me that he'd be in an awkward place. The king wouldn't be pleased with him, and we here in Slavna, are we going to trouble ourselves about the man who couldn't save our Hercules?"

Round faced Markart nodded in a perplexed fashion. Stafnitz clapped him on the shoulder, with a laugh.

"For heaven's sake don't think about it or you'll get it all mixed! Just try to remember it. Your only business is to report what I say to the general."

Rastatz sniggered shrilly. When the wine was not in him he was a cunning little rogue—a useful tool in any matter which did not ask for courage.

"If I'd been here Mistitch wouldn't have done the thing at all—or done it better. But what's done is done, and we expect the general to stand by us. If he won't we must act for ourselves, for there'll be no bearing our dear commandant if we sit down under the death of Mistitch. In short, the men won't stand it." He tapped Markart's arm. "The general must release unto us Barabbas!"

"Tell him not to play his big stake on a bad hand."

The man's easy self confidence, his air of authority, surprised neither of his companions. If there were a good soldier besides the commandant in Slavna, Stafnitz was the man. If there were a head in Kravonia cooler than Stenovics', it was on the shoulders of Stafnitz. He was the brain to Mistitch's body, the mind behind Captain Hercules' loud voice and brawny fist.

"Tell him not to play his big stake on a bad hand. Mind you tell him that."

"His big stake, colonel?" asked Markart. "What do I understand by that?"

"Nothing, and you weren't meant to. But tell Stenovics—he'll understand."

Rastatz laughed his rickety giggle again.

"Rastatz does that to make you think he understands better than you do. Be comforted—he doesn't." Rastatz's laugh broke out again, but now forced and uneasy. "And the girl who knocked Sterkoff out of time—I wish she'd killed the stupid brute—what about her, Markart?"

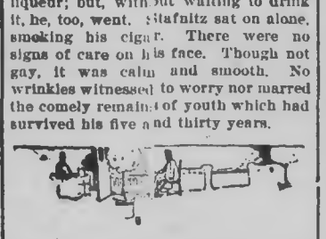
"She's—er—a very remarkable person, colonel."

"Er—is she? I must make her acquaintance. Goodby, Markart."

Markart had meant to stay for half an hour, but he went.

"Goodby, Rastatz."

Rastatz had just ordered another liqueur; but, without waiting to drink it, he, too, went. Stafnitz sat on alone, smoking his cigar. There were no signs of care on his face. Though not gay, it was calm and smooth. No wrinkles witnessed to worry nor marred the comely remains of youth which had survived his five and thirty years.



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Chapter Fifteen

STENOVICS was indeed in a quandary. Mistitch had precipitated an unwelcome and premature crisis. The minister's deliberate, slow moving game was brought to a sudden issue which he was not ready to face. It had been an essential feature, a governing rule, of his campaign to avoid any open conflict with the Prince of Slavna until an occasion arose on which both the army and the king would be on his side. The king was a power not merely by reason of his cheaply won popularity, but also because he was, while he lived, the only man who could crown Stenovics' operations with the consummation to which the minister and his ally, Countess Ellenburg, looked forward with distant yet sanguine hope. The army was with him now, but the other factor was lacking. The king's pride as well as his affection was enlisted in his son's interest. Moreover, this occasion was very bad.

Mistitch was no better than an assassin. To take up arms on his behalf was to fight in a cause plainly disgraceful—one which would make success very difficult and smirch it forever and beyond remedy even if it came. It was no cause in which to fight both prince and king. That would be playing the big stake on a bad hand, as Stafnitz put it.

Yet the alternative? Stafnitz, again, had put that clearly. The army would have no more to do with the man who could not help it at the pinch, who could not save its favorite, who could not release Barabbas.

The prince seemed to be in his most unyielding mood—the Bourbon in him was peeping out. For the honor of the royal house and for the sake of discipline Mistitch must die. He had packed his court martial with the few trustworthy friends he had among the officers, using the justification which jury packers always use and sometimes have. He had no fear of the verdict and no heed for its unpopularity. He knew the danger—Stenovics made no secret about that—but said plainly that he would sooner be beaten by a mutiny than yield to the threat of one. The first meant for him defeat, perhaps death, but not dishonor nor ignominy. The more Stenovics prophesied or threatened a revolt of the troops, the more the commandant stiffened his neck.

The square of St. Michael was full of life and bustle; the center of interest was on the north wall.

Meanwhile Slavna waited in ominous, sullen quiet, and the atmosphere was so stormy that King Alexis had no heart for fishing.

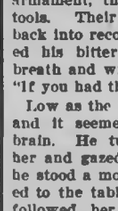
On Friday morning—the day before that appointed for Mistitch's trial—the names of the members of the court were published. The list met with the reception which was no doubt anticipated even by the prince himself. The streets began to fill with loiterers, talkers and watchers; barrack rooms were vociferous with grumbling and with speculation; Stafnitz, with Rastatz always at his heels, was busy with many interviews; Stenovics sat in his room moodily staring before him, seeking a road out of his blind alley, and a carriage drew up before the sign of the Silver Cock as the cathedral bells chimed noon. It was empty inside, but by the driver sat Peter Vassip, the prince's personal attendant, wearing the sheepskin coat, leather breeches and high boots that the men of the hills wore. His business was to summon Sophy to Suleiman's tower.

The square of St. Michael was full of life and bustle. The Golden Lion did a fine trade. But the center of interest was on the north wall and the adjacent quays under the shadow of Suleiman's tower. Within those walls were the two protagonists. Thence the prince issued his orders. Thither Mistitch had been secretly conveyed the night before by a party of the prince's own guard, trustworthy Volsenians.

A crowd of citizens and soldiers was chattering and staring at the tower when Sophy's carriage drew up at the entrance of the bridge which, crossing the North river, gave access to the fort. The mouth of the bridge was guarded by fifty of those same Volsenians. They had but to retreat and raise the bridge behind them, and Mistitch was safe in the trap. Only—and the crowd was quick enough to understand the situation—the prisoner's trap could be made a snare for his jailer too. Unless provisions could be obtained from the country around it would be impossible to hold the tower for long against an enemy controlling the butchers' and bakers' shops of Slavna. Yet it could be held long enough to settle the business of Captain Hercules.

Sophy entered the time worn walls of Suleiman's tower with a thrill of pleasure and followed Peter Vassip up the narrow stair with a delighted curiosity. The prince received her in the round room which constituted the first floor of the central tower. Its furniture was simple, almost rude, its massive walls quite bare save for some pieces of ancient armor. Narrow slits, deep set in the masonry, served for windows and gave a view of the city and of the country around on every side. They showed the seething throng on the north wall and on the quays. The distant sound of a thousand voices struck the ear.

Zerkovitch and his wife were with the prince, seated over a simple meal, at which Sophy joined them. Marie had watched Sophy's entrance and the prince's greeting closely. She marked Sophy's excitement betrayed in the familiar signal on her cheek. But the journalist was too excited on his own account to notice other people. He was talking feverishly, throwing his lean body about and dashing his hands up and down. He hardly paused to welcome the newcomer. He had a thousand plans by which the prince was to overcome and hold down Slavna. One and all, they had the same defect. They supposed the absence of the danger which they were contrived to meet. They assumed that the soldiers would obey the commandant even with the sound of the rifles which had shot Mistitch fresh in their ears.



He was talking feverishly.

At last the prince patted Zerkovitch's shoulder indulgently.

"Well, it's good not to fear," he said. "We didn't fear the other night, Mlle. de Gruche and I, and all ended well!"

"Ended?" Marie murmured half under her breath.

The prince laughed. "You shan't make me afraid," he told her, "any more than Zerkovitch shall make me trust Colonel Stafnitz. I can't say more than that." He turned to Sophy. "I think you'd better stay here till we see what's going to happen tonight, and our friends here will do the same. If all's quiet you can go home to sleep. If not, we can give you quarters—rough ones, I'm afraid." He rose from the table and went to a window. "The crowd's thinner. They've gone off to eat and drink. We shall have one quiet hour at all events."

An orderly entered and gave him a letter.

He read it and said, "Tell General Stenovics I will receive him here at 2 o'clock." When the messenger had gone he turned round toward the table. "A last appeal, I suppose! With all the old arguments! But the general has nothing to give in exchange for Mistitch. My price would be very high."

"No price! No price!" cried fiery Zerkovitch. "He raised his sword against you! He must die!"

"Yes; he must die." He turned to the window again. Sophy rose from the table and joined him there, looking over the city. Directly beneath was the great gate, flanked on either side by broad, massive walls, which seemed to grow out of the waters of the river. He was aware of her movement, though he had not looked round at her. "I've brought you, too, into this trouble—you, a stranger," he said.

"You don't think I'm sorry for that?"

"No, but it makes my impotence worse." He waved his arm toward the city. "There it is—here am I! And yet I'm powerless!"

Sophy followed his gesture and understood what was passing in his mind—the pang of the soldier without his armament, the workman without his tools. Their midnight talk flashed back into recollection. She remembered his bitter complaint. Under her breath and with a sigh she whispered, "If you had the big guns now!"

Low as the whisper was he heard it, and it seemed to shoot through his brain. He turned sharply round on her and gazed full into her eyes. So he stood a moment, then quickly turned to the table and sat down. Sophy followed, her gaze fixed on his face. Zerkovitch ceased writing. He had been drawing up another plan. Both he and Marie now watched the prince. Moments went by in silence.

At last the prince spoke—in a low voice, almost dreamy. "My guns for Mistitch! Mistitch against my guns! That would be a price—a fair price!"

The three sat silent. The Zerkovitches, too, had heard him talk of the guns. How on them hung the tranquillity of the city and how on them might hang the country's honor and existence. Stenovics could give them if he would in return for Mistitch, but to give up Mistitch was a great surrender. Sophy's whisper, almost involuntary, the voicing of a regret, hardly even of a distant aspiration, had raised a problem of conduct, a question of high policy. The prince's brain was busy with it and his mind perplexed. Sophy sat watching him, not thinking now, but waiting, conscious only that by what seemed almost chance a new face had through her been put on the situation.

Suddenly Zerkovitch brought his clinched fist down on the table. "No!" he almost shouted. "They'll think you're afraid!"

"Yes, they'll think that, but not all of them. Stenovics will know better, and Stafnitz too. They'll know I do it not because I'm afraid, but in order that I never need be."

"Then Stenovics won't give them!" cried Marie.

"I think he must give anything or everything for Mistitch." He rose and paced restlessly about the room. Sophy still followed him with her eyes, but she alone of the three offered no argument and made no suggestion. The prince stood still for a moment in deep thought. Then his face cleared. He came quickly up to Sophy, took her hand and kissed it.

"Thank you," he said. "I don't know how it will turn out for me. The case is too difficult for me to be able to foresee that. For me it may be mastery—I always thought it would mean that—or perhaps, somehow, it may turn to ruin." He pressed Sophy's hand now and smiled at her. She understood and returned his smile. "But the question isn't one of my interest. My duty is plain."

He walked quickly to his writing table and unlocked a drawer. He returned to the table with an envelope in his hand and sat down between Marie and Zerkovitch.

The orderly entered again, announcing Stenovics. "Let him come in here," said the prince. His manner grew lighter, and the smile which had comforted Sophy remained on his face.

Stenovics came in. His air was nervous, and he looked at the prince's three companions with a visible access of embarrassment. At a nod from the prince the orderly placed a chair for the general and withdrew.

"The same matter we discussed last night, general?"

"There can be but one matter in the thoughts of all of us now, sir. Pardon me; I understood your royal highness would receive me alone."

The prince gave a low laugh. "When one bargains, shouldn't one have witnesses?"

In an instant Stenovics laid hold of the significant word. It made him forget his request for privacy. An eager light came into his eyes.

"Bargains? You're ready now to"—

"La nuit porte conseil." He drew a paper from the envelope, unfolded it and handed it across the table. "You remember that, a memorandum I sent to you three months ago in my capacity as commandant?"

Stenovics looked at the paper. "I remember, sir."

"It's indorsed in your hand?"

"Yes."

"The indorsement runs, 'Impossible.' Rather curt, general!"

"The note was for my private use, but your royal highness particularly pressed for the return of the document."

"I did, and, after all, why use more words than necessary? One will still be enough, but not that one."

"I'm not following you, sir," said Stenovics.

The prince leaned across the table to him. "In our conversation last night you asked me to do a very remarkable thing and to get this lady here"—he indicated Sophy—"to do it too. You remember? We were to think that at night, in the Street of the Fountain, in the light of the illuminations, Sergius Stefanovitch and Nikolas Stafnitz looked and sounded just the same. I didn't see my way to that, and I didn't think this lady would see hers. It seemed so difficult."

Stenovics was in a strain of close attention. The paper from the envelope crackled under the trembling of his hand.

"Now, if we had such a memory as Lieutenant Rastatz is happy enough to possess!" the prince pursued. "Or if Colonel Stafnitz had taken us into his confidence about his quarrel with Captain Mistitch! All that was not so last night. Consequently Captain Mistitch must be tried and shot instead of suffering some not very severe disciplinary punishment for brawling in the street and having a quarrel with his superior officer."

Stenovics marked every word and understood the implied offer. The offer was good enough. Stafnitz himself would not and could not ask that no notice whatever should be taken. The trifling nature of the punishment would in itself be a great victory. But the price? He was to hear that in a moment.

"Sergius Stefanovitch—Nikolas Stafnitz! Which was it, general? It's only changing two words, yet what a difference it makes!"

He looked full at Stenovics, and the general's eyes fell.

"The difference of peace tonight or"—Stenovics waved his hand toward the city. But the prince interrupted him.

"Never mind that," he said rather sharply. "That's not first in my mind or I should have left the matter where it rested last night. I was thinking of the difference to Captain Mistitch and perhaps to you, general."

He looked full at Stenovics, and the general's eyes fell. The prince pointed his finger across the table at the paper under Stenovics' hand.

"I'm a liberal bargainer," he said, "and I offer you a good margin of profit. I'll change two words if you'll change one—two for you against one for me! 'Sergius Stefanovitch' becomes 'Nikolas Stafnitz' if 'Impossible' becomes 'Immediate.'"

Stenovics gave one slight start, then leaned back in his chair and looked past the prince out of the window opposite to him.

"Make that change, and we'll settle details afterward. I must have full guarantees. I must see the order sent and the money deposited in my name and at my disposal."

"This afternoon, sir?"

"Wouldn't it be well to release Captain Mistitch from Suleiman's tower before tonight?"

"The money is difficult today."

"The release will be impossible tomorrow."

Again Stenovics' eyes wandered to the window, and a silence followed. Perhaps he saw the big guns already in position, dominating the city. Perhaps he listened to the hum of voices which again began to swell in volume from the wall and from the quays. There are times when a man must buy the present with a mortgage on the future, however onerous the terms may be. It was danger against destruction. He put out his hand and took from Zerkovitch a quill which the journalist was twiddling in his fingers. He made a scratch and a scribble on the paper which the prince had taken from the envelope.

To be continued next Saturday.

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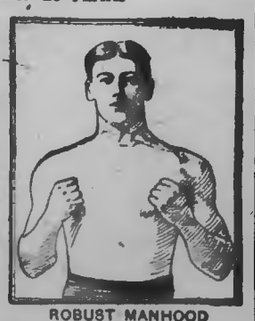

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"Fruit-a-tives" is now put up in the new 25c trial size as well as the regular 50c boxes. Write Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa, if your dealer will not supply you.

MAIL CONTRACT

Sealed Tenders addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon on Friday the 19th February, 1909, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, ninety-two times per week each way, between Peterborough and Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunk Railway Stations, from the 1st April next.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Peterborough, and at the Office of the Post Office Inspector at Kingston.

G. C. ANDERSON,
Superintendent.

Post Office Department,
Mail Service Branch,
Ottawa, 5th January, 1909. 3s-7

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS

ANY PERSON who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother, or sister of intending homesteader.

DUTIES—Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres solely owned and occupied by him or by his father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price $3.00 per acre. Duties.—Must reside six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

A homesteader who has exhausted his homestead right and cannot obtain a pre-emption may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price $3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth $300.00.

N.B.—Unauthorized publications of this advertisement will not be paid for.

W. W. CORY,
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DANGEROUS BITES.

Cure Claimed For Hydrophobia and Cobra.

Every one knows, of course, that the bite of the Indian cobra is fatal. But what Europeans do not actually know is whether or not the natives of India really possess the cures they claim to have, both for cobra bite and for hydrophobia caused by the bite of a mad dog. A few years ago an Indian civilian in Burma strolled out with his gun in the evening. When scarcely a hundred yards from the zayat (or shelter) in which he was camping, S—— was bitten in the leg by a cobra, which he promptly shot. He at once returned to the zayat and scrawled a pencil note to be carried by his orderly to his chief, the deputy commissioner, and then resigned himself to the attentions of of a couple of Burmese medicine men who happened to be passing the night there, and to the death which he accepted as absolutely inevitable. Meanwhile, his superior officer proceeded direct to headquarters on receipt of the news to seal up the unfortunate man's effects, after which he set out for the zayat to see to the burial of his subordinate. On the road he met the "dead man" comfortably jogging along towards headquarters, quite recovered. The Burmese medicine men had scarified the wound and rubbed a certain paste into it. They had also given the patient certain infusions to drink, and had cured him. Nothing, however, would induce them to give away the secret of their treatment.

Our own medicine men have many cures of hydrophobia to their credit, but cures of cobra bites are almost unknown. An English officer in the Shan States kept a number of dogs, one of which recently went mad and bit one of the sahib's servants. The station was an isolated one. The services of a Shan doctor were called in, and the servant, after passing through all the severe stages of the terrible disease, was absolutely and completely cured by the Shan doctor. The English officer offered 1,000 rupees for the secret of the treatment used, and, to a Shan, this would, of course, be a large sum of money. But the secret was never divulged.—The People.

Attacks on Europeans.

A remarkable state of affairs exists at present at Bettiah, in the Champaran district of Behar. Disputes between planters and ryots (peasant cultivators) have led to acts of hostility, and in order to protect the European population large forces of Bengal armed police and Gurkhas have been drafted to the town and neighborhood.

Fifty rounds of ball ammunition were served out to each member of the Behar Light Horse. In parts of the division affairs have assumed a warlike appearance. Seven cases are reported to the police in which Europeans have been attacked. Other stories are current of equestrians being ambushed and of frantic rides along jungle paths through crowds of ruffians. Inoffensive folk have been molested on the highway.

A few days ago nineteen persons were convicted and sentenced, besides being fined, the full term of six months' solitary confinement. No fewer than 200 prisoners are awaiting trial at Motihari under various charges, chiefly of assaulting Europeans.

A Bengali was arrested while loitering at Bankipur Station (Bengal) when the viceroy's special train was passing on strong suspicion of being an anarchist.

Not a Joke.

On getting to his chambers in court a Paris judge was handed this note: "Monsieur the Judge—In the belief that a judge can form an accurate opinion only of matters of which he has personal experience we think that it will interest you to be exactly acquainted with the facts of a case similar to many which are tried by you every day. We accordingly have the honor to inform you that we have had much pleasure in burgling your flat today." "This," said the learned judge, "is obviously a joke." But he found that it was not when he got home.

Beech Lumber.

Beech lumber has the lowest market value of any American wood. Lumbermen pay $4 a thousand feet as against $35 for oak. It is useful in the mines for ties, posts, stringers and rails and in buildings for studding, rafters, joists, etc., and should be used at home, reserving more valuable trees for important use and for sale.—Arboriculture.

WHEN YOU CAN'T SLEEP.

There is many a man and woman tossing night after night upon a sleepless bed. Their eyes do not close in the sweet and refreshing repose that comes to those whose heart and nerves are right. Some constitutional disturbance, worry or disease has so debilitated and irritated the nervous system, that it cannot be quieted.

Or again, you have, a sinking sensation, a feeling you are going to die; or perhaps, you wake in your sleep feeling as though you were about to choke or smother, and rest leaves you for the night. If you allow these conditions to continue for a short period even, you will begin to feel your health declining. It is the nerves and heart not acting rightly, and they can only be set right by the use of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. They soon induce healthful, refreshing sleep, not by deadening the nerves, but by restoring them to healthy action.

Mrs. E. Natt, St. Mary's, Ont., writes:—"I can gladly recommend your Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills as I was greatly troubled with my nerves. I was so bad I could not sleep at night without the lamp burning, but after taking four boxes of the pills I became all right again."

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A LOSS

of nervous power is always followed by muscular relaxation and weakness. This always precedes disease—leaves the door open for trouble.

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which will prove itself to be a tissue builder and a flesh producer, a strength giver and a blood purifier.

It contains the purest of Cod Liver Oil without the greasy taste, Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites, Liquid Extract of Malt and Fluid Extract of Wild Cherry Bark. These ingredients unite in producing the greatest tonic of the age—BRICK'S TASTELESS.

All Druggists

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PROGRESS OF NIGERIA.

Witchcraft, Trial by Ordeal and Tribal Fighting Are Passing Out.

A British White-paper gives an interesting account of the splendid progress of peaceful penetration in the provinces of southern Nigeria. Many of these rich districts were closed only a few years ago to all comers. The natives vigorously excluded the outer world, and gave themselves up to barbarous customs. In the Ibibio country of the eastern province incessant inter-tribal warfare was carried on until quite recently. Slave trading, twin-killing, human sacrifice and cannibalism were openly practiced. In the Onnoduru, Ahvada and Bende districts a similar state of affairs prevailed.

Without bloodshed, or even military measures, the country has been civilized and developed. In the majority of the districts offences against human life is rare, and old customs such as witchcraft and trial by ordeal are being dropped. Even in the most uncivilized tracts the natives are speedily acquiring an appreciation of the justice administered through the native courts which have been established.

Altogether a remarkable transformation has been brought about in a short time, and great headway has been made against the evil influence of the Aros. They have a powerful hold over the natives, who are generally afraid to give evidence against them, and they indulge whenever possible in slave dealing. Despite their power, however, and their persistent attempts to spread evil reports about the intentions of the Government, their power is being steadily undermined, and the work of progress is going rapidly forward.

ROSY CHEEKED BABIES.

Nothing in the world is such a comfort and a joy as a healthy, hearty, rosy-cheeked, happy baby. Babies and young children can be kept in perfect health by giving them an occasional dose of Baby's Own Tablets, which will keep the stomach and bowels in perfect order. And when sickness comes there is no other medicine will cure the minor ills of childhood as speedily and safely as Baby's Own Tablets. Guaranteed to contain no opiate or poisonous drug. Mrs. M. Romard, Eastern Harbour, N. S., says:—"I have used Baby's Own Tablets for the various ills from which little ones suffer, and find them a marvellous medicine. Thanks to the Tablets my baby now always enjoys the best of health." Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 45c. a box from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Sailors' Pickings.

Here and there on an Atlantic liner in midocean sailors with pots of paint and huge brushes painted cowls, stanchions, rails, everything they could reach. Suddenly dropping his brush, one of these sailors rushed to a man in a black suit.

"Oh, sir," he cried distressfully, "you've sat down on fresh white paint."

With a roar the man leaped to his feet, curved himself acrobatically and stared at the seat of his trousers.

"But I've got a bottle of benzine in my bunk," said the sailor. "I'll run and get it. I'll have your pants all right in a jiffy."

Soon the pants were all right, and the man ere he strolled jauntily off (a little wet and smelly, perhaps) gave the sailor a quarter.

"That's the third today, Bill," the man said to his mate. "I tell you, what with all this paintin', us jackies do durn near as well on tips as the stewards."

"That's right," said Bill. "I made a dollar myself yesterday with that little bottle of benzine."

Keeping Up to Date.

"Yes," said the housewife, "yours is a sad story. But it isn't the same story you told last year."

"Well, lady," answered Plodding Pete, "you surely wouldn't expect a man to go all dat time an' not show any improvement!"

Accents.

In the midst of a rambling speech the political orator declared. "The situation is grave; the crisis is acute."

"And the gentleman's speech," added the newspaper reporter, "was circumflex."—Youth's Companion.

EDWIN FORREST.

The Great Tragedian's Acting Was Saturated With Realism.

Edwin Forrest, says William Winter in "Other Days," was an uncommonly massive and puissant animal, and all of his impersonations were more physical than intellectual, while no one of them possessed any spiritual element whatever.

From the first and until the last his acting was saturated with "realism," and that was one reason of his extensive popularity. He could at all times be seen, heard and understood. He struck with a sledge hammer. Not even nerves of gutta percha could remain unshaken by his blow. In the manifestation of terror he lolled out his tongue, contorted his visage, made his frame quiver and used the trick sword with the rattling hilt. In scenes of fury he panted, snorted and snarled like a wild beast. In death scenes his gasps and gurgles were protracted and painfully literal. The bellow that he emitted when, as Richelieu, he threatened to launch the ecclesiastical curse almost made the theater walls tremble. The snarling yell of ferocity that burst from him when, as Jack Cade, he recognized and sprang upon Lord Say in the forest fairly frightened his hearers. His utterance of Lear's delirious prayer to nature was like a thunderstorm. Often he produced amazingly consolatory effects, affording ample gratification to the overstrained feeling of his audience, desirous—as in stormy passages of "King Lear" and "Othello," the forum scene of "Virginius," the statue scene of "Brutus" and the scaffold scene of "Damon and Pythias"—that something tempestuous and terrific should be said and done. There are times when it is a comfort to see somebody who can let himself go. Forrest could. His style accordingly had its positive, ample, undeniable merits, but neither he nor his apostles were ever satisfied with acknowledgment of those merits at their actual worth.

From Half-Timer to Knight.

Another remarkable illustration of what self-help and energy will do for a man is furnished by the romantic career of Sir James Duckworth, who has lately been made a knight. He worked in a calico-mill when he was 11 years of age from six o'clock in the morning until o'clock at night. At 17 he ran away from home and enlisted in the Royal Marines. He was bought out six months later, and, after a spell of selling second-hand books in the market places of South Lancashire towns, he got a job at 14s. a week in a warehouse. On this wage he supported a wife and child. Then a friend started him in the tea trade. He was given a pound of tea, made up in 2 ounce packets, and these he hawked from door to door. And it was those two ounce packets of tea which led to success, and ended in the future knight becoming a wholesale dealer, with a warehouse in Manchester, to which he afterwards added many branch food-product businesses.

The Cullinan Diamond.

The highest authority is claimed for a statement in The Liverpool Post, that no funds are forthcoming to pay for the cutting of the Cullinan diamond, which was presented to King Edward some time ago. The Treasury officials declare that they have no power to give a grant for this purpose; the King declines to pay the expense out of his privy purse, and the cutter at present sees little prospect of getting his money. Meanwhile, for some $75,000, a diamond cut from the Cullinan can be obtained by anyone who cares to pay for it.

A Hermit Peer.

The late Lord Stanley of Alderley, brother of the present peer, was a Mohammedan, and rather eccentric. During his thirty years' reign Alderley Park, the fine family place in Cheshire, was quite a hermitage; no entertaining was done there at all, and on the present Lord Stanley of Alderley succeeding to the title and estates in 1903 he had to spend a good deal of money on the place to make it presentable.

Fastidious Hunger Marchers.

A party of forty of the Reading, England, "hunger marchers" arrived in Oswestry recently on their way to South Wales. At the police station they received tickets of admission to the workhouse, but on reaching that institution and being shown to the casual ward they refused to enter them on the ground that they were not vagrants.

Enjoy Life

Good health makes good nature. If everyone had a sound stomach there would be no pessimists in the world. Do not allow a weak stomach or a bad liver to rob you of the joy of living. Take

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and the world laughs with you. No need then for rose-colored glasses. Beecham's Pills start health vibrations to all parts of the body, while putting a ruddy tint on lips and cheeks. There's health in every box. Health for every man, woman and child. Beecham's Pills

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A. Rountree Agent, 416 Water Street

THIRTY-NINTH ANNUAL STATEMENT
— OF —
THE ROYAL BANK OF CANADA

LIABILITIES

To the Public	Dec. 31, 1907.	Dec. 31, 1908
Deposits bearing interest	$20,218,479.53	$24,300,726.66
Deposits not bearing interest	12,989,309.56	13,090,564.60
Interest accrued on Deposits	59,709.11	52,150.33
Total Deposits	$33,265,498.20	$37,443,441.59
Notes of the Bank in Circulation	3,653,910.65	3,556,432.65
Balance due to other Banks in Canada	156,508.45	133,102.61
Balances due to Agents in Great Britain	193,897.06	.....
Balances due to Agents in Foreign Countries	436,961.62	560,818.84
	$37,706,775.98	$41,693,795.69
To the Shareholders		
Capital Paid-up	$3,000,000.00	3,000,000.00
Reserve Fund	4,300,000.00	4,600,000.00
Dividend No. 81 (quarterly at 10 per cent.)	97,500.00	.....
Dividend No. 85 (quarterly at 10 per cent.)	.....	97,500.00
Former Dividends unclaimed	312.61	280.00
Rebate on Bills Discounted, not yet due	100,000.00	100,000.00
Balance on Profits carried forward	156,909.76	78,685.26
	$46,351,498.35	$50,470,210.95

ASSETS

Gold and Silver Coin	$ 2,514,350.84	$ 3,221,717.14
Dominion Government Notes	2,990,185.75	3,760,344.35
Deposit with Government for Security of Note Circulation	180,000.00	180,000.00
Notes and Cheques on other Banks	2,285,589.00	2,985,741.48
Balances due from other banks in Canada	64,304.52	36,289.51
Balances due from Agents in Great Britain	.....	372,958.60
Balances due from Agencies in Foreign Countries	772,075.15	896,657.36
Government and Municipal Securities	3,482,695.45	2,693,101.20
Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks	3,365,048.88	3,501,489 26
Call and Short Loans on Stocks and Bonds	3,916,543.97	3,286,141.29
	$19,570,793.56	$21,944,440.19
Loans to other Banks in Canada	.....	496,248.15
Loans to Provincial Governments	18,373.75	107,656.96
Current Loans and Discounts	25,862,931.29	26,736,164.89
Overdue Debts (Loss Provided for)	17,713.13	34,776.28
Bank Premises	881,686.62	1,150,924.39
	$46,351,498.35	$50,470,210.95

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

By net Profits for the Year, after deducting Charges of Management, Accrued Interest on Deposits, full provision for all bad and doubtful debts, and rebate of interest on all unmatured bills	$748,775.50	
By balance of Profit and Loss Account, December 31, 1907	156,909.76	$903,685.26
Appropriated as follows:		
To Dividend (10 per cent.)	390,000.00	
To transferred to Officers' Pension Fund	25,000.00	
To written off Bank Premises' Account	200,000.00	
To transferred to Reserve Fund	210,000.00	
To balance of Profit and Loss carried forward	78,685.26	$903,685.26

EDSON L. PEASE,
General Manager

TRUE DETECTIVE STORIES

GOING TO PRISON TO MAKE A CAPTURE.

BY A. L. DRUMMOND, FORMERLY CHIEF OF THE U. S. SECRET SERVICE.

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FOR almost forty years my business has been to run down those who break the law. Early in my career as a detective I conceived the idea that the best way to catch a criminal is to think at least twice to his once. It's true there is a time to shoot and to shoot to kill, but this occasion does not arise nearly so frequently as one might imagine. A good many otherwise competent detectives have died with their boots on because they depended too much on force. And for *the same reason a still greater number* have failed to catch the men they were after.

The story I am about to tell is perhaps as good an illustration as I can give from my own experiences of the good results that can sometimes be obtained from planning. In the latter part of 1872 a particularly dangerous counterfeit $50 Treasury note was put into circulation. Complaints came to Washington from all over the country. Everything that looked like a clew was investigated, but without satisfactory result.

In May, 1873, the chief of the secret service ordered me to go to Atlanta, Ga. He said he had nothing tangible to turn over to me for investigation, but a good many of the counterfeit notes had recently appeared in the South, and he wanted me to go down and see what I could find.

I made up my mind I would hang around the resorts frequented by crooks and learn what I could hear. I was dressed shabbily and had no difficulty in mingling with those with whom I came in contact without attracting attention. And gradually I let it become known that I was a burglar.

I had loafed around perhaps a week or so without hearing anything of importance when the newspapers printed an account of a sensational attempt to arrest two men near Natchez, Miss. The men were out in a boat when deputy United States marshals overtook them. One of the men jumped overboard and escaped. The other, who gave the name of Seymour, though his right name was James Hanford, was captured and lodged in the jail at Holly Springs, Miss. Hanford was suspected of passing one of the counterfeit notes. But when he was arrested he had not a dollar of spurious money upon him, and only $5 or $6 of genuine currency. He protested his innocence, declaring that he was a respectable farmer of Penora, Iowa, where he owned a farm.

I went to Penora to investigate his statements. I found that they were all true except the one referring to his respectability. He owned a farm, but he also dealt in counterfeit money. His neighbors did not know that he was engaged in anything except agriculture, but I learned that he bought counterfeit from Jim Pitts, the man who jumped overboard when Hanford was arrested.

When I returned to Holly Springs I laid this information before District Attorney G. Wiley Wells, who later became Minister to China. I asked Mr. Wells to co-operate with me in the execution of a plan I had devised to catch the string of men down through which the counterfeit passed from the makers to Hanford.

"Mr. Wells," said I, "I believe the information I have obtained about Hanford will be sufficient if he be confronted with it to wring a confession from him. If so, I would like to be arrested for counterfeiting, put in jail with him, and then both of us permitted to break out together. Immunity can be promised him if he will do what I want him to do."

"What do you want to be sent to prison and then break jail for?" asked Mr. Wells.

"So that all of the counterfeiters in the country will read about it," I replied. "They all know Hanford, and if they read that he has broken jail with another counterfeiter they will be ready to sell me counterfeit money if Hanford introduces me to them. When we get loose I want him to take me to his friends."

"All right," said Mr. Wells, "I will have Hanford brought over to my office and we will see what we can get out of him."

I went up the back stairs as Hanford was taken up the front way, and once inside the District Attorney's office Mr. Wells and I both went at him. Only a little while was required to break down his denials, and with the penitentiary staring him in the face he was quite willing to buy his liberty by doing what I wanted him to do.

Hanford, having been fully instructed what to do when I joined him in prison, was taken back to jail, while I was left to contrive means to bring about my own arrest in as conspicuous a manner as possible. In order to have the matter appear to be genuine I told Mr. Wells I though I ought to be picked up for trying to pass a bad bill in one of the local stores. He agreed with me and the store of Sam Frank was selected. Mr. Wells, who served with a loyal Kentucky regiment during the civil war, said that Frank was the only man in the town to whom he would dare intrust the *secret of my plans. Those were the reconstruction* days of carpetbag government in the South and men from the North were not looked upon with favor.

Frank accordingly warned his clerks to beware of me. He told them he did not like the looks of me, that more than likely I was a counterfeiter, and under no circumstances to take any money from me that did not look all right. A few days later the District Attorney provided me with a genuine fifty-dollar note, which I wet and rubbed together until it looked like a piece of canton flannel. Then I sauntered into Frank's store and asked for a paper collar. A clerk handed me what I asked for and I gave him the rumpled fifty-dollar note, which, by the way, was not only good, but marked with the initials of both the District Attorney and myself.

I shall never forget how the clerk looked at me. It was as if he were saying to himself, "Here's the man who is passing all of this counterfeit money, and now he is trying to do me." All he said, however, was to ask me to wait until he could go to the back of the store and get the change from the cashier. While he was gone I gazed around the store, leaned up against the counter and began to whistle. The clerk soon returned, gave me another hard look and said he could not change the bill. So I gave back the collar and went out.

But before I had even left the store the cashier had reported the attempted "fraud" to Mr. Frank, and both had gone to the District Attorney's office to tell him of what had happened.

"There is only one thing to do," said Mr. Wells. "Go before the United States Marshal at Oxford, swear out a warrant and have him arrested."

The United States Marshal at that time was Colonel Pierce, who had also been a Northern army officer during the war. He was known far and wide as a bad man to impose upon. During the trial of a Ku-Klux case, a few years earlier L. Q. C. Lamar, who later became President Cleveland's Secretary of the Interior, and was eventually appointed to the Supreme Bench, knocked Pierce down with a chair. Pierce arose and quietly informed Lamar, who was the attorney for the defendants, that his friends would call upon him before night to arrange for a duel. Within two hours they came. Lamar would not fight. But he apologized publicly for the insult he had heaped upon Pierce—apologized to the Court, the spectators and everybody.

It was this kind of a man who was selected to arrest me. But while Wells dared choose no other because of the local hostility to Northerners, he did not believe it to be advisable to tell Colonel Pierce that the arrest was to be only part of a plan to trap a number of counterfeiters. I think he said he was afraid Pierce could not keep his face straight. At any rate he did not tell him.

Mr. Frank's clerk therefore went to Oxford and swore to a warrant charging me with having tried to pass counterfeit money upon him. Word came back to Wells that Pierce would be over to arrest me the next day and I arranged with the District Attorney the remaining details.

First I wrote a letter, ostensibly to a fellow criminal, in which I told him how well I was doing in the counterfeiting business in the South. This letter I left unsealed in my room. Then I put in a book in my trunk two hundred dollars' worth of marked counterfeit money. I put a roll of two hundred and eight dollars' worth of counterfeit in my pocket, with the understanding that I should throw it away when dealers in counterfeit money always do. [illegible] to Wells—

"When the Marshal comes to get me I will be talking [illegible] on the sidewalk in front of a [illegible]

As the hour drew near when I knew the Marshal would arrive, I looked up the hobo and engaged him in conversation at the appointed place. I had my hat cocked over to one side of my head and was damning the "rotten town" and telling him that I was going up North, where a man in my line of business could make a little money, when I felt a tap on my shoulder. I looked around angrily and saw a tall, lank man.

"Is your name George Murray?" he asked.

That was the name by which I was known, but I told the man who made the inquiry that it was none of his business.

"Well, I know your name is Murray," he replied, "and I have a warrant for your arrest."

"Read it," I snapped out.

Then the Marshal, with his peculiar drawl, began to read a document that he had drawn from his pocket. He had not uttered more than a dozen words before I drew the roll of counterfeit from my pocket and hurled it behind me, hitting the District Attorney in the stomach, as I afterward learned. As I did so my hand brushed aside the skirt of my coat, revealing the butt of a .38 calibre revolver.

Instantly Marshal Pierce covered me with a double barrelled Derringer, each tube of which was large enough to hold a ten cent piece.

"Deliver over your arms," he commanded.

"Take them yourself if you want them," I said angrily, at the same time turning my back to him. Ostensibly I was only carrying out my part of a bad man, but in reality I didn't want to fumble even with my own gun in the presence of a man who had the reputation of being rather quick on the trigger.

Marshal Pierce took my revolver, placed his own weapon in his hip pocket and put mine in front, where he could get at it easily. He knew a good revolver when he saw one, and recognized that mine was superior to his own.

"Murray, where do you live?" he asked.

"None of your business," I replied.

"Where did you come from?"

"None of your business."

"I think he lives in Captain Cooper's lodging house," interjected Wells.

"You are a liar," said I.

"Murray," said Pierce, "you've got a nasty tongue."

Away we went to the lodging house, where my room was found and in it the unsealed letter to a supposed criminal and the two parcels of counterfeit money.

"Murray," said Pierce, "the best thing you can do is to make a full confession and tell us the names of *those from whom you got this counterfeit money. You* look like a young man of some intelligence, and I dislike to see such a man continue to lead a criminal life. Better make a clean breast of it all, and perhaps regain you own liberty by exposing those who are more guilty than you are."

For reply I raged at him, denying that the trunk in which the counterfeit was found was mine or that the room was mine. To settle the question, Captain Cooper, the landlord, was summoned.

Captain Cooper, a former federal soldier, was of diminutive size and peaceful spirit. Caring to be neither an aggressive Northerner nor a Southern sympathizer, all he asked was to be let alone. He did not want to be embroiled in the quarrels of either side. So, when the captain, having entered the room, was asked to whom the trunk belonged, he was placed in an awkward position. For a moment he hesitated, and then he pointed a finger toward me.

"You are a liar!" said I, springing at him. And poor old Captain Cooper, believing his life to be in danger, leaped out of the room and jumped down a short flight of stairs.

"Murray," said the Marshal, "you've got a gall to deny that this trunk and this counterfeit money are yours."

Then the District Attorney, his assistant, the Marshal, and I went to get something to eat. Pierce, however, did not eat. He stood at the head of the table with his right hand in the pocket in which I knew was my revolver. During the meal Wells told Pierce that, owing to the overcrowded condition at the jail at Holly Springs, he wished he would take me to Oxford.

"And while you are about it," said Wells, "you might as well take old Jim Hanford, too."

Pierce readily consented, and it was planned that a negro deputy should take us to the train that was to carry us to Oxford. The Marshal, however, never suspected *the real reason why we were to be incar*cerated in his home town instead of in Holly Springs. The fact was that the Holly Springs prison was too strong to permit anybody to break out of it easily, while the Oxford jail was weak. I wanted to be put in a jail that I could get out of when I wanted to.

While Wells and Pierce, who were to accompany us to Oxford, were preparing for the trip I was locked up in the Holly Springs jail. I met Hanford, who pretended not to recognize me, and stood around perhaps half an hour when a big negro deputy marshal locked Hanford's left wrist to my right and started with us through the fields to the railway station. Wells and Pierce had not yet appeared.

"Now you gemmen go about fo' feet ahead of me," [illegible] the negro, "and walk jess as fas' as I do. And [illegible] on try to run or I shall be fo'ced to shoot you down, 'deed I will."

We walked "fo' feet ahead" of the negro for perhaps five miles, when I wheeled around and said to him:—

"Now, Sam, you do not want to take us to jail. I've got $5 that I'll give you if you will let us go."

Instantly he pulled a gun on us.

"Now you gemmen go on," he said. "I'se an officer of the law and you mustn't try to bribe me. Go on, now."

When we reached the railway station we sat on the platform to wait for the train, and while we were waiting there I began to tap on the handcuff with the end of an umbrella that I had bought in Rio Janeiro when I was a sailor. Again the negro drew his gun.

"Now you jess stop that," said he. "Needn't try to break that handcuff, fo' I'll shuly shoot you if you do. I'se been told to take you on dis train and I'se gwine to do it." And with that he drew up the cuff on my wrist a notch.

A little later I tapped on the handcuff again with my umbrella and the wrath of the observant negro knew no bounds. He pulled up the handcuff until the blood stopped circulating in my wrists and addressing old Jim said:—

"You is all right, but dat little man you got along with you is a bad man—'deed he is. But he can't get away from me, and dere ain't no use to try."

When Wells and Pierce came up I appealed to the Marshal to loosen my handcuff, and the negro excitedly told him of my alleged attempt to escape. Pierce said the negro had done right. Then I appealed to Wells. From the tone of my voice, he knew I wanted the handcuff loosened, and, the Marshall dissenting, he agreed to take the responsibility himself. Pierce then let the cuff out two or three holes.

On the train Wells and Pierce sat across the aisle from and a little ahead of Hanford and me. Pierce wore a long linen duster, in the right hand pocket of which he carried my revolver. After the train had been running a little while I saw Wells hand Pierce a paper that I recognized, because I had given it to Wells. It was my commission as a Secret Service officer. As Pierce read the paper, he drew my revolver from his duster pocket and put it in his hip pocket. Then he came over to me.

"You played it pretty slick, Murray," said he. "But you took some chances. If you had done anything with that gun when I arrested you, I would have dropped you."

When we reached Oxford we were put in a room by ourselves that occupied the entire top floor of the jail. The prison itself was surrounded by a sixteen foot fence, through which was a gate that was fastened with a chain. We planned to break from the jail a little after midnight, in order to catch a particular train for Louisville, and the warden promised to leave a heavy club near the gate to facilitate the breaking of the chain.

I shall never forget how I felt when night came on and the lights began to flicker from the windows of adjoining buildings. It was summer and I heard the voices of children playing just outside the fence. I had gone to prison of my own volition, and I knew I was to be out in a few hours, but it seemed as if I would have given everything I had to go at once. Old Jim was sleeping peacefully in his bunk and I sat near him in the darkness, looking frequently at my watch and wishing the time would pass more rapidly.

At last midnight came and with it the hour for action. I awakened Old Jim and we crept softly out of the prison. At the gate I found the club that the warden had promised to leave. In my pocket I had a bench warrant authorizing me to arrest Old Jim if, after regaining his liberty, he should break his promise to lead me to his friends. With the club I broke the chain and we passed out of the gate. Outside a sentry was walking, but fortunately he was going from us. We skulked along a few steps, when suddenly we saw two men approaching us, and one of them shouted: "Hello, Jim!"

Old Jim leaned up against me heavily and did not reply.

"Hello, there!" I called out. "Just getting home?"

"Yes," the voice; "no other place to go."

We had met a homebound drunkard and he had mistaken one of us for some one he knew.

We reached the station in safety, and in a little while were on the train speeding to Mississippi Junction, where we changed to the Memphis train and went on to Louisville.

The morning after our departure from the Oxford Jail the news was sent broadcast that we had escaped. Circulars were at once put into the mails containing a minute description of each of us, and a reward was offered for our capture. I was therefore not much surprised at an event that happened the next evening after our arrival in Louisville. We were sitting in chairs on the sidewalk in front of the cheap hotel at which we were guests. Old Jim was fifteen or twenty feet distant from me, deep in some sort of a reverie. We had been sitting thus in silence for perhaps ten minutes when a man drew a chair up to Old Jim and engaged him in conversation. The next moment another man drew a chair near to me and sat down. I looked around and recognized "Yankee" Bly, the Chief of Police of Louisville.

"Here's where we get 'pinched' again," I thought to myself, "and I don't care. It will help along our game."

"You and your friend strangers in the city?" Bly asked.

"Yes," said I; "we just came in this morning from New Orleans."

"Do you live in New Orleans?"

"No, we live in Oxford, Mississippi," said I, by way of helping him to make up his mind.

"Well, I am sorry, my friend," said Bly, "but I guess you and your pal will have to take a walk with me to the station house. The fact is, you answer the descriptions of two men who are wanted for breaking out of the Oxford Jail."

"Take another look at me, Chief," said I, "and you may remember me. I was here a year ago on another case. My name is Drummond. My home is in New York."

"I remember you now," said Bly. "It is your clothes that threw me off the track. But both of you do look like the men who are wanted for breaking from the Oxford Jail."

"We are the men," said I "but our escape was only a part of some detective work that I am doing. However, go ahead and arrest us. I'd like to have you take us up and give the story to the newspapers. Then let us go again to-morrow morning."

"But how could I let you go again in the morning without the fact becoming known that the arrest was not 'on the level'?"

"You could bring some of your men in to identify us and have them declare we were not the right men, couldn't you?"

"I guess that's a good idea," said the Chief. And then addressing Detective Gilchrist, who sat beside Old Jim, he said:—

"Gil, you and your friend take a walk with us up to the station house."

The Chief's words fell upon Old Jim like a penitentiary sentence. As Gilchrist arose and told Jim to follow him the old man mechanically got on his feet and prepared to obey, but he quickly stepped around to me and whispered:—

"Is this all right, Mr. Drummond?"

"It's all right," said I. "Come along."

We passed the night at the station house. Bly's men failed to identify us the next morning and we were turned loose. The territory around Cincinnati was at that time a hotbed of counterfeiters, and old Jim, true to his promise, at once began to introduce me to his friends. They had read of our escape from the Oxford jail, as they also knew of what they supposed to be the mistake of the Louisville police in failing to hold us, and were therefore disposed to give us their confidence. Jim took me around to see a noted character who was known as "old Mother Roberts," a woman seventy years old, who dealt in counterfeit money. She received us cordially and gave me to understand that whenever she had anything to sell I could be one of her customers. In fact, the situation developed so rapidly and so favorably that a number of Secret Service men were sent on from New York to help me, as it was not desired to arrest one until we could arrest all against whom we could get evidence. To have done otherwise would have been to capture only one man, as at his arrest the others would have taken fright and fled.

After the arrival of the other Secret Service men Detective Kennoch went over to Cincinnati one night to buy some counterfeit from a man who was known as South Harris. Harris had been introduced as a dealer in counterfeit money, and such he was. But he was more. He was one of the particular kind of counterfeiters who, when they could work with a crooked police officer, made it their business to blackmail prospective customers of whatever good money they might have on their persons. And the Police Department of Cincinnati at that time contained many dishonest officers. The Chief was all right, but some of his men were not.

Harris' scheme was to conduct his negotiations with Kennoch in a place where a crooked policeman could be secreted, and at the proper moment have the officer appear and arrest him. Then Kennoch would be given to understand that if he would give the officer what good money he had he would be released. We suspected something of the sort, and therefore I followed Kennoch at a distance, and also carried his revolver, so that in the event of his arrest no weapon would be found upon him.

The arrest took place as planned, and Kennoch, refusing to buy his way off, was taken to the station house. I followed a few minutes later and asked permission to give him some cigars. An officer who at different times had seen me with Kennoch exclaimed as I entered the room, "There's another of this gang of counterfeiters!" and the officer who had arrested Kennoch also took me into custody.

The next morning I sent a message to Judge Hoffman, a Secret Service man who afterward became Assistant United States District Attorney for the Eastern District of New York, telling him what had happened to Kennoch and myself and asking him to go about it quietly to get bail. Hoffman, who was an excitable man, undertook his task in anything but a quiet manner. The first thing he did was to rush down to Police Headquarters and tell who we were, which in view of the corrupt tendencies of some of the police officers was precisely the thing I did not want him to do. To prevent him from spoiling my plans I was compelled to deny everything he said, which I did with all the emphasis at my command. Privately, however, I told the authorities who I was, and a little later Kennoch and I were released without the rest of the force being the wiser.

For five weeks thereafter Kennoch and I lay under cover in an obscure hotel while the United States District Attorney spread the word that all the Secret Service men had gone. All of this time, however, we were working through old Jim and a retired counterfeiter named Porter who had turned informer. Daily they brought us reports of men whom they knew to be in the business of selling the counterfeit five dollar notes.

When the time came that we felt it would be safe to appear in the open we drew the lines quickly on all of the marked men. While Kennoch or myself, as the case might be, bought counterfeit the other was hidden near to act as a witness, and an arrest followed. Altogether we gathered in fifteen counterfeiters, all but one or two of whom were sent to the penitentiary.

Such is the story of the chase that began by going to prison at Holly Springs. As a sort of an appendix I may add that old Jim was caught red handed during the operations in Cincinnati and sent up for four years. He did not know all of the other Secret Service men who had come on from New York and made the mistake of trying to sell one of them counterfeit money.

"I have only myself to blame, Mr. Drummond," he said to me. "I did as I agreed by you, but I saw a chance to make a little money on the side and couldn't let it go by. That fellow didn't look like a detective, anyway."

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ISHMAELS OF CEYLON.

The Rodigas, a Curious Tribe of Social Outcasts.

There is a curious tribe of people in Ceylon called the Rodigas, who live the life of social Ishmaels, despised and cast out by their fellows. Until quite recently they lived apart from the abodes of other men, in holes and caves. In no case may they lie down to rest with other men. They may not enter a temple or a court of justice and on all occasions are compelled to "stand afar off." So low down in the scale of humanity are they placed that they may not even speak with strangers except through the intermediary of a man of the lowest caste above their own. Of late years their status has been improved, and they are less servile in consequence, but even now they fall on their knees with uplifted hands to address people of the lowest recognized caste, and upon the approach of a traveler they shout to warn him to stop until they can get off the road and he can pass without risk of defilement from the proximity of their persons. It is curious and yet so characteristic of society in all countries and all levels that even among these people, who seem to have reached the very lowest rung of the human ladder, there are classes and social distinctions. Thus the ambetteyos, or barbers, and the hanomoreyos, or betal box makers, are looked upon with contempt by the despised, ostracized Rodigas, who go to the length of shutting up their dogs lest they should stray into the houses of the lowborn or gnaw a bone that they may throw at them.—Dundee Advertiser.

THE COCKET WRITERS.

What Happened When England Abolished Their Offices.

In the long room of the London custom house years ago were twelve officers styled "cocket writers." They wrote certificates that goods had been duly entered and the duties paid. They were also known as patent officers because appointed for life by letters patent from the crown. Their salaries were nominal, £60 a year, but they were permitted to remunerate themselves by extorting fees from the merchants—fees which in some cases amounted to a thousand pounds a year. In 1851 the treasury determined to abolish patent offices and called upon the twelve cocket writers to furnish a statement of their emoluments. The officers, ignorant of the treasury's purpose, imagined that the government intended to impose an income tax. Ten of the writers, therefore, returned a statement which understated their fees by several hundred pounds. The other two furnished an honest statement. In a few days ten clerks were surprised and disgusted and two clerks were astonished, but pleased. The treasury notified the cocket writers that their offices would be abolished and that they would be compensated by pensions rated according to the returns they had themselves furnished. There were gnashing of teeth and broad smiles in the long room. One of the two honest cocket writers enjoyed his pension for fifty-two years, during which time the treasury paid him £52,000.

Where Dollars Originated.

Joachimsthal, near Carlsbad, is historic as the birthplace of the original dollar. This was the silver guldengroschen, coined in 1519 by order of Count Schlick from the metal of a recently opened mine, and it became known as the joachimsthaler, or "thaler" alone for short. Before 1600 the nimble English language had already made "dollar" of this. Therefore this name was loosely used of all manner of coins, varying in value from 75 cents to $1.25 and belonging to all manner of countries, from Sweden to Japan. It was from the prevalence of the Spanish "dollar" in the British-American colonies at the time of their revolt that the modern "almighty dollar" was derived, while in modern English very recent slang has given the name to the crown piece.

Grouchy.

"There is a movement on foot," said Mr. Snoope, "to prevent the marriage of weakminded persons. What do you think of it?"

"I think it's rot," answered Mr. Grouch. "Why, who else ever wants to get married?"—Cleveland Leader.

An Easy Stunt.

"I see a premiere danseuse is advertised to dance with five snakes twined about her."

"Should think she would. If a snake got on me I'll bet I'd dance!"

The Want of It.

"The love of money," quoted the moralizer, "is the root of all evil."

"That being the case," rejoined the demoralizer, "the want of money must be the full grown tree."—Exchange.

Safe.

Hicks—You were dreadfully indiscreet to mention that important deal of ours to your wife. Wicks—Oh, it's all right! I didn't tell her it was a secret.

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THE DARDANELLES.

Changes in the Name of the Famous Two Mile Strait.

The Dardanelles, which is so familiar today, meant to our grandfathers not the Hellespont, but merely "two ancient and strong castles of Turkey, one of which is in Roumania and the other in Natolia." The famous strait was known in early Victorian geography by the name of Gallipoli. But the brave, dominating castles swept away both Hellespont and Gallipoli and gave their own name to the two mile passage. Those venerable castles, built in 1659 to "secure the Turkish fleet from the insults of the Venetians," were known, according to an early geographer, as the Old Dardanelles to distinguish them from two others at the entrance of the strait, one of which "stands in like manner in Asia and the other in Europe" and called the New Dardanelles.

In spite of the four castles, however, the passage was forced by a British fleet in 1807. In later years fortifications of a formidable nature have been constructed between the two sets of castles, and these are now properly the Dardanelles. The ultimate responsibility for naming the famous strait rests with Dardanus, the gentleman who crossed on his inflated skin from Samothrace to Asia and founded the town which afterward became the city of Troy.—London Chronicle.

Civilized Poverty.

Barbarism has no horrors so horrible as the bestial squalor and sheer misery of civilized poverty. Poverty is a great evil in any state, but the world has not known any poverty so foul, so brutal and so utterly loathsome as the poverty of the city slum, the sweating den, the pawnshop and the gin palace.—Clarion.

Happy School Days.

Tommy was about to leave the school where he had spent his first years. He went to the teacher to say goodby and added: "I am awfully sorry to leave this school. I had such good times at recess."—Lippincott's.

Encouraging.

The Suitor—Johnny, your parlor clock is an hour fast. The Kid Brother—I know it, but don't tell sister so. The Suitor—Why not? The Kid Brother—Because she thinks you don't know it.

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Fifty years ago, on Oct. 31, 1858, five brothers occupied a pew at the dedication of St. Michael's church at Cambridge Junction, Mich. On Oct. 31 last the same brothers occupied the same pew at the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the dedication. They are A. F. Dewey, George Dewey, I. S. Dewey, F. S. Dewey and J. W. Dewey. The church was organized in 1840, and since that time its records have been carefully kept by two persons, Francis S. Dewey and his son, John W. Dewey, who is the present clerk.

Visible Music.

By causing a small mirror to oscillate in accord with the movements of the diaphragm of a phonograph a Mr. Bowron is stated to have contrived the means of exhibiting to an audience a visible representation of a piece of music to which they are listening. A beam of light reflected from the oscillating mirror and from another mirror which rotates uniformly is thrown upon a screen, where it appears as a luminous curve, varying in correspondence with the sounds. The instrument is called an acoustic oscillograph.

Old Time Surgery.

Francis Galton, who is now eighty-six years old, studied surgery in the old days before chloroform was used and says of the Birmingham hospital: "The cries of the poor fellows who were operated on were very characteristic. In fact, each class of operation seemed to evoke some peculiar form of them. All this was terrible, but only at first. It seemed after awhile as though the cries were somehow disconnected with the operation, upon which the whole attention became fixed."—London Graphic.

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THE KING AS A SMALL HOLDER

Curiosities of Crown Lands Are Many and Date Back to Conquerer.

The Crown lands are a survival of the Norman Conquest, when the whole lay soil of England was held to be forfeited to the Conqueror. Now the Crown lands are placed under the control of Parliament, and from these thousands of acres handsome sums are received for the national exchequer.

The value of the Crown lands has varied considerably in the past. Between the years 1660 and 1670 the annual income derived from them was close on £232,000, but in the reign of Charles II. their value decreased by two-thirds, owing to his lavish grants to worthless favorites, and when George III. came to the throne only £89,000 yearly could be realized on the estates. Now the Chancellor of the Exchequer receives the nice little nest-egg of £767,790 yearly from the Crown lands. Even this enormous increase does not represent the total value of His Majesty's small holdings.

The sources from which this huge income is derived are in some instances peculiar and interesting. It is not generally known that the Crown receives an annual income from the Holborn Restaurant of £2,144, nor that the piece of land with the messuage and buildings thereon known as the Carlton House, His Majesty's Theatre and the Royal Opera Arcade yields no less than £4,200 annually. This latter property is leased for seventy-two years from October, 1898, and when the lease expires the value of the ground rent will have increased by ten times its present value.

One hundred and fifty pounds a year is the estimated annual value of Albany street police station, and for this sum the receiver of the Metropolitan Police District rents the police depot from the Crown. Vine street police station and the land upon which it stands is also numbered among the Crown estates, and from this bit of property our national exchequer receives £515 annually.

TO BOOM IRISH GOODS.

Direct Supply Association Opens Its Shop in London.

A new venture destined to do much for Ireland, was inaugurated a short time ago in Victoria street, Westminster, when the first London depot of the New Irish Direct Supply was opened to the public.

Tweeds from Kerry and Donegal, rugs from Antrim and King's County, shirts and hosiery from Lurgan and Balbriggan, woodwork from Belfast, and Irish horn hatpins from Dublin in charming varieties, are to be seen and bought at reasonable prices at the new depot. Then there are charming specimens of Irish lace and beautiful linens, both hand and power loom made, all with a guarantee that they are of Irish manufacture throughout and bearing the Irish trademark.

The chief activities of the society, however, are directed to the fulfilment of household wants and housewives can in future secure a plentiful supply of the best Irish poultry, butter, bacon, eggs, cream, and honey at prices in most cases less than those charged by the stores. For Christmas gifts hampers were arranged for sale, and a special display of poplin ties and bog-oak ornaments was held.

Smokers will watch with more than ordinary interest the experiment the society is making in introducing Irish-grown tobacco and cigarettes to the English public. One specialty likely to become popular is the Turcirish cigarette, made from tobacco grown in Ireland from Turkish seed, which has proved an even greater success than some of the Virginian varieties.

A Famous Society Sportswoman.

It is fashionable now for London society ladies to indulge in sport, but the sport that requires a retinue of servants to beat the cover and drive the animals up to the fair sportswoman to be slaughtered does not appeal to Lady Grizel Hamilton, who is probably the finest big-game shot in society circles. Lady Grizel has not long returned from a shooting expedition with her husband and a party of 120 persons in British East Africa, where she had some exciting experiences. Her chief ambition was to "pot" a buffalo, but although there was plenty of other game she had to wait many weeks before her first buffalo, a fine male with splendid horns nearly 44 inches at the widest part, fell to her gun. One of her most exciting moments was when she observed a huge hippopotamus in a river swarming with crocodiles. Lady Grizel Hamilton was equal to the occasion, however, and, having planted some well-directed shots, she killed the animal, which weighed about three tons.

His Experience.

Spector—Your new house doesn't look much like the architect's original design. Victome—No, but it looks more like it than the cost looks like his original estimate.—Smart Set.

If no fight, no victory; no victory, no crown.—Savonarola.

RULER AS LAW-BREAKER.

Lord Brassey Was Once Arrested When Governor of B. C.

The first yachtsman to qualify for, and take out, the master's certificate entitling him to navigate his own vessel was Lord Brassey, who has declared that Great Britain's naval position has greatly improved by the alliance with France. As a child he lived at Rouen in a house looking down on the river, and was never more delighted than when out of barrels or boxes and poles he constructed on the lawn make-believe ships. Since those days he has owned eight yachts, the most famous being the Sunbeam, which he has navigated more than 300,000 miles. Lord Brassey is the first baron of his line, his peerage dating back to 1886, after he had been Secretary of the Admiralty for a year and a Civil Lord for five years before that. His father, Thomas Brassey, was a railway pioneer, and his grandfather a Cheshire farmer. Thomas Brassey constructed over 7,000 miles of railway at a cost of close on $400,000,000, and was among the first and the most successful exploiters of labor by navvies in the laying down of great tracks. Seventy-five thousand worked under him. In France, on one occasion, he had a large contract to fulfil, in the execution of which he engaged French navvies. They did not give satisfaction, however, and thousands of Englishmen were imported, who, fed on roast beef and English beer, were ready to do three times the amount of work of the Frenchmen.

When Governor of Victoria, British Columbia, Lord Brassey established a couple of records. He was the first governor to sail to his colony in his own yacht, and the first governor to be reported by a policeman for breaking the laws he was sent to administer. He was seen cycling on a footpath, and was let off with a caution. His lordship keeps most of the marvels he has collected during his travels at Normanhurst, his Sussex seat. The King of the Sandwich Islands was once entertained there, and the thing that struck him most was a royal feather cloak, composed of scarlet and yellow feathers arranged in a diamond-shaped pattern. His dusky Majesty made Lord Brassey the princely bid of a dollar for every feather in the cloak—he wanted it for his Queen—but his host was not to be tempted.

Won by Shouting.

Lord Wolseley, whose health is causing his family and friends grave anxiety, was an engineer officer at the time of Sebastopol, and has made the interesting confession that they won some of their engagements during the Crimean War simply through shouting. He had charge of the advance sap, close to the redoubts. "I don't believe," Lord Wolseley has said, "that we had twenty-five fellows the last time we attacked. We were shouting, and afterwards I could not speak for four days, whilst some of the officers lost their voices for a week. We fired from behind a heap of dead bodies, and I told the bugler to blow his very loudest whilst we cheered, and so the enemy thought we had plenty of men in the rear." It was during the Crimea that Lord Wolseley lost the sight of his right eye, although it was in Burma, when quite a boy, that he received his first wound. A young brother subaltern who had lent a shirt to Wolseley just before the fight saw him fall, and exclaimed involuntarily, "There goes my one change of linen!" Fortunately both shirt and wearer were only slightly damaged.

The Burglars' Nap.

Three housebreakers, named Johnson, Allen, and Kerwick, forced an entry into the house of the town clerk of St. Helens (Eng.) recently. The occupier was away on vacation, and as there were no servants or other residents in the house, the burglars decided to make holiday. After ransacking the place and packing the valuables in portable form, they descended to the wine cellar. Here they found a plentiful supply of drinkables, which they took upstairs to the dining-room. They sat for some hours drinking with such enjoyment that they completely forgot where they were, and eventually all went upstairs and put themselves to bed. A policeman who was going his rounds in the early morning noticed a window open at the back of the house, and entered. He went through all the rooms successively taking a note of the havoc, and ended by going into the best bedroom, where he found the three housebreakers sleeping placidly. When the men were shaken they woke up under the impression that they were snugly in bed at home, and were bitterly disappointed at being caught napping.

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FIGURES ILLUSTRATING THE GROWTH OF TRAFFIC ON THE TRENT CANAL

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Total number cords wood, 1,800.
Total number of live stock, 2 horses.
Coal, 420 tons.
Hay and supplies, 40 tons.

Comparison for past 9 years.

1900	574
1901	902
1902	1402
1903	1410
1904	781
1905	726
1906	1118
1907	1091
1908	1230

Fenelon Falls Lock

W. T. Junkin, lockmaster.

The following report from the lockmaster at this point shows the volume of traffic through Fenelon Falls Lock during the past season:—

	Small Steamers	Boats	Scows	Rafts
May	24	6	6	12
June	43	17	11	—
July	52	37	14	10
August	52	30	13	—
September	15	19	10	—
October	3	11	10	—
November	3	1	11	—

Total number of steamboats, 223.
Total number of small boats, 125.
Total number of scows, 75.
Total number of rafts, 22.
Total lockages, 441.
Total number of passengers, 2,200
Total number feet of lumber, 110,000.
Total number cords wood, 600.
Fence Posts, 600.
Shingles, 10,000.
Stone, 6 cords.
Brick, 9,000.
Coal, 60 ton.

Comparison for past 8 years.

1901	357
1902	330
1903	504
1904	478
1905	319
1906	295
1907	463
1908	441

Lindsay Lock

John Makins, lockmaster

As is well known the Lindsay Lock is not on the main line of the Trent Canal, being on the Scugog River and affording a means of navigation from Port Perry and points on Lake Simcoe to the main line of the canal.

A record of lockages during the past year at Lindsay is as follows:—

	Small Steamers	Boats	Scows	Rafts
May	2	26	5	—
June	16	51	11	—
July	24	93	2	16
August	28	53	21	6
September	7	44	10	5
October	17	55	17	6
November	6	20	3	—

Total number of steamboats, 166.
Total number of small boats, 371.
Total number of scows, 75.
Total number of rafts, 39.
Total lockages, 650.
Total number of passengers, 172.
Total number feet of lumber, 207,000.
Total number cords wood, 675.
1 scow, 300 tons.
1 scow, 60 tons.
100 cords tan bark.
1 scow furniture.
800 ties on scow.

Comparison for past 8 years.

	Small Steamers	Boats	Scows	Rafts
1901	357	130	32	87
1902	330	261	133	161
1903	1121	220	195	113
1904	1067	169	170	110
1905	1263	74	170	170
1906	1167	99	202	170
1907	1491	99	179	220
1908	1072	126	151	247

Bobcaygeon Lock

John J. Walker, lockmaster

The lockages at Bobcaygeon during the past year totalled 526, a slight decrease under the number of lockages during the preceding year. It might be noted, however, that this decrease was not in connection with the steamboat traffic, but in the number of scows that were locked through during the past year, and also in the matter of the number of rafts. In 1907 the number of rafts locked through at Bobcaygeon totalled 256, whereas this year they dropped to 226. The number of steamboats passing through this lock during the past year showed an increase of 25 over the season of 1907.

A detailed report of the lockages at Bobcaygeon for the past season is as follows:—

	Small Steamers	Boats	Scows	Rafts
April	4	—	4	—
May	32	—	15	10
June	66	14	20	46
July	54	19	27	41
August	110	45	35	97
September	30	27	22	16
October	20	—	22	10
November	11	2	6	2
December	2	—	2	—

Total number of steamboats, 354.
Total number of small boats, 166.
Total number of scows, 194.
Total number of rafts, 226.
Total lockages, 526.
Total number of passengers, 2,644.
Total number feet lumber, 45,000.
Total number cords wood, 1,200.
Total number of live stock, 116.
1 scow coal.
1 scow general camp supplies.
5 scows tan bark.
1 scow brick.
1 scow shingles.

Comparisons of past 9 years.

1899	900
1900	1245
1901	964
1902	954
1903	990
1904	979
1905	962
1906	788
1907	850
1908	526

Buckhorn Lock

R. T. Hill, lockmaster.

Buckhorn Lock connects Lovesick Lake and Buckhorn Lake. A splendid new concrete dam has been constructed at this point. The total number of lockages during the past year at Buckhorn was 1,078.

The lockmaster's returns for the season are as follows:—

	Small Steamers	Boats	Scows	Rafts
May	21	27	2	—
June	97	45	7	15
July	148	98	14	6
August	146	109	18	24
September	96	57	12	20
October	48	14	17	—
November	13	—	5	—

Total number of steamboats, 579.
Total number of small boats, 345.
Total number of scows, 75.
Total number of rafts, 74.
Total lockages, 1,073.
Total number of passengers, 2,888.
Total number feet of lumber, 141,000.
Total number cords wood, 450.
Total number live stock, 370.
Shingles, 84,000.
Lath, 28,000.
Coal oil, 27 barrels.
Salt, 23 barrels.
Cement, 9,000 bags.
Brick, 9,000.
Birch logs, 1,000.
Logs, cribs, 44,000 logs.

Comparison for past 2 years.

1907	1,110
1908	1,078

Lovesick Lock

Wm. McFarlane, lockmaster.

The following table shows the number of lockages at Lovesick during the past season.

	Steamers	Scows	Rafts
April	2	—	1
May	13	6	3
June	128	23	53
July	164	26	70
August	207	19	7
September	100	21	—
October	57	16	6
November	7	5	—

Total number of steamboats, 676.
Total number of scows, 118.
Total number of rafts, 138.
Total lockages, 931.
Total number of passengers, 10,000.
Total number feet of lumber, 4 scows.
Total number cords wood, 2,000.
Total number of live stock, 1 scow of hogs.

Comparison for past 9 years.

	Steamers	Scows	Rafts
1899	145	47	43
1900	275	97	48
1901	313	48	50
1902	363	81	87
1903	406	98	109
1904	438	118	124
1905	500	105	141
1906	541	116	135
1907	641	121	165
1908	676	118	138

Burleigh Falls Lock

J. C. Bates, lockmaster.

The lockages at Burleigh Falls showed a slight increase over the number of lockages during the season of 1907, as will be seen by the following table:—

	Small Steamers	Boats	Scows	Rafts
May	19	—	14	1
June	67	—	15	57
July	107	—	28	43
August	133	—	30	11
Sept.	71	—	27	11
Oct.	32	106	23	5
Nov.	11	10	11	—

Total number of steamboats, 441.
Total number of small boats, 116.
Total number of scows, 138.
Total number of rafts, 128.
Total lockages, 783.
Total number of passengers, 1,468.
Total number feet of lumber, 194,000.
Total number cords wood, 1,378.
Total number live stock, 150.
Brick, 50,000.
Cement, 2,067 barrels.
Shingles, 166,000.
Boom timber, 2,880 pieces — 119,000 ft.

Comparison for past 2 years.

	Small Steamers	Boats	Scows	Rafts
1907	421	56	109	121
1908	441	116	136	101

Young's Point Lock

P. P. Young, lockmaster.

Young's Point still maintains the proud position of being the busiest lock on the entire Trent Canal. Each year the number of lockages show an increase over the preceding year and during the past season the number of lockages at this point totalled 2,189. This of course is due to the large tourist traffic to Stony Lake. Notwithstanding the fact that local option prevails in a number of the municipalities that border on Stony Lake, it is significant that Lockmaster Young reports that 8 tons of whiskey passed through his lock on the way to Stony Lake during the past season.

Lockmaster Young's official returns for the past season are as follows:—

	Small Steamers	Boats	Scows	Rafts
April	3	—	2	—
May	19	7	27	16
June	120	32	47	45
July	200	78	62	27
August	227	156	62	11
Sept.	223	61	53	1
Oct.	119	29	12	6
Nov.	19	3	11	—

Total number of steamboats, 1,202.
Total number of small boats, 540.
Total number of scows, 354.
Total number of rafts, 126.
Total lockages, 2,189.
Total number of passengers, 30,218.
Total number feet of lumber, 625,650.
Total number cords wood, 5,954.
Total number of live stock, 230.
Shingles, 900,000.
Stone, 600 cord.
Merchandise, 1,975 tons.
Wheat, 300 bags.
Cement, 4,000 barrels.
Brick, 7,000.
Potatoes, 220 bags.
Cedar posts on scows, 600.
Cheese, 45 ton.
Hay, 20 ton.
Iron, 15 ton.
Earthenware, 20 ton.
Furniture, 16 ton.
Coal, 40 ton.
Oil, 4 tons.
Whiskey, 8 ton.
Total tonnage freight, 1,220.
Agricultural implements and machinery, 64 ton.

Comparison for past ten years.

	Small Steamers	Boats	Scows	Rafts
1897	897	130	92	67
1898	1060	261	133	161
1899	1121	220	195	113
1900	1067	169	170	110
1901	1263	74	170	170
1902	1167	99	202	170
1903	1491	99	179	220
1904	1072	126	151	247
1905	1264	157	270	221
1906	1263	217	203	195
1907	1275	220	207	157
1908	1202	240	264	136

Lakefield Lock

John H. McWilliams, lockmaster.

This lock is known as Lock No. 1 of the Peterborough - Lakefield section. In former years the traffic through this lock was almost exclusively freight, but during the past season the Otonabee Navigation Company ran a passenger boat from Peterborough to Stony Lake each day which has brought up the total number of lockages from 440 in 1907 to 564 during the past year.

The returns from this lock are as follows:—

	Steamers	Scows	Rafts
May	19	8	—
June	73	41	1
July	150	50	8
August	161	44	5
September	97	57	1
October	89	94	6
November	5	2	—

Total number of steamboats, 570.
Total number of scows, 297.
Total number of rafts, 21.
Total number of lockages, 564.
Total number cords wood, 4,000.
Total number of live stock, 154.
Stone, 600 cords.
Tile, 9,000.
Brick, 100,000.

Comparison for past 5 years.

	Steamers	Scows	Rafts
1904	133	43	9
1905	235	143	61
1906	300	117	22
1907	326	122	47
1908	570	297	21

Peterboro Hydraulic Lift Lock

H. W. Gillespie, lockmaster.

The traffic at the Peterborough Hydraulic Lift Lock during the past year shows a steady improvement. Each year since the opening of the Lift Lock in 1904, the number of lockages has steadily increased. During the past year the total number of lockages reached 878.

A record of the lockages of the Peterborough Hydraulic Lift Lock is as follows:—

	Small Steamers	Boats	Scows	Rafts
May	19	6	11	—
June	79	30	48	1
July	90	61	47	1
August	114	64	50	3
Sept.	83	39	50	—
Oct.	41	11	41	2
Nov.	2	—	—	—

Total number of steamboats, 428.
Total number of small boats, 251.
Total number of rafts, 6.
Total number of passengers, 12,000.
Total lockages, 878.
Total number feet of lumber, 113,500.
Total number cords wood, 3,463.
Total number live stock, 160 hogs.
Tonnage of boats, 22,438.
Merchandise, 266 tons.
Cement, 1 1-2 tons.
Iron, 7 tons.
Stone, 775 cords.
Shingles, 126,000.
Brick, 50,000.
Potatoes, 175 bags.
Timber, 115,500 feet.
Coal, 40 tons.
Furniture, 7 tons.
Posts, 700.
Lath, 15,000.
Lime, 30 buchels.
Oil, 2 tons.

Comparison for past 4 years.

	Small Steamers	Boats	Scows	Rafts
1905	321	98	150	92
1906	165	103	105	38
1907	398	125	169	34
1908	432	121	251	6

Peterboro Lock

William Collins, lockmaster.

The traffic through the Peterborough Lock does not at the present time indicate the volume of traffic down the Otonabee River to Rice Lake as it did some years ago, before the Peterborough Street Railway Company extended its line to a point on the Otonabee River just below the Locks. As is well known, a handsome new dock has been constructed oon the Otonabee River, at the foot of the Peterborough Street Railway, and a great deal of traffic commences at this point. Notwithstanding this fact, however, the total lockages through the Peterborough Lock during the past year amounted to 1,188. Of this amount it is worth noting that 466 of these lockages consisted of small boats, chiefly gasoline launches, but it should also be noted that there was one passenger boat less plying on the Otonabee River than there was in the preceding years. The Water Lily, which formerly travelled on the Otonabee River had its route last year from the Wolfe street Wharf to Stony Lake points.

The record of the traffic at this lock during the past year is as follows:—

	Small Steamers	Boats	Scows
May	20	15	2
June	96	79	27
July	147	106	28
August	124	110	12
September	67	35	27
October	73	52	48
November	26	10	10

Total number of steamboats, 553.
Total number of small boats, 456.
Total number of scows, 160.
Total lockages, 1,188.
Total number of passengers, 28,894.
Total number feet of lumber, 850,000.
Total number cords of wood, 350.
Total number livestock, 2,003.
Total number tons freight, 342.

Comparison for past 10 years.

	Small Steamers	Boats	Scows	Rafts
1898	735	—	200	11
1899	585	—	176	—
1900	902	—	184	13
1901	735	—	164	19
1902	901	—	175	24
1903	880	—	152	25
1904	708	—	117	30
1905	776	—	179	8
1906	570	—	115	12
1907	670	220	128	6
1908	553	466	160	—

Hastings Lock

John Tracy, lockmaster.

This is a lock that is not much used owing to the fact that there is nothing to attract traffic between Hastings and Healey's Falls.

The record of the lockages at Hastings during the past year is as follows

	Small Steamers	Boats	Scows	Rafts
May	4	2	—	—
June	21	1	10	—
July	8	5	4	1
August	10	5	4	—
Sept.	2	—	—	—
Oct.	4	2	—	—

Total number of steamboats, 50.
Total number of small boats, 15.
Total number of scows, 18.
Total number of rafts, 1.
Total lockages, 93.
Total number of passengers, 1,087.

Comparison for past 10 years.

	Small Steamers	Boats	Scows	Rafts
1897	38	27	21	5
1898	30	25	17	—
1899	40	40	27	—
1900	44	20	24	—
1901	23	30	6	2
1902	51	47	15	16
1903	46	52	6	20
1904	45	73	6	17
1905	40	6	10	13
1906	36	10	12	10
1907	44	14	10	2
1908	58	15	15	1

Lake Simcoe—Balsam Lake Division

The above list of locks does not by any means constitute the number of locks on the Trent Canal. For instance, on the Lake Simcoe-Balsam Lake division, there are five locks between Lake Simcoe and the Kirkfield Hydraulic Lift Lock, of which no mention has been made above. This is owing to the fact that a record of the lockages at Kirkfield indicates pretty much the volume of traffic through the other five locks on that division.

Peterboro—Lakefield Division

There are five locks on this division that are not mentioned in the above list. The records of the Lakefield Lock and the Peterborough Hydraulic Lift Lock indicate the amount of traffic in the remaining five locks on this division.

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Dated 9th January 1909.
R. A. PECK, Secretary. W. H. MOORE, President.
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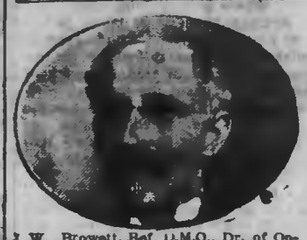
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Hereafter the Peterborough Optical Institute closes at nine o'clock every Saturday night instead of ten as formerly, and 8 o'clock other evenings.
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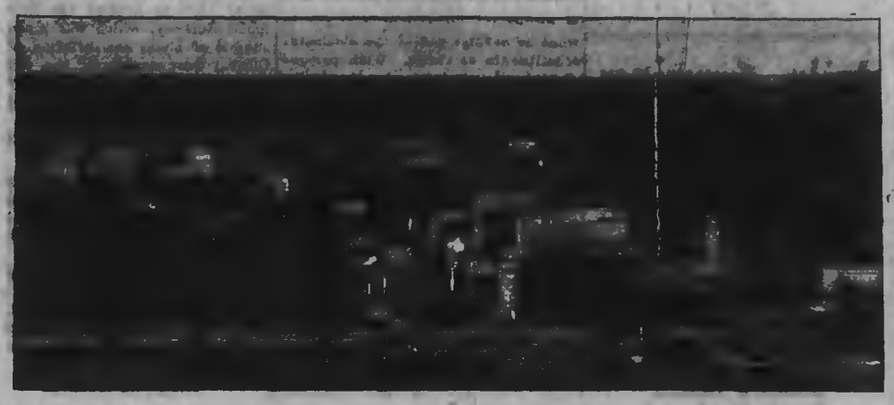
PETERBOROUGH SATURDAY JANUARY 16 1909

EIGHTEEN PEOPLE KILLED AND THIRTY INJURED IN A RAILWAY WRECK LAST NIGHT.

Special to The Examiner.

Glenwood Springs, Colo., Jan. 16.—Eighteen known dead and at least thirty injured is the result of a collision last night at Dotsro, between a west bound Denver and Rio Grand passenger train and an east bound freight. Dotsro is but twenty miles from here, but their is no communication with the place other than the railway telegraph lines, which are now out of commission. This accounts for the lack of details of the wreck. The freight was taking a siding and had almost cleared the line when struck by the passenger. The chair car was cut in two and one tourist car telescopied. It is probable that the number of dead will be increased. Eighteen bodies have already been recovered. No one was injured in the sleeping car. A train left here this morning for the scene of the wreck, carrying all available doctors and nurses in the city.



FORT WILLIAM AS IT APPEARED IN 1884. (See Article on Page 14)

G. WALTER GREEN CO., LIMITED, CAPITALIZED AT $100,000.00— HAS CHARTER AND OFFICERS

Mr. G. Walter Green, who has been carrying on an extensive and progressive moulding business has taken out a charter under the name of the G. Walter Green Co. Limited, capitalized at $100,000.00. The officers of the Company are as follows—

President—G. Walter Green.
Vice Pres.—S. Green.
Sec. Treas.—T. O. Donaldson
Directors—P. J. Heaslip and F. L. Kerr.

The company is authorized to engage in the business of iron and steel founders, manufacturing all kinds of mining and saw mill machinery. It is understood that the stock is not for sale and is not placed on the market.

The splendid growth of his establishment to a place of importance in the city's industrial ranks is largely due to the perseverance and progressiveness of Mr. Green and under the new company continued advancement should be experienced.

The small plant which was first required has been transformed and five new buildings have been erected to meet the requirement.

Rev. Father Dan O'Connell Passes Away At St. Joseph's Hospital

In the death of Rev. Father Daniel O'Connell, chaplain of St. Joseph's Hospital, which took place at the hospital this morning, there passed away one of the best known and most popular priests in the diocese of Peterborough. The deceased had been ill for the past two weeks, suffering from a severe cold and his death was not unexpected. He was seventy-four years of age and had been a resident of Peterborough county for a large number of years.

The late Father Daniel O'Connell was born in Ireland and came to Canada at the age of twenty years. He was educated for the priesthood at Regiopolis College, Kingston, and at Laval University, Montreal. After graduating he was ordained at Kingston, but was not attached to the Cathedral there, going to Perth where he remained one year. He was then appointed parish priest of Douro, serving in that capacity faithfully for twenty years, during which he endeared himself in the hearts of his parishioners by his many excellent qualities and his earnest attention to his duties. Afterwards he was three years in charge of the parish of Enismore, and from there came to St. Joseph's hospital where he has acted as chaplain for the past sixteen years.

He is survived by one sister, Mrs. Donaghue, of Jones' Falls. The funeral will take place on Tuesday morning from St. Joseph's Hospital to St. Peter's Cathedral, where requiem high mass will be sung and thence to the St. Peter's Cemetery for interment.

The Labrador Medical Mission Dance January 1st, Netted $158.87

Mr. L. F. Cross, honorary secretary-treasurer of the New Year's Labrador Medical Mission Dance, has furnished the press with the following statement in detail of the receipts and expenditures in connection with the successful social function which resulted in the addition of the handsome sum of $158.87 to the Medical Mission Fund. Of this sum $100.00 has been forwarded to the honorary secretary-treasurer, and balance will be added to the bank credit of the fund. The annual contribution is not confined to the sum of $100; during the summer about $25 is used to send a supply of linen to the Mission. The annual dance was considered a great social and financial success, by those interested in its object, to aid one of the most deserving of systematic enterprises of benefaction. Below is the statement of the LABRADOR MEDICAL MISSION DANCE:

Subscriptions		$ 27 00
Tickets sold		36 00
Cash taken at door		159 00
		$222 00
Express	$ 75	
Music	13 00	
Decorations	5 00	
Postage	3 17	
Refreshments, etc	25 91	
Conservatory	8 00	
Review Printing Co.	8 50	
Cheque mailed to Miss J. Greenshields, Hon. Sec.-Treas. of The Royal National Mission, Deep Sea Fishers	100 00	
Balance deposited in Bank	58 87	
		$222 00

The Public Library Affected By Talk Of Free Library

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Public Library was held on Monday evening, Jan. 11. There was a fair attendance of members; Dr. Burnham, President, read the report of the Library for the past year. It was not as good as it might have been owing to the agitation for a Carnegie Library. Quite a number of books were presented to the Library during the year. There were 230 volumes added to the Library during the year, and 6470 books issued.

The following were elected directors for 1909:—

Dr. Burnham, J. Corkery, H. Elliott, James English, T. A. S. Hay, L. M. Hayes, W. H. Hill, J. S. Knapman, H. A. Tenney.

The annual sale of periodicals and magazines will take place next Monday night at 8 o'clock in one of the rooms at the Library.

Handsome New Cottage For Mr. T. H. G. Denne At Story Lake

Mr. T. H. G. Denne is arranging for a handsome new summer home to be erected at Stony Lake as soon as the weather opens in the spring. Last season Mr. Denne purchased from Dr. Morrison the island formerly owned by Mrs. Dr. Bell, which is very conveniently situated. Mr. Denne is having the stone and sand placed upon the island, so as to be ready for operations when the weather permits in the spring. The first story of the residence will be built of stone and the balance will be frame. Its dimensions will be 50 feet by 60 feet. Mr. Denne's cottage when completed will be one of the finest on the lake, will be of the latest architecture and will be one of the most popular homes in the Kawartha district.

LARGE BANQUET HELD AT THE MURRAY STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

The complimentary banquet given by the Canadian Shredded Wheat Company, Limited, to the Murray Street Baptist Church, under the auspices of the Women's Aid Society, was a great success, both financially as well as socially.

Tea was served in the basement of the church to a very large gathering and was commenced by singing the grace.

Twenty-five waiters waited on the tables and saw that everybody was served with all that was wanted.

Beautiful menu cards were issued by the company with the programme printed on one half. These were set at intervals along the table.

Six tables were set with the good things to eat, which were greatly enjoyed if one could judge from the remarks heard from all quarters of the room.

After the inner man had been satisfied, the chairs were pushed back and turned to face the platform from which a short programme was rendered.

The programme was as follows—

CHAIRMAN'S ADDRESS.

1. Solo ..... Mr. Ferguson
2. Reading ..... Miss Aldridge
3. Quartette ..... Selected
   Mrs. Miller, Miss Kidd, Messrs. Raddon and Ferguson.
4. Address ..... Natural Food
   Mr. J. Hewitt.
5. Solo ..... Miss Sanderson
6. Recitation ..... Mr. Kolton
7. Piano Duet.
   Misses Quinn and Walker
8. Solo ..... Mrs. Miller
9. Reading ..... Mrs. Morgan

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MILLER IS BADLY HURT

Brantford Despatch Says That His Hip is Seriously Injured, While He is Very Much Shaken Up.

FATHER GOES TO BRANTFORD

Mr. Finch Miller, left for Brantford last night to see his son, Walter who was injured in the wreck near Guelph on Thursday. A Brantford despatch says—

With Walter Miller the exact nature of the injuries are not fully known. His hip is badly bruised and the damage may prove serious to him in the future. His left hand is lacerated to the bone, and he is cut from head to foot and badly shaken up. It will be some days before his condition will be fully known. Marks passed a restful night, but Miller had a bad time of it

A Loss to the Team

Both men were gentlemanly fellows and well liked by their teammates, who knew them best and by everyone. Miller was a favourite with many, while Marks was ever popular. It took nearly 20 minutes for him yesterday to realize that he was hurt, during which time he stood around while the others were being removed. This, in spite of the fact that the bone in one arm was literally crumbled. Miller also showed great pluck, and it was half an hour before he collapsed.

COL. H. W. MAPP,
Distinguished Salvation speaker who arrives in Peterboro to-day for special services to-night and to-morrow.

DOUBLE WINDOWS MAY BE USED AT THE KING EDWARD

It may be that double windows will be placed on the King Edward school. Each window was provided with a weather strip last year and these are doing good work, but it was pointed out that double windows were necessary. The difference in cost of heating which would come as a result would make up for the windows. If the board decides to fit the King Edward school with them they will be put on the inside.

ESTABLISH A RECORD

Police Department by Arrest and Conviction of William Clark for Giving Liquor to Man On Blacklist.

WAS FIRST KNOWN TO CHIEF

Chief Rossel has probably established a record by the conviction of a man who gave liquor to one who was black-listed. Asked regarding the case the Chief stated that he did not know of any similar case in Ontario. The point that was emphasized in court was that the law deals rather harshly with those who buy liquor for or give it to a man that is listed. The Chief meant that he did not know of any one outside of hotel keepers who had ever been charged with this offence.

YOUNG MAN WILL BE SENTENCED NEXT TUESDAY

The young man who pleaded guilty to stealing $21.00 a few days ago, from a man whom he was asking for work, was again remanded at the police court to-day and will appear for sentence on Tuesday. The police obtained nearly all the money after the lad's arrest. In giving his references to the Magistrate, Chief Rossel stated that the boy would not go to school for his mother, his father having died when he was about five or six years old. He was taken in charge by the Children's Aid Society and went with a family near Brighton and was finally sent to the Industrial School.

LARGE LYNX WAS SHOT ON MONDAY

Mr. J. Payne of Lakefield, was very fortunate in securing a very large lynx. The animal was caught in a trap on Monday in the wilderness near the shores of Clear Lake, and was despatched by the use of a stick, without making a hole in the pelt, which gives it a much greater value it measures five feet and six inches from point to point and was one of the very largest of its kind. It was brought into the Examiner office this morning by Mr. Payne, and it was one of the best specimens ever seen here.

The hide was bought by Wm. Lech & Sons, who paid a good price for it.

WALTER MILLER DOING NICELY WIRES FATHER

Rev. J. R. Webb, of the Murray Street Baptist Church, received a wire from Mr. Finch Miller, who went up to Brantford last night to see his son Walter, who was injured in the wreck at Guelph on Thursday morning, to the effect that Walter was not hurt as bad as reported, and that he is getting along nicely. "Diddy's" many friends in Peterborough will be glad to learn that his condition is not so serious as was thought. There have been many expressions of regret since word was received here that he was badly injured and that he would be forced to retire from the game.

CHILDREN IN SHELTER

Mother Is Ill and There Was No One to Look After the Little Ones—Very Sad Case.

THE SOCIETY TAKES ACTION

Two children were received at the Shelter to-day, having been taken in charge by that society owing to illness in the family. The mother was unable to look after them and they will be taken care of at the shelter for the time being.

FURNACES AND VENTILATION AT THE COLLEGIATE

The heating and ventilating systems at the new Collegiate Institute are giving the greatest satisfaction according to report. The second boiler was recently started and every room on the burning was soon at summer heat. The ventilating system is reported working in perfect order, to the great delight of Mr. J. E. Belcher, architect.

AN OYSTER SUPPER WAS HELD AT CAVANVILLE

An oyster supper was held at the Methodist church, Cavanville, last night, and a large attendance was present. A splendid programme was rendered by local talent, the programme being as follows:

1 Piano solo ..... Miss McGill
2 Male quartette ..... Selection
3 Recitation ..... Mr. Moore
  Vocal solo ..... Miss Chalmers
5 Vocal solo ..... W. F. Shiteh
  Duet, vocal ..... Misses Chasty
7 Address ..... Rev. Mr. Adams

BOBCAYGEON MAN SAID TO BE THE CO-RESPONDENT

London, Eng., Jan. 16.—J. H. Attridge obtained a divorce from Eliza Attridge, naming as corespondent Henry Cox, of Bobcaygeon, Ont.

HOAGLAND LEADS IN THE BIG WALKING MATCH

Auburn, N. Y., Jan. 16.—Hoagland leads in four days' walk.

NEW BOOKS.

The following new books have been added to the Public Library:

Conquest of the Great Northwest, (2 vols)—Lant.
Science and Immorality—Lodge.
Princess Penniless—Crockett.
The Governor—Grimshaw.
Nancy—McVeigh.
The Gentleman—Olivant.

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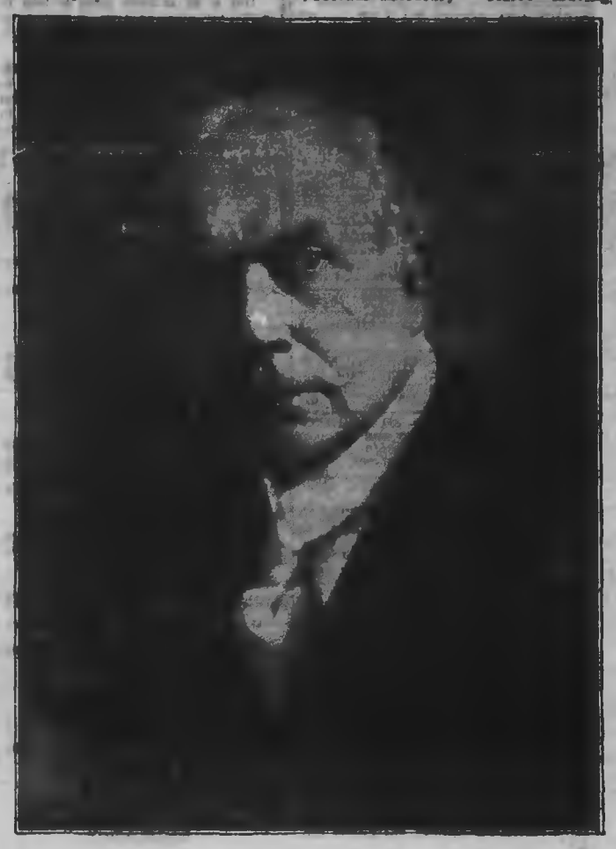
IRVING BEERS AND DR. A. H. BEERS WILL MANAGE CANADIAN TOUR OF DONALD ROBERTSON

Some details of the career of Donald Robertson, the famous Scotch actor, whose wonderful progress and achievements in literary stage-land, have set all in the higher dramatic world talking, will interest those who will have the opportunity of seeing him and his wonderful company next season, when he tours Canada from coast to coast, under the joint management of Irving Beers, of this city, and Dr. A. H. Beers, the well known writer. Mr. Robertson was born in Scotland and at an early age the family moved to New York, where he and his famous brother graduated from the Polytechnic Institute. He entered upon his theatrical career when only a boy with Daniel E. Bandman, in Shakesperian repertoire. Then followed engagements with Henry Abbey, Steel, Mackeye and Lester Wallack, in plays under their direction. He was chosen at the early age of eighteen to play the cripple in the famous revival of the "Two Orphans," in New York, with Miss Kate Claxton and a star cast. After this he starred in the first play written by himself, entitled "My Misses," which was spoken of by the critics as one of the most human and captivating of modern plays. Returning to London for the next ten years, where he brushed sleeves with the great artistic element of France and England, it was not long before the acknowledged critics of London, were writing in glowing terms of his wonderful talent as an actor, and during that ten years he shared the honours with his brother, Robert Robertson, Forbes Robertson, John Hare, (now Sir John Hare), Mrs. John Wood and several other leaders in English dramatic art. He then returned to America, when he starred in a repertoire of plays adapted or written by himself, among them, "Don Caesar's Revenge," "The Scarlet Letter," (by Hawthorne), which he dramatized in one week, "The Triumph of Youth," and his own dramatization of "The Man in the Iron Mask," by Dumas, which he produced in this city some twelve years ago, and which is not yet forgotten. The following few years he played in New York, and found time to write two delightful volumes of poems, the last one being entitled "Impressions in Rhyme," and it would do everybody good to read it. His greatest achievement, however, has been in the last three years in Chicago, his headquarters, where he is establishing a "National Theatre," resembling in artistic aim the "Theatre Francaise," in Paris. Pending the erection of that worthy institution the "Art Institute," has opened its doors to him free of charge. This is an honour that has never been conferred upon any other actor in America.

"The Literary Digest" says: Donald Robertson has produced a list of plays in the last year in Chicago that no actor manager in New York or London could duplicate, though at the great Continental Court Theatre, a repertoire of similar weight and worth is not infrequently found. The following is a list of the authors of some of the plays he has produced in the last two years, the best of which he will give Canada next season. Shakespeare, Milton, Moliere, Ibsen, Browning, Giacosa, Pailleron, Gerhart-Hauptman, Jose Echegary, Bjornsen, Goldini, Dr. Richard Burton, Hamlin Garland, and others.

Irving Beers, who will manage Mr. Robertson's tour, will produce "The Private Secretary" before leaving Peterborough, and it is very probable that the tour will open in this city. Mr. Beers was for several years a prominent member of Mr. Robertson's Company, and a great personal friend of Mr. Robertson. This will be one of the greatest companies that has ever visited Canada, and Donald Robertson is spoken of by all the great critics, such as Wm. Winter, Burns Mantle, James O'Donnell Bennet and Dr. Richard Burton, of the "Bellman," as one of the great eat actors in the English speaking world.



DONALD ROBERTSON,
Actor and Author, whom the leading critics of two continents speak of as the most illustrious figure on the American stage.—(Empire Review, London, Eng.)

SPECIAL SERVICES AT MARK STREET CHURCH

Have Just Been Concluded and Will Probably be Continued.

Last night closed a week of special prayer meetings at Mark street church following the week of prayer which was held during the previous week. The pastor held most helpful services and during the coming week a revival will likely be conducted.

Installation Postponed

—The public installation of the officers of St. Peter's Court, No. 225, Catholic Order of Foresters, has been postponed until Wednesday evening, Jan. 20th, on account of the death of Rev. Father Daniel O'Connell.

SLEIGH LOAD OF MERRY MAKERS ON THEIR WAY HOME FROM DANCE ARE STRUCK BY A G. T. R. TRAIN AND FOUR PEOPLE ARE KILLED

Grimsby, Jan. 16—A sleigh load of people returning from a dance at Winona was struck by Grand Trunk express No 8, running at the rate of sixty miles an hour this morning, about 3 o'clock at a crossing just east of Grimsby station. Mr. and Mrs. W. Wilson and Geo. Teeter were instantly killed, and Mrs. Geo. Teeter so sadly injured that she died shortly after. Miss Lottie Teeter was badly shaken up and Gordon Nelson was terribly injured and is not expected to recover, but Teeter's infant child which was with the party miraculously escaped with only a few bruises. Both horses were killed.

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OUR WINTER WEATHER.

In other winters northwest cold waves and blizzards have reached Ontario with the regularity of the Canadian "Pacific Express." This year something seems to have interfered. (We read in our despatches of blizzards in the west, and shudder in anticipation; but this winter they come not. Is it possible that the storms in their eastward course take the line of the new Transcontinental, and sweep on their way — giving Southern Ontario the go-by, if not the cold shoulder? Canada is a land of weather varieties. With flowers blooming in the open air gardens in British Columbia, we have, across the mountains, Edmonton, smitten with 40 below zero weather and Winnipeg gets it to the tune of 50 below, while Fort William rejoices in a record—on Jan. 11th—of temperature, or rather intemperature, of 56 degrees under the cypher mark; and further east Montreal is floundering about in six or seven feet of snow, with the thermometer not in the peach belt mood either. This winter Peterborough and vicinity seem to be in the neutral weather zone. We have had a beautifully mild, if slightly capricious, weather so far this winter. For this we are grateful and can, therefore, bear with greater resignation some genuine boreal bluster, which February generally brings, as if in compensation of her short reign, by strenuous cyclonic activity. Old timers and weather prophets of the goose-bone school find themselves at sea now, their a priori weather prognostications generally missing connections with the a posteriori results. This is due to the decided change in climatic conditions which naturally induce changed weather conditions. With the extensive removal of our forest growth, we have the climate almost as extensively modified. We have less, and less regular, rainfall and winter weather conditions quite different from those that were familiar to the pioneers of this part of Canada—long, steady winters, winter while it was winter, and at the end, breaking at once into the genial glory of spring. Those who rail against our Canadian winter, rail in pitiable ignorance of its delights. It is a glorious season with its peculiar pleasures, heightened by the idea of contrast and the deeper sense that it is one of the most beneficent provisions of Divine Providence—the holiday of procreant nature, the season of rest, by change of occupation, for man and beast. While milder climates take it out of man the year round, while the monotonous iteration of changeless weather, with humid, enervating heat, induces perpetual lassitude and partial paralysis of ambition, the winter comes to the Canadian as a tonic, with its bracing airs, its keen but not unkindly frost, turning the current of thought and activity into new paths and recreating and revivifying all round. Nature, too, takes its rest; the rooted trees stand fixed in their bed of rigid soil, but with all, the processes of nature, arrested in some forms, break out in others. Thus early in January the stately elms and red maples feel the stirrings of vegetative life, and show their swelling buds clear against the wintry sky, thrilled with the mysterious impulse of growth which spring completes in the unfolded leaves. The Canadian winter is a blustery but beneficent season — making robust manhood, strong in physique and vigorous of spirit, freezing out the monotony, and by very contrast enhancing the appreciation of the pleasures of our brief but gladsome spring, our glorious summer and the lingering mellowness of our autumn.

We Canadians would not exchange, if we could, our winter weather, or any other weather, our continental sweep of rich resources, our civilization, our institutions, our hopes and our future for those of any other country under Heaven's sunshine.

PROVISION FOR OLD AGE.

Unemployment is a serious enough condition; but it is doubtful if it is prudentially any worse than employment without thrift. One is want of opportunity, the other is waste of opportunity. It will not be seriously doubted that a great deal of the destitution and suffering from lack of means for maintenance, is due to want of saving, one of the elemental constituents of thrift. With persons of moderate income, especially if it be precarious, and in view of uncertainty of health, what is saved is of as much importance as what is earned. We see two men with similar capacities and opportunities for earning. One saves, spends prudently, practises thrift, and accumulates money and to that extent is equipped for taking advantage of opportunities of advancement, and he does advance and thrives.

The other spends money foolishly, is always "hard up" and as a result stays poor. The first has provision against a rainy day, in the event of sickness or when old age impairs or destroys his earning powers. So far as worldly gear is concerned he spends the rest of his days in comfort. The other has three conditions confronting him; he must suffer or depend upon the uncertain and, often, humiliating bounty of his children, or he must take the place and fare of a pauper, when his earning powers are gone.

Thrift is largely a constitutional quality and those who do not naturally incline to it will be greatly helped by the Government Annuities Act of 1908, involving provision for old age, and against want and poverty. The essence of the Act of Parliament, as well as of the individual, is the deposit, from time to time in the Government Post Office Savings Bank of any amount that can be saved from necessary expenditure—and from foolish pleasures too. These amounts are placed to the credit of the depositor at compound interest at the rate of four per cent. per annum and will be repaid in quarterly instalments to the depositor from a date to be fixed. The Government acts as his banker, free of charge and the security is more absolutely certain than the Bank of England, for it has the three million and a half square miles of Canada and all its resources practically under mortgage to secure payment of the amount called for. By express provision of the law the depositor cannot be deprived of the amount of his deposit. It cannot be seized for debt, cannot be bargained away, cannot be forfeited. The annuity provided under the act may be spent foolishly by the recipient but it cannot be destroyed. It will come every three months while life lasts. According to deposits, provision can be made for from $50 to $600 per year. Payments may begin at age of five or any subsequent age, but except for invalidity or disablement, no annuity shall be paid before the age of 55 years. Twenty-five cents per week, if no larger sum can be afforded, may be paid or ten, fifteen or twenty dollars can be paid at a time. Provision can be made for joint annuity for husband and wife. There is no risk incurred no unreturnable payments made. In case of death before sixty all payments made, with 3 per cent. compound interest added, will be returned to the heirs of the depositor. Space will not here permit of detailing all the advantages of the Canadian Government Annuities system, but they are so great that every one who wishes to make a safe, certain, inalienable, non-forfeitable provision for old age, should know and take advantage of them.

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

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The rumour that Mackenzie and Mann were to acquire the Intercolonial Railway, which was made the subject of bitter denunciation of the Liberal Government by the Conservative press, has been officially denied. That does not prevent the Toronto News from reiterating the false story in the form of a cartoon.

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Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Gravenhurst, North Bay, Sturgeville and Toronto	11.40 a.m. 2.30 p.m.	8.35 a.m 12.45 a.m
Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	8.40 a.m. 5.40 p.m.	9.05 p.m. 5.50 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Cobourg Montreal and East	8.40 p.m	11.45 a.m
Toronto, Lindsay, Sturgeville, Uxbridge and Markham	11.40 a.m. 2.30 p.m. 10.15 p.m.	7.15 a.m 12.45 a.m 11.45a.m
Lindsay Local	8.45 a.m.	9.30 p.m
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	8.40 a.m. 2.30 p.m.	9.05 a.m 5.50 p.m
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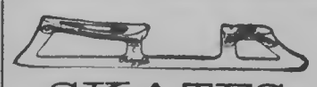

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Sir Frederick Borden Discusses Unification Scheme.

SOME PROBLEMS TO SOLVE

Plan Has Not Crystallied Yet, But Has Made Good Progress—Sir Frederick Says United States Policy Regarding Trade Excludes Canada — Proposals Must Come From Other Side of Border.

London, Jan. 16.—In an interview regarding the relations existing between Canada and the United States Sir Fred. Borden said: "On political questions we want to be good neighbors and friends, but on trade questions the United States has taken a line of policy, presumably from national motives, which excludes us. We accept the situation, and will pursue our own line of policy. Any concession or reopening of the trade question must come from the United States."

Sir Frederick also stated: "I had serious conferences with Mr. Haldane and members of the Army Council and also Gen. Hood of Australia with reference to the proposed Imperial General Staff. An advance is being made and steps are being taken to make regulations and formulate plans for what was at first only a general idea. There are, however, certain difficulties as to questions of administration and the like to overcome. The scheme has hardly yet crystallized, but still there has been progress. The exchange of officers between the various parts of the Empire has been going on for some time, but this is only a part of the scheme. In the case of Canada, for instance, we may have four or five members of the General Staff, or, in other words, our own General Staff, which would form a part of the Imperial General Staff."

NEW HUDSON BAY LINE.

Company Proposing to Build From Prince Albert Seeks Incorporation.

Ottawa, Jan. 16.—The Prince Albert and Hudson Bay Railway Co. will apply to Parliament for an act of incorporation. A line is proposed to be built from a point near Prince Albert, Sask., to the mouth of the Nelson river on Hudson Bay or York Factory.

The Fort Erie and Buffalo Bridge Co. is seeking for incorporation with power to construct a bridge across the Niagara river.

The Windsor, Essex and Lake Shore Rapid Railway Co. will apply to Parliament for an extension of time of construction.

The St. Mary's and Western Ontario Railway wants power to build the following lines: From Woodstock to Brantford; from St. Mary's to Stratford; from St. Mary's to Exeter to Milverton and Goderich, and from Exeter to the Harbor of Grand Bend.

The Cabano Railway Co. will apply to Parliament for incorporation and for power to construct a railway from Long Lake Temiscounta, Que., on the line of the National Transcontinental Railway of Cabano.

Man Frozen to Death.

Winnipeg, Jan. 16.—Thomas Walker, a Scotchman, was frozen to death, and two Galicians were badly frozen, one of whom will lose a foot and part of his hands, and the other a part of one foot, as the result of leaving their lumber camps about 100 miles north of here to walk to Winnipegosis.

They were lost on the lake and in the bush for 15 days. The Galicians were found lying on ice by some fishermen. Walker left them while lost on the lake and no trace of him has been seen since. They were without food for ten days.

Wiarton Cement Company Failure.

Wiarton, Jan. 16.—The Colonial Portland Cement Co. has assigned to E. R. C. Clarkson of Toronto and a winding-up order has been granted. The step did not cause any great commotion here, as it had been anticipated for some time.

At present there are from 8,000 to 10,000 barrels of unfinished cement, known as clinkers, at the works, along with 800 barrels of the finished product. All of this, it is understood, is held by the Union Bank.

Brantford Citizens' League.

Brantford, Jan. 16.—The organization of a citizens' league, with the one object of carrying local option here, was effected Thursday night. Announcement was made that the fight would cover the entire County of Brant. Officers elected were: President, C. F. Verity; vice-president, Dr. Nichol; secretary, C. B. Hitchon; treasurer, A. Moyer; council, Henry Yeigh, Fred Mann and John T. Ham.

Bequeaths Million to Jews.

New York, Jan. 16.—A conditional bequest of $1,000,000 is made to Jewish charitable institutions of New York City by the will of Louis A. Heinshimer, banker and member of the firm of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., who died on Jan. 1.

The proviso is that the Jewish Benevolent Institutions of the city be consolidated into one body.

Babe Drowns In Tub.

St. Catharines, Jan. 16.—Leonard, the two-year-old son of Percy Glynn, an Englishman employed in the Davy Pulp Mill at Thorold, was drowned in a tub of water.

When found he was dead, leaning over the tub with his hands immersed in the water.

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Jury Decides That Novelist Is Not Guilty of Murder.

IT IS HIS SECOND ESCAPE

Man Charged With Abetting Brother In Killing William Annis Was Once Before Tried For Murder—Crowd In the Courtroom Evinces Great Enthusiasm When Verdict Is Rendered—Sees His Brother.

Flushing, N.Y., Jan. 16.—After reviewing the evidence for twenty-two hours and taking fifteen ballots before all were agreed the jury in the trial of Thornton Jenkins Hains at three o'clock yesterday afternoon found the prisoner not guilty as a principal with his brother, Capt. Peter C. Hains, Jr., in the killing of William E. Annis.

For the second time in his life, Thornton Hains had been found not guilty of the charge of murder, the magazine writer being acquitted of shooting a companion named Edward A. Hannigan in an open boat in Hampton Roads, 17 years ago.

Thornton Hains had an affecting greeting with Capt. Hains in the Long Island Jail, where he hurried in a motor car after the verdict, to bring his brother the news. Old Gen. Hains and his wife, who had been anxiously awaiting in the Hotel Astor in Manhattan since the jury went out Thursday night, heard the news from their son Thornton who telephoned his parents as soon as he left the court room. Mrs. Hains nearly fainted with joy at the news. After spending an hour with Capt. Hains in the jail, Thornton Hains went to the Hotel Astor, where he remained through the evening and night with his father and mother.

Rarely in any court of law has such a demonstration been witnessed as that which occurred yesterday afternoon when the jury made known it's verdict, which came like a thunder bolt. The packed court room of spectators rose as one man and cheered and applauded with such mighty vigor that the gavel falls of Justice Crane on his desk could not be heard. Before proceeding further Justice Crane ordered the trial chamber cleared, and the spectators put out on the street.

Judge Crane had sent for the jury to learn if there were any prospects of agreement and word came back that the jurors desired a few more minutes. Thornton Hains was brought into court by Sheriff Harway and seated beside his counsel. His Saffron-hued face became pallorous and the lines in his face became drawn with anxiety. None of his family were in court. He spoke nervously to counsel and watched with inquiring glance the field of tired jurors as they entered the room and took their places. Justice Crane asked the jurors if they had reached a verdict and Foreman Hill, his voice trembling, though he could be heard all over the court room, said that they had.

"The jurors will rise and face the defendant," cried Clerk Peace, "Gentlemen, what is your verdict?"

"Not guilty," said the foreman, and with the words the uproar came that Justice Crane subsided. The court-room cheered, then came a rapping at the door and Major John Hains, who had heard the verdict outside, rushed into the room. An officer held him back from within the enclosure, where his brother and counsel sat, until after Justice Crane had thanked the jury. Then he hurried to his brother's and embraced him and kissed all of his counsel. Thornton Hains could scarcely realize the verdict for a moment and then he half rose in his chair and smiled and bowed to the jury. Tears filled his eyes and he brushed them away with his handkerchief. Justice Crane discharged the story-writer and Mr. McIntyre, his chief counsel, who had quite completely broken down at the verdict, briefly thanked the court and jury.

"Under this verdict it is perfectly safe for any person who is ingenious enough to frame up a defence to go out and kill. Private vengeance seems to have taken precedence over the people's law," was the only comment that Prosecutor Darrin has to make on the jury.

Wanted at the Falls.

Niagara Falls, Jan. 16.—A warrant is out for the arrest of James Sugden, who yesterday pleaded guilty in Montreal to several charges of bank fraud and will be executed as soon as the Montreal sentence expires. The charge here against him is that he defrauded one of the banks of the sum of $400 by means of forged checks. Sugden, whose right name is Harry O. West, opened a bank account and made several deposits. Then he deposited several forged checks, and the next day closed the account, defrauding the bank of about $400. United States detectives also want him for forgeries.

Big Plant For Medicine Hat.

Medicine Hat, Jan. 16.—With only 21 negative votes Medicine Hat property owners yesterday carried the by-law granting 35 acres of land and providing a gas well for a sewer pipe manufacturing company plant, to be installed by American capital. The company guarantees to expend $300,000 in buildings and plant and to employ a hundred men.

May Close Can Shops.

Picton, Jan. 16.—It is the determination of the Canadian Canners Co., Limited, it is said, to cut off work in the local shops in connection with the canning factories, and that in future all cans will be made at the chief shops in Hamilton.

Missing Witness Found.

North Bay, Jan. 16.—Nora McKeown, the missing witness in the Ryan murder case, who mysteriously disappeared Wednesday night, was discovered by Detective Greer last night. She is very ill, and it is doubtful if she will be able to attend court for some days, necessitating an adjournment.

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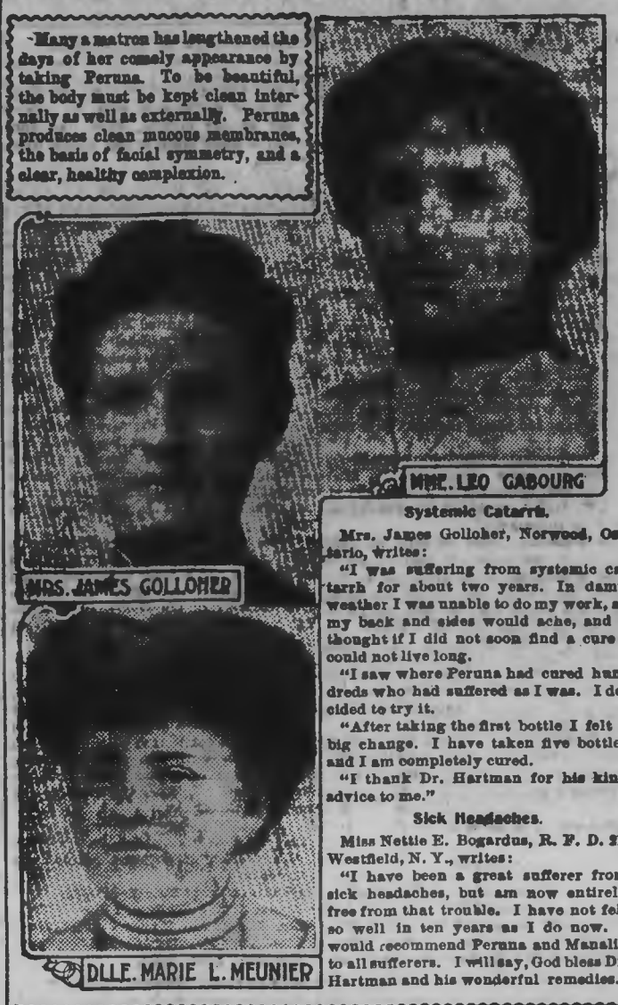

Systemic Catarrh.

Mrs. James Golloher, Norwood, Ontario, writes:

"I was suffering from systemic catarrh for about two years. In damp weather I was unable to do my work, as my back and sides would ache, and I thought if I did not soon find a cure I could not live long.

"I saw where Peruna had cured hundreds who had suffered as I was. I decided to try it.

"After taking the first bottle I felt a big change. I have taken five bottles and I am completely cured.

"I thank Dr. Hartman for his kind advice to me."

Sick Headaches.

Miss Nettie E. Bogardus, R. F. D. 21, Westfield, N. Y., writes:

"I have been a great sufferer from sick headaches, but am now entirely free from that trouble. I have not felt so well in ten years as I do now. I would recommend Peruna and Manalin to all sufferers. I will say, God bless Dr. Hartman and his wonderful remedies."

Catarrh Made Life Miserable.

Dlle. Marie L. Meunier, 913 Ontario street, Montreal, Can., writes:

"I take pleasure in stating that I have been cured of catarrh by Peruna.

"This disease made my life miserable, especially in the morning, when I had to cough and spit and make every effort to clear my throat and air passages.

"This remedy cured me promptly and I recommend it most highly to persons afflicted with this terrible disease."

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Grateful for Relief.

Mme. Leo Gabourg, 215 Rue Arago, St. Sauveur, Quebec, Canada, writes:

"I thank you very much for the advice you have given me. I am very well indeed. It seems to me that I am no longer the same person.

"Some of my friends have been troubled with colds and have used Peruna with very satisfactory results. As for myself, I am happy to be so successfully cured, and so promptly."

Catarrh of Bowels.

Mrs. Maggie Durbin, 1322 North St., Little Rock, Ark., writes:

"I was troubled for five years with a chronic disease. I tried everything I heard of, but nothing did me any good. Some doctors said my trouble was catarrh of the bowels, and some said consumption of the bowels. One doctor said he could cure me; I took his medicine two months, but it did me no good.

"A friend of mine advised me to try Peruna and I did so. After I had taken two bottles I found it was helping me, so I continued its use, and it has cured me sound and well.

"If any one wants to know what Peruna did for me if they will write to me I will answer promptly."

Pains in the Side.

Mrs. Julia Braxton, Apollo, Pa., writes:

"Peruna has cured me of heart trouble and pains in the side.

"A year ago I was expected to die at any time, and the doctor was sometimes called at two o'clock in the morning. But I am thankful to say that I do not have to send for a doctor now.

"Since I have used your Peruna as you advised me, I am well and able to do all my housework.

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Train Plunges Down the Bank of the Fraser River.

TWO ENGINEERS ARE KILLED

C.P.R. Train Is Derailed by Snowslide Near Yale, B.C., and Is Swept Down the Bank—Several of the Passengers Are Injured But None Seriously—Train Was Going at a Moderate Speed at the Time.

Kamloops, Jan. 16.—At one o'clock yesterday afternoon train No. 97 was derailed by a snowslide about 7 1-2 miles east of Yale. On account of the recent heavy snowfalls in this district the train was being handled by two engines, and these, together with the baggage, mail, express and colonist cars, went down the bank of the Fraser river. Three other cars were also derailed. Engineers Carscadden and Foster were killed, and three trainmen and a number of passengers slightly injured. None of the injuries are serious and the passengers are being made comfortable in the sleeping cars, which were not derailed. The names of the injured will be obtainable later. The train is reported to have been running cautiously, at a speed of only fifteen miles per hour at the time, and it is stated that only the caution with which trains are operated over this section of the road, particularly during the season when snowslides may be looked for, prevented the accident turning out more seriously. A relief train was at once despatched from North Bend, and another with doctors and nurses from Vancouver. It is expected the line will be clear in a few hours.

Ex-Speakers, Privy Councillors.

Ottawa, Jan. 16.—In accordance with the usual practice, Hon. Raoul Dandurande and Hon. R. F. Sutherland, retiring Speakers of the Senate and House of Commons respectively, have been created members of the King's Privy Council for Canada.

Seventeen For Central.

Port Arthur, Jan. 16.—Bailiff Lyons and Sergt. Ryan of the prison staff left here with a chain gang of 17 for the Central Prison. They were gathered from Kenora, Fort Frances and Twin Cities.

Case Falls Through.

Welland, Jan. 16.—Riley and Balz were yesterday morning dismissed, no evidence being offered against them in connection with the drowning of Chinamen being smuggled to Buffalo some time ago.

BETTER UNDERSTANDING.

Hon. Mr. Graham Says I.C.R. Has Benefitted by Discussion.

Ottawa, Jan. 16.—Hon. G. P. Graham Minister of Railways, referring to the discussion as to the Government's intention regarding the I.C.R., said:

"I do not regret this widespread discussion because it tends to a better understanding of a problem which is not as generally understood as is desirable.

"It is a mistake to think the idea of any change in the working of the I.C.R. was inspired on account of the falling off in the traffic this year. The truth is that the Government line in this respect is like all other roads, its condition is certainly no worse.

"But company roads are constantly making changes for the better in their methods of management, and why not the Government lines?

"I might say that if changes be decided on they will not include either the sale or the lease of the Government line."

Jailed For Selling Liquor.

Simcoe, Jan. 16.—Before Justices of the Peace White and Swin at Courtland, Archie Oatman of Laughton, Walsingham Township, was sent to jail for four months for selling liquor without a license. It was his second offence.

Mrs. Wintermute of Glen Meyer, was fined $20 and $30 on two counts for selling liquor without a license.

Painful Accident.

St. Catharines, Jan. 16.—An employe of the Willson Carbide Works at Merritton named Read was badly burned yesterday morning. He caught hold of a heated crucible to break his fall when he slipped on a steel plate. A fellow-employe saved his life by turning off the electric power immediately.

Knee Broken by Horse.

Belleville, Jan. 16.—Dr. Thomas Purvis, V.S., Thursday night had his right leg badly fractured at the knee. He was holding a horse for a patient, when the animal became frightened and threw the doctor to the pavement. Physicians fear he is crippled for life.

Bank President Sentenced.

Owensbury, Ky., Jan. 16.—T. S. Anderson, former president of the defunct Davies County Bank & Trust Co., was found guilty yesterday of swearing falsely to a statement of the bank's condition. He was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary.

Aylesworth Off to Washington.

Ottawa, Jan. 16.—Hon. A. B. Aylesworth has left for Washington, having been summoned by Hon. James Bryce in connection with the waterways treaty between Canada and the United States.

Quebec M.P.P. Dying.

Montreal, Jan. 16.—Maurice Perrault, one of the best known members of Quebec Legislature, is suffering from cancer of the throat, and is very ill.

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ST. JOHN'S CHURCH — Rev. J. C. Davidson, Rector
2nd Sunday after Epiphany.
8.30 a.m. Holy Communion.
11 a.m. Matins and Sermon.
Hymns 242, 81, 266, 281.
Venite, 126; Te Deum, 16, 14; Benedictus, 21.
Offertory Sentences: "Not Every One," "Let Your Light" (Rogers).
3 p.m. Sunday School, Bible Classes.
7 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.
Hymns 176, 76, 222.
Gloria, 179; Magnificat, Smart; Nunc Dimittis, 161.
Anthem: "Love Divine" (Stainer), Miss Lancaster and Mr. H. Morphet.

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH. — Rev. Dr. Langfeldt, M. A., Rector.
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11. Morning Prayer and Sermon.
3 p.m. Sunday School and Bible Class.
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3 p.m. Sunday School Christmas Service.
7 p.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon, Subject: "Samson."
The offering for the day will be in aid of Foreign Missions.

CHARLOTTE STREET METHODIST Church—Rev G W Henderson, pastor.
To-morrow will be the first of three Sundays to be devoted to the study and help of Missions, Rev. E. A. Pearson will preach at the 11 o'clock service, and the Pastor will deliver the evening sermon.
3 p.m. Adult Bible Classes and Sabbath School.
Brotherhood in the Church at 3 p.m.
Monday, 8 p.m. Epworth League Meeting.
Wednesday at 8: Preaching, prayer and praise. 9: Lesson Study.

MARK STREET METHODIST CHURCH. — Rev. C. H. Coon, pastor.
Class Meeting at 10 o'clock.
Morning subject will be "Revivals: the sort we may expect in this Twentieth Century."
Sunday School at 3.45.
Service in the evening will be evangelistic.

GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH — Rev. Edwin A. Pearson, B.A., Pastor.
In the morning a Women's Missionary Society Service will be held. Preacher: Rev. Mr. Henderson of Charlotte street Methodist Church.
In the evening, Civic Service, the Pastor preaching.
3.30 p.m. Sabbath School. The following Bible Classes will meet:
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Regular Morning Church Service and Sunday School in the afternoon.
There will be no service at night.
It is proposed to begin public Services in the basement of the New St. James Methodist Church building about the end of January or the beginning of February. In the meantime the Sunday School will be held as usual in the King Edward School, and the week night service in the homes of the members of the congregation.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH — Rev. Robt. Pogue, Pastor.
Rev. Mr. Pogue will preach at both services.
Mr Pogue will teach the "Mitto Adult Bible Class." Inspector Mowat will teach the Young Men's Class. The Guild will meet at 8.15 Sabbath evening.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH. — Presbyterian, corner of Rubidge and Brock streets, Rev. Jas. G. Potter, B.A. pastor
Usual Services. 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
3 p.m. Sunday School.

KNOX CHURCH — Rev. H. J. Keith, B.D., M.A.
3.00 p. m. Young Men's Guild and Sunday School.

THE MURRAY STREET BAPTIST CHURCH — Rev. J. R. Webb, pastor.

PARK STREET BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. W. C. Riddiford, Pastor.
Pastor will preach at both services, 11 a.m. "Enthusiasm."
3 p.m. Bible school and Pastor's Bible class.
7 p.m. "Big Little Things."
Monday: Young People's Meeting.
Wednesday, 8 p.m.: Prayer Meeting, Mrs. T. G. Gillespie's, 110 Lock street.
Mr. J. C. Miller, Choir leader.
All made welcome.

BETHANY CHURCH—Regular services morning and evening, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Bible School at 3 p.m.

GOSPEL HALL — Corner of George and Brock Streets.
The Sunday School will be held at three o'clock. Any children not attending any school are heartily welcome.
At the Evangelistic Meeting to-morrow night an address will be given by Mr. G. W. Mulligan on "Marriage and Divorce." A special invitation is given to young people to be present.
The Gospel Male Quartette will assist in the Service of Song. All welcome.

SALVATION ARMY CITADEL — 228 Simcoe street., Bell telephone 440 Staff Capt. and Mrs. Walton in charge.
7.00 a.m. Early Morning Prayer Service.
9.15 a.m. Bible Class
11.00 a.m. Holiness Address.
2.00 p.m. Sunday School.
3.00 p.m. Public Song and Praise Service.
7.00 p.m. Public Salvation Meeting.
The band will be in attendance at morning, afternoon and evening services and will render special music.
Wednesday evening at 8.00 p.m. private soldiers' meeting.
Public Weeknight Meetings at 8 on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Everybody welcome.

THE PERUNA ALMANAC.

The druggists have already been supplied with the Peruna almanac for 1909. In addition to the regular astronomical matter usually furnished in almanacs, the articles on astrology are very attractive to most people. The mental characteristics of each sign are given with faithful accuracy. A set of lucky and unlucky days will be furnished to those who have our almanacs, free of charge. Address the Peruna Co., Columbus Ohio.

SMALL BUT EFFECTIVE—A Want Ad. in the Examiner. Try it.

St. Paul's Sunday School Has Report Of Year's Success

The Superintendent, Mr. W. Madill, Presents Details of the Work and Progress Made During 1908 —Every Department Has Gone Ahead.

OFFICERS WERE ELECTED.

The annual meeting of the Sunday School of St. Paul's Church was held last Monday evening and was probably the largest and most successful in the history of the church. The reports were of the most encouraging nature and show a splendid progress during the past year. Every department has prospered and the teachers and officers begin the new year with the aim to surpass the record that has just been made.

In connection with the meeting, refreshments were served first, after which the business was commenced. Mr. W. Madill presented the annual report as follows :—

In presenting this report on the Sunday School work for 1908, we do so with a deep sense of gratitude to the Great Head of the church for his great kindness during the year that has passed. The year 1908 has been one of the most successful in the history of St. Paul's congregation in Sunday School work. Our total enrolment is 479, with an average attendance of 333. The record of the various departments of the school are as follows :—

Class	On Roll	Aver.
Intermediate	132	103
Bible	190	106
Young Men	26	15
Kindergarten	49	35
Primary	47	43
Teachers	29	27
Officers	6	5

At our last annual meeting a number of changes were suggested and acted upon, which have added much to the interest and success of the school, The first of these was the Installation Service, when the Pastor gave a most helpful address to the teachers and officers of the school at the morning service. The second was the holding of the opening exercises in the auditorium of the church with the printed order of the service. This has done much to unite the interests of the whole school.

One thing more that has contributed largely to the success of the school has been the hearty cooperation of the pastor with the teachers and officers. He has ever been ready with valuable suggestions which, when acted upon, have contributed largely to our success. It is most gratifying to report that during the year 46 members of the school have united with the church. Master Hugh Carmichael repeated the whole of the school catechism at one sitting. Miss Nina Clark attended every Sunday during the year.

Our contributions to missions have shown a decided increase, notwithstanding the fact that we devote the collections on the last Sunday of each month to extra expense fund. Another feature of the Sunday School is the splendid work that is being done for the Chinese members.

Our annual picnic this year was the most successful in the history of the schoo' We had a most enjoyable outing to Stony Lake, and about 400 parents and members of the school enjoyed the day's trip, from which we secured a profit of some $50.00.

Our home department has a membership of 100, and our Cradle Roll department has a membership of 42. The success of the past year is but the beginning of a great and good work to be done in connection with the school. This greater work can only be accomplished by deeper and truer devotion on the part of every teacher to the Master's work.

WM. MADILL,
Superintendent.

The election of officers resulted as follows :—
Superintendent: Mr. W. Madill.
Assist Supt.: Mr. J. A. Lillie.
Sec. Treas.: Mr. Homer O. Fiske.
Librarian: Mr. Jas. Connal.
Pianists: Miss Scott.

Old World Mail News Of The Week

INTERESTING ITEMS FROM ACROSS THE SEA.

ENGLAND

"Granny" Shepherd, an aged inmate of the Cuckfield (Sussex) Workhouse, has been the cause of a great innovation, almost a revolution, and the powers of the Local Government Board had to be invoked to deal with her case. She is a constant smoker—her pipe, she says, alone makes life worth living—and she felt the deprivation of tobacco very much when she entered the workhouse. Now, however, she will no longer be unhappy, for the board has issued a special dispensation, allowing her to have tobacco instead of the ordinary tea rations.

The Jersey Beach Hotel in Aberavon, Glamorganshire, was destroyed by fire the other morning. Most of the inmates escaped by jumping on to the sands, but a nurse, driven back from the staircase by the dense smoke, appeared at a top story window, bearing the proprietor's child in her arms. The father at once procured a sheet and, the child was thrown into it with perfect safety. When, however, the nurse attempted to follow she overshot the sheet and severely injured her spine. Her condition is critical.

A policeman noticing a fire at a house in Highgate, North London, one night recently, blew his whistle, and before entering the place asked a passer-by to run to give an alarm. He ran off, but was met by a man, who, having heard the whistle and concluding that the messenger had escaped from the police, knocked him down. Without waiting to explain matters, the messenger got up and continued on his way. He gave the alarm and engines and escapes were quickly on the spot.

Walter Weaver, recently known in the Willesden district as "Weary Weaver," was at the Middlesex Session recently sentenced to twelve months' hard labour as an incorrigible rogue. In the summer Weaver wears two complete suits, and over these two overcoats, a muffler and thick gloves. In the winter he wears very little clothing. He never works, and begs in all directions, even from the officers who arrest him.

An aged widow named Cocks has been found dead in bed at St. Agnes, Cornwall, in peculiar circumstances. At first it was thought to be a case of suicide by strangulation, as a cord had been fastened to the bedpost and looped around the woman's neck. There were, however, no signs of a struggle or marks of violence, and at the inquest the jury returned a verdict of death from syncope while attempting to commit suicide.

A traveller named Stowe hired a trap at Llanelly, Carmarthenshire, the other day and, with a driver named Arthur Davies, of Tenby, set out for a country round. While fording a flooded stream near Pontyberem, the horse was swept off its legs by the current and both men were carried down the river and drowned. The horse was also drowned and the vehicle smashed to pieces.

Miss Oliva B. Williams, of St. Mabyn, Cornwall, has achieved remarkable walking records, although she is more than seventy years of age. She covered 2,358 miles last year, or an average of forty-six miles a week, in visiting her employers, whom she helps with sewing.

IRELAND

William Hanna, a man about 80 years of age, of Scarva, Co. Down, was found dead in his house the other morning. The deceased, who lived alone, had to be helped home the previous evening, after taking a weakness on the roadside. The police searched the house afterwards, and found the sum of £73 in gold and a £1 note in a box, which had been hidden under the stairs. Promissory notes, bank receipts and securities valued at £600 were also found in the box. On the coldest day he kept neither light nor fire in the house, and hardly purchased the necessaries of life. He would not allow anyone to enter his house or to bring a doctor.

Owing to the disturbed state of the province, the Leinster Assizes were opened in Dublin the other day, the being the first time for fourteen years that the authorities have transferred the assize business to the Irish capital. Mr. Justice Gibson, in charging the grand jury, said that in some parts of the country shooting seemed to have become a matter of considerable frequency, and the miscreant was one which urgently demanded the attention of parliament.

An old woman named Mrs. Sarah Rogers, who lived alone in a little cabin at Ballaghanery, near Newcastle, was found dead outside her dwelling one morning recently. When discovered she had wrapped an old blanket around her, and this evidently got entangled about her legs, thus throwing her, and being unable to extricate herself she was either drowned by a passing stream, swollen by the rains or died of exposure.

Mary Braddell, an aged hawker, whose principal trade was selling oranges, was taken suddenly ill a few days since, and was admitted to the Limerick Workhouse Hospital. She made a will allocating some £30 for various objects. Subsequently a wretched single room in which she lived, was searched, and a sum of £200, all in silver, was found in two bags secreted in the apartment.

The "Dublin Gazette" recently announced that Letters Patent have passed the great seal of Ireland constituting and founding a university having its seat in Dublin under the name of the National University of Ireland, and also one having its seat in Belfast under the name of the Queen's University of Belfast.

A farmer named Kelleher, residing near Schull, County Cork, returned home after a day's shooting and laid his loaded gun on a table. His child, a boy of four or five, was playing with the gun when he touched the trigger, The gun went off, shooting the father through the heart. Death was practically instantaneous.

A widow of 70, Mrs. Rose O'Lane, has just married again, the groom being a widower of the same age, named John McNicholl, of Glenculleh, Co. Derry. Both expect to get old-age pensions as a dowry, and the bride has the distinction of being a great-grandmother.

SCOTLAND

Agnes Wightman, a pretty girl of 15, was charged at a Glasgow police court recently with having been found masquerading in boy's clothes, and with having stolen £6. In the absence of her mistress from the house where she was employed in Glasgow, she took all the spare money and the gold watch. She prevailed upon a hairdresser to crop her like a boy, and with the money she procured the suit. Making a quick change Agnes sallied forth to the world determined to throw over her feminine attire for ever. She visited Edinburg, Dundee and Stonehaven, and it was only when she had nowhere to sleep that she admitted to the police that she belonged to the fair sex. The magistrate took a lenient view of her offence, and Agnes was ordered to be deprived of her knicker suit and to go on probation for six months.

Since Monday, 7th December, much concern has been felt in Peterhead through the inexplicable disappearance of two townsmen — Alexander Milne, merchant, and Alexander Buchan, postboy. The mystery of Buchan's disappearance was solved after a fortnight by finding his body on the South Beach near the Kirkburn Mills. The discovery was made by two boys and the fact notified to the police. Round Buchan's ankles and waist was tied a rope with a noose, from which it appeared that a stone had been fastened. Buchan attended a dance on the evening on which he disappeared, and when last seen by some acquaintances early on the following morning was apparently in good spirits The mystery of Milne's disappearance is still unsolved.

108 Nox a Cold In One Day

The Greatest Lung Healing Medicine known to science. A guaranteed cure for all Lung Trouble, Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Sore Throat and Consumption. Every Bottle sold under a guarantee. The only Cough Medicine endorsed by doctors. 25c. Bottles.

Fig Pills Nature's Remedy For Constipation

Fig Pills will cure Rheumatism and all Blood Disease. Pimples and Blotches removed in a few days by taking Fig Pills. One taken at night time will make you feel better in the morning. Large boxes, 25c.

COLD INTERFERED WITH THE MARKET

Beef Was a Prominent Feature To-day—Vegetables Were Scarce.

The market this morning was rather a no-perishable one, there being very few vegetables to be seen on account of the cold wather.

There was a great amount of beef, which is staying the same as it was before Christmas, being 5c and 6c per lb. Pork is also the same as it has always been since the cold weather set in, selling by the quarter at 10c and 11c a lb. In the fodder line baled hay sold at $15 a ton, and loose hay at $14 a ton.

Upstairs there were plenty of chickens, turkeys, geese, ducks, eggs and butter.

Chickens sold at 50c each; turkeys at $1.75; ducks at $1.40 a pair; geese, at $1.50 each. Butter is still the same price, selling at 28c a lb; eggs remain about the same, 35c a doz.

Dressed hogs sell at $8.50, while live hogs are two dollars less, being $6.50. Farmers and butchers hides sell from $8 to $8.50.

HERE'S A MESSAGE TO ALL WOMEN

Madame Letourneau Tells Them to Use Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Read Why She Gives This Advice and How She Was Relieved of Her Sufferings.

St. Paul du Buton, Montmagny Co., Que., Jan. 15 (Special) — It is a message of hope that Madame F. X. Letourneau of this place sends to the suffering women of Canada.

"After my last child was born," she states, "I suffered with Kidney Disease which developed into Rheumatism, Sciatica and Backache. I was fearfully nervous. My limbs were heavy and I had a dragging sensation across the loins and pains in the back of my head and through the eyes. I was a perfect wreck.

"Chancing to read that my symptoms were those of Kidney Disease, I began using Dodd's Kidney Pills and began to improve almost at once. Six boxes worked a complete cure."

Diseased Kidneys are the cause of nine-tenths of the ills that make life a burden to so many women in Canada. Dodd's Kidney Pills always cure diseased Kidneys.

THE WEATHER

The weather was bitterly cold this morning although the thermometer did not register a very low temperature, the lowest figure reached during the night being but four below zero. An east wind and a damp atmosphere made it feel much colder than it really was, or at least as recorded on the thermometer.

GOT HIS HAIR BACK.

Was Perfectly Bald When he Started to Use Newbro's Herpicide.

Frederick Manuell, Maryland Block Butte, Montana, bought a bottle of Newbro's Herpicide, April 6 '99, and began to use it for entire baldness. The hair follicles in his scalp were not dead and in 20 days he had hair all over his head. On July 8 he writes, "and to-day my hair is as thick and luxuriant as any one could wish." Newbro's Herpicide works on an old principle and with a new discovery—destroys the cause and you remove the effect. Herpicide destroys the germ that causes dandruff, falling hair, and finally baldness, so that with the cause gone the effect cannot remain. Stops falling hair at once and a new growth starts.

Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to the Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. Two Sizes 50c and $1. McDermid & Jury, and Payne's Drug Store, Special Agents.

STRATTON'S

Biggest Tumble in Prices for the Year

You can count on something extraordinary during the January Reduction Sale at the Peterborough Bookstore.

These are Bargain Days which come naturally with the clearing up of Odd Lots, etc. Unusually big snaps await you, as will be seen by this list :—

Note Papers
Fine quality Note Paper, linen cloth finish, correct society shape, regular 50c. Sale price..... **33c**
Envelopes to match, packages of 25. Sale price.. **7c**

Coaster Sleds
With spring runners. Sale prices—50c for..... **40c**
and 75c for.. **60c**

Hand Bags
All newest shapes, perfect goods and all sizes to choose from. Regular $1.35, sale price **$1.00**
Regular $2.00, sale price..... **$1.50**
Regular $2.50, sale price..... **$1.88**

Books
For Sunday School and Day School Libraries—33⅓c to 50c off published price.
1,000 English Copyright Novels, with bright lithograph covers, in colours, regular 20c. Sale price..... **12½c**

Paper Your Rooms in January
Either paper them now, or buy the papers now. Stock-taking is in sight and prices are cut away down for quick selling.
650 Rolls Brown Papers, in stripe and floral, or plain and other bedroom effects, regular up to 20c. Sale price..... **6c**
520 Rolls Parlour and Dining Room Papers, in Reds, Greens, Blues, etc., regular up to 50c. Sale price **15c**
2,000 feet Room Moulding, regular 3c. Sale price **2½c**

Window Blinds and Cornice Poles
Clean-up of broken lots and lines at big loss in Window Blinds and Cornice Poles :—
75c Window Blinds for..... **50c**
50c Window Blinds for..... **38c**
40c Cornice Poles for..... **25c**
60c Cornice Poles for..... **49c**
75c Cornice Poles for..... **58c**

January is Going to be a Record Month With Us. Come and Assist

A. H. Stratton & Co.

FRATERNAL INVASION OF HAVELOCK VILLAGE

Delegations of Masons and Oddfellows Go East to Install Officers.

Last night seven prominent members of Corinthian Chapter R. A. M., went to Havelock to install the officers of St. Andrew's Chapter of that village. They were J. G. H. Wilson, W. H. Walkey, W. A. Brundrette, W. G. R. Higgins, W. Henry, Thos. Hooper and H. R. H. Kenner. Rt. Ex. Comp. Wilson was installing master and was assisted by the others. A party of Oddfellows, consisting of Messrs. A. A. Fowler, F. Wise, W. G. Freeburn, R. F. Reason, M. Breckenridge and R. J. Matchett, drove to Havelock yesterday to install the officers of Royal Lodge, No. 268, I. O. O. F. At the conclusion of the installation ceremonies supper was served in the lodge dining hall and an interesting toast list was also discussed, Bro. Denike of the local lodge, occupying the chair.

Mr. James Thompson replied to the toast of "Canada." Mr. A. A. Fowler responded for the "Grand Lodge," and Mr. Reason paid tribute to "The Ladies." Col. Miller responded to "The Good of the Order," and Rev. Mr. Caplin represented the church.

The installation ceremonies, which were public, had attracted a large gathering, of which many were ladies. After the toast list had been exhausted a very pleasant period was spent in social enjoyments, including refreshments.

JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE OF

PETTICOATS

You have never seen prices so low on Petticoats so stylish, neat, trimfitting and well made. Any woman can always find room for an extra underskirt when it can be bought for so little. See these

To-night, 7.30 to 9 p. m.

25 only, Black Sateen Underskirts, made with deep accordion pleated flounce, finished with two narrow ruffles. Regular $1.35 each. January Clearace Sale, each .. ...

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Watch for the Windows with the Golden Arrows and Green Cards

New Spring Laces
New Spring Embroidery

8c to 20c Laces

Beautiful vals and torchon laces in all the pretty effects for spring, 1909. Laces from 1 inch to 4 inches wide, very fine qualities. Values from 8c to 20c yard. Your spring buying will be made light by securing such values as these now--don't miss these to-night at, per yard 5c.

5c

Embroideries

There are included in this lot, embroideries as wide as 9 inches and worth from 10c to 15c, some even higher. All brand new goods never shown before, fresh and crisp from the manufacturers. Hundreds of yards on sale to-night—while they last at our White Goods Sale Price, 7½c. yd.

7½c

Every yard of goods—every article sold during the Arrow White Goods Sale is positively underpriced and will be sold later, if left, at a much higher price. Watch for Monday's advertisement.

VISIT THE NEW MUSIC DEPT. TO-NIGHT

STORE HOURS 8.10 to 5:45 Closed to night at 9 o'clock

Cressman's 385-7-9 George Street

Ask for the new Waltzes and Two Steps in the Sheet Music Department

THE CANADIAN CLUB MEETING ON MONDAY

Rev. Dr. Gould Will be the Speaker at First Supper of the Club.

The first supper and lecture of the Canadian Club for the year will be held in the National Hotel on Monday evening, commencing at 7.30 o'clock. Rev. Dr. Gould will be the speaker of the evening and will give an address on "The Recent Crisis in Turkey." Dr. Gould has but recently returned from Turkey, where he lived for some time, and he is, therefore, thoroughly conversant with his subject and the address will, no doubt, be found most interesting, as Dr. Gould is an eloquent and fascinating speaker.

All members of the club last year are urged to be present and a cordial invitation to attend is tendered by the officers of the club to anyone who wishes to join.

A Question of Beauty

Clear the skin of chap, roughness and redness with our excellent

Non-Greasy Cooling Cream

Apply it before going out and it protects the skin against chaps. Good for babies as well as for grown-ups. : : :

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YOU MANUFACTURE FAT?

If it were not for the fact that you add to your fat every day, you would soon get back to a decent figure. Each day's activities consume some of your excess. But it is "off with the old fat on with the new" with you every twenty-four hours so that the fat balance remains unchanged.

Now, people who take Marmola Prescription Tablets really get thin, but harmlessly so, and a hint as to the reason is given above. They eat and drink with undisturbed delight as formerly and yet they lose, many of them, a pound a day. The reason is Marmola causes the body to stop manufacturing useless fat, hence the body it is introduced into gets thinner as a matter of course. Each day's activities alone would account for the delightful result.

Check up results from this point of view and you can readily understand why Marmola Prescription Tablets cause no ill effects or wrinkles but on the contrary, help the stomach and the appearance. They are nature's allies, not her competitors. This commends them to all, ever the timid, as safe, and since they reduce one as fast as is desirable, that is all that is required.

When you get tired trying other methods of getting thin test this one Marmola Prescription Tablets come in large, generously filled cases, and if your druggist cannot supply on which is unlikely, you can get one or more cases by mail by sending the price 75 cents, direct to Marmola Company, Detroit, Mich.

Simply Astonishing

The amount of money there is thrown away on imperfect and unsuitable glasses — which fail to give satisfaction to their wearers. : : : :

The amount of genuine satisfaction and pleasure there is in wearing "T. T." Glasses — and they cost no more than the imperfect ones : :

If you require glasses "consult" us now. :

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OBITUARY

The many friends of Dr. and Mrs. E. V. Frederick, George street, will sympathize with them in the death of their infant son, which occurred this morning.

ROBERT H. GREEN

Mr. R. H. Green, a former well known resident and business man, died this morning in the Home for Incurables in London, Ont., at the agge of seventy years. He suffered a paralytic strke about eleven years ago, from which he never recovered, and left him quite helpless. His wife, Miss Ellen Fowler, predeceased him nine years ago. Deceased was a member of Corinthian Lodge A. F. and A. M. The body will arrive in Peterborough by C. P. R. on Sunday night. The funeral will take place from the residence of his brother, Mr. W. J. Green, 375 Brock street, on Monday, Jan. 19th, at 2.30 p.m., and proceed to the Little Lake Cemetery.

A DRASTIC CLEARANCE

Everything is to be rushed out before inventory time at the Peterborough Bookstore at lowest possible reductions: Books, Stationery, Fancy Goods, Toilet Sets, Mirrors, Photo Frames, Cards and Card Games reduced as never before; same with all remaining odd lots of holiday lines.

A. H. STRATTON & CO.

LATEST CITY NEWS.

—Hear Harry Lauder at the Peterborough Music Store.

Sale of Periodicals

—The annual sale of periodicals at the Public Library will be held on Monday night at eight o'clock.

Dorcas Meeting

—The ladies of the Dorcas Society are requested to meet at the home of Mr. Rankin, Gilmour street.

W. A. A.

—The regular meeting of the W.A.A. Reading Circle will be held on Monday evening at Mrs. Seward's, Queen street. The subject of discussion will be Holbein.

Probabilities

—East and north-east gales, with snow. Sunday—Cold with snow part of day. Northerly winds again by night.

Crowded out

—Owing to extra pressure on our space to-day the second installment of the "Katchewanooka Herald" has been unavoidably left over to next Saturday.

Literary Society Meeting

—The T.A.S. Ladies' Literary Society will meet on Friday evening. A paper on "Canada" will be read by Miss Nora Fitzgerald. 3d-10-5955

Ladies Bible Class

—Owing to lack of space the report of the meeting of the Ladies' Welcome Bible Class of the George street Methodist Church was crowded out. It will appear on Monday.

Take Notice

—I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by any person after this date without a written order from myself.

Signed, G. W. EMERSON.

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Particular

—If you are particular about the way your clothes look, send them to "My Valet," 204 Charlotte street, and have them cleaned, dyed, repaired and pressed. All particular people do.

Applying for Grant

—The Trust and Guarantee Company Limited, Toronto, are applying for grant of administration of the estate of the late Andrew Forrester Barron, of the city of Chicago, in the State of Illinois, U.S.A. The estate consists entirely of stocks.

Temperance Meeting

—A Gospel Temperance meeting will be held in the Crystal to-morrow Sunday afternoon at 4.15 Rev. Mr. Keith of Knox Church will speak and the music will be by the George street Orchestra.

Will Speak on Divorce

—Mr. G. W. Mulligan will speak on "Divorce," to-morrow night at the Gospel Hall. He has his subject ddivided into interesting points and a large attendance is expected to be present to hear.

S. O. E. Banquet

—The Sons of England, Lansdowne Lodge are preparing to celebrate their 25th anniversary with a banquet to be held on Thursday night Jan. 21st, in the S. O. E. Hall. All members and their friends are cordially invited.

Civic Sermon

—Mayor Rush and the members of the council, as well as the city officials, will attend the George Street Methodist Church to-morrow night in a body, when the annual civic sermon will be addressed to them by Rev. E. A. Pearson.

Temperance Meeting

—The League Meeting at Charlotte street Methodist Church on Monday night is in charge of the Temperance Committee, and they have secured Rev. Mr. Riddiford to speak. There will be special music. Mr. R. J. Cox will occupy the chair and a very interesting meeting is promised. The League invites every body to be present, and especially those interested in Local Option. From 8 to 9 p.m.

Sunday Reading

—Jog your memory. To-morrow will be Sunday. Remember your Sunday reading. You'll find row after row of interesting books to select from at the Peterborough Bookstore. The popular January periodicals and illustrated magazines and papers. Come and make yourself at home. You have the freedom of the bookshelves and counters. See advt. on page ten. A. H. Strathton & Co.

Attention is called to the Auction Sale of a very pretty and comfortable home south of Aberdeen Avenue and east of Aylmer Street, at present occupied by Mr R. F. Ivey. It lies a little west of the New Normal School, where so many houses are now in course of erection. The house has a good cellar, large rooms, handsome grate and fire place, etc. Sale at Munro Hotel, 25th January, at 2 p.m.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Mrs. Donald Edwards, of Toronto, is visiting Miss Edwards.

Rev. Dr. Marsh, of Springville is seriously ill, in charge of two physicians.

Mr. T. H. G. Denne, of the American Cereal Company, was in Toronto yesterday.

Miss Laura Davidson, after a few days' stay in Toronto returned home last evening.

Miss Mary Coughlin, of Toledo, Ohio, is the guest of Miss G McFadden, 482 Elm street.

Miss Delamater, Superintendent of the Nicholls Hospital, returned from Toronto, where she has been spending the past few days.

Miss Helen Davies left this morning for Toronto where she will sing at the National Chorus Concert in Massey Hall on Monday night.

Mr. P. J. Moran, who for the past week has been the guest of his brother, Mr. J. T. Moran, George street, has returned to his home in New York City.

Mr. Robert Ruddy, K.C., held Division Court at Apsley for Judge Weller on Thursday. Six cases came up for hearing and were disposed of at the sitting.

Mr. M. J. Connolly, of Mallorytown, was in the city yesterday in connection with his duties as Trent Canal Inspector. At home, as well as elsewhere, Mr. Connolly has for years been an ardent Liberal—doing yeoman work for the cause. In his early years he was a teacher in Leeds County, and as reeve of his township, and as a public spirited citizen won a high degree of respect in the community.

INDIGESTION IS VERY EASILY CURED

Five Minutes After Taking Some Diapepsin all Distress Will Go

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Then, besides, ice is a luxury that can be made good use of in the house in the summer months. As Senator Derbyshire aptly put it recently, "one owes it as a duty to his wife to put in ice for her comfort alone, aside from the interests of his dairy."

The time for harvesting ice will soon be at hand again. If you have not been putting in ice in past years, store a supply this winter. A very simple, inexpensive building can be erected that will fill the bill for an ice house, and the ice to fill it can usually be obtained near by and at a very nominal cost. Put in ice this year; you will not regret it.

ABOUT SHIPPING MIXED VARIETIES OF POTATOES

From Farm and Dairy.

A remark made by a well-known potato shipper recently to the effect "that one could not buy a carload of Ontario potatoes without getting at least from five to twelve different varieties in the lot," brings up again the discussion which took place at the recent annual meeting of the Ontario Experimental Union. The estimated value of the potato crop for Ontario last year is $12,000,000, according to Prof. C. A. Zavitz, of the Ontario Agricultural College. This estimate came as a surprise to some who have heard so much of the good qualities of potatoes from the Maritime Provinces, and of the inferior quality of the crop as grown in Ontario.

"Do not grow over three varieties in a district," was the advice recently given by Mr. C. F. Alward, a New Brunswick farmer, who is touring Ontario in the interests of the Farmers' Institutes. He attributed the great popularity of the New Brunswick potatoes to the fact that they were uniform in quality, that a whole carload, and even train loads, of the same variety were available to fill any order.

On many Ontario farms potato growing is still a profitable branch. It could be made more profitable if we would adopt this principle which has done so much for the potato growers of New Brunswick, namely, growing but one or two varieties instead of a large number of the 90 different varieties, and more, which are largely grown over Ontario. We must adopt more of the spirit of co-operation in regard to the varieties of potatoes grown in any one section. Ontario potatoes can be made just as popular as potatoes grown in any other section of our Dominion but they must be of a uniform quality and in car loads of the same variety.

CHEESE YIELD SMALLER PAST TWO SEASONS

From Farm and Dairy.

As was shown in last week's issue of Farm and Dairy, the make of cheese for the past two seasons has been considerably below what it was previous to 1907. We pointed out how this shortage had affected the patron and the cheese manufacturer; now for for its relation to the maker. How has this shrinkage in make affected him? The great majority of makers make cheese for a certain rate per lb. If the make is large, the maker has a fairly good living. But, if it falls off to any large extent, as it has done the past few years, any profits there may be in the business for him are wiped out, and he may consider himself lucky if he comes out even at the end of the season.

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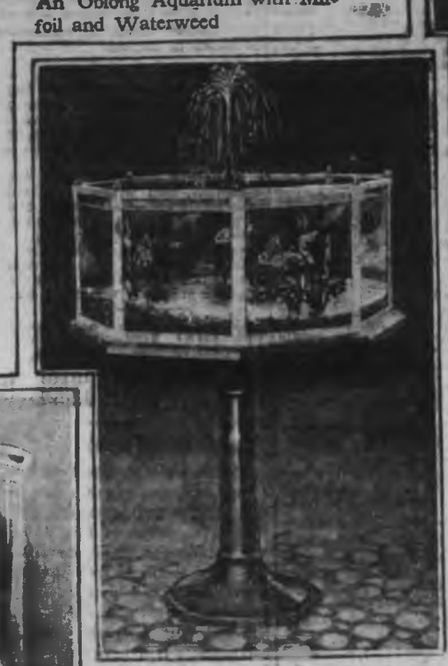
REVIVAL OF AN OLD TIME INTEREST

An aquarium a feature of the young girl's sitting room

A PAGE FOR MISSES

An Oblong Aquarium with Milfoil and Waterweed

Square Aquarium



Round Glass Aquarium on a Pedestal with a Terra Cotta Surrounded with Milfoil, Waterweed and Water Poppies

Octagonal Aquarium with Fountain

OF all household pets fish are the least trouble and expense, provided only that the care of them is once properly understood, and there is no girl or boy, or grown-up either, for that matter, who, having once owned an aquarium, with its pretty little inhabitants of goldfish darting constantly in and out among the grottoes and growing plants, but will quickly acknowledge the interest and the pleasure to be derived from these silent, exquisite playthings. Nor is there any foundation for the statement so often heard that fish are such unsatisfactory pets, as no matter how much personal care may be expended upon them they can never show any answering affection but live only to eat, drink, swim about aimlessly or sleep hidden away in the sand among the roots of the plants provided for their comfort. To look on at feeding time, when the girl who loves her goldfish bends over her aquarium to scatter the tiny morsels of food to her pets and to see the little bits of gold flash up toward her hand without a hint of fear, but with evident confidence and eagerness, would assure even the most cynical philosopher that there are affection and loyalty to be found in tiny fishes just as well as in many larger four footed animals.

The most important consideration in the care of the aquarium is personal interest. No aquarium that is not taken care of by its owner alone can ever thrive, for in the feeding of the fish and in the changing of the water regularity is all important, and there can be no system worked out by several individuals, each using a different method. Just as our health is dependent upon the sort of houses we live in, the amount of sunlight, fresh air, good food and attractive surroundings, so it is with our little aquatic friends. The aquarium must not be too small for the number of fish whose house it is, there must be light and fresh air to breathe, plants should be placed in the corners and on the bottom of the glass to break the monotony, and the right kind of food in correct quantity must be regularly administered.

As regards the size of the aquarium—a gallon of water is generally allowed for each fish of three to four inches in length, and although the smaller fish may be somewhat more crowded, more fish die from overcrowding in the aquarium than from any other cause.

The shape of the aquarium is also all important. It is almost an impossibility for fish to live any great length of time in one of the so familiar round fish globes. Apart from many other objections, the aperture is much too small to admit a sufficient amount of air to the surface. The most satisfactory aquarium of all—certainly the one that is the most ornamental in the room—is made of one piece of glass, is rectangular in shape and is an inch or two deeper than it is long—11½ inches in length, 13 inches high and 8½ inches in width being good proportions.

An aquarium once properly filled and stocked and placed where it shall receive both light and good ventilation does not require to be refilled perhaps oftener than once or twice a year. The common theory that the water must be changed *every day or two is an erroneous one*, and in cold weather the frequent changing of the water, causing sudden changes of temperature, is really dangerous. When three or four fish are kept in a gallon of water in a room without sufficient ventilation, then the water requires constant changing; but when the aquarium is placed where there is good sunlight and is provided with a proper portion of aquatic plants and sufficient sand for them to grow in, then the water need be changed only when the aquarium is to be cleaned.

In fitting up the aquarium the first point is to see that the glass itself is thoroughly cleaned—it may be polished with tissue paper or any soft paper that will not scratch the glass. Neither soap nor any kind of chemical should be used in cleaning the aquarium. Next a two inch layer of sand should be spread evenly over the bottom of the glass, and this serves to hold the roots of the living plants, by means of which the necessary oxygen for *the fish is provided and the carbon which* is thrown off by the fish absorbed. A few irregularly shaped stones should be formed in a pile or built up so as to form a ladder or series of arches for the fish to occasionally screen themselves from the light. A piece of tuffstone placed in one corner of the aquarium is also effective. Cabomba caroliniana, Myriophyllum spicatum, Pontinalis antipyretica, Sagittaria natans, Ludurgia—are all good plants for the aquarium and can be obtained at any time of year. In planting them it will often be necessary to place a few pebbles about the roots in order to hold the roots firm. The water is then added, and this water must, needless to state, be absolutely pure and clean.

AFTER filling the aquarium it should remain a day or two in order that it may acquire the temperature of the room inwhich it is to stand, and also accumulate oxygen from the plants to make it habitable. A few tadpoles and snails should be kept in an aquarium, as they consume a great deal of the decaying vegetable matter from the plants and also prevent to a large extent the formation of algae upon the glass.

Food should be administered at a regular time each day. A piece of flake food about the size of a ten cent piece is the correct quantity for each fish in the summer time, while in winter half the quantity is sufficient. Once a week a piece of earthworm or a bit of raw beef should be given each fish. Overfeeding is very nearly as dangerous to the fish as a starvation diet, and the food must never be allowed to remain floating on the top of the water if the fish does not desire to eat when it is given him.

The water in the aquarium will naturally evaporate somewhat. When it has gone down a half inch it should be filled to the old mark with water which has been kept standing over night so as to obtain the same temperature as the water in the aquarium.

UNQUESTIONABLY goldfish are the most popular for the aquarium. Certainly they are the most effective of all fish, but the really complete aquarium is not confined to the one kind of goldfish, but shows such varieties as the Japanese fantail, Japanese fringetail, Japanese comet, Japanese telescope goldfish, or the celestial telescope fish, all of which are wonderfully interesting and effective varieties of the familiar goldfish. These fish are all fairly hardy and with good care and proper precautions when they exhibit unusual symptoms they should live for a long time and afford great amusement and entertainment to all who see them.

Fish are as prone to sickness as any other animal, but they are also quite as able to respond to treatment. When the fish remain down in the water it is a sign that they are well and all is right in the tank, but when they come to the top apparently gasping for air it may be known that the water is impure or that the oxygen is exhausted and a change of water is necessary. This is also a frequent sign that there are too many fish in the tank.

As everything depends upon the condition of the water in which they live, breathe and have their being, this must be carefully watched to see that no undue signs appear. If the water is green, for example, there is too much strong light upon the aquarium. A piece of tissue paper should be fastened against the side of the glass that is exposed directly to the sun and a few extra snails and tadpoles added. A green, brown or reddish growth on the sides of the glass is also caused by the effect of too strong light, as are green, brown or white hairs appearing on the plants.

The aquarium should never have any odor. An offensive smell will be caused by dead animal matter only, which must be removed and the sand thoroughly washed and reset.

Save for the snails and tadpoles, which are necessary as scavengers, most fish lovers prefer to keep the goldfish to themselves, although occasionally silver fish are placed among the goldfish to further enhance by contrast the beauty of the others, with their brilliant, golden red scales.

Automobile Flower Vases.

A PRETTY motor novelty of the winter is the metal vase for flowers which is bracketed in to the limousine cars. The vase is small and slender in design, being intended to hold a few loose flowers, like a couple of orchids or short stemmed roses or chrysanthemums. It is fastened between the windows in the front of the car, where the flowers are on view to the passers-by and look very gay and festive. As the limousine cars are heated and now are adorned with flowers, they contain for those girls who, with or without their mothers, fly about in them these cold winter days a delightful atmosphere of warmth and fragrance.

SOCIAL AMENITIES FOR THE SCHOOL GIRL

VANITY, which is a most abhorrent quality in any one, is greatly to be deplored in young girls, a large part of whose charm lies in the fact that they are generally without self-consciousness. And Mrs. Grundy, the arbiter of the social world, is very severe on the girl whose conceit is strong and so obvious that it seems to be running away with her.

One of the most ill-mannered forms that girlish vanity takes in public is the propensity for gazing in mirrors. There is, alas! a type of girl who so resembles the peacock that she cannot seem to refrain from preening her feathers on every possible occasion. At home while making her toilet for the street she spends an inordinate amount of time before the glass, but this apparently does not satisfy her, for one sees her running up to the mirrors in the hotels, the shops and other such places to "prink," which she does with as much complacency as if she were in the privacy of her home.

The onlooker, observing girls behaving in this manner, puts them down at once as belonging to the class who are ignorant of the rules of polite society, one of the most stringent of which is that one must not make one's self conspicuous in any way in public places. And the onlooker is inclined to feel very sorry for these girls, as ignorance in any form is a state much to be pitied.

There is another type of peacock girl who gazes in public mirrors, not to see if anything about her is awry but solely for the purpose of admiring herself. Apparently she never tires of this occupation, and she may do it openly if she is a bold girl, or she will do it covertly if she has some delicacy, but the point is that she does it, and is everlastingly doing it. She studies her full face, she studies her profile, when a triple mirror gives her the opportunity, and when she passes a long mirror she admires herself prodigiously, full length.

This altogether view is a very popular one with this sort of girl, and she gets it with great frequency as she passes along the street by gazing in the huge mirrors so commonly found as a background of shop windows. They are perfect reflectors, these mirrors—in fact, that is their reason for being where they are, and the peacock girls have been quick to find out their advantages and apply them to themselves. When you see these girls going along the streets gazing into all the shop windows with an intent air, it *is not the goods displayed there that they* are looking at, but at themselves.

Young girls have not the excuse that their elders have for feeling that their hair may be blown and a bit disorderly, for girls wear their hair in a loose, fluffy way that admits of stray locks. It is not good form for young girls to wear veils, and neither is it permissible for them to indulge in nets for the hair until the year before they are to be introduced to society, when, as they are regarded by Mrs. Grundy as almost grown up, she countenances their taking on some young lady-ish ways.

Even at that important time, when they are emerging into young ladyhood, their social mentor does not allow them to take up the practice of powder or paint or the lip salve, which some of their elders indulge in. Even if such artificiality were not reprehensible from a moral standpoint, it would be condemned from the viewpoint of looks alone, for the average young girl has a glowing, fresh skin, too *attractive in its natural state to be improved* by artificial touches.

Some girls who have had the bad example of seeing their elders use powder have a wild desire to do likewise, and when they are coming on to the young lady age they possess themselves of a powder puff and apparently get somewhat the same excitement out of using it that boys do when they smoke their first cigarettes. But the polite world does not approve of powdered girls or of any sort of artificial girls, and if in defiance of good form you insist on being one you are regarded by society as beyond the pale.

PRACTICAL TALKS BY THE APRIL GRANDMOTHER

"WHENEVER you observe a girl wearing low cut shoes and openwork hosiery in zero weather you may safely assume that she is either singularly ignorant of the laws of hygiene and good taste or inordinately vain of her feet."

The April Grandmother turned from the window and sat down before the open fire as she continued:—"One of the first rules of health is to keep the lower extremities warm. Their state is an excellent barometer of the physical condition, for they rarely are cold save when the head aches, the stomach disordered or the body chilled, and the first remedy is to warm them. No amount of clothing elsewhere will avail in winter if the ankles are practically bare. Therefore thoroughly waterproof, high-topped boots are of the utmost importance, particularly to school girls and especially to those who are subject to sore throat. At least two pairs of such shoes are necessary, that they may be worn alternately, a single night's airing being usually insufficient to free their soles from moisture. Fresh stockings, put on daily and always changed when the shoes get damp, should have white feet, as aniline colorings are extremely irritating to a sensitive skin.

"The fatigue of which so many apparently healthy school girls complain may frequently be traced to the wearing of ill fitting corsets, which while loose in some places are too tight in one or more directions. Obviously such garments are apt to squeeze a vital organ out of its natural position as well as to produce weakness and a consequent loss of capacity to practice calisthenics, not to mention the extent to which they will detract from the suppleness and grace of motion of their wearer. Not only should the corsets worn by school girls be fitted individually to the figure in order to secure a minimum of pressure at the most vital points, but they should be made of the lightest possible materials, for too thick clothing is quite as much of a mistake as is too thin clothing. Nowhere is this fact more frequently evidenced than in the case of underwear, and the one test to apply to it is that it shall be of a texture which will permit the skin to breath.

"The most healthful underwear consists of a mixture of wool with silk or cotton, for while the all wool garments absorb a far larger amount of perspiration with less danger to the wearer's taking cold from its moisture contact with the cuticle, it is liable to become impervious after a course of launderings. Underwear made entirely of cotton and linen is almost absolutely worthless as a protection *against cold, for layer upon layer of such* materials does not really afford warmth, while the weight of it is not only exceedingly weakening, but prevents the fresh air from reaching the cuticle's pores. Therefore the present fashions in draperies have at least been beneficial to the extent of proving that a limited number of garments of heat giving texture afford quite as much warmth as do bundles of clothing, which merely serve to add to the weight.

"Hair pads should be avoided as much as possible, as they not only heat the head, but the combs and heavy pins necessary to keep them in place irritate the scalp. Hats should be of light weight and not fit the head so tightly as to interfere with the circulation of the blood through the scalp or give rise to headache by pressing upon the nerves near the crown, for the head—governed by a rule precisely opposite to that in regard to the feet—should be kept cool."

KEEP YOUR SHELVES ORDERLY.

A GIRL should be every bit as particular about her closet shelves as she is with her bureau drawers, and no closet can look attractive when piled up with row upon row of miscellaneous boxes of indiscriminate colors, shapes and sizes. The shapes and the sizes of the boxes cannot, perhaps, be regulated, for every pair of slippers, every hair ornament, as well as every hat which has its own place on one of the shelves, demands a box fitted especially to its own peculiar proportions; but there is no reason, certainly, why all these boxes should not be of a corresponding color, so as to be a pleasure to look upon rather than a veritable eyesore every time the closet door is opened. Nothing is simpler than to cover a cardboard box with wallpaper. Certainly the result gives no idea of how easy of accomplishment is the task, and in the large electric lighted hanging closets which are a part of every girl's suite of rooms to-day the bright covered boxes are real ornaments.

If possible the boxes should be of the same paper as adorns the walls, but if it is not possible to match the paper exactly any pretty flower design will be effective. If *there is any definite figure or* pattern in the design of the paper there will perhaps be a slight difficulty with the large box in fitting this design to the allotted space, but in the case of small boxes it is not worth while to attempt to fit the pattern to the sides or top. Any good white paste will do for this sort of work, but dextrine, if properly mixed, is probably the best for the purpose. Five cents' worth of dextrine placed in a pan and not quite covered over with water makes the correct quantity.

For sashes, veils, gloves, stockings, as well as for shirt waists, furs and a number of the larger articles in the outfit, these attractively covered boxes are now used.

• SOME PRACTICAL AND USEFUL HINTS.

THERE are tricks in all trades, and the trick of cutting bread perfectly for sandwiches does not lie merely, as some think, in having a sharp knife, but in knowing how to properly execute certain preliminaries to get the bread in shape for actual slicing. The inexperienced say that they cannot make sandwiches of fresh bread because it goes all to pieces in the cutting, but the skilful person knows that only fresh bread should be used and that it is a simple matter when once the way to handle it is understood. Take a fresh loaf, turn it on end and delicately pare off in sections the upper crust. Then remove the under crust by cutting it down firmly in one piece, but do not take off the side crusts, for they are needed to support the loaf. Now, as you begin to cut, hold on to the loaf by pinching it at the top as close as you can without breaking the texture of the bread and cut while you pinch, so that the knife goes through a narrowed slice that widens out to its proper proportions as it drops to the board. This method enables you to get beautiful thin slices, the sides of which you trim later after they have been buttered.

THE fluffy haired girls have had their innings, and the craze now is for shining tresses. The hair must have lustre, and if you have naturally oily hair, which, perhaps, you have always hated, you now have an enormous advantage over your fluffy-haired sister, for all you have to do is to brush, and brush, and brush to attain the lustre now required by Madame Modish. Persistent brushing is a tiresome process, but it produces most satisfactory results in giving polish and color to the hair. The fluffy-haired girl has to brush twice as long as the other, and she has to constantly have oil massaged into her scalp to get any lustre. Days when she is not massaged she puts a little oil on her brush and polishes her locks in that way. It is said that the girls in foreign countries who work at making olive oil have the most beautiful hair in the world, all because their oily fingers come more or less in touch with their heads, and in consequence the hair is so well nourished that it grows as fine as silk and takes on lovely sheen and color.

HOME remedies are laughed at, but they are not to be despised.

Often in an emergency they are most useful, especially in the country where the doctor lives at a distance.

The old adage says that a burnt child dreads the fire, yet, literally, one is always getting burnt. No matter how often it has happened before, some pot or kettle gets in the way, consequently a hurried call for burning ointment.

The best way to relieve the pain is to make a lotion out of linseed oil and lime-water—one-third limewater to two-thirds oil. If these ingredients are not handy put molasses on the sore spot. This is also a good remedy.

A very disagreeable trouble which can be doctored at home is asthma. Not only is it painful to those who suffer from it but it is very hard on other people to have to listen to the heavy breathing of the invalid, particularly at night, when the malady is at its worst.

To relieve this take a piece of blotting or tissue paper and place in a strong mixture of water and saltpetre. After it has absorbed the liquid dry it and burn it in the bedroom before the patient retires. This will prove a great help.

Often a deep knife cut is a very hard thing to administer to, because the sight of so much blood unnerves one.

To stop the flow of blood bind the cut with cobwebs and brown sugar.

A great many people will say this is an impossible receipt to follow, for no good housewife will allow cobwebs around.

In any case, the dust of tea does equally as well. When the blood ceases to flow wash the wound with laudanum.

ONE of this year's fashions which will appeal to all girls, but may be too extravagant for some of them, is the dainty embroidery on silk stockings. It would surely be delightful to have them to match one's different light evening gowns, and the girl who would hesitate to buy several pairs (as they are a most expensive luxury) can make them for herself if she has some skill in embroidery. She can buy the plain silk stockings in any color and have a design stamped on them and do the work herself.

Some of this embroidery is the plain solid work, but the designs are generally fine flowers and delicate tendrils. Some others of the most attractive stockings are done with ribbon embroidery. The tiny flowers are made of very narrow and soft ribbon, the ends of each little patch being gathered to a point. In some flowers there are several layers of petals, giving somewhat the effect of very heavily stuffed embroidery.

The leaves in these designs are also made of the ribbon, but it is put on flatter than in the flowers. The stems are worked with a fine embroidery silk in the outline stitch.

Others of the new stockings are embroidered with spangles, but these are really only suitable with a similarly spangled gown. On these stockings the design is often made entirely of spangles of different sizes, the stems and tendrils being lines of the tiniest spangles and the flowers of a much larger size.

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The Examiner's Sporting Page

RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

INTERMEDIATES GET AWAY TO GOOD START BY DEFEATING BELLEVILLE TEAM HERE LAST NIGHT BY 5-0

Dead City Team Were Never in the Hunt and the Score Should Have Been Larger—Peterboro' Has a Very Promising Team.

GAME WAS ROUGH IN SPOTS

Peterborough's intermediate O.H.A. team got away to a good start in the race for the championship of the district last night, when they trimmed Doc. Gilbert's speedy bunch of hockeyists from Belleville by 5—0 before 600 fans at the Brock street rink, in the first intermediate game of the season. The result was never much in doubt. The homesters led at the half by 3—0 and the score on the play should have been considerably larger, as the Petes had it on the visitors from the drop of the hat. They scored the first goal in two minutes, and after that were never in trouble. Only erratic work around the nets kept the Petes' score from reaching double figures. They were a little off colour when in close, and that lost them many counters, but they won after all and won easily, and that satisfied the crowd. It must be taken into consideration that it was the first time that the seven men had ever played together and that they have had little or no practice together. They will be a greatly improved bunch the next time out, and will take a lot of beating before the district honours are given out. Their form last night delighted the fans and the interest in the game here has been greatly aroused by their clean cut victory over Belleville. A win by such a margin was not looked for by the most enthusiastic supporter of the club.

The game was not of the highest grade of hockey. Play lagged at times and both teams seemed short on condition, while the many delays from one cause or another tended to slow up the contest. However, it was interesting if not especially spectacular and the crowd enjoyed the battle. It was rough at times, both teams indulging in considerable slashing and tripping, while several fistic combats were thrown in by the way of variety, and the result was that Referee Dr. Gilfillan, of Uxbridge had the penalty timers working overtime, looking after players that had been temporarily banished from the scene of hostilities. Spangenberg of the Belleville team, had his nose accidentally broken by a blow from a stick, and Rose of the locals got a cut over the eye in the same way, these being the only serious mishaps. Both teams took and handed out bumps and came back for more.

The locals surprised the fans by their form, but at that they were not working as they will do before the season is long advanced. They uncorked considerable combination, and broke way nicely together, although they fell off a little when in the vicinity of the nets. However, the line had it all over Belleville in the matter of team work, and with a little more practice together, will make a most formidable advance guard. In checking back they were head and shoulders above their adversaries, boring back with the Belleville line so fast that the visitors had little chance to work down upon the defence and very rarely broke clear. This doubling back made the work of the defence easy and they were able to take care of the attacks in a business like manner that compelled the visitors to shoot from well out. In shooting the Petes were off, having hard luck in this particular. Many times they shot wide, when in so close that it looked like an easy score, but that fault will disappear with a little practice together. The forward line looks very promising, and should have no difficulty in developing a combination that will make them extremely difficult to handle. The defence is strong, being as good if not better than any in the district, and the teams that get enough goals to win from them will have to go some.

The Strathconas City League men Ray and Dusty, showed up remarkably well on the forward line last night. Ray who was taken off the senior team to play rover for the juniors, justified the wisdom of the step by putting up a splendid game in the position. He worked hard and with effect, handling the puck nicely and sweeping in on the nets with no regard for the rather rough usage that the big Belleville defence was handing out to him. In addition he checked back splendidly, being of material assistance to the defence in that particular. Dusty was at left wing and demonstrated that he can fill the position to a nicety. He was always in his place and made many effective rushes along the boards, while his shooting from the wing was all that could be asked for, and he promises to be a most useful member of the team. Wallie Parnell in centre was a little off colour in his shooting, but barring this, played a fine game, figuring in many combination plays and getting way with a lot of pretty individual work. Rose on the right was effective and useful and although handicapped by having his eye cut open early in the game, never let up for a minute.

Moore at cover and Glover at point made a strong defence that Belleville found very difficult to beat and they were never allowed to get clean through on Derocher. Both men checked well and were steady and reliable, while their occasional jaunts up the ice always helped. Derocher in the nets played a perfect game. He was called upon to take care of a number of shots, especially some long heaves from Pepper's stick and he handled them splendidly, relieving coolly after intercepting shot.

Belleville have a big and fairly fast team, but they have not the slightest sign of team work. Their forward line seemed to find it impossible to get away together and none of them could accomplish anything individually. Their defence was fairly strong, being considerably better than the forward line.

It would be a difficult matter to pick out the stars of the visitors' line, as the four played about the same brand of hockey. Reeves at right wing couldn't hold Dusty for a minute. Allen at centre was probably the best of the bunch. Dr. Gilbert, the old Varsity star, marred his playing at cover by considerable slashing, but outside of that he played good hockey. Pepper at point stopped scores of shots and added some excitement by some fine length wrist shots dead on the nets, which Derocher looked after without much trouble. Boland in the nets managed to get himself in front of a large number of shots.

Dr. Gilfillan, of Uxbridge, refereed the game and gave satisfaction. He had his hands full but gave good service, and there were few complaints in regard to his work, although he made several mistakes. The teams were as follows:

PETERBOROUGH.

Derocher
Glover
Moore
Ray
Rose — Parnell — Dusty

Spangenberg — Allen — Reeves
Burke
Gilbert
Pepper
Boland

BELLEVILLE.

Goal umpires—Ernie Ford, Belleville; Jack Seymour, Peterborough.

Timers—"Sandy" Burrowes, Belleville; Len Dobson, Peterborough.

Penalty Timers—W E Wasson, Peterborough; Mr. Jones, Belleville.

Play started at 8.35, with the Petes pressing matters from the beginning Ray, Rose and Parnell got away together from the face but Parnell shot wide and a chance was gone. Belleville relieved for a minute, but Glover got away with a nice rush, passing to Ray at centre and the little rover swept down on the nets for a shot which was blocked. Parnell, however, scored on the rebound in 2 minutes.

Peterborough, 1; Belleville, 0.

Moore was given three minutes for slashing but the locals held Belleville out. Rose received a cut over the eye, and retired to recuperate, Spangenberg going with him. Burke served two sentences in the next few minutes for slashing, but there were no changes in the score, although Peterborough was pressing all the way, checking back so well with Belleville that the visitors never had a chance Spangenberg was hurt and retired with Rose. Moore got another sentence for slashing. Finally after twenty minutes hard playing Dusty got away down the boards and shot a goal neatly from the side.

Peterborough, 2; Belleville, 0.

A minute later the Strathcona player repeated the stunt to the delight of the crowd.

Peterborough, 3; Belleville, 0.

There was no further scoring until after half time. Pepper served a sentence for slashing and Allen followed him for tripping. Moore went back again for using his stick too vigorously, and Dr. Gilbert of the visitors was benched for tripping Just before half time Dusty and Burke got into a mix up and both were sent away immediately after half time Parnell and Pepper mixed it up, and were penalized but the score did not increase. Peterborroughs were having all the best of the play, but could not score until Dusty and Ray got away together, the latter doing the trick on a neat pass from the former.

Time, 6 minutes.

Peterborough, 4; Belleville, 0.

Pepper went off for cross checking and Dusty and Burke followed him. The, were not all back when Reeves was penalized. Finally after 14 minutes playing Moore checked Gilbert in centre ice and carried the puck through for a pretty score.

Peterborough, 5; Belleville, 0.

Peterborough nearly scored again in a scrimmage but although nearly the players of both teams were piled into the nets the puck somehow kept on the outside Moore was sent away again and Rose followed suit for interference. The local cover point had just climbed back on the ice when Referee Gilfillan again banished him. Ray was given a minute for loafing off side and just after he got back Allen and Parnell had a sparring match which was rudely interrupted by the referee. The capacity of the penalty box was taxed to the utmost a moment later when Gilbert and Moore went at each other and were ushered to the side lines. There was no scoring before time was called. In the last few minutes Glover was penalized for slashing so that every man on each side, except the goal keepers, was off during the game.

The summary follows:

SUMMARY.

1 1 Peterborough, Parnell in 2 mins.
2 Peterborough, Dusty, 20 mins.
3 Peterborough, Dusty, 1 min.

HALF TIME.

4 Peterborough, Ray, 6 min.
5 Peterborough, Moore, 14 mins.

PENALTIES

First Half, Peterborough, Moore, 3 Dusty.—Total 4.
Belleville, Burke, Reeves, Allen, Gilbert—Total 4.
Second half, Peterborough, Parnell 2 Dusty, 2; Moore, 3; Rose, Ray, Glover—Total 10.
Belleville, Pepper, 2; Burke, Reeves, Allen, Gilbert.—Total 6.
Grand total—Peterborough, 14, Belleville, 10.

HANDICAPPED BY LOSS OF RAY LOCAL JUNIORS WERE BEATEN IN COBOURG

Playing without the services of Charlie Ray, their captain, and rover, the local O. H. A. Juniors were defeated in Cobourg last night by a score of 14-3, after a game that was much closer than the score would seem to indicate. The half time score was 5-2 in favour of the Cobourg team, but the Petes held them close for the first period. With a minute to play in the first half, Pentland, the Peterborough's cover point, had to leave the game with a cut over the eye, and during his absence the home team scored twice. The same thing happened towards the end of the second half. Wade received a hard bump with eight minutes to play, and went off for the rest of the game The Cobourg team took advantage of the opportunity to run in 5 goals in the last 8 minutes.

The game was hard fought all the way and the Petes made it closer than it looks, despite the fact that they were demoralized on the forward line by Ray's absence. Porter was injured shortly after play had started, and was off until after half time Despite the injuries received, the game was not rough although Cobourg got away with a considerable amount of slashing

Short played a fine game for Peterborough while Glidden shone for the homesters, the little left wing showing all kinds of speed and splendid shooting abilities. The injury to the Petes' defence demoralized the team, but Giroux in the nets played a fine game, those that beat him being from close in.

Following was the line up, the teams being six men a side:

PETERBOROUGH		COBOURG
L. Giroux	goal	Reynolds
Wade	point	Guy
Pentland	cover	Miles
Giroux	centre	Pratt
Porter	right wing	Doherty
Short	left wing	Glidden

SUMMARY.

1 Peterborough, Short, 7 mins
2 Cobourg, Glidden, 30 secs.
3 Cobourg, Pratt, 19 mins.
4 Pratt, 1 min.
5 Peterborough, Short, 10 mins.
6 Cobourg, Glidden, 3 mins.
7 Cobourg, Doherty, 30 secs

HALF TIME

8 Cobourg, Pratt, 1 min
9 Cobourg, Doherty, 1 min
10 Peterborough, Giroux, 4 mins.
11 Cobourg, Doherty, 4 mins
12 Cobourg, Doherty, 2 mins
13 Cobourg, Pratt, 10 mins.
14 Cobourg, Glidden, 30 secs.
15 Cobourg, Pratt, Pratt, 30 secs.
16 Cobourg, Pratt, 2 mins.
17 Cobourg, Pratt, 3 secs.

Penalties First half, Glidden, second half, Glidden, 2; Miles, 2; Porter, 2; Giroux, Guy.

HOCKEY

Mr. Walter Miller, who was injured in the wreck on the G. T. R on Thursday, is being brought home to-night on the C. P. R. by his father, Mr. E. W. Miller, who went up to Brantford to learn the exact condition of his son's injuries.

Probing Suicide.

Ottawa, Jan. 16—The Ontario Government has ordered C. W. Mitchel of Ottawa to appear in connection with the case of Hilmer the civic official, who committed suicide a fort night ago. The unfortunate man had mortgaged practically all his household effects to Mitchell, and it is stated that financial embarrassment led to his suicide

Inspector Rogers is working on behalf of the Government, and has unearthed facts in connection with the affair which in his opinion justifies action by the province. Many other loans have been negotiated locally along the lines of the Hilmer case.

Want Food, Not Work.

Winnipeg, Jan. 16 Controller Waugh threw new light on the unemployed situation yesterday when he declared that Frank Kerr, city relief officer, had questioned 41 single men as to their willingness to go out of the city to work for farmers, and had received refusals from 38 of that number.

Shea Seeks Divorce.

Ottawa, Jan 16. Bernard Shea of Toronto is seeking a divorce from his wife, Emma Shea on the usual grounds.

The Twelfth at Ottawa.

Ottawa Jan 16 The Orangemen of western Ontario and western Quebec will gather at Ottawa next 12th of July.

Port Warden of Quebec.

Ottawa, Jan. 16 Alexander Russell has been appointed port warden of the harbor of Quebec.

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REV. MR. CARMICHAEL BURIED.

Ministers Condemn Gossips Who Say Deceased Was Victim of Drugs.

Romulus, Mich., Jan. 16.—Rev. John H. Carmichael, murderer of Gideon Browning in the Methodist Church at Rattle Run, was buried here yesterday from the Methodist Church.

Rev. C. W. Baldwin of Detroit and president elder Rev. John Sweet of the Detroit district, both made brief addresses. A large floral tribute from the Detroit Methodist Episcopal Church district, with the words "Our Brother," lay on the coffin.

The local Methodist Church was crowded to the doors during the funeral services. Some of the crowd, it was said, had driven 20 miles to be present. Many of them stood throughout the services. Most of them braved the cold and attended the services at the grave.

Before the funeral services began, the casket was opened and the crowd permitted to view the face of the dead minister who, while located in Romulus, had built the church from which he was buried.

Rev. F. D. Leete of Detroit in a prayer severely criticized gossip mongers, who, he thought, might have spared the Carmichael family, some of their sufferings.

Rev. John Sweet in a brief address, scored the persons who were responsible for spreading false reports about the dead minister, such as the allegation that he was addicted to the use of drugs. He praised Carmichael, saying that he had always found his living up to the high ideals of his profession.

Carmichael's Malady.

Port Huron, Mich., Jan. 16.—That Rev. John Haviland Carmichael was suffering from an acute mania, was the verdict arrived at by several prominent Detroit physicians, following a post mortem examinations. They also decided that there was no evidence of Mr. Carmichael having used a hypodermic syringe.

BUILDING THE PALACE.

Montreal Carnival Promoters Set to Work on Construction.

Montreal, Jan. 16.—The first blocks of ice were frozen in yesterday for the foundations of the ice palace, which is to be the big feature of the winter carnival, and energetic preparations were made for rushing the work ahead.

The ice palace is to be built on a scale unprecedented in the history of previous carnivals. Its main feature will be the King Edward tower, which will be a glittering mass of ice 190 feet high and 40 feet square. This, built on a plateau 200 feet higher than the top of the famous Notre Dame towers, will give a magnificent prospect. The royal tower will be flanked by two lesser ones, named after the Prince of Wales and the Queen, the three connected by ice arches about 60 feet high.

Over a quarter of a million cubic feet of ice will be used in building the palaces, and stalls for exhibition purposes will be opened inside. The whole will be brilliantly illuminated with arc lights, and surrounded by an ice wall.

An elaborate program extending over ten days is being prepared, and, despite the opposition of the railway interests it is expected that the carnival will be a huge success.

Says Alderman Wanted Bribe.

Montreal, Jan. 16.—A sensation was sprung yesterday before the incineration committee when J. A. Jacob declared that Alderman Lesperance had asked $1,000 to secure the contract and later on he came down to $600.

The alderman denied the charge, and then Ald. Martin, M.P., said Lesperance had come to him and said here was $600 in it for both.

At this Ald. Lesperance declared he would take action both against Jacob and Ald. Martin immediately.

Bombarded German Ship.

Konakry, French Guinea, West Africa, Jan. 16.—News has just been received here that the Liberian customs gunboat Lark has bombarded a German steamer of the Woerman line off the coast of Liberia.

The Lark was purchased by Liberia last September to stop ships coming into ports that are not open to the trade of the world.

Boston Canadian Club.

Boston, Mass. Jan. 16.—Col. Alexander P. Graham, a native of Hamilton, Ont., and for 20 years a business man of Boston and resident of Haverhill, has been unanimously elected president of the Canadian Club of Boston.

Ambassador Bryce was elected a life honorary member.

Power Company Incorporated.

Albany, N.Y., Jan. 16.—The New York & Ontario Power Co. was authorized yesterday by the public service commission to issue its capital stock of $600,000 and $1,850,000 in 35 per cent. gold bonds.

The company is developing a water-power project on the St. Lawrence river at Waddington, St. Lawrence County.

Pollution of the Lakes.

Washington, D.C., Jan. 16.—The serious pollution of the waters of the Great Lakes, especially of Lake Erie, was taken up yesterday at the White House by a committee of the Niagara Frontier Pure Water Conference. President Roosevelt referred them to Gifford Pinchot of the National Conservation Commission.

Engineer's Kindness Caused Wreck.

Quebec, Jan. 16—An investigation into the causes of the accident on the I.C.R. at St. Michel Belle Chasse, as a result of which 20 people were more or less injured, shows that the accident was due to the engineer performing the duties of his fireman, who was so tired that he was taking a rest.

Mr. Duff Visits Blind Institute.

Brantford, Jan 16—Hon. J. E. Duff yesterday morning, accompanied by ex-Mayor Thomas Elliott and Chief Sleemin paid a visit to the Ontario Institution for the Blind and was very cordially welcomed by Principal Gardner. The honorable gentleman and Mr. Elliott addressed the pupils.

Temperance Campaign

The matter appearing in this space from time to time is furnished by the Temperance and Moral Reform League of this City, who have arranged for its publication.

The Bars Must Go—The Bars are Going—A Lot have gone—Another Hundred off—The Cause of Right is Marching on—Twenty Municipalities Join the Procession—More to Follow

TORONTO VOTES TO CUT OFF FORTY BARS

After one of the hottest fights ever known in the city, in which both the liquor traffic and the temperance forces were thoroughly organized, and with the heaviest vote ever polled in the city, a majority of 846 was secured for license reduction. The following places carried Local Option by-laws:—

Twenty-Two Places Carrying Local Option By-laws

Municipalities	Votes for Local Option	Votes against Local Option	Lic's cut	Maj. of
Ashfield	512	266	246	4
*Athens	224	95	169	2
*Bowmanville	456	233	223	3
Caradoc	605	197	308	3
Ekfrid	398	265	133	3
Escott Front	170	106	64	2
*Havelock	217	86	131	3
Hillier	320	100	220	1
*Iroquois	183	94	89	2
Kennebec	181	42	139	1
Sidney	8'5	322	533	4
*Wellington	170	105	65	2
Wallaston	128	21	107	1
*Wyoming	132	65	67	2
*Tweed	213	124	89	4
Yonge and Escott R.	264	95	169	2
Seneca	317	170	147	4
Thurlow	734	443	291	4
Tudor and Cashel	117	61	56	2
Limerick	45	5	40	1
Brougham	47	25	22	2
Malahide	662	241	421	2
	6,090	3,261	3,729	55

Two Places in which Repeal Succeeded

Municipalities	Votes for Local Option	Votes against Local Option	Maj
Courtwright	40	67	27
Hepworth	41	52	11
	81	119	38

Twenty-Seven Places in which Repeal was Defeated

Municipalities	Votes for Local Option	Votes against Local Option	Maj.
Amabel	307	158	149
Arkona	76	62	14
Beamsville	151	116	35
Collingwood	413	264	249
Egremont	513	153	360
Euphemia	...	...	150
Gainsboro	451	219	232
Grimsby	193	162	31
Hope	543	274	269
Lakefield	224	163	61
Markham	669	530	139
Moore	610	310	300
Mountain	538	248	290
*Owen Sound	1,312	1,126	186
Oxford N.	280	128	152
Peel	430	432	18
*Richmond Hill	112	93	19
*Southampton	192	148	44
*Stouffville	203	123	80
*Tara	94	75	19
*Thornbury	151	102	49
Witchurch	570	249	321
Vaughan	579	409	170
Pickering	803	483	320
Nottawasaga	740	388	352
McNab	515	104	411
Osnabruck	616	402	214
	11,475	6,851	4,774

Cartwright and Hepworth repealed Local Option, but an explanation of the facts of the case are interesting. These villages have been incorporated recently, and hence manage their own municipal affairs. When the last campaign was an issue, Cartwright and Hepworth were parts of the Township, but each gave an adverse vote on by-law. In the recent vote these villages voted against Local Option, but this is exactly what they have always done.

In no place in the Province has a Local Option By-Law once passed, been repealed.

In 55 places Local Option was voted on for the first time, 22 places were carried; in 20 others a majority vote was polled; but only in 13 places did the liquor interests win.

In 84 contests the net result was:—

Total votes for Local Option.....26,905
Total votes against Local Option.....18,258
Majority for Local Option.....8,647

OWEN SOUND

The result of the campaign for the repeal of the Local Option By-Law in the Town of Owen Sound is one well calculated to make every opponent of the open bar-room take courage. This is the largest town in Ontario in which Local Option has been tried. It has been in operation there for three years. The Mayor, Council, Police and all the officials have been unfriendly. Every possible effort has been made to discredit the temperance law. The liquor interests have pointed to Owen Sound from all quarters of the Province as an example of the failure of Local Option. It was declared that when the time came for a repeal vote and the people had a chance to pronounce on the question they would settle for all time the question of temperance legislation for Owen Sound.

What is the result? Local Option is sustained by a vote several hundred in excess of that by which it came in three years ago. Not only that, but the anti-temperance Mayor and nearly all his colleagues on the Council failed to be re-elected. Owen Sound having been made a test case by the liquor interests, they having bent all their energies in the direction of securing a verdict there, as an example to the rest of the province, the temperance workers may well be encouraged by the result.

BRANTFORD

In this City a local option by-law should have been submitted but was thrown out by an unfriendly City Council. As a result the temperance question became an issue at the recent municipal election. Result: of a Council of fifteen members, the Mayor and ten other members are pledged temperance advocates.

LAKEFIELD

Locally the result of the vote in the Village of Lakefield is very gratifying. It is a well known fact that there the officials have been unfriendly. Determined efforts have been made for the past three years to so manage things as to lead the general public to believe that the local option by-law was a failure. The people here as in Owen Sound, have given a decisive answer. The temperance law has been sustained, by a good majority, and a Council thoroughly in sympathy has been elected. The bar-room is doomed.

NO BAR-ROOMS

In connection with the recent vote in the City of Toronto, as a result of which forty bars are cut off, it may be of interest to many to know that there are at present in the City just about that number of hotels in which there are no bars. Of these, ten are illustrated in a recent issue of a Toronto paper, and the statement is made that these ten furnish more accommodation than 50 licensed houses that could be named.

MARCH OF CANADIAN EMPIRE AS SHOWN BY GROWTH OF FORT WILLIAM
GRAPHIC STORY OF ACHIEVEMENT UNSURPASSED IN ANNALS OF PROGRESS

HOW THE WESTERN CITY HAS GROWN AND PROSPERED—THE DEVELOPMENT ILLUSTRATED BY SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE TO THE EXAMINER.

FORT WILLIAM AS IT WAS IN 1898.

SEAPORT IN HEART OF THE CONTINENT

Fort William, Jan. 15. — Although Fort William, the Great Lakes terminus by choice of two great Canadian Transcontinental Railways, and by ultimate necessity of the third, was only incorporated as a town in 1892, its history reaches as far back as 1669, in which year the explorer DuBut, built a trading post on the banks of the Kaministiquia, here. In 1717 the French Government in sending an expedition to explore the continent to the Pacific, established a base of supplies here and a fort was erected by Lieutenant Robertal de Laforie. The fort became the base of operations of Verandrye and his sons, who in 1731 located Rainy River and discovered the "Great West." A mission of importance was established by the Catholic Church authorities in 1740. In 1792 the Northwest Trading Company made Kaministiquia its principal trading post, and in 1805 the fort was rebuilt and named Fort William in honour of Hon. Wm. McGillivray. According to LaHoutain, at some seasons of the year no less than 3,000 traders, trappers and their families, were assembled at Fort William. In 1821 the Northwest Company was amalgamated with the Hudson Bay Co. and the latter, who had been located at Pointe de Meuron, seven miles up the "Kam." made Fort William its chief point of operation. Fort William had its real beginning, however, when it was selected by the Government, as the lake terminus of the contemplated Transcontinental Railway, and its future became assured when in 1890 the Canadian Pacific Railway company commenced the consolidation of its work at this point.

When the good fathers who in 1740 established as an outpost of civilizing and Christianizing influence, the old mission at what is to-day the thriving and prosperous city of Fort William, they little imagined that in the coming time the spot which they had consecrated to the spread of the Gospel among the savages who outside their own slender numbers, constituted almost the only population of a vast expanse of virgin soil larger than France, would be given over to the uses of the greatest railway enterprise the world has known, and would mark the point of distribution to the peoples of two continents of the unlimited products of the granary of the world.

In order to appreciate the amazing achievements that have been accomplished in the development of the great western heritage of our Dominion, and which can only be adequately realized by comparing the ensuring conditions that are in evidence here to-day with those which confronted the pioneers of progress, one may recall that it was only so recently as 1878 that the first shipment of Western Canadian wheat to Eastern Canada took place, and that was a consignment of 800 bushels loaded by the Ogilvie Company on a Red River steamer and taken up the Red River to Fisher's Landing, then the terminus of north-western railway development in the United States. It was then transhipped and taken by car to Duluth and carried to the east in one of the small boats which were then sufficient for all the requirements of the lake shipping. Two seasons ago a single vessel the steamer "William P. Snyder, sailed out of this prosperous and important port with a cargo of 380,253 bushels of grain, and in the year just closed there were shipped from this port, as shown by the grain inspector's report, the enormous aggregate of 68,194,300 bushels of the produce of the soil, of which 59,391,620 bushels was wheat; 11,210,391 bushels, oats; 2,157,703, barley; 1,434,585 bushels, flax.

It it is conceded that the man who makes two blades of grass to grow where one grew before, is greater than the commanders of armies, surely the Canadian people owe a debt of gratitude to the statesmen of each party in turn to whose genius, patriotic energy and liberal and sagacious enterprise, we owe it that the marvellous resources with which a bountiful providence has endowed our country, have been made to render their unexampled wealth, under the hand of industry conducive to the prosperity and the progress of Canada.

We are all familiar with the story of progressive development throughout the vast region stretching away westward to the Pacific Coast, filling the prairies with thriving settlers, and dotting the country with prosperous towns and cities, but one has to come into contact with the vast machinery of enterprise that has the actual handling of the enormous volume of the product of this new land, and its despatch to the marts of the world to adequately realize what is going on in the creation of wealth, in the expansion of population, in the creation of markets for the industrial activities of the east, and in the rapid realization of that dream of Empire which is surely to mark this Twentieth century, the century of Canada, as the nineteenth saw the fulfilment of the destiny of the nation to the south of us. And when one reflects that this enormous achievement that has so far been effected has resulted from the operation of the Canadian Pacific, and its subsidiary lines alone, save for the recent co-operation of the Canadian Northern, that our vast resources of fertile lands offer us the means in the near future of multiplying many times what has so far been accomplished, and that the completion of the Canadian Northern system and the construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific provide fully for the practical utilization of these means, we may look forward with certain confidence to a stage of development to be attained within the next decade that may well stagger the imagination, but is nevertheless most absolutely assured.

And it is only when we have reached fulness of our national stature, when we shall be able to fairly and fully appreciate the forces that have united to work out the high destiny toward which we are swiftly pressing, that our people will be enabled to grasp an adequate comprehension of the value of the patriotic work that has been conducted by our statesmen, and by those who administer the great national utilities, and in an especial manner, by the master mind of the Minister of the Interior, Hon. Mr. Sifton, to whose practical genius we mainly owe the splendid immigration system that is filling the fertile plains with a prosperous population.

City of Fort William

Nature, that has been so unstinting in the profusion of her bounty, in placing at the disposal of our people an almost unlimited expanse of arable lands of incomparable fertility, has also provided a natural means of carrying the products of the soil to the markets of the world. Here at the head of the Great Lakes is the finest natural harbour on their boundaries, a port of commanding importance, even in its operations in its comparative infancy of to-day, and destined, with the construction of the Georgian Bay Canal to become practically an ocean port in the heart of the continent. The record of the past year shows that the harbours of Fort William and its sister, though not sisterly, city of Port Arthur, were open for 242 days, and that during that period, including Sundays, there was an average shipment of grain of 281,784 bushels of grain per diem. In addition to this were the large shipments of grain by rail, and the handling of enormous quantities of mercantile and manufactured commodities which here break bulk for distribution throughout the western provinces. The increase of grain shipment of 1908 over 1907 was 8,383,477 bushels, and next year, with the extension of the Canadian Northern and the operation of the Grand Trunk Paifie to and beyond Edmonton, the rate of increase must infallibly receive a vigorous impulse. The amount paid out yearly by the chartered banks, of which there are eight, to the Canadian Pacific Railway for grain alone totals over $8,000,000 a year.

The city of Fort William is the mouth of a gigantic funnel, to which centres, and through which pours out into the eastern channels of distribution practically the entire products of Western Canada, to-day and for all the future, and the opinion of Sir William Van Horne, that this city is destined to be the Chicago of Canada, is shared by the most sagacious minds among those who are practically interested in the progress of western development.

It is therefore not surprising that men of shrewd enterprise should have taken account of the manifest opportunities that are here presented, and that already a city has been built up of very creditable proportions on strictly modern lines, and in all its departments wisely adapted to the requirements of future expansion, and confident faith in which is founded on a solid and substantial basis.

Building of a City

I visited Fort William twelve years ago, when it was a thriving little town, full of virile energy, and ambitious for the future. I find it today expanded almost beyond belief, with a magnificent city hall equal to any in Ontario, outside of Toronto, with three well-built business streets instead of one, handsome residences lining well-kept streets, where there was then but a marsh, and with every evidence of a vigorous prosperity. At the close of 1908 the population numbered 16,500 over the previous year. The customs receipts for 1908 reached $698,808, an increase of $159,516 over last year. The post office had a revenue of $25,626.19, and issued last year money orders to the amount of $571,950. I have mentioned the volume of grain shipments. The taxable assessment last year reached $13,350,167, an increase of $5,078,030 over 1907. Building permits during the year totalled $1,555,000. Seven elevators are in operation, having a storage capacity of 12,000,000 bushels. The monthly pay-roll of the Canadian Pacific Railway here is $100,000. The city operates its own street railway system, electric light plant, has a splendid sewer system, and is just completing a magnificent water supply system, whose source is Loch Lomond, at a cost of $305,000. There are five miles of natural harbour for vessels drawing twenty feet of water. At Kakabeka Falls, seventeen miles from the city, is a $2,000,000 electric power plant, and power for the city is supplied by the Kaministiquia Power Company at $25 per h.p. for twenty-four hours. The Ogilvie Flour Mills Company here in mill and elevators employ 125 men and turn out daily 300,000 barrels of flour. The handsome residences and mercantile buildings are built of brick, manufactured here, for which there are fine facilities. Four brick manufacturing companies make some 6,000,000 brick per year. A modern morning newspaper, under the editorial charge of Mr. Rawson, formerly of the Montreal Star, supplies the news of the world, having a full Associated Press service, and enterprising local departments. There is also an evening paper.

What the Future Holds Out

The Canadian Pacific reaches its terminals on Thunder Bay at Fort William by skirting along the north bank of the Kaministiquia River, and the city, which owes its origin to the railway naturally formed its nucleus in the neighbourhood of the station and elevators of the railway system. Originally the railway owned a large area within the town limits, but after providing as was estimated for its future requirements, sold what was considered unnecessary, for building sites. Now, however, after having expended some seventy millions of dollars in car shops, elevators, docks, coal slips and in yards and terminal facilities, so rapidly have the expanding requirements of the business of the road at this point overtaken the resources provided, that the company has been compelled to purchase a new site for the expansion of its terminal arrangements. The "Kam" as it is familiarly called, entering Thunder Bay forms a delta, beginning where the Mission River branches off, going directly to the bay Dividing the triangular space between the mouths of these two rivers, is McKellar River, which cuts the separated land into two islands known as Island No. 1 and Island No. 2. The eastern of these islands is nearest to the C.P.R. terminals, and here the railway has acquired a tract of land facing the harbour, and contemplates this year the expenditure of $2,000,000 in installing an extension of its terminal facilities to meet present and provide for future, requirements.

Arrangements have been made for construction, during the present year, of a union station on Yonge street, and joint terminals for the Grand Trunk Pacific and the Canadian Pacific, to cost millions of dollars, and when this is accomplished, a subway will effect a junction of the rail and steamer passenger traffic, which at present has to be transferred from the docks to the station by vehicle.

The Grand Trunk Pacific

At the west end of the city the Grand Trunk Pacific will reach tide water, following the contour of the Mission River, and has acquired an extensive water frontage for coal docks, wharves and elevators, the construction of which will be entered upon at once, some of the contracts having already been allotted. Two thousand men will be employed in building work during the approaching season, and an initial expenditure calculated at not less than two million dollars will at once be entered upon at this point; indeed, a contract for a million dollar elevator has already been let. The ultimate expenditure for terminal accommodation which will be pushed rapidly to completion, will be at least equal to that of the C.P.R., and will reach to upwards of six or seven millions. This outlay followed by the maintenance and indefinite expansion of an elevator system expected to be superior to anything in our experience, and the traffic to be transhipped here, will inevitably create a duplication of the present Fort William in an incredibly short time. Anticipating this, the city has purchased from the Indian Reserve, a highway extending to the harbour front. The street railway will be extended along this street during the coming season and thus a means afforded for the development of the city's business to the G.T.P.R. terminal. For the connecting bridge across the Mission River the city has secured highway rights by a grant of $300,000 towards construction. It is also understood that on the opening of navigation this year the Northern Navigation Company, will take advantage of the Grand Trunk Pacific business and make Fort William its headquarters at the head of the lakes and establish their offices at this point.

It may be readily apprehended that with the conjunction of all these immense and permanent advantages those who foresee in Fort William, Winnipeg and Edmonton the three great inland cities of the Dominion, have ample warranty for their belief, certainly so far as Fort William is concerned.

The development of Fort William may be mentioned that in the immediate neighbourhood is a vast store of hematite and magnetic iron ore of the highest quality and destined in time to come, to make another "Sooo" at this point, and to lead to the erection of important manufacturing industries.

I ought to have mentioned in the proper place the value to the business interests of the East of the shipping interest created by the operations of the grain movement of this point. Out of 53,391,620 bushels of wheat shipped last year from this port, 40,000,000 bushels were carried in Canadian bottoms, and the same proportion holds good both as to other products of the soil, and as to the volume of manufactured products brought in from the East, thus becoming an important factor in the trade and prosperity of the Ontario ports and is not without its direct interest to the people of your district, not only on account of its share in the enlargement of the market for manufactured goods, but also to the eastern agriculturist. When I mention that a friend engaged here in the grocery business showed where he had last year paid out over $20,000 for the purchase of butter and eggs bought in Toronto for the local trade here, it will be seen that the aggregate of this trade even at present is important, and must vastly enlarge in the future.

I have here dealt with existent conditions and future certainties, but it the general business of the province.

It may be gathered from all this that the golden opportunities that have been created by the development of Western Canada are not confined entirely to the golden harvest that springs up on the Western prairies when tickled by the plow, but that here on the very threshold of the world's granary are openings for most profitable employment of industry and investment, and that those who earliest interest themselves in sharing the progress of this inland city, will share most largely in the advantages that are opening up upon it.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON QUESTIONS

Suggestive questions on the Sunday School Lesson by Rev. Dr. Linscott for the International Newspaper Study Club for Jan. 17th, 1909.

The beginning of the Christian Church.—Acts ii:22-47.

Golden Text—They continued steadfastly in the apostles' doctrine and fellowship, and in breaking of bread, and in prayer.—Acts ii: 42.

Verse 22—How is it that Jesus has impressed himself upon the world as no other man has ever done, and that he has swayed the hearts of the lowly and the mighty alike, and that his influence is increasing with the years?

Verse 23-36—God clearly sent Jesus with a love message which he meant them to accept, but which the Jews rejected: and more, for they "with wicked hands crucified and slew" him: now is it not true that God then adopted his secondary plan of bringing about by the death of Jesus, what he desired to do by his life?

If God did not want the Jews to reject and crucify Jesus, but to accept of him, what would have been the result if they had carried out God's first plan?

Is not the crucifixion of Jesus the colossal crime of history, and is it not the one great example of how God turns evil into good account?

Verse 37—What was it that had brought this sharp sense of guilt upon them?

What are the influences which put men under conviction; that is, reveal themselves to themselves?

If a person were to ask you, what he should do to be saved, what would you answer him?

Verse 38—What is it to repent, in the sense here meant?

Can a person be saved, if he intends to sin again?

If a person is sorry enough to forsake his sins and turns to God to serve him the best he knows, is that true repentance?

Can a Christian retain the favour of God, if he ever plans to sin again?

Do all who, by the grace of God, forsake their sins, have their past sins forgiven?

Verse 39—Is the gift of the Holy Spirit for all who are saved?

Have you received the gift of the Holy Spirit and if not, why not?

Are all the children of sinners as well as of saints, promised the salvation of Jesus?

Are there any so far off, or so low down, that God does not bid them to receive the Holy Spirit?

How many does God call to accept of his salvation?

Verse 40—Are there some people saved through persistent exhortation, who never would be saved otherwise?

Verse 41—Why are not similar revivals to this more often witnessed?

What can we do more than we are doing to save our neighbours, and to save the world? This question must be answered in writing by members of the club.

Verse 42,—Do Christians to-day fellowship one with another as much, or as often as they should?

Ought Christians to eat together more frequently?

Verse 43,—If the terrible consequences of sin were more frequently preached, would sinners still be filled with fear?

Verses 44-45,—Was this community of goods of the Lord?

Would having all things in common, be a good system to adopt to-day?

If our brothers have nothing, are we under obligation to divide with them?

Verses 46-47,—Would sinners still be saved daily in every church, if there were fellowship, joy, and gladness, among Christians?

Lesson for Sunday, Jan. 24th, 1909.—The Lame Man Healed, Acts iii:1-26.

THE SILVER NORTH

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Men's Best Melton or Beaver Overcoats, made to order, former price $35.00. Rush Sale Price **18.00**

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THEY ARE TO CONFER AT WASHINGTON

Hon. A. B. Aylesworth Leaves To-morrow For the United States Capital—The Fishery Rights.

Special to The Examiner.

Ottawa, Jan. 18.—Hon A. B. Aylesworth and Mrs. Aylesworth leave to-morrow for Washington. The Minister of Justice will there have a conference with British Ambassador Bryce, and Hon. Root, American secretary of state, re a reference that is to be made to the Hague Tribunal as to the rights of American fishermen under the Treaty of 1818 to fish in the waters of British North America. Canada, the states and Newfoundland are interested. Premier Bond, of Newfoundland will also go to Washington to attend at the conference.

THE FUNERAL WAS LARGELY ATTENDED

Late Auditor General McDougall Laid to Rest in Ottawa.

Special to the Examiner.

Ottawa, Jan. 18.—The funeral of the late J. L. McDougall, Canada's ex-Auditor-General, was held here to-day, and was largely attended by cabinet ministers, parliamentarians and friends.

MACKENZIE KING REACHES BOMBAY

Labour Department Has Been Notified—Will Go on to Calcutta at Once.

Special to The Examiner.

Ottawa, Jan. 18.—The Labour Department has just been notified that Hon. Mackenzie King, on his way to China to attend the Opium conference, has reached Bombay and will go on to Calcutta at once.

SLANDER ACTION IS DISMISSED

Mr. Justice Teetzel Gives Judgment to That Effect.

Special to the Examiner.

Hamilton, Jan. 16.—Mr. Justice Teetzel gave judgment this morning, dismissing the action of slander brought by ex-Reeve E. J. Guest against Lt.-Col. Ptolemy.

LONGBOAT CATCHES THIEF FOR THE POLICE

Sprinted After Man Who Had Robbed a Tailor Shop.

New York, Jan. 18.—The Tribune this morning says: Tom Longboat, the Indian Marathon runner, used his speed on Saturday to bring in to the hands of the police, James Smith, a negro, who it is charged tried to steal a coat from a Tenderloin tailor, Sixth avenue, in the neighbourhood of Thirtieth street, was treated to the sight of the famous long distance runner giving a public exhibition without charge.

Paul Pashkin, a tailor at No. 145 West 31st street, had vainly pursued the man with the coat to 31st street, where Longboat and his manager chanced to be. Smith was turning into 30th street going toward Broadway at top notch speed. Before the short block had been covered by Smith the Indian speeded up behind him and took him by the collar to Patrolman Haggerty, of the West 30th street station. The discomfort of being held on a charge of attempted larceny was lessened when Smith learned that he had a distinguisheed captor.

THE WEATHER

ANOTHER cold snap is with us. This morning at daybreak the thermometer recorded 8 degrees below zero. No longer during the night. To-day at noon the mercury stood at 2 below zero.

AROUSED BY SMOKE AUBURN FAMILY ESCAPED FROM BURNING BUILDING CLAD ONLY IN THEIR NIGHT ROBES

The Residence of Mr. S. S. Brown, River Road, Was Destroyed by Fire on Sunday Morning—Origin of Blaze a Mystery.

BRIGADE WERE POWERLESS.

Awakened suddenly at 12.30 o'clock on Sunday morning by dense clouds of smoke, the family of Mr. S. S. Brown, on the Douro side of the River road, Auburn, aroused themselves to find their home in flames just in time to make their escape into the snow, clad only in their night robes. The building and its contents were totally destroyed, the fire brigade being unable to render any assistance, owing to the fact that there is no water service in that part of the city.

Just how the fire started is unknown, but it commenced in the kitchen. The family retired to bed about eleven o'clock, Mr. Brown looking around the house first to see if everything was all right. The fire in the kichen was out, and the door of the room was locked, as were the other doors in the house, the only fire being in the dining room. When the smoke awoke Mr. Brown there was only time to get his family out alive. He aroused his wife and five children, the eldest of which is fifteen years, and rushing into the dining room they found that the kitchen was enveloped in flames. The children were hurriedly taken outside and Mr. Brown, entering the front door, braved the flames long enough to make his way to the bedroom and pick up an armful of clothes, when the suffocating clouds of smoke and the rapid spreading of the flames drove him back into the street again. The neighbours were aroused and took the family into shelter, while an alarm was sent in from Box 56.

The fire brigade made a quick response, but on reaching the scene found that it was impossible for them to do anything, as there is no water service there and the chemical extinguishers were powerless against such a blaze. All they could do was to save the building across the road, which was in great danger inasmuch as the strong east wind was blowing the flames directly towards it.

The chief and four men remained at the fire until two o'clock, while the remainder of the brigade went back to the fire hall.

The house, which was a storey and one-half frame building, owned by Mr. David Heaslip, was a total wreck while the contents, of course, were destroyed by fire, the damage being partly covered by insurance.

Mr. Brown, who is a teamster employed at the Auburn Woollen Mills, estimates his loss at $400.

Cattle Fell On Glare Ice And All Went Through Mud Lake

Ennismore Man Had Trying Time in Bringing Eight Cows Home From Sale—One Man Also Broke Through.

SAVED ALL OF THEM.

Quite a number from this township drove over to Mr. Bell's, in Smith, to attend the sale. The road across the lake being very good they reached there in good time. Mr. Corkery, ex-reeve, purchased six or eight good cows at the sale and attempted to drive them home with him across the lake, but as the ice was rather glare the cattle could not walk on it. In vain did they try to get them to drive, but all of no avail. At length Mr. Wm. B. Crough thought he could draw them to the shore on a stone boat, but on his return with the boat he found the cattle had all broken through the ice, and Mr. John Flood's horse down also. Richard Cosgrove came to the assistance, but he also broke through. The Hixon brothers happened to hear their cries for help and came to their assistance with team and ropes, and in a short time all were on dry land.

Reports say they are all getting along very well after their terrible experience, and we hope no others will meet with the same mishap.—Com.

PETERBORO' MAN BACK FROM FORT WILLIAM SAYS WEATHER WAS COLD

Mr. C. J. Taber, who has returned from Port William, and has read with interest the articles in the Examiner on Fort William, showed the Examiner to-day an interesting picture of the northern city, as it existed in 1856 when the only buildings of importance were the old Hudson Bay Company's fort, the general sales store, and office, and the different store houses in connection with the fort, with the employees' dwellings, and the residence of the farm overseer.

Mr. Taber says that the weather at Fort William has been the coldest on record since the white man established his residence at that point, the thermometers in various parts of the city registering from 50 to 56 degrees below zero.

One man who walked across from the hotel to a building a short distance away had both cheeks and his nose frozen before he reached shelter, and there were many other cases of the same kind last week.

COL. AND MRS. MAPP HAVE SEEN MANY PEOPLES AND COUNTRIES

Colonel Mapp and Mrs. Mapp, who preached at the Salvation Army Barracks yesterday, have been travelling a good deal around the world. Col. Mapp joined the Army twenty-three years ago in India, and worked in that country for thirteen years. Hee was transferred to the foreign office in London, England, and took the office of Assistant Foreign Secretary. While working in that capacity he saw a good deal of this world, travelling with the General a great part of the time.

A short time ago he was appointed Chief Secretary to Canada, with headquarters at Toronto. He has travelled all over Europe and visited in Russia, but this is the first time he has ever been in Canada, and he will have to go to all parts of the Dominion.

Mrs. Mapp joined the Army in England when a young girl, twenty-five years ago, and worked in the slums of London for a long time. She went to India from there and it was there that she met Colonel Mapp. They were married and when the colonel was transferred to London she travelled with him. Mrs. Mapp has seen all the hardships that are endured by the different people of the slums of London and India, and has felt what they have to bear, and she says that people to a great extent do not know what hardship is until they have seen what these people have to put up with.

Forty-eight Hours In Custody Without Even A "Bite" To Eat

Forty-eight hours without even as much as a handout, and yet Richard Price, as he was dismissed with a warning by Magistrate Dumble this morning, stated that he was not the "least" bit hungry. At this rate of going he gives good promise of being able to hold out in a forty day fast.

Price stated that "'E 'ad been workin' of late down near 'Astings." He was arrested on Saturday charged with having been found drunk in a public place. He had money in his pockets and wanted to buy clothes. Magistrate Dumble called his attention to the utter uselessness of spending his money on whiskey. Price had a "turkey" full of clothes, etc., which he left at the station while he went out to buy clothes. He was given his freedom and promised to leave the "jug" alone.

HIS ALLOTTED SPAN RAN INTO 101 YEARS

Examiner Special

Kingston, Ont., Jan. 18 — Solomon Boyd, aged 101 years, died to-day on Albert street. He was born in Kingston township, where he spent [illegible]

If It's a Lonely—

It Must Go

NO odd Suits and Overcoats will be left after this month for we can help them out by cutting the price—We always commence a new season with as clean a stock as is possible. Here's the rub—We would sooner sacrifice on any garment that is a remnant of a line than carry it from year to year; that means money tied up when it should be in circulation.

Come and investigate the bargains all odd Suits and Overcoats from 15 to 20.00 to go for

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KNOX CHURCH HAS TWO MORE ELDERS

Were Ordained Yesterday Morning by the Pastor, Rev. H. J. Keith—Large Congregation Witnessed the Ceremony.

INCREASED CONGREGATION.

At Knox Church yesterday morning two additional elders were ordained, thus making the entire number eight now instead of six as formerly. The two members of the congregation who have thus been honoured are Mr. T. R. Kennedy and Mr. F. D. Armstrong. The ceremony was performed by the pastor, Rev. H. J. Keith, and was witnessed by a large congregation. The sermon was from St. Peter I, v. 1-4, and was a consideration of the nature of the office, the spirit of the worker and the nature of his work. The session was consituted at the beginning of the service, and at the close of the address the elders elected were asked to come forward to answer certain questions. The congregation was also asked to indicate its acceptance of these two elders. The charge was then delivered to the elders and people by the pastor and the elders were received by the session.

The addition of two elders is one of the signs of the progress made by Knox Church. The increased congregation required this addition to the number of elders.

Band and returns of the match between Belleville and Peterborough at Brock Street Rink to-night.

RETURNS OF GAME AND BAND AT RINK

Big Programme Arranged for Brock Street This Evening.

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ACCIDENTS TO WORKMEN.

The recent terrible mine accidents —so called—in the United States coal regions, call attention to the long list of injuries and deaths occurring in connection with the mines of that country from year to year. Accordig to a careful journalistic authority, the Washington Post, this list has attained alarming proportions. This journal says that more than 30,000 deaths occurred and more than two millions were injured last year, amongst manual labourers alone. This represents a terrible loss of life, as well as waste of industrial force and domestic deprivation. It is to be remarked that the statistics of similar casualties in the whole of Europe do not equal these appalling figures. This obtains, in face of the fact, that Europe possesses a far larger number of dangerous trades and professions, than the United States. Europeans are wont to attribute the difference in the frequency of occurrence of fatal and other accidents, to the political and economic system of the United States. Assuming that the political system determines the character of the economic conditions, there may be some truth in this "distinction." The political system, or, at least, practice of our neighbours is not quite free from the influence of the principle that the end justifies the means. Canada has experienced this to some extent in the diplomatic tilts between ourselves and our neighbours. The great end of life in the Republic is to make money, and the means employed is not always susceptible of the nicest scrutiny. Not what is right, not what is humane, is the question, but "will it pay?" If it pays better to equip mines cheaply and—dangerously—the cheaper and consequently more dangerous means is adopted. Of course, there is the ignorance and negligence on the part of workmen to be reckoned with; but a large part is played in accidents, by indifference to the value of human lives, compared to the amount of dividends. A share, of course, is contributed by the indifference of legislators to protect those who are unable, or indifferent to, protecting themselves. Absence of effective official inspection is, doubtless, another cause. At any rate the terrible death rate from accidents can be more largely avoided.

It is avoided in Great Britain, whose roll of accidents presents a great contrast to that of the United States. The report of the United States Geographical Survey for 1907, gives the information that in that country the deaths from accidents in coal mines amounted in the course of the year to 4.86 per thousand employees. The "Colliery Guardian," of England, says that in the same period the deaths from accidents in British coal mines was 1.46 per thousand employees. Another illustration of difference is in the fact that in the United States the number of tons mined for each life lost was 145,471, while in Great Britain it was 226,757 tons for each life lost. Another point worthy of notice is the fact the tons production in the United States was 707 per man, while in Great Britain it was only 332 tons per man—a contrast in conditions showing that in the first case, there was more taken out of the workman or that means were employed which, as statistics show, produced a larger yield of coal as well as of loss of life and limb.

There is no doubt that they do things more safely in Great Britain than in either the United States or Canada, when we have in proportion to mileage covered, and passengers carried, on railways, a vastly larger proportion of accidents than in the Mother Country. In this country as in the United States, we do not build so well. We do not exercise as much care in operation. We are more anxious for results and more indifferent as to the means employed to secure them.

The cis-Atlantic spirit of making haste to get rich involves natural and moral lesions as deplorable—if not more so, as mine accidents and railway accidents.

WESTERN RAILWAY PROGRESS.

Notwithstanding the financial depression during the past year, two thousand miles of railway were built in the Canadian West during 1908. This does not include a large amount of track approaching completion, but means simply the new lines on which passenger trains are being operated. Some idea of the extent of this expansion in railway construction may be arrived at by recalling the fact that the distance between Winnipeg and Vancouver is less than 1,500 miles, and that if a single line of that length had been opened it would have been considered a great work.

The new mileage which has been added to the various lines during the year is distributed among the Canadian Pacific, the Canadian Northern, and the Grand Trunk Pacific. Figures furnished by the various railway companies, quoted in Saturday night's "Last-West," show that the distribution was as follows:

The Canadian Pacific Railway, according to the reports of the engineering department, added 826 miles.

The Canadian Northern, according to the reports of its engineering department, added 245 miles.

The Grand Trunk Pacific completed and brought under operation, 854 miles.

The total mileage of the Canadian Pacific Railway west of Port Arthur at the close of the year is reported at 6,160 miles.

The total mileage of the Canadian Northern at the close of the year is reported at 3,119 miles.

The total mileage of the Grand Trunk Pacific under operation at the close of the year is reported at 854 miles.

The total mileagee of the Great Northern Railway in Western Canada at the close of the year is reported at 621 miles.

The total mileage of all the railway companies doing business in Western Canada at the close of 1908 is thus 10,757 miles.

The work of the Grand Trunk Pacific during the year has been confined in Western Canada to the construction of the main line and the Lake Superior branch.

CHANGE IN SPELLING AND SPIRIT.

Mack, in Saturday Night, with the direct common sense that marks his writings generally, draws an important moral lesson out of the frivolous controversy over what is dubbed "spelling reform." Speaking of the omission of the "u" from such words as honour, favour, etc., he says:—

"While not caring much how the general dispute may be settled, I would rather like to see the missing letter restored in one of the words. It does not seem to me that "honor" is what "honour" used to be. In other days it meant a great deal to a man, and whole families thought much upon it. In the days when men prided themselves on their business "honour" we did not have all this graft, these rake-offs, these embezzlements, these conspiracies on the part of secret combines to crush out individuals. But while a man's "honour" used to forbid him to accept dishonest profits, it seems that his "honor" only asks that he get his loot legally.

It was a point of "honour" with a man to pay his just dues. But a man's "honor" does not require him to pay income tax if he can avoid doing so.

"Honor" permits men to shift securities from one vault to another between the 31st of December and the 1st of January, so that they may seem to exist in neither place, or in both. "Honour" never countenanced anything of that kind.

"Honor" permits men at the head of a public service company to make a contract with a city, and then hire the smartest lawyers to get them out of having to do what they solemnly engaged to do. "Honour," in its palmy days, forbade that sort of moral hunkersliding.

"Honor" wants the written agreement placed on the table. "Honour" used to inquire if the men had pledged their words to each other."

The sense of "honor," since it came into general use, has permitted men to make fortunes, and win and hold political and other successes by ways and means that would have shocked the sense of "honour."

"Honor" is not what "honour" was, either in personal or business affairs, and while the argument concerning the other words in this group may end in a decision either way so far as this journal is concerned, I believe the experiment of restoring the "u" to the maimed, diminished and inconsequential word "honor" is well worth trying. It might recover its dignity and import. Perhaps if it were the only word in the group spelled in the old way, it would be worth while to so distinguish it.

Mack's indirect, but telling, arraignment, of the mania for change, judged by results or accompanying conditions, should give us pause and opportunity for reflection. The elimination of the "u" as Mack forcibly points out, seems to be only one of the points of the mania for change, for the Athenian desire now for new things which obsesses this generation; that seeks the "short cut" to success even if it is through and over the Decalogue; that seeks and chooses easy ways of doing things, of doing things rawly, in distinction from the steadier and solider way that served our forefathers; that makes haste to get rich without any too nice regard for the means; that holds little or nothing too venerable to be sacrificed to the Moloch of modernity.

It change in spelling works as much evil, as accompanies or springs from the influence behind the exclusion of "u" from "honour," let us stick to the good British spelling that was good enough for Macaulay and Tennyson.

SCOTCHMEN FIT IT.

The Victoria Colonist says: In an address before the Morayshire Farmers' Club a short time ago, George A Ferguson, farmer, Burradale, near Elgin, Scotland, who was a member of the recent agricultural commission to Canada, related some of his experiences in the Dominion. In his concluding remarks Mr. Ferguson said Canada was a great country, a country of untold possibilities with its rich soil and superb climate. It was the land for the worker and for the man of ambition—above all, it was the land for Scotchmen (who found their field too lean and too narrow.Scotchmen seemed to fit into the ways of Canada at once, and thought it a better home even than the one they had left. Canada could offer everything that the heart of many a hard-working father of a family desired. The strength of home ties compelled many a one to live miserably in the Old Country when by the same energy and application he could, with the better opportunities in Canada, live in comfort and security. With its great wealth of country and with its splendid organization, Canada, he thought, would soon play a brilliant part in the world's history.

The Land Where The King Is--Wheat

From London "Canada."

I'm back to the land, to the prairie land,
where the league long furrows roll,
It's a dollar a bushel to-day on the
street, and a dollar a bushel is hard
to beat,
When the granary's filled to the roof
with wheat,
For the farmer has taken his golden
toll,
In the land where the King is—Wheat.

And firm is the grip of the toil-worn
hand, and it's ho for the folks at
home,
For hearts are warm 'midst the snow
and sleet, and it's "Hullo! Jack,
and Tom, and Pete,"
As we walk down the crowded village
street,
In the land where the King is—Wheat.

The telephone rings in the farmer's hall,
his auto stands at his gate,
Ho! "What's the price on track to-day?
A dollar! I guess I'll wait."
"How much?" "Ten thousand of No.
1, and half ten thousand more,
So I'll hold till spring, for I've nothing
to meet,
And I've cattle and sheep and hogs to
eat
In the land where the King is—Wheat.

You may search the world over, from
clime to clime,
You may travel from shore to shore,
You may try as you like, but you ne'er
will find
A land where Prosperity knocks at the
door,
Like the land which we measure by
miles, not feet,
The land where the King is—Wheat!

Where each field is a farm, and the line
runs true past mile and succeeding
mile,
Just ploughing and stubble, a house,
p'raps two, and straw in golden pile,
Rather dreary, you say; but think of
the day when we'll feed the world
with wheat,
By heavens! It's a Kingdom and can't
be beat,
The land where the King is—Wheat!

Then here's to the men of the prairie
land, and their wives and their children
too,
They've fought the fight with stubborn
pride, and they've won as their sires
were wont to do;
They've tasted the iron, they've gained
the sweet,
They're the breed that would never acknowledge defeat;
And they own the land where the King
is—Wheat,

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ELECTRIC TABLE CLOTHS.

Latest Device For Hostesses In Old Land Is Striking Affair.

If the early Victorian great-grandmother of the present fashionable hostess could assist at a modern dinner party, she would assuredly think she was aiding and abetting the practice of "black magic."

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It looks harmless enough—a simple table cover of grey felt covered with an ordinary damask table-cloth.

The "regulation" silver candlesticks are placed on the table—an unusual brilliance streaming from under their dainty shades, and the unitiated may wonder how candles can produce such a dazzling light.

But there is more in it than meets the eye, for running down the sides of each candlestick is an almost invisible wire with a tiny pronged end. This prong fastens itself into the table-cloth and as it touches the cloth the electric candles are lighted.

Whenever the candlesticks are placed, as soon as the prong touches the electric cloth a brilliant light streams forth.

This magical cloth can only be a luxury at present, but, judging from the progress of the times, it may be within the means of hostesses who do not possess princely incomes before very long.

A Substitute.

"I am sorry, my dear sir, but I neglected to bring my surgical instruments with me."

"That will be all right, doctor. The plumber who has been working in the cellar has left his tools here."—Exchange.

The Fatted Calf.

That mighty unfair trick of killing the fatted calf for the prodigal causes more family rows than anything else on earth except the division of father's money.—Atchison Globe.

Duncan's Guide.

By SIDNEY HEDGES COLE.

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When Duncan accepted Mrs. Harvey's invitation to join her house party in the mountains that worthy lady was overjoyed.

Here, indeed, was the very man she had been seeking—a man whose name was on everybody's lips, a veritable lion, who would make her the envy of all her set.

He was the man who had spent a month in Lassa and who had talked with the grand lama himself, a drawing card of the highest magnitude. Mrs. Harvey spent a good half day in congratulating herself and wondering just how she had been able to manage it.

She pictured him as she had last seen him, a happy, exuberant, boyish young man who would entertain her other guests by the hour with most absorbing anecdotes of his work, his travel and the dangers he had undergone.

HE TURNED SUDDENLY AND CAUGHT HER HAND IN HIS OWN.

Duncan arrived duly. The guests, who were assembled on the wide veranda, saw Tim bring the big road car up to the steps, saw a bronzed, grave faced young man climb out and punctiliously greet Mrs. Harvey as "Cousin Mary."

If they had expected any signs of his far heralded exploits about him, any gray hairs on his head or any marks of suffering upon his face, they were doomed to disappointment. He was fair haired, sleek, well groomed.

Indeed, he looked much more like a prosperous business man on a week ned vacation than a celebrity with whose name two continents were ringing.

At dinner that night Mrs. Harvey made her first attempt to draw him out.

"Now, Ted," she suggested as the coffee was served, "we're all impatient to hear about it."

Duncan looked surprised. "About what, Cousin Mary?" he asked.

"What, indeed?" she returned. "Your recent triumph in Lassa, of course."

Duncan actually blushed under his coat of tan and squirmed uneasily in his chair as he realized all the eyes at the table were upon him.

"Oh, that!" he said. "It's nothing—really nothing. It's not worth the telling."

"But the papers said"—

"The papers," he interrupted; "the yellow sheets, you mean, Cousin Mary. They must have news. They'll make something out of the most hopeless material."

"You talked with the grand lama. Tell us about him. What did he say?"

Duncan laughed with some embarrassment. "Nice little chap, the lama. Youngish, he is, with a lean face and keen eyes. We had quite a gossiping bee through an interpreter. Seemed most interested in the color of my hair, the lama did. Wanted to know what made it yellow. I tried to tell him it was nature and not peroxide that did it, but the interpreter got all tangled up trying to put it right, and the lama's face was like a graven image. I guess the thing didn't go."

In self defense he turned to the girl at his left.

"What was your score on the links this afternoon?" he asked. "Forty-one? Fine! Wish I could do as good as that."

As an attraction, an entertainer of Mrs. Harvey's guests, Duncan proved a signal failure. He was taciturn, shy, ill at ease. The guests on their part stood rather in awe of the big, grave young man with the slow smile and the thoughtful eyes.

They imagined he found them trivial, not worth his efforts. When they were on the links or putting the horses to the hurdles behind the stables, he took long solitary rambles across the mountains.

When they played bridge or danced in the evening, he sat alone on the veranda, smoking innumerable cigarettes. Mrs. Harvey, in frank disappointment, told herself he was impossible.

The usual game of bridge was in full swing one evening and Duncan was sitting quite alone on one end of the veranda, looking at the great bulk of the mountains looming dimly in the moonlight.

He heard the door open softly, and, turning, he saw Eleanor Graydon coming toward him. Duncan's pulses quickened. There was something about this tall, beautiful girl, with her cool voice and her steady brown eyes, that he found most attractive—most disquietingly attractive, indeed.

She laughed softly as she saw him there.

"I—sorry," she faltered. "You and your pose of solitude are spoiling on Mrs. Harvey's nerves. I can see it. Really, I'm beginning to believe you conceited."

Duncan drew up a chair. "Won't you sit here for a minute and watch these mountains with me?" said he. "I'm—I'm"— He paused.

"You're what?" she prompted.

"Lonely," he finished, with such evident sincerity in his voice that the girl felt a little pang of remorse.

"I presume you find us stupid," said she, sitting down beside him. "After such a crowded life as yours has been all this must be very tame."

"Tame?" he said, with sudden earnestness. "Tame? Oh, heavens, no!"

"You give us that impression anyway."

"Do I?" said he. He leaned forward in his chair. "Do you know how I feel here? Will you respect my secret if I tell you?"

She nodded.

"Well, then, like a fish out of water. I'm afraid—honestly and actually afraid. You see, all my life I have traveled. I've been into the out of the way places of the earth. I haven't had time to cultivate any of the graces of civilization. All in all, I'm a barbarian, more or less.

"I've looked forward to this—to this coming here to Cousin Mary's and meeting all these people of your world. more than I can tell you. But it has taught me something about myself. Much as I wish I fitted in this niche, I'm impossible. As a participator in social functions in the accepted sense of the term I'm hopeless."

The girl looked at him with a quiet smile.

"I'll take back that remark about your conceit and ask your forgiveness for it, too," said she. "Oh, you boy! You great, big hearted, simple boy! You envy us in this silly, meaningless life of ours—you who have been doing something! I wish you might know how I envy that life of yours!"

"Do you mean that—really?" he cried.

"It is worth a thousand lives like ours."

"But I am isolated. I am alone. I have cut myself off from all that I really want. I want to be like these other men here. I want to talk to you as they do—to be as unafraid of you as they are."

"That? Oh, pooh!" she laughed. "Tell me, when you go into an unknown country what do you do before you try to travel it—take a guide, don't you?"

"Yes."

"Well, that's what you must do here. Take a guide. Then I'll warrant in a week—in a day—you'll know the ropes from beginning to end."

"A guide," he repeated musingly. "Yes, that's it. I must take a guide to show me into civilization. My work is done now. I want to live in my own country; therefore I must have that guide. I—I—there is only one I want, and I want her for life," he stammered, but he looked at her with no uncertain light in his eyes. "I am presumptuous, I know. I am nothing but a barbarian, as I told you, but perhaps with the guide it might be different."

He turned suddenly and caught her hand in his own. "Can I have that guide?" he asked unsteadily.

The girl arose. Her face was scarlet, but her eyes were looking into his.

"Your first lesson will be in bridge," he said. "Come in and I'll teach you."

But Duncan caught her in his arms and held her fast.

"Yes, dear," she murmured. "I loved you from the very first, you were so—so unspoiled by what I'm going to guide you into."

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THE SCHOONER HAS BEEN WRECKED

Newfoundlander Is Beaten to Pieces Off Long Island.

PERHAPS SIX LIVES LOST

Flotsam Picked Up on Beach During Howling Gales Tells Last Story of the Swallow, Laden With Fish and Lumber, Out of St. John's For New York — The Crew Cannot Have Escaped.

New York, Jan. 18.—In a biting, driving snowstorm off the Long Island shore, the schooner Swallow of St. John's, Nfld., and her crew, was lost yesterday, according to evidence furnished by a turbulent sea which has strewn the beach east of Fire Island for several miles with bits of wreckage from the ship itself and from her cargo.

On some of this flotsam appeared the name "Swallow, St. John's, Nfld." and this told the beachman who found the wreckage what vessel it was that had pounded itself to pieces in a few short hours in the howling gale.

Of the crew, probably five or six, judging from the schooner's size with its attending bitter cold left no doubt in the minds of the beachmen as to the crew's fate. No human power could have aided them.

It was at two o'clock yesterday morning while a patrolman from the Blue Point life-saving station, a few miles east of Fire Island, was toiling through the storm, on the lookout for trouble at sea, that he saw some black objects tossing about close to shore. He hauled some of them in, and finding it was new wreckage hurried back to his station to report and secure aid. Other beachmen were soon on the scene, hauling in the flotsam and making a study of it. There were timbers, new lumber, frozen herring and fishing tackle and finally they came upon a sign board or two which told the vessel's name. The life-savers stood by and patrolled the beach all day in the hope that they might find some trace of the crew, but nightfall came, and their quest had been in vain.

It is supposed the Swallow, presumably a fishing boat, was bound from Newfoundland to New York with a cargo of frozen herring and that she carried a deckload of lumber to help make her trip pay. Caught in the storm, the crew probably lost their bearings and struck on one of the many sand bars a mile or so off shore, near the Blue Point station. There the wind and heavy seas pounded the vessel to pieces in a short time and the men aboard were speedily lost in the sea.

The Swallow, according to the marine register, was a small schooner of 73 tons. She was built 30 years ago at Moses River, and was owned by John Dawson of St. John's, Nfld.

Western M.P.'s at Capital.

Ottawa, Jan. 18.—The western members are the first to arrive in numbers for the opening of Parliament on Wednesday. A coach load of members from the middle west, who left Winnipeg on Friday night, have arrived. They were preceded by McIntyre of Strathcona, McGrath of Lethbridge, Bradbury of Selkirk and Ralph Smith of Nanaimo, who have been here for some time.

All the British Columbia members have arrived. To-day the members from the Maritime Provinces and other eastern provinces will commence to put in their appearance. It is expected that by Wednesday morning, when the signing of the roll will commence, there will be but few members of the new Parliament missing.

Fire at Niagara Falls.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Jan. 18.—The homes of Wm. Dobson and Richard Sheppard were destroyed by fire early yesterday morning. Loss about $4,000.

The fire was caused by Mr. Dobson applying a lighted torch to water pipes to thaw them out. There was no water in the pipes, as owing to the east winds which have prevailed the water in the river was low and the flumes of the waterworks were blocked with ice, and there has been no supply of water through the night.

Cuba's New Birth.

Havana, Jan. 18.—On Jan. 28 at noon the Cuban people will come into their own for the second time at the hands of the American Government.

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FRANCE WILLING TO SIGN TREATY

Hon. Raoul Dandurand Reports on French Treaty.

MR. FIELDING'S HARD WORK

After Three Weeks of Difficult Negotiations the Finance Minister Has Reached Point When He Can Announce That Commercial Compact Will Be Ratified by the Senate—Still In Committee.

Montreal, Jan. 18.—Hon. Raoul Dandurand, ex-Speaker of the Senate, who was giving the Canadian Finance Minister a helping hand with the Franco-Canadian treaty negotiations in Paris, returned home yesterday, and says that Mr. Fielding authorized him to say to the Canadian people that the treaty would be ratified by the French Senate.

So far the discussion has not proceeded further than the customs committee of the Senate and here is where the block took place. Senator Dandurand says that the Minister of Commerce, who signed the treaty with Hon. Messrs. Fielding and Brodeur, had left that Department and had taken the portfolio of public instruction, consequently his successor, M. Cruppi, while loyal to his colleagues, did not have that interest as his predecessor, and when it is considered that Ministerial responsibility is different in France, it is evident that Mr. Fielding has had a pretty difficult task to overcome.

The ex-Speaker of the Senate says, however, that after three weeks of hard work keeping in constant telegraphic touch with Ottawa and the Imperial Foreign Office. Mr. Fielding has been able to smooth over the difficulties and is confident that the Senate ratification will not be long delayed.

Ice Bridge Is Formed.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Jan. 18.—With the continuance of cold weather the ice bridge across the Niagara River, under the upper bridge, to within 100 feet of the horseshoe falls. The bridge is the largest in years.

In spite of zero weather a big crowd crossed yesterday. A path has been cut across and shacks have been erected for the sale of curios, refreshments and liquor. Photographers do a large business, being on neutral territory, and vendors of intoxicants do not have to obtain licenses to sell alcohol and license inspectors of Canada and the United States cannot interfere. The ice bridge is frequented by a large number who cannot obtain any intoxicants in either of the cities on the banks of Niagara River.

Newfoundland Not Satisfied.

St. John's, Nfld., Jan. 18—The United States and Newfoundland have not succeeded in deciding upon the terms of a new fishing agreement now being considered by Right Hon. Jas. Bryce, the British ambassador, and Secretary of State Elihu Root.

Early this week Sir Robert Bond, the Premier, will leave for Washington to confer with Ambassador Bryce and Secretary Root. It is understood that the Premier demands the inclusion among subjects to be submitted for arbitration a number of matters which the Americans maintain are absolutely guaranteed under the treaty of 1818.

Whipped Horse With Broken Leg.

Hamilton, Jan. 18.—For whipping a horse with a broken leg, and trying to goad it into dragging them along, Frank Carlberg, who boards at the Commercial Hotel, and Harmen Anderson were arrested on Saturday evening charged with cruelty to animals and with being drunk. They hired the horse from Carson's livery stable and were driving it about the city. It fell and broke its leg, and while they were whipping it to make it go, two passers-by interfered and held them until Constables Gibbs and Burtell were summoned.

Castro Will Return.

Berlin, Jan. 18.—Cipriano Castro, the former President of Venezuela, questioned concerning his plans for the future, said:

"My present intention is to return to Venezuela as soon as my health will permit me to make the voyage. I will travel aboard an ordinary liner.

"My plan is to live as a private citizen in my native land. If it is desired to take proceedings against me, it will be there. The idea of starting a revolution of any kind has not entered my head."

Married an Actress.

New York, Jan. 18.—According to an announcement published here, Frederick Herreshoff, Yale man and golf champion, surprised his parents and friends yesterday by telling them that he had secretly married Miss May Faulkner, an actress, last August, and that they had since been living happily together.

Col. Kent to Command Seventh.

Kingston, Jan. 18.—Col. Kent retires to-day from the command of the 14th Regiment and will take over the 7th Infantry Brigade. He has served 28 years in the Canadian Militia. He served a year as mayor and has now entered his thirteenth consecutive year as a member of the council.

Work For Machinists.

Montreal, Jan. 18.—As an evidence of a revival on the railways the C.P.R. and the Grand Trunk Pacific have just given orders to the Montreal Locomotive Works for 55 locomotives, the whole to be delivered before the end of May, and over a thousand extra skilled mechanics will be at once taken on at the works.

Motor Lifeboat Wrecked.

Victoria, B.C., Jan. 18.—The Bamfield Creek motor lifeboat, built in New Jersey at a cost of $15,000 for the Dominion Government, was wrecked on Robbery Island in Barkley Sound, after breaking adrift from her moorings off the Bamfield Creek life-saving station during a gale.

BLACKBALLING OF BOURASSA.

Englishmen on Garrison Club Council Are Angry About It.

Montreal, Jan. 18.—Generally, newspapers refrain from announcing blackball incidents at social clubs, but in the case of Henri Bourassa, M.P.P., who was shut out of the Garrison Club at Quebec the other day, the contrary is the case. L'Evenement says in reference to the matter:

"The Garrison Club council is composed of eight English and eight French-Canadians and the result of the ballot showed that nine white and three black balls had been deposited, resulting in the rejection of Henri Bourassa's name.

"Who committed this piece of folly, we are unable to answer the question, as the ballot was a secret one. We know, however, that eight English-speaking gentlemen and one French-Canadian were expressing the greatest indignation over the result of the vote. The three French-Canadians who expressed no indignation are, it is stated, personal friends of Hon. Mr. Turgeon, and while we do not attribute to the Minister of Crown Lands the responsibility of the act, we are sure that his friends did not render him any great service in blackballing Mr. Bourassa.

"As a matter of fact, the members of the club are generally indignant at the council's action and there is a petition in circulation asking that the matter be considered by a general meeting of the club. Armand Lavergne, M.P.P., who proposed the name of his friend for membership, has resigned from the club."

LAW IS CONVICTED.

But Mining Broker Enters Appeal Against Verdict.

Toronto, Jan. 18.—Frank Law, the mining broker was found guilty by the jury at the sessions Saturday afternoon, after eight minutes' deliberation of the charge of conspiring with W. L. Russell to cheat and defraud the public, in connection with the flotation of the Highland Mary Mining Co.

T. H. Lennox, after the verdict was given, gave immediate notice of appeal on the ground of the arrangement made with Law by the crown to give evidence in the extradition proceedings against Russell at the Police Court about a year ago.

Mr. Lennox asked that Law be admitted to bail, but Judge Winchester said he could not grant that, otherwise the Court of Appeal would not hear Mr. Lennox when he made his application. Law consequently remains in custody pending the decision of the court.

Crew Rescued by Steamer.

Queenstown, Jan. 18.—The steamer Dominion, which arrived off here yesterday, reported having rescued Capt. Crossley and the crew of the British ship Savona, about four miles off Fastnet. The Savona, which was lumber laden, was abandoned in a waterlogged condition.

A tug has started out to try and tow the Savona to Crookhaven, but this may prove to be a difficult task, as the weather is very stormy.

The Savona was bound from Liscomb, N.S., for the United Kingdom.

Gas Men Submit.

New York, Jan. 18.—Another great victory in the fight for 80-cent gas was won on Saturday when announcement was made that the Northern Union Gas Co., the Central Union Gas Co., the Standard Gas Co. and the New Amsterdam Gas Co. had determined to accept the 80-cent rate pending decision by the courts of their individual suits, asserting that the law is confiscatory.

There still remains out in the cold the New York Mutual Gas Co.

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Captain Dies on Ship.

New York, Jan. 18.—D. E. Sandford of Walton, N.S., captain of the barge Ontario, dropped dead of apoplexy aboard his ship while coming through Long Island Sound yesterday morning. At the time a severe snowstorm was raging and anxiety for the safety of his vessel is supposed to have brought on the fatal stroke.

Cost of Oil For Motive Power.

Albany, N.Y., Jan. 18.—The probable cost of substituting oil for coal as motive power for trains passing through the state forest preserve will be announced at a hearing next Thursday before the public service commission, which has investigated the subject.

Strang For Commission.

Winnipeg, Jan. 18.—Andrew Strang, a pioneer merchant here, left for Ottawa last night.

It is said he will receive an appointment on the Railway Commission. The Winnipeg Board of Trade recommended him for the position.

No Grant This Year.

Ottawa, Jan. 18.—There will be no grant for a Dominion exhibition this year.

It was to have gone to New Brunswick, but there are four New Brunswick towns in dispute for the honor of holding the show.

Gen. von Schak Dead.

New York, Jan. 18.—Brigadier-Gen. George von Schak, U. S. army, retired, died suddenly at his home here yesterday. Gen. von Schack was born in Berlin 82 years ago.

GREAT BRITAIN IS NOW SECURE

North Sea Coast Is Now Safe From an Attack.

ALL BIG SHIPS BUT ONE

Placing of Lord Nelson In Commission on North Sea Station Leaves That Fleet With Only One Old Vessel In the Nore Division — Three More of This Class Will Probably Be Added In the Spring.

London, Jan. 18.—Just as England was the first to have a Dreadnought, so she is before all other nations in having a fleet of these, the most modern of fighting ships.

With the commissioning of the new battleship Lord Nelson, and her assignment to the Nore division of the home fleet, the first line of defence against a possible attack from across the North Sea, that fleet, in the words of a British admiral, became "a combination of strength and homogeneity unequalled, ship for ship, in the world's fleets."

A year ago the Nore division, which is under the command of Vice-Admiral Sir Francis Bridgman, consisted of the Dreadnought, which had hardly completed her trials, the Bulwark, London, Magnificent, Majestic and Victorious. During the year the new battleship Agamemnon and the armored cruisers Indomitable and Inflexible, which are to all intents and purposes, battleships, replaced older vessels, and last week the Lord Nelson relieved the Magnificent, leaving the Victorious the only representative of the pre-Dreadnought era to Admiral Bridgman's command.

Before midsummer it is anticipated the fleet will be further strengthened by the Dreadnaught battleships Temeraire, Bellerophon and Superb.

PIRACY ON PACIFIC.

Sailors Slay Officers and Seize Peruvian Schooner.

Victoria, B.C., Jan. 18.—News of a plot to pirate the schooner Louise J. Kenny and murder Capt. Hendley was given by Thos. F. Dunn, a Sydney engineer, who was a passenger on the steamer Aorangi, wharved yesterday, to Suvai, to give evidence against the plotters, Mortimer and Taylor, two men who are on trial at the Fijian port for the piracy of the Peruvian schooner Neuever Tegre from Callao, and murder of her master and mate, who were thrown overboard by Mortimer.

The pirates were little acquainted with navigation. They used an eight-day clock for a chronometer and sailed into the South Seas, and their vessel was wrecked in a Panama lagoon on the Gilbert Island, where the suspicions of the traders who visited the wrecked schooner, which was without registered clearance or flag, with the name White Rose obviously painted over the former name, were aroused.

Taylor, breaking down under questioning, confessed the piracy and murder. Commissioner Murdoch at Tarawa arranged with Capt. Hendley of the Louise J. Kenny to carry the two men to Tarawa. Mortimer, who seemed to make Taylor his tool, informed him he had planned to seize the Louise J. Kenny to replace the wrecked "Neuever Tegre," stolen from Callao, and kill Capt. Hendley, retaining the white cook to force him to act as mate and keeping the native crew of sixteen until they could be landed and replaced by other unacquainted with the piracy. Taylor saw an opportunity to scribble a note which he tossed through the skylight into Capt Hendley's cabin where it was afterwards found by the captain, who mustered his crew and put the men in irons.

Schooner Founders.

Honolulu, Jan. 18.—The Commercial Pacific Cable Co.'s schooner F. Laurence Ward arrived here yesterday from the Midway Islands with the three plumage hunters found on the schooner Kicho, who were rescued by the F. Laurence Ward on Lee Hermes Island last month.

The schooner Kicho never has been heard from since she left the Japanese on Lee Hermes, and it is supposed she foundered in a storm.

Chance For Bryce.

London, Jan. 18.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—The Morning Post says with reference to the reported hitch over the fisheries treaty that Mr. Bryce now has the opportunity to justify his statement that he feels himself more the ambassador of Canada than of Great Britain. The Morning Post finds in the fact that Canada and Newfoundland were invited to participate in the negotiations hope of a new era inaugurated.

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CHANGES IN THE SALVATION ARMY

Council to Govern Affairs in Canada—Will Likely be Incorporated.

The Salvation Army, Incorporated, is securing a charter at Ottawa, and a bill will be introduced at the next session of the Legislature of Ontario to make certain changes required by the new conditions. The incorporation of the Army will give it a standing as a business concern, and enable the better handling of its immigration and other branches of work.

While officials of the Army are reticent about the nature of the reorganization in Canada, it is known that the Dominion is to have a governing council, of which Commissioner Coombs will be the head.

An interesting feature of the new system will be that the Army's property, heretofore held by General Booth as trustee, will be transferred to the Salvation Army, Incorporated, and that hereafter no property will be held in the name of any individual. This will end the difficulty which might arise in case of the demise of the General.

There are other interesting features of the incorporation which will be announced from time to time.

Attention is called to the Auction Sale of a very pretty and comfortable home south of Aberdeen Avenue and east of Aylmer Street, at present occupied by Mr. R. F. Ivey. It lies a little west of the New Normal School, where so many houses are now in course of erection. The house has a good cellar, large rooms, handsome grate and fire place, etc. Sale at Munro Hotel, 25th January, at 2 p.m.

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PRESENTATION TO MISS FLO LANCASTER

St. John's Choir Honoured One of the Members by a Pre-Nuptial Gift.

On Sunday morning Hymn 370 was sung in connection with the journey to England of a member of the choir, Mr. Wm. Coleman. After the evening service an interesting event took place in the vestry, when the rector on behalf of the choristers of St. John's, presented Miss Florence Lancaster with a handsome piece of plate on the occasion of her leaving the choir to be married very shortly, and to reside in Montreal. Best wishes were expressed for Miss Lancaster's future happiness, although many regrets were expressed at the loss of her assistance in the choir.

$2.00, 1.60, 1.25 Sweaters, choice for 1.00, Banks under Market Clock. 2d

THE GOSPEL HALL MEETING YESTERDAY

Marriage and Divorce Were the Subjects Taken Up.

At the Gospel Hall last night Mr. G. W. Mulligan addressed the audience on Marriage and Divorce, dividing it into four parts. The Hall was filled to its capacity.

The text was taken from the 10th Chapter of St. Mark, the 1st to the 9th verses.

1. Marriage, or joining by God of a man and his wife.

Mr. Mulligan denounced divorce in the most forcible manner, also showing the alarming state of affairs in the United States, where last year 65,000 divorces were granted, 10 per cent. of the entire marriages solemnized, two-thirds of which were Protestants so-called. In the last 20 years there had been 1,000,000 divorces granted; this is the official record.

2. The marriage or joining by God at Bethlehem 1909 years ago was Deity and Perfect Humanity, and men ever since have been seeking to divorce the same, especially the sect known as the Unitarians, but "what God has joined together, let not man put asunder."

3. Sin and death are inseparably joined.

4. Faith in the atoning work on Calvary, and pardon, justification, eternal life and a part in the first resurrection. He stated that all men have not the saving faith in Christ, without which it is impossible to please God. God says: "He that believeth in Christ hath eternal life."

Annual Civic Sermon Was Preached To Council And City Officials At George St. Church

To be of good courage in their conduct of the city's affairs was the message given by Rev. E. A. Pearson to the Mayor, Alderman and City Officials, who attended George street Methodist church last night in a body to hear the annual civic sermon arranged by the Ministerial Association of the city. Nearly all the council and officials were present and occupied the seats reserved for them in the body of the church. In addition a very large congregation attended and the seating capacity of the commodious edifice was severely taxed.

Rev. Mr. Pearson delivered an eloquent and forcible address upon the subject of courage, taking as his text the first chapter of Joshua the sixth verse, "Be strong and of a good courage."

Before commencing his address he expressed his pleasure at being able to welcome the officials of the city to George street Methodist church. It was a most fitting thing that they should meet together at such a time and worship and acknowledge their indebtedness to the One upon whose shoulders rested all government.

Speaking of courage, Rev. Mr. Pearson stated that it had held a high place in the minds of the people of the early days. The greatest of all virtues to their mind was courage. In a well known book on ethics handed down by Aristotle the first place and the chief exposition was given to courage which was regarded as the sum of all the virtues. It was a significant fact that the word virtus from which comes our word virtue really meant valour.

There were people of the present day, however, who stated that courage was not the virtue, or cowardice the vice, but that they were among the best of the pagan people. He did not propose to argue that point, but simply wished to say that whatever might be true in regard to individual Christianity, there could be no doubt as to the place courage occupied in the Word of God. Rev. Mr. Pearson went on to illustrate his point by referring to the many passages in the New Testament which spoke of the courage of the Apostles and of Jesus Himself. He pointed out the courage that our Saviour had displayed during His life on earth, and stated that the story of the life of Jesus was the most heroic ever written.

It was not as difficult to stand against one's enemies as against one's friends. Many a man who had been in public life was living in oblivion because he had not had the courage to withstand the entreaties and the eloquence of his friends.

Rev. Mr. Pearson quoted from a letter from Randolph Churchill the great English statesman to his wife, in which he had stated that he was going to give up political life because he felt that he was running his head up against a stone wall and he was sick and tired of it all. Rev. Mr. Pearson considered that it was the coward who gave up public life because he was "sick and tired of it all."

There were two ideas in regard to courage which the speaker wished to correct. One was that courage and fearlessness were one and the same thing with which the speaker did not agree. Sometimes fear and courage were combined and often it was the cause that a man did things not understanding his danger in which case his act could not be called courageous.

Another mistaken idea was that the highest type of bravery was the bravery of the battle field. People were inclined to emphasize that idea unduly, but he thought that it was time that pagan conception should have been outgrown. The bravery of the humble poor man, lasted in the long drawn out drudgery of life was as creditable. Rev. Mr. Pearson spoke of the courage of adopting a certain attitude upon a question and remaining faithful to that conviction. He would prefer, he said, to have a man adopt a wrong view if he had the courage to come out openly and express it. A man should be on one side or other of the question.

During the offering Miss Reesor demonstrated the splendid qualities of her rich, pure soprano voice in a rendition of the sacred classic "The Holy City" and after the sermon a ladies' quartette sang most acceptably.

Sunday School Made Great Progress During Past Year

Annual Meeting of Murray Street Baptist Sunday School Showed Marked Advancement—Officers Elected for 1909.

HIGHEST ATTENDANCE.

The annual meeting of the Sunday School of the Murray street Baptist Church was held last Tuesday night when the reports of the year were received and everything arranged for the coming year.

The past twelve months have witnessed unexcelled progress in the Sunday School work of the church with the result that the reports were of the most encouraging nature.

The officers elected for 1909 were as follows:

Mr. W. J. Dunlop—Superintendent.

Messrs. C. B. Routley and Dr. Browett—Assistant Superintendents.

Secretary—Miss M. A. Garbutt.

Treasurer—Mr. Allen Stabler.

Librarians—Messrs. Harry Webber and Will Cochrane.

Pianiste—Miss Elcombe.

Superintendent of Cradle Roll Department—Miss Rose.

The success attained during the year was greatly due to the unfailing interest and devotion to their work which the teachers have shown. During the year $225.00 was contributed to missions and in every other respect a most successful year was enjoyed.

Luncheon was served in connection with the meeting which was of a pleasant nature throughout.

The coming year should bring even greater prosperity and the school by its advancements is in a position to attain to higher things.

The report showed that the average attendance last year was greater than any in the past.

MR. CONROY AND ASSISTANTS HAVE REACHED CAMP AT GOWGANDA

The following despatch from Cobalt will be of interest here. The Mr. Conroy mentioned is Mr. David Conroy of East City.

COBALT, Jan. 17. — The conditions in Gowganda and the Elk Lake country, are becoming serious. Prospectors are going in less than half prepared. The snow is deep and the cold intense. It is reported to be 56 below zero. Six men had their feet frozen on Friday at Gowganda, and others had noses or ears frosen. The miners having cabins have been compelled to refuse lodgings and assistance, owing to their own personal needs. Twenty-six head of cattle, driven in by Mr. Conroy of Ashburnham, and four assistants, reached Gowganda on Thursday afternoon, and were killed and strung up on trees around Gowganda Lake, and sold at twelve cents a pound. The cattle were nearly frozen from exposure and lack of feed. The stopping houses, five in number, built for accommodation, are now filthy, according to reports from those returning, and typhoid is predicted unless conditions are improved. The conditions call for the attention of the Provincial Board of Health.

The snow at Gowganda is becoming very deep, even snowshoeing being difficult on that account.

LOCAL GENTLEMEN TO LEAVE FOR GOWGANDA ON WEDNESDAY

Messrs. Arthur Blade and Chas. Gladman will leave on Wednesday morning for Gowganda, the new Cobalt, where they will spend the winter and next spring prospecting. Gowganda is situated some 70 miles north of Cobalt and is said to be wonderfully rich in mineral wealth. The local men who are going will take with them a dog team from here, having picked up a number of dogs which are considered suitable for the services which they will be called upon to perform. It will be necessary to transport enough provisions over the snow trails to last until next spring.

Opinion That Engineer Was Formerly Known In This City

There is a strong probability that Engineer Carscadden, who was among the killed in the train wreck on the C. P. R., near Yale, B. C., is known in this city and has friends or relatives here. It is the opinion that he is Clifford Carscadden, son of Mr. Hugh Carscadden, of Lindsay. The Examiner was thus informed by Mr. J. J. Lang, Aylmer street, who is well acquainted with the family. The young man left for the west some years ago, and it is known that he was engaged as engineer on this line. If this supposition is correct, and sad to say it seems to be likely, this is the case, he is rather well known in Peterborough.

The train, which was being handled by two engines, was running along at a rather slow rate when it was struck by a snow slide and the engines and first four cars were carried with it into the Fraser River. It was an express train and both engineers were killed and fourteen passengers injured. This is reported a very conservative number and it is likely that many more were injured and some of these will likely die.

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ADDRESS ON CANADA READ AT MEETING

Splendid Paper by Miss Nora Fitzgerald on Friday Night at Meeting of Ladies of St. Peter's T.A.S.

MUSICAL PROGRAMME.

On Friday evening an interesting essay was read by Miss Nora Fitzgerald, at the regular meeting of the Ladies' Literary Society of St. Peter's T. A. S. She choose as her subject, "Canada, the Land of Promise," but confined her sketch to the very early history of Canada, when her promise of wealth and future greatness appealed to every civilized nation in Europe. The essayist dwelt at some length upon the conditions of the different French settlements some 250 years ago, when the malignity and treachery of the Indians made life in this country one of constant peril for the white man.

Considerable prominence was given to the spreading of Christianity during those early days, and the results to be seen at the present day of the efforts put forth by the different religious orders along these lines.

In 1640 Maisonneuve, one of the real creators of Canadian civilization, came to Canada with a few followers, and the address of Father Vimont to this little group of enthusiasts is a striking one.

"You are a grain of mustard seed," he said, "that shall arise and grow until its branches overshadow the earth. You are few, but your work is of God. His smile is upon you and your children shall fill the land." Our Canada of to-day is a living testimony of the truth of Father Vimont's words.

Miss Fitzgerald took up the explorations of Jean Nicolet, an interpreter at Three Rivers, who had spent much time with the Indian tribes in the west, and who had gone down the Wisconsin River in research of the "Great Water," of which the Indians had told him. The Jesuits were also gradually pushing their way westward into the wilderness, and in 1641 Joques and Raymbault preached the faith to a concourse of Indians at the outlet of Lake Superior. Then in 1666 came La Salle, who took up a grant of land near Montreal, improved the land, studied the Indian language, listened to their strange stories and those of the other explorers who had travelled westward, and his imagination took fire. He was sure he could find a western passage to China, and the Lachine of to-day is commemorative of a nation's dream, of a hero's disillusion and of the cheap diversion of his enemies. The essayist gave a minute description of the explorations of La Salle, and also of Joliet and Marquette, and her essay, as a whole, was a splendid review of the history of Canada in her infant days.

During the evening the following musical programme was presented:

Instrumental duet—Misses Doris.

Vocal solo—Miss M. Flood.

Recitation—Miss M. Sullivan.

Instrumental solo—Miss M. Grady.

God Save the King.

The next meeting will be held on the 29th inst., when a paper will be read by Miss Vivian Donohue.

GOWGANDA

The quickest and best route will continue to be via the Grand Trunk and T. & N. O. Railway to Charlton, thence 18 miles by stage to Elk Lake and 32 Miles Elk Lake to Gowganda. This route will enable stops to be made at Temagami, Cobalt, Haileybury, New Liskeard and Englehart. Cobalt special leaving Toronto 10.15 p. m., daily, makes direct connection with stages reaching Elk Lake next afternoon. Full information from W. Bunton, C. P. & T. A. 6d14

ANOTHER FALSE ALARM RUNG THIS MORNING

Somebody seeing a few sparks issuing from a chimney at the back of Crossman's caused by the night watchman burning some rubbish in the furnace, took it into his head to find out if the firemen could be got out of their beds at an early hour this morning. But it be thought that they would not be there, he was greatly disappointed, because they were there within two minutes after the alarm was sent in, but they could see no one who had opened the box.

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You can count on something extraordinary during the January Reduction Sale at the Peterborough Bookstore.

These are Bargain Days which come naturally with the clearing up of Odd Lots, etc. Unusually big snaps await you, as will be seen by this list:—

Note Papers

Fine quality Note Paper, linen cloth finish, correct society shape, regular 50c. Sale price..... 33c

Envelopes to match, packages of 25. Sale price.. 7c

Coaster Sleds

With spring runners. Sale prices—50c for..... 40c and 75c for.. 60c

Hand Bags

All newest shapes, perfect goods and all sizes to choose from. Regular $1.35, sale price $1.00

Regular $2.00, sale price..... $1.50

Regular $2.50, sale price..... 1.88

Books

For Sunday School and Day School Libraries—33⅓c to 50c off published price.

1,000 English Copyright Novels, with bright lithograph covers, in colours, regular 20c. Sale price..... 12½c

Paper Your Rooms in January

Either paper them now, or buy the papers now. Stock-taking is in sight and prices are cut away down for quick selling.

650 Rolls Brown Papers, in stripe and floral, or plain and other bedroom effects, regular up to 20c. Sale price..... 6c

520 Rolls Parlour and Dining Room Papers, in Reds, Greens, Blues, etc., regular up to 50c. Sale price 15c

2,000 feet Room Moulding, regular 3c. Sale price 2½c

Window Blinds and Cornice Poles

Clean-up of broken lots and lines at big loss in Window Blinds and Cornice Poles:—

75c Window Blinds for..... 50c

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40c Cornice Poles for..... 25c

60c Cornice Poles for..... 49c

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Arrow White Goods Sale

Take advantage of this golden opportunity to secure your White Goods for Spring and Summer sewing; also your Whitewear needs for the coming season will be procured during the sale at a saving that makes it worth your while to lay out the money now. Remember this—**Every article and every yard of goods offered during this Arrow Sale will be priced lower than you can buy them for later.**

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1909 Lawn Values

Victoria Lawn—Extra wide (40 inch), firm, round thread, evenweave; 15c quality, **12c**

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Some Big Values

"Fruit of the Loom" Bleached Cotton, soft finished, especially for machine work, 36 inches wide, 15c value for..... **12c**

"Perfection," "Royal Mail" and "R. B. M." full bleached cottons, 36 inch, heavy and medium weight, round thread. Special values during the sale, yard..... **9c**

Blouse Lengths

Enough fine Persian Lawn for any size of Blouse, beautifully embroidered in new American designs for fronts and cuffs, regular value $1.25. White Sale Price..... **59c**

Embroidered Blouse Fronts

All Linen Hand Embroidered Blouse Fronts, fine quality linen, patterned with exclusive designs in conventional scroll and floral, good value at $1.25. White Sale Price..... **49c**

Bath Towels

These are the famous "Gerry" Towels, in pure white, with fancy white borders, very deep pile, Jumbo size, 60c quality. White Sale Price, per pair..... **45c**

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Cloths—2½ x 2 to 3 x 2 yards, all Linen Satin Damask, handsome patterns, regular 3.75 values for **$2.69.** Napkins to match at corresponding reductions. Cloths—2 x 2½ yards, in conventional and floral designs, splendid quality at $2.75 White Sale value..... **$1.89**

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Chief Secretary For Canada Spoke At Special Services At The Salvation Army Barracks

Welcome Was Tendered the Visiting Salvationists by Mayor Rush and Hon. J. R. Stratton, M. P.

VERY IMPRESSIVE SERVICES.

The special services held in the Salvation Army barracks yesterday on the occasion of the visit to Peterborough of Col. Mapp, the Chief Secretary of the Army in Canada, accompanied by Mrs. Mapp were most interesting and there were large congregations present at all services during the day.

At the afternoon meeting Mayor Rush and Hon. J. R Stratton were present to extend a welcome to the visiting Salvationists.

The service was opened by devotional exercises and a well rendered selection by the excellent Army band.

Mayor Rush occupied the chair, and congratulated the Army on having a visit from the Chief Secretary in Canada. Col. Mapp, accompanied by Mrs Mapp and on behalf of City of Peterborough he cordially welcomed them and hoped their visit would result in benefot to important interests represented and to the citizens generally. When he accepted the position he occupied that day he had hoped that he would not be expected to make a speech because it was well known that he was not addicted to speech-making. He was pleased to see so large a gathering and congratulated the Army on its general prosperity.

Sergt. Major Braund being called upon said that he was more of a business man than a speech-maker, but when a demand was made upon him he felt that he should say something. The Army welcomed the Chief Secretaries very cordially; the officers in Peterborough were proud of their chief officers, who were working to their utmost to promote the glory of God. The speaker took an interest in the Army movement because it reached the homes that others did not and reached a class of citizens who would otherwise be neglected. He had seen the good results of the work of the Army here and hoped that its labours would continue to be honoured and blessed of the Great Captain of the Army of mankind.

Hon J. R. Stratton, being called upon said he was glad as a citizen of Peterborough to have the privilege and honour of being present to join in the welcome that was being extended to the Chief Secretary of the Army, Col. Mapp and his helpmate Mrs Mapp. The British Army had great generals and its strength and influence had been demonstrated throughout the world, and the Salvation Army had a great general whose army reached now to all parts of the earth. One looked after the material and national interests of the empire and one had its usefulness in watching over the spiritual and moral and social interests of mankind. He could speak with some authority on the value of the latter because he knew from observation of the good work it was doing in Peterborough. The growth of its forces had been marked, and the homes that had been benefitted and the lives regenerated and transformed had been many. There was plenty of work both for the churches and Army. There was no conflict between them. He was glad to see the Army enlisting some of our best minds and highest talents in its work. Some of the churches were following the example of the Salvation Army by establishing the Church Army, and they would all find abundance of work to do. The prison work, the rescue work and the charitable work were referred to in terms of commendation. After again extending a cordial welcome to Col. and Mrs. Mapp, the speaker said he was proud as a citizen to be able to recognize and bear testimony to the noble work being done by the Army.

The band gave another selection, and then the chairman called upon Mrs. Mapp to address the gathering.

She told of the time she had first joined the Army and of the many sufferings and hardships encountered in the work among the people who live in the slums of London, England, and throughout the Empire of India where she had been an officer of the Army for the last few years.

Mrs. Mapp stated that many a time she had had to go into what was called the thieves kitchens and told how these places were guarded by five policemen and how when they had been afraid to enter, she had been enabled to go through them unmolested. She has travelled through out England with plague and sickness to battle with and helpless old people to attend to. She related the hardships to be endured in India fulfilling Salvation Army woman's duty, visiting the sick and, while in India and London she was glad that she was able to help those in need of help or relief.

Col. Mapp was called upon next and he said that he was impressed by the kindly feelings extended to Mrs. Mapp and himself, and that he had been well received wherever he had visited in Canada. He said the first or among the first to introduce the Army into India were a party of Canadians. He also gave a few short sketches of his life in India and said that the officers of the Army in that country all wear the native garb, turban with the hair shaved off all but a tuft at the top and all went with bare feet. When he had finished speaking the band gave another selection and then a hearty vote of thanks was extended to Mayor Rush and Hon. Mr. Stratton for their kindness in being present.

Canal Contemplated From The St. Lawrence To New York

Ottawa, Jan. 18 — It is thought the improvements which an influential New York deputation has just asked the Dominion Government to make, to cooperate in building a deep waterway from the St. Lawrence at Sorel to New York City via the Chambly Canal, the Richelieu River, Lake Champlain, and the Hudson, could be made for between 1 1-2 and 2 million dollars. It is also said that members of the deputation before leaving here were assured that Sir Wilfred Laurier's cabinet would at least have estimates made, and that some have already been made.

Commander A. B. Fry, chief engineer of the United States Treasury Service, and also a member of the Board of Advisory Engineers for New York State, left for Montreal and New York Saturday afternoon.

He followed up the conference with Sir Wilfrid Laurier by a conference Saturday morning with the Hon. Mr. Pugsley, Minister of Public Works, Mr. Pugsley's Assistant, and several of the government engineers. The whole matter was gone into very thoroughly and facts and figures given.

Commander Fry, speaking to the Examiner, said the account of what was sought, as published a week ago, was correct. The scheme was part of one in which, under the New York State's Barge Canal Act, $101,000,000 was to be spent in extensive improvements to three waterways — the Erie, the Oswego, and the Champlain Canal.

The movement Canadians are asked to co-operate in is regarding the Champlain one. There are ten locks to be built in the American section of the proposed system, at a total length of 183 feet. Considerable dredging at the Hudson River would have to be done.

Many arguments were advanced in the statements submitted to Sir Wilfrid. Some of them were that the work suggested was along the same lines as, and likely to lead to the same substantial benefits to Canadians as the Manchester Ship Canal was to points in England; that the great Canadian commercial port, Montreal, is only 384 miles North of the district where the American improvement will soon be under way; that Canada does five times the trade with the United States that it does with Britain; that the rates would probably be much less than by rail; that Northern ores, Northern iron, cement, timber and manufactures could be brought from Perth or even Amboy to Rouse's Point without breaking bulk. It has also been shown that even the old Champlain canal as it is, is the medium for much traffic — 15,000 tons within the last two years. It is thought with the improvements contemplated ten times this much could be passed through.

Commander Fry, when asked, said: I cannot, of course, say anything as to the estimated cost of the share the Canadian Government is asked to assume. That would be out of place for me, and is a matter for the engineers of Sir Wilfrid's Government to discuss. I may say, however, that I have seen the Premier, Mr. Pugsley, and others, and that I have been given to understand the whole matter will be gone into very thoroughly."

Band and returns of the match between Belleville and Peterborough at Brock Street Rink to-night.

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WINTER RACES WILL BE HELD AT HASTINGS

It is understood that a few of the local horse breeders will go to Hastings for the winter races that will be held there on Thursday and Friday, Jan. 21st and 22nd. They will also take a few horses along with them to compete for the prizes which are very good ones. These races are the first to be held this winter, and there should be a very large gathering from the surrounding country.

Y. M. C. A. BOYS ARE TO GIVE AN EXHIBITION OF THEIR WORK

Parents who have boys who are members of the Y. M. C. A. are no doubt wondering what their boys are doing at the "Y."

On Thursday, the 21st inst. the boys will give an exhibition of their work.

There will be drills, marches, games races, blindman's pillow fight, and sack basketball. This exhibition will be an education to parents and friends who do not know what is going on at the Y.M.C.A.

The races will make plenty of excitement and the blindman's pillow fight will be very amusing. The ladies' walking race will be the hit of the season.

The proceeds of this entertainment will go towards getting a number of new magazines for the boys library. Tickets can be had from any of the boys or at the Y. M. C. A. office.

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The amount of money there is thrown away on imperfect and unsuitable glasses — which fail to give satisfaction to their wearers. : : : :

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WALTER MILLER IS NOT AS BADLY INJURED AS WAS AT FIRST STATED

Mrs. F. W. Miller received a letter this afternoon from her husband who went to Brantford on the receipt of the news of his son Walter's injury in the wreck near Guelph. The reports that were first received were somewhat exaggerated, and Walter is not nearly as seriously hurt as was reported. His hand is cut and required eight stitches, and one hip is hurt. He will not lose any of his fingers and will be around in about a week. After that he is expected home at any time. Mr. Miller, his father, will arrive home on Wednesday. It is pleasure to learn that Walter has not met with the injury which was stated would affect him for life.

Billy Naugon Walked Into The City And Thereby Merits 15 Days

William Naugon, of Hiawatha, on the Lake, meandered into the city same old happy-go-lucky Billy old. The last time he was here he was told by Magistrate Dumble that if he ever came back to the city again he would be sent up to the hill. The fact is that Billy was found drunk at that time, and he took the option of not returning to the city of his distress rather than go to jail. Today the spirit called too strongly and Billy held a reception to all his old friends. He went into a barber shop and proved too popular, so much so that P. C. Newhall had to remove him to the police station. He had a comfortable looking bottle in his pocket, which he was deprived of. Billy was soon in dreamland in the warm cell. He was wearing a pair of moccasins that should be patented. Billy will not wear them on the road to Hiawatha, for at least fifteen days, if the law pursues its course.

BOX FELL ON HIS ARM BREAKING IT

What might have been a very serious accident happened to Mr. Wm. McMullen this morning, at the Quaker Oats Company. Mr. McMullen was engaged in loading cars with crates from the factory, and in some manner one of them fell on him, breaking his arm below the elbow. He was conveyed in a hack to Dr. Young's residence on Stewart street, where the arm was set, after which he was taken to his home on Pearl avenue.

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"A NICHT WI' BOBBY BURNS" ON MONDAY

Banquet at Snowden House on January 25th by Local Camp of S. O. S.

The local camp of the Sons of Scotland will hold a banquet in the Snowden House on Monday evening, January 25th, at 8.30 p. m., to celebrate the 134th annual anniversary of the birth of the National Bard, Robert Burns. An excellent toast list and a suitable selection of Burns' songs and sayings is being arranged.

This is the first "Burns' Night" held under the auspices of the Clan Alpine Camp, S. O. S., since the camp was organized in the city, and the members are anxious it should meet the support and success that it deserve, and they cordially invite all lovers of Burns' work to avail themselves of the opportunity to commemorate the birth of the national poet, whose name and works will last as long as the world endures.

Tickets may be had from the following: T. S. McKay, Chief; S. Stewart, Chieftain; F. K. Linton, Corresponding Secretary; or A. Chalmers, Recording Secretary.

Hockey Practice

The following T.A.S. juniors are requested to turn out for practice from 10 to 11 at Brock street rink to-morrow night:—Goal, Callahan; point, Hefternan; cover, Kenneally; rover, Evans; centre, Molloy; right wing, Corkery; left wing, Gorman.

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING
Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Toronto Savings and Loan Company, for the election of Directors, reception of Annual Report, and other purposes, will take place at the Company's Offices, 437 George street, Peterborough, on
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MINISTER IS SOUGHT.

Detectives In Full Pursuit of Former Sarnia Pastor.

Windsor, Jan. 18.—Detectives from Canada, the United States and Scotland Yard are diligently searching for Rev. Evan T. Evans, up to a short time ago attached to St. John's Episcopal Church, Sarnia.

Rev. Mr. Evans came to Sarnia, presumably from a city in eastern Canada some eighteen months ago. Posing as a bachelor, he at once became extremely popular with the ladies of his congregation. To one of them, Miss Nellie St. Clair Davis, his attentions were most marked.

On Sept. 26th last Miss Davis quietly left home and Evans did likewise 24 hours later. The two met in a town in Niagara County, N.Y., and were married, afterwards proceeding to Cleveland, where the clergyman succeeded in inducing his bride to turn over to him a large sum in cash which she had. Then he sent the girl back to her home in Sarnia, after exacting a promise that she keep the wedding a secret until he could secure another parish.

This was the last anyone in Sarnia saw or heard of the clergyman. No word came from him, and under the stress of her secret and failure to receive the promised letters young Mrs. Evans sickened and died. This was only a few weeks ago.

With the lowering into the grave of the body the people of Sarnia generally hoped that the scandal would be hushed for all time, but it is again revived by the statement now made that the 16-year-old daughter of one of Evans' former parishioners charges her downfall to the missing clergyman. The latest developments have decided the church authorities to take action in the case, and the matter has been turned over to the police with a full description of Evans. The authorities of Niagara County, New York, where Evans' bigamous marriage occurred, are also to be urged to act.

Evans has a wife and four children in Landpeter, Wales, but this fact only became known after search of his effects, left behind at Sarnia, had disclosed letters from across the sea.

ARGENTINA IS IN ERROR.

Paper Publishes Libel on Canada's Climate—Montreal Indignant.

Montreal, Jan. 18.—The commercial community here think the Government should take steps to prevent in future the publication of the erroneous statements going the rounds of the Spanish newspapers, notably in the Argentine Republic. In a recent editorial one of these read:

"The observations relating to Canada, published by Dr. O'Farrell, are absolutely correct. Canada is a great agricultural country, but is completely dead during the six winter months. He was in Montreal last year at the beginning of September, and the River St. Lawrence was frozen over, while navigation was at a standstill. He left Montreal the following April and the St. Lawrence was still frozen."

The paper adds: "What a difference in our country, as here we do not know what snow is, and where the flocks and herds can remain out doors all the year round."

Bound and Gagged.

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 18.—Three masked men entered the house of Mrs. John Morgan in Woodbright Saturday night, bound and gagged Mrs. Morgan and her daughter Florence, and while two of them kept watch over the women, the third man searched the house for money. He found none and all attempts to make Mrs. Morgan disclose the hiding place of her money were unavailing. She finally gave them a small sum of money and they left. Later a Woodbridge constable attempted to arrest three men on suspicion near his home, and with the aid of his father-in-law, captured one, after a desperate struggle.

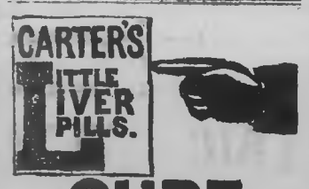
Cocaine Fiend Sentenced.

London, Jan. 18.—Pat Hogan, the man who claimed to be a lumberman from Vancouver, and who last week was found guilty of stealing an overcoat valued at $75 from John Terry, a Boston traveler, while he was in the dining-car of the International Limited on the G.T.R., was sentenced to three years in Kingston Penitentiary by Magistrate Love Saturday.

Hogan, who is a cocaine fiend, wrote a letter to the magistrate asking that he be examined by the doctors, adding, "I know I will get lockjaw or locomotor ataxia or paralysis or all three."

Barge Is Burned.

Goderich, Jan. 18.—The steam barge Tecumseh was burned early Saturday with $15,000 loss. Three inmates narrowly escaped.



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Ache they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint; but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head.
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MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool and Chicago Wheat Futures Close Higher—Live Stock—Latest Quotations.

Saturday Evening, Jan. 16.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day 1-8d higher than yesterday, and corn remained unchanged.

At Chicago May wheat closed 1 1-8c higher than yesterday. May corn closed 3-8c higher and May oats closed unchanged.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—January 98½c bid, July $1.02⅝ bid. May $1.01¼ bid.
Oats—January 37⅝c bid. May 41½c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	$0 95	to $....
Wheat, red, bush	0 95	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 90	....
Rye, bush	0 90	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 55	....
Peas, bushel	0 83	....
Barley, bushel	0 58	0 59
Oats, bushel	0 44	....

Toron... Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 26
Butter, store lots	0 23	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 28	0 29
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 30	0 35
Eggs, cold storage	0 26	0 27
Cheese, large, lb	0 13½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11
Honey, combs, dozen	2 25	2 75

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 16.—Closing—Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 9½d. Futures quiet; March 7s 6⅞d, May 7s 5⅝d, July 7s 6¼d.

Corn—Spot steady; new American mixed, via Galveston, 5s 4½d. Futures quiet; March 5s 2⅝d, May 5s 2⅛d.

Butter—Good U. S. steady, 83s.

Cheese—Canadian finest white firm, 60s 6d; do., colored, firm, 62s 6d.

Peas—Canadian steady, 7s 7d.

Flour—Winter patents steady, 29s 9d.

Hops—At London (Pacific coast), £3 5s to £3, firm.

Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, spot, easy, 25s 7½d.

Beef—Extra India mess steady, 115s 9d.

Pork—Prime mess, western, quiet, 78s 9d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., strong, 47s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs., firm, 42s 6d; short rib, 16 to 24 lbs., firm, 45s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs., dull, 45s; do., heavy, 35 to 40 lbs., quiet, 43s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs., dull, 43s; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs., easy, 50s; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs., steady, 33s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, firm, 43s 9d; American refined, in pails, firm, 44s 6d.

Tallow—Prime city dull, 28s; Australian in London dull, 31s 3d.

Turpentine—Spirits firm, 30s 6d.

Linseed oil—Dull, 22s 9d.

Petroleum—Steady, 7⅛d.

Rosin—Common firm, 8s 6d.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16—Butter—Fancy grades steady; others easy, creamery extras, 32c to 32 1-2c; receipts, 3432.

Cheese—Firm; receipts, 1005; state full cream fall made fancy, 14 1-4c; winter made best, 13 1-4c; good to prime, 12c to 13c.

Eggs—Firm, unchanged.

CATTLE MARKETS.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, N.Y., Jan. 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 75 head; steady; prime steers, $6.50 to $6.75.

Veals—Receipts, 50 head; active and steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 4300 head; fairly active; 10c to 15c higher; heavy, $6.40 to $6.50; mixed, $6.35 to $6.50; Yorkers, $6.30 to $6.35; pigs, $5.65 to $5.75; roughs, $5.40 to $5.65; dairies, $5.30 to $6.20.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 6000 head; sheep active and steady; lambs slow, 20c higher; lambs, $5.00 to $7.70.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—Beeves—Receipts, 389 head; nothing doing; feeling easy. Dressed beef quiet and unchanged. Exports to-day, 6370 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 317; nothing doing; all the offerings Indiana calves. Dressed calves unchanged. City dressed calves unchanged. City dressed veals, $9 to $16; country dressed, $3 to $14; dressed barn yard and fed calves, $7 to $8.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 3689; sheep almost nominal, but steady; lambs slow and 10c to 15c lower; sheep, $3 to $5; yearlings, $6.50; prime and choice lambs, $7.30 to $7.90; a few cars of lambs unsold.

Hogs—Receipts, 7103. Feeling steady to firm.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Jan. 16.—Cattle—Receipts, 200; steady; beeves, $4 to $7.25; Texans, $4.15 to $5.25; westerners, $4 to $5.60; stockers and feeders, $3.25 to $5; cows and heifers, $1.75 to $5.50; calves, $7.50 to $9.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 12,000; strong; light, $5.40 to $6.05; mixed, $5.65 to $6.30; heavy, $5.70 to $6.35; rough, $5.70 to $5.85; good to choice, heavy, $5.85 to $6.35; pigs, $4.35 to $5.30; bulk of sales, $5.85 to $6.20.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1500; steady; native, $3.25 to $5.75; western, $3.25 to $5.75; yearlings, $6.15 to $7.15; lambs, native, $5.25 to $8; western, $5.25 to $8.

British Cattle Markets.

LONDON, Jan. 16.—London cables for cattle are steady, at 13c to 14 1-2c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9 3-8c to 9 3-4c per lb.

Smuggling Chinamen Into Australia.

Victoria, B.C. Jan. 18.—According to advices brought by the Aorangi, the discovery of 20 Chinese stowaways on the steamer Eastern at Sydney from Shanghai, revealed a systematic smuggling of Chinese into Australia by Chinese crews.

The Chinese had cut a secret entrance to the hold and the cargo was loaded to make a space in which the Chinese were hidden with a tunnel left for confederates to take food to them. $400 was paid for each man.

Lace Warehouse Burned.

Philadelphia, Jan. 18.—Fire yesterday afternoon completely destroyed the upholstery and lace curtain warehouse and factory of Oehrle Bros. & Co., on North Third street, causing a loss of $125,000.

Turgeon Speaker.

Quebec, Jan. 18.—Hon. A. Turgeon's appointment as president or Speaker of the Provincial Legislature has been announced on the Lieutenant-Governor's return from Montreal.

Died From Exposure.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Jan. 18.—Geo. Crandall, who was found by the police last Friday morning lying on the sidewalk on Welland avenue, died on Saturday morning at the General Hospital as a result of his terrible exposure to the frost. When found the man was suffering from severe frost bites to his extremities, and was unconscious, having laid there from Thursday night. He had been overcome with sickness.

Jordan Resident Dead.

Jordan, Jan. 18.—The death occurred here Friday night of D. C. Goold, a life-long resident of Jordan Station. Mr. Geold was stopping with a neighbor waiting for the arrival of a mail train, when he dropped back into a chair dead.

Deceased was a fruit grower and buyer for Montreal and other markets. A widow and one daughter are left to mourn his loss.

Brawl Causes Fire.

Kenora, Jan. 18.—Through a drunken brawl in which an oil lamp was upset in Clifton's boarding-house at Vermillion Bay Saturday morning, a serious fire occurred which was confined to the Clifton house and the stores of Scheimann and Guttaine, clothiers, which was burned to the ground.

Taylor Re-elected.

Vancouver, B.C., Jan. 18.—Hon. Thomas Taylor, the new Minister of Works, was returned Saturday in the Revelstoke bye-election by a large majority over H. N. Coursier, Socialist.

Caught at Border.

Montreal, Jan. 18.—Ten Chinamen were arrested yesterday as they were being smuggled over the American frontier. The Celestials were brought back to the city.

Increase In Cholera.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 18.—There has been a marked increase in cholera in this city. Fifty cases have been reported in the last 24 hours, and 21 deaths.

56,487 Accidents In 1908.

New York, Jan. 18.—A total of 56,431 accidents occurred in the steam and street railroads of New York City during 1908, according to the public service commission report made public Saturday.

In these accidents 444 persons were killed, 2,591 seriously injured, and 34,300 were hurt.

The vast majority of the accidents were on the surface lines and the smallest number on steam railroads.

Louisiana Professor Suicides.

Baton Rouge, La., Jan. 18.—Prof. B. H. Gilbau of the Louisiana State University committed suicide Saturday afternoon by shooting.

He was one of the directors of the Gulf Biological station and well known in scientific circles.

No cause can be assigned for the act.

Fifty Lives Lost In Hurricane.

Victoria, B.C., Jan. 18.—Fifty lives were lost and a number of pearling luggers lost off western Australia in a hurricane, according to advices received by the steamer Arongia.

Five schooners and 54 luggers of the pearling fleet were lost.

Queen Helena Decorated.

Vienna, Jan. 18.—Emperor Francis Joseph has conferred the grand cross of the order of Elizabeth upon Queen Helena of Italy in recognition of her "self-sacrificing and heroic labors" in connection with the earthquake in Calabria and Sicily.

Bank Manager Dead.

Ottawa, Jan. 18.—Jan Napoleon Derval, manager of a branch of the Union Bank of Canada, died here yesterday.

Mrs. Russell Sage Hurt.

New York, Jan. 18.—Mrs. Russell Sage, it has become known, slipped last Thursday in the hallway of her home and falling upon the marble floor, sustained a fracture of the left wrist.

Mrs. Sage was 80 years old last September.

The Press Confab.

London, Jan. 18.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—Hon. W. S. Fielding expresses warm interest in the imperial press conference and hopes the newspapers here will give it warm support. The journalists chosen to represent Canada are thoroughly representative of the Canadian press, he says.

Another Victim.

Poughkeepsie, N.Y., Jan. 18.—Townsend Cole, a prominent farmer and former supervisor, was struck and instantly killed here on Saturday night by an engine while crossing the New Haven Railway tracks.

Socialists Cause Riot.

Dresden, Jan. 18.—A Socialist demonstration yesterday for electorial reform led to a riot in which 20 were seriously and at least 100 slightly injured.

Ice Harvest at Kingston.

Kingston, Jan. 18.—The ice harvest is being gathered here. Twenty thousand tons are to be secured for the New York Central Railway.

No Dispute Whatever.

A man and his wife were airing their troubles on a sidewalk one Saturday evening, when a good Samaritan intervened, according to Everybody's Magazine.

"See here, my man," he protested, "this sort of thing won't do."

"What business is it of yours, I'd like to know?" snarled the man, turning from his wife.

"It's only my business in so far as I can be of help in settling this dispute," answered the Samaritan ruddily.

"This ain't no dispute," growled the man.

"No dispute? But my dear friend"—

"I tell you it ain't no dispute," insisted the man. "She"—jerking his thumb toward the woman—"thinks she ain't goin' to get my week's wages, and I know darn well she ain't. Where's the dispute in that?"

THE ARAB'S HORSE.

How He Is Treated and Why He Excels at Long Journeys.

It is most interesting to note the way the Arab treats his faithful friend, the horse. So inured indeed is the Arab pony by long usage and descent to the manner of life in the desert that even my own pony positively improved on the treatment, and I never saw him so fit as when he came back from the trip.

If the Arab and his horse are by legend closely allied they are in point of fact even more intimately connected. His mount is his first thought and at all times by far the most interesting topic of conversation.

He is ungroomed, unclipped, unhaltered, for the Arab prefers to shackle him by means of two ropes, a short cord connecting the fore and hind fetlocks and a long line tethering him above the hind fetlock to a peg in the ground. Thus he can move about or roll at leisure and should there be any rough herbage at hand can forage for it.

Perhaps one of the principal reasons why the Arab so excels at long journeys is that he never worries himself, nor does he ever distress his mount unless there is real cause to do so. He simply continues a steady walk all day and hardly ever gallops in the wild way in which one so often sees him depicted by artists.—London Field.

Bill's Specialty.

They found the old man sitting on the fence smoking his corncob.

"Howdy, pap! What's your son Jim doing these days?"

"Jim? Oh, he's running a telegraph key at the depot. Jim's an operator."

"And how's Zeke?"

"Zeke? Waal, Zeke is captain of a lake steamer. He's a navigator."

"And Pete? Is he still living?"

"Oh, yes. Pete's working on an airship. He's what they call an aviator."

"Well, what has become of Bill. Is he doing anything?"

The old man blew a quid of tobacco at a wide eyed grasshopper.

"Yep, stranger, Bill's hanging around the house all day grumbling and complaining and saying the country's going to smash. Bill's just an aggravator—just a plain aggravator."—Judge.

The Tall Chimney.

It might puzzle the ordinary mortal to state in legal form just how much time and how much money he would require to take down a tall brick chimney. The contracting engineer would make it take itself down. After doing a small sum of arithmetic on his cuff he would direct certain portions of the base removed. In the spaces thus left he would fit a lot of very stout timbers, then remove the bricks which remained between them. Then he would set fire to the timbers and, watching from a safe distance with a camera, would take a snapshot of it as it fell.—Scribner's.

Distilled Water.

Distilled water after having been exposed to the air is one of the most salubrious of drinks. Its daily use in measured quantities is helpful in cases of dyspepsia and greatly assists the general functions of the body. Every large steamer carries a water distilling apparatus by which sea water is made fresh. In the days before steamers primitive distilling apparatus was used on warships and vessels carrying passengers.

A Postal Deficit.

"Pa, what is meant by the postal deficit?"

"The things your mother always forgets to put on a postal card."—Detroit Free Press.

Sleepless.

Blobbs—Why don't you consult a doctor about your insomnia? Slobbs—What! And run up more bills? Why, it's because of what I owe him now that I can't sleep.

Wanted Full Credit.

"Now, my little man, you are accused of striking another boy and knocking out one of his teeth."

"'Scuse me, judge, two of his teeth."—Life.

When He Enjoys Home.

"Does your husband enjoy his home?"

"Yes—whenever I want him to take me to the theater."—Cleveland Leader.

KIDNEY DISEASE COMES ON QUIETLY.
Perhaps no other organs work harder than the kidneys to keep the general health of the body and few people are troubled with some kidney Complaint, but do not suspect that may have been in the system for some time. There may have been backaches, swelling of the feet and ankles, disturbances of the urinary organs, such as brick dust deposit in the urine, highly colored scanty or cloudy urine, bladder pains, frequent or supressed urination, burning sensation when urinating, etc.
Do not neglect any of these symptoms, for, if neglected they will eventually lead to Bright's Disease, Dropsy and Diabetes.
On the first sign of anything wrong Doan's Kidney Pills should be taken. They go to the seat of trouble, strengthen the kidneys and help them to filter the blood properly and flush off all the impurities which cause kidney trouble.
Miss Albertha B. Clarke, Stony Creek, Ont., writes: "I was troubled with kidney trouble for several years; my back was weak, I had such terrible headaches, and was so restless I could not sleep at night and tried everything without any benefit. Meantime a friend advised me to try Doan's Kidney Pills, so I got four boxes and they completely cured me. I now feel as well as I ever did and would advise everyone suffering from Kidney Disease to try them."
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When ordering specify "Doan's."

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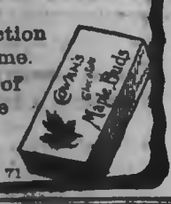

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Messrs. Duvis-Thompson Co'y, Limited, Peterborough, Ontario:
Dear Sirs,—I beg to acknowledge receipt to-day of cheque from The London Mutual Fire Insurance Company in full settlement of my claim for loss by fire, which occurred just three weeks ago.
I wish to thank you and your Company for the liberal and satisfactory manner in which my loss has been adjusted and paid, and would heartily recommend the London Mutual to the insuring public
Yours truly,
[Sgd.] THOMAS YOUNG.

Having secured the agency from the STANDARD CHEMICAL CO., for the selling of
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for the City of Peterboro, I have placed Charcoal on sale at the following grocers:

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J. J. Hill	Jas. R. Bell	W. J. Routley
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The Examiner's Sporting Page

RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

C. G. E. TEAM BEAT THE CHURCH LEAGUERS

Won From Knox Church by 3-0 in a Fast Game on Saturday Night.

In an interesting exhibition game of hockey on Saturday night on Knox rink the C G E Mercantile League team downed Knox Church League outfit by 3 to 0. The Presbyterians were minus the services of three of their regulars and juniors were substituted but despite this handicap, they put up a good game and deserved a score. The Electric seven are in good shape for their league game to-night when they clash with the speedy Grand Trunk septette.

The following is the line up—

C G E 3		Knox 0
Reilley	Goal	Crowe
Reed	Point	Neary
Hughes	Cover Point	Sullivan
Layfield	Rover	Barclay
Elliott	Centre	R Hillier
Clancy	R. Wing	G Hillier
Patterson	L Wing	Thompson

Referee—W. Flowers.

PLAY IN LINDSAY THURSDAY NIGHT

Date of This Week's Big Game Has Been Changed.

Peterborough will play in Lindsay on Thursday of this week instead of on Friday as scheduled. The Lindsay club telephoned the secretary of the local club this morning to the effect that there are several big events in Lindsay on Friday and they would prefer the Petes to visit Bowmanville on Thursday night. The change was agreeable to the Peterborough Club and Lindsay were informed accordingly. Arrangements have been made to run an excursion to Lindsay on Thursday night.

ARMATURE TEAM WON EASY VICTORY

Defeated the Meters on Saturday Afternoon by 11 Goals to 2.

One of the best games of hockey played this season was witnessed on Saturday by a large gathering of poor losers to be sure The scoring was not much only 11-2; at half time it stood 3-0 in favour of the arm. dept. of course. We had to let the boys have a 'look in,' as Campbell like the big kind hearted fellow he is moved out of the nets in order to allow a couple in, while he was out.

The game commenced at 1.20 and Referee Beckett had his hands full, trying to keep the boys from wooding up too much. He gave perfect satisfaction to both sides, the only thing it took him all his spare time putting downt he scotre. Very few accidents occurred during the play everything went off very nicely, except Mowry had a mix up with the fence on the commencement, but one bump did for him on the fence; he found out the fence was too much for him as he gave up trying. Rob Picard and Cassidy proved to be the stars for the meter and LaCombe, Flowers, Archibald, Mowry and Campbell were the stars for the arm. Capt. Campbell proved to be an artist on skates and stopped many a dangerous looking shot, and he was always Johnny on the spot.

The teams were as follows—

Arm dept	vs.	Meter dept.
	Goal	
J H Campbell, capt.		Halpin
	Cover Point	
W. O'Neil		Coney
	Point	
J. Archibald		Picard
	Rover	
F. LaCombe		Wood
	Centre	
F. Mowry		Cassidy
	R. Wing	
A. Fowers		Slights
	L Wing	
F. Hayes		Roe

WILL RUN EXCURSION TO LINDSAY THURSDAY

Hockey Club Will Give Fans a Chance to See Battle in Scugogville.

The Peterborough Intermediate O. H. A. team will play in Lindsay on Thursday and it is altogether likely that the club will run an excursion to Scugogville for the occasion, leaving by special train about seven o'clock. There is much interest in Peterborough over the approaching struggle and a big crowd of fans will want to see the battle in Lindsay. The rivalry between the two teams will stir the interest in the game up to fever heat and local fans feel that they have a team that will give Lindsay the hardest argument they have had in years on their own ice. A big crowd will accompany the team in the event of an excursion.

ARE PLAYING IN BELLEVILLE TO-NIGHT

Peterborough Team Left for Dead City on the 1.40 Train This Afternoon.

The Peterborough intermediate O. H. A. team left at 2 o'clock this afternoon for Belleville where they will clash with the Bay of Quinte bunch to night. The boys are in good shape and feel that barring accidents they should win, although they realize that Belleville might prove a different team on their own ice. However, Lindsay did the trick and the Petes cannot see any reason why they should not be able to accomplish the stunt themselves. The locals will line up as follows—

Goal—Derocher.
Point—Glover.
Cover point—Moore.
Rover—Ray.
Centre—Parnell.
Right wing—Rose.
Left wing—Dusty.

This is the same team that defeated Belleville here 5-0 on Friday night and they should repeat it to-night.

EXPECT A FENCING TEAM FROM HERE

Big Competition to Take Place in Toronto in February.

Toronto, Jan. 18—The city Y.M.C.A. Fencing Championship for the H. H. Love Silver Trophy will be competed for on Friday, February 26th. The Central team won the trophy two years in succession, and if won this year will be their permanent property. Central have four teams of three in the field, and Brantford, Hamilton, Midland Peterborough, and West End, Toronto, are expected to send teams.

PACIFICS WON TWO GAMES FROM B.A.C.

McIlroy Had a 208 Game—Some Good Rolling Was Done.

In a league game at the Peterborough Bowling Club's alleys on Friday evening the Pacifics improved their standing in the league race by taking two out of three games from the B A C. There was some excellent rolling done, especially by the Pacifics in their last game, when they put on a score of 550, McIlroy being top man with 205, which was high score for the night MacRae was top scorer for the B A C.

Following were the scores—

Pacifics

Connors	156	176	187
Lillie	118	131	153
McIlroy	163	156	208
	437	463	550 1450

B. A. C.

MacRae	144	172	144
Campbell	102	157	136
Bruce	115	147	129
	361	476	403 1220

THE CURLERS HAVE ARRIVED AT LIVERPOOL

Were Heartily Welcomed by Liverpool Curlers—On to Edinburgh.

London, Jan. 18.—C. A. P. — The heartiest welcome was accorded the Canadian curlers at Liverpool on Saturday. Ex-Provost Gordon, Rev. John Kerr, chaplain, and Mr. Davidson Smith, secretary, were deputies from the Royal Caledonian Club. Several of the Liverpool curlers went aboard the steamer, preceded by a piper. There compliments were exchanged, in the course of which Lieutenant-Governor Fraser declared that the curlers constituted a link between the Great Dominion and the Mother Country, which would never be broken. Then, to the tune of "The Campbells Are Coming," the Canadians, decked with heather and led by ex-Provost Gordon, who carried on high a curler's broom decorated with tartan and the Canadian colours, disembarked, and proceeded to the special train for Edinburgh.

CARNIVALS OF OLD.

People have not grown too old yet to recall to their memory the grandeur of the Carnival Celebrations in Montreal. The streets were alive with people who laughed and chattered in the frosty night but bracing air, until you'd have thought the whole town had gone mad, or that all the grown people had become children again. The great walls of the Ice Palace on Dominion Square loomed up in the darkness like walls of granite on a moonlight night, but all was quiet within. Twice around the silent castle marched the army of the Fire King, pausing at each gate and demanding in loud tones the surrender of King Borealis.

A refusal to surrender was in order and as soon as the word was out there arose from the ranks of the attacking multitude volleys of rocke s and fiery explosives that you would have thought at least a thousand men were killed, and the light of which turned the snow covered square into a field of silver, and made the beautiful Ice Palace stand out like a ghostly thing against the dark background of the winter sky. The next instant came the answering volley from the Ice King forces. From every window and port-hole streamed out the hissing rockets and popping balls of light from furiously shaken Roman candles, and up over the walls of the Palace went huge canisters which, exploding in the air, sent showers of blue and purple drops of fire falling upon the heedless heads of the combatants.

What will such an attack be these days with all the new elements that have been introduced into the art of fireworks, and with that radium magic like light, electricity, remains to be seen.

The Montreal Carnival of Winter Sports, with the grandest of all Ice Palaces, will last from February 10th to 20th, 1909. It will be a lifetime's opportunity to appreciate the charming elements of a true winter scene in a country where the Spring is delightful and where the prettiest roses are grown in summer.

Skate Grinding, Banks under the Market Clock, 2d-14

HOCKEY

The Winnipeg Telegram speaking of the game between Edmonton and the Winnipeg Maple Leafs, says of Fred Whitcroft:—

Whitcroft, on top of having to manage the team, played up to the top of his form. He had not been seen in hockey here since he was with the Kenora team, and his reputation had suffered some. He made a new name for himself, proving that he can not only gather stars, but shine as well. He had a few hard bumps from his friend Hall in the legitimate way, and has a few marks from them, but he showed no sign of feeling them. His handling of the team on the ice and his own individual work as a member of the team places him in the front rank of hockey players anywhere. Personally under trying circumstances, he conducted himself in the most gentlemanly manner, and by his play and demeanor made a host of friends in Winnipeg. If the Edmonton team does not take the cup it will be a very big surprise to all who saw last night's game.

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The Belleville Intelligencer has the following to say of Friday night's hockey match;

Belleville's intermediate hockey team were last night at Peterborough defeated by a score of 5 to 0. From reports received the game was exceptionally rough, and in the respect our boys suffered the most. Spangenberg, left wing player, had the misfortune to have his nose broken and the other members of the team to-day bear marks of the affray. An indication of the roughness of the game can be gathered from the fact that during the match no less than twenty-four penalties were inflicted. Our boys feel confident that they will reverse the score here on Monday night, when they meet the second team Dr. Gillfillen, of Newmarket, was the referee, and he was apparently favouring the home team, when it was at all possible. In the first half the score was 3 to 0 in favour of Peterborough. In the second half they scored 2 more goals.

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All Saints defeated Murray street in a Junior Church League game Friday by 6-5, after a most exciting struggle. The winners were away out in front at half time, leading by 5-0, but Murray street came with a rush in the last half and came within an ace of winning out. The teams were as follows:—

Murray street		All Saints
	Goal.	
Scott		Moore
	Point.	
Irvin		Price
	Cover.	
Miller		Allen
	Rover.	
Evans		Layfield
	Centre.	
McConnell		Smeaton
	Left wing.	
Matthews		Lebar
	Right wing.	
Doughty		Armstrong

Harry Morgan refereed to the satisfaction of both teams.

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To the Sporting Editor of the Examiner.

Dear Sir:—The question everybody was asking each other last night was Why don't the Intermediates get Quinn the Lakefield boy on their team? In my opinion and I've seen the best of them play, he will easily make good. True he lives nine miles from town, but has not the O.H.A. been giving permits right along in cases such as Quinn's?

Wake up, Intermediates, and get Quinn on your forward line, and then you will have a great chance with Lindsay & Company.

Sincerely yours,
OLD SPORT.

Jan. 15, 1909.

Saturdays Results

O.H.A.—Senior.

11th Regt., Kingston, 6; Osgoode Hall, 5.

O.H.A.—Intermediate.

Hespler, 9; Ayr, 1.
Preston, 10; O.A.C., Guelph, 2.

Interprovincial Union.

Cliffsides, 8; T.A.A.C., 6.

Eastern League—Senior.

Wanderers, 7; Quebec, 6.
Ottawa, 9; Shamrocks, 7.

Eastern League—Intermediates.

Montreal, 3; Wanderers, 2.
Westmount, 6; Shamrocks, 2.

To-days Games

O.H.A., Intermediate—Lindsay at Cobourg; Peterborough at Belleville; Port Hope at Bowmanville; Grimsby at Beamsville; Midland at Collingwood.

O.H.A., Junior—Port Hope at Ottawa; Waterloo at Berlin; Bracebridge at Orillia.

Ontario Professional League—Berlin vs. Toronto, at Mutual street rink; Brantford at St. Catharines; Guelph at Galt.

Intercollegiate Union, junior—Royal Military College II. vs. Queen's III, at Kingston.

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The City League games this week will be between the Belmonts and the T.A.S. and the West Ends and Lakefield teams. There is great interest being shown in the Lakefield game as the visitors from the North are counted upon to give the Stratbconas a run for the championship. The West Ends will be strong and figure upon winning from Lakefield, but the visitors look very strong.

Banks, under the Market Clock, is selling Sweaters for $1.00 worth up to 2.00. See Window Display 2d-14

CURLING.

Toronto Jan. 18—The preliminaries in groups 1 and 5, Ontario Tankard, which embrace all the curling clubs in the city, will be played here on Wednesday morning next.

Group 1 consists of Lindsay, Cobourg, Toronto Lakeview, Toronto Prospect Park, Toronto Granite, Newmarket, Port Hope, Milton, Richmond Hill, Scarborough and University of Toronto.

Group 5 is Scarboro Maple Leafs, Oshawa, Brampton, Colborne, Peterborough, Bobcaygeon East Toronto Aberderns, Toronto Caledonians, Parkdale, Queen City.

Group No. 1 will play at Queen City and Victoria, beginning at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning next.

Group 5 will curl at Prospect Park and Granite on the same day and hour.

The rules call for 18 ends, except in the final game. J. P. Rogers will umpire group 1, and T. T. Wilson group 5. The draw will be made from such clubs as appear at the time and place of play.

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The schedule games start again to-night at the curling rink and the following skips and their teams will be on the ice:

C N Brown vs. Hall.
Connal vs. W G Ferguson.
W G Morrow vs. Dr. Greer.
T Brightman vs. H A Morrow.
Fitzgerald vs. Reid.
Talbot vs. Dr. Eastwood.
Moore vs. H Foote.

Band at Brock Street Rink To-night, Wednesday and Friday Nights, 2d-14

The Sleeping Sickness.

The terrible sleeping sickness of tropical Africa is discussed at length in an article in Popular Mechanics The disease, which long baffled scientists, is spread by the tsetse fly, a bloodsucking, day flying insect. On the approach of either man or animal at a river crossing in the densest forest the victim is soon scented out by the fly, if there is one in the vicinity, and then, either silently or with a peevish buzz, it makes straight for the most accessible spot and gives its stab. The usual course of the disease is from four to eight months. At the outset there are headache, a feverish conditon, lassitude and a corresponding disinclination to work. The facial aspect changes, and a previously happy and intelligent looking negro becomes instead dull, heavy and apathetic. Later, tremor in the tongue develops, speech is uncertain, and mumbling, walk shuffling and progressive weakness, drowsiness and oblivion to his surroundings afflict the sufferer. The last stage is marked by extreme emaciation and a coma deepening into death.

Cause of Fatty Heart.

The great danger from obesity lies in the liability of the fat to invade the cellular elements of the body, especially the muscles. This produces fatty degeneration of the muscular tissues, which greatly weakens and impairs their functional activity. When the fat invades the tissues of the heart muscles the disease known as "fatty degeneration of the heart" results, and the patient is in serious danger. Whenever a slight additional strain upon the circulation results from undue exercise, excitement or other cause the muscles interfere with the heart's action, and it is liable to cease beating. Anaemia and hysteria often are accompaniments of obesity. Because of the increased weight and difficulty of moving about such patients are prevented from taking an ordinary amount of exercise. Often, too, there are a lassitude and a positive dislike for muscular exertion of any kind.—What to Eat.

From Medicine to the Drama.

The earlier part of Victorien Sardou's career was beset with many trials and difficulties. His parents wished him to take up a medical career, and he began his studies with some zeal. The love of the drama, however, was far greater than the love of the pill box, and in the interval of the other work Sardou was busy upon a play. Life was a struggle for him, for he had little money, though he managed to get journalistic work to supplement his more slender income. His first play was a failure, and Sardou rushed from the theater vowing never to enter one again. He fell seriously ill, was nursed back to health by Mlle. de Brecourt, an actress who lived on a floor below, and from that time his fortune was made.

A Friend In Need.

About half an hour had been expended by the bashful young man in a series of advances and retreats, and little Johnny's cramped position behind the sofa was becoming somewhat painful.

"I wish I dared" the young man commenced on a new attack, when the couple were electrified by an impatient exclamation behind them: "Aw, make a break! She's dead easy!"—Brooklyn Life.

AN UP TO DATE AD.

Miss Margaret Brown, a Resourceful Stenographer of Chicago.

A Chicago stenographer, Miss Margaret Brown, needed a position. To live she had to work, and nowhere in the great city could she find employment. On the "liner" pages of the Chicago dailies she saw the advertisements of hundreds of girls who, like herself, could find no work to do. Their ads., as a rule, ran like this:

Situation Wanted.—Young woman, twenty-two, five years' experience, desires position as stenographer; trustworthy and efficient; references furnished. Box X. Y. Z.

Said Margaret Brown to herself, for she has learned the great life principle of reasoning: "How can I compete with all the other jobless girls in Chicago and make myself heard? If I advertise in the newspapers, who will single me out from all the rest? Doubtless scores of those girls are as good if not better stenographers than I am. I have no way except by advertising to call attention to my condition. I must invent a way."

She did, and here is the ad. she published in one newspaper:

Situation Wanted.—A brown haired girl by the name of Brown would like a position with a firm named Brown, although others would be considered. Address X 537.

Scores of letters addressed to "X 537" arrived at the newspaper office the following day, and Miss Margaret Brown had no difficulty in selecting the best offer, and it was a good one.

She has her job, and she is happy.

Hundreds of others are still advertising.

Miss Margaret Brown is a smart young woman and deserves success. She will surely have success. She knows that nothing is accomplished which is worth while doing that does not come from hard thinking.

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There are two kinds of popular girls. One is admired by the crowd; the other is loved by the individual. One is sure to be spoken of as "fascinating;" the other is not spoken of very much at all. But every one who knows her says softly, with an air of having made a rare discovery: "Ah, I like that girl! I feel as if I had been looking for her always. She is the dearest girl in the world."

The popular girl of the first mentioned class is easy enough to appreciate and to understand. Every one finds her attractive. Her popularity is obvious. In fact, nearly everything about her, all her charm, seems to be rather obvious. All her easy magnetism shows off prettily at first glance. She makes no particular appeal to you as an individual, but she is a general favorite. You find her fascinating, and you know that every one else finds her fascinating too. She is the "popular" girl.

It does not occur to many people to describe the other girl as "popular." She never challenges the attention of the crowd. She is unassuming and unaffected, very much interested in other persons and wholly unconscious of herself. She is not strikingly beautiful. Even the keenness of her remarkably fine mind has in it no obtrusive surface brilliance. She has none of the airs and graces, the small coquetries, of the girl who is an acknowledged belle. She has none of the obvious charms of the "popular" girl. There is nothing obvious about her at all. Yet every one who talks with her ten minutes feels the personal compulsion of her quiet, unsought charm.

HEALTH AND BEAUTY.

Bags made of cheesecloth eight inches square filled with oatmeal, some powdered borax, pulverized castile soap and a little powdered orris root and used in the bath are delightfully refreshing.

Cold water should not be taken during any meal. This sudden deluge on the food in the stomach chills it and prevents the digestive juices from acting freely, thus letting the food lie passive and causing acute indigestion.

Occasionally take the powder puff and clean it in gasoline, frequently changing the gasoline to get the puff perfectly clean. Bear in mind that the puff gets as badly soiled as a towel or face cloth and should not be used long without being cleaned.

The fashionable hairdressing of the season shows the hair parted in the front or a little at one side as considered becoming. It is puffed at the side and taken back to the crown of the head or the nape of the neck, depending upon the quantity of the hair.

Under no circumstances rub soap into white hair. Put it into a warm or hot suds and use fresh water freely for rinsing and be liberal with soft, warm towels when drying. Avoid a yellow or green soap that contains alkali and makes the hair yellow. Use pure castile soap that has previously been reduced to a jelly in warm rainwater to which a little bay rum has been added.

The eyebrows should receive as much attention as any other part of the body. With a little cold cream on the finger tips rub the eyebrows gently, so as to remove any possible dandruff, since they often have a little in them. Then wash them with a solution made of water and a little alcohol. First brush them straight up toward the hair and then straight down, and the line will be thin and well shaped. If constantly treated in this manner the eyebrows will soon be a beautiful shape. The brushing up of the outward tip gives a coquettish expression to some faces.

"One swallow does not make a summer," it is true, but a banana skin will often make one fall.—Pathfinder.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE

CANADIAN PACIFIC

Going East	Leave Peterborough
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal, Kingston	11.20 a m
For Indian River, Norwood, Havelock, Tweed	7.51 p m
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	12.51 a m
Going West	**Leave Peterborough**
For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	5.35 a m
For Burketon, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	7.48 a m
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points	4.38 p m

GRAND TRUNK.

	Arrive	Depar
Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Bracebridge, North Bay, Sturgeon Falls and Toronto	11:10 a.m. 3:30 p.m.	8:30 a.m. 11.45 a.m.
Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	3:30 p.m.	3:45 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Cobourg Montreal and East	3:30 p.m. 9:30 a.m.	11:55 a.m. 9:45 p.m.
Toronto, Lindsay, Stouffville, Uxbridge and Markham	11:10 a.m. 7:30 p.m. 9:00 p.m. 10:10 p.m.	11:45a.m 9:10 p.m. 11:45a.m
Lindsay Local	9:55 a.m.	6:10 p.m
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	9:10 a.m. 3:30 p.m.	9:30 a.m. 1:40 p.m.
Lakefield and Stony Lake	10:10 a.m. 6:15 p.m.	8:30 a.m 12:30 p.m

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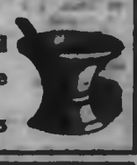

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LATEST CITY NEWS.

Probabilities

—Fine and cold to-day. Tuesday—Southwest winds and much milder.

Sewing Bee.

There will be a sewing bee at the Children's Aid Society's Shelter on Wednesday afternoon. The ladies are asked to take their sewing with them.

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All the members of the West End hockey team are requested to be at the post office at 6.15 o'clock, to go to Lakefield where they will play the City League game.

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Signed. G. W. EMMERSON.
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The Private Secretary.

"The Private Secretary" will be presented at the Grand Opera House on Feb. 1st, under the direction of Mr. Irving Beers by a company of local amateurs. Rehearsals are now going on and a treat is assured theatre goers.

Particular

—If you are particular about the way your clothes look, send them to "My Valet," 204 Charlotte street, and have them cleaned, dyed, repaired and pressed. All particular people do.

Entertainment to-night

—The monthly social entertainment for the children of St. John's Sunday School will be held to-night in the school rooms. There will be an observation table and a guessing contest, also games of all sorts.

Women's Auxiliary.

The January monthly meeting of the Women's Missionary Auxiliary of the Charlotte street Methodist church, will be held on Tuesday next at the parsonage, 362 Reid street at 3 p.m. A full attendance is requested, and visitors who may feel disposed to attend will be very cordially welcomed.

Elect Delegates

—The Regular meeting of Sentinel Lodge, No. 86, L.O.B.A., will be held in the Orange Hall, Simcoe street, Tuesday, Jan. 19, at 8 p.m., when delegates will be elected to represent the Lodge at the annual meeting of the Right Worshipful Grand Orange Lodge of the L.O.B.A. of B. A., which will be held in this city during the week beginning May 24. Every member is requested to be present.

Sang at St. Andrew's

—The congregation of St. Andrew's church at yesterday evening's service were treated to an enjoyable vocal solo entitled "A Dream of Paradise,' sung by Mr. Beveridge Miller. This selection was particularly well adapted to Mr. Miller's fine, round tenor robusto voice, which well filled the sacred edifice. Musical circles in Peterborough are to be congratulated on acquiring the presence of this noted singer in their midst.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Mrs. F. S. Schneider will not receive this week.

Mr. Alf. Hunter, North Monaghan, has left on a visit to Buffalo, Chicago and, probably, to the Coast.

Miss Bata M. Titterson will sing at the concert at the new Methodist Church in Lakefield to-night. Her sister, Miss Jannette Titterson, will play the accompaniment.

SCARLET CHAPTER'S OFFICERS FOR 1909

Elected at Large Meeting Held on Thursday Night.

A very large meeting was held on Thursday night in the Orange Hall, Simcoe street, Mr. W. H. G. Armstrong presiding. The officers of the Royal Scarlet Chapter for the ensuing year were elected as follows:

P.W.C.M. Com.—D Hamilton.
W.C.M. Com.—J E Cavanallen.
Ex. C. in Com.—M Patterson.
Comp. Chap.—R Wilson.
Comp. Scribe—W G Bartley.
1st Sergt-at-Arms—H Dodds.
Comp. 1st Lect.—M Hopkins.
Comp. 2nd Lect.—Jos Crowe.
Comp. 1st Cond.—H L Brace.
Comp. 2nd Cond.—S Lowry.
Comp. In. Sen.—Jas. Garside.
Comp. Outer Sen.—C E Wiley.

CHURCH SERVICES AND NOTICES

All Saints' Church.

Following are the meetings for the week:

Monday—7.30 o'clock, Girls' Guild.

Tuesday—8 o'clock, Men's Association concert.

Thursday—2.30 p.m., Monthly meeting of the Women's Association at the residence of Mrs. Butler, 274, King street; 6.45 o'clock, Boys choir practice in the church; 7.45 o'clock, Week night service and Bible study; 8 o'clock, choir practice in the Conservatory of Music Hall.

Friday—4.15 o'clock, Junior Girl's Guild.

KNOX CHURCH.

The following are the meetings at Knox Church for the week:

Monday evening at 8 p. m., the Young People's Guild; subject, China, Its Missionary Problems.

Tuesday evening, the Young Men's Guild, social evening.

Wednesday evening, the mid-week service; subject, "How to Improve Ourselves. Teachers' Training Class.

Thursday afternoon, the ladies tea at Mrs. J. Smyth's, Bolivar street; 8 p. m., choir practice.

Friday evening, the Boys' Club.

OBITUARY

MARGARET SULLIVAN

Death claimed Miss Margaret Sullivan, a native of Peterborough, but for many years a resident of Vallijo, Cal., on Saturday. Word was received here on Saturday night by the deceased's nephews, Ald. Harry Phelan, Rev. Father Phelan, and Walter Phelan, of Pittsburg, and other relatives here. The late Miss Sullivan will be remembered by the older residents of the city who will sympathize with the relatives. The funeral announcement will be made later.

Her sister, Mrs. P. J. McAuley, of Trenton, accompanied by her husband, left for California about five or six weeks ago, being called on account of Miss Sullivan's illness. She has two sisters, Mrs. Wm. Atchison, of Leroy, N.Y., and Mrs. J. Corkery, Harwood, and one brother, J. Sullivan, California.

MRS. JOHN GUTHRIE

The death occurred on Sunday morning at the home of Mr. John Wright, Fowler's Corners, of Catharine Jackson, widow of the late John Guthrie. The deceased was well known as Emily and was highly respected. There remain to mourn her loss, Mrs. Wright, Fowler's Corners; Mrs. Jos. Wilson, Cookston, Ont., and three sons, F. C. and R. J., of Emily, and W. J., of Midland. The funeral will be held to-morrow afternoon at 2.30, to Emily Cemetery.

REV. DR. O'BRIEN WAS INJURED TO-DAY

Rev. Dr. O'Brien met with a very painful accident this morning while on his way to St. Joseph's Hospital. As he was walking along he slipped and dislocated a knee cap. He was taken to the hospital where it is understood he will be confined for some time.

FAMILY BROKEN UP BY TYPHOID

It was learned this afternoon that there are now ten children at the Shelter, the largest number since last winter when the record for the new building was set. A little baby 13 months old was brought down from the House of Refuge on Saturday, where it has been kept for some time.

One particular sad case is that of a family from Lakefield, which has been completely disrupted by typhoid fever. The father and one child are in the hospital here and the rest of the children, four, it is stated, are in the Shelter where they have been brought to, owing to the illness of the mother at home. She is too poorly to care for the family and in the meantime they have been taken in charge by the Society. The case is a rather unusual one and has attracted some attention and many expressions of sympathy have been heard from those acquainted with the case.

WORK PLENTIFUL AT BRIDGENORTH

No Complaints Heard Regarding Scarcity of Labour—Ice on Lake is Thick—Harvest Will be Good.

THE LATEST HAPPENINGS.

Bridgenorth, Jan. 18 — Ten below zero this morning.

The Post office with letter boxes is quite a convenience for the public, as there is no waiting for the mail, only to be handed out.

There is no need of a stone pile in the village this winter, as there is work for every one and every one is at work.

The ice on the lake is first class and can be driven over any place without danger; the ice harvesters are getting ready to accommodate the public with ice for the summer months, so there will be no ice famine this summer.

Mr. Keys, the organizer for the C. O. F., has been here and has gathered in a few more candidates, which were initiated last Friday night; after the close of the meeting refreshments were served, and a social time was spent among the Foresters.

Mr. Ardrid, the contractor for Thorne & Henderson, of Bobcaygeon, has over 4,000 pieces on the lake now and is keeping quite a few men and teams at work.

Mr. George Bell has a contract for a firm in Toronto for a quantity of verandah posts, and has a turner engaged for that purpose.

We are having one of the finest winters for the farmers, who are getting along with their work, as the roads are good, and the snow in the woods is not deep. They are getting their hay and produce to the market, also their wood out. This time last winter it was nearly impossible to get along the roads, in fact the roads were in the fields.

Mr. J. Forsythe has returned home after a visit amongst friends in Pontypool and Manvers Township; this is the first holiday John has taken in years.

LYNX VERY PLENTIFUL IN VICINITY OF WARSAW

Lynx seems to be rather plentiful in the woods around Clear Lake and Warsaw. During the last two days there have been no less than four of these animals trapped and shot within a radius of six miles of Warsaw, all being taken very near the same place, in the wilderness around the shore of Clear Lake. Mr. J. Payne, of Lakefield, brought in a beautiful specimen on Saturday morning, also this morning, Mr. Paul Payne, of Warsaw, brought in the mate to it. Also on Saturday, Mr. F. Cowider, of Warsaw, brought in two lynx.

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	Opening	Closing
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Atch	106⅛	89
B.R.T.	71⅛	70⅞
C.P.R.	177⅛	176⅛
Erie	31⅛	30⅜
Great Northern	145⅞	143⅛
L.N.	125	124⅛
Mo. Pac.	70	70
Northern Pacific	140	139⅛
N.Y.C.	131	130⅛
Penna	133⅛	133
R.I.	24⅛	24⅛
Sdg.	137⅛	137⅛
Smelters	85⅛	85⅞
Soo	145	144
St. Paul	149⅛	149⅛
S.P.	120	119⅛
U.P.	180⅛	179
U.S.	53⅛	53⅛
U.S. p'fd.	137⅛	130⅛
Twin City	—	—
Nipissing	9⅛	10
May-Wheat	106⅛	106⅛
" Corn	61	61⅛
May Oats	51⅛	51⅛
" Pork	17.05	17.17
C.F.I.	40⅛	40⅝

Hotel Grafters.

The proprietor of one of the largest hotels in New York, speaking of the uses made by nonpaying customers of his house, said to a rural guest a few days ago: "We have a large number of patrons from whom we never collect a cent, although we have no such thing as a free list. They come here in the morning, pick up a castoff paper, which they read, keeping an eye open for another, which they grab as soon as it is dropped. After reading awhile they stand at the ticker, often giving long lectures to their fellows on financial conditions and stock possibilities. The overcoat becomes burdensome, and it is taken to the check room, where its owner knows it will be perfectly safe. Then, if they can tear themselves from the ticker, letters are written on our stationery. They do not use our telephones because we charge an extra 5 cents for the call, but they carry home matches, toothpicks, blank cards and blotters and use up the soap in our lavatories. They also take generous nibbles of the cheese and crackers in the cafe. The strangest part of all is this—that the majority of this class are well to do and highly respectable, and on that account we do not shut them out."—New York Tribune.

Literary Irrigation.

"Your latest novel seems very dry," said the reader of the publishing house to the young but rising author.

"I was pretty sure you would say that," rejoined the author, "Consequently if you will count them you will find the heroine weeps real tears on just 263 pages of my story."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Inconsistent.

Howell—Rowell is an inconsistent fellow. Powell—That's right: he would tell you take all the time you wanted and then have you arrested for stealing his watch.—New York Press.

EARL'S BOGUS MARRIAGE.

Ninth Earl of Strathmore Went Through False Ceremony.

The title held by Lord Glamis, heir of the Earl of Strathmore, who was married last month to Lady Edith Campbell, has been well-known in Scotland for over five centuries. The first holder was Master to the Household of James I., a staunch enemy to England. The secret that hangs like a cloud over Glamis Castle in Forfarshire, and is told to each heir as he comes of age, does not seem to lie heavily on the mind of the future Lord Strathmore. Although a thousand and one stories have been circulated about it, not a living soul save the earl, his first-born son, and the factor of the estate, know what the mystery is. In every generation the heir of the house has said he will tell about it, but when he has come of age, and has accompanied the head of the house and the factor into the secret chamber, and been initiated, he never has divulged. Lord Playfair was a connection of the family, and used to have the run of Glamis Castle, but he never could learn anything, try as he might. The ninth Earl of Strathmore went through a false marriage ceremony with a pretty daughter of a man not of his own rank. In her innocence she lived with him as his wife, which she believed herself to be. When the earl was dying, he confessed the fraud. "Very well," she said, "you shall marry me now, and that publicly." The earl was carried to the church, and in the presence of a large number of friends, the wronged lady was made in truth the Countess of Strathmore. But years earlier a son had been born, who had already been sent to Eton as Lord Glamis. But the poor fellow was really simply plain John Bowes. He inherited the property of his family on the maternal side, and Streatham Castle has come to the earls of Strathmore through him. The Countess of Strathmore would have been Duke of Portland had she been a boy. She is the daughter of the late Mr. Charles Cavendish-Bentinck, who, had he lived, would have succeeded to the title, to the exclusion of the present holder.

BIBLE INCIDENT AT ETON.

Lord Monkswell Tells a Story of a Hot-Headed Schoolmaster.

Lord Monkswell has presided at a function in London in celebration of the visit of the American Fleet to Australasia and the establishment of penny postage between the United Kingdom and the United States. His lordship is the second holder of the title, which was created in 1885. The late Lord Monkswell made a successful Attorney-General. At the time he was called to the Bar he expressed the opinion that it was inconceivable to suppose he would not rise to the position of judge. The present Lord Monkswell was first introduced to public life as a member of the Chelsea Board of Guardians. He has been a member of the London County Council since its establishment in 1889. Educated at Eton, his lordship relates some interesting stories about a master affectionately known as "Billy Johnson." He was a splendid scholar and charming poet, but was short-sighted, and in other respects deficient in the qualities to maintain order and discipline. His special enemy was the college dog, and one day when it entered his class-room he threw his keys at the animal and sent it away howling. When in the act of retrieving the keys, "Billy" caught sight of a boy "copying" the lesson. This flagrant breach of discipline incensed him so much that, picking up a portly volume lying on the desk in front of him, he hurled it at the offending boy with all his might. The volume upset a bottle of ink on the desk over the boy's trousers, and the book was greatly damaged. Gathering up the broken missile, the lad took it up to the desk, with the respectful reproach, "Oh, sir, it is the Bible!" When Lord Monkswell introduced a Burial Authorities (Cremation) Bill into the House of Lords, Lord Salisbury humorously inquired what Burial Authorities he proposed to cremate!

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ANNUAL MEETING OF LITTLE LAKE CEMETERY BOARD SHOWS VERY FLOURISHING CONDITIONS

Reports Presented Yesterday and Officers Elected for Coming Year—Increased Salary for the Superintendent.

GRATIFYING CONDITIONS.

The annual meeting of the Little Lake Cemetery Company was held yesterday afternoon in the Council Chambers. The annual reports were presented and discussed, following which the directors and officers were elected. From the reports presented it was shown that many improvements have been made, that the cemetery is in excellent condition in every department, and the general affairs are in a flourishing condition. The Board of Directors was elected as follows:

Messrs. Chas. Stapleton, James Stevenson, W. H. Moore, J. J. Lundy, Benj. Shortly, T. A. S. Hay, G. W. Morrow, E. H. D. Hall and Dr. Burnham.

Officers Elected

The officers elected were as follows;

President—Mr. W. H. Moore,

Secretary-Treasurer—Mr. E. A. Peck.

Advisory Committee—Messrs. W. H. Moore, Chas. Stapleton, James Stevenson, Benjamin Shortly and T. A. S. Hay.

Auditors—Messrs. Jas. A. Hall and T. Q. Quartermaine.

At a subsequent meeting of the directors it was decided to increase the auditors' salary to $15.00 each. It was also decided to increase the salary of the superintendent, Mr. F. Wise, to $750 per annum.

The latter's work was referred to in complimentary terms, and it was stated that the cemetery had never been in as good condition as that to which he had brought it.

Financial Statement

The statement of the finances, presented by the secretary-treasurer, and having passed the auditors' hands, was as follows:

Receipts

Balance from 1907	$ 582 31
Lots and graves	1,979 00
General receipts	2,950 35
Interest	472 59
Trust funds, etc	200 00
	$6,184 25

The expenses amounted to $5,432.11, leaving a balance in the bank of $752.14. Altogether the finances of that last year were better than those of 1907, and a larger balance is carried over.

Directors Report

The directors' report was presented by the president, Mr. W. H. Moore, as follows:

The directors of the company beg leave to report that during the year 1908 they have endeavoured, and they hope with some measure of success, to continue the work of beautifying the grounds and of making considerable improvements in them that were desirable and requisite.

Rooms in the superintendent's old residence have been fitted up for ladies, one as a sitting room and the other as a lavatory, and in the coming summer it is believed this will be appreciated.

The old tank house, which was an eyesore where it stood, has been removed and converted into a place for storing implements, vases and flower pots and for making repairs to lawn mowers, etc.

A handsome rockery has been built near the main entrance and a fountain placed in it.

A new conservatory for flowers, sixty by ninety feet, and somewhat larger than the first flower house, has been finished, ready for use in the spring. This was required in order to provide for the wants of lot owners, which have grown to unexpected dimensions. The stock now set out in the heated conservatory will be sufficient to fill both in the spring, and an excellent supply of choice flowers and plants will be available to meet the expected demand.

A good deal of grading has been done on the avenue on the east side near the river and at other points, and most of the driveways are in a very satisfactory state.

The attention of the new board is directed to the condition of the fence along the front of the cemetery, and also to the chapel, both of which require repairs.

In the early part of the year your directors purchased a city debenture for one thousand dollars, and it will be seen that another for like amount can be taken shortly out of surplus moneys. This will bring the permanent fund for future maintenance to $12,917.31. A part of this has been received from those who desire assurance that their plots will forever be kept in proper condition. The income of the sum received is used yearly where the principal belongs and the latter retained intact invested in city debentures. This is sanctioned by legislative enactment, and it is hoped lot owners will more generally avail themselves of so obviously wise a provision.

The reports of the treasurer, superintendent and auditors will be laid before you.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. H. MOORE,
President.

Dated Jan. 18, 1909.

Superintendent's Report

The superintendent, Mr. Frank Wise, read the following report of the past year's work.

The past year has been a very busy one in your cemetery, not alone in new work undertaken, but I find a feeling among the lot owners to improve the appearance of their lots by placing them under extra care, so much so, that I have found it necessary to place a man entirely in charge of that work. I regret to say, however, that there are a number of lot owners who entirely neglect their lots, so that they have become an eyesore to the part of the cemetery in which they are situated. I do not wish you to infer from this that the company has neglected their part of the work, as the grass has been regularly cut and trimmed upon these lots. A number of these lots contain valuable monuments which seem to mock at their surroundings. Probably an explanation of this neglect of family lots, as observed by me, will be beneficial. We will suppose that a man loses a member of his family, a beloved wife, mother, daughter or son, he purchases a family plot and makes an interment therein. As long as the father or mother are living the lot is well looked after. Eventually they are both laid away and the sons and daughters are left to look after the lot, which, in all probability, is too small for the entire family, who have become fathers and mothers themselves and prefer to purchase lots of their own. The old lot becomes neglected, and for which there is seldom any excuse, as there is an arrangement whereby for a small sum the lot can be placed in good repair for all time without any additional expense to the owner. I trust that the coming year will see a number of these lots placed in good repair and under future maintenance.

In my report last year I recommended an addition to my greenhouse, and your directors instructed me to build one. This I have done and now that we have more than double our old greenhouse capacity we shall be in a much better condition to cater to the wants of lot owners.

Last winter I removed the old tank house from its position near the chapel to the northwest side of the cemetery, on Lake avenue. A foundation was placed under it and it has been fitted up as a repair shop and tool house, to replace the old one which, in the near future, it will be necessary to pull down.

The fountain which formerly sat in a basin, is now placed upon a rockwork, much improving its appearance.

The old office building at the residence in the cemetery has been turned into a ladies' lavatory and waiting room. This will supply a long-felt want.

Considerable grading and seeding has been done on Section O, situated at the east side of the cemetery. This ground will soon be needed as burial plots, as Section D is nearly all taken up.

It will be found necessary during the next year to repair or place a new entrance gate to the cemetery. In a great many instances throughout the world this has been done by some public spirited citizen, who has erected a lasting memorial to his memory, and I am sure that the thanks of not only the shareholders of the cemetery, but the community at large will be extended to him should such an one be forthcoming.

Respectfully submitted,
F. WISE,
Superintendent.

Financial Report

The superintendent's financial report was then presented, as follows:

Receipts

Sale of lots	$1,828 00
Sale of graves	151 00
Digging graves	1,026 50
Vault fees	28 00
Sodding graves	48 00
Care of flowers and lots	1,142 75
Building foundations	304 25
Trust fund	200 00
Other sources	110 60
	$5,129 35

Uncollected or Still due

Sale of lots	$ 174 00
Sale of graves	32 50
Digging	221 25
care of flowers, etc	940 90
Building foundations	65 00
	$1,432 65

Expenditure for Labour at Cemeter

By superintendent's salary	$ 700 00
Workmen's wages	2,187 47
Horse and team hire	105 65
	$2,993 12
Balance of income over labour expenditure	$2,136 23

$200,000 BLAZE IN LONDON THIS MORNING GUTTED CASKET WORKS; 250 HANDS OUT OF EMPLOYMENT

Examiner Special.

London, Ont., Jan. 19.—Fire which broke out at 12.30 this morning in the varnishing rooms of the Globe Casket Works, corner of Adelaide and Dundas streets, practically gutted the building before it was stopped, causing a loss of $200,000, of which $110,000 is on the building and the remainder on contents. The insurance carried is $89,000 on the building and $4,000 on the yards. A high wind was blowing and only the vigilance of the fire department prevented some of the neighbouring buildings from igniting. Two hundred and fifty hands are thrown out of work.

License Reduction May Be Put On Local Option Basis

Examiner Special.

Toronto, Jan. 19 — The Members' Legislature of both sides are discussing change in license law to make it impossible to cut off licenses unless three-fifths of voters consent, and to prevent municipalities from reducing number of licenses without a popular vote. In other words license reduction would be put under local option regulations. The News says that Hon. A. G. Mackay, leader of the opposition in Legislature, will retire, and Rev. Donald Hossack, formerly pastor of Deer Park Presbyterian Church, will be elevated to the leadership. This it is understood has been determined on by the men who usually control moves of the provincial Liberal party, and will take place shortly after Legislature opens. With his advent a prohibition plank may be adopted.

PRESENTATION MADE TO SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER BY HER CLASS

The members of Mr. Isaac Richardson's Bible Class of the Charlotte street Methodist Sunday School, gathered at his home on Homewood avenue last night, and agreeably surprised him with the presentation to him of a pair of gloves and a silk scarf as a mark of the esteem in which he is regarded by his class. The presentation was made by Mrs. Thistlewaithe, while the following address was read by Mr. S. D. Carver :—

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It is with pleasure that we ask your acceptance of this slight token of our appreciation of your valuable services, praying that you and yours may still be the subjects of the Heavenly Father's care and love.

Signed on behalf of the
BIBLE CLASS."

Electric Railway May Run To The Kawartha Lake Resorts

An electric railway may be built connecting Cobourg with Peterborough and the Kawartha Lakes. An application has been made to the Legislature for a charter to the Cobourg, Peterborough and Kawartha Lakes Electric Railway Company. Two lines are proposed, one between Cobourg and Havelock, going through the villages of Warkworth, Burnley, Cantreton and Baltimore; and a second from Cobourg to the Kawartha Lakes, through Cold Springs, Plainville, Bewdley, Baillieboro', Centreville and Petersville. The lines are not to exceed thirty miles each.

The company ask leave to issue bonds to the extent of $25,000 a mile, which would amount to $1,500,000 for the two roads.

Peterborough Radial Railway Co. asks for an Act extending the time for completion of the road, and for authority to extend it from Clear Lake to a point in Stony Lake in Peterborough county.

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Three People Are Supposed to Have Been Killed at Phiceea.

J. N. Barber, (Special)

Smyrna, Turkey, Jan. 19 — A slight earthquake shock was felt here to-day but no local damage was done. Reports received from Phiceea, twenty-five miles to the north-west of here, say that a number of houses fell there and that three people were killed. The United States battleships Louisiana and Virginia are in that port.

Band To-night at Street Railway Rink.

IS GRATEFUL TO HIS NEIGHBOURS

Mr. Brown Wishes to Thank Those Who Assisted Him in Connection With the Fire.

In connection with the fire at Auburn on Sunday morning, Mr. Brown, who was burnt out is overseer of the Carding Department for the Auburn Woollen Company, and he wishes to take this opportunity of thanking the neighbours and friends for their kind assistance in his time of need. Mr. Brown and his family just escaped with their lives. Mr. Brown having to push the children out in the cold with nothing but their night robes on. The loss on the contents of the house was in the neighbourhood of $1,800, partly covered by insurance. Mr. Brown also wishes to take this opportunity of thanking Fire Chief Howard and his men for the quick time they made after the alarm was turned and also for their valuable assistance in saving the neighbouring property, handicapped as they were by the lack of fire protection in this part of the city.—Com.

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THE FATAL LEVEL CROSSING.

There is not much hope that the fatal accident at th level railway crossing at Grimsby by which five persons were instantly killed, will prove a warning. While the level crossing, in itself, is an ever-present danger, there is no probability that, except under compulsion, the railways will take any measures to make them safe for the public. And there does not seem to be any probability that the public will cease to close their eyes to the awful danger they incur in taking level railway crossings without first assuring themselves that no train is approaching. If they did this, there would be no such accidents as we are called upon to chronicle with almost daily frequency. It goes without saying that the public are deplorably careless; they know the risk of injury they run in approaching a level railway crossing. It is but the work of a moment to assure themselves as to the proximity or otherwise of a train. If the public could be induced to take proper precaution, the long roll of level crossing fatalities would never be compiled. The conductors of our street railway cars are instructed to stop at every level crossing, to go forward and see that the track is clear before the motorman is signalled to proceed. This is done with almost absurd exactness. If one car is ten feet behind another, its conductor has to go through the same process, though the conductor of the first car, ten seconds previously, has waved the track clear. This seems unnecessary care, but so long as such care is exercised there will be no accidents. If the public who run such serious chances of being killed or injured, took similar care, the level crossing accidents would disappear. But there is small hope of this. We have gates at the George street and Aylmer street railway crossings; but foot passengers disregard the gates and pass into the danger zone dozens of times a day, thus knowingly incurring possibility of accident. In all our streets we see people rush in front of a car or team to cross the street when they have no cause to take the risk involved, for we often see them after thus risking their lives to save a moment of time, stop on the other side and chat several minutes with some acquaintance they have encountered. Still the carelessness of the public does not relieve the railway companies and the authorities of responsibility—if the public wont protect themselves they must be protected against themselves as well as against the danger of level crossings. If gates had been in use at Grimsby the five lives would not have been lost. Some of our journals and statesmen, or, rather, politicians, are demanding a two-cent railway passenger rate. Would it not be better instead of insisting on this, to enable the railways to justify a three-cent rate, on the score of the expense involved in providing gates at level crossings? Canada needs to take a leaf out of the British book in regard to the management of the crossings of railways and highways. There the level crossing is rare, or non-existent and the level crossing accident is also rare or non-existent.

In 1907 there was a total of 2,285 killed and injured in railway accidents, one for every 100,000, of the 275,999,404 passengers carried.

PROTECTION AND PREFERENCE.

Mr. O. T. Skelton, who writes "Current Events" in Queen's Quarterly, believes that the protectionist movement in Great Britain may not be as much of a prize for the Canadian farmer as has generally been supposed. Hitherto in the British market, he says, we have enjoyed equality of treatment with home producers, and absolute stability of tariff conditions. If protection triumphs both these advantages will vanish. The British market will cease to be free. Already the preferential sentiment has been almost swallowed up in protectionism. The British farmer will demand adequate protection against colonial wheat, cattle and cheese. There will be a still higher tariff against foreign wheat, cattle and cheese, but will that apparent preference be as good for us as a free market? Will not the British farmer be inclined to take the same position as our own protected manufacturers, who are willing to have discrimination against the foreigner, but not quite so willing to encourage imports from other parts of the Empire? Mr. Skelton answers the question in this way; "The general tariff rates will be increased by protectionist pressure from within. Our preferential discount will be whittled down by negotiation without. Before many years were over imperial 'preference' would prove the worst gold brick proposition ever offered the Canadian farmer. To do the Canadian farmer justice, the demand for preference on farm products comes in no slightest degree from the man behind the plough, but from solicitous and self-constituted champions in city clubs. Eventually, then, we should be facing the same situation in Great Britain and the United States; in both, hostile tariffs, in both, reductions purchasable by reciprocal flavours in both, no special assurance of permanence."

There is a good reason to believe that the tariff reform government in Great Britain will become more protectionist and less preferential. Whatever strength the movement has lies in domestic and not in imperial conditions. The unemployed British workman may be convinced that it is in his interest to discourage the importation of German or American manufactures. Protective duties on wheat and flour may be advocated in the interests of the British farmers and of those inhabitants of the cities who want to get "back to the land." It may also be advocated on military grounds, as a means of encouraging the United Kingdom to grow more food for itself, and be less dependent on foreign supplies. These are the arguments by which protection will succeed in Great Britain, if it succeeds at all. None of them except the military argument perhaps has anything to do with a system of colonial preferences. Even from the military point of view, the case for colonial preferences is not as strong as the case for *domestic protection*. From every point of view of the British farmer, colonial preferences are of no value whatever. The British manufacturer and workman might reap some advantage from preferences in the colonial markets, but here account would have to be taken of the hostility of colonial manufacturers. The more the subject is examined, the more likely it appears that if protection makes headway in the United Kingdom, it will be for domestic, not for imperial reasons. —Toronto Star.

THE FATE OF THF INTERCOLONIAL.

The future of the Intercolonial Railway continues to be a fruitful topic of press discussion, the consensus of opinion being that the road has been too long a public burden. In all it has cost the people of Canada eighty million dollars, and at the present time additional capital expenditure is essential in the interest of the growing towns and business centres through which it runs, but there is strong objection to adding to the capital account of a railway that is not paying operating expenses.

In the past ten years the physical standard of the Intercolonial has been raised immeasurably, and it now compares favourably with any railway in the country in everything except its finances. The Government is evidently determined to seek a remedy for this defect, which seems to be inherent in the system of management which has been followed since Confederation. The Minister of Railways has intimated that a change will be made, though he emphatically declares that the road will not be sold or leased. The only other alternative that suggests itself, in the absence of definite information, is the operation of the line by a commission or commissioner, absolutely free from political or party control. The difficulties of direct management by the Government are illustrated by the complaint in a Moncton newspaper, because a number of men employed on the Intercolonial had been temporarily laid off. Other railway systems also have their dull periods, during which the working staff is reduced, for the time being, but a government is forcibly reminded in similar circumstances that it is not only dealing with employees, but with voters. It is altogether likely, therefore, that the Minister of Railways will follow the example of Victoria, Australia, where the management of state railways was devolved by the Government upon a commission, headed by a Canadian, Mr. Tait, with the most satisfactory results. — London Advertiser.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

A Toronto lady has made five wills, and the last one is disputed. The ladies we know in Peterborough make one will and we have to yield to it without successful dispute.

The Toronto Mail and Empire says that the settlement of the Ontario Government with the Sault industries is very satisfactory. It is, but, remarks the Ottawa Free Press, could it have been reached without the policy of the Laurier Government, which has broadened out Canada and has afforded room for the use of the products of these same Sault industries? The Free Press might truthfully have added, that without the public-spirited and patriotic action of the Ross Government in 1904, which the Mail and Empire's party bitterly opposed, there would have been no settlement to make, satisfactory or otherwise. Financial difficulties would have "settled" the 500 industries forever—they would have been swept into the limbo of gigantic failures.

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Markets Inclined to be Unsettled—Bank of England Discount Raised to Protect Home Money Market.

THE PRESENT CONDITION

New York, Jan. 17 — This has been a week of feverish markets with sharp upward and downward movements. Prices have rallied from one to three points only, to break in the same manner. There were several happenings of unusual importance. The minimum rate of discount of the Bank of England was raised from 2 1-2 per cent. to 3 per cent., the first change in the rate since March 28th last. This would be a bullish factor if the increase in the rate was due to an increase in business, but as it does not mean this it is unsettling. The English Bank raised the rate to protect the home money market against the constant accumulation of gold by the Bank of France. The Bank of France has been preparing to float the $250,000,000 Russian Loan and certain rentes of the French Government. But, in addition, it has accumulated gold and cash far beyond the necessity for these two purposes and in this accumulation lies the matter for alarm. There is a feeling of anger between the Prussian and French Governments and while there is really little reason to expect a war, yet France has been preparing and is in excellent shape, while the Prussian Government is hard up and driven to desperation in its efforts to find money for carrying on the domestic demands upon it. The readiness on the part of France and unreadiness on the part of Germany makes for peace, but at the same time it is unsettling to the markets of the world.

During the week there has been a constant renewal of rumours affecting Erie, and once more it has been reported that receivership proceedings were near. This caused the stocks of the road to break sharply, but upon the announcement that the Public Service Commission would permit the issuance of $30,000,000 of bonds by the road the stock rallied—regaining a greater part of the earlier loss. The action of Erie shows how little Wall street thinks. E. H. Harriman and J. P. Morgan, during the panic when money was tight and rates were high saved the road from going into the hands of a receiver.

MRS. MARY GREGOVICH

Of Philipsburg, Montana, Tells How She Was Cured of Dandruff.

Mrs Mary Gregovich, of Philipsburg, Montana, under date of Nov. 26, 1899, writes, "I had typhoid fever this summer, consequently was losing my hair terribly, and my head in places was perfectly bald. Newbro's Herpicide had just come into use in Philipsburg and the doctor strongly recommended it to me. After 3 or 4 applications my hair stopped falling out, and is coming in again quite thick. I used to be troubled greatly with dandruff, of which I am now quite cured." Kill the dandruff germ with Herpicide.

Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to the Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. Two Sizes 50c and $1. McDermid & Jury, and Payne's Drug Store, Special Agents.

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I am instructed by the Consignors to sell by Public Auction one thousand half boxes of raisins, which arrived too late for the Christmas trade. These raisins are of the highest grade and in prime condition and will be sold in lots or by the box, (28 lbs.,) to suit purchasers.

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APPLICATION TO PARLIAMENT.

An Application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario at its next session, by the Peterborough Radial Railway Company, for an Act extending the times for the completion of those sections of the Company's Railway not yet under construction.

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Dated the 13th day of January, 1909.
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Don't associate them with oysters you commonly buy. "Sealshipt" are packed without water in sealed, air-tight, steel containers. "Sealshipt" Carriers keep the oysters fresh and firm—not water-soaked. They retain all the incomparable tang of the sea.

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Every housewife will want a copy of "Sealshipt Sense" with the dainty new oyster recipes—The following "Sealshipt" dealers will give you a copy:

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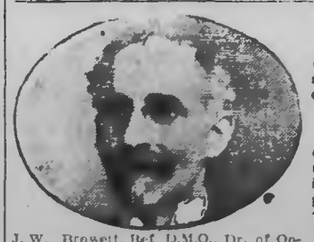

J. W. Browett, Ref. D.M.O., Dr. of Optics of Philadelphia, graduate of the best colleges of New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, Detroit and Toronto, and for the past fifteen years has been teaching Opticians throughout the various cities and towns of the United States and Canada.

AT 9 P. M. SATURDAYS

Hereafter the Peterborough Optical Institute closes at nine o'clock every Saturday night instead of ten as formerly, and 8 o'clock other evenings.

APPOINTMENTS

Evening is quite as suitable as day time for eye examinations for glasses but it is usually necessary to arrange a day or two in advance in order to secure a suitable appointment. Appointments are made by phone, letters or a call.

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And because it is a necessity, its quality should be the best—quality in bread depends largely upon the flour.

Royal Household Flour

has convinced the women of Canada that it is the best for pastry as well as for bread.

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to tempt the appetite and nourish the system. Our meats are not excelled by any in the market. The small and the hearty eater enjoy them. Tender Lamb and Veal, Rich Beef, Juicy Chops, and Steaks cut from the finest stock grown in the country. Don't value our meats by so many cents per pound, but by its high quality. Choice Breakfast Bacon, Hams, Rolls and Sausage.

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Just below Hunter Come and see us.

BRANDY IN THE CHOCOLATE DROPS

Thirty Prosecutions For Illegal Sale in Montreal.

BOY AND GIRL PURCHASERS

Extensive Sale of Candies Containing as Much as Half a Teaspoonful of Liquor Results In Prosecution of Manufacturer and Thirty Dealers —Many Sold In Vicinity of Theatres and Picture Shows.

Montreal, Jan. 19.—As the result of a boy getting intoxicated on chocolates filled with brandy the other day, several hundred dollars' worth of chocolates have been seized in the Lowney factory, and some 30 confectionery storekeepers have been summoned for selling brandy illegally.

Chief Archambault of the provincial revenue police has found that brandy chocolates, with more than half a teaspoonful of brandy in each, and 25 to 30 of the chocolates in each half-pound box, have been sold extensively in the city at 60 cents a pound.

One of the largest chocolate manufacturing establishments in the city is concerned in the action. On Friday afternoon 100 cases, with four or five pounds of these chocolates in each, according to the statement of Mr. Archambault, were seized by the revenue police on the premises of the Walter M. Lowney Co. of Canada, and from 25 to 30 gallons of brandy in a cask was confiscated in the same establishment.

Following this, a tour of the city confectionery stores was made by the revenue officers, with the result that yesterday thirty candy-store proprietors were summoned to the Police Court. The charge in each case is "selling liquor without a license," this being the only accusation on which actions of the kind can be entered.

A similar charge has been entered against the Lowney company. Numerous cases of boys and young women having bought half-pound boxes of the chocolates and afterwards being noticed in a state of intoxication have been reported. The largest sale was in the neighborhood of the east end theatres and picture shows, matinee girls being the most noticeable purchasers.

Fully half a teaspoonful of brandy is said to have been found in some of the chocolates. An examination of the confectionery shows that there is only a small coating of chocolate, and inside a thin shell of white sugar, the interior being composed of pure liquor.

The Lowney company claim they had the brandy for flavoring purposes, and not for filling the chocolates.

Root Senator For New York.

Albany, N.Y., Jan. 19.—Elihu Root, secretary of State in President Roosevelt's Cabinet, was the unanimous choice of the Republican legislative caucus, which met last night to name a candidate to succeed United States Senator Thomas C. Platt, whose terms of office expires on March 4.

The Democratic caucus named former Lieut-Governor L. Stuyvesant Chanler of Dutchess, who was the Democratic candidate for governor at the November election.

Mr. Root's nomination is equivalent to an election as the Legislature is overwhelmingly Republican.

Big Fire In London.

London, Jan. 19.—Fire broke out this morning at 12.30 in the Globe Casket Co.'s factory, corner of Dundas and Adelaide streets.

By one o'clock the roof had fallen in and the building was practically destroyed.

The plant is valued at $150,000.

The building and contents of the Globe Casket Co. will be an entire loss.

'Phones In Gowganda.

Charlton, Jan. 19.—A telephone system has been installed from Gowganda and Elk Lake City to the T. A. N. O. Railway station at Charlton.

The company is the Silver Bell Telephone Co.

Died at 101.

Kingston, Jan. 19.—Solomon Boyd, aged 101 years, died yesterday on Albert street. He was born in Kingston Township, where he spent 80 years, and on retirement came to Kingston.

"Don't Neglect a Cough or Cold."

It can have but one result. It leaves the throat or lungs, or both, affected.

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup is the medicine you need. It is without an equal as a remedy for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Sore Throat, Pain in the Chest, Asthma, Whooping Cough, Quinsy and all affections of the Throat and Lungs.

A single dose of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup will stop a cough, soothe the throat, and if the cough or cold has become settled on the lungs, the healing properties of the Norway Pine Tree will proclaim its great virtue by promptly eradicating the bad effects, and a persistent use of the remedy cannot fail to bring about a complete cure.

Do not be humbugged into buying so-called Norway Pine Syrups, but be sure and insist on having Dr. Wood's. It is put up in a yellow wrapper, three pine trees the trade mark, and price 25 cents.

Mrs. A. Elles, Innisfail, Alta., writes: "Last spring I had Typhoid fever and Bronchitis, which left me with a terrible cough. I tried doctor's medicine but got no relief until my [illegible] me a bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Syrup, and before I had finished it my cough was cured. My husband also uses it whenever he has a cough. I would not be without it."

POLITICS FIGURE IN THE PULPIT

Pittsburg Baptist Ministers Hired to Boost Candidate.

WERE TO GET $100 EACH

Baptist Pastor Reveals Deal by Which Republican Nominee For Mayor Wanted to Pay Five Reverend Gentlemen to Canvass For Him In Their Sermons and Use Their Influence With Flocks.

Pittsburg, Jan. 19.—Rev. Dr. A. W. Puller, pastor of the Second Baptist Church, a wealthy and prominent congregation, avers that the managers of W. A. Magee, candidate for the Republican nomination for mayor of Pittsburg, dickered for the services of five Baptist clergymen as press agents, the work to be done from the pulpit.

Those in charge of the Baptist congregations here, in addition to the Rev. Dr. Puller, are the Revs. Sims, Webb, Henderson and Scott. The five of them, according to Rev. Dr. Puller, were summoned last Wednesday to the office of William A. Roberts, a rich business man and friend of Magee. Puller says he will produce witnesses who he stationed outside of the door to hear what took place. The five pastors were invited, he says, to "boost" Magee in talks or sermons from their pulpits, and also to surrender personal letters which each had received from John Steele, another candidate for mayor. Each of the ministers was to receive $100 in payment for services rendered.

Rev. Dr. Puller alleges that Rev. Mr. Scott made the arrangements with him, and apparently was conducting the affair. Puller revealed the proposed transaction to friends previous to the meeting in Robert's office and was advised to see it through.

Roberts says Rev. Dr. Puller is angry with him because he refused to extend a mortgage on his home and that Puller more than any of the others arranged the meeting in the office.

SAMPSON'S STRENGTH

Will Not Resist the Pulling Down Influence of a Kidney Aching Back

The strongest man or woman with a back constantly aching finds daily existence a struggle. Its the same way with urinary troubles. Booth's Kidney Pills cure these ailments. Peterborough people prove this statement.

W. Wormington, No. 121 Brock street, Peterborough, Ont., says: "I had suffered with rheumatism for over three years. I had found little or no relief in any of the remedies I had tried. I became so stiff and sore that I could scarcely turn in my bed and had to lay off from my work. The urine was highly coloured and filled with a heavy sand-like sediment which plainly told the disordered state of the kidneys. I tried Booth's Kidney Pills through an advertisement at McDermid & Jury's Pharmacy. I was surprised to see how quickly the urine cleared. The kidneys were soon active, and the uric acid went from my system. The rheumatism gradually became less severe and finally left me. I am better than in years previous, and could not hesitate to recommend Booth's Kidney Pills." Sold by dealers. Price 50 cents. The R. T. Booth Co., Limited, Fort Erie, Ont., Sole Canadian Agents.

SLEW BECAUSE HE LOVED.

Niagara Falls Italian Murderer Confesses to Crime.

Niagara Falls, N.Y., Jan. 19.—"He killed my mother!" shrieked Mary Candiano when she was yesterday brought face to face at police headquarters with James Noc, the young Italian who stabbed Mrs. Tonnette Candiano to death at her home.

After his identification by the murdered woman's daughter, Noc made a complete confession of the crime to District Attorney Ackerson.

"I killed her because I loved her," declared the murderer. He told the district attorney that the woman had been wooed by him long before her husband died and that she had repulsed his advances.

He was greatly agitated when told that his victim was dead and wept like a child when the information was imparted to him.

It was only after a long and tedious chase that he was caught. He slung his left arm in a sling thinking the police would not seek a foreigner with an injured arm, but Detective-Sergt. Callinan recognised him from the description given by the dead woman's children. He will appear in the Police Court to-day to answer to the charge of murder in the first degree.

PURSUED BY WOLVES.

Thessalon Men Have Thrilling Experience In Woods.

Thessalon, Jan. 19.—While crossing upper Cedar Lake, about 35 miles north of here, in the Township of Gould, John Hope and Robert and David Foster were pursued by a pack of wolves thirteen in number. When the animals got well spread out the party who were well armed, stopped and fired sixteen times at them. The wolves were frightened away

Members of the party say there are swarms of wolves in the vicinity, and a wolf hunt to take place next month is being organized.

Kept Open on Sunday.

St. Thomas, Jan. 19.—The Lord's Day Alliance communicated yesterday with Toronto headquarters in regard to the prosecution of the proprietor of the Empire Moving Picture Theatre.

He refused to listen to persuasion and opened his theatre Sunday night with the Passion Play and sacred songs. Though not advertised he had two good audiences. The crown attorney when appealed to delegated the police chief as censor, but the chief saw nothing objectionable.

ONLY THING THAT HELPED HIS KIDNEYS

British Columbia Lilies Gin Pills.

Chilliwack, B.C.

I divide the year about equally working on this ranch and on various logging claims, being consequently entirely dependent on bodily fitness for a living. At times I have suffered like many others in this country from backache and weak Kidneys, sometimes to the extent of being laid up for weeks together. Having tried many remedies I have pleasure in stating that your Gin Pills are the only one from which I have derived any permanent benefit. I had been using them only a short time when the trouble left me, and has not returned since.

J. EDWARD JAMES.

Try them at our expense. Write for sample box, free if you mention this paper, then, when you see that Gin Pills are helping you, you can get them at your dealer or from us direct, 50c. a box—6 for $2.50.

Dept. B., National Drug & Chemical Co., Limited, Toronto. 118

GIRL WILL RECOVER.

Miss Lottie Tester Not Seriously Hurt In Grimsby Accident.

Grimsby, Jan. 19.—Miss Lottie Tester, seriously injured in Saturday morning's railway crossing accident when five were killed, is improving in the hospital at Hamilton, and her recovery is assured. Baby Tester, the 11-months-old survivor, shows no ill effects. The funeral of Mr. and Mrs. George Tester yesterday was largely attended.

Miss Tester has given the following account of the accident:

"We were all in the best of spirits and never gave the danger of the track a thought. I was sitting at the back of the rig, near Gordon Nelson, and the first intimation I had that the express was approaching was when Mr. Wilson, who was driving, stood up and attempted to rein in the horses. I knew a train was due at three o'clock, but did not think it was that late when we approached the crossing. The horses stopped suddenly and wheeled around, and then the engine crushed full tilt into them."

She felt herself flying in the air with great force. Twice the sleigh had stopped to unload a portion of the passengers. At the corner of the main street Arthur Wentworth and Mr. Burt got out and said goodbye cheerily to their friends. The sleigh drove on and again it stopped when Orian Colwell dropped off.

Roblin Signs Answer.

Winnipeg, Jan. 19.—Premier Roblin on Saturday signed a reply of Premiers of the three Prairie Provinces to the Grain Growers' Association, on the latter's proposal for Government ownership of internal elevators.

The report was then sent west for signatures of Premiers Scott and Rutherford.

It is expected it will be in the Grain Growers' secretary's hands in about ten days.

In this connection it will be remembered that without committing himself to any action, Premier Scott recently announced that if the Government assumed ownership it would be only on condition that the handling of the grain became a Government monopoly.

New Dean Chosen.

Kingston, Jan. 19.—The committee appointed by St. George's Cathedral congregation to select a rector in succession to Bishop Farthing of Montreal, has unanimously chosen Rev. Dr. E. J. Bidwell, head master of Bishop's College School, Lennoxville, Que., and the choice has been confirmed by the Bishop of Ontario.

Dr. Bidwell has accepted. He will be made Dean of Ontario by the bishop. It is likely he will take up his duties at an early date, but will not move his family until about May 1. He is the son of an English clergyman, is 43 years of age, was ordained in 1892, and has been in Canada since 1903.

Defrauded Three Hotels.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 19.—F. Thorpe, alias William Gage, 26 years of age, salesman, who says Toronto is his headquarters, and Simcoe his home, was placed under arrest Sunday afternoon, on the charge of defrauding the Griswold, Metropole, and Normandie hotels of board bills. Thorpe says that he came here several weeks ago looking for work.

Rabies Tie Up Village.

Albany, N.Y., Jan. 19.—Commissioner Pearson of the State Department of Agriculture, yesterday announced that he had ordered a quarantine of the town and village of Lowville, Lewis County, owing to the presence of rabies.

It is expected that a quarantine will be ordered in Chemung County.

Elevator Falls, Seven Hurt.

Chicago, Jan. 19.—Seven members of a theatrical company playing at a north side theatre were injured, four of them seriously, when an elevator at the Revere House fell. The players injured were: Koviola Jones, Viola Russell, Edith Gill, Lillian Birg, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dupont, and Agnes Madison. All will recover.

Miners Back to Work.

Pittsburg, Jan. 19.—Due directly to the recent rise in the rivers, which permitted the shipment of 15,000,000 bushels of coal to southern ports, a large number of river coal mines in this vicinity resumed operations yesterday, affording employment to about 5,000 miners.

Runs Mile In Nightrobe.

Chatham, Jan. 19.—John Richmond, a delirious patient at St. Joseph's Hospital, escaped at an early hour yesterday morning, and ran over a mile in the snow, clad only in his nightrobe. He was afterwards captured at a farm house.

Want Eight Licenses Cut Off.

Kingston, Jan. 19.—A deputation from the Moral and Social Reform League waited on the City Council with a petition asking that eight tavern licenses be cut off. The matter was referred to the finance committee.

Kills Family and Himself.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 19.—With their heads submerged in water in a bathroom at their home, W. L. Seeley, an attorney, aged 56, his wife, aged 50, and daughter, Rose, aged 22, were found by F. W. Zibbell and Guy M. Smelser, yesterday. Smelser was engaged to marry Miss Seeley, and Zibbell was a friend of the family.

Mrs. Seeley and her daughter had been murdered with blows inflicted with some blunt instrument, believed to have been a hammer. Seeley had been drowned, according to Coroner Snyder.

Over the corpses of Seeley and his wife was a steamer trunk. An empty chloroform bottle was on the stand in the bathroom. Clutched in one hand of Seeley, which was beneath the water, was a pocket handkerchief which, although soaked in water, still carried a faint trace of the odor of chloroform.

Lakes to Gulf Canal.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 19.—In his inaugural address to the Legislature yesterday, Governor Deneen said:

"It seems to be now an established fact that the Canadian Government is seriously considering the construction of the Georgian Bay Canal, which will give to Canada a deep waterway from the lakes to the Atlantic seaboard, and there should be a speedy beginning on the part of the United States and the states interested in the construction of the lake-to-the-gulf waterway, in order that this country may stand upon an equality in all commercial advantages with Canada and Great Britain."

Charged With Blackmail.

Toronto, Jan. 19.—Mrs. Jos. Hubbard, who was arrested Sunday at Uno Park, north of Cobalt, by Provincial Detective Greer, charged with writing letters to John Waklin, Cannington, was taken through Toronto yesterday to the county jail at Whitby, where she is detained. It is alleged that she wrote a letter saying that if Waklin did not send $500 to her husband, she would blow up his house with dynamite. She is said to have written other letters to Port Perry, Ont., containing similar threats.

C.P.R. Switchman Killed.

Toronto, Jan. 19.—Mike Carney, a C.P.R. switchman, 21 years of age, living with his parents on Margueretta street, West Toronto, met with a shockingly sudden death in the yards there shortly before one o'clock this morning.

No. 56, an eastbound freight train, was just pulling into the station, when Carney, who was at the rear, attempted to jump on the front platform of the van. He missed his footing and fell under the wheels, which passed over his body, cutting it in two.

John H. Woodbury a Suicide.

New York, Jan. 19.—John H. Woodbury, who had been engaged for some years in the business of removing facial deformities and otherwise improving the personal appearance, committed suicide at Coney Island yesterday by shooting.

It is believed that Mr. Woodbury had been much worried by suits brought against him by several persons who alleged that his treatment had been harmful.

Seven Burned to Death.

Johnstown, Pa., Jan. 19.—Seven foreigners who are said to have been stupified from liquor served at a wedding celebration on Sunday, were burned to death in a fire which destroyed three houses at Goodtown, Somerset County, yesterday.

Turgeon Out.

Quebec, Jan. 19.—The resignation of Hon. Adelarde Turgeon as Minister of Lands and Forests, was submitted to the Lieutenant-Governor yesterday morning and was accepted.

Record Gas Flow.

Lethbridge, Alta., Jan. 19.—The C.P.R. have struck a splendid flow of gas at Bow Island.

A. M. Grace tested the flow and it indicates 5,941,960 cubic feet every 24 hours, four times as great as any Canadian gas well.

Charged With Usury.

Chatham, Jan. 19.—W. White, a wealthy local moneylender, came up for his preliminary hearing at the Police Court yesterday, on a charge of usury. He pleaded not guilty, but has not yet elected as to how he shall be tried.

Steamboat Merger.

Detroit, Jan. 19.—Announcement is made that a merger of the Detroit and Cleveland Navigation Co. and the Detroit and Buffalo Steamboat Co. will probably be adopted at the annual meetings of the two companies next month.

Protest Against Big Navy.

Boston, Jan. 19.—A demonstration against a further increase of the United States navy, signed by 224 clergymen of various denominations in Boston and vicinity, was sent to Congress yesterday.

Western Millionaire Killed.

Salt Lake City, Jan. 19.—J. G. Wood of Salt Lake City, millionaire mine owner, and perhaps the largest sheep owner in the west, was instantly killed by an engine in the yards Sunday evening.

British Steamer Wrecked.

Cuxhaven, Jan. 19.—The British steamer Fidra has been wrecked off Amrum and is a total loss. The Fidra carried a crew of 18, and it is believed that most of them perished.

SCOTT'S EMULSION

cures coughs and colds, sore, tight chests, not by "dope," but by increasing the strength and enriching the blood.

All Druggists.

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Canadian Club Begins The Year With Splendid Meeting

Rev. Dr. Gould Gave Entertaining and Educative Address on "Recent Crisis in Turkey" at Banquet in National Hotel---Affair Was a Complete Success and Delighted the Members of the Club.

The first meeting of the Canadian Club of this city for the new year was held last night in the National Hotel, when a representative assembly of the members of the Club enjoyed a most instructive and entertaining address delivered by Dr. S. H. Gould on "The Recent Crisis in Turkey." The speaker is a medical missionary of the Church of England, and has spent the last eleven years in Palestine where the broad experience he gained by personal contact with the people of the east fully qualified him to speak intellectually and comprehensively on this, one of the most important of current issues.

The affair last night was of a most pleasant nature from more standpoints than one. The attendance was fairly large. It might have been better, but the fifty or sixty who

MR. DANIEL O'CONNELL,
The new President of the Canadian Club who occupied the chair last night at the first meeting under his regime.

were fortunate in hearing Dr. Gould will remember the delightfulness of the meeting the success of which should bring out larger numbers at the next. The supper which was served by Mine Host Dennison amply justified all the compliments which were paid the cuisiniere of the National Hotel. The entire courses were daintily prepared and most acceptably served. The dining room was thrown open shortly before eight o'clock and everything was carried out in a manner which reflected no small degree of credit upon those who were in charge of the arrangements.

The Speaker Introduced

When full justice had been done the appetizing dinner, the President of the Club, Mr. Daniel O'Connell, introduced Dr. Gould in a few well chosen words. The latter expressed his appreciation of the privilege of speaking before the Canadian Club of Peterborough, and immediately took up the subject of his discourse. He stated, that he would try to unravel the operative causes that had brought about the so-called bloodless revolution which had led to the establishment of a form of constitutional government in Turkey. The term bloodless was misapplied, he stated, and in considering the causes which had brought about the change there must be summed up all the bloodshed during the 26 years of the reign of the present Sultan. There must be considered, Dr. Gould continued, the Armenian massacre, the secret slaughter of thousands of the best men of Turkey, the exiling of as many others and the sudden disappearances of influential men who never returned.

His subject was divided into two parts. First, the constructive forces which helped build up the reform and second, the destructive forces which collected back on the old regime disrupting it and bringing about its overthrow. Under the first class here was the work of the British Ambassador at the time of the Crimean trouble. This was really the date of the rise of the young Turkish party. Then there was England's work in Egypt which spread into all the surrounding countries and inspired in the young men dreams of times when they too would enjoy the liberties which they saw around them. Under British rule Egypt was raised from bankruptcy to the position of being one of the most prosperous countries on the shores of the Mediterranean and its prosperous condition when contrasted with the maladministration of Turkey, had produced a marked effect on the public mind.

Other Influences

Another influence was the educative work of the Christian bodies throughout the Turkish empire. During the last fifty years the primary and secondary education has been carried on mostly under the guidance and care of missionaries from the various religious bodies that were sent from the west. Then there was the building of railways which created a force which was not for seen by those who were responsible for their construction. The Bagdad Railway carried on under German auspices was the visible sign of the preeminence of German influence in Turkey. It was looked upon in Constantinople as being of selfish interests and not for the best interests of the Turkish empire.

Another reason was the existence of foreign post offices in Turkey. In the capital every nation of the west has a post office as this was found necessary owing to the utter unreliability of the Turkish office. The officials open any letter they please and keep it. The administration of the telegraph system was another of the forces which combined together in the reform work.

Destructive Forces

The true of these forces which acted as it were as a boomerang on the old regime was the condition of the Christians under the Mohammedan law. Mohammedanism divided the world into two parts or houses, the one being the house of the believer and the other the house of the unbeliever. The believer or the Mohammedan is supreme before the law if the other party is a Christian, one of the other house. "No Christian could go to law with a Mohammedan," the speaker said. Dr. Gould gave several illustrations which vividly portrayed this fact. They were amusing in the absurdity of their utter injustice.

Another of these forces was the maladministration of justice or the administration of injustice. Again there was the ever continuing state of rebellion that existed among the Turks themselves. This was the result of the most negligent and cruel treatment of the soldiers who went out to fight. Dr. Gould told of one case where an army of 85,000 troops were sent out to suppress the Yemen uprising and of that number about 65,000 lost their lives through starvation. On another occasion an army of 1,000 men left Jerusalem for a march of 500 miles and the entire commisariat was composed of a few bags of unground grain.

Secret Police

The Turkish empire was swarming from end to end with paid spies and secret police. The police could secretly arrest any man at any time and any place and spirit him away out of existence.

Another cause was the insatiable appetite of local and provincial governors for more funds. One evil from this was the forced subscriptions. A wealthy Turk would be obtained to put his name to the head of a list, and the Christians who had any money had to subscribe to the same amount. Finally the first Turk would not have to pay anything.

Another reason was the fact that boundless tracts of fine land was the private property of the Sultan. Lands in the Euphrates Valley which required irrigation were rendered useless by the stemming back of the water after which the Sultan purchased it for a mere pittance. The degradation of the central power was another of the disruptive forces.

This Dr. Gould said worked most for the overthrow of the old regime. The natural pride of the Turks suffered at the continued humiliation the Empire by western powers. The soldiers were in arrears and the navy was worm-eaten and neglected. Rottenness was rampant in every department.

The forced conscriptions of soldiers had a bad influence and they had to take as much as the greedy officials were willing to give them. This unrest and feeling of dissatisfaction helped the reform movement for the soldiers were secretly banded together and at a given signal rose to overthrow the old customs.

Obstacles to Success

Dr. Gould concluded his address by summing up the obstacles which he thought would prove stumbling blocks to the new reform. There was the inbred adverseness to liberalism, the result of centuries of the old regime, the incompatibility of religious sects and the degenerating system of polygamy.

Dr. Gould's excellent and well planned address was concluded by saying that it would be next to wonderful if the reform movement survives, but that there were forces to offset its obstacles.

A vote of thanks was moved by Mr. F. D. Kerr, seconded by Mr. D. H. Gushes-Charles to Dr. Gould, both of whom expressed their appreciation of and pleasure in listening to such an able treatise on a subject which was almost incomprehensible to Canadian people.

Mr. O'Connell in an appropriate speech, conveyed the hearty thanks of the club to Dr. Gould who said that it was a pleasure to him to impart some of the facts which he had learned by travel to those who had not the privilege of living with these people.

Fire Chief Howard's Report; List Of Requirements For Fire Department For Present Year

At the meeting of the Fire, Water and Light Committee last night Chief Howard submitted a list of the requirements of the Fire Department for next year. The Committee spent considerable time in going over the list, cutting off several items which it was thought could be done without. The Chief also presented his report for the half year.

The chief of the Fire Department submitted a long list of requirements for the department for the ensuing year. Many of the articles asked for were in connection with the new men suggested but which the committee decided not to have, and these consequently were struck off. The committee also struck off the list all other items which were not absolutely necessary. Another list was made out of articles which might have to be purchased, but which could be got along without. The committee spent a lot of time on the matter and pared the list down as fine as possible. The list is as follows;—

Estimates for the department for 1909—

Chief	$1250
Assist. chief	700
Engineer	600
Eight firemen, each $525	4400
New men (call)	240
Watchman	120
	$7910
Detroit door opener	$ 35 0
One clock...	8 0
Seven pair rubber shoes	35.0
Seven black rubber coats	35.0
Two sets improved harness hangers	48 0
500 feet hose	500 0
Three horses	700 0
One set double harness	110.0
Rubber tarpaulins	25.0
One set improved reins, snaps and holders	4.0
Hose coupling for old hose	50.0
Half dozen ladder straps	4.5
Two mattresses	10 0
Fuel	250 0
Incidentals	100 0
Running expenses	2000 0
Stands at river for engine.....	200 0
12 new suits for men	300 0
12 uniform caps	26 0
Sleight tracks for apparatus...	75.0
Volt meters	32.0

To this list may be added several other items and one or two may be taken off. A supplimentary list was made out and will be looked into by the committee.

It was moved by Ald. Morgan and Ald. Turner that this committee purchase all supplies as near as possible in the city. Prices will be considered.—Carried.

On motion of Ald. Hicks and Ald. Turner, the clerk was instructed to write to the secretary of the Underwriters' Association, and acknowledge the receipt of their inspector's report and ask him if any action has yet been taken as to the improvements already made here.—Carried.

Moved by Aldermen Hicks and Turner, that the chairman be authorized to purchase fifteen tons coal for the fire hall.—Carried.

The Chief's Report

Chief Howard of the Fire Department made the following report:—

Peterborough, Jan. 11, 1909.

To the Chairman and Committee, On Fire, Water and Light.

Gentlemen,—Following the usual custom I have the honor to submit herewith the half yearly report of the Fire Department for the period July the 1st, to December the 31st, 1908.

During the half year ending December the 31st, the Department responded to 75 alarms of fire, in the following manner, and from the various mentioned.

Alarms sent in by street boxes ...	42
Alarms sent in by telephone	28
Verbal or Still alarms	5
Total	75

The number of fires occurring,—

From 6.00 a. m. to 6.00 p.m	39
From 6.00 p.m. to Midnight	22
From Midnight to 6.00 a. m.	14
Total	75

Causes

Flues	12
Overheated stove pipe	1
Cigarette stubb	3
Test by Mayor	1
Defective forege	1
Children and matches	6
Overheated stove	1
Sparks from smoke stack	2
Gas explosion	1
Spark from Locomotive	4
Unknown	2
Defective chimney	1
Incendry	3
Explosion of Gasoline	1
Chimney	17
Hot Fire	1
Grass Fire	5
Bush fire	1
Boys smoking	1
Defective wiring	2
Spark from chimney	1
Hot journal	1
Cigar stubb	1
Burning leaves	1
Underwriters Test	1
Railway collision	1
Accidental by match	1
Spontaneous combustion	1
Wood ashes	1
Total	75

The damage by fire as near as can be ascertained amounts to $3,077.00. The greater portion of the Fire Loss occurred in the outlaying districts, where water was not available, and demonstrates the urgent need of a Chemical Fire Engine for this city.

The number of feet of hose used at fires was 24,300 feet.

Chemicals used 324 gallons.

Ladders used 1,016 feet.

Apparatus travel, 109 1-2 miles.

I regret very much having to report that the fire of August the 29th at the rear of 204 Charlotte street, was attended with fatal results. The late John Grelr was so badly burned by the explosion of gasoline that he died the following day.

The Municipal Council of 1908 undertook the re-organization of the Fire Department, which took effect July the 1st, last, with the appointment of a permanent Chief, and staff of firemen, such as is generally termed a fully paid Department.

From the time of my appointment I have conducted regular fire drill. This drill has proved a material advantage and an additional protection to the citizens.

Attached to this report you will please find da stock sheet, containing every dollar's worth of material on hand at the time of taking stock; December 31st, 1908. I also attach an estimate of the expenditure required for the Department for the year 1909.

It affords me much pleasure to report upon the good conduct of my men; they have at all times conducted themselves in a gentlemanny manner, and have been courteous and polite to persons visiting the Fire Station, and diligent in the performance of their duties.

Two members of the staff met with slight accidents which rendered them incapable for a few days. The general health of the Department has been excellent.

I desire to tender my sincere thanks to the public press for the many kind references to the Fire Department, and myself, during the half past year; and also to the officials and heads of the respective Departments, who have always shown a disposition to assist me in the performance of my duties. The Chief of Police and his staff of constables have rendered valuable assistance to the Fire Department, on several occasions; a kindness we highly appreciate.

In conclusion I desire to express my sincere thanks to His Worship the Mayor, and the Aldermen of last year's Council for their uniform courtesy and kindness to me personally, and for their generous help and co-operation, and also for the prompt manner in which they acted upon my recommendations and suggestions. I sincerely hope the friendly relations that characterized the affairs of the last six months will be continued.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

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BETTER DISTRIBUTION OF LIGHT

To the Editor of The Examiner:

Dear Sir:—Now that the Mayor and Council of the City have donned their civic garb of office and are getting to work, I ask permission to call their attention to the street lighting plant of the city. The carbon lamps in use do not appear to be best adapted for the purpose of street lighting, as they cast a shadow in many places where light is required. If the lamps were properly adjusted a good deal of improvement would result; the lamps should be placed to cast their shadow across the street, in place of along the street as at present. Again some of the street lights are placed ten or twelve feet, and others at forty to fifty feet above the street. Now surely they cannot be all well placed as to height; the light rays radiate in all directions, perpendicular as well as horizontal, it would appear where the street is moderately level, that the lights should be as low as not to interfere with traffic on the street, as more rays of light would then fall in the zone requiring light, than when lamps are high up the reason for this will be obvious.

Permit me again to urge that all lights for street lighting purposes should be placed in the middle of the street, where they will as much as possible be removed from shadow obstruction. Last year an attempt was made and a few lights were placed on arms a few feet out on the street is very much of a failure, although costing a considerable sum of money each.

A good light should be placed at each Church for the accommodation of night worshippers.

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Editor Post Card Column.

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MISSION ADDRESS AT KNOX CHURCH

Rev. H. J. Keith Spoke at Meeting of the Young People's Society Last Night.

It was Missionary Night with the Knox Church Young People's Society last evening, and an address was given by Rev. H. J. Keith. The subject was "The Missionary Problems in China." It was pointed out that there was only a handful of white people to 400,000,0000 Chinese in China. The western race must give their sympathy and help to the eastern; their customs and manners were different, one to the other. The Gospel of Jesus Christ was the only solution of the question.

Education in China was another problem to be solved by the leaders in the missionary cause. The Canadian Missions want to send out three young men able to teach the Chinese the way to teach the Gospel to others, not to preach, as most missionaries are doing.

In literature there were 11,000 different publications, only 40 Christian, 100 non-Christian, yet 50 novels can be published in a year. That is also a problem that is before us to-day. To the great population of 400,000,000 in China only 4,000 missionaries are preaching the Gospel. The numbers should be multiplied, for the need is great, the land is unoccupied by those who can be missionaries if they would.

The address was much appreciated by all. A trio by Messrs. McCannon, Galley and Davenport brought the meeting to a close.

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Sanitary Wool Fleece Shirts and Drawers, in sizes up to 24, regular sizes up to 24, worth 25c per garment. To be cleared out in this week's Annex at, per garment
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Nearly 5,000 yds. of new spring Laces and Insertions, bought for the Annex. This lot includes Vals., Torchon, etc., from 1 to 4 inches wide. In most cases there are laces and insertions to match, regular 6c to 15c. In the Annex Wednesday, yard,
3c
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Over 300 pairs of Ladies' and Misses' Gloves, a manufacturer's samples—in Cashmere, Ringwood and Wool Knit. All regularly sold at 25c and 35c, but bought up cheap. In the Annex on Wednesday, per pair,
10c

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500 yards of New White Spring Vestings, fine mercerized finish, good quality, beautifully patterned, equal to regular 20 cent and 25 cent cloth, and suitable for waists and dresses. In the Annex Wednesday
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EMBROIDERIES SHARP AT 2 O'CLOCK

Nearly 1,000 yards of new Embroideries and Insertions, from three to five inches wide, new patterns, regular prices are from 10c to 15c. In the Annex at 2 o'clock on Wednesday, not before, yard..... **5c**

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Government Inspector Is Very Favourably Impressed With The Nicholls Hospital

Report of His Inspection Presented at Annual Meeting of the Board Yesterday—Word of Praise for the Superintendent.

MR. RICH. HALL'S ADDRESS.

The annual meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Nicholls Hospital was held yesterday afternoon in the chambers of the Dominion Bank There were present Messrs Richard Hall, chairman; W. H. Hill, J. McClelland, W. Kemp, W. Aldridge, W. Madill and Rev. J. G. Potter. The minutes of the last annual meeting were read and confirmed. Before the secretary's report was presented Mr. Rich Hall in the following remarks reviewed briefly the work

MR. JOHN CRANE,
Re-elected Secretary-Treasurer of the Nicholls Hospital Board,

that had been done during the past year.

The Members of the Nicholls Hospital Board, Peterborough, Ont.

Gentlemen—It is with much personal gratification that I am able to testify at this time to the continued and well deserved popularity of the Nicholls Hospital In all the departments pertaining to the treatment and comfort of the sick there is every evidence of effectual administration. The superintendent, Miss Adele Matter has been faithful and unremitting in her duties and has done her part in giving the Hospital the high standing it now enjoys.

For some months attention has been given to the painting and improvement of the wards, the result of which has been to impart to them a bright and cheery appearance.

Considerable outlay has been incurred in providing a full complement of furnishings, linen, etc.

During the year Miss McGregor was appointed assistant superintendent and she has admirably fulfilled the expectation of the Board and has justified the high recommendation submitted to the Board at her appointment.

A large ice house has been built which will provide for ice supply he year round.

The medical staff continue to perform their duties with the utmost fidelity and are most attentive to the free patients, who are placed under their charge.

I wish to congratulate the Board on the excellent code of by-laws, rules and regulations recently adopted for the government of the various departments of the Hospital.

The secretary will now present his financial report and I am glad to note that we were able to end the year with a substantial balance on hand.

RICHARD HALL,
Chairman

Secretary's Report

The report of the secretary was then presented by Mr. John Crane, as follows—

Receipts

Balance on hand	$2070.76
Income from endowment	11379.90
Pay patients	6151.77
Prov. of Ontario grant	1592.52

Expenditures

Provisions of all kinds	3506.22
Drugs, medicines and surgical Appliances	2514.43
Salaries and wages	4705.20
Repairs	2322.56
Fuel and light	1522.86
Furnishings, napery, etc.	1871.91
Water and ice	332 99
Other expenses not above enumerated	850.41
Balance on hand	3103.26
	$21,194.95

Liabilities

Endowment fund	$220,000.00
Building fund	31200.00
Real estate	38560.01
Furniture account	600 00
Cash in bank	3103.26
Contingent	5000 00
	$303,803.26

Assets

Assets	$300,700 00
Revenue and expenditure	3,103 26
	$303,803 26

The report was received and referred to the city auditors.

Election of Officers

The election of officers was then proceeded with and resulted as follows:

Chairman—Mr. Richard Hall.
Hon. Sec.—Mr. W. H. Hill.
Sec.-Treas.—Mr. John Crane.

Supervision Committee — Messrs. W. Madill, W. Kemp, H. Rush, with chairman and Hon. Secretary ex-officio.

Finance Committee—Messrs. J. W. Bennet, W. Aldridge, and Rev. J. G. Potter, with the chairman and Hon. Secretary ex-officio. Mr. Aldridge is chairman of this committee.

Property Committee—J. McClelland, J. J. McBain, John Green and the chairman and Hon. Secretary ex-officio. Mr. McClelland is chairman of this committee.

Visiting Committee—January and July, Rev. Mr. Coon and H. Rush, Esq.; February and August, Messrs. J. Green and J. McClelland; March and September, Rev. J. G. Potter and Mr. W. Aldridge; April and October, Messrs. W. Kemp and J. J. McBain; May and November, Messrs. W. Madill and J. W. Bennett; June and December, Mr. J. Stevenson and Rev. Dr. Langfeldt.

Inspector's Report

The report of the government inspector of the Nicholls Hospital was very complimentary and satisfactory. He summed up his observations thus: "My visit of inspection impressed me favourably in regard to the careful manner in which this hospital is conducted, and the efficient management is very commendable.

"The dietary is excellent."

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January Sale of LADIES' WHITEWEAR

We take great pleasure in announcing **Our Annual January Sale of Ladies' Whitewear.** Commencing Tuesday Morning, continuing for the balance of the month, when we will have displayed for your inspection the best values in **fresh, crisp, New Whitewear** we have ever shown.

Night Dresses
Skirts, Drawers
Corset Covers

We invite the ladies to visit our store during the **January Sale of Whitewear** and see the extra special price inducements we are offering.

Harry Adams

OFFICERS OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Were Re-elected for 1909—Auction Sale of Periodicals and Magazines.

The annual sale of periodicals and magazines at the Public Library was held last night, when a fairly good sale was the result.

Prior to the auction the officers for the coming year were elected, as follows:

Chairman—Dr. Burnham.
Vice-Chairman—W. H. Hill.
Sec.-Treas.—John Corkery.
The committee was re-elected.

Simply Astonishing

The amount of money there is thrown away on imperfect and unsuitable glasses — which fail to give satisfaction to their wearers. : : : :

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REMAINS OF FATHER O'CONNELL LAID TO REST THIS MORNING

The funeral of the late Father O'Connell was very largely attended, people coming from a very long distance to pay their last respects to their respected Father. The funeral took place from St. Joseph's Hospital, and proceeded to the Cathedral where high mass was celebrated by Father Hogan of Kingston, the sermon being preached by Father Dancer, of Toronto. The pall bearers were Father O'Connell, of Warkworth; Father O'Sullivan, Victoria Road; Father P. McGuire, Father M. McGuire, Father O'Leary, Father Phelan, of Young's Point. Most of the priests of the Diocese were present, among them were Father Conway, of Norwood; Father Kirby, of Douro; Father Murray, of Cobourg; Father Scanlen, of Grafton. Father Fitzpatrick was here yesterday but was unable to be present on account of a wedding that he had to perform. Father O'Connell's sister, Mrs. Donoghue, with her children, was present also.

The Master of Ceremonies was Chief O'Reilly, who is private secretary to Archbishop Gauthier, of Kingston.

Lost His Purse Near Church Gate Taking Out Silver Piece

On Sunday of a week ago a young man from Campbellford was going into the George Street Methodist Church and at the gate took out his purse to obtain a piece of silver for the collection. After church he was practically broke. His purse was gone and he had only a little change left. The man had lost his pocketbook at the gate. He returned to Campbellford, and on Monday left with a consignment of cattle for the west. Chief Constable Linn has written Chief Ruzel, asking him to forward the purse to Campbellford if it is found. It contained $30 or more in five dollar bills.

CHARGES AGAINST FIRE CHIEF READ AT COMMITTEE MEETING

Somewhat of a sensation was caused at the meeting of the Fire, Water and Light Committee of the City Council last night when a letter was read from ex-alderman Johnston, making charges of a very serious nature against Fire Chief Howard. The letter which was read to the committee by Chairman Fuller was a lengthy one and went into the charges against the head of the fire department at some length. The latter officials are stated to have occurred during last year. After the letter had been heard by the committee the chairman explained that Mr. Johnston wished an opportunity to appear before the committee to substantiate his charges. It was decided to hold a special meeting of the committee on Thursday evening of this week when the matter will be gone thoroughly into. Both ex-Ald. Johnston and Chief Howard will be present before the committee and the charge will be pushed to the bottom.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25 cents.

Skate Grinding, Banks under the Market Clock, 2d-14

PROTEST AGAINST THE APPOINTMENT

Members of Fire Brigade Do Not Want Fireman Grange Appointed.

At last night's meeting of the Fire, Water and Light Committee a letter was read signed by nine members of the fire brigade protesting against the appointment of Foreman Grange to the position of assistant chief, stating that if the appointment was made that they would refuse to work under him. The matter was discussed by the committee at some length and it was finally decided to leave the matter in the hands of the chief and also that all matters in reference to the department should be communicated to the chief.

FAST GAME IN CHURCH LEAGUE

Will be Played on Knox Church Rink in the Senior Series.

The Church League fixture to-night will probably be the best of the season. St. Andrew's meet Knox Church on the latter's ice from 7 to 8. Both teams have been going strong and to-night's affair should be fast and hard. St. Andrew's will line up as follows:—Goal, Patterson; Point, McDonald; C. Point, Flannigan; Rover, Stanton; Centre, H. Rue; right wing, Currie; left wing, Dormer.

"PRIVATE SECRETARY" TO BE PLAYED FEB. 1

On Monday night, February 1st, that famous comedy "The Private Secretary" will be produced in the Grand Opera House. From all appearances this comedy will be even more successful than "All the Comforts of Home," and no one should miss it. The following are the principals forming the caste: Messrs. B B Gillespie, Wm. Hillhouse, D B McRae, Chas Barber, A C Yokoma, W S Davidson, T A Savigney, R M Moore and Irving Beers. Ladies — Misses May Overend, Margaret Brooks, Bessie Brightman and Mrs. J N Barber. Under the direction of Irving Beers.

A GOOD START.

If someone were to hand you Seven Hundred Dollars in cash, you would have a good start in life, and this is what will happen to some fortunate person shortly after May 31, next.

The Orange Meat Company will give the above prize besides several other large cash prizes to the persons who send in the largest number of bottoms cut from their boxes of Orange Meat.

Your chances are as good as anyone else if you commence saving at once, or better still, get your friends to help you, or form a club and send in under one name.

For further particulars see post card in each package of Orange Meat.

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Clear the skin of chap, roughness and redness with our excellent

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Our method of Stock Reduction is PRICE REDUCTION. While present stock lasts prices of these Heaters slashed like this:—

1 No. 18 Wondar Oak, regular price $12.50, Sale Price..... 9.95
A very neat Stove, with Nickel Top, Band and Skirt, Flat Shaker Grate and Ash Pan.

3 No. 18 Royal Record Oaks, reg. price $13.50, Sale Price 10.50
A splendid medium-sized Stove, with Nickel Ban and Skirt, Flat Shaker Grate and Mica Doors,

1 No. 548 Oak Idea, regular price $14.50, Sale Price 11.50

1 No. 46 Oak Idea, regular price $13.50, Sale Price 10.50
Fine Heaters, with Nickel Top, Band and Skirt and Roller Grates.

1 No. 17 Royal Record Oak, regular price $16, Sale Price 13.00
A Good, Big Stove, made with Nickel Band and Skirt, Mica Door and Flat Shaker Grate.

2 No. 14 Walker Plain Oaks, regular price $14, Sale Price 10.50

1 No. 16 Walker Plain Oaks, regular price $16, Sale Price 12.50

1 No. 18 Walker Plain Oak, regular price $18, Sale Price 14.50

3 No. 14 Walker Brilliant Oaks, regular $15, Sale Price 11.50

2 No. 16 Walker Brilliant Oaks, regular $17, Sale Price 13.50

1 No. 18 Walker Brilliant Oak, regular $19, Sale Price 15.50
Finished in the best style, with Nickel Top Bands, Skirts and Feet, Improved Roller Grates and Patent Smoke and Gas Shield.

1 No. 2 Quebec Idea Heaters, regular price 6.50, Sale Price 5.50

1 No. 3 Quebec Idea Heater, regular price 8.50, Sale Price 6.50

1 No. 4 Quebec Idea Heater, reg. price 10.50, Sale Price 8.50

1 No. 15a Oxford Laurel Base Burner, regular $35, Sale Price $20

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PRIVATE MEASURES ARE TO COME UP

Many Small Bills Await Attention of Legislature.

TORONTO NEEDS MUCH LAW

That City Has Big List of Civic Enactments Which It Wants Put on the Statutes — Railways Figure on Lists of Requested Bills—Salvationists to Incorporate—Would Bonus Railroad.

Toronto, Jan. 19.—Applications for legislation are increasing as the opening of the session of the Legislature draws near and private bills threaten to be numerous if not important.

Toronto wants $136,000 debentures or power to use street railway revenue for bridges, paving, eastern entrance to the Exhibition ground and other improvements.

The same city also wants to contribute $10,000 a year to the police fund; to create an audit department; to erect a memorial tablet to Toronto volunteers killed in 1885; to annex East Toronto; to enlarge the borrowing powers of the city; to provide that the electric distribution plant debt shall not count as part of the general debt to permit the issue of debentures for the cost of track elevation and other works.

James G. G. Badgeley has resolved to tempt fate by asking to be allowed to practice law without the usual qualifications. Even veterinary surgeons were denied this privilege last session.

The Salvation Army wants to vest all its property held by trustees or agents in itself and seeks incorporation for this purpose.

Chatham wants to bonus the Chatham, Wallaceburg & Lake Erie Railway Co., and pay 5 per cent. on $50,000 debentures for the purpose.

Cobourg, Peterboro & Kawartha Lakes Electric Railway Co. wants to issue bonds at the rate of $25,000 a mile.

Canadian Casualty & Boiler Insurance Co. would reduce its capital stock.

Cornwall wants to bonus the Modern Bedstead Co. with $20,000.

Peterboro Radial Railway wants an extension of time to build, and to extend to Stoney Lake.

Dunnville, Wellandport & Beamsville Electric Railway Co. wants extensions.

Fort William desires to fix the term of office for its fifth municipal street railway commissioner.

Will Be Tried For Usury.

Ottawa, Jan. 19.—Chas. W. Mitchell, former newspaper publisher at Ottawa, will appear in court on Thursday on a charge of usury. He is alleged to have charged more than 12 per cent. on a loan of $150 to K. Hillman, a Government draftsman, who suicided recently. The Attorney-General's Department have investigated the case.

It is said that many civil servants are in the grasp of men who extort high interest for "accommodation."

Liquor Restrictions In New Zealand.

Wellington, N.Z., Jan. 19.—At a meeting of the Auckland Brewers' and Licensed Victuallers' Association, representing all the wholesale and nearly every member of the retail trade, it was unanimously resolved to abolish barmaids in private bars and to raise the age limit at which youths may be supplied with liquor from 18 to 21. No woman is to be supplied with liquor for consumption on the premises unless she is boarding in the house.

A Royal Wager.

Liverpool, Jan. 19.—The London social letter of The Liverpool Post, which is written by a well-known clubman, says:

"The King on Sunday night declared that the Queen of Spain had made a bet with the Princess of Wales, the stake being a fan, that she (the Queen) would have a larger family than the princess, who now has six children."

Commandant R. M. C.

Kingston, Jan. 19.—It is rumored that Lieut.-Col. Burstall, commanding the Royal Canadian Horse Artillery, will succeed Lieut.-Col. Taylor as commandant of the Royal Military College. He is an old R. M. C. man and graduate of the Staff College, England.

Palpitation of the Heart.

One of the first danger signals that announce something wrong with the heart is the irregular beat or violent throb. Often there is only a fluttering sensation, or an "all gone" sinking feeling; or again, there may be a most violent beating, with flushings of the skin and visable pulsations of the arteries. The person may experience a smothering sensation, gasp for breath and feel as though about to die. In such cases the action of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills in quieting the heart, restoring its normal beat and imparting tone to the nerve centres, is, beyond all question, marvellous. They give such prompt relief that no one need sufer.

Mr. Sylvester Smith, Hampton, N.B., writes:—"I was troubled with palpitation of the heart and tried doctor's medicines, but they only gave me temporary relief. I heard of your Heart and Nerve Pills and bought two boxes and before I had used them I was completely cured and would recommend them to all similarly affected."

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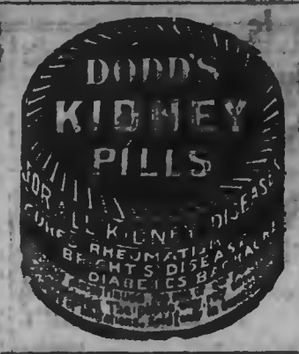

Increase For Civil Servants.

Ottawa, Jan. 19.—It is expected that the Parliamentary estimates at the approaching session will contain provision for a substantial increase in the scale of civil service salaries, based on the large increase which has occurred within recent years in the cost of living.

This increase, if granted, will not be on any percentage basis, but will be in the nature of a flat bonus addition to the salaries of public servants of all classes.

Engine Off Track.

Stratford, Jan. 19.—The engine, baggage car and smoker on the passenger train which leaves Toronto at 8.30 a.m., arriving in Stratford at 12.13, was derailed at Mosboro. Conductor Iles and Engineer Jones of Toronto were in charge of the train. No person was injured. The accident was due to a broken truck on the tender.

Over $5,000 Increase.

Toronto, Jan. 19.—The announcement was made at the offices of the Anglican Missionary Society yesterday that the full returns of the collections for the past year had just been completed.

The reports show a total of $111,637, against $96,817, making a net increase of $5,820.

Telegraphers at Ottawa.

Toronto, Jan. 19.—Representatives of the Order of Railway Telegraphers from all the Canadian railroads will assemble this week in Ottawa. They will petition asking the Dominion Government to enact an eight-hour work day for all telegraphers employed on railroads.

Elopers Overtaken.

Chatham, Jan. 19.—Jules Labute, aged 20, and Georgina Tetreault, aged 17, eloped from Tilbury yesterday and vainly tried to secure a marriage license in Chatham. They were overtaken by the girl's mother, who marched her back to Tilbury.

Bishop of Rochester Dead.

Rochester, N.Y., Jan. 19.—Surrounded by many priests in his parish and without pain, Right Rev. Bernard J. McQuaid, Bishop of Rochester, died yesterday morning after an eight months' illness. Sunday was the 61st anniversary of the bishop's priesthood.

Must Learn Value of Money.

Montreal, Jan. 19.—So that her son, Andrew Erie Copland, would "work for himself and pay his board as his brothers did, independently of any property which he may inherit, and so learn the true value of money," his mother, the widow of Edward H. Copland of Montreal, in her will, directs that he shall not share in her estate of $60,000 until he is 25 years of age.

Negro Is Lynched.

Hope, Ark., Jan. 19.—After forcing the engineer of the light plant to cut off the current, leaving the town in darkness, a party of young men early yesterday took an 18-year-old negro named Hilliard from the County Jail and hanged him to a telegraph pole.

The negro had spoken insultingly to a woman clerk in Haynes Bros.' store on Friday.

Mrs. Maybrick's Life Work.

Washington, Jan. 19.—Mrs. Florence E. Maybrick, who was released from an English prison five years ago, declared here yesterday that she was devoting her life work to prison reform. She appealed to Congress to provide the national capital prisons with humane and sanitary facilities.

Raided Social Clubs.

Winnipeg, Jan. 19.—The License Department renewed their activity on Saturday by raiding the premises of five social clubs, seizing a truckload of booze. The managers will appear in the Provincial Police Court Monday. Among the clubs raided was a negro club.

Relief Officer Resigns.

Brantford, Jan. 19.—City Relief Officer Ben. Hunn resigned yesterday after 30 years' service, retiring on account of advanced years. Ex-Ald. E. S. Eddy is mentioned as his successor.

Worst Blizzard In Years.

Winnipeg, Jan. 19.—Train service is practically at a standstill as a result of one of the worst blizzards in years.

Montreal School Burns.

Montreal, Jan. 19.—Fire at nine o'clock yesterday morning completely destroyed the west wing of the Royal Arthur school, one of the largest Protestant schools in the city. Cause, a defective flue.

Three Children Cremated.

Quebec, Jan. 19.—Three children of six, four and three years of age lost their lives in a fire that destroyed the house of their father, Lewis Nadeau, Beauceville. The parents were visiting.

Jesuit College Burned.

Mobile, Ala., Jan. 19.—The famous Spring Hill College, the largest Jesuit institution in the south, was burned yesterday. No one was injured.

Horse Thief Recaptured.

Brantford, Jan. 19. Miles Parker, horse thief, who broke jail here last summer by scaling a wall, has been arrested at Delhi.

Brantford Relief Officer.

Brantford, Jan. 19.—E. B. Eddy was appointed by the City Council last night as city relief officer, at $300 per year salary.

MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool and Chicago Wheat Futures Close Higher—Live Stock—Latest Quotations.

Monday Evening, Jan. 18.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day ½d to ⅝d higher than on Saturday, and corn remained unchanged to ⅛d higher.

At Chicago, May wheat closed ⅝c higher than on Saturday, May corn closed ½c higher, and May oats closed ⅛c lower.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—January 99½c bid, July $1.03⅝ bid, May $1.01¼ bid.
Oats—January 39⅜c bid, May 41c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	$0 95	to $....
Wheat, red, bush	0 95	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 89	....
Rye, bush	0 89	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 65	....
Peas, bushel	0 85	....
Barley, bushel	0 58	....
Oats, bushel	0 44	....

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 28
Butter, store lots	0 22	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 28	0 30
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 30	0 35
Eggs, cold storage	0 26	0 27
Cheese, large, lb	0 13½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Butter—Barely steady; receipts 5527; creamery, specials, 33½c; official, 32c; extras, 32c to 32½c; third to first, 24c to 31c; held, common to special, 23c to 30c; process, common to special, 25c to 25c; western factory, first, 21½c to 22c; western imitation creamery, first, 23c to 24c.

Cheese—Firm; receipts, 681; state, full cream, specials, 14½c to 15½c; do., fancy, 14¼c; do., good to prime, 14c; winter made, best, 13½c; do., good to prime, 13c to 13c; do., common to fair, 10½c to 11¼c; skims, full to special, 7½c to 13½c.

Eggs—Easier; receipts, 6110; state, Pennsylvania and nearby, fancy, selected, white, 39c to 40c; do., fair to choice, 36c to 38c; brown and mixed, fancy, 35c to 36c; do., fair to choice, 32c to 34c; western first, 32½c to 33c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Steady—Hogs 10c to 25c Higher at Buffalo.

LONDON, Jan. 18.—London cables for cattle are steady, at 12c to 14½c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9½c to 10c per lb.

Toronto Junction Live Stock.

TORONTO JUNCTION, Jan. 18.—Receipts of live stock at the Union Stock Yards were 70 carloads, composed of 1500 cattle, 341 sheep and lambs, with 29 calves.

Exporters.

Export steers sold at $5 to $5.50 per cwt.; export bulls, $4 to $4.60, and two or three prime quality bulls sold at $5 per cwt.

Butchers.

The market for butcher cattle was strong at about the same quotations as were given on Friday last. Prime picked lots of one and two together sold at $4.90 to $5.15; loads of good, $4.60 to $4.85; medium, $4.10 to $4.40; common, $3.75 to $4; cows, $2.50 to $4.50; canners, $1.50 to $2.50 per cwt.

Milkers and Springers.

Between twenty and thirty milkers and springers sold at $35 to $51 each.

Veal Calves.

A few veal calves sold at firm quotations, ranging from $4 to $7 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs.

The market for sheep and lambs continues strong, with prices very firm, as follows: Ewes, $4 to $4.50; rams, $3 to $3.75 per cwt.; lambs, $5.75 to $6.40 per cwt.

Hogs.

Hogs are reported steady, at $6.50 for selects, fed and watered, and $6.25 to drovers, at country points, f.o.b. cars.

Montreal Live Stock.

MONTREAL, Jan. 18.—(Special.)—At the Montreal Stock Yards, West End Markets, the receipts of stock for the week ending Jan. 16, were 2453 cattle, 1118 sheep and lambs, 3401 hogs and 157 calves. The supply for local consumption this morning consisted of 1300 cattle, 650 sheep and lambs, 1890 hogs and 75 calves.

A much stronger feeling has developed in the market for cattle since this day week and prices have scored an advance of ¼c to ½c per pound. This is attributed to the continued small supplies coming forward and the recent strength in the west, coupled with the good demand from local and outside buyers, owing to the very favorable weather prevailing for keeping stock. Another feature of the market this morning was the increased percentage of good to choice stock offered, which also tended to strengthen the situation to some extent as there was some demand from exporters for such and several loads are bought, notwithstanding the fact that cables from Liverpool on Saturday reported trade slow and noted a decline in prices of ¼c to ½c per pound, as compared with last Monday's. The demand from Quebec buyers was also good and they purchased a few loads, consequently an active trade was done. Choice beeves sold at 5¼c to 5½c, good at 4½c to 5c, fair at 4c to 4½c, common at 3c to 3½c, and inferior at 2c to 2½c per pound.

There was no further change in the condition of the market for sheep and lambs, prices being well maintained under a good demand from local and Quebec buyers and as the supplies were rather limited, there was a keener competition and a brisk trade was done. Choice lots of sheep sold at 5½c to 6c, and culls at 3½c to 3½c, while choice lots of lambs brought 5½c to 6c, and good 5¼c to 5½c per lb. The offerings of calves were small, for which the demand was good and prices ruled firm at from $3 to $10 each, as to size and quality.

The market for hogs is unchanged from last Wednesday, but it is much stronger than it was a week ago and prices are 15c to 20c per cwt. higher. Supplies coming forward are small, for which the demand is good, and an active trade was done at $7.15 to $7.25 per cwt., weighed off the cars, for selected lots. Cables from all the leading foreign markets on Canadian bacon last week were stronger and noted an advance in prices of 1s to 2s per cwt., but packers here state that they will have to go much higher than they are before they will be able to export at a profit with hogs at their present level.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Jan. 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 2000 head; choice dull and 10c to 15c lower; others active and 10c to 20c higher; prime steers, $5.25 to $5.65; shipping, $5.50 to $5.85; butchers, $5 to $5.45; heifers, $4 to $5; cows, $3.50 to $5; bulls, $3.25 to $5.

Veals—Receipts, 700 head; active and steady $7 to $10.

Hogs—Receipts, 15,000 head; active and 10c to 15c higher; heavy, $6.05 to $6.75; mixed, $6.40 to $6.70; yorkers, $6.15 to $6.65; pigs, $5.90 to $6; roughs, $5.60 to $5.75; stags, $4 to $4.75; dairies, $6.25 to $6.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 26,000 head; sheep active; wethers 10c lower; lambs slow and 10c lower; lambs, $5 to $7.60; yearlings, $6.50 to $6.75; wethers, $5.50 to $6.05; ewes, $4.75 to $5; sheep, mixed, $2.50 to $5.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—Beeves—Receipts, 4765; steers slow and 10c lower; bulls and cows steady to firm; steers, $5.70 to $6.50; oxen and stags, $3.50 to $5.50; bulls, $3.25 to $4.50.

Calves—Receipts, 2479; slow to 50c lower; veals, $6 to $10; culls, $5; barnyard calves, $3 to $4; westerners, $3.75 to $5.60; Indiana calves, $5 to $6.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 16,170; sheep and yearlings steady; lambs slow and 25c lower; sheep, $3 to $5, ewes and wethers, mixed, $5.50; yearlings, $5 to $6.50; lambs, $7 to $7.75; one car, $7.80, culls, $5.50; culls, yearlings, $4.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 3564; no sales reported.

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Happy is the man who has found his work, and thrice happy the girl.

There is no trouble too great for the work you like. Artistry is doing a thing as well as you can and afterward trying to do it still better.

Work is the grave in which you can bury your griefs. It is the mantle that covers the ugliness of life. It is the great absorber of the humors and moods of the moment. No matter how hard the work—all work worthy of the name is hard—it is a bright jewel, whether in the dull setting of dismal or the bright frame of splendid surroundings.

Find your work! Be sure whether you have not already found it, for what you think is dislike for your work may be the consciousness of having slighted it.

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The Examiner's Sporting Page

RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

PETERBORO' TOOK BELLEVILLE INTO CAMP ON THEIR OWN ICE IN FAST GAME LAST NIGHT BY SCORE OF 4-2

Blue and White Team Were Ahead All the Way and Won Without Much Trouble by Splendid Playing---Combination Was a Feature

EVERY MAN WAS A STAR.

Peterborough's intermediate O.H.A. team showed their class last night by trimming Sandy Burrows' Belleville team on their own ice to the King's taste by four goals to two. The Petes led at the breathing spell by 4—1, and held the homest Reside during the second period, thus winning a creditable victory. They went out in front at the start and remained there, the Dead City septette never having a chance to bring back the bacon, so closely were they looked after by the flying Peterborough team. The winners dished out the choicest kind of hockey all the way, their work showing a 100 per cent. improvement over that displayed on Friday night. They skated Belleville off their feet, checking back like fiends, and they broke away in fine like champions, holding the puck cleverly and accurately and boring right in on the big Belleville defence. The forward line played combination from the drop of the that. Breaking outside their checks they would come sweeping down the ice three and four abreast, and when they got into stride the Belleville advance guard was left in their wake. With better shooting they would have doubled their score as they were working in on top of the nets in great style.

The defence put up hockey of a sterling nature, beating off the Belleville attacks in a manner that promises to make things lively for Lindsay when they clash with the locals on Thursday night. From cover back to the nets they were very strong and the Belleville line, tied up as they were with the Petes coming back and sandwiching in between them to break up their combination, were forced, for the most part, to shoot from well out, and as a result, Glover and Derocher had not much difficulty in brushing the shots to one side.

Belleville on the other hand had little or no combination. True they tried to pass at times but, either transferred widely, or the Peterborough forwards intercepted the pass giving them little opportunity to break away. Their individual efforts were futile Gilbert was the only man who got away very much, and he was brought up with a bang whenever he got down as far as the Peterborough defence, which wasn't often.

The ice was lightning fast and some of the Petes, notably Ray, who had neglected to sharpen their skates, found themselves in difficulty on the glassy surface. The game was fast all the way, being a far better exhibition than the contest here last week. Both teams showed marked improvement and there was no lagging in the play, the puck travelling from one end to the other with lightning rapidity. The contest was not rough, although a few of the Belleville seven handed out some raps that were not called, and got away with the most of it.

Every man on the Peterborough team played grand hockey. They seemed to be as fit as nails and with the whole distance at top speed they checked back hard and never let up from start to finish, and it looks as if there were squalls ahead for Lindsay, all right, all right.

It would be a difficult matter to pick out the star of the forward line where all did so well. Wallie Parnell played a magnificent game at centre, carrying and handling the puck nicely and checking back with very rush, being of most valuable assistance to the defence. Charlie Ray at rover was handicapped by dull skates, but at that he dished out grand hockey, his stick handling and checking leaving nothing to be desired, while he slammed in half of the Peterborough goals. Bill Rose played the game of his career at right wing, especially in the first half. He swept along the boards a la Tom Phillips, taking passes neatly and shooting well. He was on nearly every combination rush and played a most useful game. Ben Dusty at left wing was always in his place, and put up a splendid game, holding his man to perfection and incidentally getting away with a lot of pretty work himself.

Moore at cover was there forty ways and the Belleville line found him an almost insurmountable obstacle. He checked splendidly and made many effective dashes down the ice, helping out his forward line greatly. Glover was as cool and reliable as ever, doing a whole lot of useful defence work and at the same time steadying down the younger members of his team. Derocher repeated his splendid performance of Friday night by putting up a stellar game in the nets. He had considerable to do and handled well several times going out and blocking the shot when the defence had been beaten.

Gilbert who alternated at cover and centre was about the pick of the Belleville team, although he was unnecessarily rough at times. He did some good stick handling and rushing. The Spangenberg brothers were always prominent, and Pepper, at point, put up a fine game, finding in front of a large number of Peterborough shots which looked good enough for goals.

J. H. Noxon, of Toronto, who refereed the Port Hope-Peterborough game here two weeks ago, handled the bell last night and gave satisfaction, although some of his decisions were weird. However, both teams were affected equally, and there can be no kick coming in regard to the work of the arbitrator.

The teams lined up as follows:

PETERBOROUGH
Derocher
Glover
Moore
Ray
Rose — Parnell — Dusty
K. Spangenburg — Reeves

BELLEVILLE
L. Spangenburg
Burke
Gilbert
Pepper
Boland

The play started off at an awful clip, with both sides rushing alternately, and the first few minutes saw some of the liveliest hockey of the night. Belleville were first to get clean away and Reeves got through for a shot which Derocher blocked neatly and relieved into the corner. A moment after Gilbert got away with a nice rush and got through, only to have his shot stopped by Derocher. Then Peterborough broke loose. Glover started a pretty rush, passed to Parnell, who transferred to Rose, and the latter shot straight at Borland, who made a neat stop. A moment later Peterborough tore away again, but Rose's shot was once more stopped. Dusty and Moore rushed together, but Gilbert was in the way and broke up the combination. A few seconds after Ray had a good chance, but Borland made a clever save. Rose was sent away for two minutes for tripping, although it looked like an accident. Gilbert made another nice rush for Belleville, but Derocher was master of the situation and turned the shot aside. Dusty was penalized for tripping, but playing six men to seven Peterborough still pressed. Finally Rose scored the first goal of the game in 12 minutes on a shot from the corner by Parnell, the puck going into the nets off his stick.

Peterborough 1, Belleville 0.

Ray was hurt, but resumed play after a moment's delay. Gilbert shot at Derocher and Belleville claimed a goal. Umpire Holgate, however, declared that it was not a counter and after a long dispute the game was recommenced with the claim not allowed. Burke got a sentence on the fence for slashing. In eleven minutes Ray shoved one past Borland from a scrimmage, after a pretty combination rush.

Peterborough 2, Belleville 0.

Belleville were not long in getting one back. Burke and Gilbert rushed together, but their shot was wide. Dusty secured the puck in the corner and passed across in front of the goal to K. Spangenberg, who had nothing to do but slam the rubber past Derocher in one and one-half minutes.

Peterborough 2, Belleville 1.

Peterborough went right back at the homesters, their clever combination bringing them in close on the nets, and in four minutes Ray took a pass from the corner and beat Borland with a shot from close in.

Peterborough 3, Belleville 1.

A moment after Dusty scored, after a combination rush, but Referee Noxon called the play back. Just why was hard to see from the side. However, a few moments after Parnell broke away neatly, and with Ray and Rose at his side, swept down upon the Belleville nets. He transferred the rubber neatly to Ray, who passed to Rose and the latter scored in four minutes on a neat shot.

Peterborough 4, Belleville 1.

Half time was called a few minutes afterwards with no features marking the closing moments of the period.

Peterborough slowed up in the second period, content to hold their lead and the hockey was not as fast, although just as hard. Dusty and Burke, who had a mixup in Peterborough, hooked up again in a fistic combat, and both were sent to the timekeepers' box for ten minutes. The Belleville forward line got away nicely, but Derocher handled the shot cleverly. Karl Spangenberg was benched for slashing, serving two minutes for the offence. Peterborough had several openings but Borland and Pepper were always in the way and they could not net the puck, although they forced the play. It was Belleville who finally scored, after seventeen minutes' hard playing, Reeves getting away for a rush along the boards and beating Derocher with a waist high shot from the side, which the Peterborough goal keeper partially stopped.

Peterborough 4, Belleville 2.

Moore was penalized two minutes for slashing, but the rest of the term held Belleville out. Gilbert took a long shot from centre, which landed in the nets, but the referee's bell had sounded first and the score did not count. Belleville were working like beavers to win out, but the blue and white team had no trouble in beating them off until the timer's whistle put an end to the fray.

The summary follows:

1—Peterborough; Rose, 12 mins.
2—Peterborough; Ray 11 mins.
3—Belleville; K. Spangenberg, 1.30.
4—Peterborough; Ray, 3 mins.
5—Peterborough; Rose, 4 mins.
Half time—
6—Belleville; Reeves, 17 mins.

Penalties—Rose, 2 min.; Burke, 12 mins.; Dusty, 12 mins.; K. Spangenberg, 2 mins.; Moore, 2 mins.

The team was accompanied to Belleville by Messrs. W. J. Metherall, W. Milburn, Geo Edmondson, W. Edmondson, Penrose, Seward, Melville Jamieson, D. B. MacRae and F. D. Craig.

M. MOORE,

Cover Point of the Peterborough Intermediate O. H. A. Team, who played a great game in Belleville last night.

BIG CROWD WILL GO TO LINDSAY FOR THURSDAY NIGHT'S O.H.A. GAME

The brilliant victory scored over Belleville last night has aroused the enthusiasm of the fans and a big crowd will travel to Lindsay on Thursday night to see them hook up with the Midgets, as Scugogville people persist in calling their team. There is a nice little surprise coming for that Lindsay team when the Petes get into action there on Thursday, and it looks as if Stoddard, Koyl, et al are going to have one of the busiest sessions they have been ever called upon to go through on their own ice. The handful of fans who accompanied the team to Belleville last night were delighted with the form shown, and have returned bubbling over with enthusiasm. The team worked together splendidly, the forward line breaking away in a line and swinging back with their checks in a manner that had smiles all over the faces of the Peterborough fans. Lindsay will have to uncork more speed than they have hitherto shown if they hope to pull out a victory over the Peterborough bunch on Thursday night.

Arrangements have been made for a special train to Lindsay for the game leaving the G.T.R. Station at 7 o'clock on Thursday night and returning immediately after the game. The fare will be $1.05 for the return trip and the cheap rate combined with the certainty that the game will be about the fastest that has been seen in this district in many moons, will result in a big crowd going up for the contest. Peterborough has the fastest team that has represented this city for some years, and it is up to the fans to turn out and support the team in the race for the championship.

EXAMINER "B" IMPROVED THEIR STANDING IN BOWLING LEAGUE

The Examiner B team improved their standing in the ten pin league last evening by taking three straight games from the Greys, and the winners are now up with the first division teams. In another league fixture the Frontenacs took two from the Hams. To-night the Belmonts will meet both Examiner teams, while the B's will also meet the Frontenacs.

The B's were lucky to get away with the series from the Greys, who gave their conquerers a hard fight all the way, the second game being decided by the small margin of three pins. McFadden was again high man for the losers, while Clarke surprised the enthusiasts by putting on top score for the winners.

Frontenacs had all the better of the argument with the Hams, and but for a little stroke of ill-luck would have captured all three games. Jim Hoolahan was bowling in form and easily carried off high honours.

The scores follow:

Greys

McFadden	202	126	114—442
Sullivan	97	181	146—424
Perry	116	147	148—411
	415	455	408—1277

Examiner B.

Dell Foose	149	166	99—414
Clancy	166	155	138—459
Clarke	142	136	195—473
	457	457	432—1346

Hutch's Hams

Mallow	110	154	132—396
Hurtubise	122	119	143—384
Hay	152	162	173—487
	384	435	448—1207

Frontenacs

Hoolihan	182	168	170—520
Barrette	147	138	169—454
Lang	14	127	144—411
	469	433	483—1385

The League Standing

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Examiner A		5	.781
Bankers	18	6	.750
Pacifics	17	7	.708
Iroquois	12	9	.571
B. A. C.	12	9	.571
Belmonts	9	9	.500
Examiner B	8	10	.444
Lock Works	10	14	.416
Frontenacs	8	13	.385
Midgets	8	13	.385
Hutch's Hams	8	16	.233
Greys	5	19	.208

KNOX CHURCH BEAT ST. JOHN'S BY 3-2

A splendid game was played in the Junior Church League at Park Street Rink last night, when Knox Church Juniors beat St. John's by 3 goals to 2, after a hard fought and interesting struggle that was fast from start to finish. Both teams worked harda throughout and there was little to choose between them. St. John's were out in front by 2—0, but the winners came with a rush in the second period and slammed three goals past Halpany, while the Anglicans failed to score. As a result of the game all four teams, Murray Street, All Saints', Knox Church and St. John's are all tied, with one win and one lose each.

J. Squires made a satisfactory referee, and the teams were as follows:

St. John's.		Knox Church.
	Goal.	
Halpany		Dwyer
	Point	
Stevenson		Neary
	Cover	
Fitzgerald		Thompson
	Rover	
Burritt		Mein
	Centre	
Munro		Sullivan
	Right Wing	
Mills		Bucknell
	Left Wing	
Howden		Condin

LADIES' WALKING RACE WILL BE A FEATURE

This is a new feature in athletics in Peterborough, and is arousing a great deal of interest. The ladies' walking race has proven a great success in other places and will no doubt attract large crowds here.

The race will be a half mile and will be held under the auspices of the Y.M.C.A. Boys' Department in connection with their Boys' Gymnasium Exhibition on Thursday evening. Several entries have been received to date, and the race promises to be very interesting. Besides the walking race there will be drill, marches, games, races, blind man pillow fight and sack basketball.

The boys are training hard for their exhibition. The proceeds will be used to secure several new magazines for the Boys' Reading Room.

Tickets can be had from any of the boys or at the Y.M.C.A. office.

Banks, under the Market Clock, selling Sweaters for $1.00 worth up to 2.00. See Window Display 2d-14

PETERBOROUGH RINKS FOR THE TANKARD

The following rinks will go to Toronto to compete in the primary competition for the Ontario Tankard:

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W J Thompson
Dr. Wightman.
J H Connal.

S T Medd
G L Hay
R Carton
Sam Ray.

These games will be played in the Granite Rink, Toronto.

CURLING.

The schedule games to be played to-night will be as follows:

Dr. McCulloch vs. F M Dell-Fosse.
D Davidson vs. R Hicks.
T F Matthews vs. S T Medd.
W J Thompson vs. E B Clegg.
R Neill vs. H R H Kenner.
J B Burnham vs. J H Ferguson.
G B Stevenson vs. G L Hay.

On Wednesday nigh the following skips and their teams will play:

C N Brown vs. H Foote.
W G Ferguson vs. D Hall.
D Fraser vs. G H Giroux.
W Lang vs. F M Dell-Fosse.
S Ray vs. W B Read.
Dr. Eastwood vs. J E A Fitzgerald.
D Moore vs. W A Talbot.

Last night the schedule games at the curling rink were started again and the following teams played:

J D Craig		G Hill
R Cameron		A Mowat
E Clegg		D Walker
Dr Greer, sk.9	W G Morrow, sk.12	
I Wolstenholme		M Lyle
d Evans		W Barrie
A Hollingshead		J A Cameron
R Neill, sk...10	W G Ferguson, sk.2	
T Minocola		R Best
G M Roger		E HD Hall
W D Campbell		T M Merritt
W Talbot, sk...9	Dr. Eastwood, sk.10	
Millard		H Taylor
W S McIntosh		J Montgomery
G Baptie		T Brightman
C N Brown, sk.7		D Hall, sk...5
A Auston		B Foster
A O Myers		G B Stevenson
Bowes		A Webb
J E A Fitzgerald, 10		W J Read, 6.

Band To-night at Street Railway Rink.

HOCKEY

The following members of the Senior City League team of St. Peter's T. A. S., are requested to turn out for practice at the Brock Street Rink to-night, from 10 to 11: Derocher, Cahill, Quinlan, Crough, Quigley, Giroux, Coughlin and Galvin.

PRIZES WON AT GUESSING CONTEST

Social Evening Under Auspices of St. John's A. Y. P. A. Was a Success.

The A. Y. P. A. of St. John's Church held a most successful social evening last night, which took the part of a word building and guessing contest. The first prize was allotted to Miss Olga Cavanaugh, and the consolation prize taken by Mr. A. Appleton. An observation table was another pleasing feature of the evening, at which Miss Lily Wesley won first prize and Miss Annie Roberts the consolation. A large attendance was present. The next social will take the form of a pancake social, and will be looked forward to with much pleasure by all the young people of St. John's.

The Nuwara Eliya plateau in Ceylon (6,200 feet above the sea level), possesses the finest tea estates in the world. The "Salada" Tea Co., import their tea direct from this district. The delightful flavour and absolute purity of "Salada" will please you. Your grocer sells it. 11z

THE MAN FROM BUFFALO TAKES HALF

The big store of Messrs. Merrell & Meredith, clothiers, will be out in two to make room for S. H. Knox, of Buffalo. It means a big undertaking for the firm to condense their immense stock of Clothing and Men's Furnishings into half their present space.

But this live firm realize the fact that what a "man dares he may do." A clothing man was once asked how he could make room for all the stock he had on hand. He replied, "I don't keep it, I sell it." This Messrs. Merrell & Meredith intend to do by giving the public of Peterborough clothing and men's wear at prices so low that it will pay every man in the city to take advantage of their Big Alteration Sale now going on. The time is limited to ten days and the man who would save money by buying clothing at the wholesale cost price, should make it his business to buy now.

The firm, we understand, are reserving nothing; their fine high grade suits and overcoats—20th Century Brand—for which they are sole agents, are all included in this big Alteration Sale. You will find their advertisement on page 5, or better still, give them a call.

PIANO for $190

An **Upright Piano,** just as good as new, in use only three months. An unusual snap at **$190.**

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Several **Organs,** Cabinet and Piano-cased, taken as part payment for Pianos. To be cleared at, from **$15.00** up.

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Total Assets..... 33,524,891
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A. A. Hollingshead, Manager.

TORONTO SAVINGS AND LOAN COMPANY

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Toronto Savings and Loan Company, for the election of Directors, reception of Annual Report, and other purposes, will take place at the Company's Offices, 437 George street, Peterborough, on

Friday, the 22nd Day of January,
1909, at two o'clock p.m.

By order of the Board,
W. G. MORROW,
Managing Director.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE

CANADIAN PACIFIC

Going East	Leave Peterborough
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal, Kingston	11.20 a m
For Indian River, Norwood, Havelock, Tweed	7.41 p m
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	12.20 a m
Going West	**Leave Peterborough**
For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	5.35 a m
For Burketon, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	1.50 a m
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points	4.30 p m

GRAND TRUNK.

	Arrive	Depar
Lindsay, Orillia, Millyard, Gravenhurst, North Bay, Stouffville and Toronto	11:00 a.m. 2:35 p.m.	8:35 a.m. 11:45 a.m.
Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	9:20 a.m. 5:40 p.m.	9:05 p.m. 5:50 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Cobourg Montreal and East	8:20 p.m.	11:55 a.m. 9:05 p.m.
Toronto, Lindsay, Stouffville, Uxbridge and Markham	9:40 a.m. 11:00 a.m. 2:35 p.m. 10:15 p.m.	7:30 a.m. 9:05 p.m. 11:45a.m. 9:10 p.m.
Lindsay Local		9:05 a.m. 9:10 p.m.
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	9:40 a.m. 5:40 p.m.	9:05 a.m. 5:50 p.m.
Lakefield and Stony Lake	10:00 a.m. 8:15 p.m.	8:20 a.m. 12:20 p.m.

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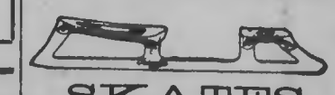

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Turnbull's Great White Sale Continues All This Week

This is the last week to secure White Sale Prices, so be sure you get your share.

Wonderful Value Giving in Laces

Torchon and Val Laces and insertions, hundreds of designs to choose from, all new. Wedth from 10 to 20c. Divided into 4 lots for White Sale. Lot I, 2c, Let II, 3c, Lot III, 4c, Lot IV, 5c.

12½c Indigo Prints, 10c

Heavy or fine makes in Prints, guaranteed fast colours, light or dark grounds. Exactly the same as last season's 12½c. White Sale .. .. .10

15 and 20c Dress Ginghams 12½c

The best wearing and best washing material made is Scotch Gingham. We will offer all this week the best 15 and 20c lines, either checks or stripes, for ..... .12½

40c Persian Lawns, 25c

Beautiful fine Persian Lawns, made of highest grade Egyptian Cotton. Best 40 cent line. White Sale,..... only ..... .25

10c Victoria Lawns, 6½c

500 yards of good Victoria Lawn, 40 inches wide. Best 10c lines only 6½
Also 15c line..... ..... 10c, and 22c line... .... 15c

WHITE SALE PRICES MEAN BIG SAVINGS

8c Irish Towelling, 5½c
10c Roller Towelling 8½c
12½c Roller Towelling 10c
35c Unbleached Tabling 23c
60c Bleached Tabling 48c
25c Corset Cover Embroidery 15c
65c Embroidery Flouncings 39c
75c Swiss Flouncings 39c
$1.25 White Gowns 98c
$1.25 White Skirts 89c
75c White Drawers 48c
8c Stripe Flannelettes 5c
10c Plain Flannelettes 8½c
12½c English Longcloths 10c
10c Factory Cotton 8c
35c Bleached Sheetings 29c
30c Unbleached Sheetings 25c
25c Table Oilcloth 19c
12 c Wrapperettes 8½c
15c Apron Prints 10c
50c Scotch Linoleum 28c
35c Madras Muslins 22c

J. C. TURNBULL CO.

30c Floor Oilcloth only 19c

Good quality, floor oilcloth with Heavy enamelled Surface and best oilcloth Canvas back, 2 yards wide. Regular 30c. White Sale, square yard..... .. .19

1.25 and 1.50 Lawn Waists, 98c

Another shipment of those New Spring Waists with nicely embroidered fronts, long sleeves, buttoned back or front, all sizes. Regular 1.25 and 1.50. Choice..... .98

2.25 and 2.50 Lawn Waists, 1.98

Fine shear lawn waists, some have Yoke of embroidery or Val insertion, some front panels of embroidery insertion, some Gibson effects, long pointed trimmed sleeves. Regular $2.25 and $2,50. White Sale 1.98

Rush Prices in Feather Down Cushion Forms

Best quality, Cambric Covered Cushions forms, guaranteed all feather down filling, free from Quills, 18 x 18, regular 75c for..... .... .39
20 x 20, regular 1.00 for 49c
22 x 22, regular 1.25 for 59c
Tea Cosies, 75c for... ... . 39c

LATEST CITY NEWS.

Jordan Bros., Florists
—Will remove on the 1st February to the store now occupied by Macgregor & Reid, 428 George street. 11d15

Rehearsal
—Rehearsal to-night for "The Private Secretary" in the Catholic Foresters' Hall, opposite the Oriental Hotel, at 8 o'clock.

Painting and Decorating
—Painting and decorating, all work quickly, neatly and cheaply executed. Country work not objected to. A Guppy, 455 Stewart street. 28d14

Missionary City Class
—The Missionary City Class of the George Street Methodist Church will meet at the house of Mrs. Turner, Grand Central Block, at 7.30 to-morrow.

Probabilities
—Fresh southerly to westerly winds, cloudy and milder, some snow flurries. Wednesday—Northwesterly winds, fair, with a little lower temperature.

Particular
—If you are particular about the way your clothes look, send them to "My Valet," 204 Charlotte street, and have them cleaned, dyed, repaired and pressed. All particular people do.

Take Notice
—I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by any person after this date without a written order from myself.
Signed. G. W. EMMERSON.
3d-13-5826.

Hockey Players, Attention!
—Best shaped sticks for forwards and defence. 25c and 35c sticks reduced to 20c, or $2.25 per dozen. Spalding's championship hockey sticks, 50c; for $4.50 per dozen, or 38c each. Every stick guaranteed, specially selected by professional hockey players. Also Spalding's pucks, shin pads and all correct winter sporting goods always in stock at the Peterborough Bookstore. A. H. Stratton & Company.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Mrs. Anson Sperry will not receive to-morrow.

Mr. Sidney Stirke, of Peterborough, is visiting Mr. W. H. McCallam, Dale.—Port Hope Guide.

Mr. Harry Lush, of Peterborough, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. T. McGibbon, Sherbourne street.—Port Hope Guide.

$2.00, 1.50, 1.25 Sweaters, choice for 1.00, Banks under Market Clock. d2

WEDDING BELLS

McMANN—RUTHERFORD

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of Mrs. A. Rutherford, Mount Pleasant, on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 6th, when her daughter Mabel was united in marriage to Mr. David H. McMann, of Reaboro. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Johnston, Millbrook. Little Miss Ethel Howard, Toronto, cousin of the bride, acted as maid of honour. The Wedding March (Grieg) was played by Miss Nettie Rutherford, sister of the bride. After the ceremony and the receiving of congratulations, the party repaired to the dining-room where a sumptuous repast was served. The happy couple took the evening train for points west. On their return they will reside in Reaboro.

FITZGERALD CAHILL

This morning at St. Peter's Cathedral the marriage took place of W. J. Fitzgerald, O.L.S., C.E., son of the late J. W. Fitzgerald, and Agnes, third daughter of the late Thomas Cahill, collector of Inland Revenue. The ceremony was performed at 8 o'clock by Rev. Father McColl, rector of the Cathedral, in the presence of a large congregation. The bride was escorted by her brother-in-law, Mr. J. J. English, of Hastings. The bridesmaid was Miss Amelia Cahill, sister of the bride, and Mr. William Grady performed the duties of best man. At the conclusion of the ceremony the wedding breakfast was served at the residence of the bride's mother, 481 Gilmour street.

Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald took the mid-day Canadian Pacific express for Montreal, en route to Boston, New York and the south. On their return they will take residence in the city. The bride is one of the most popular and amiable ladies in Peterborough, and the husband stands high in the esteem of a large circle of friends, who will unite in wishing them both a long and happy wedded life.

OBITUARY

FREDERICK FITZSIMMONS

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Fitzsimmons will be sorry to hear of the death of their infant son, Fred, who died last night. He had only been ill a few days with pneumonia.

The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock from the home of the parents, 556 Aylmer street, and proceed to St. Peter's Cemetery for interment.

WILLIAM BELL

At his home in Smith, the death took place of Mr. William Bell, at the age of 80 years. Mr. Bell was the only surviving son of one of the oldest settlers in the township of Smith, Mr. Matthew Bell, who settled there in 1820. He had been ill for the last few months when death carried him away on Thursday. He is survived by one son, Matthew, who is residing on the old homestead, and one daughter, Miss Ellen D. Bell, who kept house for her father.

The funeral was held on Sunday and proceeded to the Selwyn Cemetery for interment.

Band To-night at Street Railway Rink.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(Furnished by J. N. Barber.)

	Opening	Closing
A.C.P	78⅛	79⅛
Atch	99	99⅛
B.R.T.	70⅝	71⅛
C.P.R.	178⅛	176⅝
Erie	31⅛	30⅝
Great Northern	143⅝	140⅝
L.N.	124⅛	123⅛
Mo. Pac.	70⅝	71⅛
Northern Pacific	138⅛	139⅛
N.Y.C.	129⅝	128⅝
Penna	133	133⅝
R.I.	24⅛	24⅛
Bdg.	130⅝	127⅝
Smelters	84⅛	85⅛
Soo	144⅝	144⅝
St. Paul	148⅝	148⅛
S.P.	119⅝	120⅛
U.P.	178⅝	179⅝
U.S.	52	52⅛
U.S. p'fd.	113⅝	113⅝
Twin City	—	—
Nipissing	9⅞	10⅛
May-Wheat	106⅝	107
" Corn	61⅜	61⅛
May Oats	51⅜	51⅜
" Pork	17 20	17.07
C.F.I.	40⅛	41

MINISTERS CONTEST IN THE ROARIN' GAME

Rev. E. A. Pearson's Rink Defeated That Skipped by Rev. G. W. Henderson.

An interesting game of curling was played at the Charlotte Street Rink yesterday afternoon, when a battle royal was fought out between two church teams, led by their respective ministers. Rev. Pearson, of George Street Methodist Church, skipping three of his parishioners, "put it over" Rev. Henderson, skipping a Charlotte Street Rink, to the tune of 11 to 9. It was as close and interesting game all the way and attracted considerable interest. The rinks opposed each other as follows:

George Street	Charlotte Street
Felix Brownscombe	W. G. Adamson
S. A. Oke	W. G. Morrow
H. F. Foote	R. Neill
Rev. E. Pearson	Rev. G. Henderson

OUR READERS ARE APPRECIATIVE

The "Vegetable Prescription" for Kidney Trouble Filled Many Times.

DID YOU MIX SOME OF IT?

That the readers of this paper appreciate advice when given in good faith is plainly demonstrated by the fact that one well-known local pharmacy supplied the ingredients for the "vegetable prescription" many times within the past two weeks. The announcement of this simple, harmless mixture has certainly accomplished much in reducing the great many cases of kidney complaint and rheumatism here, relieving pain and misery, especially among the older population, who are always suffering more or less with bladder and urinary troubles, headache and particularly rheumatism.

Another well-known druggist asks us to continue the announcement of the prescription. It is doing so much real good here, he continues, that it would be a crime not to do so. It can not be repeated too often, and further states many cases of remarkable cures wrought.

The following is the prescription, of simple ingredients, making a harmless, inexpensive compound, which any person can prepare by shaking well in a bottle: Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Kargon, one ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Any first-class drugstore will sell this small amount of each ingredient, and the dose for adults is one teaspoonful to be taken after each meal and again at bedtime. There is enough here to last for one week, if taken according to directions. Good results will be apparent from the first few doses.

BUDGET OF MOUNT JULIAN PARAGRAPHS

Mt. Julian, Jan. 18—The Mount Julian Women's Institute meetings were as a rule well attended throughout the past year, and eleven new members were added to the list now numbering thirty-three. The officers for the year were the same as in 1907, having all been re-elected by acclamation.

We had a visit from Miss Shuttleworth in June, who gave an interesting talk on preserving and canning fruits.

Throughout the year papers were read on:

Home and Mother—Mrs. Charles Lauder.

How To Make the Institute Meetings Interesting—by Mrs. Albert Reid.

Gossip—by Mrs. Israel Church.

Friendship—by Miss Laura Windover.

Autumn—by Mrs. W. M. Church.

Thanksgiving—by Miss Emma Reid.

Discussions were held on the use of raw fruits, preserving and pickling and fruits; summer drinks and salads; Thanksgiving dinners.

A bazaar was held with a very good result for the funds in the summer, and part of the money was spent in subscribing for a copy of the Toronto Home Journal for each family represented in the institute.

The treasurer's report for the year shows the finances in a good condition, there being a balance of nearly seventeen dollars on hand.

In the report of Eden Church Christmas tree programme of last week two numbers by a quartette were left out of the music by mistake. The performers were: Mrs. Tom Reid, on the organ; Mr. Joe Northey on the violin; Gordon Northey and Oliver Church on the mouth organ.

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We offer for this week the entire shipment of Eddy's best made Wash Tubs at prices not to be beaten.
WE GUARANTEE EVERY TUB
No. 0 Eddy Tub, regular 1.25 for..... 1.05
No. 1 Eddy Tub, regular 1.15 for. ..... .95
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Or pay regular price and get a "Globe" or other good Washboard free with each tub purchased.
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3 lbs. New Currents 24c
3 lbs. New Raisins for..... 20c
New Orange and Lemon Peel, lb. 15c
New Citron Peel, per lb. 25c
Shelled Almonds and Walnuts, lb. 35c
Tomatoes, per tin..... 10c
Peas, Beans and Corn, per tin.. 8c
3 bottles Pickles for..... 25c
New Dates, per lb. 10c
New Figs, per lb. 10c
Mince Meat, 3 lbs. for..... 25c
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THE GOLDEN LION STORE

PROBS.—Southerly and westerly winds, fair and mild to-day and on Thursday.

THE GOLDEN LION STORE

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All previous sales by this or any other Peterborough store eclipsed. Help us celebrate this quarter century ending by saving money here.

Savings all through the store are like these:—

LINEN TABLING, NAPKINS, TOWELS, TOWELLINGS, ETC., ARE SELLING BELOW COST

15 Linen Table Cloths, worth $3.00, Sale Price, each 2.10

2 yards x 2 yards and 2 yards x 2½ yards, bordered all round, splendid patterns and pure Irish Linen.

Sample Towels 1-3 Off

Samples of Linen Huck, Damask Huck and Bath Towels and Towel length. Splendid value.

Linen Towels worth 20c, each 16c

Hemstitched Irish Linen Huck Towels, size 19 x 38 inches, pure bleached.

500 Yards Table Damask worth $1.00 and $1.10. Sale Price 78c per yard

Guaranteed pure Irish Linen. Splendid new designs, 72 inches wide.

Swiss Stand Covers Formerly 25c each 15c

Size 20x30 inches, fine quality and several pretty designs.

Pillow Shams formerly 1.00 62½c each

Swiss Applique, Frilled Pillow Shams, 32x3- inches.

The best value ever offered this season in

LADIES' COATS Formerly $12.00 and $12.50 7.50

Splendid quality Black Melton, Kersey and Broadcloth, new long model, all this season's styles.

All-Over Laces 19c

White All-over Lace, 18 inches wide, good patterns, formerly 50c per yard.

All-Over Laces 25c

White All-over Laces, 18 inches wide, very handsome designs for Blouses, formerly 75c and $1.00 per yard.

20 Beautiful Silk and Lace Blouses, Formerly $7.50 to $12.00, now each 5.00

Soft Messaline and Chiffon Taffeta Silk Blouses, in Black, White, Navy Blue, Pink, Sky Blue, etc., and Lace and Net in Cream, Ecru and Black. Your choice, while they last, $5.00 each.

Dress Trimmings, formerly up to 25c 2c per yd.

Braids and Gimps, in blacks and colours, desirable patterns and colours.

Dress Trimmings, formerly up to 75c 5c per yd.

Braid, Gimps and Appliques, blacks and almost every colour.

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ON ALL MADE-TO-ORDER AND READY-MADE CLOTHING

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CUT-PRICE SALE

We are offering HIGH-GRADE MADE-TO-MEASURE CLOTHING at and below cost, in order to reduce our big range of Suitings and Overcoatings. Here are a few samples of the Rush Prices:—

Men's Best Melton or Beaver Overcoats, made to order, former price $25.00. Rush Sale Price 18.00

Men's Scotch Tweed, Melton or Beaver Overcoats, made to order, former price $20.00. Rush Sale Price 15.00

Men's Worsted Pants, made to order, former price $6.50. Rush Sale Price 5.00

Men's Worsted Pants, made to order, former price $4.00. Rush Sale Price 3.00

Men's $5.00 Vest Patterns, made to order for 3.50

Men's Best Single or Double Breasted Tweed Suits, made to order, former price $20.00. Rush Sale Price 15.50

Men's Serge and Worsted Suits, made to order, former price $22.00 and $24.00. Rush Sale Price 18.00, 20.00

These are the most sweeping cuts we have ever made on Made-to-measure Garments. Every Garment will be made up and finished in the same first-class style as if regular price were paid.

Men's Ready-made Overcoats, were $15.00. Rush Sale Price 11.00

Men's Fashionable Winter Overcoats, were $10.00. Rush Sale Price 7.75

Men's Heavy Tweed Overcoats, were $7.00. Rush Sale Price 5.00

Men's Ready-made Tweed Suits, were $7.00. Rush Sale Price 4.75

Men's Ready made Worsteds and Serge Suits, were $12.00. Rush Sale Price 9.50

Men's Working Pants 1.00, 1.25, 1.50

Men's Tweed and Worsted Pants 2.00, 2.50, 3.00

Men's Underwear marked down to cost.

Men's Imported Underwear, including Wolsey's and other makes, 20 to 30 per cent. discount.

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For New Year's

Fine Watches

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ANNUAL MEETING OF EXHIBITION DIRECTORS

Peterboro's Fair for 1909 Will be Considered—Public is Invited.

The Peterborough Industrial Exhibition directors will hold their annual meeting on Friday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock in the Council Chambers. The public are generally invited to attend as it is an affair in which it is felt that success can only be attained by a broad interest on the part of the citizens.

JAIL TAKES FORM OF A GOLD CURE

Drunks Arrested Generally Get a Week's Remand to Sober Up.

It has been often noticed that when a drunk is arrested, he is remanded for hearing for a week and spends that time on the hill. The result has been wonderful. The treatment is as salutary as is Mother Seigle's Soothing Syrup to babies. It is invariably noticed that the signs of dissipation have diminished and there is an appearance of brightness in the eyes which were previously blurred by the effects of a saturation in strong drink. This morning a man named Gregg after such a week was given his freedom, and promised to leave the city on the earliest train.

Band at Brock Street Rink to-night and Friday. Good Ice.

ACQUITTED OF CHARGE OF THEFT

Young Man Who Had Been Arrested on Suspicion is Discharged.

Gilbert Connors, a young man who was charged with stealing a gold watch belonging to Mrs. Albert Bishop, of Harvey, was acquitted this morning on appearing for trial before Magistrate Edmison in the County Police Court. Mr. Bishop testified that he had taken the watch from a trunk, looked at the hour and then handed it to his wife. The latter stated that her husband put it back in the trunk.

Young Connors is spoken highly of by his employer and has a good reputation. The case was dismissed by the magistrate. It may be that the watch was lost by the husband, who may have thoughtlessly put it in a pocket.

CANNOT LIVE WITHOUT IT.

In remitting payment for another year's subscription to the Weekly Examiner, a subscriber says, "We cannot live without it" "Your correspondence from all parts makes it the best paper in the county."

COURT LANGTON INSTALLS OFFICERS

At Meeting Held on Monday Night—Bro. S. Kemp as District Deputy.

At the regular meeting of Court Langton, No. 344, held January 18th, the following officers were duly installed by Bro, Sam. Kemp, who acted District Deputy pro tem.

C. R.—G. Worboy.
Vice—H. Thurten.
Cor. Sec.—Wm. Stevens,
Fin. Sec.—Sam. Kemp.
Treas.—B. Jones.
Sen. Woodman—D. Jordan.
Jun. Woodman—Ben Johnson.
Bro. Wm. Paxton acted as High Marshal.

EXCURSION TICKETS FOR THE LINDSAY GAME

Tickets for the hockey excursion to Lindsay to-morrow night are on sale at the Oriental Hotel, the Examiner Office, W A Sanderson's and the G.T.R. ticket office

MICHIGAN LUMBERMEN ARE BURNED AND DROWNED BY BLAZE ON BIG TIMBER RAFT

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 20—Seventy-five men employed on a crib several miles out in Lake Michigan, jumped in to the lake this morning when the crib was destroyed by fire. Telephone reports say several men were drowned. When the fire broke out the men found themselves trapped and had the alternative of burning to death or risking their lives in the water. The crib burned to the water's edge. A lookout on another crib several miles away, phoned just before 9 o'clock that they could see fifteen or twenty men clinging to the edge of the wreck which was still aglow, with a heavy sea running.

The Historical Society Has Arranged Series Of Lectures To Be Given During Winter

The Peterborough Historical Society, of which little has been heard for some two or three years, has taken on new life and now presents to the public a varied and interesting programme for four meetings to be held during the winter season.

This society was organized on December 7th, 1896, and since that time has done some very effective, though quiet, work. Being in affiliation with the Ontario Historical Society, its aim has been to collect materials which would some day be of service as details in the history of the county, the province or the Dominion. Much of this kind of work has been done and the stories of the lives and struggles of the pioneers of Peterborough county have been collected and preserved.

However, almost a greater work has been done by the society in the collection of relics of historical events, natural history and geological specimens. These and many collections loaned by the citizens, have been placed on exhibition in the museum in Inverlea Park. This museum is one of the points of interest visited every year by large numbers of tourists and it amply repays a visit. In the library there are many books and manuscripts of antiquarian interest, photographs of the city of Peterborough when it was far from being a city, and collection of weapons, showing the gradual development of the modern rifle. The room is set apart for the display of geological specimens and fossils discovered in the building of the Trent Valley Canal; another room is filled with natural history specimens and another is the Florida room, which is filled with representatives of the fauna and flora of that southern state. Historical relics, such as a Boer flag, weapons picked up on the field of Waterloo, the headlight of the first locomotive used in Ontario, and many other objects of interest are to be found in the halls. Some of our leading citizens, who have lately visited the museums of other cities of about the size of Peterborough, state that one room in the museum in Inverlea Park contains more than most of the museums they visited. The Victoria Museum is open every afternoon during the summer months until October 15th, and in winter the caretaker will open the doors for any who wish to visit it.

Though in maintaining the Victoria Museum the society has been doing a good work, its members consider that there is other work which it should do. Therefore, a series of meetings has been arranged at which addresses will be given by prominent men and discussion will be invited. These meetings are not held for revenue, as they are free to the members of the society and to the public. On February 11th it is expected that Mr. Barlow Cumberland, of Toronto, president of the Ontario Horticultural Society, who has been so active in the agitation for the restoration of the Old Fort, will deliver an address on "The Attack on Fort York, April 27th, 1813."

The meetings are to be held in the Collegiate Institute, and are arranged as follows:

January 28th—"Volcanoes," Mr. G. A. Cornish, B.A.

February 11th—"Attack on Fort York, 1813," Mr. Barlow Cumberland.

February 22rd — "Beginnings in Medicine," Dr. Malcolm McCulloch.

March 23rd—"The British House of Commons," Mr. J. H. Burnham.

CAME OUT HERE VIGOROUS--YOUNG MAN RETURNS HOME IN ILL HEALTH

Alfred King is a young Englishman who came to Canada several years ago healthy and fairly strong, now he is being deported weakened by asthma and bronchitis which have secured a hold on him through improper protection against the Canadian weather.

He stated to Magistrate Dumble this morning that he had been a hotel porter for nearly five years before coming to Canada. On arriving here he was not used to local conditions and nearly every morning going to work his feet were wet and would remain that way practically all day. The bad effect slowly made itself apparent. King went on a farm to work but was so badly troubled that he could but do trivial chores. He was finally sent to jail where at indoor work he proved himself industrious. The deportation papers have arrived and King will likely be taken away in a day or so. Magistrate Dumble told him that he should have gone to Alberta where the climate would cure him.

MR. MATTHEWS FOR SEVENTH TIME CHAIRMAN OF WATER COMMISSION

At the first regular meeting of the Water Commissioners held yesterday afternoon, Mr. T. F. Matthews was elected chairman of the Board for the seventh consecutive time. He was first appointed chairman in February, 1902, when the commission was first organized, and has been re-elected to the position each year ever since.

T. F. MATTHEWS,
Re-elected Chairman of the Water Commission for the seventh time.

The Water Commissioners will have a meeting with the Committee of the Whole Council in the course of a few days for the purpose of laying before them their scheme of a new dam and water pumping plant.

A part of the business of the meeting was the reception of the report of the work done during 1908, and presented by the superintendent, Mr. W. Henderson. It was as follows:—

The total length of pipes laid was 9,368 feet, or 1 77-100 miles, in the following sizes and lengths:— of 4 inch, 1,602 feet; of 6 inch, 5,731 feet; of 8 inch, 1,506 feet; and of 3 inch, 527 feet. This is an increase over previous years of 1,205 feet. Stop valves set on pipe were laid to the number of 18 of the following sizes:— five 4 inch, seven 5 inch, three 6 inch, and eight 1 inch. There were 27 new services laid, constituting 6,880 feet or 1 32-100 miles.

The total pipe distribution on December 31, was 162,171 lineal feet, or 30 71-100 miles, on which are set 713 hydrants and 361 stop valves. Total services on distribution are 2,468 in sizes from 1-2 inch to 8 inches inclusive.

At the dam the following work was performed: At East end crib work was raised 18 inches, filled with stone and gravel as protection against extremely high water. Repairs were made to apron and dam on upstream face of over floor and around were regravelled. Restricted forebay opening to wheel pits and constructed new set of stop log checks in forebay to East wheel pit. Renewed head timbers at rack and placed new rack (tamarac) in position. Removed decayed tops of lower boom piers and renewed same and repaired boom timbers (where required.

W. HENDERSON,
Superintendent.

FANCY POULTRY FROM THE OLD COUNTRY

Two fancy birds arrived to-day from Europe for Mr. Jas. Baptie, of Springville. One was a silver laced wyandotte and the other a golden laced wyandotte. A handsome sum was paid for these birds, which in the eyes of the poultry fancier, are fine specimens of their class.

Daily Additions

NEW additions to the list of Semi-Ready Suits and Overcoats lonelies keeps up the interest in the half yearly sale. Some new lines are taken from our stock that we wish to close out entirely within the next week. Note the tremendous cut that makes this sale as the people's 1909 value giving event.

LONELY Semi-Ready high grade tailored Suits and Overcoats. New styles valued at 15 to 20.00. Lonely Sale Price

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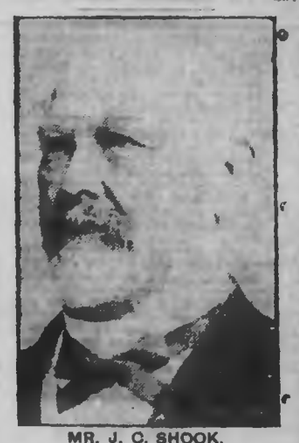
GEORGE JOHNSTON HANGED AT KENORA

Examiner Special.

Kenora, Jan. 20.—George F. Johnson was hanged here to-day for the murder of Mrs. Ackerman.



MR. J. C. SHOOK,
Re-elected President of the Y. M. C. A. at last night's meeting.

BULLETIN BROUGHT MANY APPLICATIONS

Answered an "Ad" for "Agents Wanted" —Almost a Procession.

Yesterday morning an Examiner "ad" in the form of a bulletin was placed in front of the Examiner for a number of agents, wages and work guaranteed. The gentleman who was hiring the men was registered at the Snowden House and all day a procession of men filed into the building looking for the work. Only four were hired.

FUNERAL HELD TO-DAY

To-day at Omemee the funeral was held of Mr. J. D. Thornton, a prominent resident of that village, whose death occurred on Monday last. The deceased gentleman has long been a prominent resident of Omemee, a public spirited citizen, always in the front rank of any movement to promote its interests. He was active in the organization of the Board of Trade, held the office of Division Court Clerk a great many years, and conducted an insurance and conveyancing business. In these capacities he became widely known and as widely held in esteem for his many estimable qualities as a citizen. He was a brother-in-law of Mr. John Kincaid, city, and his sister, Mrs. Kincaid, is in Omemee attending the funeral to-day.

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NOW LISTEN — Nine large factories have been built in Welland in the past two years. The population has increased from 1,700 to about 5,000. Five other big factories will start construction as soon as building weather permits. These five factories will employ collectively about 2,000 more people. We need 400 houses to put these people in. Negotiations are on with several other factories for locations. Figure this out for yourself and then get busy. Welland is the safest place on the map to invest your money, and land is so cheap it's a shame to take it at the money. House builders and contractors! sit up and take notice. Get here early.

B. J. McCORMICK,
6d 13 5019 Welland.

HOUSES AND ROOMS TO LET

TO RENT — STORE IN OPERA HOUSE block. Apply J. J. Turner & Sons, George street. 3d 16 5046

TO RENT — HOUSE ON CORNER OF George and Perry streets; electric light and water, good grounds. Apply J. J. Turner & Sons, George street. 3d 16 5045

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET — AN elderly lady, living in the best quarter of the city, desires to share her home with a married couple, "rent no consideration." The house has all modern conveniences. This is a splendid opportunity for the right people to procure a good home, or a gentleman a couple of rooms. Apply at this office. 3d 13 eod

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HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED — A RELIABLE MAID CAPable of doing plain cooking. Apply Mrs. T. F. Matthews, 570 Water. 6d 12 5012

SITUATIONS WANTED.

SITUATION WANTED BY CAPABLE and respectable woman at housework where she can go home in the evening. Apply at this office. d dh

FOUND.

FOUND ABOUT TWO WEEKS AGO IN front of the Grand Opera House, a Gold Bracelet set with eleven pearls. Owner may have same by applying at this office and paying for this advertisement. 3d 16 5064

LOST.

LOST ON SUNDAY NIGHT, JANUARY 17th, 1909, at the front door of the George street Methodist Church, five or six Five Dollar Bills on the Bank of British North America. Finder please return to Chief Hoszel, who will return to owner. 3d-16 1w-3 5060

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FOR SALE — PIANO IN EXCELLENT condition, by Heintzman, Toronto; can be seen at 292 Simcoe street, City. For further particulars apply E. Reaston, Snowden House. 3d 15 5037

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Beautiful Brick House double parlors, winter kitchen, summer kitchen and wood shed, 4 bed rooms, bath room, complete electric light fixtures, furnace, cement cellar floor and cement walks to front and side entrance. This can be sought for $2800.

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Real Estate Agent

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UNION LABEL

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MR. CHAIRMAN MATTHEWS.

It is proposed, in some quarters to enact legislation, making the Speaker of the House of Commons a permanent official. It does not seem to require any law except, perhaps, the unwritten law founded upon effective service, to make Mr. T. F. Matthews something like permanent chairman of the Board of Water Commissioners, to which honour he was elected the seventh consecutive term at the annual meeting yesterday. He has been chairman of the Board since its establishment and has been elected a member every year by acclamation except two. Such practical marks of approval must be founded on good and faithful service.

A GREAT NOVA SCOTIAN.

The proprietors of the Morning Chronicle, of Halifax, N. S., of which paper he was for many years the editor, have in course of publication and will shortly issue a new and complete edition of the speeches and publi letters of the noted Nova Scotian publicist, Joseph Howe. In this edition will be included the material contained in the edition published by Hon. Mr. Annand, in 1858, and also all the important speeches and letters delivered and written by Joseph Howe between 1858 and the time of his death in 1873. The editor of the new edition, Joseph A. Chisholm, K.C., has for many years been diligently collecting all the writings of the famous Nova Scotian, and he has carefully compiled the same for publication in the forthcoming work.

WATER AND ITS CONSERVATION

The example of the Peterborough district is exerting its influence. Yesterday a deputation from Lanark County waited upon the Ontario Government. This deputation was composed principally of power owners, who are interested in having a sufficient and regular flow of water of the Mississippi. The burden of their request was that the Government should undertake conservation work. The latter went no further than to promise consideration. It should go further—it should take action. As custodian of the public interests the Government is bound to serve those interests to the best of its ability. The Government is also under another form of obligation to take measures to conserve the waters feeding power streams. The removal of the forest has, by destroying the natural reservoirs, permitted the waters of spring to rush off in torrents, leaving no store to last through the dry months. This removal of forest has yielded a large revenue to the Government, and the duty of the latter to make compensation is undoubted. In the Peterborough district the success attending the construction of retaining dams justifies their extension to other districts. Again the present Government has taken the matter of power exploitation under its control and the conservation of waters naturally fits in with its power policy. It may be many years before we shall have so exceedingly dry a season as last, but we may have a repetition at any time, and it is well to be prepared. The experience of Ottawa will give an impetus to conservation measures. We, in Peterborough, have not so far suffered serious inconvenience; but to avoid the possibility of such a misfortune the extension or improvement of our conserving dams should not be neglected. A short period of severe frost the past few days scaled the small streams and created a temporary shortage of water, which stopped the wheels of our industries yesterday for six hours. Had it not been for the waters having been conserved to the extent that has been done, and the flow judiciously regulated, we should have had a water famine long ago like that of Ottawa where all industries and utilities depended upon water power have to be operated by auxiliary steam plants. Peterborough has excellent reason to be grateful for the influence that secured the transfer of the watershed of the Trent Canal to the jurisdiction of the Dominion Government, which has taken and will continue to take an interest in the question of water conservation, of which this whole district will continue as it has done, to reap the benefit.

Another feature complicating the water supply trouble is one that no human foresight can overcome. Owing to the long lack of rainfall the water in our northern reservoirs is exceedingly low. It is to be remembered that there has only been one inch of rainfall since last June, an unprecedented meterological condition. In consequence the inland lakes, as well as the water of the great lakes, is extremely low—that is Lake Ontario being four feet below the normal level.

The average amount of rainfall for the Peterborough district for the year 1907 was 32.5 inches. The figures for 1908 are not available, but there is no doubt that last year's rainfall was less than half that of the preceding year.

TRUANCY LEGISLATION.

Intimation is given that legislation will be introduced during the approaching session of the Legislative Assembly to improve the laws respecting truancy. There is sad need of it. Save in very few places—and Brantford, we believe is one of them,—the truancy laws are at present a mere make-believe, and command nothing better than contempt.

To begin with, the system is cumbersome. In cities, the administration of the law is a matter of police regulation, and here it is best enforced, despite the fact that police officers, as a rule, are not supposed to be enthusiasts in matters affecting education. Elsewhere the school boards have charge of it, and the fact that the average rural school trustee thinks little more regarding schooling than to get it on the bargain counter plan is shown by the fact that in very few rural sections is any attempt made to enforce the law.

Now we are told that the truancy business is to be left entirely with the school authorities. This theoretically is the right thing, but we are afraid there will still be indifferent enforcement of the law unless the Education Department appoints the truant officers, and assumes directly the responsibility of the whole business. Expanding revenues make it possible for the government to take this course, and assuredly public funds could be put to no better use than in providing the necessary machinery to enforce compulsory education.

Other changes necessary to lessen truancy is to take away from justices of the peace the power which they at present possess of excusing children from school attendance for certain periods of the year, and to provide that no child under 14 years of age shall be employed in any factory, store or place without a certificate of age signed by the public school Inspector, or some other school authority of like standing, not only as to his age, but also as to his being in possession of at least an elementary education. It is one of the blots upon our statute books at present that a child may enter industrial life when he has reached a certain age regardless of whether or not he has the ability even to read and write. In the above and other respects, the laws of the province need improvement.

In connection with contemplated changes it is said the Government may take steps to compel the attendance at school of children who have passed 14 years of age and are under 16, where the children have not entered upon industrial pursuits. This is done in many states of the union, and it is certainly desirable that the child should be at school rather than on the streets, or even at home, during one of the most valuable periods of life from an educational point of view, and also during a period when the temptations to enter upon a criminal career are the greatest. It is said very well to provide humanitarian methods of treating our youth, after, through our neglect perchance, they have offended against the laws of the land, but it is still more important to see that they are fairly started on the path of rectitude and good citizenship.

Let the Truancy laws be made effective, but let us also have an advancement in child training in its every phase.—Brantford Expositor.

PRIVATE SLANDER.

A correspondent writes strongly on the evils of private gossip. It is not perhaps generally recognized that the libel which appears in a newspaper is the least dangerous of all attacks upon private character. The blow is delivered in the open; the person struck may strike back, may vindicate himself in the courts. But a story circulated through private gossip may travel and gather strength and venom for months or years without the victim being made aware of the mischief. He may find friends growing cold without suspecting the cause.

With the person who circulates these slanders with malicious intent it is useless to remonstrate. But there is a temptation to listen to them, and to pass them on, not from the desire to inflict injury, but because there is a certain zest and flavour in sarcastic or censorious remarks and a melancholy satisfaction in the contemplation of the faults and calamities of others. Our correspondent says with much force: "The person who brings you gossip reflecting on the character of a man or woman or the safety of a business firm pays you no compliment. Retailers of scandal do not present their wares to people who hate cowardly insinuations, and who would be likely to reprove them for being uncharitable."—Toronto Star.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The British Empire in its wide sweep has great contrasts of temperature. The day the thermometer marked 56 below zero in some places on this continent, it was 125 above in Australia—a difference of 181 degrees.

COUNCIL MEETING IN HAVELOCK

L. O. L. Install Officers for the Present Year.

Havelock, Jan. 20—Council met on Wednesday night, in the council chamber at 7.30.

Present the Reeve, Councillors Wood, Phillips, Young and McMaster. Minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

A by-law was passed to appoint municipal officers. E. J. Sherry, solicitor.

Dr. Crawford, medical health officer.

C. H. Brewster, member of the Board of Health.

Jas. Scott and Jesse Carney, assessors.

A by-law was also passed to meet current expenses.

The clerk reported that the local option by-law received 217 votes for and 86 against.

The local option by-law received its final reading, was signed and sealed.

The printing for the municipality of Havelock was awarded to T. P. Lancaster for the sum of $50.00 per year.

It was moved and seconded that the collector's time be extended to the 1st meeting in February. A number of accounts were ordered to be paid.

On motion of Coun Philips, seconded by Coun. Wood that $15.00 be given to the Sick Children's Hospital.

The council then adjourned.

A number of the towns people attended the funeral of Mr. Caleb Bannon at Rush Point on Wednesday afternoon.

Those who attended the "at Home" at Marmora on Wednesday night are as follows — Misses M. McWilliams, J. Rueburn, L. Campbell and E. Lancaster, Messrs. T P Lancaster, T E Dineen, H. Martin and Dr. Crawford. They all speak in high appreciation of the delightful event, and hope at some future date to again have the privilege of attending another "at home" in Marmora.

Rev Mr Thompson of Hastings occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church on Sunday last, morning and evening delivering both helpful and instructive sermons on the two occasions. Rev Mr Stirling officated at Hastings.

The trainmen will hold a grand ball on the evening of Feb. 16, in the opera house. Music for the occasion will be supplied by a Toronto orchestra and the supper will be catered from Peterborough. No pains are being spared to have this a success as in all previous years and it is hoped that a large crowd will be in attendance.

A number from town anticipate attending the trainmen's ball at Smith Falls on Jan. 20th, and also at Toronto on Jan. 27th.

Mrs L Clarke returned home Friday after an extended visit with friends in Toronto.

The I. O. O. F. are holding an "at home" in their hall on Friday evening of this week to which invitations have been issued.

The Lady Foresters are arranging for an oyster supper and concert, which will be held in the town hall sometime in February, the date as yet is not decided on.

Stirling Hockey team are billed for a game with Havelock here on Monday night of next week. Both teams have a strong line up and an exciting time is expected.

Mr Watson of Toronto is the guest of his daughter, Mrs Alex Rose.

Misses Ida Horne and Stella Voyer went to Peterborough on Wednesday evening to enjoy a skate at Black street rink.

Mr. Harry Buchanan was in Hastings on Wednesday evening.

Mr. A. E. Barrett was in Montreal last week selecting spring stock for his new store.

Mr Jack Seeney who has been home for a few weeks vacation left last Monday for Cobalt where he will be engaged until the spring.

Mr. Art J Young of town left last week to take a course at the Peterborough Business College.

The L. O. L. held a meeting on Friday night last, the following officers being installed.

W M—R A Buchanan
D M—Wm Anderson
Chaplain—Jno. Anderson
sec.—R J Graham.
Fin. Sec.—Jno. Balfour
Treas—S. Beamith
D of C—A Moore
Lecturer—W J Richmond

Dr. Middleton of Peterborough was in town on Thursday.

Mrs. Wm. Inkster and children of Marmora are the guests of her sister, Mrs. Roberts.

Miss Timmerman of Ivanhoe is the guest of her brother, Mr. Clement Timmerman.

Mr. and Mrs Geo Spencer of Postmore, P. E. County are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Spencer.

Mrs. M Mooney of Saginaw, Mich., is the guest of her sister Mrs. Geo Young.

Mrs. Stewart spent a few days at West Toronto last week the guest of Mr. and Mrs Herrington.

CROPS DESTROYED TAXES REMITTED

Otonabee Council Held First Meeting of the Year—Accounts Were Presented.

ROAD TO BE CLOSED.

The newly-elected council for the Township of Otonabee met on January 11th, as follows:

J. H. Fife, reeve; W. B. Stewart, deputy reeve; and Councillors D. K. Cameron, John Miller and W. A. Anderson.

The following officers were appointed:

J. C. Hope and J. J. Moore, auditors; W. B. Borland, assessor; Walter Dickson, collector; Dr. McWilliams, medical health officer; John Dinsdale and Wm. McAllister, sanitary inspectors.

A grant of $5.00 was made to the Sick Children's Hospital.

Robert Chambers was refunded $4.25 of his school tax, as he had been placed in S. S. No.10, instead of 16. This amount being the difference in the section rates on his assessment.

Jas. Grey applied for leave to cut balance of wood on the quarter line, which he had purchased about twenty years ago. It was not granted as the time had expired for its removal.

On motion, Frank O'Brien's 1908 taxes were remitted on account of his crops being burned.

One copy of the Municipal World was ordered for the office.

Jas. Manly notified the council that after the first of November next he would close the road through his lot, being the east half of lot 18, con. 9.

The following accounts were passed:

Wm. Wedlock, plank, $14.63; Dr. McWilliams, inspecting No. 12 school house, $5.00.

For deputy returning officers — Wm. Weir and poll room, $5.00; Wm. Girven and poll room, $5.30; Wm. O'Leary, $3.50; Geo. Robertson, $3.50; J. M. Drummond, $2.50; A. Shearer, $2.50. For poll rooms — Trustees hall at Stewart's, $2.00; Hall at Mather's, $2.00; S. S. No. 3, $2.00; expressage, 65c; J. H. Pallin, rep. account, $2.10; Geo. Scollie, care of Allandale watering trough, $1.50; F. Walsh, care of Walsh's trough, $3.00. For gravel — R. Redmond, $3.00; D. McCarthy, $1.40; F. Weir, 30c; D. Hunter, drawing for culverts, $3.00; Wm. Taylor & Co., culverts, $6.05.

Council adjourned till the 15th of February.

LITERARY SOCIETY MEETING A SUCCESS

New Galway Organization Has an Enjoyable Session.

Examiner Special.

Galway, Jan. 20.—The first regular meeting of the Galway Literary Society was held the other evening and was a decided success. The popular young president, Mr. Ed. Allen, occupied the chair and filled his position in a very able and capable manner. After the reading of the minutes of the last meeting by Rev. P J O'Leary, the main part of the programme was carried out. The subject under debate was "Resolved that married life is happier than single life." Good arguments were advanced on both sides, but the affirmative, upheld by Ed. Cain, John MacGuire and Mrs. John MacGuire, proved the winners. Special note should be made of Miss Etta Cain and Mr. Herbert Clawson who did so well for the single side of the question. If they progress in the splendid manner in which they began we will hear of them as orators soon. A very amusing number was the criticisms by Mr. Patrick Collins. His criticisms were humorous and yet beneficial and it is to be hoped all concerned will benefit by them. During the evening Miss Veronica Allen favoured the audience with a solo in her usual fine style. Mr. Patrick Collins also gave a solo in splendid style. Great praise is due Miss Mary Collins for the able way in which she gave her recitation.

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BRANCH LINE INTO EAST KOOTENAY

G. T. P. Plans Invasion of the Crow's Nest District.

TO PUSH WORK IN SPRING

Scheme of Building In West Is on Huge Scale and Extension of Alberta Lines Will Tap Southern British Columbia Coal Areas—Prince Rupert Lots Expected to Be Ready by Next May.

Vancouver, B.C., Jan. 20.—Apart from rushing the main line construction in the north this year, the Grand Trunk Pacific is about to formulate plans for building branch lines in British Columbia on a scale of magnitude never dreamed of by the public.

Nothing less than an invasion of the Crow's Nest Pass coal district in East Kootenay is contemplated.

This project constitutes one of the principal objects of the mission of D'Arcy Tate, assistant auditor of the G.T.P. Railway, who arrived from the east yesterday. Necessary authority to build into East Kootenay will be sought at the forthcoming session of the British Columbia Legislature. Formal application has not been made and it is certain that the rules of the Legislature will have to be suspended in order to grant the required authority.

The East Kootenay branch line will be an extension of the proposed G.T.P. branch lines in Alberta, construction of which, in accordance with arrangements, is to be rushed in the spring.

Mr. Tate wil endeavor to have a final settlement of the Prince Rupert town site with the Provincial Government and has an impression that lots will be on the market in May.

Guilty of Forgery.

Montreal, Jan. 20.—"Oh, I may as well plead guilty to the whole lot; you have me anyway," was the statement made yesterday by James Sugden, alias Wallace, alias Williams, held on a charge of forgery and obtaining money under false pretences, and pleaded guilty to the charges of swindling branches of the Dominion Bank, Bank of Commerce, Molson's, and Merchants' Bank.

W. F. Osler, manager of the Imperial Bank of Ottawa, then laid another charge. He stated that on Oct. 21 last Sugden opened an account at his bank with $10 and that two days afterwards he presented a check for $486 on the American National Bank of Los Angeles, which was a forgery.

Held Up by Expressmen.

St. John, N.B., Jan. 20.—Horace Lassard of Charlottetown, P.E.I., was the chief witness at yesterday's sitting here of the Dominion Railway Commission. He complained of numerous charges on shipments made from the Island to the United States. Brokrage and custom charges at the border had to be paid at both shipping and receiving ends, and Americans shipping officials took a half pound sample of tea of every package sent. He also complained of winter charges made by the express company of 50 cents of every additional 100 pounds, he said the only additional further expense they were under amounts to 50 cents on each 50 pounds.

Changes In Targets.

Ottawa, Jan. 20.—The Dominion Rifle Association at its meeting in February will discuss a change in the targets. It is felt that the 20-yard range and target is too easy, and probably the same target will hereafter be used at 300 yards. Thus the actual ranges will be 300, 500 and 600 yards. A new steel target is proposed the size of a man's head and shoulders that lie flat on the ground in places unknown to the shooter at varying distances. By a button an operator brings one up which, on being hit, falls.

Perfume Factory Bonused.

Windsor, Jan. 20.—The Seely Manufacturing Co. will erect a $15,000 perfume factory and will have a fixed assessment of $1,000. Objection was made to the concession by a rival concern, but later withdrawn.

Fire In Chesley Church.

Chesley, Jan. 20.—Fire from an overheated furnace broke out yesterday in the basement of the English Church and destroyed the woodwork of the chancel and the organ.

WHY AM I ILL?

HOW TO TELL.

Does every cold affect your back, and cause a feeling of chilliness, followed by disturbance of the kidney action.

Does the use of spirits, tea or beer excite the kidneys? Are you easily worried and annoyed over trifles? Are the feet and hands cold? Circulation bad? Do the feet and legs swell? Is there puffiness under the eyes? Do you have rheumatism, poor eyesight, headaches and backaches? Is there gravel or any unnatural action of the kidneys?

If you have any of the above symptoms your kidneys are either weak or diseased, and these symptoms are warnings of more serious troubles to follow; Bright's Disease, Diabetes or Dropsy.

Whatever you do, whatever you think your disease is, look well to your kidneys at the first sign of anything wrong. Give them just the aid they require in Doan's Kidney Pills, the Great Quaker Kidney Medicine, and see how well and fit you feel after even a few doses.

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CHANGES IN QUEBEC.

Hon. Adelard Turgeon Is Appointed to Legislative Council.

Montreal, Jan. 20.—Hon. Adelard Turgeon was yesterday appointed to the Legislative Council, replacing the Hon. Horace Archambault, and Mr. Turgeon was at the same time made speaker of the Upper House.

Sir Lomer Gouin will be here today and rumor has it that the following shuffle will be made: Hon. Mr. Foy, M.P.P. for Kamouraska, and Provincial Secretary, will take the vacant portfolio of Forests and Lands, while Dr. L. J. Lemieux, M.P.P. for Gaspe, will be the new Provincial Secretary. Then it is likely that Dr. Pelletier, M.P.P. for Sherbrooke, will be appointed Speaker of the House, with Perinie Decarie, M.P.P. for Hochelaga, as Deputy Speaker for the coming session, after which Dr. Pelletier will go to the Legislative Council and Mr. Decarie will be first commoner.

BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

There are three mild cases of smallpox at Port Hope.

Fire at Milton early yesterday did $1,000 damage in Roper's blacksmith shop and $800 to his residence.

By a unanimous vote the National Shoe Wholesalers' Association of the United States at a recent meeting in Boston adopted a resolution favoring the repeal of the duty on hides.

The Government of Liberia has tendered an official apology to Germany for the improper acts of its harbor officials in the recent stopping of two steamers by the customs gunboat.

Devout Brahmins are firm in their belief that a cow is a sacred animal, so a syndicate of local Hindoos have approached the Victoria, B.C., Creamery Co., with an offer to buy their abandoned premises on the Carry road for use as a temple.

Farmer Sues Railway.

Windsor, Jan. 20.—A unique case was tried yesterday in the Division Court in Essex. A farmer named Beattie sued the Michigan Central Railway for $50 damages. The farmer's own hogs destroyed some of his corn, but he blamed the railroad on the grounds that the railroad company must keep up the fences along its line. Owing to negligence on the part of the railway, his hogs he says, escaped from one of his fields, wandered across the tracks and got into his corn field on the opposite side.

Briton Captures Chinese Boat.

Honk Kong, Jan. 20.—The Chinese harbor guard boat Samstui on Monday fired two shots at the British steamer Cherpo for fouling a wood raft.

This angered Capt. Lewington of the Cherpo, who, arming himself with a revolver, boarded the Samstui in a small boat, arrested the commanding officer, and turned him over to the captain of the British gunboat Robin.

To Close Canals on Sunday.

Albany, N.Y., Jan. 20.—The canals of the state will be closed to traffic from midnight Saturday to midnight Sunday, if a bill introduced in the Assembly yesterday becomes a law. The bill was drafted by the Association of American masters and pilots of steam vessels.

Thaw Still In Courts.

White Plains, N.Y., Jan. 20.—At the request of Thaw's counsel, Justice Tompkins yesterday rescinded the order for a trial on the question of Thaw's insanity, made at the request of Thaw's mother, and the proceedings were withdrawn.

Disastrous Mill Fire.

North Chelmsford, Mass., Jan. 19.—The Brookside Worsted Mills and Moore's Scouring Mills here were practically destroyed by fire last night.

Hundreds of operatives were in the mils when the fire started and many of them had narrow escapes.

An estimate by a mill official places the total loss at $500,000.

Leg Broken While In Bed.

Fort Frances, Jan. 20.—Some time there have been regular blasting operations at the big power dam. Monday evening a freak blast hurled a ten-pound rock through the roof of the Empire Hotel, breaking the kneecap of C. N. R. Brakeman Robertson, who was in bed. It made a hole a foot square in the roof of the building.

Rural 'Phones a Success.

Brockville, Jan. 20.—The first annual meeting of the Lansdowne Rural Telephone Co. shows the receipts of $3,625, and the expenditures $3,578, leaving a small balance. The operation of the line has given great satisfaction.

MARCIL'S ELECTION TO BE UNOPPOSED

Conservatives Will Not Contest Election as Speaker.

SWEARING IN THE MEMBERS

Preparatory Ceremonies of Inaugurating Sitting of Parliament Are Begun at Ottawa — Mr. Borden Is Against Any Demonstration Against Mr. Marcil — Speech From Throne To-morrow.

Ottawa, Jan. 20.—The election of the Speaker of the Commons will be the feature of to-day's opening of Parliament, and it is now likely that the Conservatives will abandon their intention of calling for a vote on the Premier's proposition to elect Charles Marcil. R. L. Borden has put his foot down on the suggestion, and it is likely that the caucus will support him.

The report from Toronto that Hon. A. B. Aylesworth contemplated early resignation to accept an important position in the gift of the Government is denied by the Minister of Justice, who states that it must have arisen through a statement to his constituents that is was not his intention to again be a candidate for Parliament.

There was a large influx of members of Parliament-elect yesterday, and it is expected that there will be but few

THE NEW SPEAKER.

absentees when the signing of the roll and the swearing in ceremony is completed.

After this at three o'clock to-day, the members of both Houses will gather in their respective chambers.

In the Senate chamber, Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, the deputy of the Governor-General, will take his place in front of the throne and will despatch the usher of the Black Rod to summon the members of the lower chamber, whom he will instruct to elect a Speaker.

When the Commoners return to their own chamber Sir Wilfrid Laurier will move that Charles Marcil be elected Speaker of the eleventh Parliament.

The Speaker having been elected the House will adjourn till Thursday, when the formal opening will take place, and the speech from the throne will be read by His Excellency.

R. L. Borden has addressed a letter to the Conservatives of Carleton County formally announcing to them his intention to sit for Halifax in the House of Commons. Mr. Borden thanks the electors of Carleton County for having accepted him as their representative on two occasions, and referred to many warm friendships made by him through his connection with the county.

He will place his resignation as member for Carleton in the hands of the Speaker at an early date.

Alleged Horse Thieves.

Cornwall, Jan. 20.—Last Friday two young men, Dunkin Kemp, formerly of this section, and Nelson Mason of Boston, Mass., engaged a horse and rig from E. Warner to drive to Cornwall Centre, but instead brought up at Morrisburg, where it is said they tried to dispose of the outfit to a liveryman. They were arrested yesterday at Prescott, and remanded for a week. Kemp pleaded guilty to an old charge of stealing a watch and $40 in money.

Conference at Washington.

Washington, D.C., Jan. 20.—During the present week, beginning probably Thursday, important conferences will be held between the State Department officials, Ambassador Bryce of Great Britain, Attorney-General Kent, representing the Premier of Newfoundland, and A. B. Aylesworth, Canadian Minister of Justice, on the Newfoundland fisheries questions, which is to be referred to The Hague for arbitration.

Senses Return While Hypnotized.

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 20.—Through a remarkable series of hypnotic experiments under the direction of the Yale Medical School a man who has been at Grace Hospital since December last and whose mind has been a complete blank so far as his name or anything connected with his past life has been concerned, in an hypnotic state answered all questions readily.

Presentation to Pastor.

Brockville, Jan. 20.—At the annual congregational meeting of St. John's Church last night Rev. D. Strachan, who goes to Rosedale Presbyterian Church, Toronto, was presented with an address and a purse of gold.

George Smith Uncertain.

Windsor. Jan. 20.—Word comes from Woodstock that George Smith has not yet decided whether he will accept the position of junior judge of Essex.

Victim of Coal Oil Flames.

Winnipeg, Jan. 20.—Monday evening Mrs. J. Dodds of 61 Logan avenue was so terribly burned in an explosion of coal oil that she died shortly after.

PE-RU-NA CHEERFULLY RECOMMENDED FOR COLDS AND CATARRH.

A Prominent Canadian Gives His Experience With the World-Famous Remedy For Catarrh.

Chronic Catarrh Always Begins With An Ordinary Cold.

So Says Dr. Hartman, the Greatest Living Authority On Catarrhal Diseases.

THE first effect of a cold is a thickening of the mucous membranes of the nose and throat.

This gives rise to a discharge, or at least a stuffiness of the nasal passages.

Sometimes fever accompanies the first attack, also a feeling of languor, dullness and aching of the bones.

If no attention is paid to it, the mucous congestion is liable to spread down into the larynx, producing hoarseness and into the bronchial tubes, producing a cough.

Even when this occurs, many people pay no attention to it.

Under such circumstances, the congestion is liable to become chronic, producing a condition of the mucous membranes known as catarrh. Catarrh lasts an indefinite time. Catarrh is essentially a chronic condition and does not leave except something is done to relieve it.

CURE COLDS—PREVENT CATARRH.

What should be done when a person catches cold is to take a few doses of Peruna.

Taken at the onset, Peruna would break up the cold and prevent all the train of symptoms which usually follow.

But, even in cases where the cold has been neglected and hoarseness or a cough has developed, Peruna can be relied upon to give prompt and permanent relief.

The frequency of coughs and colds in the winter makes Peruna a popular remedy for these ailments.

A number of the best people of various countries have given testimonials as to the value of Peruna in such cases.

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Mrs. Samuelle Vigneau, Avre au Berd, Isle de La Magdaline, Canada, writes:

"I write to tell you that I am perfectly well. I took only three bottles of your Peruna according to your advice and the directions in your book and it restored my health."

C. H. Parker, Ex-Warden of Compton Co., Quebec, has been mayor of Scottstown for a number of years. He is an influential resident in Scottstown and widely known.

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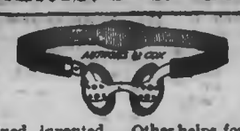

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Port Arthur Will Fight.

Port Arthur, Jan. 20.—Council have unanimously instructed H. Cassels, K.C., to go on with the action against the award of the Ontario Railway Board in the matter of the street railway dispute. In the present action Port Arthur assumes the role of the plaintiff and will appeal against both judgment and award.

Should Pay For Being Single.

Windsor, Jan. 20.—M. E. Brian has been appointed permanent city engineer at $1,600, to succeed George Hanes, who has accepted a position in Vancouver.

Some reference was made to the fact that Brian was not married, and two aldermen held out for clipping off $200 a year.

President's Salary Doubled.

Washington, Jan. 20.—The United States Government yesterday adopted the amendment increasing the salary of the President to $100,000, including all traveling expenses.

The Senate fixed the salary of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court at $15,000, the associate justices at $14,500.

Student Shoots Himself.

Montreal, Jan. 20.—Duncan McDonald, a McGill student, belonging to Montreal, fatally shot himself last evening in the rooms of the Alpha Beta Society.

It has not been ascertained if it is a case of suicide or accident.

To Be Wound Up.

Toronto, Jan. 20.—A winding-up order was granted at Osgoode Hall yesterday against the Chandler & Massey Co., Ltd., chemists and manufacturers of surgical and dental instruments.

Assets are placed at $114,000 and liabilities about $220,000.

Japan Wants Mica.

Ottawa, Jan. 20.—W. T. R. Preston reports to the Department of Trade and Commerce that there is a considerable and growing market in Japan for mica.

Ship Given Up.

London, Jan. 20.—The Norwegian steamer Stickstad, Glasgow for New Brunswick, with a crew of 30, has been given up.

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GOOD CONCERT AT ALL SAINTS'

Many People Present to Hear Programme.

A concert was held in All Saints' church last night under the auspices of the All Saints' Men's Association, for the purpose of raising funds for drawing stone for the foundation of the new church, which is going to be built in the course of the present year. That the project was approved of by the public, was evidenced not only by the large audience that was present but also by the number of artists who gave their services for the occasion.

The programme was a very excellent one in every respect. It was held in the basement of the church.

The chairman of the evening was the Rev. H R Trumpour, rector of All Saints'. Mr. Runnett, president of the association, said a few words in praise of the workers and also to the audience and moved that a vote of thanks be passed to all present and to those who took part in the programme. About $40 was netted in aid of the fund.

The following is the programme:

Chairman's address — Rev. H R Trumpour.
Solo—Mr. Gordon Wright.
Instrumental solo—Miss Titterson.
Vocal solo—Mrs. Greenslade.
Selection—Mandolin Club.
Reading—Mr. S Edgar
Violin solo—Miss Choate.
Solo—Mr. M Johnson.
Vocal solo—Miss Sanderson.
Instrumental solo Miss Eason.
Duet—Mr. and Mrs. Greenslade.
Gramophone selections.
Reading—Rev. H R Trumpour.
Vocal solo—Mrs. Peters.
Solo—Mr. Greenslade.
Instrumental solo—Mr. Horace Foster.
God save the King.

Band To-night at Street Railway Rink.

FIGHT AGAINST THE WHITE PLAGUE

The Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives is Increasing Accommodation.

Since the opening of the New Year accommodation has been provided for twenty-five additional patients at the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives. A new administration building has been opened and as a result the original main building is given up entirely to patients. There are now 95 beds available.

Applicants are admitted as quickly as their medical examinations are passed upon by the Medical Superintendent. In Muskoka only those in the incipient stages of the disease are admitted. This is the outcome of the Christmas Stamp Campaign and other special efforts that were put forth during the holiday season on behalf of this deserving institution.

In the two Muskoka Homes for Consumptives, namely the Muskoka Cottage Sanitorium, and a mile distant the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives, 175 patients can now be accommodated.

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RUSH OF PROSPECTORS INTO NORTH COUNTRY

Four Stage Lines are Kept Busy From T. & N. O. Points to Gowganda.

North Bay, Jan. 20.—There is steady travel into the Larder Lake gold district from Dane Station, 160 miles from North Bay, and three stages meet the train each afternoon at 2.10, landing passengers at Larder Lake at five o'clock, the stages returning the next day, connecting with the southbound train.

There is a great rush on to Elk Lake and Gowganda, four stage routes being in operation and kept busy every day from Charlton, Englehart, Earlton, Latchford, the bulk of the freight business going via Charlton. From Englehart to Elk City by stage takes five hours. Judging by the present influx, when spring opens there will be a tremendous rush to the northern Eldorados.

The Silver Bell Telephone Company have installed a line from Gowganda and Elk Lake to the T & N O Railway at Charlton.

PLEASANT AT HOME AT ORCHARD PARK

Enjoyable Evening Spent at Residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Holmes.

An enjoyable evening was spent on Monday night at the residence of Mr. John Holmes, "Orchard Park Cottage," North Monaghan. It was a pleasant gathering of friends and relatives who appreciated the generous hospitality of the host and hostess. After a dainty luncheon had been served the rest of the evening was spent in music and games. Mr. and Mrs. Dovey contributed numerous songs and instrumentals in a delightful manner.

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Presentation And Address To Mr. W. C. Switzer By Class

Remembered at the Annual Election of Officers by His Class at George Street Methodist Sunday School—Recognition of Service.

MOST ENJOYABLE EVENT.

The members of the Ladies' Adult Bible Class of George street Methodist Church, to the number of sixty, met at the home of their teacher, Mr. W. C. Switzer, Weller street, on Friday night, and spent a most enjoyable evening.

The first thing on the programme was the reports from the different committees, which showed a marked increase in every department, following which the election of officers took place which resulted as follows:—

Teacher: W. C. Switzer.
Assist. Teacher: Mrs. S. R. Armstrong.
Hon. President: Mrs. W. C. Switzer.
President: Mrs. Fife.
Vice-Pres.: Mrs. N. J. Devins.
Rec. Secretary: Mrs. W. H. Cunningham (re-elected by acclamation).
Treasurer: Mrs. Fisher (re-elected by acclamation).
Convener, Membership Committee: Miss K. Thornton.
Convener, Social Committee: Mrs. S. A. Oke.
Convener, Devotional Committee: Mrs. F. Moore.
Convener, Flower Committee: Miss Middleton.

There was a short programme of music, readings, solos, and speeches, in the midst of which Mr. and Mrs. Switzer were asked to come forward while Mrs. Devins read the following address: Mr. W. C. Switzer.

Dear Teacher:—The members of the Welcome Bible Class of the George street Methodist Sunday School desire to give united expression of their appreciation of your work as their teacher, and their gratitude for the time and effort you give to the work of the class. We recognise that to have charge of a class as large as this one makes large demands upon your time, especially when the work is conducted with the success that has attended this class for so many years, as shown by its growth in membership and the large attendance every Sunday. Your instruction has been appreciated by and has been very helpful to us. The knowledge that we have gained by your teaching, and by the inspiration to study that is imparted by your guidance in learning the Scripture lessons has been of great value and will benefit us always.

The friendly and social spirit that pervades the class is also largely owing to yourself and Mrs. Switzer, as is also the benevolent work that is carried on under the auspices of the class, and which has been so helpful to a large number of people.

We earnestly hope that you will for many years remain in charge of this class, and continue the good work for our Lord and Master which you have conducted with such marked success, and as a tangible evidence of our esteem for you and Mrs. Switzer, and our appreciation of your work for us we ask you to accept the accompanying gifts.

Signed on behalf of the class,
MRS. N. J. DEVINS,
President.

Mrs. Hartley presented Mr. Switzer with a handsome electric reading lamp, and Mrs. Zepp presented Mrs. Switzer with a beautiful jardiniere and palm, and a handsome hand painted plate from Mrs. Hounsell. Mr. Switzer replied in a few well chosen words for Mrs. Switzer and himself, thanking the class for their expression of appreciation, the more so because it was strictly unexpected.

The class sang altogether "He's a Jolly Good Fellow." There were a few short speeches from Mr. J. Thornton, Mr. T. W. Robinson, Mr. S. P Armstrong and Rev. E. A. Pearson.

The evening was brought to a close with singing "God be with you till we meet again," Mr. Pearson closing with the benediction.

Collie Dogs Are Needed By Those The Gowganda Bug Has Recently Stung

Persons having collie dogs which they want to dispose of can easily do so these days, to men who are preparing to go back to Elk Lake and Gowganda, the new land of wealth, where a fortune may be acquired by merely staking out a claim of the mineral veined rock. It is a fact that these dogs are being sought after, to be taken back to the new country to draw the toboggans laden with the few necessaries for the temporary settling in the new country. Hence, if collies have had any value in the past, their stock has gone up rapidly of late. Peterborough men who are already in the Eldorado of the north have sent home word to get a number of these dogs, as they are almost invaluable at present. There are also several parties of local men who have got the fever to share in the rush, and it is known that one of the local harness makers has nearly finished a special harness for five dogs to pull a toboggan. They will be hitched together in file, and it is expected will be able to draw the outfit the men will need.

OFFICERS OF Y. M. C. A. ELECTED FOR YEAR AT MEETING LAST NIGHT

A meeting of the directors of the Y.M.C.A. was held in the parlours of the institution last night when the organization for the year was completed. The officers were elected as follows—

President—J C Shook
1st Vice Pres.—V. Eastwood
2nd Vice Pres.—J H Connal
Treasurer—J J Howden
Rec. Sec.—C E Simon
Property Com.—A McFarlane, G.M. Roger, B A Leslie, and A B Cunningham.

Finance Com—V. Eastwood, Ald. J. J. Turner, W E Conway, A W Crossman, B F Ackerman, J J Howden J. C. Shook.

Chairmen of the other committees were as follows—
Religious Work—J F Thornton
Educational—E A Peck
Social—J J Howden
Physical—J H Connal
Boys' work—Dr. J E Middleton
Membership—P A Kerr

Miss Davies Wins Bouquets From Toronto Musical Critics

Miss Helen Davies, of Peterborough, has been the soprano soloist at the National Choir concert in Toronto on Monday and Tuesday nights, and her splendid singing has won her many bouquets from the Toronto critics. The Star says:

Miss Helen Davies, the soprano, attacked her solo parts bravely, the clearness and certainty of her high notes being especially commendable. On the highest authority vibrato is not good form; we should like to hear so pretty a voice free from this fault. It would lose none of its natural sympathetic quality.

Miss Davies had a very warm and encouraging reception from her Toronto audience.

The Mail—

"Miss Helen Davies, of Peterborough, whose powerful soprano voice with its sweet and silvery timbre, is ever a delight, surpassed herself if the difficult declamatory passages of this ungrateful work. The fine quality of the organization in unaccompanied works was demonstrated in a delightful rendering of Leo Williams' setting of "The Peddler's song," from "A Winter's Tale," and Leslie's "Lullaby" of Life. As an added feature, the chorus "Thanks be to God" from Mendelssohn's "Elijah" was given a most spirited rendering with a fine body of tone."

The Globe—

The soprano soloist in "The Flag of England" was Miss Helen Davies of Peterborough, whose bright, clear voice won her a gratifying demonstration.

FIRM BELIEVER IN FUTURE OF COBALT AND GOWGANDA DISTRICT

Mr. J. C. Ritchie, of Toronto, representing the Maple Leaf Mining Company, was in the city yesterday in the interests of his company, and incidentally renewed old acquaintances formed here during his residence in Peterborough some years ago. Mr. Ritchie is a firm believer in the future of Cobalt and the new Gowganda district. The Temiskaming Mine, he states, has demonstrated conclusively that Cobalt is a deep mining mine, and that the ore is not all near the surface, as had been reported. Ore is being taken from the Temiskaming at a depth of 400 feet.

The Maple Leaf Company, which Mr. Ritchie represents, consists of 48 acres in the Coleman district, Cobalt, and 63 acres in Gowganda. He is also a shareholder in the Temiskaming and Hudson Bay Company, the shares of which once sold at $1 and are now worth $300.

Speaking of the difficulty of getting freight into the Gowganda district Mr. Ritchie states that the situation has been considerably improved. Five weeks ago $35 was asked for transporting seventy pounds of freight from Elk City to Gowganda, a distance of twenty-eight miles. Now the Canadian Northern will carry freight from Toronto to Gowganda at the rate of $2 per hundred pounds.

THE NEW CITY ORCHESTRA.

—Through the efforts of Mr. W A Elliott, of the City Photo Studio, a new City Orchestra has been formed for furnishing music for private and public occasions. The members of the orchestra are as follows: W. A Elliott, leader, first violin; Mr. Gowe flute; Mr. Manicolo, cornet; Mr. Westbrooke, clarionette; Mr. G Elliott, cello; Miss Alice Elliott, piano. See card in music column.

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After one of the closest races for aldermanic honours in the municipal history of Peterborough, Geo. A. Gillespie carried offf first honours with a majority of ten over his next contestant. Last year he was a close second and by his work during the past year he has gained the confidence of the public in his ability to deal wisely with public matters, influenced only by the best interests of the people.

Ald. Gillespie is one of Peterborough's leading grocers, being in partnership in the firm of White and Gillespie. He was formerly a cheese maker at Central Smith factory, to the north of the city, and after a number of years' experience came to Peterborough, and has been particularly interested in dairying, their store carrying a special line of supplies for the manufacture of butter and cheese. He has been the largest cheese buyer on the local market during the past year and has been recently chosen as the representative from Peterborough district on the Board of the Eastern Ontario Dairymen's Association, having been re-elected to that honour. Ald. Gillespie is also vice-president of the Board of Trade of that city and altogether occupies a prominent place in the business and public life of Peterborough. He recently attended the convention of the Eastern Dairymen, Prescott. Ald. Gillespie will hold office for two years, being among the six securing the highest votes.

COAL BUCKET FELL ON HIM

Couldn't Walk For Two Months—Worker Owes His Restoration to Zam-Buk.

Mr. Daniel Goddard, of Bay street, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., says: "While employed superintending the unloading on a coal vessel at Cohen's Coal Dock, a heavy coal bucket in descending into the vessel to be refilled suddenly overturned, grazing my left leg and scraping the flesh off to the bone. I was compelled to discontinue work and go home for treatment, where I was confined for about two months.

"When able to get out again I got cold in the wound, inflammation started, the wound opened again, and for another month I was unable to move about. I tried all manner of things to get ease and get the wound to heal up, but nothing seemed able to do it. Not only did everything I tried seem useless so far as healing went, but I could get no ease from the aching and the burning pains. At times I was just about crazy with the intense throbbing pains, and night after night got no sleep whatever.

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GOWGANDA

The quickest and best route will continue to be via the Grand Trunk and T. & N. O. Railway to Charlton, thence 18 miles by stage to Elk Lake and 32 Miles Elk Lake to Gowganda. This route will enable stops to be made at Temagami, Cobalt, Haileybury, New Liskeard and Englehart. Cobalt special leaving Toronto 10.15 p. m., daily, makes direct connection with stages reaching Elk Lake next afternoon. Full information from W. Bunton, C. P. & T. A. 8d14

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Messrs. Marion & Marion's Latest List of New Inventions.

The following Canadian and American patents have been recently secured through the agency of Messrs Marion & Marion, Patent Attorneys Montreal, Canada, and Washington, D. C.

Any information on the subject will be supplied free of charge by applying to the above named firm.

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Miss Eva M. Trudel, Montreal, Q., Hair Tonic

Arthur H. Whitman, Halifax, N. S. Fish drier.

Fred Stitchman, Estevan, Sask., Seeder

W A G von Heidemstam and C L F Friedemann, Stockholm, Sweden, Process of impregnating wood.

Thomas H. Cassily, Cranbrook, B. C. Gate operating means.

United States

Ferdinand Frechette, Notre Dame de Charny, Que. Grate.

Alfred Limoges, Limoges, Ont. Exerciser.

Alderic O. Lavoie, St. Henri, Montreal, Que. Hydraulic Motor.

EXHIBITION TO BE GIVEN BY Y.M.C.A. BOYS

They are Practising Hard for Their Entertainment to be Held on Thursday.

To-morrow (Thursday) evening of this week, the Y.M.C.A. Boys will put on an exhibition of their gymnasium work. The boys are practising hard, and it is expected they will put on an exhibition well worth going to see.

There is a very good programme of marches, games, races, etc. Sack basketball will be a new feature and will make lots of amusement. The potato race, ball hustle, and obstacle race will make plenty of excitement.

The ladies' walking race is causing much excitement and promises to be a popular feature.

If you have never seen the boys at work in the gymnasium, do not miss this opportunity.

Get your tickets from any of the boys or at the Y.M.C.A. office.

Simply Astonishing

The amount of money there is thrown away on imperfect and unsuitable glasses — which fail to give satisfaction to their wearers. : : : :

The amount of genuine satisfaction and pleasure there is in wearing "T. T." Glasses — and they cost no more than the imperfect ones : :

If you require glasses "consult" us now. :

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412 GEORGE STREET

SICK ONE YEAR

London, Ontario, Man Says, "For Chronic Coughs, Colds or Bronchial Troubles Vinol is Without An Equal."

I was ill for over a year before taking Vinol. I had tried cod liver oil, also other remedies. I was influenced to try Vinol by seeing it advertised, and I can safely recommend it to anyone requiring a first class tonic. It is quite palatable and pleasant to take, with all the nourishing qualities of the best cod liver oil. For chronic coughs and colds, or bronchial troubles, it is without an equal, at the same time building up the run-down system, strengthening the appetite and producing sound sleep." A. J. Gilmour, 510 Acklaick street, London, Ontario.

This is because Vinol is a genuine tonic and body-builder which contains peptonate of iron together with every one of the body-building medicinal elements of cod liver oil, but without one drop of oil to upset the stomach and retard its work. Vinol acts directly on the stomach, creates a healthy appetite, and enables the digestive organs to obtain the necessary elements from the food eaten to make rich, red blood, healthy flesh and muscle tissue and create strength.

Your money back if Vinol fails to benefit. McDermid & Jury, druggists, corner of George and Charlotte streets; also the Payne Drug Store, corner George and Simcoe streets.

Band To-night at Street Railway Rink.

COLLEGE INJURY BEGINNING TO TELL

Young Man Was Hazed Twice and Backbone is Now Diseased.

Stamford, Conn., Jan. 20 — Bartow Ayres, assistant cashier for Trowbridge & Co., bankers and brokers, of No. 111 Broadway, New York, was hazed while attending a military school at Peekskill five years ago. In the horseplay his back bone was injured.

Three years ago when he first went on the curb as a broker he got the usual "initation", an overhearty slap on the back, which affected the old injury and caused an abscess. Ayres had it lanced, but it had bothered him from time to time ever since.

A week or two ago the pain became unbearable. A surgical examination showed that the lower end of the back bone was diseased. Dr. William Barrows, a New York surgeon, removed two sections of the back bone in the Stamford Hospital yesterday. The operation was a serious one, but young Mr. Ayres will pull through.

Ladies! If you would be strong and healthy and have good complexions take Miller's Compound Iron Pills. Sold by J. D. Tully, druggist, Peterborough.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 25 cents each insertion in either the Daily or Weekly Examiner.

DIED.

SCOTT—At 797 Hunter street, January 20th, Miss Christina Scott, at the age of 84 years. The funeral (private) will be held on Friday from the residence at 2.30 p.m., and proceed to Little Lake Cemetery.

THE COUNCIL TO MAKE CAMPAIGN FOR MORE INDUSTRIES FOR CITY

Commissioner of Industries May be Appointed---Matter Was Thoroughly Discussed at Joint Meeting Held Last Night.

A determined campaign will be made by the City Council this year to secure more industries for the city and it is likely that the work of advertising the city and of getting industries will be given to a commissioner of industries. The council has been assured that there will be no difficulty in securing power.

Last night there was a joint meeting of the Manufacturers' Committee, the Power Committee and a committee of the Board of Trade to discuss the matter.

Those present were, Mayor Ruah, Ald. McIntyre, chairman of the Special Power Committee, Ald. Gillespie, chairman of the Manufacturers' Committee, Ald. Bradburn, Dullus, Metheral and Morrow.

Messrs. J H Larmonth, W B Moore and Dr. M A Morrison, president of the Board of Trade.

Ald. McIntyre was elected to the chair, but as there was no quorum present no business could be done, but it was decided to discuss the business anyway so that the evening would not be wasted.

The chairman stated that the object of the meeting was to consider the two resolutions passed by the Board of Trade and forwarded to the City Council. He read the resolutions bearing on the power question and also the question of securing new industries and the appointment of a commissioner of industry.

Dr. Morrison, president of the Board of Trade, stated that the idea of the body was that the city should inaugurate a more progressive policy to induce manufacturers to locate here. It would be possible here to accommodate a much larger population and the best way to increase the population was to get more manufacturers here. Other cities were moving and it was time Peterborough was taking some action. The Board had also discussed the advisability of securing more electric power. This would be left with the Power Committee. The Board also recommended the necessity of establishing a publicity department for the purpose of advertising the city. That department could also take up the matter of securing options on all property available for manufacturing sites, so that they would be on file when required. The publicity agent could also go into the imports and find out what articles are not manufactured and then go after those people and endeavour to get them here.

Mr. W H Moore stated that he had never yet seriously considered the question of securing manufacturers here. It struck him, however, that the city would do well to get more power, municipal power and cheap power. He mentioned several powers which might be secured. Peterborough was a great natural centre for manufacturing, one great feature being the wood supply which can be secured very easily.

Mr. Larmonth stated that he had intended to get evidence to show the council that there was lots of power here and that it was reasonable in price. The power companies now in existence would look after the manufacturers and would gladly increase their plant as rapidly as there was any sign of a market. Last year they spent $20,000 on their plant with the result that they have now 1,000 horse power more. As far as the city going into municipal power was concerned he did not think that the city could afford to develop power as it meant an expenditure of several thousand dollars. He further stated that in very few places in Canada could power be had at less than was asked, viz., $20 per horse power. He stated that while Toronto was getting 10,000 horse power from the power commission at $18 per h.p., before the people were through with it it would cost at least $35 per horse power. Mr. Larmonth stated that if Toronto could get factories with $30 to $35 per horse power this city should also get factories at $20 if the city put its energies in the right direction. Mr. Larmonth said he could supply 1,000 horse power by the first of May, and 2,000 horse power a short time after.

Ald Morrow arrived at this time and made the necessary quorum.

Mr. J H Larmonth stated that at the present time the city could with every confidence go to six or eight ordinary manufacturers, and assure them that there will be plenty of power at $20 per horse power.

Ald. Bradburn asked Mr. Larmonth if he would place on record in the hands of the committee that he would supply 1,000 horse power. He stated that he would take it up with the head office in Chicago at once.

Chairman McIntyre then read the next resolution, viz., the tabulation of factory sites and the publicity department and asked if there was any discussion.

Dr. Morrison reiterated that Peterborough should have a publicity department so that they could get after these new factories at once.

Ald. Bradburn stated that he had taken this matter up last year and was convinced that it would pay the city to have a commissioner of industries, who would keep in touch with the manufacturers in the United States and Europe, and when he got hold of a concern looking for a Canadian site, he could go directly after them and endeavour to bring them here. This commissioner could also advertise the city within a radius of 100 miles, and induce many more excursionists into the city. Those outsiders left money here and all benefit thereby. He was strongly in favour of trying this for two or three years anyway, and was confident that it would pay. The matter would be taken up at an early date.

Ald Morrow stated that the Power Committee had been doing everything possible during the past year in connection with the power problem. He agreed with Ald. Bradburn in his ideas of securing a commissioner of industries, believing that it would be in the best interests of the city.

Ald. Gillespie, chairman of the Manufacturers' Committee, stated that he had been taking note of the discussion and approved of the ideas advanced. His Committee would take up the matter and endeavour to carry out the suggestion.

Band To-night at Street Railway Rink.

OBITUARY

MRS. MARY EANO

Mrs. Mary Eano, relict of the late Michael Eano, died this morning at her home 559 Elm street at the age of 44 years. Mrs. Eano was born in New Castle, West Limerick County, Ireland and came to this country 40 years ago residing in Peterborough ever since. She is survived by two sons, Joseph and Frank, both of this city and one daughter, Ellen, who resided at the home of her mother. Three sisters, Mrs. Michael Caregan, East City, Jane and Kate Cronin who reside at the home of their parents, one brother Thomas Cronin of Peterborough.

The funeral will be held on Friday, from the residence at 9 o'clock and proceed to the Cathedral; from there to St. Peter's Cemetery for interment.

WEDDING BELLS

PERKS—LANCASTER

The wedding was quietly solemnized at St. John's church at 9 o'clock this morning of Miss Florence Elizabeth Lancaster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lancaster, No. 198 Edinburgh street, to Mr W. G. Perks, Montreal. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Canon Davidson in the presence of only the immediate friends and relatives of the young couple, who were unattended. The bride wore her travelling suit of dark blue cloth.

Immediately after the ceremony a wedding dejeuner was served at the residence of the bride's parents, after which Mr. and Mrs. Perks left on the 11.26 C. P. R. train for Montreal where they will reside in future.

The large number of wedding gifts received testified to the esteem in which the young couple are regarded by their friends in the city.

DOG SHOW HELD IN HASTINGS

Man Has the Top of His Finger Cut Off While Working.

Examiner Special.

Hastings, Jan. 18.—Rev. Mr. Sterling, of Havelock, occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church on Sunday last, in the absence of Rev. D A Thomson, who conducted special services in Havelock.

Mr. George Gibson has gone to Toronto where he intends taking a business course.

Miss Z Bottum, of Bobcaygeon, is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. J H McClelland.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Keefe and family left Saturday for their new home at Morden, Man.

While at work in the foundry one day last week Mr. Wm. Clapper, Jr., met with a very painful accident in which he was so unfortunate as to lose the end of one of his fingers.

The dog show which was held in the town hall every evening last week was very well attended. The dogs which are under the direction of Kitchison & Thardo, are well trained and proved an endless source of merriment, especially to the children.

Mr. Charlie Waddell left on Saturday for Toronto to pursue his studies at Business College.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Richardson have the sympathy of the whole community in their loss by death of their twin boys, Gerald and Gordon.

We congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Fite on the birth of a son.

Among those who attended the Hockey Club "At Home" in Havelock recently, we notice the name of Miss K Graham of town.

Mr. Charlie Warner has gone to Belleville to attend the Business College.

Mr. and Mrs. R Honey, of Warkworth were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Warner on Sunday last.

The first meeting of the new council was held on Monday evening with the following present: T Howard, Reeve; Councillors John Welsh, C R Fowlds, L F Clarry, J H Hess. Considerable business of importance was transacted and it looks as if the council of 1909 were getting down to real business. At this meeting the Reeve appointed the following Committees:—

Finance—Clarry and Welsh.
Charity—Welsh and Fowlds.
Electric Light—Hess and Welsh.
Streets—Clarry and Welsh.
Property—Reeve and Welsh.
Fire Department — Clarry and Welsh.

The Jubilee Singers are billed for Hastings on February 1st, for one night only.

Mrs. Ed. Scriver, of Wolseley, Sask., is renewing old acquaintances in town and is the guest of Mrs. Wm. Warner Jr. Mrs. Scriver (nee Miss Lily Rogers) was at one time a teacher on the public school staff here, while Mr. Scriver was the general editor of the Hastings Star.

Miss Annie Jamieson has left on an extended visit to her father. Miss Carrie Bowes is supplying as organist in the Methodist church during her absence.

The surveyors are hard at work mapping out the route for the Trent Valley Canal.

NOTES OF INTEREST FROM DOWNEYVILLE

Personal and News Paragraphs From That Village.

Examiner Special.

Downeyville, Jan. 9th (Special) —Owing to the recent rains and soft weather, the snow has disappeared, leaving the road practically bare, and buggies and waggons again take the place of sleighs. This is a great drawback to the farmers as they cannot draw their produce to town.

Miss Lena Carroll has returned to Downeyville when she will resume her duties as teacher in the school No. 4 for 1909. Miss Carroll spent a very pleasant holiday at her home in Trenton, Ont.

Miss Julia Murphy, of Ops, again takes charge of No. 12, and Mr. John Denan holds No. 15. Miss Mila Callaghan, who has been teaching in Fort William, has returned to her home and will teach in St. Joseph's Convent in Lindsay for 1909.

Mrs. Martin Carroll of Lindsay, spent the holidays with her daughter, Mrs. Herliheif.

Miss Olive Herliheif spent a few days with friends in Ennismore.

Miss Mary Ann O'Neill, who was home for her sister's funeral, returned to Rochester a few days ago.

Messrs. Reid and Cecil, who have been spending the festive season in Havelock and Trent Bridge, returned this week to see after the business of the Maple Leaf Cheese Factory for next season.

Mr. Patrick Tracy, of Ops, who for some time suffered from cancer, passed away at his home Christmas week. We sympathise with his bereaved wife and family in their trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Duffy, who have been spending a few weeks with friends in and around Downeyville, leave on Monday, January 11th, for their home in Minnesota.

London's Immensity.

London! The heart not only of England, nor indeed only of the great British Empire, but of all Anglo-Saxondom—in sooth a very marvelous city, old as the once virile race which created it, and beyond comparison larger, wealthier, more influential, richer in every sort of human interest, than any other city in the round world.

No other city links the past with the present as London does. We gaze upon its historic Tower, in turn fortress, palace, prison and museum—venerated as an ancient pile in the dark days called the Middle Ages, and averting our gaze for a moment see the Tower Bridge, a grand example of modern engineering skill, which almost touches it. London has numerous and splendid parks, hundreds of stately mansions (some of them, such as Stafford House and Grosvenor House, of unsurpassed magnificent), thousands of well-appointed houses, and hundreds of thousands of mean houses. Irregular in shape and continually expanding, no one can say precisely where the London of to-day begins or ends.

A Fastidious Deadhead.

Mr. Albert Chevalier, the London comedian, used to tell the following story against himself. It happened when he was touring in the provinces. The stage-door keeper of one of the theatres in the town went to Mr. Chevalier's brother, Mr. Ingle, with a request for a couple of seats for that evening's performance. "With pleasure," was the reply. "But I don't want 'em for myself," the man explained. "I've seed 'im. It's the missus that wants 'em. Like all the women, she just wants to say she's seed 'im." "That will be all right," replied Mr. Ingle. "You send her along, and I'll see that she has good seats." "Thank you, sir," replied the man. He drew a step nearer, put his hand up to his mouth, and whispered confidentially. "Don't worry about the places. Put 'er anywhere, but put 'er near the door, so that she can get out easy in case she don't like 'im."

First Glimpse of the World.

William Edward Clay, a Nottingham (Eng.) organist, who has been totally blind since he was 18 months old, has had his sight restored after twenty-six years. He can now distinguish his parents, and is looking forward to the time when he will be able to learn to read and write.

"Chance."

When you talk of chance you are only confessing ignorance. The very spin of the coin is governed by the nerve, muscle or manipulation of the thumb and brain that spin it. The only chance about it is your ignorance of the forces that lift, twist and catch the coin. If you could calculate the physical and mental forces between the halfpenny's leap and return you might buy the world. But you can't. And it's just that bit of blindness that we have to call chance.—London Chronicle.

A Question of Beauty

Clear the skin of chap, roughness and redness with our excellent

Non-Greasy Cooling Cream

Apply it before going out and it protects the skin against chaps. Good for babies as well as for grown-ups. : : :

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THE HOUSE WITH A FUR REPUTATION---ESTABLISHED 1861

January Sale of FINE FURS

Reductions in all lines. 15% to 30% off regular prices. We guarantee all we advertise. It will pay you to buy now. : : :

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January Sale of Whitewear | ADAMS' | January Sale of Whitewear

January Sale of LADIES' WHITEWEAR

We take great pleasure in announcing **Our Annual January Sale of Ladies' Whitewear.** Commencing Tuesday Morning, continuing for the balance of the month, when we will have displayed for your inspection the best values in **fresh, crisp, New Whitewear** we have ever shown.

Night Dresses
Skirts, Drawers
Corset Covers

We invite the ladies to visit our store during the **January Sale of Whitewear** and see the extra special price inducements we are offering.

Harry Adams

MERRELL & MEREDITH'S BIG STORE

To Be Cut In Two

Our lease on one half the Big Store expires on **February 1st,** on that date the **H. S. Knox Co.,** of Buffalo, take possession of one half of the store. That means move out for us. Reduced space means Reduced Prices and

A BIG ALTERATION SALE LASTING 10--DAYS--10

Sale Is Now On. Ends Saturday, January 30th.

Keep your eye on this space. Watch for Bargains.

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CHEMICALLY PURE
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For the orders you have given us during the past year
For COAL And WOOD
Rest assured we more than appreciate your favours, and will endeavour in the future to continue to serve you right and merit your future favours.
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Our method of Stock Reduction is PRICE REDUCTION. While present stock lasts prices of these Heaters slashed like this:—
1 No. 18 Wonder Oak, regular price $12.50. Sale Price..... 9.95
A very neat Stove, with Nickel Top, Band and Skirt, Flat Shaker Grate and Ash Pan.
3 No. 19 Royal Record Oaks, regular price $13.50, Sale Price 10.50
A splendid medium-sized Stove, with Nickel Band and Skirt, Flat Shaker Grate and Mica Doors.
1 No. 843 Oak Idea, regular price $14.50. Sale Price..... 11.50
1 No. 45 Oak Idea, regular price $13.50. Sale Price..... 10.50
Fine Heaters, with Nickel Top, Band and Skirt and Roller Grates.
1 No. 17 Royal Record Oak, regular price $16. Sale Price 13.00
A Good, Big Stove, made with Nickel Band and Skirt, Mica Door and Flat Shaker Grate.
2 No. 14 Walker Plain Oaks, regular price $14. Sale Price 10.50
1 No. 16 Walker Plain Oaks, regular price $16. Sale Price 12.50
1 No. 18 Walker Plain Oak, regular price $18. Sale Price 14.50
3 No. 14 Walker Brilliant Oaks, regular $15. Sale Price 11.50
2 No. 16 Walker Brilliant Oaks, regular $17. Sale Price 13.50
1 No. 18 Walker Brilliant Oak, regular $19. Sale Price 15.50
Finished in the best style, with Nickel Top Bands, Skirts and Feet, Improved Roller Grates and Patent Smoke and Gas Shield.
1 No. 2 Quebec Idea Heaters, regular price 6.50, Sale Price 5.50
1 No. 3 Quebec Idea Heater, regular price 8.50, Sale Price 6.50
1 No. 4 Quebec Idea Heater, reg. price 10.50, Sale Price 8.50
1 No. 15a Oxford Laurel Base Burner, regular $35. Sale Price $20
All Stove Boards for Heaters to be sold at the same reduced prices.
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WEALTH OF GAS FOR QUEEN CITY

Fields Around Cooksville Said to Be Phenomenal.

MAY BE RICHEST IN CANADA

Oil Expert Cox Who Has Been Investigating Newest Find, Declares That It Is the Best In the Dominion and Will Produce Enough Light and Fuel to Supply Toronto—Company Organized.

Toronto, Jan. 20.—Gas enough to supply the whole city of Toronto with light and fuel, is promised within a very few months by the Toronto Oil and Gas Syndicate, who have leased up many acres of land in West Toronto, Cooksville and Port Credit, and will start drilling in Cooksville today.

A "rig," or drill, has already been set up on A. Roumegous' farm, about 800 yards west of the village, just north of the Dundas road.

To-day Thomas Cox, oil expert and "diviner" of Brantford, with Thomas Bull of Cooksville, will go to Port Credit to lease up more property, with the understanding that drilling will be commenced in that district within 30 days.

After a careful geological survey of the Cooksville district, Mr. Cox, whose original intention was to have confined his operations to West Toronto, is convinced that there is a wonderful field for gas and oil production there.

He received an intimation of this nature during a brief visit to the locality six years ago. While working quietly in West Toronto he bethought himself to re-visit the place Dec. 27, and was as strongly impressed with the indications, that he has since that time organized a strong company, secured enough property rights and raised sufficient capital to see the project to a decisive issue.

Mr. Cox characterizes the deposit as identical with that of Pennsylvania and Ohio. A continuation, deepening and widening of the Trenton strata, as found in shallow layers at Collingwood, Owen Sound, Thornhill and Orillia.

"I am convinced this is the very richest oil and gas field in Canada," declare Mr. Cox yesterday. "Trenton lime is the great gas, and oil rock of American, and we have it here, from 650 to 750 feet in thickness and extra good. Don't be surprised to see enough gas found here to supply the whole city of Toronto with cheap light and fuel."

Stabbed In Barroom Brawl.

Brockville, Jan. 20.—Wm. Scott has been sent up for trial here by the police magistrate of Prescott on a charge of occasioning grievous bodily harm to Clifford Hollingsworth, a Prescott hockeyist. Scott and a companion named Fish were drinking in a hotel when a dispute arose over a glass of whisky. Hollingsworth clinched Fish, and while on the floor, Scott is alleged to have stabbed Hollingsworth across the neck and three times in the face. On slash came within an ace of severing the jugular vein. Scott and Fish belong to Ottawa.

Young Australian Party.

London, Jan. 20.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—According to Australian newspapers, the national committee made the following additions to the party manifesto of the Young Australian National Party:

"Australian citizens to own control and rule the Commonwealth National Government and to acquire the following additional powers: The right to make treaties with any power or nation; right to appoint consuls to any country; an Australian navy, built and manned by Australians and under absolute Australian control; commonwealth legislation, defining citizenship; only Australian citizens to own lands and mines; the abolition of naval subsidy to Britain; the abolition of titular distinctions."

Yellow Immigration.

London, Jan. 20.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—The Royal Colonial Institute welcomed Lord Northcote, late Governor-General of Australia, at a banquet, Lord Crewe presiding. Lord Northcote remarked on the necessity of viewing the yellow immigration question from an Australian viewpoint, and declared Australia was increasingly protectionist. He urged the necessity of British emigration.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.
CURE
Sick Headache and relieve all the troubles incident to a bilious state of the system, such as Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Distress after eating, Pain in the Side, &c. While their most remarkable success has been shown in curing
SICK
Headache, yet Carter's Little Liver Pills are equally valuable in Constipation, curing and preventing this annoying complaint, while they also correct all disorders of the stomach, stimulate the liver and regulate the bowels. Even if they only cured
HEAD
Ache they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint; but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head
ACHE
is the bane of so many lives that here is where we make our great boast. Our pills cure it while others do not.
Carter's Little Liver Pills are very small and very easy to take. One or two pills make a dose. They are strictly vegetable and do not gripe or purge, but by their gentle action please all who use them.
CARTER MEDICINE CO., NEW YORK.
Small Pill. Small Dose. Small Price.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS
FOR ALL KIDNEY DISEASES
CURES RHEUMATISM
NIGHT'S DISEASES BACKACHE
DIABETES

MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool and Chicago Wheat Futures Close Higher—Live Stock—Latest Quotations.

Tuesday Evening, Jan. 19.

Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day ½d higher, and corn closed ¾d higher than yesterday.

At Chicago, May wheat closed ½c higher than yesterday, May corn closed ⅝c higher, and May oats closed ½c higher.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—January 99⅝c bid, July $1.02⅝ bid, May $1.01⅛ bid.
Oats—January 37c bid, May 41c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	$0 95	to $....
Wheat, red, bush	0 95	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 91	....
Rye, bush	0 80	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 55	....
Peas, bushel	0 68	....
Barley, bushel	0 53	....
Oats, bushel	0 44	....

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 26
Butter, store lots	0 23	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 28	0 29
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 30	0 35
Eggs, cold storage	0 26	0 27
Cheese, large, lb	0 13½	....
Cheese, twins, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 19.—Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 9¼d. Futures steady; March 7s 7⅝d, May 7s 6¾d, July 7s 7½d.

Corn—Spot steady; new American mixed, via Galveston, 5s 6¼d. Futures firm; March 5s 3⅝d, May 5s 3⅜d.

Pork—Prime mess, western, quiet, 77s 6d.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., strong, 47s 6d.

Bacon—Short clear backs quiet, 46s 6d; clear bellies dull, 50s 6d.

Cheese—Canadian, finest white, firm, 61c; do., colored, firm, 63c.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, firm, 49s 6d; American refined, in pails, firm, 50s 3d.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—Butter—Barely steady, unchanged; receipts, 11,135.

Cheese—Steady, unchanged; receipts, 3632.

Eggs—Easy; receipts, 10,763; state, Pennsylvania and nearby, fancy, selected, white 32c; do., fair to choice, 35c to 37c; brown and mixed, fancy, 33c to 35c; do., fair to choice, 31c to 32c; western first, 31½c; seconds, 30c to 31c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Lower — American Markets Steady and Generally Firm.

LONDON, Jan. 19.—London cables for cattle are steady, at 12c to 12¾c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10½c to 10¾c per lb.

Toronto Live Stock.

TORONTO, Jan. 19.—Receipts of live stock at the City Market, as reported by the railways, were 120 carloads, consisting of 2087 cattle, 1350 hogs, 1299 sheep and lambs and 88 calves.

Exporters.

Not many export cattle were offered—not more than six loads all told. Choice shipping steers were scarce, and prices for them were firm, ranging from $5 to $5.60, the latter price being obtained by Dunn & Levack for the best load on the market, weighing 1250 lbs. Bulls sold at from $3.75 to $4.75.

Butchers.

Prime picked lots of butchers were very scarce—so scarce that Alexander Levack, who always buys the best, had to buy some of export weights to get the quality he required. For this class of cattle the prices were nearly as high as exporters, ranging from $5 to $5.25, and $5.45 was obtained by Maybee & Wilson for eight cattle, 1230 lbs. each, and Dunn & Levack sold the best heifer on the market, brought in by F. T. Strangway of Tottenham, at $5.50; but there were not more than a load of this class out of the 2087 cattle on sale. Loads of good, $4.50 to $4.80, and this class was not large in number; medium cattle, of which there were many, sold at from $3.65 to $4.10; cows, $3 to $4.25; common cows and canners, $1.50 to $2.60 per cwt.

Feeders and Stockers.

H. & W. Murby report a limited number on sale, with a demand for all on sale, as several farmers were on the market to purchase both feeders and stockers. The Messrs. Murby bought several lots at the following quotations: Feeders, 950 to 1100 lbs., $3.90 to $4.30; feeders, 800 to 950 lbs., $3.50 to $3.90; stockers, 600 to 800 lbs., $3.25 to $3.50 per cwt.

Milkers and Springers.

The number of milkers and springers on sale was fairly large, well up to the hundred mark. Trade was moderately good, considering that the Montreal buyers were not on the market. In their place were many farmers from the surrounding townships, especially York and Scarboro. Prices ranged at from $30 to $50, with a very few at $60 each.

Veal Calves.

About 100 calves were on sale. Prices for them were firm at $3 to $7 per cwt., with an odd new milk-fed calf now and again going at $7.50.

Sheep and Lambs.

Receipts were moderate—about 1300—but prices were easier, especially for lambs. Ewes, $4 to $4.50; rams, $3.50 to $4; lambs, $5.50 to $6.35 per cwt.

Hogs.

Mr. Harris reported the market steady, as follows: Selects, $6.50, fed and watered, and $6.25 to drovers f.o.b. cars at country points.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Jan. 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 400 head; fairly active and steady; prime steers, $6.25 to $6.65.

Veals—Receipts, 200 head; active and steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 3500 head; fairly active and steady; heavy, $6.50 to $6.70; mixed, $6.60 to $6.65; yorkers, $6.15 to $6.60; roughs, $5.50 to $5.80; dairies, $6 to $6.40.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 12,000 head; sheep active; wethers 15c lower; lambs slow and steady; yearlings, $6.25 to $6.60; wethers, $5.25 to $5.50.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—Beeves—Receipts, 1737; no trading of importance; feeling weak for steers; dressed beef slow at 8c to 10c; extra prime do. 10½c. Exports to-morrow, 2166 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 504; veals quiet, but steady; western calves dull and easier feeling; veals, $5 to $10; Indiana calves, $4 to $6; barnyard calves, $3.75; dressed calves slow; city dressed veals, 8½c to 15c; country dressed, 8c to 14c.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 6415; sheep steady; lambs slow to weak; sheep, $3 to $4.75; yearlings, $6; lambs, $7.60 to $8.75; culls, $5.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 4643; market firm; light to heavy hogs, $6.35 to $6.60; pigs, $6.75 to $6.85.

Smoot Re-Elected to Senate.

Salt Lake City, Jan. 20.—U. S. Senator Reed Smoot was re-elected yesterday by both Houses voting in separate session.

EVANS IN ENGLAND.

Alleged Sarnia Bigamist Bought Ticket For Liverpool.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 20.—It is reported that Toledo detectives have succeeded in locating Rev. Evan T. Evans, the clergyman who, with a wife and four children living, married Miss Nellie St. Clair Davis, Sarnia, Ont., and disappeared. Evans and Miss Davis lived for several weeks on East 66th street, in Cleveland, in a room rented from O. K. Black, a real estate dealer. Evans engaged the room about Sept. 7, and introduced the woman as his wife. He said that he was taking a vacation and had planned to spend most of it in Cleveland. Evans did not say what his business was, and it was not until the second Sunday that the couple were in the city that he announced himself to be a clergyman. After about two weeks Miss Davis left, Evans explaining that her mother was ill. Ten days later Evans left, saying he was going to London, but would be back again.

From the first Black and his wife feared that there might be something wrong about the couple. Evans went out a great deal and rarely took the girl with him. He was drinking heavily and she scarcely left the room, and when she did her eyes were red as though she had been crying. She was often heard sobbing after Evans had gone out.

The police have found that Evans bought a ticket for Liverpool and have given up their search.

YOU CAN CURE CATARRH
J. H. Taylor, 54 Bond Street, Toronto, Breathed Hyomei and Cured a Long-Standing Case of Chronic Catarrh That Defied All Other Remedies, Also Toronto and New York Specialists.
Without taking a drop of medicine into the stomach, J. H. Taylor, 54 Bond street, Toronto, tells how the distressing troubles of Catarrh were overcome by simply inhaling Hyomei air. It's the history of tens of thousands similar cases on record, proving that Hyomei can be depended upon to cure Catarrh, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds and Croup. It has no equal for any distress of the breathing organs.
Mr. Taylor says: "Some years ago while on a hunting trip in Northern Canada, I contracted a severe cold that settled in my head and finally affected my throat. It rapidly developed into catarrh and caused a miserable throat weakness. My head would become clogged during the night and there was a catarrhal dropping from the nose into the throat. Many days I had been unable to breathe other than through my mouth, and the constant hawking and spitting was almost unbearable. I had been treated by the best throat specialists here and in New York, but else failed."

Woman May Be Executed.

Albany, N.Y., Jan. 20.—Whether or not Mary Farmer, indicted jointly with her husband, James D. Farmer, and convicted of the murder of Mrs. Sarah Brennan in the town of Mounsfield, near Watertown, on April 23, 1908, will be electrocuted in expiation of the crime, will be decided by the Court of Appeals which yesterday heard argument.

The Farmer and Brennan families were neighbors. One day in April Mrs. Brennan was seen to enter the Farmer home and was never seen alive again. Four days later her mutilated body was found in a big black trunk in the Brennan house, into which the Farmers had moved a day or two after Mrs. Brennan disappeared.

Prejudices Are Withering.

London, Jan. 20.—In an editorial yesterday morning, commenting on President Roosevelt's address at Washington on Monday night, in which he referred to the successful administration of India by the British Government, The Times acknowledges that it is deeply touched by the tribute.

"None of his predecessors," says The Times, "would have ventured such a tribute, and high as President Roosevelt's courage is, he could not have ventured it himself had he not known that the old prejudices cherished among his countrymen were fast withering away."

Congdon Elected In Yukon.

Vancouver, B.C., Jan. 20.—This was election day in the Yukon and reports received last night indicate the election of Fred Congdon, K.C., (Lib.) by 200, over Geo. Black (Con.). There were four candidates.

Fred T. Congdon, K.C., was defeated in 1904 by Dr. Thompson (Ind.). He since served as commissioner in the Yukon. His nearest opponent, Geo. Black, is a lawyer from Fredericton, N.B.

New Line by May.

Montreal, Jan. 20.—It is officially announced that Mackenzie and Mann's new route to Quebec along the north shore of the St. Lawrence, 173 miles, will be opened for traffic by the first of May.

This latest section of the Canadian Northern will run trains between the political and commercial capital of the province in five hours.

Two Killed by Train.

Brandon, Man., Jan. 20.—Walking westward Herbert Silles and Albert Cookson were overtaken by a train. The former was killed and the latter fatally injured.

Seven Years.

Montreal, Jan. 20.—Oliva Pepin was yesterday sentenced to seven years for attempting to rob, with force, a jewelry shop.

Ottawa Alone Benefits.

Ottawa, Jan. 20.—The Government bonus of $150 a year to the civil service applies only to members of the "inside" service, or those at Ottawa.

Earl Crewe to Preside.

London, Jan. 20.—Earl Crewe will preside at the banquet of the Imperial Press Congress in June.

Natural Gas Exploded.

Chatham, Jan. 20.—As a result of a natural gas explosion in Park Brothers' Foundry, Alfred Moore was seriously burned about the face and head, and is in a critical condition at St. Joseph's Hospital. Every window in the building was shattered.

Moore was attempting to light the gas in the chore furnace.

Bad Prisoners Loose.

Wheeling, W. Va., Jan. 20.—Eight prisoners escaped early yesterday from jails at Weston, W.Va.; Moundsville, W.Va., and Charlestown, W.Va. The wife of the Weston jailer is in a serious condition from being choked and beaten by four men who escaped there.

The majority of the men are desperate characters.

Loses Life In Blizzard.

Medicine Hat, Alta., Jan. 20.—The body was brought into the city yesterday of John Thomas Holden, aged 23, who was living with his uncle, John Holden, and was lost in Thursday night's blizzard, while trying to return home on foot from a neighbor's, only three miles away.

Police Chief Re-appointed.

Windsor, Jan. 20.—Sandwich Town Council on Monday night appointed Allois Masters as chief of police. Last year his salary was cut off, and he was practically dismissed. In the last election Masters' friends were triumphant, and he is reinstated at a salary of $150 a year.

Plumber Is Missing.

Welland, Jan. 20.—H. J. Griffiths, who has conducted a plumbing business here for the past two years, left town on Saturday, and there are a number of anxious enquirers. His wife left the same afternoon, but by another train.

Fatal 'Quake In Turkey.

Smyrna, Turkey, Jan. 20.—A sharp earthquake was experienced here yesterday morning, but there was no loss or damage.

At Phocaeu, 25 miles to the northwest, a number of houses fell and three persons were killed.

Buildings were damaged in other towns.

Suffer From Cold.

Port Arthur, Jan. 20.—It is reported that some of the settlers in Conmee and O'Connor Townships are suffering considerably from the unusually severe and prolonged cold weather.

Once Saved Queen's Life.

Hartford, Conn., Jan. 20.—Henry Davis, who, it is the story here, once saved Queen Victoria's life in a runaway is dead.

Inexpensive Portfolio.

A portfolio for sketches is made of stout brown wrapping paper, stitched together at one side with close, regularly crossed stitches, and has a flap which fastens over the top. Red water color paint decorates a portfolio on this order used by one artist, the sides and flap being outlined in an Indian border design. The monogram of the owner appears on the front of the portfolio, which costs next to nothing to make.

When Tired Out.

In case of exhaustion alcohol added to the bath is a great invigorator. The most economical way of using it is to have a basin of clear water, and into this put a tablespoonful of the spirits to a quart of cool water. The body is well sponged in this, using the water freely. There will be little danger of taking cold, and the bath will prove to be refreshing and restful.

Wife of a Novelist.

Mrs. Hall Caine is a pretty, soft voiced, frail little woman and is considered a wonderful wife. Not only is she a good housekeeper in her beautiful home, Greeba castle, on the Isle of Man, but when the author of "The Eternal City" travels Mrs. Caine always accompanies him, acting in the capacity of secretary, which role she fills equally well.

His Glasses.

He came home in the small hours of the morning, and his loving spouse confronted him with wrath in her eye and a telegram in her hand, saying, "Here is news that has been waiting for you since supper time."

He blinked, looked wise and, braced up against the hatrack, felt through his pockets, murmuring, "I left my glasses down town."

"Yes," she replied, with scathing irony, "but you brought the contents with you."

Skin Diseases.
A diseased or disfigured skin will always leave its stamp on the mind of the individual. Many people suffering from disfiguring skin diseases avoid society and lose all pride in their personal appearance. When the skin breaks out in eruptions and sores it is due entirely to an impure condition of the blood.
In all such cases Burdock Blood Bitters will quickly purify the blood and drive all the impurities out of the system.
ITCHING RASH CURED.
Mrs. J. J. Magee, Jr., Kinmount, Ont., writes: "In the spring of 1906 I was troubled with a Rash that broke out all over me. It was the worst on my face and head, had a dry, scaly top, and when I would get warm it would become very itchy. I tried the doctor's medicine but it did me no good, so I then got one bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters and before it was all used the Rash was entirely gone."
SORES ON FACE.
Mrs. Harvey Barkhouse, Gold River, N.S., writes: "I was greatly troubled with Sores on my face and finally became so bad I had to go to the doctor about it, but he could do nothing to help me.
"I thought about Burdock Blood Bitters and decided to try a bottle. I cannot recommend B.B.B. enough, as I had not taken all the bottle before my face was cured."
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THREATENED WITH PARALYSIS.
Peter F. Summers, of Kalamazoo, Mich., relates his experience:
"I was troubled with Nervous Debility for many years. I lay it to indiscretion and excesses in early youth. I became very despondent and didn't care whether I worked or not. I imagined everybody who looked at me guessed my secret. Imaginative dreams at night weakened me—my back ached, had pains in the back of my head, hands and feet were cold, tired in the morning, poor appetite, fingers were shaky, eyes blurred, hair loose, memory poor, etc. Numbness in the fingers set in and the doctor told me he feared paralysis. I took all kinds of medicines and tried many first-class physicians, wore an electric belt for three months, went to Mt. Clemens for baths, but received little benefit. While at Mt. Clemens I was induced to consult Drs. Kennedy & Kennedy, though I had lost all faith in doctors. Like a drowning man I commenced the New Method Treatment and it saved my life. The improvement was like magic—I could feel the vigor going through the nerves. I was cured mentally and physically. I have sent them many patients and will continue to do so."
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Dear Sirs,—I beg to acknowledge receipt to-day of cheque from The London Mutual Fire Insurance Company in full settlement of my claim for loss by fire, which occurred just three weeks ago.

I wish to thank you and your Company for the liberal and satisfactory manner in which my loss has been adjusted and paid, and would heartily recommend the London Mutual to the insuring public

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RUGBY BASKETBALL WRESTLING

The Examiner's Sporting Page

RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

COMBINATION WON FOR PETES IS THE OPINION OF BELLEVILLE PRESS

The Intelligencer says of the game in Belleville—

The Belleville Intermediates went down another peg last night, when they fell before Peterboro 4-2 So far as the championship of a group is concerned, the locals are now out of it, but there is still the cellar championship to be settled Who will get it? Cobourg or Belleville? We'll be able to make a better guess after next Friday night, but one thing is sure; if the same rotten luck the Red and White boys have had all along sticks to them to the finish they will certainly sport the leather medals

There was a good crowd present last night when Referee H F Moxom, of Toronto, started the chopping bee

The shake-up in the Belleville line did not seem to improve matters much Some of the boys showed up well, but most of them seemed to have forgotten nearly all the combination work they ever learned whereas the Peterboros, when they broke away were nearly always three abreast. Belleville was trying all the time, but the Peterboro defence was strong and the best the locals could do was to get one past Derocher, whereas, when half time came the boys from Strattonville had four to their credit

In the second half Belleville took the aggressive at the start and maintained it to the finish They had the best of the play all the way, but the best they could do was to score one, whereas Peterboro scored not at all, the final score being 4-2 in the visitor's favour It was hard luck for the home team With average good fortune they should have tied the score and won out, but Derocher had horseshoes all over him Individually the locals showed up well, but need more combination work

The Ontario says of the game:—

Despite the strong determination of the Belleville Intermediate hockey team to reverse the verdict which the Peterborough team obtained against them in last Friday night's match at the Electric City, the swing of victory was still against the locals, and the spell of ill-luck which has rested on Belleville's hockey players remained unbroken. The record so far is that no Belleville team has won an O.H.A. match, even on their own ice, this season.

There was a good attendance at the game, despite the extreme cold, and there was no lack of enthusiasm, particularly among the ladies.

Very soon after the game commenced it was apparent that Peterborough was playing the better combination, although the locals were playing a strong game individually and the work of both teams and the checking were of a strenuous character. First to go off was a Peterborough man, and that the play was clean was evidenced by the fact that but two of the visitors and one local man were sent outside the fence.

SCHEDULED CURLING GAMES PLAYED AT RINK LAST NIGHT

The schedule games played last night at the curling rink were very interesting, several of the contests being close.

The scores and rinks are—

F. Dobbin	Dr. Gorman
M Lyle	J D Craig
J M McDermid	A Gibson
T F Matthews 12	Dr. McCullough 8
G J Hill	W S Dodds
R J Winch	R Cameron
A Webb	D Hall
R Hicks 10	G B Stevenson 5
F Dixon	S Rush
H Evans	J Hall
H Meredith	W T Hall
E B Clegg 12	S D Hall— 14
W Adamson	F D Kerr
C Taber	Stubb
F Bronscombe	R N Merritt
R Neill 18	H R H Kenner 11
B Lastar	R Hamilton
Clark	E L Goodwin
E H D Hall	W D Campbell
J H Burnham 9	J H Ferguson 14
W Menzies	G Tovey
J Davidson	Howe
J Montgomery	W E Talbot
W G Morrow 7	G N Brown 14

Who Will Represent Canada At Big International Race?

Jim Harrison the local pedestrian, has received a communication from the managers of the International six-day go-as-you-please race which will commence on the 7th of March at midnight in Madison Square Gardens. The prize money offered by the promoters amounts to $5,000.00 and will be competed for by practically every enlightened country on the globe. Two men will represent each of these countries, but the United States will have three two-men teams. The latter will represent New York, Chicago and California. Endurance will count in this race and a representative of the race is now in Europe for the purpose of arranging for the best men from each country. It will be run and walk which ever the competitors choose and will be 24 hours steady grind every day.

ST. ANDREW'S BEAT KNOX IN EXCITING CITY CHURCH LEAGUE GAME

Between 300 and 400 people attended the Senior Church League game at the Park street rink last night when St. Andrew's strengthened their hold on the top rung of the league race by defeating Knox church in a hang up battle by 2 to 1. It was about the best game yet seen in the League and the fans were aroused to fever heat as the puck travelled from one end of the rink to the other in quick succession. A feature of the game was the fact that Rev. H J Keith donned skates and played point for his team, doing excellent work upon the defence. At half time St. Andrew's were ahead 1—0 and they succeeded in scoring again in the second half. The last goal of the game went to Knox church. Bartley of Knox who had his eye cut open and who was wearing a bandage over the injured optic, secured the rubber at his own goal and carried it through the whole St. Andrew's team for the most brilliant counter of the night. The stars for the winners were Flannagan at cover and Rae on the forward line. The teams lined up as follows:

St. Andrew's.	Knox.
Goal.	
Patterson	Crowe
Point.	
McDonald	Rev. H J Keith
Cover.	
Flannagan	Galley
Rover.	
Stanton	Bartley
Centre.	
Rae	D Hilher
Left wing.	
Dormer	Reid
Right wing.	
Currie	Stewart

Harry Morgan was a very satisfactory referee.

WARAM HAD GREAT SCORE; EXAMINER "B'S" DOUBLE-HEADER

Some of the best bowling of the season was witnessed at the P. B. C. last night, the feature being the record breaking work of Billy Waram, of the Belmonts, and the appearance on the alleys of Alex. Johnston, a member of the champion Royal Canadian team of Toronto, and one of the oldest bowlers in the province. Johnston has never before rolled on regulation alleys in Peterborough, but despite his strange surroundings he put up a series of 200 scores in practice games against Geo. Cairns, Fred Fryer, another Toronto bowler, Billy Waram, Martin and others.

The best work of the night was done in the game between the Examiner B and Belmonts, when Waram ran up a score of 254, which breaks Herb Martin's league record, which has stood since early in the season, by 18 pins. Waram started out with six straight strikes, made a split spare on his seventh, two more strikes, then a spare on his tenth, followed by a strike. For his three games he had a total of 596, which is only four pins below the league record for three consecutive strings.

The Examiner B's played a double header during the evening, losing two to the Belmonts and winning the same number from the Frontenacs, Dela Fosse being high man in both contests.

EXAMINER B—				
Dela Fosse	133	148	122	446
Craig	158	115	152	425
Clarke	150	112	148	410
	464	395	422	1281
BELMONTS—				
Pollard	123	124	150	397
Tanney	138	168	129	455
Waram	168	174	254	596
	429	466	533	1448
EXAMINER B—				
Dela Fosse	133	134	156	422
Craig	114	128	141	383
Clarke	106	122	130	358
	353	384	426	1163
FRONTENACS—				
Fryer	150	149	148	457
Barrett	157	116	150	423
Lang	137	97	114	348
	459	362	412	1233

Band at Brock Street Rink tonight and Friday. Good Ice

RETURNS OF LINDSAY MATCH TO BE GIVEN AT CITY LEAGUE GAMES

The City League games to-morrow night will no doubt be appreciated by the fans who will not be able to go to Lindsay with the Intermediate team. There is a splendid bill ready for the patrons and an interesting night's support is assured. A feature will be a bulletin service giving the details of the game in Lindsay as the goals are scored. This will be appreciated by those who can not get away to see the game themselves and the rink will no doubt be a popular place to-morrow night as an excellent service will be given.

The Belmonts and T A S will clash in the first game of the double header and the former announce that they are through losing and intend to take a fall out of Manager Deannard's aggregation to morrow night. The Abstainers however cannot see it that way. In any event there will be a lively battle.

Lakefield and the West Ends play the second game and an interesting struggle should be the result. The boys from the shadow of Jackson Park count upon putting the Indian sign on Lakefield and if the youngsters show the form they have displayed in practice, Leo Quinn's bunch will have troubles of their own. The West Ends have three of the junior O H A team on their line up and for fixture which precedes the double header will be run and walk which will take a lot of beating. The junior will be between George st and the T. A. S. Juniors.

HOCKEY

Belleville intermediates have notified the O. H. A. secretary that they intend to default their remaining games.

They are out of the running, but if Lindsay want them to play they are willing to go there for a return game.

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With Belleville dropping out of the district the race has narrowed down practically to a battle between Lindsay and Peterborough, and tomorrow's big game in Scugogville will have a great effect upon the standing. Giving the Belleville games not played as victories the standing of the district is as follows:

	Won.	Lost	To Play
Lindsay	4	0	2
Peterborough	2	0	4
Osbourne	2	2	2
Belleville	0	6	0

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The standing of the senior Church League is as follows:

	Won.	Lost	To play.
St. Andrew's	3	0	3
Knox	1	1	4
George's Feet	0	1	5
Park street	0	2	4

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The team who played the best combination won.—Belleville Ontario.

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L. O. L. No. 50 Hockey Team challenges Ackerman's to a game of hockey to be played as soon as the rink can be obtained.

The following players of the George street Methodist Church team are requested to be at Knox rink at 6.45 o'clock: Williams, Best, Ackerman, Curtis, Tisdale, Davidson, Sanderson, Godfrey.

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...tch	99⅜	99½
...t.R.T.	71⅛	70⅝
...t.P.R.	176½	176½
...rie	31	31
...reat Northern	144	143⅝
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...do. Pac.	72	71⅞
...Northern Pacific	139½	140
...Y.C.	131⅛	130½
...enna	133½	133⅜
...t.L.	24½	24⅜
...dg.	137½	137½
...melters	86	85½
...oo	145	144½
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...P	120⅜	120½
...I.P.	170½	170⅜
...I.S	52½	52½
...I.S. pf'd	133⅜	113½
...win City	99½	99½
...dvipissing	10½	10½
...day. Wheat	106⅜	107⅜
... Corn	61½	61½
...ay Oats	51⅛	51⅛
... Pork	17.02	17.27

Chinese and Europeans.

Europe knew next to nothing of China or its people prior to the conquests of the famous Genghis Khan The commotion raised by that monster made Europeans somewhat acquainted with "Far Cathay," as China was then called. It was about the year 1300, or possibly a trifle earlier, that the first Chinese made their appearance in Europe. The first commercial intercourse between Europe and China dates from about the year 1330.

Politically Speaking.

"Shall I see your father?"

"Oh, no," said the politician's daughter. "Necessary to a choice, one."

"Then I am the groom elect?"

"You are. And, Harold"—

"Yes, dear."

"I shall expect you to keep some of these pre-election promises you've been making."

In Doubt.

Waiter—Tea or coffee, sir? Guest—Well, if that was tea you gave me yesterday, bring coffee; if it was coffee, bring me tea, and if it was a mixture of tea and coffee I think I'll try chocolate.

HIS LIFE FOR A HAND.

An English Legend of the Time of the Crusaders.

In a little town or village in Gloucestershire there is a church which contains the mortal remains of one of the old crusaders. In moldering effigy he is depicted on the tomb, while by his side in cold eloquence is imaged the form of his wife. It will be noticed by even the casual observer that the female image is bereft of one of the hands, and the story runs that the crusader while fighting in the east was made a prisoner of war and brought before Saladin, who, before executing judgment upon him, asked him if there was any reason why he should not be put to death. To this the knight replied that he was but young and would leave a newly wedded wife, who would bitterly mourn his loss.

"The love of woman is as a fleeting breath," retorted the sultan. "Your wife will forget that you have ever lived; she will love again and marry another." To this the sad knight could only reply that on her fidelity he could rest his soul. "Well, then," replied Saladin, "I will promise on my oath as a soldier that if this man's wife will cut off one of her hands and send it to me I will set him free to go to her." By tedious and slow journeyings the message came, and she, in all piteousness for him who was her lover and her lord, caused her hand to be cut off and sent it to the sultan who kept his word and set the crusader free.—London Notes and Queries.

RISE OF DIALECT.

Source of the Expressions "Stig 'im!" and "Sick 'Em!"

When a boy in some parts of New England has occasion to set his dog upon any one or anything he exclaims as a rule: "Stig 'im! Stig 'im!" The New York boy or the boy of the west generally says: "Sick 'em! Sick 'em!" To the western boy the command "Stig 'im!" sounds absurd; it provokes his laughter. But his own command is equally amusing to the New England boy.

This little difference illustrates the beginning of local dialect. Probably neither boy thinks of the exact meaning of what he says. He is merely repeating words he has heard otherwise, which he is sure, from their frequent repetition, that the dog will understand.

The boy who says "Sick 'em!" is repeating a corruption only one degree removed of the words "Seek him!" which are a very old command.

"Stig 'im!" is a corruption one degree further removed from its original than "Sick 'em!" It began with "Take him!" which was varied by the use of "so" before it—"So take him!" From this to "S' take him!" was an easy step, and the more easily pronounced "Stig 'im!" was the next corruption.

A Perfect Chicken Pie.

Cut into pieces one chicken. Boil in enough water until tender, adding, when half done, one teaspoonful salt. Take out the chicken, keep warm and thicken the liquid with one tablespoonful each of flour and butter rubbed together, add salt and pepper to taste and boil five minutes. Take one quart of flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, a little salt and one cup of butter and mix as for biscuit. Take half, roll a fourth of an inch and line a dish, leaving an inch over the sides to turn over the upper crust. Put in the chicken, pour over gravy, cover with the upper crust, with a large hole in the center for steam to escape, wet the edge and fold over the upper crust and press firmly together. Spread soft butter over the top and bake about two hours in a moderate oven.

Public Opinion.

The single snowflake—who cares for it? But a whole day of snowflakes—who does not care for that? Private opinion is weak, but public opinion is almost omnipotent.

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For Burketon, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	7.58 a m
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points	4.35 p m

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	Arrive	Depar
Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Gravenhurst, North Bay, Sturgeon Falls and Toronto	11:50 a.m. 9:35 p.m.	9:00 a.m. 11.55 a.m.
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Port Hope, Toronto, Lindsay, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Cobourg Montreal and East	5:05 p.m. 8:40 a.m.	11:50 a.m. 9:05 p.m.
Toronto, Lindsay, Stouffville, Uxbridge and Markham	11:50 a.m. 7:10 p.m. 9:35 p.m.	9:00 a.m. 12:10 p.m. 11:55a.m.
Lindsay Local	9:35 a.m.	9:10 p.m.
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	9:35 a.m. 5:05 p.m.	9:05 a.m. 1:50 p.m.
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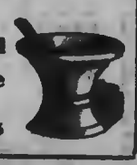

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LATEST CITY NEWS.

Probabilities
—Southerly and westerly winds; fair and mild to-day and on Thursday.

Training Class
—The teachers' training class of St. Andrew's church will meet this evening at 7.30 o'clock.

Jordan Bros., Florists
—Will remove on the 1st February to the store now occupied by Macgregor & Reid, 428 George street. 11d15

Painting and Decorating
—Painting and decorating, all work quickly, neatly and cheaply executed. Country work not objected to. A Guppy, 455 Stewart street. 28d14

District Tea
—The ladies of Knox church will hold a district tea at the home of Mrs. Jonathan Smith, 582 Bolivar st. to-morrow afternoon, Thursday.

Prayer Meeting
—At the weekly prayer meeting at St. Andrew's church at 8 o'clock "Missionary Book" by Mr. Rich. Lees. "Mission Book," taken by Mr. Rich. Lees.

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Band To-night at Street Railway Rink.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Mr. C. Atwood, of Lakefield, was in the city this morning.

Miss Mabel Brown has returned home after spending a few days in Lakefield.

Mrs. W A Bell, 633 Charlotte street, will not receive again until the 3rd Wednesday in March.

Miss Olive Stevens left to-day for Campbellford where she will spend a few weeks visiting friends.

Mrs. C G Graham, 188 Dalhousie street, will receive in future on the third and fourth Wednesdays.

Miss Alice Blakley, of Wellington, Prince Edward County, is visiting with her sister, Mrs. A Hanna, George street.

Miss May Sullivan of East City left on Tuesday for Ottawa, where she will be the guest of Madam Corrivan.

Miss Bessie Pearce, daughter of Mr. J W Pearce, M.P.P., Marmora, is visiting her cousin, Miss Minnie Pearce, 387 Walton street.

Mrs. John Coughlin, Aylmer street, is in Toronto to hear her cousin, Miss Margaret Keyes, of the New York Symphony Orchestra, sing at Massey Hall to-night.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Kelly returned home last night from their honeymoon spent in a trip through the Eastern states and New York City. They will reside in Bridgenorth.

Mr. Martin Lamb, who has spent the last few months in Cincinnati and other southern points, has returned to the city, and is warmly welcomed by his acquaintances of last summer.

Mrs. Albert Dunford, accompanied by her daughter, Olive, left for their home Fort Royal, Stony Lake, yesterday after a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. Jos. Batten, McDonnell street.

Mrs. Alex Trotter, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Vernon Grace Trotter, has returned to her home in Toledo after spending a month with her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. A Jones, Romaine street.

Hon. J. R. Stratton, M P, West Peterborough, accompanied by Mrs. Stratton, left yesterday for Ottawa to be present at the opening of Parliament this afternoon, and to enter upon his parliamentary duties.

Miller's Compound Iron Pills, only 25 cents for 50 doses. Sold by J. D Tully, druggist, Peterborough.

SHOES AND STOCKINGS.

A Way by Which Their Lasting Qualities May Be Increased.

While your shoes are new or before the soles are much worn apply with a small brush several coats of linseed oil, letting it dry in well each time before reapplying. The oil acts much the same on the leather as it does on wood, and if the applications of oil are repeated frequently the sole may be preserved intact indefinitely.

It sounds unreasonable to talk of preserving hosiery to any appreciable extent, but it may be done. The oftener hosiery is washed the longer it will last. By washing I do not necessarily mean the ordinary laundry method, which is calculated to fade and rot the fiber. Really, to preserve hosiery it must have personal supervision. Stockings should never be worn longer than one day. They should then be rinsed in lukewarm water with a few drops of ammonia in it, dried and worn without ironing. This repeated wetting of the fiber keeps it so firm and strong that it will not break at the points of greatest distension. This treatment applies to cotton, lisle thread and silk hosiery. If you will treat your new hose this way from the beginning, you need darn but very little. Of course in time all hosiery, however expensive or strong, will succumb to wear, but the above method of treatment will double the lasting qualities.

THE LETTER THAT KILLETH.

Trifling Errors That Have Had Big Results in Court.

It is on record that Lord Denman established great reputation at the bar by securing an acquittal in a famous case on the ground that a certain firm described in the indictment as "proprietors of a silk and cotton lace manufactory" should have been described as "proprietors of a silk and of a cotton lace manufactory," it having been ascertained that they made both silk and cotton lace.

In 1827 a judge quashed an inquisition for murder because it was referred to the jurors as "on their oaths" instead of "on their oath."

In yet another case the judge held that the omission of the word "ewe" was sufficient to invalidate a conviction because the word "ewe" as well as "sheep" was used in the statute.

In 1841 Lord Cardigan was indicted for firing on Captain Tucket in a duel. He was acquitted because the captain's Christian names were wrongly entered in the indictment.

In another case about the same period a legal document was invalidated because the letters A. D. were used instead of the words "In the year of our Lord."—Westminster Review.

Bats in a Bedroom.

An army of bats invaded the bedroom of a rectory in Dorsetshire, and from every part of the room they could be heard plunging against mirrors and glasses, knocking against the ceiling, while too often to be pleasant one would hit against the head of the bed. The rector struck a match and lit a candle. This served to attract the creatures nearer to that particular part of the room in which the bed was placed. Then the reverend gentleman placed the candle near an open window, only to find that other bats began to come in, so that it was impossible to count how many there were in the room. Another plan was tried. All the curtains were drawn aside and the east window opened wide. The light was put out, and the visitors gradually dispersed.—London Standard.

Yawning Fish.

The mouth of the turbot is twisted to one side, rather as if it had belonged to a round fish which some one had accidentally trod on and squashed half flat. The yawn begins at the lips, which open as if to suck in water. Then the jaws become distended, and it is seen that this is going to be a real, genuine fish's yawn. But the yawn goes on, works through the back of its head, distending the plates of the skull, and comes out at the gills, which, open, show the red inside and are inflated for a moment, and then, with a kind of stretching shiver of its back, the fish flattens out again. — London Mail.

Originality Needed.

To revive an old style of building, no matter how well it may be done, does nothing to advance the art of building. It would at the best be but a copy of an old work. Painters copy old masters for the purpose of study, but copying pictures will never make a painter's reputation. Something new must be achieved, some original work executed, before any advance in art is possible. So it is with architecture.—Country Home.

OUR HERITAGE.

Some of our days to come may show
of strife,
Others perchance would be suffused
with light,
If panoramic view of future life
Would but unfold itself to mortal
sight.

Coming catastrophies and burdens
great,
Mountains of pain and hardship,
that we'd see,
Would tend to darken all our present
state
If such prophetic thing should ever
be.

Over the one who gives up in despair,
Unknown or known, these hardships
ever lay.
Like lowering clouds over a landscape
fair,
That hide the beauty of the present
day.

Mountains seem mole-hills to our
strengthened feet,
And pitfalls but a shortened step if
we
To our guide and amulet will truly
keep,
Shedding sunshine through Faith,
Hope and Charity.

Frances Letoil.

THE PRAIRIE CHICKEN.

Something About the Game Bird of the Western Plains.

One of the most familiar denizens of the vast prairies of Northwest Canada is the prairie chicken, which provides at the same time sport and food for the settler and his family. Though their numbers must have been very appreciably thinned of late years, prairie chicken are still to be found in their thousands all over the park-like lands of the Territories. This sporting bird, when fully matured, is of about the same size as our domestic hen, but his contour is somewhat different. His legs are shorter, and he has a more squat appearance. The plumage is quite thick, of a greyish brown hue on the back, and approaching white on the breast. Male and female are very similar in appearance, but the former has a small tuft on his head. Legally, one is not allowed to shoot chicken save between Sept. 15 and Dec. 15, and, in addition, the law says that not more than twenty may be killed in one day by the individual, nor above a hundred during the whole season. These birds have considerable powers of flight, and the "gunner" must discharge at once, for in a few seconds the chicken will have whirred speedily a quarter of a mile away into the next section, and may never be seen again. The old birds rear half a dozen or so of downy chicks, which later on prove dainty eating when properly cooked. May the day be far distant when we have to count the prairie chicken as one of the things that have been!

One Pioneer Left.

Ninety-six years ago last August there landed on the banks of the Red river a little band of Scotch Highlanders, the vanguard of the Selkirk settlers. Other shiploads followed during the next few years. Many explorers, missionaries, hunters and adventurers had entered the country before them, but these were the earliest settlers, the very first white men that came to what is now Western Canada to establish homes, to possess the land and till the soil. The death in Toronto a few days ago of John Mackay, at the age of ninety-four, leaves one survivor of the original Selkirk settlers now living, Miss Matheson, the aunt of the Archbishop. This venerable lady, who resides near St. Andrews, was born on the Atlantic, during the four months' voyage of the Haddow, the ship which in 1815 brought out one of the parties of the Selkirk settlers. How important an event the founding of the Selkirk settlement was, the world is only now beginning to realise; and as years go on, the memory of those heroic pioneers will be held in ever greater honor.—Manitoba Free Press.

Haunts of Bruin.

As a big game district the Squamish Valley in British Columbia is getting a reputation this fall and winter that bids fair to outclass even that of the Kootenay and Atlin districts—at least for bear and deer-shooting. To many people the fact that there are grizzly bears in the Squamish Valley will come as a surprise. But it is true, nevertheless, and the hides of two grizzlies are in Vancouver right now as proof. One is of a she bear that weighed over 500 pounds, the other one of her cubs, and tipped the scales at 220 pounds. The cub's coat is in fine condition, but there was a lot of long, unshed, last season's hair on the older bear. The nimrods who got these two intend organizing a party soon and going back to the same locality, where it is believed several other grizzly cubs and the mate of the she bear may be secured.

Since last fall considerably over one hundred black bear have been killed in the comparatively limited area of the lower Squamish Valley. This is no "bear story," but a statement that well-known Squamish residents say can be proved by actual figures.

The Northern Mail.

The other day a trusted agent of the Hudson Bay Co. left Edmonton with the winter's mail for points in the Far North. This mail is destined for Fort McPherson, on Peel River, and intermediate points. An Edmonton man will drive north to Lac La Biche with the mail.

It will then be placed in the hands of an experienced northern traveler, who will take it north to Fort Resolution by dog train. From there another man will proceed with the balance of the mail to Fort McPherson. The whole 2,000 mile trip to Fort McPherson will occupy three months. When the mail was weighed at the Edmonton postoffice, it was found that there were thirty pounds of registered mail, thirty-seven pounds of ordinary letters, and 886 pounds of newspapers and magazines, making a total of 953 pounds. This was the largest mail ever prepared for the north at one time.

An Eye Closer.

Griggs—I say, old man, what's good for insomnia? I haven't closed my eyes for five nights. Colonel—You want to have a boxing match. The first time I tried it, I remember, my eyes were closed for a fortnight.

COSTUME SUPPER.

Guests Come in Character and Act It During the Evening.

An old fashioned supper, served at 8 o'clock by candlelight, makes an interesting change from conventional dinners.

Ask your guests to come informally and in old fashioned attire. The women will don their grandmothers' clothes for such an occasion and look lovely.

A man, alas, usually hates "dressing up," but suggest that he wear a jabot of lace over his immaculate white, stiff bosomed shirt and sew lace ruffles in his sleeves, and he will be pleased with his appearance at once. But, mind, this is only in confidence in case one or two truly object. Otherwise beg them to come in the picturesque, romantic dress of long ago.

It adds greatly if the guests come in character and act it throughout the evening. But it must be borne in mind that the guests must not number more than twelve or fourteen if a single table is to be used. The chance for real fun and informality lies in a small party. If a large costume supper be given the small tables should be used.

Have no light but candlelight, always the most becoming, and a bare table. A large bowl of old fashioned flowers may adorn the middle of the table on a plain linen centerpiece, showing as little as possible.

Large wooden plates of bread cut thickly, butter made into small flat pats, dishes of apples and nuts and homemade candies complete the table furnishing. Coffee and tea should be served by the hostess, the guests helping to pass the cups.

For the supper:

Broiled Oysters on Toast.
Broiled Chicken and Sausage.
Baked Potatoes. Apple Sauce.
Cold Slaw. Corn Bread.
Vegetable Salad.
Hot Waffles, with Sirup.

After supper the guests may enjoy old fashioned games, either quiet or romping, and in the middle of the evening, if an open fire is available, popping corn is a simple pleasure, and while eating it hot lemonade may be served.

Word Painting.

Jimmy (reading)—"Casey swatted de leather into left garden fer a brace of sacks an' den pilfered thold base an' dented de pan on Mullegan's lallipaloosa, dat sailed over Outfielder Shaugnessy's nut." I tell yer, Willie, dat's word paintin', dat is! Shakespeare never could beat dat!—Exchange.

The Flight of Time.

"When did you move into the suburbs?"

"Three cooks ago."—Puck.

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WE GUARANTEE EVERY TUB

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The Famous SOUTHLAND SEXTETTE—Vocalists
—Will appear in the Opera House—
Under the Auspices of Y.M.C.A. Leaders' Corps
Friday Evening, Jan. 29th
See Posters, Local Notices and Programmes.
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Bargains greater than ever.
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PROBS.—Southerly and westerly winds, fair and mild to-day and on Friday.

THE GOLDEN LION STORE

Celebrates Its 25th Anniversary This Month by an

Unprecedented Bargain Festival

All previous sales by this or any other Peterborough store eclipsed. Help us celebrate this quarter century ending by saving money here.

Savings all through the store are like these:—

LINEN TABLING, NAPKINS, TOWELS, TOWELLINGS, ETC., ARE SELLING BELOW COST

15 Linen Table Cloths, worth $3.00, Sale Price, each **2.10**

2 yards x 2 yards and 2 yards x 2½ yards, bordered all round, splendid patterns and pure Irish Linen.

Sample Towels **1-3 Off**

Samples of Linen Huck, Damask Huck and Bath Towels and Towel length. Splendid value.

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Hemstitched Irish Linen Huck Towels, size 19 x 38 inches, pure bleached.

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Guaranteed pure Irish Linen. Splendid new designs, 72 inches wide.

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Size 20x30 inches, fine quality and several pretty designs.

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The best value ever offered this season in

LADIES' COATS Formerly $12.00 and $12.50 **7.50**

Splendid quality Black Melton, Kersey and Broadcloth, new long model, all this season's styles.

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White All-over Lace, 18 inches wide, good patterns, formerly 50c per yard.

All-Over Laces **25c**

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20 Beautiful Silk and Lace Blouses, Formerly $7.50 to $12.00, now each **5.00**

Soft Messaline and Chiffon Taffeta Silk Blouses, in Black, White, Navy Blue, Pink, Sky Blue, etc, and Lace and Net in Cream, Ecru and Black. Your choice, while they last, $5.00 each.

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Braids and Gimps, in blacks and colours, desirable patterns and colours.

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Braid, Gimps and Appliques, blacks and almost every colour.

Remember, our sale of Dress Muslin and White Muslin Underwear is on.

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THE GOLDEN LION STORE

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Genuine Rush Prices

ON ALL MADE-TO-ORDER AND READY-MADE CLOTHING

We don't want to exaggerate a bit, but such buying chances as the following have very seldom been offered in Peterborough. Our desire to close up our regular year's business with a very light stock is the chief reason for this very extraordinary January

CUT-PRICE SALE

We are offering HIGH-GRADE MADE-TO-MEASURE CLOTHING at and below cost, in order to reduce our big range of Suitings and Overcoatings. Here are a few samples of the Rush Prices:—

Men's Best Melton or Beaver Overcoats, made to order, former price $25.00. Rush Sale Price **18.00**

Men's Scotch Tweed Melton or Beaver Overcoats, made to order, former price $20.00. Rush Sale Price **15.00**

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These are the most sweeping cuts we have ever made on Made-to-measure Garments. Every Garment will be made up and finished in the same first-class style as if regular price were paid.

Men's Ready-made Overcoats, were $15.00. Rush Sale Price **11.00**

Men's Fashionable Winter Overcoats, were $10.50. Rush Sale Price **7.75**

Men's Heavy Tweed Overcoats, were $7.00. Rush Sale Price **5.00**

Men's Ready-made Tweed Suits, were $7.00. Rush Sale Price **4.75**

Men's Ready-made Worsteds and Serge Suits, were $12.00. Rush Sale Price **9.50**

Men's Working Pants **1.00, 1.25, 1.50**

Men's Tweed and Worsted Pants **2.00, 2.50, 3.00**

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Men's Imported Underwear, including Wolsey's and other makes, 20 to 30 per cent. discount.

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For New Year's

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TAX RATE THIS YEAR MAY BE 20 MILLS

Ald. Bradburn Was Heard to Say That He Believed It Would be That High.

While it is early yet to think of taxes still it may be stated that at the meeting of the Board of Works last night more than once was it stated that the rate this year would probably be in the neighbourhood of 20 mills. Ald. Bradburn was one of those who was figuring it out at this rate and great emphasis is being placed upon economising in order to keep the rate as low as possible this year above all others. The school rate it was said, would probably take up practically half of the 20 mills, and at this going, other things will likely be scrimped. Of course the Finance Committee has not prepared the estimates and the matter is really in a very embryo form, but the general feeling is that the rate will be 20 mills and it was even stated that it was possible that this might be exceeded.

MARMORA I.O.O.F. INSTALL OFFICERS

District Deputy Grand Master A. A. Fowler Performed the Ceremony.

On Tuesday night the installation of officers in the Mystic Lodge, No. 378, I.O.O.F., Marmora, took place. District Deputy Grand Master A. A. Fowler, officiated, and was aided by Col. J. W. Miller, P.G.; R. J. Matchett, P.G.; John Emmerson, P.G., W. G. Freeburn, P.G.; Frank Wise, P.G.; who went down on the 7.51 C.P.R. train from this city.

The following officers were duly installed:

J.P.G.—O. P. Butler.
N.G.—W. H. Hubbell.
V.G.—W. F. Bleecker.
R. S.—Tom J. Butler.
F.S.—H. R. Pearce.
Treas.—F. W. Marett.
Warden—W. A. Sanderson.
Con.—Geo. Thompson.
O.G.—A. Smith.
I.G.—B. Aribout.
R.S.N.G.—H. Sallus, Editor.
L.S.N.G.—O. R. Jones.
R.S.V.G.—Jos. Hickey.
L.S.V.G.—M. S. Doupe.
R.S.S.C.—A. Bleecker.
L.S.S.C.—Alex. Kennedy.
Chap.—C. G. Istead.

OTONABEE FARMER GETS FIRST PRIZE

Winner of First in the Grain From Standing Field Crop Competition.

Ottawa, Jan. 20.—The provincial prize winners in the grain from standing field crop competition held in connection with the live stock show being held here are: First prize, Andrew Drummond, Otonabee Agricultural Society, new market variety; Second prize, Garfield Kennedy, Bobcaygeon, Verulam Agricultural Society, Mammoth Cluster variety; third prize, Peter Drummond, Otonabee Agricultural Society, Irish white variety; fourth prize, William Lewis, Verulam Agricultural Society, Siberian Variety; *Fifth* prize, Robt. Fisher, South Monaghan Agricultural Society, prolific variety.

WALTER MILLER GETS $500 FROM G.T.R.

Marks, the Other Hockey Player, Gets $800 for Injuries.

Brantford, Jan. 20. — Brantford hockey players, Marks and Miller, received $800 and $500 respectively from Grand Trunk Claims Agent McGraw for injuries received in the wreck near Guelph last week. Marks had an arm broken in four places and Miller had a badly injured leg. Tommy Smith, James Bradley and A. Hutton received sums less than $100 for minor burns.

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BOARD OF WORKS DECIDES TO HAVE PLANS PREPARED FOR CHEAPER BRIDGE AT SMITH ST.

Considerable Business Transacted at First Meeting of the Year—Romaine Street Sewer Will be Touched, Not Yet, But Soon.

BY-LAW OUT AGAIN.

The first meeting of the Board of Works was held last night with a full attendance. The following were present—Ald. Phelan, chairman; Ald. Bradburn, Buller, Gillespie, McIntyre Turner and Duncan.

As a curtain-raiser Ald. Phelan took the opportunity of expressing the hope that the meetings would be characterized by the same spirit of harmony as was evidenced last year and that a successful business term would be the result.

The Board endorsed the movement made at the last meeting in 1908 to give Rev. Father Kielty of Douro, $20 in consideration of an injury his horse had sustained on Dufferin st.

Also that Mr. Wm. Logan be given $30 instead of $50 which he had demanded on account of loss of business occasioned by the building of the bridge over the creek at Brock street. He averaged his loss at $15 a week and it had continued through six weeks.

The offer from Mr. J. W. Fitzgerald to sell to the city 19 feet of his property fronting on Benson st and which had been accepted, was ratified. This will enable the city to widen Benson street to 66 feet and the chairman stated that by the sale of gravel taken out in the work they could pay for the purchase of this strip of property.

That Brigade

The Smith street bridge question was taken down from the shelf upon which it had been placed by the vote of the ratepayers at the municipal elections. It was stated that this by-law had been defeated for the reason that the people were not acquainted with it. It had not been placed before the electors in a comprehensive manner and hence they had turned it down, thinking that the Street Railway Company were to derive some great benefit from it.

The Aldermen talked over the style of bridge that they would build. First and above all from present appearances it must be cheap. At any rate the $49,000 kind is not to be thought of, so the general opinion showed itself. "They want shoddy" one of the aldermen said, "we had better give them what they want." Engineer Hay was present and was asked to prepare a design for a cheap bridge. The idea is that this bridge will be built at as low a sum as possible. The modern structure that had been designed apparently has to go. One of the aldermen advised that to save expense a foot walk on the north side be dispensed with and other scrimpings will bring down the cost. No step has been decided yet but when the new plans are ready a move will then be made at least it will likely be made.

By-law No. 2

Another ghost was marched out from the cupboard in the earthly remains of what might have been a by-law to provide for the raising of money to pay for street extensions and filling in the water front. This went down in the same holocaust as the bridge proposition. This work has already been done and unless it is paid for by debenture it will be put on the general rate to be paid by tax, after considerable discussion it was moved by Ald. Bradburn and Duncan that the by-law be again submitted to the people and that steps be taken to explain it to every ratepayer.

Romaine Street Sewer

Nothing will eventuate in the near future regarding the Romaine street sewer. That is the present outlook. Caution is the byword at present as far as that undertaking is concerned. It was decided to take no steps in regard to it until a report was received from Mr. W. Chapman, who has appointed Mr. Bartlett to survey a part of the city for the purpose of ascertaining the feasibility of a trunk outfall sewer on Park street. If it should be that this is possible it was stated that it might be better to make the Romaine street sewer connect with that. Hence until such a report has been made there will be nothing done with the Romaine st. sewer.

Ald. Phelan and the City Clerk will go over last year's file cutting out the dead wood as it were, in order that the slate will be clean at the beginning of the year. There are a few things on it that have to receive attention, for instance the cement sidewalk on Wolfe street, which Ald. Buller is again going to take care of. It is for the benefit of the congregation of Knox Church and was to have been built last summer but came in late and was therefore not built.

AN EMPLOYEE OF GAS WORKS WAS OVERCOME WHILE AT WORK TO-DAY

Robert Weatherhead, an employee of the gas company, was overcome by the fumes this morning when working at a pipe on Charlotte street, near the White House, which had been bared in order to find a leak. The odour of gas had been noticeable for several days and the work of searching for the leak was begun yesterday afternoon. After receiving assistance from those who were with him and others who were near, he was able to stand on his feet with the aid of one of the other men. He was assisted around the corner to the City Hotel, where, after resting an hour or so, he was able to leave the place practically recovered from the poisonous fumes.

NOT MUCH EXCITEMENT OVER THE FIRST SESSION OF PARLIAMENT

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 21—The first session of the eleventh parliament of Canada was opened to-day with the usual ceremony. The day was none too bright, and there was not a great deal of excitement save among those immediately concerned. A detachment of dragoons escorted the Governor General from Government House to Parliament House, where His Excellency was received by a guard from the Governor General's Foot Guards. Meanwhile a salute of nineteen guns boomed out from Point Nepean. Earl Grey read the speech from the Throne in the Senate chamber. Fair ladies and officials of Church and State in their robes of office, making a brilliant tableau.

Will Oppose The Extension Of The Street Railway's Time

Peterborough street railway interests was one of the items that concerned the Board of Works last night. In the first place their patience with the P. R. R. Co. has become exhausted and they have decided to oppoose the application that will be made to the Legislature in May. They are asking that the time allowed for running their line to Lakefield and Young's Point be extended. They have already received one extension, which will be terminated in May, and they will then go back and ask that it be again extended.

The members of the Board of Works feel that the time is ripe for action and the railway company should show their hand. The city will therefore take steps to have the company begin work this year. The aldermen simply want the work commenced during the coming year. The delay has been long enough, they state, and the new lines should be gone under way.

Teamsters Want Higher Wages For Drawing The City Stone

The Board of Works last night received a petition from twenty-six teamsters who have drawn stone for the city. They have asked that their wage of $3.00 a cord be increased to $3.50. A deputation had arranged to be present, but they were all absent except Mr. E. J. Hickey, who made up for the deficiency of numbers by a strong plea.

Mr. Hickey stated that the teamsters had been talking over the matter and they were all agreed that three dollars a cord was too small a price for drawing stone from three to four miles. "It should be four dollars," he said, "but it is better to have a half a loaf than no bread, so we split the difference." Some of the teamsters had to buy the stone and Mr. Hickey himself had to pay $25.00 for a fence in which there were about 100 cords. One half a cord a load was, in Mr. Hickey's opinion, good work, especially when the stone was drawn to the lower crusher. Two trips a day was about the average, and Mr. Hickey said that this rate left but a small wage for the teamsters after the expenses incurred in drawing the stone had been met. He hoped that the Board would see their way clear to making the increase as required. The question will be decided later.

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SOCIAL EVENING AT THE C.O.F. HALL

Installation of Officers Took Place and a Large Audience Was Present.

A meeting of the Catholic Order of Foresters was held in their hall last night when the installation of officers took place.

After the work of the evening was finished cards and dancing were indulged in. The ladies' prize in cards was won by Mrs. Clancy and the gentlemen's by Mr. M. Meade. There were about 150 present and the following officers were installed by Dep. Chief J. P. Bryson.—

W. Nelson Graham—P. C. R.
Frank Murray—C. R.
Wm. Lynch— V. C.
John O'Brien— R. S.
Frank Kane— F. S.
Jas. Clancy — Treas.

NO REPRIEVE FOR STEVE SWYRDA

Brampton, Jan. 21—There will be no reprieve for Stephen Swyrda, who was sentenced to be hanged at Brampton.

IT HAS BEEN COLD IN SASKATCHEWAN

Examiner Subscriber Says That the Thermometer Has Dropped Very Low.

In sending the payment to cover another year's subscription to the Weekly Examiner, Mr. O. E. Brown, a former well known resident of Peterborough County, now living in Red Jacket, Sask., writes that they have been having very cold weather in that part of the West, and that the thermometer has been down to 36 and 40 below zero. Mr. Brown adds, "Your paper comes regularly for which I am very glad."

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B. J. McCORMICK,
6d 13 5019 Welland.

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TO RENT — FURNISHED ROOM, FIVE minutes walk from the Post Office; all conveniences. Apply at 276 Hunter street. 4d 15 5035

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Houses to Let at reasonable rent. Apply for particulars at **W. H. BRADBURN'S OFFICE** over Dominion Bank, corner George and Simcoe Streets. dtf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE — No. 3 WIDE CARRIAGE Underwood Typewriter, used only a short time, cost $147.50, will sell for $100.00 cash. Peterborough Typewriter Co., 189 Simcoe street, Phone 665. dtf

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RAILWAY SIDELINES.

The building of the Grand Trunk Pacific from ocean to ocean is not all. It won't long be a single line trailing across a continent, but it will throw our steel traffic tentacles at scores of points, widening its area of transportation service. Montreal will be connected by a line southward; Ontario via North Bay waill be connected at Abitibi. A line will be built from the Soo to the main line. A line is already built to connect it with Port Arthur; and, at different points along its route across the prairie, feeding lines will be driven into virgin territories, north and south. A despatch from Vancouver, B.C., says that, "Apart from rushing the main line construction in the north this year, the Grand Trunk Pacific is about to formulate plans for building branch lines in British Columbia on a scale of magnitude never dreamed of by the public." One line is intended to tap the Crow's Nest Pass coal deposits in East Kootenay. It will be an extension of the G.T.P. branch lines in Alberta. Meanwhile the main line east of Prince Rupert will be pushed with all possible expedition in the spring. What the C.P.R. has become as a factor in national development, the new Transcontinental line will become. It has as great resources to draw upon, as great trade avenues to open up and develop. There is room for both. The more that both thrive the better it will be for Canada.

The total of capital invested in the 22,152 miles (1907) of railway in Canada $1,171,9937,808.

THE OPENING SESSION.

To-day the first session of the eleventh Parliament of Confederated Canada, opened with due formalities at Ottawa. It is probable that the session will be a comparatively short one. There are few contentious subjects of legislation. The only subject that is likely to excite much intensity of discussion is the proposed revision of the rules of parliamentary procedure, with a view of preventing so much waste of time and money implied in lengthening the duration of sessions, as noticable in that of last year. This is a subject that well could, in the public interests, be dispassionately discussed. It is not a party question, it is one in which, having regard to the dignity and usefulness of parliament, both sides are interested. The party in power at present, may, in the course of time, be the party in Opposition, and will in that case have to be governed by the rules laid down for the general regulation of parliamentary procedure. It is suggested that a joint committee might be intrusted with the task of formulating rules which, while effectively safeguarding liberty of speech would conduce to a prevention of loss of time by vexatious and expressed obstruction. The two new treaties recently negotiated with the United States, will doubtless receive interested attention, and in regard to these no difference of opinion should exist, except as to the extent and thoroughness with which Canadian interests will be served and protected. The progress of the All-Red Line negotiations and the cable reform proposals of Hon. Rudolph Lemieux will excite interested discussion. It is also likely that Parliament will be asked to provide for the extension of the boundaries of Quebec, Ontario, Manitoba and Saskatchewan and unless some of the provinces assume unreasonable positions, this matter will not present much difficulty. There will be introduced important legislation in reference to insurance, which, with the information elicited, should not be difficult to agree upon. Another important measure to be dealt with is the bill making the giving or receiving of secret commission, either in transactions between the Government and private individuals, or between private individuals, unlawful. The measure will have to be ingeniously devised that will thoroughly prevent the exercise of the human anxiety for gain. There is reason to believe that the practice of gift giving to secure preference is not confined to the Marine Department; that it permeates very largely municipal and private dealings throughout the country. The falling off of revenue makes it probable that the estimates will be gauged pretty closely to the reduced national income, and indispensable public requirements. Many minor matters will have to be dealt with, but, on the whole, it is expected that the sessional duration will not be as unduly prolonged as it was last year. The Opposition returns to the House strengthened and deprived of its most contentious elements. It will not feel the need of so energetic self assertion. If both parties unite in an earnest rivalry as to which can best serve national, instead of party interests, we may expect a comparatively short, harmonious and useful session.

The closing session of the Tenth Parliament of Canada had a duration of 235 days—the longest session in the history of the country. The shortest session was the second session of the Second Parliament—1813—sixteen days.

LICENSE REDUCTION.

The recent license reduction which has taken place in Toronto, and the agitation for similar action which is taking place elsewhere, leads the Toronto Star to trace the progress which we have been steadily making in this province looking to the curtailment of the liquor traffic.

In 1874 the total number of licenses in the province was at the 6,000 mark. It was cut down in that and the succeeding four years until in 1878 it had fallen to 3,750. In the next five years it rose again until it was over the 4,200 mark in 1883. There were heavy reductions in the years from 1883 to 1887, by which time the number of licenses had been cut down to 1,850 for the whole province. Then followed a reaction. In the two years 1883 and 1889 the number of licenses rose again until it almost reached the 3,000 mark. Since 1889 the reduction though it has never been as rapid as it was in the preceding periods of reduction, has been steady; the number of licenses has fallen year by year, until it is now at the 2,200 mark.

Looking back over the thirty-five years it is seen that the lowest point was reached in 1887, in the Scott Act era, and that the local option campaign of recent years is again bringing the curve down close to that point. It is also to be noted that the total number of liquor licenses in Ontario to-day is not much more than one-third of what it was in 1874. The census of 1871 found the population of Ontario at the figure 1,620,851. The census of 1901 found it at 2,182,947. It is assuredly some hundreds of thousands greater now than it was eight years ago. Yet, with a population which it is surely within the mark to estimate as 50 per cent. greater than its population in 1874, Ontario has to-day, speaking roundly, only one liquor license for every three that it had in 1871.

The record is a gratifying one, and will be accepted as indicating progress towards temperance reform despite any plausible arguments of a contrary kind. If the liquor-selling interest did not believe that fewer licenses meant decreased consumption there would not be such determined opposition to efforts at reduction, and if the temperance reformers did not believe that fewer drinking places meant lessened temptation and an improvement of the places in which liquor is sold they would not strive as energetically as they do for a reduction in the number of licenses.—Brantford Expositor.

$35,000,000 LOST IN DAIRYING.

Dairymen will find something to interest them in the report of the dairy herd competition, carried out under the direction of the Western Ontario Dairymen's Association, given on page five of this issue.

There were ten herds in this competition altogether. None of the herds contained less than eight head, while there were twenty in one of those in the contest. The average money returns per cow obtained for butter fat or milk supplied dairy factories during six months, from the herds in competition, ran from $30.70 in the case of the poorest to $68.50 in case of the best. No less than seven out of the ten gave an average return of well over $50 per cow in the six months. If the returns for these seven herds could be figured up for the whole year it is probable it would be found that in not one of the lot was the average return per cow less than $65, or at least $25 over and above cost of feed. If all the dairy cows of Ontario could be brought up to that level—and there is no reason why they should not—the total returns from the milkers of the Province would be $35,000,000 a year more than they are now. In other words, $35,000,000 a year of the possible returns from dairying are now being lost.—Weekly Sun.

The Dominion Government last Monday achieved its concluding electoral victory. The Liberal candidate, Mr. F. T. Congdon, was elected member for the Yukon by a majority of 4,200. There were three candidates in the field.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Mail and Empire will make a fault in its opponent one way or the other. It condemns the Government for giving a bonus to civil service employees after the elections instead of before, when as it asserts candidates could hold out promises of the bonus as a bait for votes. If the bonus had been granted before the elections the organ would have called it a corrupt appeal to the support of the electors.

Professor Walter F Wilcox states that one million two hundred and fifty thousand divorces have been granted in the United States within forty-two years. This, says Goldwin Smith in Weekly Sun, is absolutely astounding. He reckons that one marriage in every twelve now ends in divorce, and that before the end of the century, unless the divorce rates decrease, there will be one divorce for every two marriages; the country at the same time will be filled with the children of divorced parents. Such a state of things would be a complete desecration of marriage, and almost a dissolution of the community.

The bona fides of the Whitney Government is not proof against pressure. The Government promised to grant no more liquor licenses in New Ontario; but a license has been given a hotel in Englehart. No doubt hotel accommodation is needed, but a promise is a promise. The Government will doubtless seek to justify its want of faith with the temperance people in this matter, but it has established a precedent which will not consistently prevent its yielding to other places in New Ontario that want licenses. It is, however, not a question of whether licenses are less desirable than "blind pigs," but of want of good faith.

The increase of Ottawa's municipal assessment last year was nearly six million dollars—$6,830,186. If this increase is a material one, not evolved from the judgment of the assessor, the capital is doing well and sharing in the progress which prevails throughout the Dominion. Ottawa seems destined to become an important and beautiful city, of which all Canadians can be proud. A good deal of its beauty is due to Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who has expressed his ambition of making "Ottawa the Washington of the north." But why comparison? Why not be content with making it the Ottawa beautiful of Canada, without any reference to the capital of a foreign and commercially hostile country?

A guard boat in Hong Kong Harbour in an unguarded moment fired two shots upon a British steamer for loafing a raft. The captain, single handed and armed with a revolver, boarded the guard boat, arrested the commander and turned him over to a British gun boat. This action, while it did not indicate lack of courage, was perhaps a perfectly safe one. The British officer with the authority and power of the Empire behind him, was, perhaps, more terrible to the Chinese officer than an army with banners of another nation. Of a piece with this is the deed more than once repeated, of a Northwest Mounted Policeman invading, single-handed, a hostile Indian camp to arrest a malefactor. It was not so much the pluck and firearm, the Indians dreaded as the power they represented. Right on our side and authority, are powerful allies.

FAST SAWING DONE AT INDIAN RIVER

Latest News From Eastern Hamlet of Movements of its Residents.

Examiner Special.

Indian River, Jan. 20—Everything is blooming around here at present and every person reports an open winter.

A very skilful piece of work was done here last Tuesday, Jan. 12 by when Mr. Joseph Maney and John O'Leary with their new sawing machine cut twenty cord of wood in two foot lengths in three and one half hours. They say this record cannot be beaten by any person, and he wood can be seen at Joseph O'Leary's Indian River. They will accept any challenge from persons who have done better work.

Mr. John Sullivan, Arthur Nealon and J O'Leary visited friends in Norwood last Sunday.

Mr. John Hall is paying his uncle Wm Borland a visit for a few days.

Some Indian River people attended the dance in Dummer Thursday.

Mr. V. Cavanagh was visiting his uncle Jerry last week

Mr. John Nealon shipped a carload of hogs from Indian River to Matthews last week.

Mr. Fred Kidd says we will have an open winter as he saw a sparrow building it's nest recently

Mr. Tom Wiubbs spent Sunday with Jack Devlin.

Mr. George Paterson spent a few weeks with his friends here.

Mr. John Burk is visiting friends around Indian River.

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RECENT HAPPENINGS IN RAILWAY TOWN

As the People Come and Go—Visitors at Havelock.

Examiner Special.

Havelock, Jan. 20.—Mrs. Raeburn, of Tweed, spent Saturday and Sunday in town the guest of Mrs. Clarke and Miss McWilliams.

Mr. Herb Martin who has been assisting Mr. Jas. E Fowler during the last two weeks returned to Peterborough on Monday.

Mrs. J W Burns, of Toronto, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Alex. Rose.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Caplan spent Monday in Toronto on business.

A number in town have received invitations to an "At Home" at Delora on Friday night of this week.

Miss Timmerman returned to her home in Ivanhoe on Monday after spending the last week the guest of her brother, Mr. C. Timmerman.

Miss Lillian Webb was at Peterborough on Monday.

Miss Georgina Falkner entertained a few friends on Friday evening to a card party.

Mrs. Alex. Rose, we are sorry to report, is very ill.

Miss Annie Smith will hold a piano recital in the opera house on Monday night next, Jan. 25th. The Programme will be contributed by her pupils, assisted by the best local talent. The recital will commence at eight o'clock sharp.

Mr. W J Boyd of Toronto, formerly of Havelock, was in town on Tuesday, receiving the glad hand of his numerous friends.

A meeting of the Board of Health was held at the clerk's office on Monday evening.

Mr. Lynch, of Peterborough will be present at the Foresters' "At Home" to be held on Wednesday night in the Lodge rooms, and contribute several numbers of the programme.

The Lady Foresters have decided to hold an oyster supper and concert in the town hall on Friday evening, Jan 22nd.

An "At Home" was given in the opera house on Friday night last and as usual proved a delightful success. Dancing from eight until 12 o'clock, music being supplied by the young ladies of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo Ackerman spent a few days in Toronto last week.

Mrs. McIntyre and Miss Annie are spending the winter months the guests of her daughter, Mrs. P. Cremar, at North Bay.

Mr. P J Wright spent Monday in Peterborough.

Mr. S B Joyce was in Peterborough Monday on business.

The hockey match at the Park rink on Monday night between Stirling and the home team resulted in a victory for the visitors, the score being 7—2. A large crowd of spectators were present to cheer for the boys in their first game of the season. The Havelock line-up was as follows:

Goal—C Neil.
Point—W Rose.
Cover—C Robinson.
Rover—G Matheson.
Centre—A Ferguson.
Right—H Matheson.
Left—R Curry.

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FIVE PEOPLE ARE BURNED TO DEATH

Mrs. Engle and Four Children of Kronan, Sask., Perish.

FATHER AND SON ESCAPE

While Father Is Away at Milestone House Catches Fire and Five Lose Their Lives In the Flames—Mother Sacrifices Herself In Effort to Rescue Her Little Ones—Son Made Brave Efforts.

Kronon, Sask., Jan 21.—While Frank Engle, a well-to-do farmer, was absent from home, fire destroyed his home, his wife and four children, the eldest 10 years of age, perishing in the flames.

One boy, 16 years old, who slept downstairs, escaped. The mother, who also slept downstairs, attempted to rescue the children that were asleep upstairs, but was suffocated before she could reach them. The boy who escaped made three unsuccessful attempts to rescue the family, but was driven back each time, the stairs giving way in the last attempt.

The first started about one o'clock yesterday morning from an overheated stovepipe. Mr. Engle was on a business trip to Milestone.

Rector Called Into Court.

Islington, Jan. 21.—A sensation was caused yesterday when it was stated that the trouble between Rev. T. S. McGonigle of St. George's Church, and his churchwarden, A. B. Cooper, is to be aired before Magistrate P. Ellis at West Toronto on Monday next at 10 a.m. The rector is charged with having threatened an assault on Mr. Cooper last November, when differences existing between the two culminated one Sunday morning in an exciting altercation just outside the church. Mr. Cooper charges that the rector raised a heavy cane and threatened to brain him. He says he is now afraid to be out of his house after dark, and last week he made application to Crown Attorney Drayton for a court hearing.

Field Crop Prize Winners.

Ottawa, Jan. 21.—The provincial prize winners in the grain from standing field crop competition held in connection with the live stock show being held here are: First prize, Andrew McKay, Elton Agricultural Society, new market variety; second prize, Garfield Kennedy, Bobcaygeon, Verulam Agricultural Society, Mammoth Cluster varieties; third prize, Peter Drummond, Otonobee Agricultural Society, Irish white variety; fourth prize, William Lewis, Verulam Agricultural Society, Siberian variety; fifth prize, Robt. Fisher, South Monoghan Agricultural Society, prolific variety.

'Quake Tragedies.

Smyrna, Asiatic Turkey, Jan. 21.—Another earthquake was experienced here at ten minutes past two o'clock yesterday morning, but no damage was done.

News of the effects of the shock of Tuesday continues to come in slowly. Over 300 dwellings were destroyed in villages in the Phocaea district, 25 miles northwest of Smyrna, but only a few persons lost their lives. At Menemen two persons were killed and ten houses collapsed. A number of buildings collapsed at Casaba.

The local authorities have sent out doctors, tents and food.

Town Clerk's Predicament.

St. Boniface, Man., Jan. 21.—Certain papers connected with the poll having been turned over to the town clerk, Joseph Labarge (including poll books) by Magistrate Turenne, he could not find them when wanted by the parties interested in the prosecution of the poll officers in connection with the alleged improprieties in the municipal elections. The mayor and seven out of the eight councillors' rights to sit are being challenged in the courts. Accordingly, Labarge has been arrested, charged with stealing the documents.

Increases for Civil Servants.

Ottawa, Jan. 21.—A deputation of the outside civil service in Ottawa asked Hon. Sydney Fisher if they were to be included in the increase of salaries. Mr. Fisher said it was not intended. Each Minister must deal with their separate Departments. The different Ministers will now be approached.

"WOMEN!"

" Are You Nervous?"

The results of modern civilization are evidenced in an increase of nervous disorders. It could not be otherwise with the way we eat, drink, lose sleep, and keep up a continual round of excitement. The work, the worry, the excitement, all tell upon the nerves till they cry out in revolt, and will not be placated till a remedy such as

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GRAND TRUNK CENSURED.

Jury Blames Disaster at Grimsby on Railroad Company.

Grimsby, Jan. 21.—A verdict strongly censuring the Grand Trunk for not giving proper protection to the crossing, and recommending the Railway Commission to take necessary steps to safeguard it was brought in at 6.45 p.m. yesterday by the coroner's jury in the enquiry into the tragedy early last Saturday morning, whereby five persons lost their lives.

The jury were out one hour and 15 minutes. J. H. Campbell represented the crown, while Solicitor Pope and James Nixon, district passenger agent, appeared for the railway. The town hall was crowded.

"That the said William Wilson, Ida Wilson, George Teeter, Jennie Gertrude Teeter and Gordon Nelson came to their deaths from being struck by a Grand Trunk express on Depot street crossing at 2.55 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 16, 1909.

"We exonerate the train crew from any responsibility.

"We censure the Grand Trunk Railway for removing the night watchman from the said crossing at only a single track, culpable negligence in view of the past accident, together with the former jury's verdict in not protecting the said crossing with a watchman and gate and thus preventing recent accident.

"We also consider it is an extremely dangerous crossing and recommend the Railway Commission to take steps at once to have the said crossing properly protected."

AN AGED PRISONER.

Toronto Negro, 110 Years Old, Charged With Non-Support.

Toronto, Jan. 21.—One hundred and ten years of age, and arrested for non-support of his wife is the strange plight of William H. Morgan, an old slavery days negro, who is locked up in the Court street station.

He says he was born in slavery and has been "sold on the block like a horse" three times. He was first sold at the age of 20 years for $2,000, when he was, to use his own phrase, "a good-lookin' nigger." Eighteen years later, having been once sold in the meanwhile, he was disposed of for $1,000.

Newfoundland and the Treaty.

London, Jan. 21.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—It is understood that the whole question of the fisheries treaty now rests with Newfoundland, whose chief objections are that she considers any pecuniary claims in respect to fines inflicted on American vessels for breach of colonial regulations shall be decided by colonial courts. The United States desire that the matter shall be included in the pecuniary claims treaty, which is now being negotiated. Newfoundland also holds that Americans have no right to fish in inlets on the west coast of Newfoundland.

A Council of Arts.

Washington, Jan. 21.—President Roosevelt created a council of fine arts and directed that hereafter the heads of active departments, bureaus and commissions, before any plans are formulated, for publication, or grounds, or for the location or erection of any statue, must submit the matter to the council and follow their advice, unless for good and sufficient reasons the President directs otherwise.

A Preacher's "Break."

Montreal, Jan. 21.—Much comment is being made on the street concerning remarks made by the Rev. Father Dugas, S.J., chaplain of the Montreal Jail, in the course of his sermon to the prisoners.

The preacher, it appears, referring to a certain class of men who work against religion, denounced Godfrey Langlois, M.P.P. for St. Louis division, as a Free Mason.

Mysteriously Murdered.

New York, Jan. 21.—While seated in the basement of his home reading a letter from a son now in Sicily, Giovanni Cardinello, one of the wealthiest Italians of the South Brooklyn colony and whose nephew, Jos. Cardinello, was mysteriously killed in Coffey Park some time ago, was shot and killed. Two shots were fired.

Dropped Lamp, Burned to Death.

Vancouver, B.C., Jan. 21.—The town of Cumberland, Vancouver Island, came near being wiped out on Tuesday night by fire. A blaze started in James Scott's room. He allowed his lamp to fall, and was burned to death. Three small business places were burned. Loss will be $50,000.

New Canadian Loan.

London, Jan. 21.—A Dominion Government loan of six million pounds sterling, redeemable in ten years at the price of 99 1-4, with interest at 3 3-4 per cent., with the option to redeem in five years, has all been underwritten and will shortly be on the market.

Funeral Postponed to Await Another.

Windsor, Jan. 21.—The funeral of Mrs. Thomas Ridley of this city was postponed yesterday when word was received that her mother, Mrs. John Webb, had passed away in Colchester South.

A double funeral will take place today.

Hanging at Kenora.

Kenora, Jan. 21.—George F. Johnson, aged 24, was hanged at eight o'clock yesterday morning for the murder of Mrs. Ackerman, going to death firmly and expressing penitence. The execution was in charge of Thompson of Owen Sound.

Sectionman Killed.

Winchester, Jan. 21.—J. B. Hill, a sectionman on the C.P.R., was struck by an eastbound freight and instantly killed yesterday a short distance from the station. He with three others had just removed a hand-car.

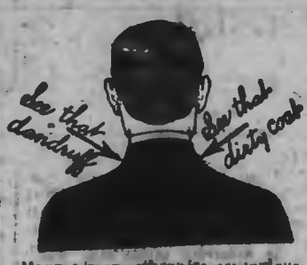
Jilted Woman Gets $300.

Toronto, Jan. 21.—The Assizes' jury yesterday awarded Margaret Ann Walker $300 damages, the amount spent on trousseau, against Daniel Wheatley for breach of promise.

Anti-Jap Legislation Deferred.

Sacramento, Cal., Jan. 21.—By a vote of 43 to 34 the Assembly decided yesterday to hold up all Japanese legislation until next Wednesday.

A FILTHY CONDITION



Many a man, otherwise scrupulously clean, is dandruff dirty! The small, persistent germs of dandruff working all day as well as night are constantly throwing off the small white dandruff scales which, falling on the shoulders of a coat, give it a filthy appearance which is repulsive to the friends of the victim.

Many men allow this condition to exist because they believe there is no cure for dandruff; they have tried various so-called cures with unsatisfactory results, and naturally condemn all.

The famous prescription called Parisian Sage is put up in America, but only by the Giroux Mfg. Co., of Buffalo, N.Y., and Fort Erie, Ont. It is for sale in Peterborough by Wm. Madill, who guarantees it to cure dandruff in two weeks, or money back.

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CONSERVATIVE CAUCUS.

Mr. Borden's Supporters Won't Hear of His Resignation.

Ottawa, Jan. 21.—The Conservative caucus last night declined to hear the word resign from R. L. Borden. Nearly all the party followers were present. Mr. Barnard, who defeated Hon. Wm. Templeman in Victoria, B.C., presided. Joseph Russell, M.P. for East Toronto, was at a live stock show. He called on Mr. Borden during the day.

Mr. Borden told his followers that he had been through two elections and he asked them to call a meeting, which he would not attend, to discuss the leadership. In the meantime he placed his resignation in their hands.

"Undoubtedly," said Mr. Borden after the caucus, "we have the strongest opposition man for man since 1896."

BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

A horse has been recovered alive from the ruins at Messina.

Six men were killed by an explosion in the Cyclone Canyon Coal Mines near Chancellor, Cal.

Robert Sproule, a farmer at Caledon, was very badly hurt by a gasoline engine falling on him.

There are about 2,000,000 feet of logs in value $200,000 piled up in a great mass in the Fraser River, B.C.

Canadian detectives are co-operating with U.S. secret service men to stamp out Chinese smuggling along the frontier.

Charles Clifford of Anderton Township had one hand terribly mangled by the accidental discharge of a shotgun while climbing a fence.

A "life" prisoner in the Michigan State Prison, it is said, is a successful speculator on Wall street. He subscribes for financial journals.

The Hamilton Steel Iron Co. has received an order of twenty carloads of steel for one of the J. J. Hill's railways in the Canadian Northwest.

J. J. Hill, president of the Great Northern Railway, has contributed $5,000 towards the building fund of the Friends' College at Newmarket.

At the council meeting in Ottawa on Tuesday, Noe Chevrier, Jr., of St. Boniface, Man., was appointed a Senator to succeed the late Senator Bernier.

E. A Lancaster, M.P., has given notice of a resolution to petition the British Parliament to amend the British North America Act by abolishing the Senate.

At New York with gas escaping from every jet in his room, F. E. Osborne, 55 years of age, of the Inland Bank Co., was found dead in his room at Hotel Wellington.

Judge Anderson has set Feb. 23 for beginning the re-trial of the case against the Standard Oil Co., of Indiana. This is the case in which Judge Landis' fine of $29,240,000 was reversed by the Appellate Court.

The subject of commutation of the pensions of ex-soldiers and sailors with a view to enabling them to emigrate to the colonies as small capitalists has been sympathetically discussed at the United Service Institution.

Who's Had the Indemnity?

Ottawa, Jan. 21.—The contest for the Conservative nomination in Carleton County will develop into a contest between Edward Kidd, who made way for R. L. Borden, and ex-Warden Craig of North Gower.

Some statements to the effect that Mr. Kidd has all along drawn the member's indemnity was made.

The French Treaty.

London, Jan. 21.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—It is understood the points Hon. W. S. Fielding is negotiating in Paris concerns the question of Switzerland's most favored nation right. Hopes are entertained for a satisfactory solution. A supplementary convention deals with certain limitations of export of live stock from Canada.

Big Fire In Toledo, Ohio.

Toledo, Ohio, Jan. 21.—In a fire which caused considerable damage during Tuesday night, several firms suffered, the principals being Brown, Eager & Hall Book Co., $150,000, and J. L. Hudson & Co., dry goods, $115,000.

Norman Pedley Killed.

Montreal, Jan. 21.—Word has reached here that Norman Pedley, son of Rev. Hugh Pedley, was struck by a train at Springfield and received injuries from which he died. He was a McGill graduate.

FIFTY LIVES ARE LOST IN ACCIDENT

Explosion on Chicago Water Tunnel Job Has Appalling Result.

NINETY-FIVE MEN AT WORK

Ignition of Powder, Supposedly In the Powder House Near Crib Structure, Is Cause of Disaster, Which Blows to Pieces or Causes the Drowning of Workmen—Crib Was a Mile and a Half From Shore.

Chicago, Jan. 21.—Blown to pieces by exploding powder, burned to death by the resultant fire or drowned in the icy waters of Lake Michigan, was the fate yesterday of some 50 workmen who were working on a submarine tunnel at a wooden crib, a mile and a half from shore.

The crib was used in the construction of a new submarine water tunnel connecting with the south side shore of the city at 73rd street. It is known that 95 workmen were employed in the crib and the connecting tunnel at the time of the explosion, which started the fire and blew or drove the men into the water.

The explosion is thought to have had its origin in a small powder house about 100 yards from the crib structure proper.

The drowsy attendant on shore was brought into action by a violent ringing of the telephone bell, and this was the message which set on foot the work of rescue:

"The crib is on fire. For God's sake send help at once or we will be burned alive. The tug——"

At this point communication ceased. Through the fog an occasional burst of flames and an unmistakable odor of smoke made it known to the watchers on shore that the telephone message was in earnest.

Men Jumped Into Lake.

The tug T. T. Moreford, in charge of Capt. Johnson, at anchor within a short distance of the imperilled crib, was the first to get into the work of rescue. The ice made it impossible for the tug to reach the improvised pier, but a small boat was used to carry the injured to the steamer and to rescue those who had plunged into the waters of the lake rather than brave the flames which were raging on the crib structure. After several hours of heroic work 39 workmen were rescued.

When the fire tug Conway and its crew had finally quenched the flames 50 bodies had been carried to the shore and placed in morgues in South Chicago awaiting identification. The bodies of the victims in the majority of instances were unrecognizable, and the contracting firm gave out a list of missing, which probably will be about the same as will be announced as the official list of the dead when the coroner has completed his investigation.

Diversion of Water at Falls.

Niagara Falls, N.Y., Jan. 21.—The report of the International Waterways Commission on its findings with relation to the diversion of water in the Niagara river by the power plants by the two American plants shows that by these two plants diverting 8,000 cubic feet a second lowered the water only two-fifths of an inch.

The normal flow over the American Falls is about 19 inches.

Railroad Board Dates.

Toronto, Jan. 21—The Railway Commission has fixed the following dates for its western sittings re express rates: Winnipeg, Feb. 1; Regina, Feb. 11; Medicine Hat, Feb. 15; Calgary, Feb. 17; Edmonton, Feb. 19; Vancouver, Feb. 27; Victoria, Feb. 27. Nelson and Lethbridge dates will be set later.

Suicides on Police Station Steps.

New York, Jan. 21.—Almost immediately after completing arrangements for the cremation of his body, an old man later identified as Thomas H. Hutchins of this city, committed suicide on the steps of the West 20th street police station by shooting himself through the head with a revolver.

Ice Palace Won't Stand Long.

Montreal, Jan. 21.—The civic authorities yesterday compelled the management of the ice carnival to put up a $20,000 bond that they would pull down the big ice structure immediately after the carnival was over, before allowing them to proceed with the construction.

To Abolish Discount.

Montreal, Jan. 21.—The wholesale Boot, Shoe and Rubber Dealers of the Dominion, to the number of 40 delegates, who were in session yesterday at the Windsor, resolved to recommend that the 20 per cent. discount on rubbers sold to retailers be abolished.

Carnegie Hero Fund.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 21.—The Carnegie hero fund commission, at its annual meeting here yesterday, awarded 26 medals, $24,650 in cash, and pensions aggregating $545 per month for deeds of valor performed since the last meeting of the commission last October.

Farmer Badly Hurt.

Brantford, Jan. 21.—John Whiting, aged 65 years, fell off the rear end of a train on Tuesday night and is still unconscious as a result of injuries to the head. It was some hours before he was found on the tracks. He also sustained a broken arm.

Trawler Sunk.

London, Jan. 21.—The trawler Arctic was in collision yesterday with steamer Haverstoe off Flamboro Head. The trawler went down and two members of her crew lost their lives.

Dynamite Kills Four.

Newark, N.J., Jan. 21.—Four men were killed and ten others injured, one fatally, when three tons of dynamite in one of the buildings of the Forcite Powder Works at Lake Hopatcong blew up late Tuesday. The detonation shook the country for miles around, and blew the building to atoms.

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The twenty-fifth anniversary banquet of Lansdowne Lodge, S. O. E., will be held this evening in the S. O. E. Hall on Hunter street. Complete arrangements have been made for an enjoyable evening and there will be provision for a large number at the tables. The banquet will commence at 7.30 o'clock. It is expected that there will be representatives from outside lodges here. A short programme of music will be interspersed with the toasts.

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If the city is yet visited with heavy snow storms which block the streets and necessitate removing the snow, the Street Railway Company will have to pay twenty-five per cent of the cost. Heretofore the city has shouldered all the cost, the company simply sweeping and plowing the snow clear of the tracks. So far this winter there has been no occasion for shovelling the streets clear.

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LOCAL OPTION MEETING.

A large and very enthusiastic meeting of the Temperance and Moral Reform League was held on Tuesday afternoon. Several important questions were up for discussion. It was reported that an effort was being made to side-track the issue, by trying to get the temperance workers to undertake a campaign for license reduction instead of a local option campaign. This was very briefly disposed of, as it was soon evident that there was an unanimous feeling against any such step. A motion was put and carried with great enthusiasm in favour of proceeding vigorously with the local option campaign. The meeting was representative of the different denominations and of all sections of the city, and reports received were unanimously to the effect that the prospects for carrying the by-law were most encouraging.

The matter of financing the campaign was reported upon. Friends of the movement are given the opportunity of assisting in this campaign in any convenient way. The work to be prosperous and successful must be thorough, and will require the generous support of all interested.

Outdoor Canada For January.

The January number of Outdoor Canada appears with an attractive two-colour cover typical of Canada's winter season and an index page leaden down with titles of good things. Among the leading articles is the story of a Musk-ox Hunt, entertainingly told by that King among explorers of Canada's north lands J. W. Tyrrell. John T. Hall of Medicine Hat, Alberta, writes of a Christmas Broncho Busting—a form of entertainment arranged for the benefit of the Medicine Hat General Hospital and furnishing before its conclusion at least one additional patient for that institution. A "gripping" tale of the Northern Ontario Woods comes from the pen of Pollough Rogue in The Ombabika Pack, accompanying which is a clever frontispiece illustration by Arthur Heming, the well known Canadian artist—The Timber Wolf. Roden Kingsmith discusses sport in his usual breezy style. Montreal's Winter Carnival gets a pen picture as well as several illustrations, and the regular departments of the magazine are well represented. The number is in every way a most creditable one, showing that the new management is determined to make of Outdoor Canada what it has good right to be—an ever increasing, interesting and successful magazine.

GOWGANDA

The quickest and best route will continue to be via the Grand Trunk and T. & N. O. Railway to Charlton, thence 18 miles by stage to Elk Lake and 32 Miles Elk Lake to Gowganda. This route will enable stops to be made at Temagami, Cobalt, Haileybury, New Liskeard and Englehart. Cobalt special leaving Toronto 10.15 p. m., daily, makes direct connection with stages reaching Elk Lake next afternoon. Full information from W. Bunton, C. P. & T. A.

Aldermen Are Interested In Proposed Electric Line

Railway From Cobourg to Stony Lake Stirs Up Board of Trade and if it Comes to the Lake an Effort Will be Made to Bring it Through Peterborough.

MAY GO VIA HAVELOCK.

A wide awake interest in the line of street cars that is proposed from Cobourg to Stony Lake has been stirred up among the aldermen and they manifested it last night at the Board of Works meeting. Ald. Buller stated that he had read the account in the paper that an electric line was proposed over this route by Bewdley or around the eastern end of the lake. If such were the case he thought an effort should be made to have it come this way.

City Clerk Armstrong stated that the American capitalists who are building a large concern at Cobourg are behind the proposed line and he had spoken with one of their representatives recently. The latter had stated that they intended to go around the lake at each end at least Mr. Armstrong gathered this idea from their brief conversation. There is plenty of money it is said, behind the scheme, and hence the aldermen are anxious to bring the line through Peterborough if it is laid at all.

There have been frequent statements about the feasibility of such a line as a rapid trip could be made from Rochester or Toronto to Cobourg and then directly to the Kawartha's popular resorts.

VISITS PETERBOROUGH AFTER AN ABSENCE OF 45 YEARS

Mr. Isaac Kennedy, who was one of the old settlers in this country, came back a few days ago from Los Angeles, where he has been for a good many years in business. Mr. Kennedy came to this country from Ireland in 1855, the same year as the Russian War. He is a veteran of the Fenian Raid in 1865, after which he was married in 1869 at Warsaw. From here he went to Cleveland, Ohio, living there for about sixteen years, after which he moved to Kansas and went into the cattle business, having about three hundred head of that famous beef. He sold out and moved to Los Angeles, California, and formed a company known as the Lloyd Shovel Iron Company, which founded two stores, one at San Francisco and the other at Los Angeles. They sold out to the Waterhouse and Leslie Company just a few days before the earthquake, in which everything was lost. Mrs. Kennedy was in the city at the time that it happened and they lost all their household goods and their clothes. Mr. Kennedy was himself in Los Angeles, but as soon as he heard of the catastrophe took the first train for San Francisco, witnessing the aftermath of the disaster.

Los Angeles had only 15,000 people when Mr. Kennedy went there and now it has a population of 310,000 inhabitants. Everything there is up to date and he says he has never seen more beautiful stores than those there. One of the largest jewellry stores is owned by the Montgomery Bros., an old Peterborough firm.

Mr. Kennedy leaves here next week for his home in the land of flowers and sunshine, after having visited all his old friends.

FATHER COLLINS, WELL KNOWN HERE, HAS BLOOD POISONING IN DETROIT

His many friends and acquaintances in the city will be sorry to hear of the serious illness of Rev. Father John B. Collins, of Detroit. He is suffering from blood poisoning, the cause of which is related in the following despitch from Detroit:

On Sunday Rev. Father John B. Collins, assistant priest at St. Ann's Church, Detroit, after counting the collection over rubbed his hand over a small sore on his neck, with the result that he is now seriously ill with blood poisoning. Father Collins has been in St. Anne pirish just one year. He is a native of Lindsay, Ont., and a member of the Basilian Order, being for several years treasurer of St. Michael's College, Toronto, and Sandwich College, Detroit.

Rev. Father Collins is well known in Peterborough. His brother was here on Tuesday, attending the funeral obsequies of the late Father O'Connell.

FARMERS REFUSE TO SIGN AN AGREEMENT WITH OIL COMPANY

A last effort was made yesterday afternoon to lease the land of a few farmers west of the city who have refused to grant to Mr. Chas. Dettman's gas and oil company the use of the lands. Mr. R. H. Leary in company with Mayor Rush, Alds. Bradburn and Gillespie drove out to the farms in question yesterday afternoon and endeavoured to persuade the farmers who hold out to come to terms, but the committee failed to make any progress whatever. The farmers refused flatly to sign the agreement and there was nothing to do but to give the task up as hopeless.

Mr. Leary has had a letter from Mr Dettman instructing him to lease a block of from 500 to 1000 acres between this city and Lindsay and as near Peterborough as possible and will commence to-day to obtain the lease of the land in question.

Gymnasium Exhibition In Y.M.C.A. Will Be Held To-night

To-night at the Y. M. C. A. the Boys' Department will put on an exhibition of their gymnasium work at 8.15.

The exhibition will include the Junior School Boys, Business Boys and Collegiate Boys. The proceeds will be used to purchase several new magazines for the Boys' Department Reading Room.

There is a good programme and boys have worked hard to make the exhibition a success.

Following is the programme that will be put on:

Running formations—Junior School Boys.
Ball Hustle—Business Boys vs. Jr. School Boys.
Bindman's Pillow Fight.
Dumbbell Drill—Business Boys.
Obstacle Race—Business Boys vs. School Boys.
Ladies' Half Mile Walking Race.
Apparatus Work—Collegiate Boys.
Potato Race—(Heats.)
Sack Basketball—(First Half.)
Potato Race—(Finals.)
Sack Basketball—(Second Half.)

Tickets can be had at the Y.M.C.A. office, or from any of the boys.

G. T. R. Make Settlement With Walter Miller For His Injuries

Mr F. W. Miller returned last night from Brantford where he has been with his son Walter, who was injured in the recent wreck near Guelph. The latter is progressing favourably and will be home as soon as possible it is not likely that he will play hockey again this winter. While in Brantford Mr. Miller met the agent of the G. T. R. on Tuesday. He was trying to make an early settlement with Marks and Miller, the two hockey players who were injured and the substantial sum which was offered the Peterborough boy in settlement for the injuries he received was accepted. The arrangements the G. T. R. had made were satisfactory and were considered fair by Mr. Miller, who was looking after his son's interests.

MACBETH CLASS IS CANCELLED

As Mr. Mowat will be out of the city on educational business to-night his class in Shakespeare at the Y.W.C.A., has been cancelled for this week. Next week Mr. Mowat will give the concluding lecture on Macbeth, after which he will take up the development of the English novel. Anyone wishing to join Miss Ross' free class in wood carving, will kindly leave name at Y.W.C.A. Also Miss Nicholls' class.

ENGLISHMEN MAY HAVE TO HAVE DIPLOMAS

Bill of Last Year Will be Again Presented to Compel Registration.

Compulsory examination and registration will be sought this year once more by the Ontario Embalmers Association. A deputation waited on Hon. W. J. Hanna yesterday and made a statement of their views. The bill of last year will be presented again, imposing a fine of $50 to $500 for practising without a diploma.—Toronto World.

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The Greatest Lung Healing Medicine known to science. A guaranteed cure for all Lung Trouble, Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Sore Throat and Consumption. Every Bottle sold under a guarantee. The only Cough Medicine endorsed by doctors. 25c. Bottles.

Fig Pills Nature's Remedy For Constipation

Fig Pills will cure Rheumatism and all Blood Disease. Pimples and Blotches removed in a few days by taking Fig Pills. One taken at night time will make you feel better in the morning. Large boxes, 25c.

CLOSE BIDDING AT OTONABEE SALE

Large Attendance Yesterday at Farm of Mr. Grey.

A splendid sale of farm stock and implements was held yesterday in Otonabee, at the home of Mr. Jas. Grey, lot 7, con. 12. The number of buyers and bidders was exceptionally large and the result was that the business was carried on rapidly and good prices were received. Mr. John Haggart was auctioneer and conducted the sale in a most satisfactory manner. There were nine horses and thirty head of cattle sold, besides all the implements and everything that was purposed for sale. An interested bidding was carried on for a mare by two Otonabee farmers that was of unusual interest. They were Mr. Thos. Thompson, from the vicinity of Hiawatha, and Mr. Robt. E. Deyell. The mare was finally sold to the former for $224.

One-fifth of a cent a cup is certainly an economical drink, and yet this is all that "Salada" Tea costs. One pound costing 40c. will make over 220 cups of the purest and most delicious tea in the world. 118

ARE BURNING GAS IN THE STORES

Number of George Street Business Houses Have Turned on Their Jets.

A number of the George street stores are using their gas lights today after being out of commission for many moons. They had the regular fittings adjusted and apparently gas will be the illuminating power in some of the stores for the time being.

LATEST NEWS FROM HUSTLING HASTINGS

Celebrate Their Golden Wedding—Ankle Badly Sprained While Out Sleigh Riding.

Examiner Special

Hastings, Jan. 18.—Mr. and Mrs. Corbett, of Brockville, are visiting the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Warner, Sr.

Mr. Wilkins is visiting at the home Mr. Jas. Stevenson, Sr.

Miss Gladys St. Vincent is at Christmas holidays with friends in Peterborough.

Mr and Mrs. Anderson and children of North Dakota, are visiting their uncle, Mr. Jas. Stevenson, Sr.

The Misses Brooks, have been visiting friends in Norwood.

Mr. Geo. Miller was in Picton on Tuesday, attending the funeral of his daughter, who was a trained nurse in the Hospital for Incurables, New York City. The cause of death was typhoid fever.

Mr J McClelland, of Toronto, spent New Year's with his son, Mr. J H McClelland.

Miss Bingham, of Bowmanville, was the guest of her brother, Mr. H R Bingham for the holidays.

Dr. and Mrs. Edmison were in Castleton for Sunday, the guests of the doctor's mother, Mrs. Edmison, Sr.

Mrs. J J English has been visiting friends in Peterborough.

Mr. Gibson was in Peterborough for a few days recently.

At the supper and entertainment which was held at Rosneath on New Year's Day, the Hastings Male Quartette sang several selections while solos were rendered by Messrs. C W Anderson and M Pelton.

A team of our hockey boys went down to Madoc on New Year's Day to play a game with the Trent Valley League champions. The game resulted in a score of 10—8 in favour of Madoc. This was extra good playing considering that the boys had not had a practice at all.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Warner celebrated their golden wedding during the past week. They were well represented by their sons and their wives and their daughter, Mrs. Corbett, of Brockville. About six o'clock they all repaired to the dining room where an excellent fowl supper was served. After ample justice had been done to the good things, all retired to the sitting room where pleasant conversation and music were indulged in until 11 o'clock when all joined in singing "God be with you till we meet again." Mr. and Mrs. Warner are both over eighty years of age and have lived a happy life together, sharing their joys and sorrows as well. Letters of congratulations were read and many presents received including gold pieces.

Dr. Wade visited at his home in Perth recently.

Mr. H Collette visited friends in Montreal during the holidays.

Dr. and Mrs. Wilson spent New Years in Elora, Mrs. Wilson's home.

Miss Annie Short, of Port Hope, has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. A J Parsons.

Mr. J Christie has received word of the death of her brother, Mr. T. Christie, of Iowa, who was one of Hastings most prominent stock and grain men of the State.

Our local engineering staff are back to town again, taking up the survey in preparation for the contractors.

While a party of young people were sleigh-riding a short time ago, Miss Coughlan was so unfortunate as to fall and sustain a severely sprained ankle, which will no doubt confine her to her home for some time. Some of the other members of the party met with injuries.

Miss Brown of Warkworth, has been the guest of Mrs. H A Wilson.

Mrs. T Devitt, of Carberry, Man., and Mrs. J McNab, of Sault Ste. Marie, visited last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Beavis.

Our enterprising butcher, Mr. R Walsh, has opened up a new shop in Chapman's block, with Mr. John Forsyth as manager.

Mrs. S Wildman and family, of town, spent New Year's with her mother, Mrs. J Fife.

Miss Blanche Humphries has returned to Peterborough after having spent a pleasant holiday with her parents.

Mr. T Howard has been elected reeve for the ensuing year.

The Week of Prayer was duly observed throughout the past week in the different churches of the village. The meetings were well attended and the speakers each evening gave interesting and inspiring addresses.

Mr. Jas. Humphries has resumed his studies at Norwood High School.

The many friends of Miss Beane Lynch, daughter of Mr. M J Lynch, of Asphodel, extend congratulations to her on the success which attended the recent recital given by her piano pupils at Regina.

STRATTON'S

Biggest Tumble in Prices for the Year

You can count on something extraordinary during the January Reduction Sale at the Peterborough Bookstore.

These are Bargain Days which come naturally with the clearing up of Odd Lots, etc. Unusually big snaps await you, as will be seen by this list:—

Note Papers

Fine quality Note Paper, linen cloth finish, correct society shape, regular 50c. Sale price 33c
Envelopes to match, packages of 25 Sale price.. 7c

Coaster Sleds

With spring runners. Sale prices—50c for..... 40c
and 75c for.. 60c

Hand Bags

All newest shapes, perfect goods and all sizes to choose from. Regular $1.35, sale price..... ..... $1.00
Regular $2.00, sale price..... $1.50
Regular $2.50, sale price..... 1.88

Books

For Sunday School and Day School Libraries—33⅓c to 50c off published price.

1,000 English Copyright Novels, with bright lithograph covers, in colours, regular 20c. Sale price..... 12½c

Paper Your Rooms in January

Either paper them now, or buy the papers now. Stock-taking is in sight and prices are cut away down for quick selling.

650 Rolls Brown Papers, in stripe and floral, or plain and other bedroom effects, regular up to 20c. Sale price..... 6c

520 Rolls Parlour and Dining Room Papers, in Reds, Greens, Blues, etc., regular up to 50c. Sale price 15c

2,000 feet Room Moulding, regular 3c. Sale price 2½c

Window Blinds and Cornice Poles

Clean-up of broken lots and lines at big loss in Window Blinds and Cornice Poles:—

75c Window Blinds for..... 50c
50c Window Blinds for..... 38c
40c Cornice Poles for..... 25c
60c Cornice Poles for..... 49c
75c Cornice Poles for..... 58c

January is Going to be a Record Month With Us. Come and Assist

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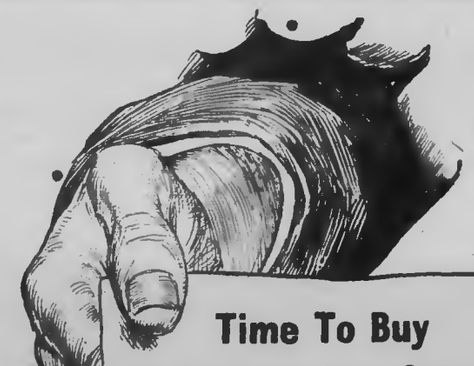

Time To Buy Your Evening Gown

You could make no more profitable investment than to buy your Evening Gown at our January Clearance Sale.

Princess Satin

For afternoon and Evening Gowns, this is one of the newest materials of the season, in colours of rose, peacock, Bronze Green, Copenhagen Blue, Cornflower Blue, and Taupe, 20 inches Wide.

January Clearance Sale, per yard..... 85c

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Untold Values ARROW WHITE GOODS SALE Watch for the Golden Arrow Signs

UNPRECEDENTED value-giving has featured this sale from the beginning and will still be the strong drawing card. Every department contributes to the table of White Goods values—the staple Cottons, plain and fancy Linens, new Laces and Embroideries, Underwear, too; in Dress Goods the values are noteworthy—Cream and White Wool Dress Fabrics, etc.; Women's Whitewear; Lace Curtains, Drapery Goods, etc. Everything in White Goods that is needed now or will be needed for spring sewing and wear, price-marked far below what you can get the same goods for after this sale. **NOTE:—Every yard of goods and every article offered during this sale is reduced in price for this sale only.**

NEW SPRING DRESS GOODS

The "Alexandra" Cloth

THIS is the newest, nattiest production of the Dress Fabric Artists for Spring, 1909. The material has a rich, soft finish, yet firm and serviceable, with raised self tone thread stripe—the newest idea in French weaving. This cloth is particularly suitable for the new long coat and skirt suit, and comes in seven yard lengths in the new Toupe shade, Myrtle Green, Navy Blue and New Brown. Prices $14.50 and $15.00. See south window to-night.

Other new lines on display in the Dress Goods Department—main floor rear.

Store Hours: 8:10—5:48 Closes Saturday 9 p.m. Cressman's 385-7-9 George Street The Home of The Ladies' Home Journal Patterns

Thanks For Those Who Have Made Donations To House Of Providence

The Sisters of the House of Providence gratefully acknowledge the following donations received for Christmas and New Years, and wish their many kind friends and benefactors a Bright and Happy New Year.

A Friend	$50.00
A. O. H.	25.00
Hon. J. R. Stratton	25.00
A Friend	10.00
A Friend	5.00
A Friend	5.00
Mr. Murphy	5.00
Miss McBride	5.00
Mr. O'Donoghue	2.00
Miss McCarthy	2.00
A Friend	2.00
Mr. O'Connor	1.00

Mr. O'Grady — Two turkeys, also bread and flour.

Mrs. J. C. Sullivan — Oranges, nuts, candy and reading matter.

Mr. Stock — Bag of flour.

St. Peter's T.A.S. — Three turkeys, also oranges, nuts and candy.

Mr. M. J. Carroll — a large turkey.

Mr. Laplante — Quarter of beef.

Mr. Hunter — Bag of apples, also oranges, nuts and candy.

Mr. Mason — Oranges, nuts, candy and grapes.

A Friend — One ham.

Mr. G. O'Brien — A side of lamb.

Mr. R. Fair — A box of fancy articles.

Mr. Laplante — Quarter of beef.

Mr. O'Brien — Box of tobacco.

Mr. Jas. Lynch — Nine boxes choice candy.

Mr. L. Potvin—Cake and confectionery.

Mrs. Rutherford — Oranges, nuts, candy and grapes.

Mr. Collins — Box of table raisins.

Mrs. Lynch — Bag of potatoes, also bread and head cheese.

Mr. Fitzgerald — Bag of potatoes.

Mrs. Sullivan, Otonabee — One turkey.

Mr. Minicolo—Christmas decorations.

Miss A. Gillinan — Oranges.

Mrs. Shea — One dozen loaves bread.

Mr. Longo—Oranges, nuts and candy.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hayes—Forty-one well filled stockings for the Christmas tree.

Mr. Carey — Bread.

Mr. Meyette — Fruit cake.

A Friend — Christmas dessert.

Mrs. Whitford — $2.00, also oranges and candy.

Miss Tobin — Cake.

Mr. McFadden — A large wicker chair.

Mr. Cubitt — Reading matter.

Mr. Ahearn — $1.00, also candy.

Mrs. M. Garrity — Head cheese.

Many other donations were received with which the senders' names were not given.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Rutherford very kindly provided an enjoyable outing and entertainment for the children, which was greatly appreciated.

Another kind benefactor sends two bags of flour every month.

The Examiner Printing Company have, as in past years, kindly sent the Daily Examiner.

May our Lord bestow His choicest blessings on one and all is the sincere wish of all at the House of Providence.

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LOCAL ARTISTS AT CHEMONG VILLAGE

Assisted in the Programme at the 42nd Annual Tea and Concert.

The forty-second annual tea and concert in connection with the Indian Reserve at Chemong, was held last night at the town hall in the village and was an unqualified success. Tea was served from four o'clock until everybody was satisfied, and the supper bespoke the excellence of the culinary artists among the villagers.

The concert was really a feature and was thoroughly enjoyed. Some of Peterborough's best talent was heard in recitations, songs, etc., among them being Mr. Irving Beers, Mr. D. B. MacRae, Mr. Chas. Barber and Mr. W. E. Hillhouse. Mr. Dan Whetung, Jr., and Miss Lavina Whetung, of Chemong and Chief Conego of Alderville, were also among the entertainers. Mr. E. S. Clarry made a capital chairman, his opening address being received with a fine outburst of applause. The affair was another great success in every respect and financially the sum of $61.75 was received at the door.

OBITUARY.

MRS. ISABELLA COWAN

After a few weeks illness the death occurred of Mrs. Isabella Cowan at the age of 80 years. Mrs. Cowan was taken with a slight stroke of Paralysis a few days before Christmas and a few days ago she gradually grew worse and was removed to Nicholls Hospital. Yesterday a sudden change occurred and she died about one o'clock.

The funeral notice will be given later as no word has been received from the relatives.

Letter Of Gratitude To All Who Helped Mr. F. J. Farthing

The Peterborough people who interested themselves in Mr. F. J. Farthing and started a subscription to send him home to England in hopes that he would recover from tuberculosis, signs of which were very evident in his appearance, will be pleased to learn that he arrived safely and is enjoying the balmy weather of English springtime. Mr. F. W. Miller, who received the contributions showed the following to an Examiner reporter from Mr. Farthing:

Plymouth, 3-1-099.

Dear Mr. Miller,—Just a few lines to let you know that I arrived at our home in Plymouth quite safely yesterday, after a rather stormy trip across. The weather became a lot milder soon after we put to sea and taking it all through, we had rather a pleasant trip. My friends were very shocked to see how thin I had become and insist on my taking a rest and trying to build up again, before attempting to do any work again. I have nothing but the most grateful thanks to tender to the kind people of Peterborough for their generous help. My mother and sister also wish to tender their sincere thanks to all who so generously helped me during my illness and since have so nobly assisted me back again. The weather is very mild here now, though dry and the spring flowers are in bloom in the garden, so I find no difficulty in keeping out of doors nearly all the time. Again thanking one and all for their kindness, believe me,

Yours truly,
FRED J. FARTHING.

Norwood Board Of Education Holds A Regular Meeting

Examiner Special.

Norwood, Jan. 20 — The Board of Education met last week. Present Messrs. J. L. Squire (Chairman), F. Anderson, A. S. Harrison, Tom Webster, E. P. Cuffe, J. F. Elliott, J. A. Finlay, G. W. Waters and J. Doherty.

Minutes of last meeting were read and adopted.

Mr. Squire reported that the Government grant amounting to $252.00 had been received.

He also stated that black boards and metallic ceilings had been placed in the Public School.

Mr. Cuffe reported that the readers had been procured; also that he had procured a new minute book.

The Special Committee reported that on account of the magnitude of the undertaking, they would recommend that the matter of improved ventilation be laid over for a time.

With reference to black boards for High School, the Committee would be able to report at next meeting.

The Board agreed to meet the Principal of the High School on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at the school, to take up the matter of black boards and improved seating.

Mr. Brender, Principal of the Public School, was present and briefly addressed the Board.

Accounts were presented for payment as follows:—

B. Weese, salary as Truant Officer, $5.00; J. Meikle, carting, 75c; K. G. Thomson, telephoning, $1.44.

Moved by Messrs. Doherty and Harrison, that the above accounts be paid. Carried.

K. G. Thomson for black board (less freight, 32c), $59.07; T. J. Rahal, metallic ceilings, $92.00; K. G. Thomson, supplies, $14.45.

Moved by Mr. Elliott, seconded by Mr. Anderson, that the account of Mr. Rahal for ceilings, and Mr. Thomson for black boards be referred to the Special Committee, to be paid when endorsed by them, and that the account for supplies be referred to the supply Committee.—Carried.

The Board adjourned.

Rev. G. A. McLennan, pastor of the Presbyterian Church here, exchanged pulpits with Rev. D. D. McDonald of Keene, last Sunday.

Mr. R. J. Stuart, of Calgary, Alta., has been in town for a few days visiting friends. While here he sold his house on Hastings Road to Mr. John McLaughlin.

Miss S. B. Eakins, of Peterborough, spent the last week in town.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Richardson were in Winterbourne, Ont., last week, attending the wedding of their niece, Miss Vida Fairn, to Mrs. J. Stewart, of Alberta.

Mr. Marsland, of Warkworth, spent Sunday the guest of Mr. Woollcomb.

Mr. J. G. Coughlin, of Peterborough, was in town on Wednesday.

Rev. P. J. Conway was in Peterborough on Tuesday, attending the funeral of the late Rev. Father O'Connell.

Mr. Fife, of Hastings, is visiting friends in town.

Miss Una Duffield was in Peterborough this week.

Mrs. Maude Baskin left on Wednesday to visit friends in Montreal.

Miss Mary Nicol has been spending a few days with friends in Peterborough.

Mr. and Mrs. George Jones, who have been residents of this place for several years, are leaving town this week. They intend making their home on a farm about one mile south of Havelock.

Miss L. Hugill left last week to visit her sister, Mrs. A. E. Rose, of Kalamazoo, Mich.

The annual meeting of the East Peterborough Agricultural Society was held in the Town Hall here on Wednesday.

Mr. H. Squire of Lonsborough, was in town last week visiting relatives.

Rev. Mr. Tucker, of Oshawa, preached in the Methodist Church here last Sunday. Special music was rendered in the evening by the Sunbeam Choir.

The New Methodist Church At Lakefield Is Dedicated

Has Been Cleared of All Debt—Sunday's Services Were Led by Rev. H. M. Manning—Splendid New Church for Worshippers

CONCERT MONDAY NIGHT.

Examiner Special.

Lakefield, Jan. 20.—Sunday and Monday, January 17th and 18th, 1909, were red letter days in the history of the Lakefield Methodists, when their beautiful new church was dedicated to the worship of Almighty God.

Just fifty years ago Methodism was implanted in Lakefield, services being held in private homes and in the school house, under the pastorate of the late Rev. Edward Roberts and Rev. David Hardy. Four years later, in 1862, they erected their first place of worship.

In 1869 it was necessary for them to enlarge their building, and again in 1881, at the time of the union.

For some time the Methodists have felt the need of a new church, and under the able leadership of their present pastor, the Rev. John Bedford, it has come about.

Last spring the old church was pulled down and a new one erected upon the same site.

The congregation may well feel proud of their new church. It is built of block cement and presents a very fine appearance. It has very handsome windows, two of them being given in loving memory of their father and mother by the children of the late John C. Sherin and wife. The auditorium is very beautiful and with the gallery, will seat some 500 or 600 persons. Room is left in the choir loft for a pipe organ when they hope to install in the near future. Underneath the auditorium is the Sunday School room, with its usual class rooms, etc.

The sermons on Sunday morning and evening were preached by Rev. S. T. Bartlett, the new General Secretary for Sunday Schools and Epworth League work, and a former well loved pastor of the congregation. The services were crowded and all were delighted with the earnest, thoughtful words of the speaker.

The good fellowship which exists between the various churches was shown by their presence. In the morning, and Rev. Alfred Jones, of the Baptist Church, assisted in the services, and his congregation attended en masse.

In the evening the Presbyterians attended and the place was packed to its utmost capacity.

At the close of the sermon a statement was given, showing that the building and cost some $12,200, and that some $8,000 had been paid, leaving a deficit of some $4,000. It was further stated that the Hon. Senator Cox had promised an additional $1,000 if the debt could be wiped off during Mr. Bedford's pastorate.

The collections and offerings for the day amounted to nearly $2,000.

At the close of the morning service the Rev. Mr. Manning, chairman of the district, led in the solemn dedicatory services.

At 2.30 an Epworth League and Sunday School rally was held, when the Revs. Manning and Bartlett delivered bright, interesting addresses.

The music throughout the day was of a high order.

Monday evening again the church was packed, when, after a sumptuous repast, served by the Ladies' Aid of the church, as only they know how to do it, an unusually interesting evening was spent.

Music, recitations and bright, happy speeches by resident clergymen and other ministers combined to make a pleasing programme.

Rev. Mr. Bartlett then appealed to the people, asking them to try and wipe off the entire debt.

The people responded nobly and in a short time the required sum was given.

When it was announced that the Lakefield Methodist Church was free of debt the large congregation rose to their feet and sang feelingly, "Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow."

Shortly afterwards the meeting was dismissed with prayers by Rev. Mr. Manning.

Lakefield, Jan. 20

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Butchart and family, who have been several weeks visiting friends at Owen Sound, returned home on Saturday last.

Mrs. T. Z. Webster and Miss Viola Magee were in Peterborough on Tuesday last.

Mr. R. Stuart of Calgary, passed through the village on Friday last on his way to Montreal, P.Q.

Miss Traill spent a few days last week visiting friends in Peterborough.

Mr. J. Smith, who has been laid up for some time with typhoid fever, was taken to Peterborough on Saturday last to recuperate at Nicholls Hospital.

Miss Lillian Fair, of Peterborough, is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. Darling.

Mr. Stanley Blewett of Otonabee, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hendren on Thursday last.

Mr. J. F. Lillicrap left on Monday to spend a few days in Toronto.

Miss Jones, who has been the guest of Rev. A. W. and Mrs. Mackenzie at the Grove for the past few weeks, left on Thursday last for Galt, Ont.

Mrs. F. Arnoldi, of Toronto, and Mrs. P. W. Strickland, of Rock Island, Ill., returned to Toronto on Tuesday last after visiting Mrs. F. J. Tate at "Harborne."

Mrs. Edward Smith, who has been in Apsley several weeks visiting friends returned to Lakefield last week.

The proposed dedication of the new Methodist Church was held on Sunday last. The services which were held at 11 a.m., and at 2.30 and 7.00 p.m., were conducted by Rev. S. T. Bartlett, assisted by resident and other ministers. The attendance was good at all the services, especially in the evening when there were about seven hundred present. On Monday a large banquet was held in the basement of the Church from 5 to 7 o'clock, followed afterwards by an excellent programmme which closed a very enjoyable and successful evening.

Col. Greenwood, who has lately returned from South Africa, was in the village visiting friends on Saturday last. He was accompanied by his two sons, Masters Eric and Harold Greenwood.

Rev. Dr. Marsh will give a lecture entitled "Other Worlds than Ours" in the Town Hall on Tuesday evening. The subject is one that will not only interest, but will be found profitable to both old and young.

COUNCIL HOLDS SMEETING

Ennismore's Reeve and Councillors Begin the Year's Business—Appropriations for Salaries.

Examiner Special

Ennismore, Jan. 20.—First meeting of the Ennismore Council was held in the Town Hall, Ennismore, Monday, January 11th. All members present, viz., Michael Perdue, reeve; William Harrington, Timothy G. Crough, William H. Crough, Michael O'Connor, councillors. After having taken the required qualifications and declarations of office all took their respective seats.

On motion of Messrs. Harrington and T. Crough, By-law No. 328, for the purpose of appointing township officers, a Board of Health a medical health officer and sanitary inspector, received its several readings.

On motion of Messrs. Harrington and T. Crough, a Board of Health was appointed, consisting of the following members: Michael Perdue, C. O'Reilly, L. Twomey, T. Murphy, J. Moloney, secretary of the said Board; Dr. Gallivan, medical health officer and sanitary inspector.

On motion of Messrs. W. H. Crough and O'Connor, M. F. Crough was appointed treasurer for the year 1909, at a salary of $25.00.

On motion of Messrs. W. H. Crough and O'Connor, W. F. Cavanagh was appointed assessor for the year 1909, at a salary of $22.50.

On motion of Messrs. W. H. Crough and Harrington, M. Geary and W. Curtin were appointed auditors for the year 1909, at a salary of $5.00 each.

On motion of Messrs. Harrington and O'Connor, the auditors' report was received and adopted, and one hundred copies were ordered to be printed.

On motion of the council the following accounts were drawn on the treasurer:

W. F. Cavanagh, auditor for 1908	$5 00
W. Curtin, auditor for 1908	5 00
W. H. Crough, for repairing culvert	2 00
J. Sullivan, for putting in a culvert	5 00
D. Hickson, for acting constable on election day	1 50
Lewis Sullivan, for acting poll clerk on election day	2 00

The council then adjourned to meet at the call of the reeve.

SMITH COUNCIL HOLDS A MEETING

Examiner Special.

The newly elected Council of the Township of Smith met at the County Council Chamber in Peterborough on Monday, Jan. 11th, 1909.

After making the necessary election qualifications of office, the Reeve took the chair. Reeve Scott, Deputy Reeve Thos. Graham, Councillors J. H. Garbutt, Ford, McKee and Wm. Davis.

By-laws were passed appointing officers for the corporation of the Township of Smith, and appointing a member of the Local Board of Health.

The usual grant of $5.00 was made to the Sick Children's Hospital in Toronto, and the Clerk was instructed to order the Municipal World for the Council.

Mr. Davis was instructed to have the road on the 16th Concession line improved, the cost not to exceed $25.00.

The following claims were ordered to be paid, namely:—

David Kerr, work on road	$1.50
Wm. Nicholls' account	2.45
W. Rosborough, work on road	2.00
Times Printing Co.	3.46
H. Nesbitt, caretaking	10.00

The Council then adjourned till February 8th.

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PARLIAMENT OPENS YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

Charles Marcil Is Elected Speaker of the Commons.

FEW MEMBERS ARE ABSENT

Fielding, Sir Fred. Borden, W. L. M. King and Dr. Sproule Are Only Ones Missing at Ceremony of Choosing Presiding Officer — Sir Wilfrid Believes In Electing Speaker For Rest of Political Life.

Ottawa, Jan. 21.—Charles Marcil, M.P. for Bonaventure, was elected Speaker of the eleventh Parliament of Canada which opened yesterday afternoon. There was no other business. This morning the Commons was summoned to the Senate Chamber to listen to the announcement of the sessional program.

Mr. Marcil was Deputy Speaker of the last Parliament and custom decreed he should have a step up. There was practically a full House when the clerk asked the members to choose a presiding officer. Hon. W. S. Fielding is in Paris, Sir Frederick Borden is on the ocean, Mackenzie King is in China, and Dr. Sproule had not arrived from Markdale, where he is having a stock sale. These were practically all the absentees. Hon. Mr. Templeman has no seat.

When Sir Wilfrid Laurier made his entry, after the Commoners had arrived from the Senate Chamber, the Liberal benches broke into loud applause and the galleries, which were not filled, looked down in admiration.

Of the importance of the Speaker's position, said Sir Wilfrid, it was superfluous to say a single word, but in the case of the member selected for the chair, to the qualities that might be expected of him, integrity, dignity, fairness and impartiality, there would be an additional recommendation if he had also the experience of the same or similar duty. In the British House—the Mother of Parliaments—there was an unwritten law that decreed that once a Speaker always a Speaker. This was calculated to produce the high measure of efficiency that characterized the holder of the position.

Sir Wilfrid regretted that we had not advocated a similar rule. In the early part of his political career, when he was leader of the Opposition, he had made the suggestion to Sir John Macdonald, and in the last Parliament he had discussed it with the then Speaker, who had replied that while the honor was great, the sacrifice was greater, and unless there was a change in the methods of proceedings, it would be impossible to adopt the English system. The British House placed the Speakership on equal terms with judicial positions, with a salary of $5,000 a year, and on retirement a pension of $4,000 a year and a peerage. We could not give a peerage; as to pensions, he had a vivid recollection that they were not popular.

It was not in accordance with our traditions to re-elect a Speaker for a second term. But it was a tradition that the member who was next to the Speakership should be called to the chair, and the House was fortunate in having in Mr. Marcil a man of the highest character. As chairman of the committee of the whole House he had discharged his duties with grace, dignity, fairness and marked ability.

Sir Wilfrid hoped Mr. Marcil would give satisfaction to both parties, and keep the scales of justice without fear or favor.

R. L. Borden said the Prime Minister had described very truly and forcefully the position of Speaker and was inclined to share the regret that all the traditions surrounding the office of Speaker in the British House of Commons had not been adopted here. Mr. Borden recollected being in England in 1895, when there was a great deal of discussion as to whether Sir William Gully should be re-elected Speaker, but in the end he was re-elected without opposition.

In this country conditions were somewhat different and possibly it was not regarded as practicable to carry out the condition obtained in the Imperial House, but he thought that in other respects, such as the dignity and importance surrounding the office, we had not been behind. He agreed with the Prime Minister that the office must be judicial.

As to Mr. Marcil, Mr. Borden observed that as Deputy Speaker he had conducted himself with dignity and impartiality.

"I don't propose," the Opposition leader went on, "to affirm or deny what has been paid—I have not the evidence—but as far as the system of offering bribes to constituencies is concerned, it is a vicious one—(Opposition cheers)—and as far as I am concerned, I lifted up my voice in favor of the prohibition of that by statute. The whole question may be discussed later on in a more complete way.

"I will say nothing more on that now, but I desire to say that the very judicial qualities with which the Speaker is invested, would negative the idea that a person in the position could be a suppliant for favors."

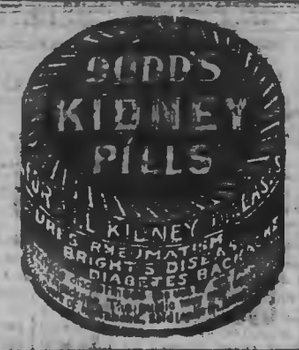
The Cassels' Report.

The resolution of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Hon. William Paterson was carried unanimously and Mr. Marcil was escorted to the chair.

Speaker Marcil thanked the House, expressing the hope that he would be supported in his efforts to discharge his duties in an impartial manner.

Mr. Borden was told by the Premier that the report of Judge Cassels on the Marine Department had not been received, but would be to-morrow or the day after.

Mr. Borden also expressed anxiety in regard to recent treaties. The Prime Minister replied that the waterways treaty would be taken up and tabled as soon as received.



Business Better In Cuba.

Montreal, Jan. 21.—Sir William Van Horne, speaking yesterday regarding affairs in Cuba, from which island he has just returned, says that business has taken a decided upward turn since the elections, and particularly since the harvest of the new sugar crop commenced.

Cloudburst In Philippines.

Manila, Jan. 21.—What was believed to have been an outburst of the volcano of Lagnas on Tuesday night was not an eruption, but merely a great cloudburst over Mount Banahni. The area damaged by the storm is apparently very wide.

Killed by Falling Tree.

Woodstock, Jan. 21.—On the farm of Wesley Kent, West Zorra, James Masters, aged 20, lost his life yesterday morning, while assisting in felling a tree. The tree fell unexpectedly. He was a son of William Masters of Youngsville.

Earthquake In Spain.

Granada, Spain, Jan. 21.—The strong earth shocks occurred during last night at Zafarraya, which lies about 30 miles from Granada.

The populace were thrown into a panic, but no serious damage was done.

Negro Accused.

Windsor, Jan. 21.—Jeremiah Jackson faced some of the worst crimes of the calendar when he appeared in the Police Court yesterday. He was charged with common assault, assault with intent to do grievous bodily harm, indecent assault and arson. He was acquitted on common assault, but committed for trial on six other counts. Thomas E. Carter charged Jackson with arson, because Carter's 14-year-old daughter would not elope with the prisoner.

Love-Sick Swain and Revolver.

Kingston, Jan. 21.—David Hogan, a young man, was charged in the Police Court yesterday with threatening to shoot a former sweetheart, Florence Redden. The magistrate found that Hogan was only joking when he drew his revolver and exclaimed: "I want to die, but cannot die without her," and dismissed the charge. He fined Hogan, however, $25 or one month for carrying a revolver.

Canadians In This.

New York, Jan. 21.—Negotiations are in progress with the object of manufacturing chemical products by electrolytic process in Mexico. According to the promoters, it is intended to invest a capital of $10,000,000 gold in the project.

Sir William C. Van Horne, Z. A. Lash and Robt. C. Brown are said to be interested in the enterprise.

Holstein Cows Bring Big Prices.

Brockville, Jan. 21.—The record price for the sale of Holstein cattle was broken yesterday morning, when two cows on Lyndale farm, owned by Brown Bros., sold for $4,000 to D. W. Field, a large stock-raiser of Brockton, Mass. The cows are Sarah Jewell Hagerveldt and Sarah Jewell Hagerveldt III.

Championship For Shorthorns.

Ottawa, Jan. 21.—The championship premium awarded by the Dominion Shorthorn Breeders' Association for the best grade steer at the winter fair goes to B. Slattery of Ottawa for his yearling.

Another One.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 21.—An explosion of a large quantity of dynamite yesterday at the plant of the Dupont Powder Co. at Gibbstown, N.J., 20 miles south of Philadelphia. No one was hurt.

Vetos Prohibition Bill.

Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 21.—Governor Patterson yesterday vetoed the state-wide Prohibition Bill, which last week was passed by both Houses of the Legislature.

Prize Steer For Grey.

The sale of the prize dressed meat was the closing incident of the recent Guelph Live Stock Show. A representative of the Harris Abattoir bought the champion steer at 10 cents per pound, live weight. It is the intention of the company to prepare it as a gift for the Governor-General's table.

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MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool and Chicago Wheat Futures Close Higher—Live Stock—Latest Quotations.

Wednesday Evening, Jan. 20.

Liverpool wheat futures closed ¼d higher than yesterday, and corn remained unchanged.

At Chicago, May wheat closed ⅜c higher than yesterday, May corn closed ⅜c higher, and May oats closed ⅛c higher.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—January $1.01¼ bid, July $1.03¾ bid; May $1.02 bid.

Oats—January 37⅜c bid, May 41c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	0 96	to 0....
Wheat, red, bush	0 95	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 91	....
Rye, bush	0 60	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 55	....
Peas, bushel	0 80	....
Barley, bushel	0 58	....
Oats, bushel	0 45	....

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 26
Butter, store lots	0 23	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 28	0 29
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 30	0 35
Eggs, cold storage	0 26	0 27
Cheese, large, lb	0 13½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 20.—Closing—Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 10d. Futures quiet; March 7s 7½d, May 7s 6¼d, July 7s 7¼d.

Corn—Spot steady; new American mixed, via Galveston, steady, 5s 4¾d. Futures quiet; March 5s 3½d, May 5s 3½d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut firm, 44s; long clear middles, light, quiet, 46s; do., heavy, quiet, 45s 6d; short clear backs steady, 46s; shoulders, square steady, 33s 6d.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, steady, 49s 3d; American refined, in pails, steady, 50s.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Butter—Steady, unchanged; receipts, 554.

Cheese—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 1263.

Eggs—Easy; receipts, 11,723; state, Pennsylvania and nearby, fancy, selected, white, 33c; do., fair to choice, 32c to 33c; brown and mixed, fancy, 32c to 33c; do., fair to choice, 29c to 31c; western first, 29½c; seconds, 28c to 29c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Unchanged—Cattle and Hogs Lower at Chicago.

LONDON, Jan. 20.—London cables for cattle are steady, at 12c to 12½c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10½c to 10¾c per lb.

Montreal Live Stock.

MONTREAL, Jan. 20.—(Special.)—At the Canadian Pacific Live Stock Market this morning the offerings were 750 cattle, 300 sheep and lambs, 310 hogs and 100 calves. Owing to the continued small supplies of cattle coming forward of late, and the fact that butchers have only been able to secure sufficient stock to fill their actual wants, there was an extra large gathering of buyers, and, as they all wanted some beef, the demand was good and active trade was done. There was no change in prices, but the undertone to the market was strong, and if the stock offered had been of a better quality they would no doubt have realized more money. A feature of the trade was the demand for export account, and the price paid for the choice cows and $3.65 could have easily been made for choice steers, weighing from 1250 to 1300 lbs., but there was none of this class on the market, consequently buyers had to fill their wants with a lower grade at 5¼c. The butchers paid from 3¾c to 5¼c for steers, 4c to 4½c for good cows, 3c to 3¾c for common cows, and 2c to 4½c for bulls, per lb. There was a good enquiry for sheep and lambs, but owing to the limited supply trade was rather quiet and prices ruled firm. Sheep sold at 3¾c to 4c, and lambs at 5½c to 6c per lb. The undertone to the market for hogs remains strong, and prices are steadily tending towards a high level, as the demand is in excess of the supply coming forward. Sales of select lots were made at $7.25 per 100 lbs., weighed off cars. The demand for calves was good at prices ranging from $3 to $10 each, as to size and quality.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Jan. 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 200 head; slow and 10c to 15c lower; prime steers, $6.25 to $6.50; shipping, $5.50 to $6.10; butchers, $4.85 to $6.

Veals—Receipts, 450 head; slow and steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 5100 head; slow; heavy and mixed steady; others 5c to 15c lower; heavy, $6.60 to $6.70; mixed, $6.60 to $6.65; yorkers, $6 to $6.50; pigs, $5.75 to $5.90; roughs, $5.50 to $5.75; dairies, $6 to $6.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 12,800 head; slow; lambs 10c, ewes 25c lower; lambs, $5 to $7.50; yearlings, $6.25 to $6.50; wethers, $5.25 to $5.50; ewes, $4.50 to $4.75.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Beeves—Receipts, 2593; steers extremely dull and 25c lower; bulls steady; medium and common cows unchanged; fat cows steady to 10c lower; common to choice steers, $3 to $6.30; oxen, $3.90 to $5.50; cows, $2 to $4.40; bulls, $3.25 to $4.70; yearlings, $2.75 to $5; dressed beef weak, at 8c to 10c. Exports, 3100 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 873; veals firm to 25c higher; barnyard calves higher; western dull; veals, $8 to $10.25; tops, $10.50; culls, $5; barnyard calves, $2.50 to $4.75; Indiana calves, $4.75 to $5.25; dressed calves steady to lower; city dressed veals, 8½c to 15c; country dressed, 9c to 12½c.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 8411; sheep steady; lambs slow and weak, except for choice stock; 4½ cars unsold; sheep, $3 to $5; few choice, $5.50; culls, $2; yearlings, $6 to $6.62½; lambs, $7 to $7.65; few choice, $7.80; culls, $5.

Hogs—Receipts, 4920; nominally steady.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—Cattle—Receipts estimated at 33,000; market generally 25c lower; steers, $4.60 to $7; cows, $3 to $5.50; heifers, $3 to $7.75; bulls, $3.40 to $5.30; calves, $3.50 to $10; stockers and feeders, $2.50 to $5.15.

Hogs—Receipts estimated at 52,000; market 10c lower; heavy shipping, $6.52½; butchers, $6.35 to $6.50; light mixed, $6 to $6.15; choice light, $6.30 to $6.35; packing, $6.05 to $6.40; pigs, $4.75 to $5.85; bulk of sales, $6.05.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 20,000; 10c lower; sheep, $4.35 to $5.70; lambs, $5.25 to $7.05; yearlings, $5 to $7.

Disappearing Home Life.

The flat dweller ought not to keep a dog, prefers not to keep a cat, cannot have a garden, has no chance of keeping house, has no possible place for memories and, most emphatic of all, has no use or accommodation for babies. Although it may be possible to make homes without kittens or babies or flowers or memories or cupboards, the spirit of home is hard to woo and win without any of them.—Fortnightly Review.

Go Right at It.

"Of course you know that germs communicate sickness?"

"Yes," answered the man who is apprehensive about his health, "and the worst of it is that they get right down to business in their communications, instead of employing the scientific circumlocution of the medical profession."—Exchange.

Trying to Make a Hit.

Judge—Do you acknowledge the charge brought before the court of throwing your wife to the ground and knocking her head repeatedly against the floor? Prisoner (evasively)—I was only trying to make a hit with her, your honor.—Judge.

DAINTY SCALE.

It Will Record the Weight of a Tiny Pencil Mark.

On one of the smallest pair of scales ever made for use in the open air a California jeweler has weighed the soul of a fly and a pencil mark. At least he has found the difference in weight between the body of a living fly and of the same fly dead. This he has chosen to call the soul of the fly, though more cynical observers have declared the difference is but the weight of the gases which escaped from the body of the dead insect.

The scale works within a watch case, and its dial is the face of the watch, marked off into what its inventor, J. L. Liedler, calls "degrees." Each one of these degrees represents a weight of one four-million-nine-hundred thousandth of an ounce.

The balance between the weight of a fly living and a fly dead—i. e., the weight of the fly's soul—was twenty-three of these degrees. Several flies were weighed under similar circumstances, and all showed exactly the same difference in weight between life and death.

The scale works on the tension principle. Inside there is a scale, and in a glass arm extending from one side of the dial there is a balance. The operator screws the delicate spring up to a point where the object in the pan of the scale just balances and then reads the pointer on the dial. The spring is more delicately adjusted even than the finest watch, and the whole instrument requires as great care as the finest chronometer.

Taking a slip of paper and weighing it, Liedler will then make a short mark with a pencil on the paper and, weighing it again, find exactly the weight of the mark made by the lead in the pencil. A mark precisely one-quarter of an inch in length made with an ordinary soft pencil weighed just forty-five degrees, more than the soul of the fly.—Popular Mechanics.

Wise Red Men.

William Hanley, a well known Duluth cruiser and timber man, tells a good story of Indians and the importance of personal publicity to a redskin. Hanley was in charge of a big drive on the St. Croix river, and in the vicinity of Taylor's falls a big jam occurred. Among the drivers were half a dozen Indians. They were good men on the river and held up their end with the white men. One day while inspecting the jam Hanley passed the six Indians. In a spirit of good nature he hailed the Indians and said:

"Break that jam, boys, and I'll put your names in the paper."

"Ugh!" responded one after a pause. "Six Indians dead in paper, but we no see it."—Duluth News-Tribune.

Outcasts In Kaffir Kraals.

In the districts of Zoutpansberg and Transkei, Cape Colony, live small groups of white men, cut off from civilization, on the borders of or even within the native reserves. Degraded whites actually squat on the grounds of Kaffir chiefs. Many of these settlers are of British descent, and in some cases this state of affairs has lasted for twenty years. All ideas of law, order and authority have vanished, and in the case of a native rising there would be no choice for these outcasts except murder or active complicity in the rebellion.—Johannesburg Progressive Monthly.

Not Grasping.

"What a grasping fellow you are, Hawkins! You've bothered me about this bill fifty times in ten days."

"You wrong me, Jarley. I'm not grasping. I've bothered you about the bill, I admit, but I haven't been able to grasp anything yet."

Found Him Guilty.

Counsel (to the jury)—The principal fault of the prisoner has been his unfortunate characteristic of putting faith in thieves and scoundrels of the basest description. I have done. The unhappy man in the dock puts implicit faith in you, gentlemen of the jury!

She Had to Mend Them.

Benham—I believe in putting my best foot forward. Mrs. Benham—I have noticed that your toe always goes right through your stocking.—New York Press.

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RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

CHANGES IN CITY LEAGUE TEAMS; TWO GREAT BATTLES TO-NIGHT; RETURNS OF THE LINDSAY GAME

There is great interest being taken in to-night's City League games, and there promises to be a big crowd on hand when the first game is called. The ice is in fine shape and some lightning hockey should be seen. The announcement that the returns of the game in Lindsay will be given out at the rink has been received with delight by the fans, who will be unable to get away for to-night's game and who will be able to hear the news at Brock street, while watching the City League games.

There is every prospect of there being two splendid games. Both the Belmonts and T. A. S. are confident of winning the first battle, and it will likely be hard fought from start to finish. Both will have changes in their line-up from the teams that represented them last week, and are expected to be much stronger. The Belmonts state that they have lost their last game, and as the Abstainers claim the same, there is every reason to expect a hard battle.

Lakefield have taken out certificates for Joe Quigley, Norman A. Moore and C. L. Campbell, so that it is likely that they contemplate making some changes in their line-up for to-night's game with the West Ends. The latter are confident of taking the game from the Lakefield's and at any event the kids are bound to make it close. The West Ends will be in much better shape than they were the first time out, and with three of the Junior O. H. A. team on their line-up they promise to be a pretty awkward proposition for the team from Lakefield.

George Street and T. A. S. Juniors will meet in the junior game, which will be played as a curtain raiser to the big games.

Mr. W. E. Wasson will referee the senior games.

The T. A. S. have announced the following line-up for their game with the Belmonts:

Goal—McFadden.
Point—Cahill.
Cover—Crough.
Rover—Quigley.
Centre—Giroux.
Right wing—Galvin.
Left wing—Coughlin.

The West End team against Lakefield will likely consist of the following:

Goal—Halpin.
Point—Wade.
Cover—C. Dobson.
Rover—Rose.
Centre—McNirn.
Right wing—Short.
Left wing—Pentland.

MANY PEOPLE GOING TO LINDSAY TO-NIGHT FOR THE BIG HOCKEY GAME

There is much excitement over to-night's game in Lindsay, and already a large number of fans have signified their intention of accompanying the team on the special G. T. R. train, which will leave the G. T. R. station at seven o'clock sharp, and will return immediately after the game. This will enable the fans to reach Lindsay in plenty of time to get a place in the rink, and the probabilities are that one of the largest crowds which ever left Peterborough upon a hockey excursion will go up to help the boys to victory in Sengogville to-night.

That it will be a game worth going miles to see is a certainty, as both teams are playing the fastest kind of hockey and the old rivalry will serve to make the excitement more intense. Lindsay expects an easy victory, but they will find out their mistake before the game is in progress very long. The Petes are playing some hockey just now and will make to-night's game just about as interesting a struggle as the Midgets have been up against in their hockey career. If the team shows the form they did in Belleville the other night, with the forward line working together, and every man checking back like a fiend, looking at it from here that Lindsay forward line is going to have its troubles breaking loose from Peterborough's advance guard. And the defence should be able to take care of Mr. Koyle, on those famous rushes of his, so that Lindsay will have to travel some even on their own ice, to beat the Petes. Trainer Milburn has his team in good shape and they will go the distance to-night all right. It will be a grand game and the local fans should not miss the opportunity provided them to witness the battle.

The fare for the round trip has been placed at $1.05, the train leaving sharp at seven o'clock.

HOW LONGBOAT AND SHRUBB ARE TRAINING FOR THE BIG RACE

New York, N.Y., Jan. 20 — Because the great white way was too distracting, Tom Longboat's training camp has been moved from Gotham to Allenhurst, N.J., a jumping off place, 40 miles from the scene of festivities. Because curious people bothered him half to death, while doing training stunts, Alfred Shrubb has also moved over to Montclair, N.Y., 20 miles out of the big village.

There you have the reason why the wonderful Canadian Indian and his most dangerous opponent are not in New York to-day.

Mrs. Longboat is staying here with relatives.

What Longboat has been doing in the way of training here is hard to discover. Of course, Pat Powers says he is faithful, but athletes who know the Indian say that he did not commence real training until last Wednesday.

That Shrubb is training and in the pink already was easily ascertained, for the Englishman has been working daily from seven miles upwards. That he can go the distance the wise guys here will wager on, and he has been clocked 18 and 20 miles in good times within the week. His feet, which bothered him in the relay race, have rounded into shape and on the soft track should not bother him.

The betting here is at evens, but there isn't much doing, for New Yorkers like a good bet, and they cannot figure either man as a cinch.

LINDSAY EXPECTS BIG CROWD FOR TO-NIGHT'S GAME WITH PETERBORO

The Lindsay Free Press says of to-night's game:

To-morrow evening the Midgets will meet the Peterborough fast hockey seven on the local Lindsay street rink, and a good game should be the result.

The Peterborough bunch this season has been greatly improved from the past seasons and on the other hand the Midgets will again use their regular line-up, which has this season (similar to Peterborough) passed through the games without a single defeat. The Midgets have proved a fast bunch to carry Lindsay on their blue and white uniforms and deserve much encouragement this season again for the coming finals.

The rink is expected to be crowded for the game, the south side of the rink being principally devoted to the visitors. The game will start on time, 8.15, to-morrow evening, as the visiting team will come to town on the regular G. T. R. 6.23 train.

PETERBORO' CURLERS REACH THE FINALS IN THEIR DISTRICT

Peterborough curlers are in the finals to-day in group 5 of the Tankard competition as the result of beating Brampton in Toronto yesterday. A despatch says:—

In group 5 Peterborough had the bye for the morning and in the afternoon won from Brampton who had beaten Parkdale in the morning round. Queen City beat the Aberdeens at both ends, and Scarboro' Maple Leafs won from Bobcaygeon by a remarkable score, 27 up on one rink, and 9 down on the other.

In the afternoon Peterborough won from Brampton in a good game, and the surprise of the day occurred on Granite ice. Here the Scarboro' Maple Leafs found the soft game quite suitable, and walked away from the crack pair of Queen City rinks. W. G. Dennis beat the famous "Bob" by 23 to 10, while Horace Thomson walloped H. A. Hanley by 20 to 9. This puts the Leafs into the final against Peterborough to-day. The scores—

Peterborough		Brampton
Dr. Wightman		C. Allan
W. J. Thompson		C. J. Pickham
D. Davidson		Jas. S. Follis
J. H. Conant—17		T. Trautman—10
R. Carson		W. C. Young
G. L. Hay		J. S. Beck
S. T. Medl		Geo. A. Peaker
Sam Ray—15		Rev. Dr. Burns—14
Total..... 32		24

Majority for Peterborough 8 shots.

PETERBORO' TEAM FOR LINDSAY GAME

Boys Will Leave on 5.30 Train in Order to be in Good Time for the Game.

The Peterborough intermediate O. H. A. team had a splendid practice last night in final preparation for to-night's big game in Lindsay. The team all shaped up well and are in splendid condition for the battle. The team will leave on the regular 5.30 o'clock train to-night in order to reach Lindsay in plenty of time to prepare for the game. The team will line-up as follows:

Goal—Derocher.
Point—Glover.
Cover point—Moore.
Rover—Ray.
Centre—Parnell.
Right wing—Rose.
Left wing—Dusty.

NOVEL TI'S BEAT THE FRESH AIR CLUB 7-1

Lively Battle at Brock Street Rink Last Evening.

The Novel Ti and Fresh Air Clubs had a lively battle at Brock street rink last night, the Novel Ti team winning out by 7—1 and leading at the half way house by 3—1. The game was hard fought and decidedly scrappy in character there being many Johnson-Burns mix-ups during the struggle. The teams were as follows:

F. A. C.	Novel Ti.
Goal	
J. Logan	Halpany
Point	
G. Barrie	Staunton
Cover Point	
P. Richardson	H. Foy
Rover	
S. Tisdale	Allen
Centre	
H. Chambers	Gale
L. Wing	
G. Geoffrey	Thompson
R. Wing	
N. Hopkins	Wade

The Fresh Air Club has sent the following communication in regard to the game:

The F.A.C. were defeated last night by the Novel Ti, the score being 6 to 1. The F.A.C. were somewhat handicapped, having to play against the city league men and the referee, S. Wade, who helped the Novel Ti out considerable. Only two men played out of Novel Ti. After the game the captain of the Novel Ti admitted that the referee was dirty on the F.A.C.

BIG CARNIVAL FOR MONTREAL THIS YEAR

Elaborate Preparations Are Being Made to Make the Event a Success.

The most elaborate feature of the programme at the Ice Palace during the Montreal Carnival of Winter Sports, from February 10th to 20th, will be the display of fireworks, the contract for which has been awarded to the T. W. Hand Fireworks Company, of Hamilton, Ont.

The display will consist of immense bomb shells and rockets. There will be domed arches of rockets, cross fires of rockets, flights of many rockets fired at the same instant, rockets with all the colour combinations. There will be bomb shells fired from immense chilled steel mortars, twenty inch shells, twenty-four inch shells, thirty inch shells. The spread from these immense shells within the entire visual field with clouds of stars. In many cases there will be flights of from five to ten shells fired simultaneously. Some of the flights will be all red, others all green and still others all electric. There will be shells that burst in the air several times, King Edward shells, comet shells, steamer shells and shells of every colour, and in fact there does not seem to be any kind of large bomb shells that has been omitted from this programme.

The effect of all this will be augmented by the snowshoers, who, dressed in the characteristic costumes, will arrive in great numbers with their coloured torches and bombarding Roman candles, to assail the defenders of the palace. Taken altogether we should say that the storming of the Ice Palace in February 1909 will go on record as the most magnificent spectacle that has ever been seen in Canada.

ANOTHER BIG DAY AT CURLING RINK

Towns in District No. 2 Will be Represented Here.

Next Tuesday will be a big day in curling circles here, as the district cup games will be played off in the new rink then. The skips for the two local rinks are R. Hicks and T. F. Matthews. Mr. Matthews' rink will be composed as follows: M. Fyfe, D. Hall and P. Lang. Mr. Hicks will have Mr. H. Foote as his vice-skip, but the other two have not been selected.

The towns included in District No. 2 are Peterborough, Lindsay, Beaverton, Oshawa, Keene, Colborne, Fenelon Falls, Bobcaygeon, Lakefield, Bellerille and Port Hope. All these places will not have rinks here but there will be a good day's sport anyway.

HOCKEY

The Manitoba Free Press says of the last Maple Leaf-Edmonton game:

Whitcroft, Deeton and Miller, all of whom starred in the series at Montreal lived up to their reputations. They out-played their checks and ripped through the local defence in irresistible fashion. Hugh Rose, the Portage lad, was the seventh man on the ice. Slated for cover point, he was really a fifth forward, playing right up behind the line all the time. This might look like poor judgment, but as a matter of fact it proved a most effective system, as the whole bunch of them checked back so well that the Leafs seldom got going.

Whitcroft's men played hockey every minute they were on the ice. When not engaged in carrying the puck towards the opposing goal they were hustling back to defend their own citadel. And they could both skate and handle their sticks in a manner that drew forth applause from spectators long accustomed to seeing artists on the blades. Their combination play was effective. Sometimes it was a three man, and sometimes only two, but always there was another man following up to grab the puck in case it was poked back.

Miller, the curly-headed chap on the right wing, was the spectacular player of the bunch. He reminds one very much of "Sox" Gritlis, as he is about the build of the Kenora star, and plays with the same dash. Whitcroft is faster than he was a few years ago, and much more effective around the nets. Deeton is the right man for centre.

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Referee Ed. Livingstone reported yesterday to the O.H.A. that Cobourg played last night's junior game at Whitby under protest, owing to the poor lighting of the rink. One of the lights went out before the game commenced and two others spluttered a lot during the game. Mr. Livingstone says it was miserable lighting, though just as bad for one team as the other.

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The standing of the league in the Junior O. H. A. is as follows:

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Port Hope	4	1	.800
Whitby	3	2	.600
Cobourg	3	3	.500
Peterborough	2	3	.400
Oshawa	0	3	—

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The West Ends line-up for to-night's City League game with Lakefield, is as follows: Halpin, goal; McNirn, point; Dobson, cover; Wade, centre; Rose, rover; Pentland, left wing and Short, right wing.

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The following members of the George street Methodist Church team are requested to be at the Knox church rink to-night, at 7.45 ready for their game between 8 and 9 o'clock: Williams, Ackerman, Best, Curtis, Davidson, Godfrey and Oke.

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The F.A.C. Hockey Club hereby challenge the Novel-Ti (regular) Team to a game of hockey, to be played at any time in the near future.

CURLING.

The Schedule Games to be played to-night are between the following skips and their teams:—

— Connal vs. Dr. Greer.
W. G. Morrow vs. H. A. Morrow.
— Brightman vs. W. Davidson.
— Hicks vs. T. F. Matthews.
— Medd vs. H. R. H. Kenner.
— Thompson vs. R. Neill.
— Clegg vs. Burnham.

The Schedule Games to be played to-morrow night, Jan. 22nd, are between the following skips and their teams:—

W. Lang vs. D. Fraser.
— Hay vs. J. H. Ferguson.
F. M. Dela Fosse vs. W. C. Read.
— Giroux vs. — Stevenson.
G. Ray vs. Dr. Eastwood.
— Fitzgerald vs. A. Moore.
— Talbot vs. Dr. McCullough.

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Some close games were played at the Curling Rink last night in the Schedule Game Contest. The result was as follows:—

M. Lyle	...	W. J. Johnson
H. Hall	...	G. Tovey
G. Ferguson	...	J. D. Collins
W. M. Lang, 30	...	F. M. Dela Fosse, 4
G. Evans	...	Dr. Buchanan
W. C. Austin	...	H. Meredith
A. Webb	...	Dr. Cameron
R. Hicks, 12	...	Dr. McCullough, 11
T. Wolstenholme	...	T. Minicolo
S. Rush	...	E. H. D. Hall
— Bowes	...	W. D. Campbell
A. Moore, 14	...	W. Talbot, 9
R. Best	...	J. Telin
— Clark	...	G. Hill
— Brightman	...	W. Williams
— Brown, 12	...	— Read, 10
A. Taylor	...	W. Menzies
W. S. McIntosh	...	R. Harstone
W. Baptie	...	W. T. Hall
D. Hall, 5	...	W. G. Ferguson, 10
E. Wade	...	B. Lastar
J. Davidson	...	A. Mowat
J. H. Ferguson	...	J. Montgomery
D. Fraser, 10	...	G. H. Giroux, 12

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A special wire from Toronto was received this afternoon stating that the Peterborough teams in the tankard games in Toronto had gone down to defeat in the finals of the first round by 48 to 20 points in the games played this morning against Scarboro Leafs.

BOWLING

The Toronto Star says of Cheatham, the old Peterborough ball player:—

That there should be no class distinction in bowling was emphasized last week, when Harry Cheatham, who has been a consistent high roller, stuck in a total of 650. He was rolling in Class C, or the novice division, and his team made the high total of 2,793, getting two games over 900. Very few of the alleged crack teams reach the 2,600 mark, and when it is considered that only green bowlers are eligible to participate in the Class C contingent, the performance is all the more remarkable.

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"Thou Diest on Point of Fox."

Fox blades were celebrated all through the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries for their excellent temper, and mention of them is frequent in English drama. This is their history:

There was a certain Julian del Rei, believed to be a Morisco, who set up a forge at Toledo in the early part of the sixteenth century and became famous for the excellence of his sword blades, which were regarded as the best of Toledo. That city had for many ages previous been renowned for swordmaking, it being supposed that the Moors introduced the art, as they did so many good things, from the east.

Julian del Rei's mark was a little dog, which came to be taken for a fox, and so the "fox blade" or simply "fox" for any good sword. See "Henry V.," act 4, scene 4, "Thou diest on point of fox." The brand came to be imitated in other places, and there are Solingen blades of comparatively modern manufacture which still bear the little dog of Julian del Rei.—London Notes and Queries.

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For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	12.51 a.m.
Going West	**Leave Peterborough**
For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	6.32 a.m.
For Burketon, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	7.55 a.m.
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points	4.35 p.m.

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	Arrive	Depart
Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Pembroke, North Bay, Sudbury and Toronto	11.40 a.m.	9.05 a.m.
	6.55 p.m.	12.40 p.m.
Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	9.30 a.m.	9.40 p.m.
	6.55 p.m.	6.55 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Cobourg Montreal and East	6.50 p.m.	11.45 a.m.
	9.30 a.m.	9.05 p.m.
Toronto, Lindsay, Sunderville, Orillia and Muskoka	11.40 a.m.	7.10 a.m.
	6.55 p.m.	9.05 p.m.
	10.10 p.m.	11.45a.m.
Lindsay Local	9.55 a.m.	9.10 p.m.
Havelock, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	9.30 a.m.	9.40 p.m.
	6.55 p.m.	6.55 p.m.
Lakefield and Stony Lake	10.10 a.m.	8.20 a.m.
	6.15 p.m.	12.30 p.m.

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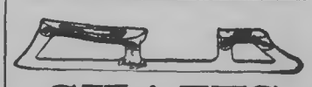

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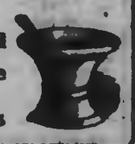

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Probabilities

—Southwesterly winds, cloudy and mild. Friday—Cloudy and mild.

St. John's Choir

—The choir of St. John will practise in the Guild room to-night at 8 o'clock

Jordan Bros., Florists

—Will remove on the 1st February to the store now occupied by Macgregor & Reid, 428 George street. 11d16

Congregational Meeting

—The annual congregational meeting of the Murray street Baptist church will be held to-night in the basement of the church.

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Watch Found

—Chief Roszel has a watch which was found on the road to Omemee. The owner may have the same by calling at the police station and proving his property.

Police Court

—At the police court this morning there was nothing doing. The rainbirds had a holiday, and with good weather they were satisfied to wander around the streets.

Private Secretary

—There will be a rehearsal for the "Private Secretary" to-morrow night in the Knights of Pythias Hall, Simcoe street. All the members of the cast are expected to be present.

From Chief Roszel

—Will the person who complained to the police some time ago about having bought meat on the market which was not delivered, although it was paid for, please communicate to the Chief at once.

Fire Water and Light Committee

—There will be a meeting of the Fire, Water and Light Committee to-night when the charges made by ex-Alderman Johnston against the Fire Chief will be gone into by the committee. Both Chief Howard and Mr. Johnston will be present and the matter will be thoroughly threshed out.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Miss M. Cox, of Lakefield, was in the city to-day.

Mrs. Jackman, of Lakefield, was in the city to-day.

Rev. R. J. Davidson, of Ottawa, was in the city last night.

Mr. George Hilliard, of Lakefield, was in the city last night.

Miss Ella Watson, of Burk's Falls, is visiting Mrs. Ed. Conroy, East City.

Mr. Fred Fearman, assistant master of the Grove School, Lakefield, was in the city last night.

Mrs. Paterson Mowry, who has been the guest of Miss Emma Scott of Lindsay, for the past two weeks, returned home this morning.

The first open reception of the Belmont Club will be held Friday evening at 8 p.m., in their Club Rooms, at 408 1-2 George street. The entrance to the room is first door north of the "Crystal."

LANG & MAHER STOCK

Still in the hands of Clearing Agent for a few days more.

Further announcement later.

Bargains greater than ever.

Lang & Maher
George Street, Peterborough

NO PROTECTION FOR "VET" SURGEONS

Letter From Subscriber on This Subject Has Been Received.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

Dear Sir,—In regard to the notice I see in the Examiner, dated January 19th.

"James G. G. Badgeley has resolved to tempt fate by asking to be allowed to practise law, without the usual qualifications. Even veterinary surgeons were denied this privilege last session."

The veterinarians were not. But a man asked to be admitted to the profession as a veterinary surgeon to which he was not entitled.

It is time now that the veterinary surgeon, who has earned his diploma and honours at college, should not be classed with—(I will not say quacks)—"but non-professional men and have the rights that belong to us—protection—the same as medical doctors have.

W. H. BLANCHARD, V.S.D.
Peterborough, Jan. 20, 1909.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(Furnished by J. N. Barber.)

	Opening	Closing
A.C.P.	78	79
Atch	99½	99⅝
A.R.T.	70⅜	70½
B.R.P.	—	—
Erie	31⅜	31½
Great Northern	144½	144½
G.N.	123½	123⅝
Mo. Pac.	71½	71½
Northern Pacific	140½	140⅜
N.Y.C.	130½	130⅜
Penna	128	128½
R.I.	24½	25⅛
Rdg.	137½	138
Smelters	85½	87½
Soo.	144	145⅛
St. Paul	140	140⅜
U.P.	120⅜	121
U.P.	179⅜	180⅛
U.S.	53⅜	54⅜
U.S. pfd.	113⅜	114⅜
Twin City	100½	100½
Vipissing	—	—
May Wheat	67⅜	67⅜
" Corn	61½	62⅜
May Oats	51⅜	52
" Pork	17.20	17.30
W.F.I.	42½	42½

NEW PROPRIETORS OF McCOLLUM RESTAURANT

The announcement was made today that Fowler's restaurant had changed hands and had been secured by Jacobi Bros., of St. Catharines, who will take possession on Monday next. These gentlemen have conducted a successful business in St. Kitts and will put into their local branch the same principles that have won them success. This is the McCallum stand, and the proprietors state that they will win a reputation as good, if not better, than that restaurant enjoyed. Apart from the usual restaurant service they will establish a quick lunch counter, which should meet with public favour here. Speaking with a representative of the new concern to-day he told the Examiner that a feature of their catering to the public's wants one of their aims was cleanliness. They also would convince their customers that their coffee is a specialty and should win a name for the new restaurant. They will also cater to banquets, luncheons and dinners, and altogether will conduct a clean modern restaurant business. The store will be remodelled and several changes made.

WOMAN MEETS HER DEATH IN FIRE

Quebec, Jan. 21—Mrs. J. O. Tilt, can was burned to death in a big fire on John street in which the Fashion Craft Building and the dry goods stock of Plamondon & Pare were damaged to the extent of over $50,000.

How It Happened.

"I lost a ten dollar umbrella this morning."

"So? Leave it on a car?"

"No. I met the owner on the street, and he recognized it."

THE CURSE OF INDIA.

The Blight of Caste Hangs Like a Pall Over the Land.

The curse of India is caste. It is a damper to all ambition, a dead weight to all progress. Until the country shakes it off India will remain without hope.

Over the door of the great Jain Temple at Ahmadabad are written the words:

"Low-caste servants and dogs are not allowed to enter here." A traveler has declared the temple and the words to be an epitome of India.

Castes were originally divided into four, the Brahmins, or priests, coming first, the warriors next, then the farmers and traders, and finally the Sudras, slaves or common laborers. Each caste has since become divided into many sub-divisions and grades, each grade and each class despising that beneath it and viewing that of a higher rank with servile veneration, fear and awe.

The Brotherhood of Man, as taught by the founder of Christian faith, is not recognized in India. A man born in a low class may degrade himself to a lower caste, but by no act of self-sacrifice, heroism, or nobility can he elevate himself. The only gate to a higher caste, they believe, is by reincarnation.

A Sudra's son will be a Sudra, and all the children of his coming generations for years to come. A Sudra is classed with dogs, and a person of higher caste would rather eat with dogs than touch one of this loathed class, a member of which may not pray in the temples nor even listen to a reading of the sacred books.

A Hindu may not touch one of a lower class, eat from the same bowl, nor sit with him, recognize him, assist him if he be starving or receive help if he himself is in distress.

Should a Brahmin see a Sudra dying of thirst, the inviolable rules of his religion would forbid him to hand him a drink of water lest he defile himself.

TRIAL BY ORDEAL BARRED.

Sir Percy Girouard Is Trying to Stop It In Northern Nigeria.

Apropos of recent accounts of trial by ordeal in Northern Nigeria, it is interesting to note that the energetic administrator of that Outpost of Empire, Sir Percy Girouard, has just issued a proclamation with the laudable intention of endeavoring to put a stop to practices such as those alluded to by our correspondent. The provisions of the proclamation, which are of a drastic character, prohibit trial by ordeal of sasswood, esere-beau, or other poison, boiling oil, fire, immersion in water, exposure to the attacks of crocodiles or other wild animals, or by any ordeal which is likely to result in the death of, or in bodily injury to, any party to the proceeding. Any person who directs or controls or presides at any such ordeal renders himself liable, on conviction, to imprisonment for ten years; and, if convicted, to suffer the death penalty. Moreover, any person who makes, sells, or assists or takes part in making or selling, or even has in his possession for sale or use any poison or thing which is intended to be used for the purpose of any such trial by ordeal renders himself liable, on conviction, to a fine of £50 or to imprisonment for six months. And any person who accuses or threatens to accuse any person with being a witch or with practicing witchcraft, or any person who represents himself to be a witch, or to have the power of witchcraft, renders himself liable, on conviction, to a fine of £5, or to imprisonment for six months.

Women Smoke Less.

The sign that "Ladies May Smoke" has been taken down from the cafe of a popular London hotel and inquiries set on foot show that the popularity of the cigarette—at least in public—among fair smokers is on the wane.

"There was a time when ladies thought it smart to smoke in public," said the manager of the hotel, "but, as far as I can judge, the idea is less prevalent than it was. At any rate, ladies certainly smoke less than they did. We do not object to their smoking after luncheon and dinner, but very few now take advantage of the permission. We do not, however, permit ladies to smoke at tea time, and I may say that I offended a lady the other day by sending a request to her that she would dispense with her cigarette at tea."

A similar opinion as to the waning popularity of the cigarette among women was expressed by the manager of another London hotel, where again smoking by ladies after dinner and luncheon is not forbidden.

The Plays Mixed.

During one of his tours when the late Sir Henry Irving was playing "Twelfth Night" in New York, he revealed absent-mindedness, and greatly amused the members of his company and the audience. As Malvolio, he was expressing surprise at a remark of Sir Toby.

"Do you know what you say?" he asked.

To his surprise a roar of laughter echoed through the house, and his stage associates were convulsed.

He repeated the line putting undue emphasis on the pronoun, and again the audience shouted with laughter.

It was not until after the performance he learned that quite unconsciously he had been parodying the well-known words of "The Private Secretary." His only explanation was that it was done in a bit of forgetfulness while thinking of the other play.

Shaw to Stead.

Some time ago in London Mr. Stead wanted to gather about him some of the brains of Europe and then make a trip around the world in the interests of everlasting peace. He asked G Bernard Shaw to be one of the party, which invitation most men would have thought a compliment, but Mr. Shaw said: "My dear Stead, I have far more work to do than kings and queens, but if you will bring a collection of rulers to my house in Adelphi Terrace I should be very glad to talk to them any morning."

Just a Bit.

His friend—I hear that you are a head of the company.

Guilty Director (absentmindedly)—Ah, yes; about $100,000.—Harvard Lampoon.

Why She Was Absent.

A teacher in one of the girls' schools on the lower east side recently had the following excuse for absence handed her by one of her pupils:

Dear Miss—It gives me much pleasure to write to you, because I have a worryment, and you should please excuse my Annie, who does not come by you because she has to go to the hospital with her sister's sore eyes.

The Accommodating Patron.

"Shall I send this or will you take it?" asks the affable drug clerk after filling the prescription.

"You may send it and then I will take it," suggests the accommodating patron.

Fellows who have no tongues are often all eyes and ears.—Haliburton.

New Telephone Directory

The Bell Telephone Company of Canada
is about to publish a new issue of the
Official Telephone Directory
for the
District of Central Ontario, including Peterborough

Orders for new connections, changes of firm names, changes of street addresses, or for duplicate entries should be handed in AT ONCE to

F. W. DOAN,
Local Manager
2d-17

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J. W. EDWARDS
Family Butcher
Has this week a large quantity of
PRIME FAT HEIFER AND STEER BEEF
Anyone wishing to buy Good Beef by joints or by the quarter cannot do better than give us a trial.
Veal, Mutton, Lamb and Pork also in good supply.
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SALE OF
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1000 Boxes

I am instructed by the Consignors to sell by Public Auction one thousand half boxes of raisins, which arrived too late for the Christmas trade. These raisins are of the highest grade and in prime condition and will be sold in lots or by the box, (28 lbs.,) to suit purchasers.

Sale at 2 o'clock, on
Monday, 25th January,
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Terms Cash
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3 lbs. New Currants	24c
3 lbs. New Raisins for	20c
New Orange and Lemon Peel, lb.	15c
New Citron Peel, per lb.	28c
Shelled Almonds and Walnuts, lb.	35c
Tomatoes, per tin	10c
Peas, Beans and Corn, per tin	8c
3 bottles Pickles for	25c
New Dates, per lb.	10c
New Figs, per lb.	10c
Mince Meat, 3 lbs. for	25c

MEAT DEPARTMENT
A choice and complete stock of Fresh and Salt Meat, Bologna Sausage, Canned Goods, Pickles, Sauces, etc., can always be had from us.

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Oysters, Turkeys, Geese, Chickens, Ducks, etc., for Christmas and New Year trade. A trial order will convince you that our stock is first class and that we will not be undersold by anyone. Our Motto—Goods delivered to all parts of the city without disappointment.

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WE GUARANTEE EVERY TUB

No. 0 Eddy Tub, regular 1.25 for	1.05
No. 1 Eddy Tub, regular 1.15 for	.95
No. 2 Eddy Tub, regular .90 for	.75
No. 3 Eddy Tub, regular .80 for	.65

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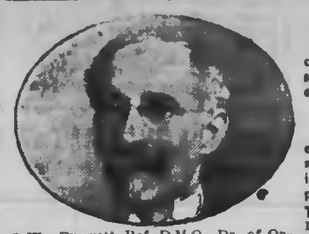

J. W. Browett, Ref. D.M.O., Dr. of Optics of Philadelphia, graduate of the best colleges of New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, Detroit and Toronto, and for the past fifteen years has been teaching Opticians throughout the various cities and towns of the United States and Canada.

AT 9 P. M. SATURDAYS
Hereafter the Peterborough Optical Institute closes at nine o'clock every Saturday night instead of ten as formerly, and 8 o'clock other evenings.

APPOINTMENTS
Evening is quite as suitable as day time for eye examinations for glasses but it is usually necessary to arrange a day or two in advance in order to secure a suitable appointment. Appointments are made by phone, letters or a call.

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In the Market Building, 338 George St., Phones—Bell 454L, Machine 7

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Established 1817

Capital Paid Up, -	$14,400,000
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With a Saving Department at every one of its many Branches, it offers the opportunity for all, who so desire, to avail themselves of its many advantages by opening a Savings Account.

A Savings Bank account is the best safeguard against misfortune, being always ready and available, and earning interest all the time.

Consideration for one's family demands that all heads of households should provide against the day of adverse conditions, and there is no simpler way than by laying systematically from time to time a portion of income or earnings in a Savings account.

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THE GOLDEN LION STORE

PROBS.—Easterly winds, cloudy and mild to-day and on Saturday with occasional rain and sleet.

THE GOLDEN LION STORE

Celebrate Its 25th Anniversary This Month by an

Unprecedented Bargain Festival

All previous sales by this or any other Peterborough store eclipsed. Help us celebrate this quarter century ending by saving money here.

Savings all through the store are like these:—

LINEN TABLING, NAPKINS, TOWELS, TOWELLINGS, ETC., ARE SELLING BELOW COST

15 Linen Table Cloths, worth $3.00, Sale Price, each **2.10**

2 yards x 2 yards and 2 yards x 2½ yards, bordered all round, splendid patterns and pure Irish Linen.

Sample Towels **1-3 Off**

Samples of Linen Huck, Damask Huck and Bath Towels and Towel length. Splendid value.

Linen Towels worth 20c, each **16c**

Hemstitched Irish Linen Huck Towels, size 19 x 38 inches, pure bleached.

500 Yards Table Damask worth $1.00 and $1.10. Sale Price **78c per yard**

Guaranteed pure Irish Linen. Splendid new designs, 72 inches wide.

Swiss Stand Covers Formerly 25c each **15c**

Size 20x30 inches, fine quality and several pretty designs.

Pillow Shams formerly 1.00 **62½c each**

Swiss Applique, Frilled Pillow Shams, 32x32 inches.

The best value ever offered this season in

LADIES' COATS Formerly $12.00 and $12.50 **7.50**

Splendid quality Black Melton, Kersey and Broadcloth, new long model, all this season's styles.

All-Over Laces **19c**

White All-over Lace, 18 inches wide, good patterns formerly 50c per yard.

All-Over Laces **25c**

White All-over Laces, 18 inches wide, very handsome designs for Blouses, formerly 75c and $1.00 per yard.

20 Beautiful Silk and Lace Blouses, Formerly $7.50 to $12.00, now each **5.00**

Soft Messaline and Chiffon Taffeta Silk Blouses, in Black, White, Navy Blue, Pink, Sky Blue, etc., and Lace and Net in Cream, Ecru and Black. Your choice, while they last, $5.00 each.

Dress Trimmings, formerly up to 25c **2c per yd.**

Braids and Gimps, in blacks and colours, desirable patterns and colours.

Dress Trimmings, formerly up to 75c **5c per yd.**

Braid, Gimps and Appliques, blacks and almost every colour.

Remember, our sale of Dress Muslin and White Muslin Underwear is on.

Robert Fair & Co.

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383 GEORGE STREET : PETERBOROUGH

THE GOLDEN LION STORE

H. LeBRUN & CO.'S Genuine Rush Prices

ON ALL MADE-TO-ORDER AND READY-MADE CLOTHING

We don't want to exaggerate a bit, but such buying chances as the following have very seldom been offered in Peterborough. Our desire to close up our regular year's business with a very light stock is the chief reason for this very extraordinary January

CUT-PRICE SALE

We are offering HIGH-GRADE MADE-TO-MEASURE CLOTHING at and below cost, in order to reduce our big range of Suitings and Overcoatings. Here are a few samples of the Rush Prices:—

Men's Best Melton or Beaver Overcoats, made to order, former price $25.00. Rush Sale Price **18.00**

Men's Scotch Tweed, Melton or Beaver Overcoats, made to order, former price $20.00. Rush Sale Price **15.00**

Men's Worsted Pants, made to order, former price $6.50. Rush Sale Price **5.00**

Men's Worsted Pants, made to order, former price $4.00. Rush Sale Price **3.00**

Men's $5.00 Vest Patterns, made to order for **3.50**

Men's Best Single or Double Breasted Tweed Suits, made to order, former price $20.00. Rush Sale Price **15.50**

Men's Serge and Worsted Suits, made to order, former price $22.00 and $24.00. Rush Sale Price **18.00, 20.00**

These are the most sweeping cuts we have ever made on Made-to-measure Garments. Every Garment will be made up and finished in the same first-class style as if regular price were paid.

Men's Ready-made Overcoats, were $15.00. Rush Sale Price **11.00**

Men's Fashionable Winter Overcoats, were $10.00. Rush Sale Price **7.75**

Men's Heavy Tweed Overcoats, were $7.00. Rush Sale Price **5.00**

Men's Ready-made Tweed Suits, were $7.00. Rush Sale Price **4.75**

Men's Ready-made Worsteds and Serge Suits, were $12.00. Rush Sale Price **9.50**

Men's Working Pants **1.00, 1.25, 1.50**

Men's Tweed and Worsted Pants **2.00, 2.50, 3.00**

Men's Underwear marked down to cost.

Men's Imported Underwear, including Wolsey and other makes, 20 to 30 per cent. discount.

Reductions Apply to Every Department

ANTICIPATE YOUR PRESENT AND FUTURE WANTS AND BUY NOW

For New Year's

Fine Watches

If you are thinking of giving a watch New Year's then our large stock will be of interest to you. Remember, in buying a Watch quality is what counts every time. Some Watches are dear at any price. We pay most particular attention in selecting our movements.

FOR LADIES—In Gold Filled Cases, hand engraved designs, not common patterns, but all entirely new, with fine movements guaranteed by us, from $10.00 up. For Solid Gold 14 Kt. Cases, the prices start from $24 up.

FOR MEN—In Gold Filled Cases they are priced from $10 up. In Solid Gold 14 Kt. Cases, from $25.

FOR BOYS—We have a good, strong Knock-about, in a Nickel Silver Case for $1, and a finer finished one for $2.25.

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and first shown in Peterborough at the Royal before being shown in any other theatre in this country. Come and see for yourself and be your own judge.

New! New! New!

2 Magnificent Films TO-DAY

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A Roman Idyl

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A very funny Pathe film that brings a laugh every minute.

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Mr. Beveridge Miller

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"My Lady Lu"
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Admission Always **5c**

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Our Groups

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Affair on the Train Returning from Lindsay Last Night

At police court this morning a young man pleaded not guilty to having obstructed and impeded conductor Geo. Jobbitt of the G. T. R. The affair occurred last night coming down from Lindsay, the accused being the worse of liquor. He was remanded until to-morrow.

MUSKRAT KILLED ON GEORGE STREET

Seen in Front of Grafton's Clothing Store.

A story was told to a reporter this afternoon of a muskrat being killed on George street. The story went like this:—

Last night between twelve and one o'clock, a well known young man was walking down George street when he saw a large Muskrat swimming towards Hunter street. It looked as if it had been disappointed in not getting into Mr. Barrie's store and was going to see if Mr. Lech would give it a night's lodging. But it has not got that far yet, as this young man thought he would spare its feelings, knowing full well that no stores were open at that time of night, gave it a gentle kick and I passed from this world for evermore.

The possible "rattiness" in connection with this incident may exist in the actual presence of the odorous rodent or in the imagination of the informant.

ATHLETIC CLUB WILL HOLD CONCERT

Mr. J. M. Bennett, of the Canadian Cordage Co., Will Speak at T. A. S. A. C. Event.

Mr. Jas. M. Bennett will be the lecturer next Wednesday evening at St. Peter's T. A. S. Assembly Hall, at a concert given under the auspices of the athletic club of the city. He will speak on a trip through Europe to India, and being a natural humourist, his address should be well worth hearing. He has spoken at several of the regular meetings and has shown himself an excellent entertainer. A musical programme will also be presented.

KENYON FARMER PERISHES IN FIRE

Examiner Special.

Alexandria, Jan. 22.—Hugh McIntosh, aged 75, a farmer of Kenyon Township, perished in trying to put out fire in his home. The family and threshers escaped.

FURTHER REDUCED PRICES AT GOSELIN'S

Saturday's cash specials at Goselin's Meat Market will be round steak at 11c per lb., or 10 lbs. for $1.00. This is the spot for the best meat at the lowest prices. The beef is all heifer and steer beef, and in prime condition, guaranteed. Come and buy a good round to-morrow.

Sirloin roasts, 11c; porterhouse roasts, 11c; rib roasts, 9c; shoulder roasts 9c; boiling beef, 6 to 8c.

Shoulder roasts, 20 lbs. and upward 8c. lb.

Fresh Pork sausage 10c.

Head cheese, our own make, 4 lbs. for 25c.

Hind quarter beef—7c.
Fore quarter beef—6c.
Hind quarter lamb—15.
Fore quarter lamb —12 1-2.
Loin of lamb—16.
Leg of lamb—17.
Fresh pork—15
Hind quarter pork —12 1-2.
Fore quarter of pork—11 1-2.
Hind quarter mutton—12 1-2.
Fore quarter mutton —11 1-2.
Loin of mutton—14
Leg of mutton—15

These prices are good for this week and all next week, and are strictly for cash.

F. J. Goselin, 241 George street. 'Phone Bell 316K.

TWO MEN DROWNED BY DRIVING INTO AIR HOLE NEAR TRENTON; THEIR WIVES HAD NARROW ESCAPE

Special to The Examiner.

Trenton, Jan. 22—David Frederick and Gilbert Brook with Mrs. Frederick and Mrs. Brook started to drive across the ice last night about ten o'clock for home some five miles distant. When about 400 yards from shore they drove into a hole where men had been cutting ice. David Frederick and Gilbert Brook with the horse, were drowned. Mrs. Frederick and Mrs Brook were saved. The night was very dark. The bodies of the drowned men were recovered.

FARMER DID NOT DELIVER MEAT; PAID $15.25 FOR HIS NEGLECT

John Kerr was fined $5 and costs, amounting to $15.25, at the police court this morning on the charge of having appropriated to his own use, without any excuse, the sum of $2.00, the property of Ed. Waterman.

The affair arose from the purchase of a quarter of beef last Saturday. Mr. Waterman purchased the meat for $5.50, and gave Mr. Kerr $2.00 to bind him over to delivering it. He did not get the meat, neither did the man return the money. Mr. Waterman had written down his name in Mr. Kerr's book. Mr. Geo. McCarroll, Mr. W. J. Moore and Mr. Thos. Young corroborated Mr. Waterman's evidence, as they were near the sleigh of meat on Saturday and saw the transaction.

Mr. Kerr stated that at noon that day he gave his book to his brother-in-law, while he had driven. The brother-in-law lost the book and the name and addresses were then unknown to the defendant. He admitted having taken no steps to find out Mr. Waterman's address, nor did he leave the money at the police station, and on Wednesday when he came into the city he sold the meat and again made no effort to return the money.

Magistrate Dumble said that intentions had to be judged by actions and in this case there was no evidence to show that he tried to give the money back.

Mr. Kerr said that he would have come in again on Saturday. He did not remember Mr. Waterman, but he thought that the latter would remember him.

Mr. Kerr had not elected for trial as he was unacquainted with proceedings, but afterwards expressed himself satisfied with the judgment and paid over the money.

HAVELOCK COUNCILLOR BEATEN WHILE ACTING AS PEACEMAKER

On Thursday evening of last week Councillor Wm. Griffith, of Belmont, who resides in town, was most brutally assaulted while endeavouring to make peace between a party of brawlers. Jason Roe, of Belmont Howard Peters of Peterborough, and Jno. McArthur of Seymour, were engaged in an altercation on the street when Mr. Griffith happened along and attempted to officiate as peacemaker. Without warning of any kind McArthur is said to have approached Mr. Griffith from behind and dealt him a blow from some instrument which rendered him unconscious. The unfortunate gentleman fell into the gutter of Roe and was brutally kicked and maltreated. He came to his senses in a few minutes and attempted to regain his feet, when he received a kick under his eye which caused him to again lapse into a state of coma. The rowdies then disappeared and now warrants are out for their apprehension on a charge of assault.

—Havelock Standard.

GAS IGNITED BY SPARK CAUSED BY STEEL STRIKING ON ROCK

What might have been a very serious thing happened this morning on Charlotte street. The gas works pipe has a large leak in it, and the men have been working for the past two days in uncovering it. This morning they were lucky, or unlucky, to find it, for in prying out one of the rocks with a steel bar a spark ignited the gas, sending a flame quite a distance out of the hole. They immediately set to work to smother out the flames with water and fine dirt. This, however, was not accomplished until the hole was about half full again. After the flame was put out they had to set to work and dig it all out.

Rev. Dr. O'Brien Underwent An Operation At The Hospital

The many friends of Rev. Dr. O'Brien will be pleased to learn that he is resting as easily as might be expected after undergoing an operation at St. Joseph's Hospital yesterday afternoon which it is believed has been entirely successful. The ligaments of his knee in the fall were torn and the operation was for the purpose of sewing them together. It was performed by Dr McKeown of Toronto and Dr Gallivan of this city. The injury Rev. Dr. O'Brien received is very painful and of a rather serious nature. It is believed that it will be about two months before he is able to be around again, and it is earnestly hoped that when he has recovered his walk will not be affected.

G. T. R. Lakefield Line May Be Extended To Young's Point

At the present there are indications of three railway lines to Lakefield. There is the Peterborough Radial Railway's proposed extension, the line spoken of from Cobourg to Kawarthadom and lastly the G.T.R.'s plans to extend their Lakefield line to Young's Point. This latter extension has been spoken of before but has been kept rather quiet. It is known that the company's surveyors have gone over the ground and the extension of their line to the Point would greatly improve its efficiency and give its patrons a better service in getting to Stony Lake. Such are three proposed plans but it is another question which of them will be carried out.

CAT WITH BRAIN STORM KILLED BY P. C. NEWHALL

P. C. Newhall received a strange call over the telephone recently. A woman informed him that her favourite "tabby" had an attack of brain storm, and was travelling around the house in a frenzy.

It was evidently a serious case of cat "dementia," and the officer went forth to investigate. He was told that pussy was under a sofa and when he moved it to get at the cat it sprang out at him, catching to the breast of his coat, and giving him a bit of a start. He quickly gave the infuriated feline a tap with his baton and then took it by the tail out of doors where another blow on the head dispatched poor puss.

FOUND DEAD UNDER WINDOW OF HOTEL

Examiner Special.

Toronto, Jan. 22.—J. A. Diebel, a leading merchant of Windsor, was found dead on the sidewalk below a window of his room in the King Edward Hotel this morning by Policeman Riley, and died soon after. He was in Toronto with his lawyer looking after a case.

SEMI-READY WARDROBE

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LORD NORTHCOTE TO SUCCEED EARL GREY

Toronto, Jan. 22.—A London cable says it is stated on good authority that Lord Northcote will succeed Earl Grey as Governor-General of Canada.

CHARGES WERE INVESTIGATED

Fire, Water and Light Committee Held Long Session Last Night—Much Evidence Received.

AGAIN ON MONDAY NIGHT

The Fire, Water and Light Committee had a long session last night, when they met for the purpose of investigating the charges preferred against Chief Howard by ex-Ald. Johnston, chairman of that committee of last year. There were present Mayor Rush, Aldermen Butler, Hicks, Morgan, Turner, Gillespie, Duffus, Metheral, Bradburn, Duncan and McIntyre. Ald. Butler, chairman of the committee, had charge of the investigation.

The following witnesses were examined: W. H. Taylor, Jas. Weir, Reynolds, Albert Craig, W. Metherall, Arch. McBride, Jos. Perrin, Frederick Rank, John Wright, John Hetherington, Frank Adams (City Treasurer), Ald. Johnston, George Hawes and Chief Howard.

The charges preferred against the Chief by Ald. Johnston were in part of having entered the Fire Hall under the influence of liquor, of wantonly beating one of the horses, of not being at the hall as required by his instructions, and several other charges of a minor nature. After one o'clock the investigation was adjourned until Monday night.

Last night the various witnesses were examined along the lines of the charges and Chief Howard also gave his explanation in rebuttal. The rest of the evidence will be taken on Monday night, and the report of the Committee to the Council will determine whether or not the charges were warranted and sustained.

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WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO DO LIGHT housework for part of day. Apply 113 Simcoe street. 2d 18 5074

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RUFF LOST — ON THE ROAD BEtween Peterborough and Nassau, Smith side, a Lady's Brown Bearskin Ruff or Stole. Reward for return to Cavanagh's Hotel, Peterborough. 1d-16 2w-4

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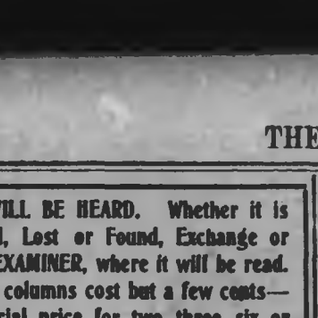
FOUND ABOUT TWO WEEKS AGO IN front of the Grand Opera House, a Gold Bracelet set with eleven pearls. Owner may have same by applying at this office and paying for this advertisement. 3d 16 5054



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THE GRAND TRUNK THAT IS AND IS TO BE.

The good old Grand Trunk carries a green old age and seems to be developing a renewed youth. It is described in a statistical record, Heaton's Annual, as having "1035 miles of double track, and the largest double track railway in Canada and the longest continuous track railways in the world." It is certainly one of the greatest of railway systems anywhere and is continuously expanding. The grand total mileage of the Grand Trunk and Grand Trunk Pacific, including lines under construction and contemplated, will eventually amount to 13,895 miles, and adding steamship lines, 15,134 miles. To this total the great outstanding enterprise of the National Continental and Grand Trunk Pacific will contribute very largely, and the company is showing great enterprise in making known its work, and what it means in national development widely known. A recent number of The Graphic, London, Eng., contains a three-page reference to the Grand Trunk Pacific. The article is entitled "The Progress of Empire; How Towns are Made in Canada." It is very finely and beautifully illustrated and the letter press, subtitled "Girdling the Earth," is admirably sympathetic in spirit, showing the importance of the Grand Trunk Pacific in the scheme of the "All-Red Route and its influence in developing the marvellous resources of the Canadian West. A page is devoted to photo-reproduction showing "how a new town grows in a night in Canada"—on the completed section of the new railway. Prince Rupert the new occidental metropolis, in posse, is especially lavoured and it is pointed out that the line terminating there will bring "Liverpool two days nearer the far East than it is by the shortest route to-day." The indications are that the completed Grand Trunk Pacific and Transcontinental will add a splendid chapter to the romance of Empire-building of which Canada has been, is, and will continue to be, the theatre.

A DISAGREEMENT IN POLICY.

Mr. Borden, leader of the Opposition, has received a vote of confidence from his supporters in the House. Does that imply that the Conservative press shares this confidence? The Mail and Empire is ostensibly loyal to Mr. Borden, but it does not think him important enough to make itself familiar with the leader's platform, or does not think the latter worth much. Recently the Mail and Empire, as was its duty, as a party organ, denounced the Transcontinental Railway Commission in these words:

"The appointment of this Commission was a gross breach of the principles of representative government. It removed the control of the expenditure from Parliament and placed in the hands of of a secret irresponsible body. . .

Compare this with plank No. 8 of Mr. Borden's Halifax latform, which received the endorsation of the Mail and Empire, though it some way escaped the endoration of the country. This plank reads:

"The operation of and management of our government railways by an independent commission, free from party control or influence."

Here Mr. Borden expressly advocates what the Mail and Empire denounces "a secret irresponsible body." The organ advocates an opposing policy to that of Mr. Borden, but libels its character and mistates the relations of the Transcontinental Railway to Parliament. It is directly responsible to Parliament through the Minister of Railways and Canals. Every dollar of money expended under the Commission is checked and investigated by the Auditor-General. In addition every contract is put up to public tender and competition invited, and the Commission reports its acts to Parliament. It is the duty of Opposition members and journals to criticise the actions of the government, but its very like excess of zeal to invent the premises of the argument of condemnation. There should be a sufficiently definite Opposition policy to avoid a contradiction between the chief organ and the leader.

WESTERN HOMESTEADING.

We in Canada the past year or more have had a touch of hard times emphatic enough to be felt and to be unpleasant, but the touch has fallen more lightly upon us than almost any other country. There has been a considerable decrease in our revenue but the tide is on the flow again. We have had a bountiful harvest from coast to coast, and although the tide of immigration has somewhat slackened as compared with last year, there has been an increased practical appreciation of the agricultural capabilities of our Great West. Though 1908 was a slightly inactive year in the matter of immigration, the number of homestead entries, representing actual settlers and tillers of the soil, was in excess of any preceding year. This was no doubt influenced by the fact that the new Dominion lands act, which among other things opens up to settlement millions of acres which have reverted to the Government from the vast railway grant area, for years exempt from homesteading by Conservative legislation, went into force on September 1st, last. The total number of homesteads entries last year was 49,154, or 19,718 more than in 1907. Of these 31,139 entries were made in the last four months of the year, September's share being 14,279. This increase means a great impetus to the development and progress of the West. The United States has contributed largely to it, and the Winnipeg Free Press estimates that the total number of homesteaders from that country who, having made their entries last year, will take up their homesteads this year, will reach 20,000. Taking each entry as representing on the average five persons, Canada gets a total of 100,000 new settlers of a most desirable class from this source alone. If each family brings into Canada $1,000—not an extravagant estimate—there will be added to the wealth of this country $20,000,000.

Even if the flow of immigration from the Old Country this year is not large the coming season will be a lively one in the new provinces, as it is reasonable to suppose that last year's homesteaders will lose no time in commencing to make homes for themselves.

The policy of building up the West by railway construction, which, necessary and important as it is, is, if the conditions can be separated, less important than building up a strong citizenship.

THE LAYMENS MOVEMENT.

The following letter from Mr. Frank E Hodgins, Toronto, appears in the Canadian Courier.

Referring to your comments on the Laymen's Missionary Movement, will you let me point out one element of its success in Canada. It is that, whereas the movement in the United States is for purely foreign missions, in Canada all the churches have insisted that the pressing needs of our North-west are our first care. In consequence, when the movement began here, a clear understanding was come to that the North-west missions were to be included. Speaking for myself, I do not want in the least to ignore the extraordinary opportunities in the East, which it is nothing short of folly to neglect. But as a Canadian, and realizing that the immigration into the North-west amounts to nearly a quarter of a million per year, I feel that if we do not, in the next five years, hand our missionary efforts towards coping with its requirements, we will find the most progressive part of Canada has slipped away from our influence. And if so, Canada, as a whole will be unable adequately to do its share for foreign missions. I think our plain duty requires us just now to place the North-west first among our missionary responsibilities. The Missionary Society of the Church of England devotes about 75 per cent. of its income to the North-west and while it does not neglect the foreign field, it is making every effort to afford Church privileges to those who settle in Western Canada. I do not doubt that all the other churches are doing the same. Hence the Laymen's Missionary Movement is becoming a national one, and will I trust be of the greatest service to our own country.

It is a pleasure to know that our churches are taking this attitude towards missions. It is the proper and patriotic stand to take and not inconsistent with our interest and recognition of the importance of foreign mission enterprises. But as every man's first duty is to his home and home interests, so the first duty of the Canadian Churches is to look after the unprovided elements of our rapidly increasing population in the West. It is our duty to provide the Christian privileges and influences necessary to make our new citizens, good citizens—representatives of the highest form of Christian civilization. In so doing we shall be indirectly contributing to the foreign mission movement. We shall build up strong Christian countries, which will constitute elements in the spread of the Gospel to those who are without its light.

GOWGANDA

The quickest and best route will continue to be via the Grand Trunk and T. & N. O. Railway to Charlton, thence 18 miles by stage to Elk Lake and 32 Miles Elk Lake to Gowganda. This route will enable stops to be made at Temagami, Cobalt, Haileybury, New Liskeard and Englehart. Cobalt special leaving Toronto 10.15 p. m., daily, makes direct connection with stages reaching Elk Lake next afternoon. Full information from W. Bunton, G. P. & T. A.

Hunting a Homemaker.

By LULU JOHNSON.

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A mere toddler of a boy stood on the bank above the railroad track. In his hand was a stone. Aiming blindly, he tossed the stone upon the track, and it snuggled against the gleaming rail.

In less than forty-eight hours that stone, tossed by a baby hand, had thrown Wall street and the money market of the country into a panic.

The single track of the little western road afforded rough traveling. Not many of the travelers aboard that particular train even noticed the somewhat harder jolt when the car wheel struck the stone.

But Gilbert Fairbain, smoking a "good night" cigar as he leaned alone against the railing of the observation car's platform, felt the jar—and then felt nothing more.

And it was two weeks before Wall street learned that Fairbain, the one man who could have stopped the panic, had been found beside the tracks and removed to a farmhouse on the quarter section nearest the road.

For ten days he had been unconscious, and for two days or more he had been in no condition to be left alone. There was but one inmate of that farmhouse besides himself, and she had been too busy nursing him to make the trip to the nearest town to report that he had been found.

As soon as his whereabouts had been discovered the lonesome little town was overrun with people. Grave and learned physicians from the east were hurried westward on special trains and a regiment of nurses attended them, but Fairbain waved them all away.

"I don't need you," he said irritably. "Little Mrs. Bodington pulled me through without a lot of palaver or thousand dollar doctors to help her. Leave a couple of nurses to wait on her, and the rest of you go away."

"There is an excellent hospital not fifty miles from here," suggested the family physician. "I can look after you with better assurance of successful treatment."

"Sugden, you're an ass," declared Fairbain irritably. "This little woman nursed me single handed through an attack of brain fever. I guess she can attend to the convalescence."

"I will not undertake to be responsible for the consequences," said Sugden, with ponderous emphasis.

"You don't have to be," was the acrid response. "You are going to be packed out of here, the whole lot of you. I've spent most of my life with a doctor on one side of me and a lawyer on the other. I'm sick of it all, and I'm entitled to a rest."

He looked contentedly about the tiny room. The outlook from the narrow paned windows was dreary, and the room itself was walled with rough plaster and decorated with cheap prints in homemade frames.

The bed on which he rested was a wooden affair with a cotton mattress and coarse cotton sheets, but the sheets were immaculately clean, and there was an air of hominess about the place that Fairbain had not known in years.

He closed his eyes contentedly and dozed off. Sugden, mindful of his fat fees, waited in deferential silence during the half hour the nap lasted. Fairbain's glance fell first on him as his eyes opened again.

"You still here!" he cried. "Sugden, if you don't take the first train back to New York I'll make you sue for whatever I owe you and I'll take it on appeal and appeal until you spend every cent you ever made off of me. Now get out of here."

Sugden took his departure, vowing that his patient was insane, but Fairbain only smiled contentedly and turned to the sweet faced woman who sat beside the bed.

"That's the way to talk to those sharks," he declared. "I have a headache, and Sugden gives me something to make it worse. Then he doctors me for the new 'disease' and sends in a bill a yard long. This is the time I fooled him."

"I am glad that you were not moved," said the woman softly. "I think that the excitement would have been bad for you."

"It is not the trip I was dreading," admitted Fairbain frankly. "I like it here, and I want to stay a little while. My secretary will stay over in town and bring my important mail every day, and the two nurses will relieve you of the watchful nights.

"If you want anything else, buy it or hire it or something. Wilson will give you what money I need. Wilson is a fine fellow," he added. "He came into my office this fall as a clerk, and I took a fancy to him and made him my confidential man. He took to the job as though he had known me and my affairs since he was born."

"It must be very nice to have some one to do your work the way you want it done," she said softly. "I am glad that you are so pleased with him."

"I'm pleased with him," said Fairbain meaningly, "so long as you are not too well pleased with him. You won't be pleased with him?" he pleaded.

"No more than I am now," she promised, and with that Fairbain was content. He was convinced that money was omnipotent and that even here on the prairie it could purchase the love of the little woman who had made him so comfortable.

Fairbain was in love with his newly found home comforts rather than with the woman herself, but this he did not know, although, when there was no longer any pretext for prolonging the stay, he spoke bravely enough.

"I need you very much," he said earnestly. "I have a house that covers half a square in the most expensive residential district in New York. I have three yachts, something like a dozen automobiles and all that sort of thing, but I have no home. Not since I was a boy have I realized what home was like. My wife was no homemaker, and when she died I never dared repeat the experiment with the women in the set I lived in. You are different. For years I have been hungry. Don't you think that you can come and make it for me?"

The little woman paused for a moment and scanned the face of the multimillionaire as earnestly as though she had not devoted weeks in that pursuit.

There was no ardent affection in tone or look. Fairbain discussed the matter with as much feeling as though he was discussing the making of some railroad deal with his fellow magnates. He was not the young lover, but the elderly widower in need of a homemaker.

The girl—she was little more than that—nodded her head in an affirmative.

"I'll make the home for you, but not as your wife. I am not a widow, you see!"

"I am married," continued the girl hurriedly. "I married when I was on the stage. I married a boy who never had had a home, and I made one for him—out here where nothing matters. He was home hungry. I knew that I would spoil all his chances if I married him. I also knew that he would spoil his own chances if I didn't, so I married him.

"After our boy was born—that was the second year we were here—he went back east and took a name that was neither his nor mine to show his father that he was able to work for the woman he loved. I am married to your son, Mr. Fairbain. I guess you've forgotten that Gregory married Martha Bodington. From what Gregory told me, you called me everything but my right name at that last interview."

"Perhaps I did," was the shamefaced reply. "I guess I did not know what I was saying, and I'm certain that I didn't know the sort of a girl I was talking about."

"We'll forget that now," offered Martha. "Let the past be forgotten for the sake of the boy."

"But Gregory?" asked Fairbain.

"There," Martha pointed out over the prairie, where the secretary was to be seen riding across the section with the mail.

"And Wilson is Gregory? You mean to say I didn't know my own boy when I hired him?" asked Fairbain, with a chuckle. "To think that all the time he has been here I've been fretting because I feared that you might learn to love him. And all that time you were married to him. I'm rather glad, my dear, that I made my second marriage by proxy, so long as you will make a home for Greg and the boy and me."

"I was so afraid that you would recognize Greg," said Martha as she regarded the tall figure of the secretary with a look of frank admiration.

"He assumed an excellent disguise," reminded Fairbain. "I never thought to find my son a worker, my dear. That's another thing I have to thank you for," and Fairbain sighed with relief. He had found a home while retaining his domestic independence, and the son for whom his heart cried out was restored to him again.

Changes in Boston.

In 1636 one of the suburbs of Boston was Newe Towne, which in 1638 was changed to Cambridge and as the seat of Harvard university has an international reputation today. Since the early lines were fixed Cambridge obtained by annexation a part of Charlestown, but has ceded land to the towns of Waltham, Brighton, Watertown, Belmont and West Cambridge, the latter now known as Arlington.

The Boston of 1630, called Tri-Mountain, was very different from the Boston of today. Its area was not extensive, although it included the larger portion of Quincy, out of which the town of Braintree was made at a later period. The first annexations to Boston were Noddles island (East Boston) and the territory now covered by Chelsea.

In 1640 Boston lost its rights in Quincy, which were acquired by the town of Braintree. Subsequent additions to Boston have been Roxbury, Dorchester, West Roxbury, Brighton, Charlestown and a part of Brookline.

As an independent municipality Charlestown, which was settled as early as Boston, gave birth to Somerville, Woburn, Malden, Stoneham and Mulford and furnished land to Cambridge.—Boston Post.

Value of the Architect.

The members of a country club, the building and decoration of whose clubhouse had been placed entirely in the hands of the architect, even to the minutest furnishings, found themselves in need of new window shades and a few other small household necessities Instead of buying the things themselves, they sent for the architect to come out and look things over and order appropriate fittings.

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South African Pooh-Bah.

Gen. Hertzog, one of the delegates to the South African conference which recently sat at Durban, is the Pooh-Bah of South African politics. He was one of the "bitter-enders" during the late war, fighting to the last, and is now become Attorney-General, Minister of Education and acting Commissioner of police in the Orange River Colony.

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HAVE OUTLINED THE PROGRAMME

Earl Grey Reads Speech From Throne at Ottawa.

HOUSE FORMALLY OPENED

Inauguration of Eleventh Dominion Parliament at Ottawa Proves to Be Brilliant Affair Despite Bad Weather—Speech Refers to Trade Improvement; U.S. Treaty and Quebec Tercentenary.

Ottawa, Jan. 22.—There was the usual display of militarism and feminine attractiveness at the formal opening of Parliament yesterday afternoon. "The Hill" attracted a great throng of spectators, the arrival of Earl Grey and Government House party, attended by a mounted escort, being witnessed by several thousand people who had not been favored with tickets of admission, while within the Senate chamber there was a brilliant assemblage of Supreme Court judges in ermine robes, staff officers, privy councillors and members of Parliament and Senators, with several hundred charmingly attired ladies who occupied the Senatorial chairs and galleries.

On the return of the Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, accompanied by Hon. Speaker Marcil and the members of the lower House, Earl Grey read the speech from the throne.

Sir Wilfrid then moved that the speech from the throne to taken up on Monday, some of the Ministers having expressed a desire to recess to-day.

"But why delay?" queried George E. Foster, and Sir Wilfrid acquiesced in the suggestion that the House get busy at once. Therefore the first business to-day is the address in reply, moved by Todd of Charlotte, N.B., and seconded by Turcotte of Quebec Centre.

When Sir Wilfrid moved the adjournment, R. L. Borden asked when the public accounts and Auditor-General's report would be brought down. The Premier said it was not customary to produce state documents before the consideration of His Excellency's speech, but since the Opposition leader desired it and Mr. Paterson had them ready, he had no objections.

Speech From the Throne.

The speech from the throne was as follows:

Hon. Gentlemen of the Senate:
Gentlemen of the House of Commons:

In welcoming you to the performance of your duties at the first session of a new Parliament, I desire to acknowledge with devout thankfulness the abundant harvest with which Divine Providence has again blessed us.

The Quebec Tercentenary festivities in July, which were honored by the gracious presence of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, as representing His Majesty, marked an epoch in the history of the Dominion. The generous support given to this national celebration by the Federal Parliament and Provincial Legislatures, and by the peoples of Canada, of the other dominions and of the United Kingdom, emphasized the community of sympathy which binds the various parts of the British Empire to each other, and to the throne and person of His Majesty the King. The presence of representatives from the United Kingdom, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, Newfoundland and from the great and friendly republics of France and the United States, with the ships of war of the three nations, served not only to add lustre to this occasion, but to provide an assurance of increasing amity and peace.

U.S.-Canadian Treaty.

I have much pleasure in announcing that a treaty relating to the great lakes and other international waterways has been agreed upon between His Majesty and the Government of the United States of America, and is now awaiting ratification. Both countries are to be congratulated on having arrived at an amicable settlement, which, I trust, will remove during the lifetime of the treaty many vexed questions from the field of controversy. The treaty and papers relating thereto will be laid before you in due course.

A little more than a year ago the whole civilized world entered into a period of commercial, industrial and financial depression, which may not yet have completely spent its force; signs there are, however, that it is gradually passing away. While it is hardly disputable, that owing to the abundance and elasticity of her resources, Canada has suffered less than other nations, this depression has seriously affected our trade, producing an appreciable shrinkage in the public revenue, and calling for exceptional caution in the administration of our national affairs.

The rapid settlement of the new provinces call for new lines of transportation. The construction of the trans-continental railway has been vigorously pressed forward during the last year. The line was open for the carrying of the crops from Winnipeg to the Battle River, a distance of 675 miles.

Hudson Bay Route.

Exploratory surveys for a railway from the Western wheat fields to Hudson Bay are being pushed energetically.

Four parties have been at work since August last. Upon the report it will be possible to reach a decision as to both the route to be followed and the approximate cost. The provisions of the Dominion Lands Act of last session, for the sale of preemptions and purchased homesteads, has created a new source of revenue, that will be sufficient to bear the cost of the railway to Hudson Bay without burdening the ordinary revenue.

From Sept. 1, when the Act came into force, until Jan. 1, sales of preemptions and purchased homesteads have amounted to over two million acres, all subject to homestead settlement conditions.

The total volume of immigration has not reached the high figure of previous years, but the number of those seeking homes on our unoccupied lands, has been fully maintained during the last season, and, owing to the ever closer supervision of the immigration branch of the public service, the character of these new inhabitants of Canada seems to be of the highest, and promises no small attention to the wealth of the country.

The Government of the United Kingdom having expressed its willingness to include a representative of Canada among its delegates to the conference held at Shanghai, to investigate the opium trade, my Government has been pleased to welcome an offer so significant of Canada's growing importance and on its recommendation the Government of the United Kingdom has accordingly appointed a member of the Dominion Parliament to be a member of the commission.

Representatives of Canada participated lately in the permanent establishment and organization of the International Institute of Agriculture, with its headquarters at Rome, an event of interest to our country, in whose economic system agriculture plays so great a part. It is gratifying to note that among the forty-eight states adhering to the Institute, recognition of Canada's agricultural importance was shown by election of our representatives to some of the highest offices of the institute.

The Sicilian Calamity.

The appalling calamity which has befallen Sicily and Southern Italy, and caused a total destruction of life and property absolutely unprecedented and unequalled in the long series of historic disasters, has induced my Government to offer assistance for the immediate relief of the hundreds of thousands of sufferers, who were helpless against famine and all its consequent horrors. I confidently hope you will approve its action.

In pursuance of an announcement made during the concluding session of last Parliament, a commission was appointed to examine the various lines of railway connected with the Intercolonial Railway, and which might become valuable feeders thereto. The report of this commission has been received and will be placed before you.

The commissioner appointed for investigating the conduct of officials in the Department of Marine and Fisheries has concluded his labor, but has not yet reported. His report, however, is expected at an early date, and when received will be placed in your hands.

A measure will be submitted to you, based upon similar legislation enacted in 1908 by the Parliament of the United Kingdom, aiming at the repression of the payment of secret commissions and gratuities both in public and private business.

You will be asked to consider measures relative to insurance, the civil service, immigration, naturalization and other subjects.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons:

The accounts of the last year will be laid before you. The estimates for the coming year will be submitted at an early date; they have been prepared with a due regard for economy consistent with the requirements of the public service.

Hon. Gentlemen of the Senate:
Gentlemen of the House of Commons:

I pray Divine Providence that it may guide your deliberations, and that they may tend to a further increase in the prosperity of our country and the well-being of our people.

To Be Dyspeptic Is To Be Miserable.

Dyspepsia is the prevailing malady of civilized life. It is largely due to gross errors in diet, over-eating, too free indulgence in stimulants and over-taxing the stomach with indigestible food, eating too rapidly without chewing the food sufficiently, indulging in hot biscuits, pastry, pickles, confectionery, etc.

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Greatest of Proposed Improvements Will Be New 150 Mile Road Joining Macleod and Calgary—Lacombe Tuxford Line to Be Added to Edmonton Alternative Line, According to Mr. Whyte.

Montreal, Jan. 22.—After a conference between Wm. Whyte and Sir Thomas Shaughnessy, the C.P.R. has decided to spend six millions in the west this year.

This will include 250 to 300 miles of new road, and docks at Fort William. The new line decided on is east of the present line from Macleod to Calgary, opening up the great wheat section of Alberta. It will join the Macleod-Calgary line near High River.

It is evident that the company intend to meet the railway policy of the Alberta Government and also head off to some extent the enterprises of the Grand Trunk Pacific.

In addition to the brief official statement handed out yesterday morning, Mr. Whyte stated last evening that the new lines, including those initiated last year, which will be proceeded with, will amount to between 250 and 300 miles of railway in the prairie regions.

The most important new feature in the program is the construction of a new line north of Lethbridge, running towards Calgary, but considerably east of the present line in Alberta, connecting Macleod and Calgary, and opening up a most important wheat belt hitherto without railways, directly traversing it and giving much desired connection to extensive settlement areas in the High River Valley.

North of the main line again there is another exceedingly fertile belt, which is to be traversed by a new line running north and south, forming a junction with the Tuxford Lacombe line, of which a large part is now built. This new line will join the Lacombe line at Alix. The portion of the Lacombe Tuxford line that is to be built this year is from Stettler to Ghost Line Creek, the section from Stettler to Lacombe having been already built. It will be an important step towards the completion of the line that crosses the prairies diagonally in a northwesterly direction from Moose Jaw.

This, in Mr. Whyte's opinion, expresses a very liberal policy as far as Alberta Province is concerned, and the company asks for no Government aid in its projects, either as subsidies or bond guarantees.

It is likely that the present summer will witness the completion of the line that provides the alternative route from the east to Edmonton. It has now been carried east from Wetaskawin, where it joins the Calgary and Edmonton line to Battle River, and the bridge over the Battle River has been completed. East of that there still remains a gap of 150 miles, which will be the object of this year's attentions.

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An authority once stated that pain in the back, loins or region of the kidneys is the danger signal nature hangs out to notify the sufferer that there is something wrong with the kidneys, which should receive immediate attention. Only vegetable treatment should be administered and absolutely no strongly alcoholic medicines, which are harmful to the kidneys and bladder.

The following prescription, while simple, harmless and inexpensive, is known and recognized as a sovereign remedy for kidney complaint. The ingredients can be obtained at any good prescription pharmacy and anyone can mix them: Compound Kargon, one ounce; Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Shake well in a bottle and take teaspoonful doses after each meal and at bedtime.

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This is worth trying and may prove just what many people here need.

For Government-Owned Elevators.

Ottawa, Jan. 22.—Dr. Schaffner, member for South Manitoba, will give notice of a motion in favor of Government ownership of grain elevators at Port Arthur and Fort William, and also of transfer elevators between those points and the Atlantic seaboard.

License Board Abolished.

Brantford, Jan. 22.—The Government has abolished the license board for South Brant and has given the duties of Inspector Markle to Inspector McCann of this city. Two license boards will act in place of three as formerly for this county.

BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

Wiarton wants a police chief to succeed Chief Hall, who is retiring, after 22 years.

It has been announced that the Manitoba Legislature will meet on Thursday, Feb. 4.

All efforts to form a new Servian Ministry have failed, and the Ministers, at the King's request and on assurance of his continued confidence, have consented to remain in office.

Shad will soon be extinct in Connecticut waters, according to the biennial report of the fish and game commissioners, just issued, unless there is a change for the better in conditions.

E. Kenyon Stowe, the English investor in Cobalt mining properties, was acquitted at Toronto by the jury after five minutes' deliberation in the sessions criminal court of the charge of perjury.

Miss Pauline Gilley of East Orange, N.J., received a purse valued at about $2,000, which she lost in Newark while shopping. Frank Sullivan, striking hatter, who returned it to her, said he picked it up on a sidewalk.

Fire destroyed Boese & Schmidt's general store, Richardson's harness shop and Webb & Burr's office store, at Vanda, Sask., yesterday. Most of the stock was saved except Richardson's, where the fire started.

The case against John F. Mills of Toronto, charged with defrauding C. Asher of Welland out of $1,500 in connection with the organization of a company to manufacture automobiles, after dragging along for several weeks, was dismissed.

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Fatal Fire at Quebec.

Quebec, Jan. 22.—In a fire yesterday morning which gutted the Beland Building and damaged Fashion Craft Building, on St. John street, Mrs. J. O. Filteau lost her life.

She was seen at the window of her room, but fell back into the flames. Three other women had narrow escapes.

The loss is about $40,000.

Four Drown In River.

Marine City, Mich., Jan. 22.—Four unknown men were drowned while crossing the St. Clair River on the ice from Port Lambton.

In the middle of the river one of the four was seen to break through the ice. The others attempted to rescue him and were pulled into the water and all four were drowned.

Local Optionists Charge Perjury.

St. Catharines, Jan. 22.—Charged with perjury in that he swore when challenged at Grimsby polling both that he had been a resident of Grimsby for three months prior to the election; "Cap" Doughty was arrested at Grimsby on the complaint of local optionists. Doughty had been challenged by a local option scrutineer.

For Government Ownership.

Brandon, Man., Jan. 22.—The best attended sitting of the Grain Growers' convention was held yesterday morning, when the adjourned debate on J. W. Scallion's resolution to endorse the principle of Government ownership of elevators, was resumed. The motion passed by a standing vote, with only seven dissentient delegates.

Thus does the greatest farmers' organization of the west commit itself irrevocably to a great principle of an experimental character.

New Industry In New York.

New Orleans, La., Jan. 22.—A car load of 75 babies was distributed in New Orleans yesterday. The precious freight came from the New York Foundling and Orphan Asylum. Scores of foster-parents were waiting at the station to lay claim to the little ones, for whom they had previously applied.

Roosevelt Is Alarmed.

Washington, Jan. 22.—The President talked cautiously with some of his Congressional visitors yesterday.

He said he thought nothing pending in Congress or any of the differences between himself and Congress were of half the importance of the Japanese-California question.

Caring For 200,000 Refugees.

Rome, Jan. 22.—The gravest problem which Italy now faces is that of providing for the 200,000 refugees made homeless by the recent earthquake, who are congregated in Naples or scattered throughout Calabria and Sicily. Their support is costing approximately $100,000 a day.

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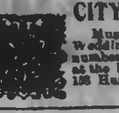

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RECENT PURCHASES ON THE MARKET

Pedigreed Boar Bought by P. C. Newhall —Other Prize Stock.

Among the recent prize stock seen on the market were a number of bulls which have been bought by Messrs. Morris and Brown from Mr. T. H. Graham and Mr. Robert Darling. They are for the export trade and will be shipped to Montreal. A heavy weight pedigreed Berkshire boar, weighing 413 pounds, was purchased by P.C. Newhall. The streaks of white are found down the centre of the head and on each of the fore feet.

INVITATION FOR THE PHOTOGRAPHERS

To the Editor of The Examiner:

Dear Sir:— Will you please allow me, through the columns of your valuable paper, to extend a cordial invitation to all amateur photographers in the County of Peterborough, to attend the meeting of the Peterborough Camera Club on Tuesday next, January 26th, at 8 p.m. A representative of the Eastman Kodak Co., of Toronto, is expected to be present to give a demonstration on the printing and development of Velox Papers, and the production of sepia tones on their papers. There will be no charge for this; it will be absolutely free. Only those who intend going are requested to be in their places at 7.55 p.m., as the meeting will commence at 8 p.m. The meeting will be held in the parlours of the Tate-Taylor Optical Co., 412 George street. All are welcome.

Yours respectfully,
N. A. HOWARD MOORE,
Sec.-Treas., P.C.C.

GOOD RESULTS.

Persistent effort always brings good results. A good many people will learn this when they find that they have won a large cash prize at the close of the Orange Meat Arguity Contest on May 31st next. The Orange Meat Company are offering an Annuity of fifty-two dollars for life or a cash prize of seven hundred dollars, besides several other large cash prizes, to the persons sending in the largest number of bottoms of Orange Meat boxes on or before the above date.

If you commence saving and collecting at once and keep it up until the close you will be surprised at the number you will have collected. For further particulars, see post cards in each package of Orange Meat or write Orange Meat, Kingston, Canada.

Attention is called to the Auction Sale of a very pretty and comfortable home south of Aberdeen Avenue and east of Aylmer Street, at present occupied by Mr. R. F. Ivey. It lies a little west of the New Normal School, where so many houses are now in course of erection. The house has a good cellar, large rooms, handsome grate and fire place, etc. Sale at Munro Hotel, 25th January, at 2 p.m.
6-3-w

BURNS' BIRTHDAY BANQUET.

Secretary Chambers, of the Burns' Birthday Celebration Committee, is quite jubilant over the sale of tickets. He is sanguine that it will be the most successful society event of the kind held in Peterborough. The toast list, speeches, musical programme and menu will contribute to make a most enthusiastic evening for all the admirers of the great Scottish bard.

Camp Clan Alpine, C. O. S., with its energetic president and officers are determined that their national poet's birthday shall be fittingly honoured in Peterborough this year.

Capacity Of Church Not Large Enough For Increased Membership

The annual meeting of the Murray Street Baptist Church was held last night in the basement of the church. This meeting was very largely attended by the heads of the different societies.

After devotional exercises, the minutes of the last meeting, which was held a year ago last night, were read. The pastor read his letter to the people and after that the reports of the different societies were listened to. The first one read was that of the clerk of the church, in his report was shown that the total membership of the church was 414. The second was that of the secretary which showed the receipts and expenditures of the past year, the receipts being $5,200 from all sources.

The report of the finance committee was next read and it was voted that this report be sent back to be revised. The fourth report was that of the Sunday School. This report made mention in grateful terms of the following teachers and officers, Mr. Dunlop, Mr. Elcome, Miss Louden and Miss Mary Garbutt, who had been present on Sundays during the past year. Nine scholars were also mentioned, Wilmot Browett, Helen Blade, Alice Hardwicke, Charlie Hardwicke, Amy Rathbone, Willie Hardwicke, Bena Hardwicke, who had attended 52 Sundays. Norman Brovet Morgan Cottingham, Walter Garbutt, Mildred Martin, May Stabler, Stanley Rathbone, Ethel Hardwicke and Bessie Elcome had attended 51 Sundays, and Doris Rathbone and Victor Bullied had attended 50 Sundays.

Special mention was made of Chas. Hardwicke who has been present every Sunday for eight years and Willie Hardwicke for five years.

The Mission Circle report for the past year showed an expenditure on account of missions of $256.10.

REV. J. R. WEBB,
Pastor of the Murray Street Baptist Church.

The report of the secretary of the Ladies' Aid Society was very encouraging, the treasurer's report showing an expenditure of $89.25 and receipts $167.73, leaving a balance of $79.48 to carry on the good work during the present year.

The report of the Willing Workers evidenced what an amount of good work was being done by this band of young ladies. The receipts of the Mission Band were $40.95 and the expenditures the same, also the report of the Baby Band was read; it was very short and was as follows—

Number on roll	34
Membership fees	$1.50
Foreign Missions	$1.50
Home Missions	1.50

The reports of the Boys Club, the Young People's Union, Music committee, the improvement Fund and the Fellowship Fund were read and adopted. After that the election of officers for the church took place and resulted as follows—

The two new deacons elected were Mr. R. Harding and Mr. P. White. These hold office for three years.

Church clerk—Mr. Downham.

Treasurer — Mr. T. F. Matthews, was elected again to hold office, having already been treasurer for twelve years.

Finance Com.—Mr. Geo. Cochrane, Mr. V. Eastwood, Jas. Montgomery, R. Harding and Porter White.

Fin. Sec.—Mr. W. Aldridge.

Ushers—Messrs. R. Harding, Geo. Cochrane, Harry Blade, Wilfred Shiner.

Charity board representative.—W. Aldridge.

Treasurer of Fellowship Fund—D. Scott.

Music Com.—F. Matthews, Mr. Routley, Mrs. Hunter, Mrs. Ellis, Miss Webber.

Asst. clerk of church—Mr. Harding.

Baptism Com.—Mrs. Cottingham, Mrs. Pringle, Mrs. Ellis, Mrs. Martin.

When this work was accomplished the following resolution was unanimously carried.

Whereas we have thankfully recognized the fact our church membership is increasing year by year, until the actual membership is now greater than the seating capacity of the building and that our Sunday School has grown to such a number as can not be assembled in our school room with any degree of comfort or efficiency—be it resolved that the church be requested to meet on Tuesday, evening Feb. 2nd, to consider the whole matter of accommodation both for our congregation and Sunday school.—Unanimously carried.

After this the question of the choir wearing gowns was carried and the Uprocuring mortar board hats was left in the hands of the music committee.

A vote of thanks was extended the choir and their leader for their work during the past year.

It was also mentioned that the pastor's salary was increased from $1200 to $1500 per year.

The meeting then adjourned.

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Erie	31⅛	31½
Great Northern	144⅛	144
L.N.	128⅝	128½
Mo. Pac.	71¼	71¼
Northern Pacific	141½	140⅞
N.Y.C.	130¼	129⅝
Penna	133⅝	133½
R.I.	24½	24⅜
Rdg.	138	137⅝
Smelters	87	86¼
Soo	146	145
St. Paul	149⅜	149½
S.P	121¼	120½
U.P.	181½	179⅞
U.S.	54⅞	54
U.S. pf'd.	114½	114½
Twin City	100⅜	100⅜
Wabash	10½	10½
May-Wheat	107½	107⅜
" Corn	62½	62½
May Oats	52	52
" Pork	17.27	17.15

"WALTER G" TOOK THREE IN A ROW

Successful Races Held at Hastings Yesterday—Peterboro Horses Get Show

Hastings, Jan. 22—The annual meeting of the Hastings Winter Racing Association commenced yesterday under favourable weather conditions. The races were held on Coughlan's track, which was in good condition. The following is the result of yesterday's races:—

Named race, purse $75.

Little Bob, D. Falconer, Foxboro	1	1	2	1
Lady Tariff, C. Fife, Keene	3	3	1	2
Harklin, Nicholls, Lakefield	2	2	4	4
Lillie Canteen, L. Ketchenon, Belleville	4	5	5	6
Louella, M. Storey, Peterboro	5	6	6	5
Little Mark, L. Stinson, Hastings	6	4	3	dr

2.20 class, purse $125.

Walter G., T. Hodgins, Peterborough	1	1	1	
Bourbon Brooke, W. Elmhirst, Keene	2	2	2	
Patterson, Storey & Jones, Peterborough	4	3	3	
Holland Boy, Dr. Leach, Peterborough	3	4	4	

Mr. Peake, of Campbellford acted as starter.

There were no scheduled games played last night, but three rinks turned out and played a friendly game. The score was as follows:

Medd, 11; Kenner, 12.
D. Hall, 6; Dr. Greer, 9.
Marrow, 15; Neal, 14.

PETERBORO' CURLERS LOST IN THE FINALS

Were Defeated Yesterday Afternoon by Scarboro Maple Leafs.

Peterborough's curlers returned from the Tankard competition in Group No. 5, in Toronto, having been defeated in the final by the Scarboro Maple Leafs. A despatch says:

Though the temperature was several degrees above the frost line yesterday, the curlers engaged in the Ontario Tankard primaries in groups 1 and 5 decided to go as far as they could, even with soft ice. Consequently, the final in group 5 was played at the Granite Rink, and the Scarboro Maple Leafs will come to town as the group representatives when the Tankard finals are played next month. The Leafs got their stones on the ice, which was easier to say than do, and both rinks were always in the lead against Peterborough.

The score:

Scarboro M.L.'s.	Peterborough.
Heather Thompson	Dr. Wightman
A Doherty	W J Thompson
A Patterson	D Davidson
W G Rennie, sk.25	J H Connal, sk.14
C Mason	R Carton
W Walton	G L Hey
G Chester	S1 Medd
H Thompson, sk.23	S Ray, sk.6

Majority for Scarboro Maple Leafs, 28 shots.

WEDDING BELLS

TELFORD—METCALFE

A pretty wedding was quietly solemnized at the residence of Mr. Robt. Telford in Smith township on Wednesday afternoon at 4.30 o'clock, when his daughter Miss Jessie May Telford was united in marriage to Mr. George Metcalfe of East City. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. G. Potter of St. Andrew's church.

The young couple were unattended and the wedding was a quiet one, although the many handsome gifts that were received testified to the great popularity of the young couple. Mr. and Mrs. Metcalfe left after the ceremony for their home in East City.

OBITUARY.

EDWARD GREEN

News has just reached us of the death of Mr. Edward Green, at Bosworth, Wellington County, at the age of seventy-five, after an illness of a few months. Mr. Green was born in the County of Durham and left Cavan Township for what was known as the Green Rush fifty-nine years ago. He was well known to many of the older settlers in this city, having farmed close to the outskirts. He leaves one nephew and one niece, who both went to the funeral, which was held to Victoria Cemetery, Drayton. They are Mr. G. Walter Green of this town, and Mrs. Bray, of Garden Hill.

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"RATEPAYER" WRITES ON POWER QUESTION

Discusses the Problem in Connection with the Securing of Industries

To the Editor of the Examiner,—

Dear Sir,—I read with considerable interest the forecast of the industrial city council campaign for the boosting of industries in Peterborough. This is certainly a step in the right direction. But first of all we must begin at the right place, and that is the price at which we can obtain horse power. When it comes to a quotation of $18 or $20 per horse power, our goods are too high a price, and thus we are not in the market. Cheaper light and cheaper power is one of the greatest panaceas for the people of Peterborough. Give us horse power at the right price and there will be no need to create the office of Industrial Promoter or Commissioner for industries and tax the people for the payment of the same. Give us power at $10 or $12 per horse power and there will be found a number of men in Peterborough who will take hold of locating industries in this city without asking the ratepayers' assistance. If there is money to be paid for the locating of industries in Peterborough let the same be paid to any person who has the ability to locate industries here on a certain basis.

As regards the tabulation of option prices on factory sites, it should have a tendency to keep down the balloon prices that are sometimes asked for pieces of land, when the owner thinks there is a big chance of a sale, providing the council would not tabulate any piece of land above its normal or taxable assessment value.

RATEPAYER.

Peterborough, Jan. 22, 1909

STRATTON'S

Biggest Tumble in Prices for the Year

You can count on something extraordinary during the January Reduction Sale at the Peterborough Bookstore.

These are Bargain Days which come naturally with the clearing up of Odd Lots, etc. Unusually big snaps await you, as will be seen by this list:—

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Fine quality Note Paper, linen cloth finish, correct society shape, regular 50c. Sale price 33c
Envelopes to match, packages of 25 Sale price.. 7c

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With spring runners. Sale prices—50c for..... 40c
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All newest shapes, perfect goods and all sizes to choose from. Regular $1.35, sale price $1.00
Regular $2.00, sale price..... $1.50
Regular $2.50, sale price..... 1.88

Books

For Sunday School and Day School Libraries—33⅓c to 50c off published price.

1,000 English Copyright Novels, with bright lithograph covers, in colours, regular 20c. Sale price..... 12½c

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Either paper them now, or buy the papers now. Stock-taking is in sight and prices are cut away down for quick selling.

650 Rolls Brown Papers, in stripe and floral, or plain and other bedroom effects, regular up to 20c. Sale price..... 6c

520 Rolls Parlour and Dining Room Papers, in Reds, Greens, Blues, etc., regular up to 50c. Sale price 15c

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Clean-up of broken lots and lines at big loss in Window Blinds and Cornice Poles:—

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SONS OF ENGLAND BANQUET

25th Anniversary of the Opening of Lodge Lansdowne Celebrated—A Large Number Present

The banquet and entertainment held in the S. O. E. Hall last evening to commemorate the twenty-fifth anniversary of the establishment of the order in Peterborough, was in all respects an unqualified success. The tables, most tastefully arranged, decorated with flowers and loaded with the choicest delicacies that Mr. Hooper could provide, presented a pleasing picture which was, no doubt, appreciated by all. Flags and festoons covered the walls. About one hundred guests enjoyed the banquet and the subsequent concert, amongst them being many of the fair sex, who added not a little to the pleasure of the evening, by gracing the proceedings with their presence. Too much praise cannot be accorded to the committee who had the arrangements for the banquet and concert in charge, for to them the success of the evening was largely due, viz., Messrs. S. A. Oke, Taylor, Wood, Wareham, W. Skinner and Harry Long.

At the conclusion of the repast the guests moved to the lodge room to listen to the excellent and diversified programme provided for them by the committee in charge. Mr. E. A. Peck, the chairman of the evening, a former officer of the lodge, opened the proceedings with a short speech, in which he sketched the history of the formation of the lodge in Peterborough. On August 12th, 1883, Lodge Lansdowne had been started, the number of charter members being twelve. The changes that had been wrought in the succeeding years had been many, but whilst only one of the original twelve members, viz., Bro. Henry Manley, was now living, he was glad to state that several of those who had joined shortly afterwards were still moving amongst them, hale and hearty, and doing good service for the order. Amongst them were the well known figures of Bros. Tivey, Gunn and Taylor.

Lodge Lansdowne had well justified its existence. It had not only helped many a lonely young Englishman to the enjoyment of the benefits accruing from membership in the order, but had proved of vast service in keeping them united in bonds of brotherhood with their kinsmen beyond the sea. The lodge membership now numbers 97, and although thousands of dollars had been paid out of the funds of the lodge towards the payment of sick dues, there was a substantial balance at the bank, and the lodge was prosperous.

Mr. Peck's speech was greeted with hearty cheers.

Following is the programme:

Opening remarks from chairman.
Instrumental solo—Mrs. Greenslade.
Duet—"The Battle," etc., Mr. King and Mr. Greenslade.
Recitation—Mr. Johns.
Banjo solo—Mr. F. Clark.
Solo—"For the King," Mr. Greenslade.
Recitation—"Leg o' Mutton," Mr. Tivey.
Solo—"Clang of the Hammer," Mr. King.
Reading—Mr. Johns.
Solo—"Long Live the King," Mr. King.
God Save the King.

The list of Masters of the Lodge since its inception is appended herewith:

1884—A. G. Compigne.
1885—Thos. Gunn, D.D.
1886—W. Brundrette, D.D.
1887—I. Richardson.
1888—R. Tivey.
1889—F. Mitchell.
1890—R. Waram, D.D.
1891—R. Waram, D.D.
1892—W. Saxby, D.D.
1893—T. H. Martin, D.D.
1894—G. Carpenter.
1895—D. Curtis, D.D.
1896—E. A. Peck, D.D.
1897—Dr. Pidgeon.
1898—T. J. Stenton.
1899—T. J. Stenton.
1900—J. E. Downing.
1901—J. E. Downing.
1902—Frank Turner.
1903—J. J. Turner, Jr.
1904—H. L. Reid, D.D.
1905—F. Kitney, D.D.
1906—F. Kitney, D.D.
1907—Dr. T. W. H. Young.
1908—Robt. Bunton.

Bro. Wm. Taylor has been First Committeeman of the lodge for twenty-five years, and Bro. Caveney Outside Guard for twenty-one years.

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Y.M.C.A. JUNIOR BOYS' CONCERT

Enjoyable Affair Last Night—Good Programme of Apparatus Work and Burlesque Events.

A LARGE ATTENDANCE.

A large number of the friends of the boys of the Y.M.C.A. were present at their exhibition in the gymnasium last night. The programme had been well arranged and there were no dull moments. It combined very creditable apparatus and formation work, with burlesques such as the ladies' (?) walking match which were great mirth producers. The boys, in their regular gym. work, demonstrated careful training and a physical condition that always attracts the admiration of an audience. Mr. Collings has brought the juniors to a stage of proficiency that won many complements last night, and if the boys continue their work they should be well fitted to meet the demands which entrance into business life will make.

The Business Boys defeated the School Boys in the ball hustle and the obstacle race, both of which were warmly contested. The latter particularly held the interest of the audience until the last lap had been completed. The pillow fight was well put on and proved a very amusing affair, the blind efforts of the boys to land bag each other with pillows caused many a laugh. The sack basketball race was also a laughter provoker, and the whole programme was a credit to the boys and to those who arranged it.

Mr. Collings looked after the boys on the floor and kept the different events moving rapidly with the result that there were no delays.

The following programme was presented:—

Running Formations — Junior School Boys.
Ball Hustle — Business Boys vs. Junior School Boys.
Blindman's Pillow Fight.
Dumbbell Drill — Business Boys.
Obstacle Race — Business Boys vs. School Boys.
Ladies' Half Mile Walking Race.
Apparatus Work — Collegiate Boys.
Potato Race — (Heats).
Sack Basketball — (First Half).
Potato Race — (Finals).
Sack Basketball — (Second Half).

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The Canadian Courier prints on its first page, accompanied by a portrait of "E. R. Wood, Vice-Pres., Dominion Securities Corporation," the following reference to a former well known resident of Peterborough:

When Mr. George A. Cox, now Senator, began his business activities in Peterborough he discovered Mr. Edward Rogers Wood. Mr. Wood was a telegraph operator as Mr. Cox had been and that probably supplied the bond. To-day, it would be difficult to say which is the greater man, since both are distinguished. Senator Cox has, however, the years and the honour of a long record. For a young man, Mr. Wood has made remarkable strides. The story of his success would make a business romance of unusual interest. The son of an Irish schoolmaster, a former G.N.W. operator, is now manager of the Central Canada Loan Company, and the Dominion Securities Corporation, besides being director of the Bank of Commerce, Canada Life, Sao Paulo, Mexican Power, Crow's Nest Coal, and National Trust Company. It was a great climb up the ladder for the Peterborough youth, but he is still active, still smiling-faced, still courteous and calm under all circumstances. He is the Canadian authority on "bonds," a subject which is discussed on another page in this issue.

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LAKEFIELD'S FINANCES REVIEWED BY EX-REEVE

Mr. F. J. Moore Writes in Regard to Some Criticisms Made by Mr. Kidd

The following letter was handed to the Examiner last Saturday too late for that day's issue. It was overlooked and did not appear as was intended on Monday 19th.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

Dear Sir—It is rather out of my line to enter the field of newspaper discussion, as I have neither the time nor the disposition to do so, and my excuse for now troubling you is to be found in the false statements and misrepresentations made by some of those seeking the suffrages of the electors in our recent municipal elections, and especially the statements made by Mr. Kidd in the town hall on the night of the elections.

I understood that Mr. Kidd stated that the council of 1908 collected some $1600 more taxes than previous councils, and by imputation at least conveyed the idea that the council had in some mysterious way filched or squandered the money and that it could not be properly accounted for, but, that he had made the discovery that $500 to $800 of that money had been put away under Moore's mill in the form of a town pump, and that the expenditure was not in the interests of the town, and that this with the council's general financial mismanagement of a like nature was largely the reason why the electors had selected him as their Reeve for 1909. Mr. Kidd knows well that it was the Temperance people alone who elected him and he gives them scant credit for placing him in the lead.

Now Mr. Editor, I am not going to dispute the eminent executive and financial ability of Mr. Kidd. That is well known, but, I think that a man of his pretentions, should at least take reasonable precautions to acquaint himself with the facts before he presumes to impugn either the motives or actions of his fellow citizens.

It was very much against the wishes of the council that our printed financial statement for 1908 was not in the hands of the ratepayers before the close of the year but the reason for its delay was entirely beyond the council's control, but, statements of all receipts and expenditures were offered to and were easily within the reach of any one who wished to become acquainted with them, so that there was no excuse for anyone to make mis-statements or go on a mission of discovery to find the facts.

One year ago when our planing mill was burned, the town pump with its piping etc., was burned with it, and last spring when we rebuilt, we concluded to install a pump of our own and for that purpose I bought from the Dickson Co a very powerful pump which had been little used for $125. Mr Green offered me $450 for it. I could thus have made a clear cash profit of $325 on the transaction but we needed a pump and I concluded to keep it.

The council meanwhile came to the conclusion that the village ought to own the pump so that it might be available for fire protection as well as for supplying the water tank, and notwithstanding the offer of Mr Green and his further statement that if I bought a similar new pump from him, he would charge me $1000 for it I handed it over to the village for $334.32 which was exactly what the pump and its overhauling and equipment and installing cost me. But this price is amazingly short of the $800 which seems to have so disturbed the mental equilibrium of our financial critic, who in spite of these facts seemed to wish to convey the idea that the council of 1908 had buried some $800 of the taxpayers money under Moore's mill for the benefit of that firm.

I have been honoured with the confidence of the ratepayers as their representative in the council for upward of 20 years and although I have not always been able to see eye to eye with my fellow councillors, I have invariably acted in what I conceived to be the best interests of the Municipality and I challenge Mr. Kidd or anyone else to show to the contrary.

I may also be allowed to point out that as a result of this transaction a double line of hose may now be attached to the hydrant installed at the water tank, each throwing a stream equal to the fire engine at its best and without the delay of firing up, and if a similar hydrant were place at Mr. Casement's corner or at the turn of Queen street the same thing could be done there, and with 2600 feet of hose available and our fire brigade in good working order the village would enjoy a fire protection which it has never yet known, and would be able to obtain a substantial reduction in their fire rates, and this was one of the objects the council had in view.

If the village or council is not satisfied with the bargain I shall gladly pay them what the pump and its installing and equipment cost them and at once resume tax ownership.

In regard further to this $1,600.00 which our would-be Critic claims has disappeared except "on paper," you will have observed that the financial statement of 1907 shows a balance on hand of $124.81, but when we assumed office $we had to pay the County rate of 1907 amounting to ....$ 753.06
also accounts due to 1907 amounting to 50.00

making 803.05
From this deduct the balance on hand 124.81

and we find a deficit from 1907 which we had to pay off 678.24
To this add discount on Debentures sold 422.75
Shortage in Sinking Fund to meet Debenture By-Law No. 145 ..... 1,469.33
Lawsuit of previous Council re Regent street vs. Baptie 115.00
Excess of School Taxes in 1908 over 1907 .... 162.00
Excess in Debenture Rate of 1908 over 1907 .... 77.78

This makes an unusual expenditure of $2,925.10
over which we had no control, and if to this we add pump ... 334.32
Hydrant, piping, etc. 167.86
New hose 247.66

This makes an unusual expenditure of $3,664.94

and this is not all, but is sufficient to show that the extra collection of $1,600 taxes over 1907 will go but a short way towards paying the uncontrollable expenditures of 1908.

And while our financial condition is better to-day than it has been for years, yet with a debenture debt of over $26,-000.00 to be provided for, with accruing interest year by year, our Council will do well to not ignore those annual expenditures "on paper" unless they purpose to largely increase our taxes.

The financial statement is now out and every rate-payer is entitled to a copy and may receive one by calling at the office of the Clerk.

Yours respectfully,
F. J. MOORE,
ex-Reeve.

"A MAN AND HIS MATE"

Miss Hilda Spong Will be Seen at the Grand Wednesday, Jan. 27, in "A Man and His Mate."

Hilda Spong, in "A Man and His Mate," briefly portrays how a strong minded, brilliant, educated woman may be changed from a being all mind and lacking in sentiment and passion, to one who has thrown her mental balance and judgment to the four winds of heaven, and becomes a loving, passionate, clinging savage. In modern plays the ordinary method of regeneration is by elevating the principal character, but here Mr. Durant has idealized a cold woman, an exotic, if you please, reduced to the level of the primitive woman, whose character is not tainted in the transition and made withal more lovable, more human. The plot is vivid, the situations of the second and third act thrillingly realistic.

Miss Hilda Spong, one of our most brilliant actresses, plays the principal female role. Miss Spong has a personality that makes immediate conquest, rich temperamental force, graceful carriage, refined womanliness, and infusing and over-topping all, an unmistakable atmosphere of intelligence. Of the two and one-half hours required to produce the play, Miss Spong is upon the stage almost every minute, and she plays Betty Brackenridge magnificently. Her comedy scenes are delightful, and in the second and third acts, that demand wild outbursts of rage and scorn, she is superb. This is a distinct revelation to theatre-goers, who will recall her beautiful work in the Pinero, Jones and Esmond English comedies with the Daniel Frohman players. Miss Spong's work in the last two acts alone should make of "A Man and His Mate" a success.

Miss Spong and her very capable company opens at the Grand Opera House Peterborough, Wednesday, January 27th, for one night's engagement, and as herself and her new play have attracted large and delighted audiences elsewhere, it is but reasonable to look for a like result here.

THE FEBRUARY ROD AND GUN.

Varied in its contents, but redolent throughout of the many delights of the Canadian winter, the February number of "Rod and Gun and Motor Sports in Canada," published by W. J. Taylor, Woodstock, Ont., brings with it the breeziness attached to this particular season of the year. The record of a fine snowshoe tramp, an Indian tale of a moose race on the ice, the story of a winter in Northern Ontario and an article on Snow Blindness by Martin Hunter, an ex-Hudson Bay Factor, show how many sided are the beauties of the Canadian winter and how thoroughly the inhabitants of the Dominion appreciate and enjoy them. A fine Illustrated account of the Qualification Climb of Mount Hermit, in connection with the last meeting of the Alpine Club of Canada, is contributed by D. B. Taylor, who has been touring the West as a representative of the Magazine since that event. It is evident from this article that the spirit of the mountains seized the writer and made him an enthusiast. One of the best papers written by Mr. Bonnycastle Dale, "Chief Canim Tikope of the Skagits," with the author's illustrations, tells of an old Indian Chief out in Vancouver Island, who makes canoes with primitive tools and disposes of them at unheard-of prices. Notes on the last deer season, a couple of grave indictments against the alleged inefficiency of the Ontario Fish and Game Department, one of the Rev. A. Murdoch's capital hunting stories, Some Old Time Reminiscences of Old Ontario, intensely interesting as telling of pioneer days, and stories of camping and fishing trips, are some of the further papers making up a number strong in every department of outdoor life with which the magazine deals. It is Canadian throughout, imbued with the spirit of the Dominion, and all good.

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In Striking Statement U.S. Labor Leaders Sentenced for Disobeying Injunction in Bucks' Stove Case Declare That Clemency Would Upset Whole Result of Their Struggle in Labor Interests.

Washington, Jan. 23.—"We have not asked, and will not ask, for clemency, and we hope our friends will not urge us to pursue such a course. Loving liberty as free men do—as we do—it cannot be difficult to appreciate what incarceration in a prison would mean to us.

"To ask pardon would render useless all the trial and sacrifice which our men of labor and our friends in all walks of life have endured, that the rights and liberties of our people might be restored.

"Such a pardon would only leave the whole case in confusion and it would have to be fought over again from the beginning."

This is some of the language used in a remarkable statement signed by Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison in the current number of The American Federationist, in formal protest against the action of Justice Wright in sentencing them to imprisonment for contempt of court in the Bucks Stove and Range case.

PROFESSOR DIES SUDDENLY.

Rev. Prof. Mackenzie of Presbyterian College, Montreal, Is Dead.

Montreal, Jan. 23.—The collegiate community was shocked yesterday afternoon to learn of the sudden death of Rev. Prof. Mackenzie of the Presbyterian College. He was 46 years of age and a native of Lucknow, Ont.

He died soon after entering his room at the college following the lunch hour. Deceased was to have officiated this evening at the induction of the Rev. Mr. Dickey, pastor of Crescent Church.

He leaves a wife, four daughters and a son.

Quebec Cabinet Changes.

Montreal, Jan. 22.—Jeremie Decarie, M.P.P. for Hochelaga, was sworn in yesterday as Minister of Agriculture, replacing Hon. Jules Allard who takes the Lands and Forest Department.

Hon. R. Roy, Provincial Secretary, will be appointed to the bench and will be replaced by Dr. L. J. Lemieux, M.P.P. for Gaspe, and brother of the Postmaster-General. Dr. Pelletier, M.P.P. for Sherbrooke, will be Speaker of the Assembly, and it is again stated that Achille Bergevin, ex-M.P.P. for Beauharnois, will be appointed to the Legislative Council.

Are Farmers Slovenly?

London, Jan. 23.—T. C. Martin, editor of The Dundee Advertiser, a member of the commission which visited the Dominion in 1908, addressing the Farmers' Club at Dundee, said that in Canada cultivation was by no means perfect, and there was a good deal of slovenly work allowed. Weeds were abundant.

Another impression he formed was that Canada was going to be a sober nation. He did not remember one banquet of the many he attended at which alcoholic liquors appeared.

Woman Lawyer to Defend Murderer.

New York, Jan. 22.—If Miss Mary Coleman, a lawyer, can convince Judge Tompkins that her client, J. B. de Tierre, an inmate of the Matteawan Asylum, is sane, she probably will be the first woman in the United States to defend a man accused of murder. De Tierre has written a book of aphorisms, which Miss Coleman thinks should convince the court of her client's sanity.

De Tierre was accused of shooting his brother to death in 1902.

Huge Land Grant Opened.

Denver, Col., Jan. 22.—The Sangre de Christo land grant, one of the oldest made by the Mexican Government, has been thrown open to settlers after having been in the possession of the Costilla family for more than a century and a half. It comprises 600,000 acres and was ceded by the Government of Mexico to the head of the Costilla family before the territory was acquired by the United States.

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MR. SLOAN RESIGNS.

Comox-Atlin Number Gives Up His Seat In Commons.

Ottawa, Jan. 23.—William Sloan, M.P. for Comox-Atlin, B.C., has placed his resignation in the hands of Speaker Marcil, and announcement of the fact will be made on the opening of Parliament to-day.

Mr. Sloan makes way for Hon. William Templeman, who was defeated in Victoria. The election will be held early in March. It is unlikely that there will be any opposition to Mr. Templeman, though no one can tell what may happen in British Columbia.

Mr. Sloan said last night that he had resigned "for the good of British Columbia."

Profit on Coinage.

Ottawa, Jan. 22.—The public accounts for the fiscal year ended March 31 last year, were presented yesterday to Parliament.

Receipts on account of consolidated fund were $66,064,505; expenditures $76,641,451. Expenditures chargeable to capital totalled $30,429,906, while other expenditures were for railway subsidies $2,037,029; for bounties $2,787,354. The net debt was $277,900,859, an increase of $14,288,998.

The year ended March 31, the Government made a profit of $294,288 upon its silver coinage, and $4,411 upon its copper coinage.

Masonry in Canada.

London, Jan. 22.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—Lieutenant-Governor Fraser planted two Canadian maple trees in the public park at Peebles. Referring to the honorary membership conferred on him by Kilwinney Lodge, he said they thought a great deal of Masonry in Canada.

Introduced by a Scotsman, it now extended all over Canada. In every town, village and hamlet there were to be found brethren practicing the principles of the order in deed as well as word.

Cannot Decide.

London, Jan. 23.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—At Cape Town, the union convention surmounted every difficulty except that of location of the capital. Cape Town and Pretoria are contestants for the honor. Cape Colony has 12 votes, Transvaal 8, Natal and Orangia 5 each. Natal favors Pretoria, but Orangia is hopeful that Bloemfontein may be chosen. As a compromise is doubtful, the position is delicate, as without a capital the people of the Transvaal may not accept union.

Washington as a Mason.

Fredericksburg, Va., Jan. 22.—The Fredericksburg Lodge of Mason, which possesses the Bible on which Washington was initiated, passed and raised, and also the records showing when he was given his degree in that lodge, has been somewhat annoyed recently by a story which was given wide publicity to the effect that the lodge of Antiquity of Montreal, Canada, is the possessor of the Bible on which Washington was obligated as a Mason.

Let Corporations Vote.

Montreal, Jan. 22.—The civic legislation committee of the City Council will, at the next session of the Legislature, recommend that the charter be so amended as to allow corporations to vote in civic affairs.

The desire is that all corporate bodies represented by their president, shall be allowed to vote in all wards where the corporation pays taxes.

Big Elevator at Fort William.

Fort William, Jan. 22.—The Western Elevator Co., represented by Mr. Read, late president of the Consolidated Elevator Co., has asked the city for exemption from taxation for a period of ten years on an elevator they intend to construct here early this year. The request was granted and a bylaw will be submitted.

To Stop California Racing.

Sacramento, Cal., Jan. 23.—The Walker-Otis Race Track Bill passed the House yesterday by a vote of 21 to 10. A motion to reconsider was made, which delays the sending of the bill to the Senate, where the real test on the bill will occur. The measure is similar to the New York law.

Prisoner's Break For Liberty.

Canton, Ohio, Jan. 22.—Frederick Hodgkin, arrested for attempted burglary, jumped from a window in the court-room and landed in the street below, a distance of 20 feet. Detective Patterson fired several shots, but none took effect. Hodgkin was traced to a church three blocks away and caught.

Farmer Cuts Throat.

Guelph, Jan. 22.—David McMillan, aged 58, a well-known farmer of Erin Township, committed suicide by cutting his throat yesterday. He had been confined in the Guelph Sanitorium for several weeks.

Jap Consul Recalled.

Ottawa, Jan. 22.—Seizuburo Shimizu, Japanese consul-general for Canada, has been recalled by his Government to take over an important post in the Japanese Foreign Office at Tokio.

Will Not Recognize U.M.W.

Glace Bay, N.S., Jan. 22.—The Dominion Coal Co. will not recognize the United Mine Workers of America, which some lodges of the P.W.A. have gone over to.

MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool and Chicago Wheat Futures Close Lower—Live Stock—Latest Quotations.

Thursday Evening, Jan. 21.

Liverpool wheat futures closed ½d lower than yesterday, and corn closed ½d higher.

At Chicago May wheat closed ½c lower than yesterday; May corn closed ⅝c higher, and oats closed ¼c higher.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—January $1.09⅛ bid, July $1.03 asked, May $1.02 bid.

Oats—January 37⅛c bid, May 41c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	0 95	to $....
Wheat, red, bush	0 95	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 91	....
Rye, bush	0 80	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 55	....
Peas, bushel	0 85	....
Barley, bushel	0 53	....
Oats, bushel	0 45	....

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 26
Butter, store lots	0 23	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 28	0 29
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 30	0 35
Eggs, cold storage	0 22	0 27
Cheese, large, lb	0 12½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 21.—Closing.—Wheat—Spot, easy; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 10d; futures quiet; March, 7s 7½d; May, 7s 6¾d; July, 7s 7d.

Corn—Spot, steady; new American mixed, via Galveston, 5s 4½d; futures quiet; March, 5s 3½d; May, 5s 3¼d.

Bacon—Short rib, strong, 46s; clear bellies, quiet, 51s; shoulders, square, firm, 38s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, steady, 49s 6d; American refined, in pails, steady, 50s 3d.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Butter—Easy; unchanged; receipts, 3837.

Cheese—Firm; unchanged; receipts, 423.

Eggs—Steadier; receipts, 3673; state, Pennsylvania and near-by brown and mixed, fancy, 31c to 32c; fair to choice, 29c to 30c; western first, 30c to 29½c; seconds, 28c to 28½c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Unchanged—Hogs 5c to 10c Lower at Buffalo and Chicago.

LONDON, Jan. 21.—London cables for cattle are steady, at 12c to 13½c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10½c to 10¾c per lb.

Toronto Live Stock.

TORONTO, Jan. 21.—Receipts of live stock at the City Market, as reported by the railways for Wednesday and Thursday, were 147 carloads, consisting of 2149 cattle, 3021 hogs, 1777 sheep and lambs, 115 calves and 8 horses.

Exporters.

Export steers, of which there were very few on sale, and scarcely any of heavy weights, sold at $5 to $5.40, and one sale was reported at $5.50. Prime quality steers were in demand, and more of them would have found ready sale. Dealers report some available space on the boats for next week, and it looks like a fairly good demand for shipping cattle of the right kind at Monday's market at the Union Stock Yards. Export bulls sold from $3.75 to $4.75, and $5 per cwt. for one or two of extra quality.

Butchers.

Prime picked cattle, steers and heifers, sold at $4.80 to $5 per cwt., but they were scarce, probably not more than a carload out of the 2149 cattle on sale; loads of good, $4.40 to $4.60; medium, $3.75 to $4.25; common, $3.50 to $3.65; cows, $2.50 to $4.25; canners, $1.75 to $2.25.

Feeders and Stockers.

H. & W. Murby report a fairly brisk trade this week in feeders, and the large receipts made it easier to buy steers which otherwise would have been used up by the butchers. The above firm bought about 200 head, but were open for many more. Steers from 800 lbs. up seem to be most in demand, and prices will remain steady to strong for anything with quality. Below are quotations: Best feeders, 900 to 1000 lbs. each, at $3.80 to $4.25; best stockers, 700 to 900 lbs. each, at $3.40 to $3.80; medium stockers, 600 to 800 lbs. each, at $3 to $3.40. There is some enquiry for short-keeps, but the demand for exporters has put this class out of reach of the ordinary buyers.

Milkers and Springers.

Fair deliveries of milkers and springers met a moderately good demand. A Montreal buyer was on the market, which helped to steady it up, otherwise there would have been some drovers lose some more money. Prices were about steady at $30 to $55 each, with four or five at $60.

Veal Calves.

About 100 calves found ready sale, as there is a good demand for them at firm prices. Prices ranged from $3 to $7 per cwt., with a prime new milk-fed vealer worth a little more. But there are few of the latter class coming on the market these days, as farmers prefer to sell the milk or make it into butter.

Sheep and Lambs.

There was a moderate delivery of sheep and lambs for the two days, 1777 all told. Sheep sold at $4 to $4.50 for ewes, and $3 to $3.50 for rams; lambs, $5.50 to $6 for the bulk of offerings, and a little more was paid for a few selected ewes and wethers.

Hogs.

Mr. Harris reported selects fed and watered at $5.50 at the market and $6.25 for lights. Prices seem to be higher at many points in Ontario, as many of the drovers reported having paid $6.25 to the farmers, and having received $6.35 to $6.40 f.o.b. cars at country points.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Jan. 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 100 head; dull; prime steers, $6.25 to $6.50.

Veals—Receipts, 5100 head; fairly active and 5c to 10c lower; $3 to $6.75; mixed, $6.40 to $6.55; yorkers, $6.75 to $6.40; pigs, $5.40 to $5.50; roughs, $5.25 to $5.65; dairies, $5.90 to $6.40.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 15,400 head; slow; wethers and lambs, 15c lower; lambs $5 to $7.25; yearlings, $6.25 to $6.40; wethers, $5.25 to $5.35; ewes, $4.50 to $4.75.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—Beeves—Receipts, 1336; no trading; feeling weak; dressed beef, slow, at 8c to 10c for ordinary to prime native sides.

Calves—Receipts, 216; market slow and unchanged; veals, $5 to $10; yearlings and barnyard calves, $3 to $4; dressed calves, steady; city dressed veals, 9½c to 15c; country dressed, do., 8c to 13½c.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 9963; market extremely dull and lower; sheep were off 10c to 15c; lambs, 15c to 25c; sheep sold at $3.25 to $5; culls, $2.25 to $3.60; lambs, $5 to $7.50; culls, $5.

Hogs—Receipts, 4410; feeling nominally firm.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Jan. 21. — Cattle—Receipts, 6000; market weak; steers, $4.60 to $7.15; cows, $3 to $5.50; heifers, $3 to $5.75; bulls, $3.40 to $3.90; calves $3.50 to $9.50; stockers and feeders, $2.50 to $5.15.

Hogs—Receipts, 48,000; market 10c lower; choice heavy spring, $6.35 to $6.45; butchers', $6.30 to $6.45; light mixed, $5.85 to $6; choice light, $6 to $6.15; packing, $5.90 to $6.35; pigs, $4.75 to $5.60; bulk of sales, $4.95.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 10,000; market steady; sheep, $4.25 to $5.50; lambs, $5.25 to $7.75; yearlings, $5 to $7.

Sultan Keeps His Cash.

Constantinople, Jan. 22.—Parliament, by an immense majority, rejected the proposition of Riza Nouri Bey, deputy from Sinope, who called for the restitution to the nation of the personal fortune of the Sultan.

Freight Cars Burned.

Lindsay, Ont., Jan. 22.—Two G.T.R. cars were partly burned here at two o'clock yesterday morning under suspicious circumstances. The damage was about $600, covered by insurance.

DEATH LIST GROWS

Victims of Chicago Disaster May Number Seventy.

Chicago, Jan. 22.—That the list of 50 known dead will probably be increased to 70 or even more, developed yesterday in the official investigation of the burning of the temporary wooden crib in the lake, one and a half miles off the shore of South Chicago, on Wednesday.

Most of the workmen died at the mouth of the shaft. Surrounded by fire and with a wide stretch of icy water between them and the shore, they sought but failed to reach safety by going down into the submarine tunnel, where they suffocated.

Wants $10,000 For a Leg.

Woodstock, Jan. 22.—A writ was issued yesterday by Orwell Thomas Warren of Dereham against the corporation of the Township of Dereham. Plaintiff was working the stone crusher for the township, and in adjusting it his leg was caught and crushed. He lost the limb, and now asks for $10,000 damages.

"Lid" On at Fort William.

Fort William, Ont., Jan. 22.—The lid was put on all the houses of ill-repute on the outskirts of the city when the chief of police raided the houses and gathered in the inmates and frequenters. A special court was held at midnight and $450 was collected in fines.

English Youth's Hard Luck.

Montreal, Jan. 22.—William Freeman, aged 17, will be deported to his home in the Channel Islands.

He was arrested for begging and says that after working on a farm for 16 months all he got, in addition to his board, was $12. He had $12 when he landed.

Two Years For Horse Thief.

Cornwall, Ont., Jan. 23.—Duhkin Camp, arrested at Prescott on Tuesday, on the charge of stealing a horse and rig from a local livery stable here, was yesterday sentenced to two years in Kingston Penitentiary.

WORST WRITER IN EUROPE.

Cunninghame-Graham Has Reputation of Writing Worst Copy on Record.

Mr. Cunninghame-Grahame, who unsuccessfully advocated the candidature of Mr. Keir Hardie for the Lord Rectorship of Glasgow University—he described him as being ten times more widely known and one hundred times more respected than Lord Curzon and Mr. Lloyd-George — glories more in having in his day been hailed as "comrade" by blacksmiths, miners, and artisans than in all the heritage of learning and fine Scots blood which has come down to him from the days of his ancestor, Robert Bruce. Mr. Cunninghame-Graham has been a cattle rancher, and on his return home bewildered his friends with his facility with a well-known trick learned in Mexico. Standing a man against the trunk of a large tree, he would ride round the tree at full speed on a fiery Mexican mustang, throwing knives with such extraordinary dexterity that one by one they formed an outline on the trunk round the living mark. Mr. Cunninghame-Graham has been spoken of as the worst writer in Europe, and he attributes it to an accident in South America. A young horse he was riding crushed him against a tree, and injured his hand. Manuscript of his has defied a whole newspaper staff, from editor to office boy, to decipher. One of the most unexpected, yet pleasant accidents in which "C.-G." has figured occurred in Spain. A train by which he was traveling was delayed for a whole afternoon owing to a collision. A fellow passenger offered to play a violin to wile away the time, and, of course, he was thanked for his kindness. The violinist was Sarasate. So it can easily be imagined how the time went—only too quickly. Mr. Cunninghame-Grahame once had to act as interpreter and mediator between a shipload of Basque emigrants and a drunken Scotch crew.

Womanly Logic.

"Never," groaned the picture dealer, "never try to argue a woman into believing that she ought to pay a bill when she thinks otherwise. I tried it this morning—presented a bill for some stuff ordered two months ago. Here was the irrefutable logic:

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"'And if I didn't I must have had some good reason for it.'

"'And if I had of course I won't pay.'"

Was Troubled With Weak Back For Years.
Could Not Perform Household Duties. Doctors Attended Without Avail.
Mrs. Arch. Schnare, Black Point, N.B., writes: "For years I was troubled with weak back. Oftentimes I have lain in bed for days, being scarcely able to turn myself, and I have also been a great sufferer while trying to perform my household duties. I had doctors attending me without avail and tried liniments and plasters, but nothing seemed to do me any good. I was about to give up in despair when my husband induced me to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and after using two boxes I am now well and able to do my work. I am positive Doan's Kidney Pills are all that you claim for them, and I would advise all kidney sufferers to give them a fair trial."
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Two thousand years ago the usual method of healing skin injuries and diseases was to apply certain essences and juices obtained direct from various healing herbs and roots. The gladiators of ancient Rome and the athletes of Greece adopted this means of healing their injuries, and with wonderful effect. A gladiator would emerge from the ring having sustained terrible cuts and bruises, yet on the application of his favourite herbal balm, within a few days he would again be ready for combat.
As centuries rolled by, the secret of making these herbal extracts was lost, and ointments and salves made up of animal fats took the place of the pure herbal balm.
Zam-Buk, the great balm which during the past few years has revolutionised the system of skin-healing, was produced by returning to the idea of the ancients, that man's best medicaments must be found in herbal extracts.
In the investigation which followed, the necessity was seen for entirely excluding the rancid fats and coarse minerals from which most modern ointments are compounded, and sticking closely to nature.
Scientific inquiry eventually centred round the peculiar properties of certain vegetable saps and juices. These extracts from rare herbs had, it was found, a curious power that enabled them when spread on the broken skin, to knit the edges of tissues together—in short, the power of healing injuries in a marvellously natural way, and of annihilating any germs of disease harboured by wound or pore.
The choice of the right herbal juices and their refinement comprised the next step, after which came the more difficult problem of finding out just the exact proportion of the different ingredients which would give the best healing results. Early disappointment and costly experiments are often the forerunner of famous discoveries, but at length, when success arrived, the investigators found themselves in the possession of a substance of fine consistency, of slight yet agreeable odour, and unique for its marvellous healing, soothing and antiseptic value. The original medicinal power of the respective ingredients was found to have been multiplied many times by reason of the scientific and novel manner of their combination as they exert in Zam-Buk.
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Zam-Buk, so pure yet so powerful, is good for young and old. The delicate skin of babes benefit from its application and it is widely used by nursing mothers for the rashes and chafings of very young children. Men of experience and of great attainments in varied walks of life have tested it, and speak of it in the highest terms.
Dr. Andrew Wilson, whose name as a scientist is familiar all the world over, in one of his recent medical works ("Homely Talks on First Aid") says: "Wherever a box of Zam-Buk is handy the preparation may be relied upon as an antiseptic dressing which requires no preparation and has the particular advantage of possessing unique healing properties."
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RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

PELERBORO' BEATEN AFTER HARD FOUGHT BATTLE IN LINDSAY LAST NIGHT BY SCORE OF 7 GOALS TO 3

Lindsay Won the Contest With the Petes Playing Four Men to Seven —125 Fans From Peterborough Saw the Battle.

WAS GREAT EXHIBITION.

Although the score was 7—3 against them the Peterborough intermediate O.H.A. team left the ice at Lindsay last night with the feeling in their own minds and in the opinion of their supporters that with any measure of luck they would have won out, and with the Lindsay team and crowd realizing that they had had a very narrow escape from defeat on their own ice. It was a hard fought, close checking, but not rough, contest, played at a pace that considering the soft ice was remarkably fast, and the Petes had every bit as much of the play as had the winners. They scored the first goal and were ahead by 1—0 until well into the first half, when three of the Peterboroughs were penalized and Lindsay banged in three goals, practically winning the victory at that stage. Outside of that period the Petes were holding their own in a fashion that made Lindsay decidedly nervous, and in fact they did not rest easy until time was called. The score at half time was 4—2 in favour of the Scugog team.

Referee J H Moxon, of Toronto had considerable to do with the defeat of the Petes and his work will long be remembered by the players and the fans who saw the game. It was so bad that the Peterborough club have notified the O.H.A. that they will play no more games with him as referee. Previous to the game they had asked that Moxon be not appointed for the Lindsay game, as their opinion of him, formed in other games of the club in which he has officiated, had not left much confidence in the minds of the Peterborough management that he was a fit man to handle the game in Lindsay. As it developed their lack of confidence was justified by the way in which he carried out his duties last night. The penalties he handed out to Peterborough for the most part were undeserved and in putting three off at once for offences that could not be seen from the side had a direct effect upon the result of the game.

The ice was in no shape for hockey. The mild weather had reduced it into a pulpy slush through which it was almost impossible to carry the puck, and combination was practically out of the question ,while the shooting of both teams suffered. The conditions seemed to bother the Petes more than it did the Lindsay team and they were unable to get away with any of those three and four man combinations that distinguished their play in Belleville. The heavy going did not suit the forward line at all, Ray the lightest man on the ice being especially handicapped. Their inability, owing to the ice conditions, to play combination affected the Petes and it was evident on fast ice that they will be a very different team.

Considering the state of the rink the game was a remarkably good exhibition of Canada's winter pastime. The pace from start to finish was hard and fast. Both teams dug in from the beginning ,putting every ounce of energy that they possessed in to the struggle, and the result was a bang-up battle all the way that had the crowd on tip-toes with excitement. There was no let up in the play, the teams hammering along at a clip that was surprising in view of the conditions and the game throughout was of the most interesting character. It was never rough although the checking was necessarily close and hard.

On the play there was little to choose between the teams. Both were forced to adopt individual tactics, it being almost an impossibility to develop any team work in the slush, and the Petes shone just as much individually as the winners. At certain stages they had far the best of the going and altogether gave Lindsay a remarkably hard fight for the victory. Neither on the forward line or the defence had the winners anything on their visitors, who worked desperately all the way in the face of heavy odds. Peterborough should defeat Lindsay in the return game which will be played here next Tuesday night.

One hundred and twenty-five fans accompanied the team to Lindsay, leaving on a special train at 7 o'clock, and they rooted lustily all the way for the Peterboroughs. Even when Lindsay was in the lead they kept up the cheering and shouted back defiantly at the Lindsay crowd, "Wait until we get you at Peterborough next week." The Lindsay people turned out en mass for the game and there was a great crowd in the rink when the battle commenced. The presence of so many people had its effect upon the ice and it grew rapidly worse during the evening.

All the Peterboroughs worked like Trojans for victory and there were no particular stars. It was almost impossible to carry the puck more than two or three feet at a time and even the players skated over the rubber owing to the slush. Derocher played a splendid game in goal, getting in the way of a multitude of shots, many of them at short range and there could be no fault found with his work. Glover and Moore made a defence that was extremely hard to beat and this is amply evidenced by the fact that only one of Lindsay's goals was scored when the Petes' defence was intact. It was while the Petes were playing short-handed owing to Moxon's bad decisions, that the damage was done. Both checked hard and rushed frequently, Moore, especially in the second half, getting away with some telling rushes. The going did not suit Charlie Ray, both in spite of that the little rover played fine hockey, and never let up for a moment, either in his attacking operations or in coming back to help the defence. Wallie Parnell was effective and useful in centre, putting up a fine game, while Dusty and Rose along the boards were in the thick of the fray all the way and looked after their checks well, giving them few opportunities.

Of the Lindsay line Stoddard and Randall were the most effective. Stoddard did not seem bothered to any great extent by the slush, and got in some fine rushes, while Randall did good work along the boards. Koyle did not shine in the first half, contenting himself with long shots, which did no damage. He opened up in the second period however, and did some useful rushing. Newton was good in the nets and Sullivan at cover point checked hard.

It was exactly 8.30 when Referee Moxon called the team together and started the fray, before an audience that packed every part of the rink. Peterborough rushed at the start, Ray and Rose combining from the face off and carrying the rubber as far as Sullivan, who relieved with a rush to centre. Moore secured and with Dusty as a partner in a neat rush, carried the puck down towards the Lindsay goal, but were checked before a shot could be made. Stoddard rushed nicely for Lindsay, but lost the puck, and Parnell securing, swept down on the Lindsay nets with a pretty rush. His shot was blocked by Sullivan, but Ray scooped one in from the side in two minutes, giving Peterborough the lead for the only time during the game. And that bunch of camp followers made their presence known.

Peterborough 1, Lindsay 0.

Peterborough were having more of the play than were the homesters and there was a worried look on the faces of the Lindsay team, as minutes passed without a score. Lindsay got several opportunities but Derocher was in the way. Stoddard got almost in on the net when the Petes goal keeper waded out and took the rubber from him, saving a score. Peterborough came back hard and Dusty hit the post with a shot from well out. A difference of an inch would have meant a goal. Glover got his skate tangled up with Sullivan's in checking the Lindsay man, and both fell. Then Referee Moxon sent Glover to the fence, much to his surprise, and the indignation of the Peterborough crowd. Peterborough, however, succeeded in holding Lindsay back until the Petes' point was back on the ice, and up and down on the slushy ice travelled the rubber, with both teams working at top pressure, and with neither having much advantage. It was at this stage that Moxon began to imagine that he was a second edition of Santa Claus, and started to give the game away to Lindsay. Dusty stopped the puck with his foot as Stoddard shot it ahead of him, and the Lindsay rover fell over it, with the result that the referee sent the Petes' left wing away for two minutes, saying that he had tripped Stoddard. Every one else in the rink saw that it was an accident. Hardly had Dusty climbed over the boards when Parnell and Randall slashed at the puck together and immediately the Peterborough man was sent after Dusty. Play had just re-commenced when Moore was benched for a clean body check, and there were three Petes on the fence for no cause whatever. Lindsay saw their opportunity and made good use of it. The defence moved up with the forwards and the whole team waded in on the Peterborough nets. Derocher, Glover, Rose and Ray, all that Referee Moxon left of the team on the ice, worked heroically to hold them out until the men got back, but it was no use. Playing seven against four Lindsay forced matters. Five Lindsay men came up together and bore in on the nets, Randall tying the score with a shot from close in, after fourteen minutes of the first half had elapsed.

Peterborough 1, Lindsay 1.

They came right back from the face off, and although the remnant of the Petes did all they could they could not keep them out, Taylor putting his team ahead in thirty seconds.

Peterborough 1, Lindsay 2.

Stoddard, of the Lindsay team, was penalized for tripping, and Dusty climbed back just before Randall scored again for Lindsay in thirty seconds, shooting from outside Glover, and the score was

Peterborough 1, Lindsay 3.

Then Peterborough's full team were back and with the teams on even terms again, the play resumed the close, hard fought nature that had prevailed at the opening. Moore was sent away again, this time for slashing Stoddard's stick, but playing a man short Peterborough had the best of the argument. Parnell made one of the prettiest rushes of the night, carrying the puck around the Lindsay net for a shot which Newton picked out with his stick. Rose was on hand, however, and smashed one past Newton on the rebound in five minutes.—Peterborough 2, Lindsay 3.

For the remainder of the half the play was hard and fast, and it looked as if the figures would not be altered before the breathing spell. A half minute before time was up, however, Randall got away for a pretty dodging rush and scored for Lindsay in 4 1-2 minutes.—Peterborough 2, Lindsay 4.

The ice was even worse in the second half, the water starting to come up after the slush had been cleaned off. Just after the opening of the half Stoddard received a bump on the nose which caused a delay of some minutes. Peterborough pressed and Ray nearly scored on a pass from Dusty. His shot was blocked, however, and the puck travelled back towards Peterborough's goal. Glover was sent away for what cause could not be seen, and while he was on the fence Lindsay scored again in ten minutes. Taylor shot from the wing and although Derocher stopped it he could not clear in the slush, and Taylor following it in, banged the rubber into the net.—Peterborough 2, Lindsay 5.

Two minutes after, Taylor again scored for Lindsay, shooting one in from a scrimmage and the score was —Peterborough 2, Lindsay 6.

Peterborough did not take long to get one back. The forward line rushed together, Ray carrying the rubber. He was tripped and fell and Dusty who secured the puck also went down, but shoved one past Newton ,while lying on the ice in thirty seconds.—Peterborough 3, Lindsay 6.

Peterborough again rushed and Dusty was clean through when Sullivan tripped him ,averting a goal. The Lindsay defence man was sent off for two minutes for the offence, but he saved a counter.

Parnell got another sentence soon after for slashing. Dusty got hit in the mouth and the game was stopped until he was patched up. Moore was again sent away and with him off Randall scored on a shot from the side on a pass from Taylor, in twelve minutes, leaving the final score—Peterborough 3, Lindsay 7.

The teams, officials, summary and penalties follow:—

Peterborough.	Lindsay.
Goal.	
Derocher	Newton
Point.	
Glover	Sullivan (Koyl)
Cover.	
Moore	Koyl (Sullivan)
Rover.	
Ray	Stoddard
Centre.	
Parnell	Taylor
Right Wing.	
Rose	Randall
Left Wing.	
Dusty	Cotey
Goal Umpire.	
J Seymour	A Ross
Timers:	
Len Dobson	Cap Simpson

SUMMARY.

1 Peterborough—Ray, 2 mins.
2 Lindsay—Randall, 1½ mins.
3 Lindsay—Taylor, 30 secs.
4 Lindsay—Randall, 30 secs.
5 Peterborough—Rose, 5 mins.
6 Lindsay—Randall, 4 1-2 mins.

HALF TIME.

7 Lindsay—Taylor, 10 mins.
8 Lindsay—Taylor, 2 mins.
9 Peterborough—Dusty, 30 secs.
11 Lindsay—Randall, 12 mins.

PENALTIES.

First half—Moore 2, Glover, Dusty, Parnell, Stoddard.
Second half—Glover, Parnell, Sullivan and Moore.

LAKEFIELD REQUIRED 20 MINUTES OVERTIME TO WIN GAME OF SEASON

T. A. S. Seniors, 5; Belmonts, 0. Lakefield, 3; West Ends, 2.

The above were the results of the two Senior City League fixtures at the Brock Street Rink last night, and the win that the Cementville villagers registered was the hardest earned in their memory. It required twenty minutes over time to settle the question and, without robbing them of any of the honours of their victory, it was nobody's game until the last minute had ticked away.

The large crowd that witnessed the double header waited almost to an individual to see the finish of the latter game, and everybody must have been satisfied that they had got their money's worth. At intervals the reports of the Lindsay game were given out and for a time it looked as if the locals were going to win out. The effect of the report of the final score was somewhat dimmed by the interest in the concluding game of the double header. The ice became heavy towards the last and at times during each game the play might have been well accompanied by the "Dead March."

There was only one score in the first half of the Belmont-T. A. S. ray, and that came after fifteen minutes hard playing, when young Loughlin, by a nice end rush tallied for the Abstainers. Four more were added in the second half, the Belmonts failing to land one.

The goals were scored as follows:
Loughlin, 15 mins.
Cahill, 45 secs.
Giroux, 11 mins.
Giroux, 4 mins.
Quigley, 3 mins.
Penalties — Wuram, Myers 2, Giroux, Quigley 2, Eccelestone 2.

The teams lined up as follows:

Goal	
Crough	Devell
Point	
Cahill	Myers
Cover Point	
Quigley	Ecclestone
Centre	
Giroux	Hall
L Wing	
Henry	Waram
R. Wing	
Galvin	W. Waram
Rover	
Loughlin	Wilson

Referee—Ernie Wasson.
Time keepers—Picard and Ray.
Penalty—Harvey Staunton.

Cyril Giroux was working all the time for T. A. S., and was the main strength in the forward division. He also followed back well. Crough stopped everything that looked dangerous in a clever style. Cahill, Quigley and Coughlin were also in the limelight.

For the Belmonts Myers and Bobby Hall were most effective, but the latter was bothered to some extent by cramps in his legs. Ernie Wilson worked hard at rover.

In both games Ernie Wasson was there with a microscope for offsides and any inclination to undue strenuosity. He kept the games clean and was entirely impartial.

Lakefield vs. West Ends

The ice was too soft for fast hockey by the time the West Ends and Lakefield appeared, but even then the game was easily the most interesting that has been seen this year. Flashes of two men combination were attempted at times, but the going was too heavy and single rushes were most prominent. Quinn delighted the fans by his speedy jaunts when he could break away from the close vigilance of McNirn and Pentland. These two, with Rose, for West Ends, and Wade coming out now and then kept the interest at top notch all the way.

Connie Halpin was not to blame for the loss, for those that got past him were a very small percentage of the number he stopped. He proved a reliable guard to the West Ends' citadel. Croft did not have many to stop. Lakefield defence helping him a whole lot. Wade played a strong game and for Lakefield. Simpson and the Sabatino brothers were working hard.

The teams faced each other as follows:

West Ends.	Lakefield.
Goal	
Halpin	Croft
Point	
Wade	M. Sabatino
Cover Point	
Dobson	Quinn
Rover	
Rose	Simpson
Centre	
McNirn	T. Sabatino
Right Wing	
Short	Morin
Left Wing	
Pentland	Quigley

Referee—Wasson.

Rose scored first for West Ends after ten minutes' play, but Simpson evened up in two minutes.

There were no other goals scored for the rest of the regular time. Ten minutes overtime found the result the same, but in another extra ten the tie was broken, Morin and T. Sabatino carried the puck in on the West End goal and the latter found a loophole. Lakefield scooped another from a mixup and cinched the game. To show that they were still going strong Pentland and Wade got away for a pretty bit of combination and Pentland scored. Time was called shortly afterwards.

LINDSAY WILL BE ON SPECIAL TRAIN FOR THE GAME ON TUESDAY

Lindsay will play the return game with Peterborough here next Tuesday, and the indications are that the contest will be one of the fastest ever seen on the local rink. The Petes are confident of reversing the score of last night's game, and the fans from here who saw the contest are equally certain that the result will be different when the two teams meet again, especially if the ice is hard. The Peterboroughs had just as much of the play last night as had Lindsay, and with a referee who had any idea of fairness would have undoubtedly won the contest. When the teams clash here there will be a battle royall and a record crowd will be on hand for the struggle. The Lindsay club will run an excursion to Peterborough by special train on Tuesday night, and expect to bring down some two hundred rooters, which will tend to make things lively. It will be a great game.

BLAKE AND HARRISON WILL MEET HERE IN A WALKING MATCH

The people of Peterborough will have an opportunity of seeing a walking match next week, when Jim Harrison, Peterborough's well known pedestrian, will clash with J. E Blake, the American colored champion, in a six hours' walk that should be about the hardest contest of its kind ever seen here. The two will look up in the Auditorium Skating Rink on Saturday of next week, and will walk three hours in the afternoon and the same time at night. Blake has many admirers in Peterborough, who will want to see him in action again, and no doubt, there will be a large attendance. Those who saw the walk here last spring will remember the hard battle between the two men, in which Blake defeated Harrison by one lap, after a six days' race, in which the battle between the two for second place was the feature. For the last three days they followed each other around as if they were tied together, and proved the most evenly matched pair in the race, so that it will be certain to be a hard grinda when they meet next week.

In the evening there will be a tug-of-war contest between the champion Quaker pullers and a picked team from Auburen for a handsome silver trophy.

The walking match will be for a side bet of $100 and a division of the gate receipts.

JUNIOR CITY LEAGUE GAME

George Street Methodists Defeat T.A.S. Juniors in a Close Game at Brock Street Rink Last Night

GOOD CROWD SAW IT.

In the Junior City League game last night, played prior to the senior bouts the T.A.S. Juniors lost by the narrow margin of one goal to the Methodist seven. The score of 3-2 is evidence of the difference between the strengths of the two teams. The T.A.S. started the scoring in the second half, neither teams having drawn blood in the first. Their lead did not last long, for George street took three in a row. The young Abstainers put up a good finish, Gorman notching the last goal just before time was called.

The game was a fairly good exhibition of hockey. Lack of combination was evident; the Methodists, however, had the biggest share of what was done in this respect, but for the most part it was individual work. A little more hockey and less scrapping, slashing and tripping on the part of some of the juniors and there is a promise of them turning out good men in a few years. On the whole the game was fairly clean and Bobbie Hall's decisions were fair and impartial. Crokery for the T.A.S. and Denison on the other side played cleanly and were always on the ice. Milloy, Pratt and Rightmeyer were very effective for their respective teams. They lined-up as follows:—

T.A.S.	George street
Goal	
Callaghan	Meldrum
Point	
Kennealey	Rightmeyer
Cover Point	
Heffernan	Denison
Rover	
Coughlin	Geale
R. Wing	
Gorman	Halpany
L Wing	
Corkery	Davidson
Centre	
Millow	Pratt

Referee: Bob Hall.

The goals were scored by Milloy, Gorman, Rightmeyer and Denison (2).

NOVEL-TI MANAGER'S OPINION OF GAME

To the Sporting Editor of the Daily Examiner.

Dear Sir,—I notice in your issue of the 21st inst., the report of a hockey match between the Fresh Air Club and Novel-Ti Hockey Club, accompanied by a communication from the Fresh Air Club. I thought we were playing with sports and am sorry to see the Fresh Air Club take their defeat in the spirit shown by their communication.

I think it is very unsportsmanlike to make the statement they do regarding Mr. S. Wade, who kindly acted as referee, and very wrong of them to put words in my mouth which I did not speak.

I wish to state also that the membership of Novel-Ti Hockey Club is not limited to the employees of the Novel-Ti Company.

In conclusion will state I thought we were playing the Fresh Air Club, but the defeat they took changed their title to Hot Air.

Thanking you for your valuable space, I remain

Yours very truly,
H. A. FOY.

Peterborough, Jan. 22, 1909.

P. S.—We accept the challenge of the Fresh Air Club for another game in the near future with our regular line-up, which includes four fourteen year old boys.

A LINDSAY VIEW OF LAST NIGHT'S GAME

A Lindsay despatch says of the game:

Lindsay, Jan. 2.—Before a crowded rink to-night the Lindsay intermediates made their fourth straight victory by defeating the fast Peterborough septette by the score of 7 goals to 3. The half-time score was 4 to 2. The extreme mild weather made the ice very slushy. Nevertheless the game was the fastest seen here this season. Peterborough scored the first goal after about ten minutes of play. They then started rough-house tactics, and three Peterborough men were penalized in quick succession. With only four men on the ice, the locals scored twice in short order, and notched the third while two Peterborough players still decorated the fence. Moore and Parnell were the worst offenders. Koyl on the defence and Randall, Stoddard and Taylor on the forward line were the best for the locals, while Dusty, Parnell and Moore were the stars for Peterborough. Referee Moxon of Toronto, ruled impartially, and penalized quickly any attempt at rough play. The Peterborough team was accompanied by a large contingent, who came up on a special train.

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For Indian River, Norwood, Havelock, Tweed	7.51 p m
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For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	5.35 a m
For Burketon, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	7.45 a m
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points	4.35 p m

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	Arrive	Depar
Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Orangeville, North Bay, Sturgeville and Toronto	11.00 a.m. 9.00 p.m.	9.05 a.m. 11.45 a.m.
Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	2.20 a.m. 9.00 p.m.	2.35 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, Lindsay, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Rochester, Montreal and East	8.00 p.m. 8.10 a.m.	11.05 a.m. 2.05 p.m.
Toronto, Lindsay, Sturgeville, Uxbridge and Markham	11.00 a.m. 5.00 p.m.	7.10 a.m. 2.05 p.m.
Lindsay Local	9.00 a.m.	9.05 p.m.
Havelock, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	9.00 a.m. 5.00 p.m.	9.05 a.m. 2.05 p.m.
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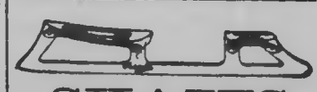

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LATEST CITY NEWS.

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—Easterly winds, cloudy and mild to-day and on Saturday, with occasional rain or sleet.

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Band Practice
—The 57th Band will practise to-night in the band hall. As a number of new selections will be practised to-night it is important that there should be a large attendance.

Marine Engine Display
—The Canadian Fairbanks Co., Ltd., Toronto, will have an exhibition of Marine Engines at Peterborough Canoe Co show rooms Feb. 1st to 5th All parties interested are invited to call d'lt

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Miss Ida Mulholland is expected to arrive home this evening, after an extended visit to Winnipeg.

The members of the Charlotte st Methodist church choir including the Rev. Mr. Henderson and wife were very pleasantly entertained last night by Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hughes at their residence on Park street

A large dance was held at the house of Mr. Robert Dobbin, councillor for North Monaghan, last night and a very enjoyable time was spent by those present.

The music was supplied by the Springville Orchestra and about fifty couples tripped the light fantastic until the small hours of the morning.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 25 cents each insertion in either the Daily or Weekly Examiner

BIRTHS.

McCARTNEY — In Peterborough, on January 21st, the wife of Mr. George F. McCartney, 384 Stewart street, of a son.

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Ordinarily the merry clatter of pans and kettles and the cheerful swish of soapsuds as Norah's dexterous hands manipulated the dishcloth formed an enlivening accompaniment to the tender strains of "Kathleen Mavourneen" or the rollicking melody of "Rory O'More."

But this morning no fresh young Irish voice caroled forth through the open window above her kitchen table, and the corners of Norah's wide red mouth had a pathetic droop, wholly out of keeping with a nativity which unequivocally proclaimed itself in every feature.

Even the clatter and swish had a subdued sound, as though the pots and kettles and the soapsuds, realizing that sorrow had invaded their domain, were thus tendering a seemly acknowledgment.

This explains how it came about that another sound, also subdued and likewise indicative of acquaintance with sorrow, came floating in through the window and fell suddenly on Norah's ears.

This was nothing more nor less than a muffled sob, and a single glance through the window sufficed to show that it had proceeded from the hammock swung in the shade of the big crab apple tree in the back yard.

This hammock, supposed to be Norah's own particular retreat in her hours of leisure, was now occupied by a tumbled heap of pink gingham, which lay with face forlornly buried in a weather beaten pillow.

Norah watched for a wondering moment the ebullition of childish woe, then dried her hands, wiped her eyes with a corner of her apron and hastened down the kitchen steps in the direction of the hammock.

A deeper burrowing of the head into the pillow, a louder and more soulful sob and a more vicious output of the long, black leg rewarded her initial inquiry as to the cause of anguish so acute.

But presently the story came out—Aunt Beth had broken her promise!

Norah knew of the picnic this afternoon at Watson's grove.

Norah did and furtively wiped away two fresh tears as she made a sad little sound in her throat indicative of assent. For was there not to be a dance in the evening, and wasn't she herself to have gone?

And now—well, now she wasn't going, and something that she knew in her heart would have been said tonight would never be said now!

Well, after promising positively more than a week ago that she, the aggrieved one, should go to this picnic in Uncle Larry's machine along with Uncle Larry and Aunt Beth herself she, the aforementioned untrustworthy Aunt Beth, had calmly announced not half an hour ago that, so far as she and the aggrieved one were concerned, there was to be not only no picnic, but no Uncle Larry!

Now, the aggrieved one knew that "uncle" had been up to date merely an honorary title and that not for some months yet was Uncle Larry to have come into full possession of the aggrieved one as a really and truly niece.

This had been a matter of minor import, since it hardly seemed possible that the emoluments ensuing from the possession of a truly uncle could be greater than were those of one so privileged as to own an Uncle Larry in prospectu.

Supplies of candy and motor rides could scarcely in any case be more steady. There hadn't as yet been any picnics, for this was the first of the season. And now there wasn't ever going to be any picnic and no truly Uncle Larry!

As this edict of Aunt Beth, with all its potential consequences, came back to her afresh the aggrieved one, emitting a particularly vociferous wail and giving muscular vent to her despair in a final vicious kick, flung herself out of the hammock upon Norah's own grief burdened breast.

"Why, Norah, you're crying too!"

The aggrieved one's sobs underwent a sudden cessation as she became aware of this heretofore unheard of lachrymal proceeding on the part of happy Norah.

"I—I can't help it, miss. I'm so—so sorry—for Miss Beth," sobbed Norah, making a futile attempt to stanch the flow of tears on the corner of the long suffering apron.

Sorry for Aunt Beth! This was an entirely new and rather absurd view of the situation.

"Why, Norah! What are you sorry for Aunt Beth for?"

"Because—oh, miss, because she don't mane it! She don't iver in the worrid mane a worrd av it!"

More wonders! Not mean it! Why, if this were true and Aunt Beth really didn't mean it, then there wasn't anybody to be sorry for. The aggrieved one's voice had a sudden joyful note of hope.

"Oh, do you think she didn't really mean it, Norah? Then whatever made her say it?"

"Och, belike 'twas jist a foolish quarrel—jist a foolish, foolish quarrel—an' now she's like to ruin her whole loife be not givin' in! That's the way gurrls be—they'll be dyin' to make oop, but it's die they will before they'll give in! An' the men be jist as bad, for they'll tak' her worrd for it an' sthay away, whin if they had anny sinse at all they'd know the poor gurrl was givin' the lie to her own hearrt an' they'd mak' her own oop to it! Och, poor Miss Beth! All she wants is for him to mak' her own oop—an' it's cryin' her purty eyes out she is this minnit, I'll be warrsin'!".

The aggrieved one slid to the ground and stared for a moment in open eyed amazement at the expanse of green gingham flung in an abandon of misery over Norah's bowed head. Then she turned, scurried around to the front and tiptoed softly up the stairs.

It was indeed as Norah had predicted. Aunt Beth was crying her eyes out. A big brown eye applied to the keyhole corroborated the small ear's testimony. Aunt Beth must certainly be very, very sorry indeed if her present apparent misery were any indication of the depth of her penitence.

Having fully satisfied herself upon this point, the aggrieved one, again on tiptoe, retraced her way to the lower hall, listened at the farther end until the rattle of pans and kettles proclaimed the resumption of Norah's interrupted duties, then sped swiftly down the path to the barn and through a passageway into the alley. Nor did she stop until she had traversed a distance of some blocks.

The door of the ornate garage which was her destination stood open. Uncle Larry and the chauffeur were doing something to the big machine.

"She didn't mean it, Uncle Larry! She truly didn't mean it!"

Uncle Larry brought a gloomy gaze to bear upon the small panting figure which confronted him.

Presently the gloom gave partial way to a look of bewilderment, and this in turn to the dawn of a half comprehension, which kaleidoscopic point being reached he stooped, caught the aggrieved one in his arms and set her in the toanneau of the machine.

"Now tell me all about it," he said. "Who doesn't mean what, and what authority have you for supposing she doesn't mean it?"

"Aunt Beth. Norah said she didn't mean it."

The big wrench in the hands of the chauffeur suddenly ceased manipulations, an intricate part of the machinery seeming at the moment to demand close and silent scrutiny.

"Norah said girls were all like that; they'd be dying to make up, she said, and wouldn't. An' she said the men ought to make 'em, an' if they had any sense they would. She said she knew Aunt Beth would be crying her eyes out, an' she was, Uncle Larry, for I slipped upstairs an' she was on the bed with her handkerchief up to her eyes, an' she was crying like anything. An' Norah cried so hard herself you'd 'most think she was the one that had quarreled with you an' wanted to make up an' wouldn't. An' please, Uncle Larry, won't you make Aunt Beth let you keep on being my uncle? An' she'll go to the picnic, too, if you'll make her. Norah says that's all she wants—just to have you make her!"

Master and man exchanged a darting glance, a sudden illumination on the face of each.

"I'll drive the big car myself this afternoon, Nolan," said Uncle Larry. "And if you care to come over to the picnic later in the afternoon and stay for the dance in the evening you may take the runabout."

Sparring.

"Will you take me to the theater tonight?"

"Yes, if you want to go."

"Do you want to go?"

"I wouldn't go unless you really wanted to go."

"Don't you want to go?"

"Of course, if you want"—

"But I wouldn't think of taking you unless you want to see the play."

"And I will not go unless you want to go."

"But you are the one to say whether you want to go."

"Of course I see now that you do not want to go, and in that case we will stay at"—

"I do want to go, though, if you want to go."

"Then, of course, you won't say whether you want to take me, so I suppose we shall stay at home."

"On the contrary, if you want to go, we go. If you don't want to go, we don't go. Now what do you say?"

"I say that if you want to go with me I want to go."

About this time he looked at his watch and found that they could not possibly reach the theater before the beginning of the third act.—Lippincott's.

Clever Thought.

When a certain country storekeeper, who was also the postmaster of the borough, began the transaction of business one morning about a year ago he found that the safe in which were kept the postage stamps had been robbed during the night and promptly reported the matter to the proper authorities. The latter decided, after an investigation, that restitution should be made for the stolen stamps, but that the expense of repairing the damage to the safe would have to be borne by the storekeeper, which was accordingly done.

Some time later a second robbery was committed and reported, as before, as the result of which there was another investigation, which disclosed the fact that the stamps had been abstracted on this occasion without any violence to the safe.

"But how was it done?" asked the inspector, somewhat puzzled. "The safe does not seem to be injured at all."

"I made up my mind I would not be caught again," replied the postmaster slyly. "I left it open."

Closed.

"Are you going to the same hotel at Palm Beach this winter?"

"Good Lord, no! I came away last year and forgot to tip the head waiter."—Cleveland Leader.

A Huge Forest.

The British Colonial Office recently sent out an expert to report on the Kenia forest, in the East Africa protectorate. He found the forest to be 287 miles long by eight broad, and to comprise 1,000,000 acres of timber, valued at $115,000,000 for the wood alone.

Governor Narrowly Escapes Drowning

Sir M. Nathan, the Governor of Natal, who, at Durban, has unveiled a statue of Sir John Robinson, the first Premier of Natal, has seen a good deal of rough service in his time. He joined the Royal Engineers in 1880, and five years later took part in the Nile expedition. He is the first Jew to be appointed a Colonial Governor, and when sworn in for the Government of Hong Kong, conformed the rites of his faith by going through the ceremony with his head covered. One day Sir Matthew, while on his way home from Hong Kong, fell into a harbor when entering a sampan from a P. and O. steamer, but was rescued, after some difficulty, none the worse for his unpleasant experience.

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CHATS ABOUT FAMOUS BOOKS AND THEIR AUTHORS

By F. M. D.

In dealing last week with the works of that wonderful genius, Christopher Marlowe, mention was made of his great dramatic poem, "Faust." Most of us have at some time or another in our lives been enabled to witness the great drama of this name rendered immortal by the illustrious Goethe, but comparatively few of us have taken the trouble to acquaint ourselves with the life of its hero, who was undoubtly not a mythical but absolutely a living and breathing entity, like ourselves. That such a being as Faust had an existence we have incontrovertible evidence. That he was a man, also, deeply versed in various sciences, we also know, but that he was possessed of diabolical powers, acquired by selling his soul to the evil one, nobody, outside a lunatic asylum, possibly, is likely to believe.

The Deeds Attributed to Virgilius

The story of his wonderful achievements makes an excellent fairy tale, but bears on the face of it evidence of having been borrowed from the accounts of the early astrologers and soothsayers, amongst whom tradition places Virgilius, the great Latin poet. The history of his wonderful deeds is contemporaneous with that of the early fathers of the Church. There is a Dutch version of the original, still extant, entitled "A Pleasant History concerning the Life and Death of Virgilius and of the wonderful works he did by Necromancy, and with the help of the Devil." In this history is recorded how he outwitted a demon by tickling his vanity and asking him to demonstrate how he had managed to squeeze himself through a small hole from which Virgil had rolled away the stop-gap. On the devil passing back through the hole, the poet, so goes the story, promptly rolled the stone over the hole again.

Virgil is reputed also to have enchanted an hostile army; to have built palaces and gardens, more splendid than the famed Hesperides, and also, to have founded the city of Naples. How the name of the great poet came to be mixed up with these exploits is past telling. The stories that are told of him, extravagant as they are, were firmly believed by men of the highest rank in Theology and Science, and one can easily see, how in such a period of lying and superstition, the tales that did duty for him would be foisted on the shoulders of such a man as Faust.

The middle ages teem with the wonderful deeds of Astrologers and Magicians. There were the Alchymists, also, who searched for the Philosopher's stone and the Water of Life, whose great precursor had been Geber, who flourished far off in the 8th century, and who numbered amongst his followers Alfarabi, Avicenna, Albertus Magnus, Thomas Aquinas, Raymond Lulli, Roger Bacon, Paracelsus, Dr. Dee and Cagliostro, the Corsican. Then flourished also the Magnetisers, who boasted of being able to transplant diseases from the human frame into the earth, by means of the magnet. Paracelsus, who is supposed by some to have founded the Rosicrucian cult is also looked upon as having been the first of the magnetisers, and may thus be claimed, as being, in an indirect way, the originator of mesmerism.

Faust, the subject of this notice, was the friend of Paracelsus, and is mentioned by Melancthon, the German theologian, and friend of Luther, as having lived at or near Wittenberg. According to the best calculations of historians, he was born about the close of the 15th century, and was the son of a peasant. Possessed of great natural talents, he fought his way through life, and attained to the degree of a doctor of Theology. Religious researches, however, seem to have wearied him, and abandoning them, he took up the study of medicine and surgery, and from that, finally betook himself to that of magic. His extensive learning was quite enough to earn for him in those days, the name of a necromancer, and ere he had figured long in the public eye, he gained the additional reputation of having sold his soul to the devil, and gained thereby the services of a familiar named Mephistopheles.

Faust's Compact With the Evil One

In a book dealing with this life his bargain with Belial is set forth as having been made in the following terms:

"To wit.—I, Johannes Faustus, D.D. et. M.D., hereby acknowledge with my own hand, for the further assurance of this deed; that in consideration of the manifold services and instructions of every kind, not to be obtained from any living mortal, I accept for my familiar and faithful demon, the demon Knight Mephistopheles, late charge d'affaires to the infernal Prince of the Orient, but now subject to all my demands. Item. On the other hand I do hereby bind myself to him, after the expiration of four and twenty years from the date of this deed that he may deal with me as he shall judge best; to govern, to handle, and to misguide in all that appertains to my life and soul, my food and my blood, renouncing all Christian communion upon earth and all hope of celestial inheritance. Amen. As additional confirmation of the same I consent to sign this contract with my own hand, as witness below in my own blood, being at this present time of sound mind and understanding to write and bequeath.

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The story tells of all the visits paid by Mephistopheles to the doctor and how that pleasant friend tells him in plain language that hell is not a reposeful region, and that he need not hope for cooling streams and shady groves when he gets there, as its heat consumes everything, as a faggot is burned in the oven.

It tells also how Belial, in order to provide a happy diversion to his victims, appeared one day in the doctor's study, uninvited, and brought some of his leading devils with him, Ashtaroth, Zathanas, Dithyranne, Drachus and Kebele, and that on their departure the study swarmed with gnats, scorpions, hornets and wasps, who severely maltreated the doctor and drove him into the fields.

Pranks of Faustus

Many of the tricks he performs are on a level with those performed by that delight of German children, the impish Howleglass. He interviews the Emperor Charles the Fifth, bewitches the knight by sticking antlers on his head, swallows a load of hay, takes money from a Jew, conjures up Helen of Troy, lectures upon Homar to his students and parades before their astonished eyes the heroes of antiquity; recovers from the seas the wrecked Comedies of Terence and performs dozens of other wonderful things too numerous to mention. At last comes the final reckoning. Let us quote from the volume:

"The students' chamber was next to that of Faustus, and they could plainly hear a grievous piping, hissing and whining, just as if the house was full of snakes and other poisonous reptiles. Next they heard the doctor's room give way, upon which repeated cries of 'Help! help!' were uttered in a half-drowned voice. At length it became broad day and the students went in a body to the doctor's chamber. He was no longer to be seen, but traces of his brains were seen on the walls, and different parts of the room were sprinkled with his blood. A solitary tooth was also found. Outside the house they found his corpse. The gruesome story ends with the accompanying admonition. "Let every Christian instead of slipping his neck into the noose as he did, keep his eyes steadfastly fixed upon heaven, and honour, love and worship its Supreme Ruler with all his mind, with all his heart and with all his soul. Amen."

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Old World Mail News Of The Week

INTERESTING ITEMS FROM ACROSS THE SEA.

ENGLAND

The King was greatly benefitted by his stay at Brighton.

J. M. Astbury, K. C., M. P. has recovered from his recent illness.

The last pen used by Charles Dickens was sold at Sotheby's Rooms for £19 10s.

A specimen of the Oriental poppy is in full flower in the open gardens of Wellfield House, Bangor.

Mushrooms in excellent condition have been gathered recently in the neighbourhood of Portmadoc.

Among the fish on show at the wholesale fish market in Manchester was a shark over 10 feet long.

There was a very slight improvement in Lord Windsor's symptoms, but his condition continues dangerous.

First Lord of the Admiralty, Mr. M'Kenna, who is visiting the Mediterrean arrived at Malta on January 8.

Mary Williams, an aged widow, of Swansea, was fatally burnt whilst attempting to put out a fire which occurred in her house.

A Royal Commission has been appointed to consider the question of electoral reform with Lord Richard Cavendish as chairman.

A permanent wireless telegraph station is being erected in Leeds for use by the military authorities as part of their defence work.

William Dunn, a labourer at South Docks, Sunder, was run over by a locomotive and lost both his legs. He lies in a critical condition.

The provincial order bill providing for the amalgamation of the six Potters towns was read a third time in the House of Lords and passed.

The estate of the late T. H. Bayliss, K. C., V. D., M. A., formerly judge of the Liverpool Court of Passage, has been proved at £58,758.

The death is announced of Sir Albert Muntz, Bart., Conservative M. P. for North Warwickshire, and a one time Liberal M. P. for Tamworth.

IRELAND

The Evangelist Mission now in progress in Ballymena is being very largely attended night after night, and is growing in influence not only in the town but in the rural district.

Universal regret is expressed at the death of Alderman William Harper, the oldest practising solicitor in Belfast, and for many years an active and highly esteemed member of the Corporation.

Edward Callaghan, aged 14, was arrested at Armagh for entering a house in that town and setting fire to the furnishings—window curtains bed clothing, furniture etc. He was remanded for trial.

Thomas Edmond Batt is dead. The deceased gentleman was well known and respected in the County of Donegal. In the immediate neighbourhood of Rathmullan House, contiguous to the popular fishing town, his death is deeply mourned.

The body of Mrs. Adelaide Earles, who, it will be recalled, in November, last attempted to commit suicide at Howth Head, was recovered from the River Dodder at Ballsbridge, Dublin, on Sunday. Mrs. Earles had been confined in a private asylum, but escaped on Christmas Eve.

The walls of Guy's Hospital, London, are echoing a story of romance and wedding bells in far-off County Down, where the Hon. Harriette Irene Maude Bingham, eldest daughter of Lord Clanmorris, has just married Dr. Herbert Eason, dean of the Medical School, and one of the most popular specialists at "Guy's."

An official statement issued by the Lord-Lieutenant of Ireland stated that arrangements had been made by the strikers in Dublin to resume work. An arrangement had been arrived at whereby the schedule of rates of wages and hours of the men employed in the carrying trade submitted to the employers will be referred to arbitration.

SCOTLAND

Dairy farmers held their annual dance, when there was an attendance of over 300.

Lord Mount Stephen sent his annual present of pheasants to the Oakbank Industrial School, Aberdeen.

George Molsed was heavily fined at Greenock for a brutal assault on Mrs. McDonald, a hotel proprietor.

James Shaw, miner, Hamilton, was fined £3 for having been found on the lands of Laigh Muirhouse in pursuit of game.

The Dowager Lady Bute and Lady Margaret gave a treat to the school children at Millport the first week of the new year.

Mr. Alex. Inglis, postman, Selkirk, retires in a few weeks after 40 years' service under seven postmasters and postmistresses.

An "At Home," organised by the members of the Aberdeen Women's Social and Political Union, had a very large attendance.

The Prime Minister, Mrs. Asquith and Miss Violet Asquith, spent the holidays at Archfield House, Dirleton, near Edinburgh.

John Macdonald, a Glasgow business man, is conducting evangelistic meetings under the auspices of the Brethren at Kilbirnie.

The Ex-Soldiers' Association opened a miniature rifle range at Galashiels. Mrs. Cook, wife of the ex-president, fired the first shot.

A lunatic escaped from the Crichton Royal Institution, Dumfries, and later attacked a boy he met in Newall Terrace. The lunatic is still at large.

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Sophy of Kravonia

by

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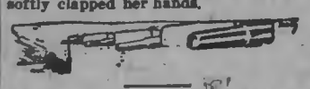
Continued from last Saturday.

"'Impossible' has become 'Immediate,' sir."

"And 'Sergius Stefanovitch' 'Nikolas Stafnitz,'" said the prince. He looked at Sophy for confirmation, and she softly clapped her hands.



Chapter Sixteen

THE troops of the garrison and their allies, the scum of the streets, thought that they had scored a great victory and inflicted deep humiliation on the unpopular martinet who ruled and harried them. They celebrated the event with noisy but harmless revels, and when Captain Hercules was seen about again—he submitted to a fortnight's confinement to barracks with feelings in which thankfulness, though not gratitude, predominated—he found his popularity with them greater than ever. But in the higher circles—the inner ring—of the party he served his reception was not so cordial. Stenovics would not see him. Stafnitz saw him only to express a most uncompromising judgment on his conduct.

Yielding in appearance, in point of substance the Prince of Slavna had scored heavily. The big guns were ordered from Germany. The prince had the money to pay for them, and they were to be consigned to him. These were the guarantees which he had asked from Stenovics. When the guns came—and he had agreed to make an extra payment for early delivery—his situation would be very different. With trusty men behind them it would go hard with him if he were not master of Slavna, and he had already obtained the king's sanction to raise and train a force of artillery from among his own men in Volseni and its neighborhood. The men of Volseni were proof against Mistitch's bragging and the subtle indulgence by which Stafnitz held his power over the rank and file of the army. They were true to the prince.

The idle king's family pride was touched. It was the one thing which could rouse him. At his son's express request, and at that only, he acquiesced in the release of Mistitch and his satellite Sterkoff, but he was determined to make his own attitude clear and to do what he could to restore the prestige of his family. The prince said dryly that the prestige would profit best of all by the big guns. The king was minded to supplement their effect by something more ornate. He created a new order and made his son grand master of it. There was no harm in that, and Stenovics readily consented. He declared that something more must be done for the lady to whom his son owed his life. To be made keeper of the tapestries might be a convenient recompense, but was not honor enough. Stenovics declared that any mark of favor which his majesty designed for Mlle. de Gruche might most properly be hers. Finally the king instructed Stenovics to concentrate all his energies on the matrimonial negotiations. A splendid marriage for Sergius with a German princess would enhance and strengthen the prestige more than anything else. Stenovics promised zealous obedience and withdrew full of thought. The order was an easy matter, and honors for Sophy did no harm. The marriage was ground much more delicate. It touched the "bigstake" which Colonel Stafnitz had so emphatically warned the general not to play on the bad hand dealt to him by Mistitch's blundering. But, with the big guns in position and the sturdy men of Volseni behind them, would a good hand ever come?

There were but three in the inner secret of the scheme, but they were three of the longest heads in Kravonia. Countess Ellenburg was a pious woman and of exemplary demeanor; but, as Markart told Sophy, women are ambitious, and she had borne the king a son. Stenovics saw himself cast aside like an old glove if Prince Sergius came to the throne. Stafnitz was a born fisher in troubled waters and threw a skilful net. Twice before in the country's history intrigue had made revolution and changed the order of succession in the house of Stefanovitch. The three waited on chance, but the chance was not yet. If the king were at enmity with his son or if there was a demise of the crown while the prince was not on the spot to look after his interests, there might lie the opportunity. But now the king was all cordiality for his heir apparent; the prince was on the spot; the guns and their Volsenian gunners threatened to be on the spot, too, ere long. It was not now the moment for the big stake.

King Alexis was delighted with his new order, and the grand master's insignia were very handsome. In the center of a five pointed star St. Michael slew the dragon—a symbol perhaps of Captain Mistitch! But the king had not done yet. There was honor for the prince's friends too. Men should know that service to the royal house was meritorious in proportion to the illustrious position of that house. Zerkovitch stood forward and was made chevalier of the Cross of Kravonia. The occasion cost Zerkovitch the price of a court suit, but for Marie's sake he bore the outlay patiently. Then the king, having refreshed himself with a draft which his valet Lenage brought him [illegible] turned to his most pleasing task. The keeper of the tapestries was called from her place in the circle beside Marie Zerkovitch. Colonel Stafnitz had not noticed her standing there, but now he gave a little start. The figure seemed familiar. He turned his head round to Markart, who was just behind him. "Yes, that's her," Markart whispered in answer to the question in the colonel's eyes. The eyes flew back to Sophy instantly. There, too, was set the gaze of Countess Ellenburg, for Sophy was in full beauty that day. She, too, loved toys, and her ancient hatred of the name to which she had been born must be remembered. Her eyes glowed, and the red star glowed on her cheek. All her air was triumphant as she courtesied to the king and then stood erect and proud to hear his gracious words.

Gracious his words were for her deed and gracious his smile for her comely beauty. He could at least look a king—no man denied him that—and speak in kingly phrases. "A service unmatched in courage and immeasurable in importance to us and our royal house, the preservation of our dearly loved son and only heir." Countess Ellenburg looked down her nose at that! For such an act did he confer a patent of nobility on Sophy and for greater honor gave her as title the name of one of his own estates, together with a charge on its revenues equal to her new dignity.

He ended and sank back in his chair Her prince came forward and kissed her hand before them all. Countess Ellenburg bowed condescendingly. A decorous murmur of applause filled the hall as, with shining eyes, Sophia, Baroness Dobrava, courtesied again very low.

So, as Sophy Grouch had gone, went Sophie de Gruche!

"She's delighted, poor child!" whispered Marie Zerkovitch, but only Julia Robins, in England, far away, heard the full torrent of Sophy's simple, childlike exultation. Such a letter went to her that night, but there was stuff in it besides the baroness' paean.

Her prince came forward and kissed her hand.

Suddenly a childish voice rang out clear through the hall—a fearless, eager little voice.

"What's that you've got on your cheek?" asked young Alexis, with engaging candor. His finger pointed at Sophy's face.

So quaint an interruption to the stately formality of the scene struck people's sense of humor. Everybody laughed—even Countess Ellenburg. Sophy's own laugh rose rich and merry. Her ignorance or carelessness of etiquette betrayed itself. She darted at the pretty boy, caught him in her arms and kissed him, answering, "That's my luck—my red star."

The boy touched the mark with his finger. A look of childish awe came into his blue eyes.

"Your luck!" he said softly and continued to look at the mysterious sign after Sophy had set him down again. The little scene was told all over Slavna before night, and men and women talked, according to their temper, of the nature and the meaning of the red star. If only the foolish think about such things, even the wise talk.

The king left his chair and mingled with his guests. His movement was the signal for a general relaxation of ceremony. The prince came across the room and joined Sophy, who had returned to Marie Zerkovitch's side. He offered the baroness his congratulations, but in somewhat constrained tones. His mind seemed to be on something else. Once or twice he looked inquiringly at Marie, who, in her turn, showed signs of restlessness or distress. A silence followed on Sophy's expression of her acknowledgments. The prince glanced again at Marie and made up his mind to speak.

"You've done me the kindness I asked?" he inquired of Marie.

Marie picked at the feathers of her fan in unhappy embarrassment. "No, sir; I haven't. I—I couldn't."

"But why not?" he asked in surprise.

"I—I couldn't," repeated Marie, flushing.

He looked at her gravely for a moment, then smiled. "Then I must plead my own cause," he said and turned to Sophy. "Next week I'm leaving Slavna and going to my castle of Praslok. It's near Volseni, you know, and I want to raise and train my gunners at Volseni. We must be ready for our guns when they come, mustn't we?"

His eyes met hers, eager glance exchanged for glance as eager. "Our guns!" whispered Sophy under her breath.

"Marie here, and Zerkovitch have promised to come with me. He'll write what ought to be written, and she'll cook the dinners." He laughed. "Oh, well, we do live very simply at Praslok. We shall be there three months at least. I asked Marie to persuade you to come with her and to stay as long as you could, but she's disappointed me. I must plead for myself."

The changing expressions of Sophy's eyes had marked every sentence of his speech, and Marie marked every expression of the eyes. They had grown forlorn and apprehensive when he spoke of leaving Slavna. A sudden joy leaped into them at his invitation to Praslok.

"You'll come for a little? The scenery is very fine and the people interesting."

Sophy gave a low laugh. "Since the scenery is fine and the people interesting, yes, monseigneur."

Their eyes met again, and he echoed back her laugh. Marie Zerkovitch drew in her breath sharply. With swift insight she saw and foresaw. She remembered the presentiment under whose influence she had begged Sophy not to come to Kravonia. But fate had weighted the scales heavily against her. The Baroness Dobrava was here.

"You'll come for a little?"

A simultaneous exclamation of many voices broke across their talk. At the other end of the room men and women pressed into a circle round some point of interest which could not be seen by Sophy and her companions. A loud voice rang out in authoritative tones: "Stand back! Stand back and open all the windows!"

"That's Natcheff's voice," said the prince. Natcheff was the leading physician of Slavna. "Somebody's fainted, I suppose. Well, the place is stuffy enough!"

Markart emerged from the circle, which had widened out in obedience to the physician's orders. As he hurried past the prince he said: "The king has fainted, sir. I'm going to fetch Lepage." Two or three other men ran to open the windows.

"The king fainted! I never knew him to do that before."

He hastened to where his father lay, the subject of Natcheff's ministrations. Sophy and Marie followed in his wake through the opening which the onlookers made for him. The king showed signs of recovering, but Natcheff's face was grave beyond even the requirements of his profession or of his patient's rank. The next moment Lepage came up. This man, the king's body servant, was a small, plump person, who had generally a worthy, impassive, uninterested manner. He looked rather uninterested even now, but his walk was very quick, and he was soon aiding Natcheff with deft and nimble fingers.

"This is strange, Lepage," said Natcheff.

Lepage did not look up from his task.

"Has it ever happened before?"

Then Lepage did look up. He appeared to consider and to hesitate. He glanced once at the king before he answered.

"It's the third attack in two months," he said at last.

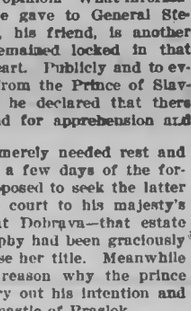
"You never told me!" The words shot sharp from Natcheff's lips.

"That was by his majesty's peremptory orders. He'll be angry that I've told you now."

"Clear the room!" ordered Natcheff shortly.

Slavna had plenty to talk about that night. Besides the Baroness Dobrava's red star there was the fainting fit of King Alexis! The evening bulletin was entirely favorable. The king had quite recovered. But many had heard Lepage's confession and seen the look that it brought to Natcheff's face.

Stenovics and Stafnitz rode back from the palace to the city side by side. The general was silent, immersed in deep thought. Stafnitz smoked his cigarette with a light, rather mocking smile. At last, when they were almost opposite the terrace of the Hotel de Paris, Stenovics spoke.



"The time is short."

"It looks like the handwriting on the wall," he said.

"Quite so, general," Stafnitz agreed cheerfully, "but at present there's no evidence to show to whom besides the king himself the message is addressed."

"Or what it says?"

"I think that's plain enough, general. I think it says that the time is short."

He watched his companion's face closely now, but Stenovics' mask was stolid and unmoved. He said nothing. He contented himself with a sullen grunt.

"Short for the king!" pursued Stafnitz, with a shake of his head. "Short for the prince perhaps! And certainly, general, uncomfortably short for us!"

Stenovics grunted again and then rode on some while in silence. At last, just as he was about to part from his companion, he made one observation:

"Fortunately Natcheff is a friend of mine. We shall get the best possible information."

"That might become of importance, no doubt, general," said Stafnitz, smiling still.

Chapter Seventeen

DR. NATCHEFF amply reassured public opinion. What information he gave to General Stenovics, his friend, is another matter and remained locked in that statesman's heart. Publicly and to everybody else from the Prince of Slavna downward he declared that there was no ground for apprehension and that the king merely needed rest and change. After a few days of the former it was proposed to seek the latter by moving the court to his majesty's country seat at Dobrava—that estate from which Sophy had been graciously bidden to choose her title. Meanwhile there was no reason why the prince should not carry out his intention and proceed to the castle of Praslok.

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"Dr. Schweninger had just taken the sick prince in hand, trying to save him from an untimely grave," says the author, "when I called upon him at his country place near Hamburg.

"Bismarck told me of the strict regimen as to food and drink to which he was now subject and added: 'Well, I suppose 10,000 bottles of champagne and 100,000 cigars are all a mortal can stand. I have always been a giant as to stature and stomach, and such, I now find out, were my limits. More's the pity.'

"'Why, your grace,' I said, 'you cannot have drunk as much as that in your busy life.'

"'Oh, yes, I've been figuring up,' replied the chancellor. 'During my long diplomatic service and my career as a statesman I never drank less than two bottles of champagne for dinner. That counts up in the long run, and imagine the quantities of brandy, beer, red wine and white wine and cordials that I have put away besides—enough to float a battleship.'

"'As to cigars, before this sickness came on I never threw away a stump until a new cigar was lighted. When I traveled from Hamburg to Berlin or from Frankfort to Berlin, for instance, I never left off smoking for a single moment.'"

Growing Tobacco in Maine.

It has apparently remained for Pope Gibbs to demonstrate in his own garden, situated about a mile from the Soldiers' home in Togus, that tobacco can be successfully grown in Maine. Last year Mr. Gibbs raised about eighty pounds of tobacco from seventy-nine plants. This year he raised very nearly the same amount from only thirty-five plants, the season being much more favorable for the growth of t. plant. Mr. Gibbs had no difficulty in disposing of the tobacco which he raised last year and which was generally conceded to be of excellent quality. He cured it in his barn, which has a ventilator and where by opening the doors he was able to get the current of air necessary for the best results, the conditions being quite as favorable as in the best tobacco curing plants of the south. The opinion was very generally expressed last season that while Mr. Gibbs was successful in raising tobacco in this state it would not be possible to mature the seed here. This year he has disproved this idea by maturing a tobacco stalk more than seven feet high, with an exceptionally well developed cluster of seeds.—Kennebec Journal.

Persian Justice.

The revolutionary party in Persia is circulating on postcards and in larger form a picture descriptive of "Persian justice," which shows three bandits hanging by their feet from the city gate of Tauris. The men, almost naked, are shown suspended from an opening in the wall, the ropes binding their feet being fastened to a pillar, next to which a military guard stands at "attention." "For hours," runs the legend under the picture, "these wretches, the robber Ago and his companions, hung in their badly wounded condition before death relieved their agony. Thousands of people of all ages and classes looked mournfully upon these victims of 'Persian justice.'"

Porto Rican English.

The English language may be steadily encroaching upon the Spanish in Porto Rico since our occupation of the island, but at least the Porto Ricans seem to be making some rearrangement of the new tongue so that it may conform somewhat to Spanish ideas.

For instance, in a recent issue of a San Juan paper there appears the announcement of a "mitin" to take place at such and such a time and at such and such a place, a political "mitin," in fact.

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JELLYFISH.

In Tropical Waters This Queer Creature Is at Its Best.

Few marine animals seem at first glance to betray less intelligence than the jellyfish. Up with the tide and down with the tide, carried along by this or that current, moving with the eddy of a backwater hither and thither, the jellyfish has become almost a synonym for helplessness. Scientifically, of course, the popular idea of the jellyfish is wholly mistaken, but it is perhaps only in tropical waters that it is found in the perfection of intelligence. In the south Pacific round the islands of Polynesia and as far south as the upper portion of the North island of New Zealand there is a jellyfish that not only knows where it wants to go, but is even provided with a sail which it can and does hoist or lower at will. The sail, like the rest of this curious animal, is almost transparent; but, unlike the body of the fish, which is of the usual gelatinous construction, the sail is a membrane almost as hard as shell. Round about the Ellice group the navigating fish is often found with a sail measuring five inches across, and it navigates the shallow island waters with the skill of a pilot, steering in and out of snaggy places and avoiding obstructions both above and below the surface with unerring skill. Like its cousins in home waters, this navigating jellyfish has the power of stinging its natural enemies, and its sting is fatal to other fish and dangerous to man.—London Standard.

An Unpleasant Visitor.

A frightful shape loomed up before the nearsighted eyes of the frightened professor. It was of heroic size, it stooped a little, its arms were unusually long, its forehead was retreating and its feet were bare and very broad.

"You have taken great liberties with me," said the shape. "You refer to me on every possible occasion, ascribing to me characteristics of which I know nothing. You have a reprehensible way of shifting to my shoulders a great many problems that are too much for your limited mind to grasp. Come, now, what do you mean by it?"

"I've never seen you before," stammered the professor. "Who are you?"

The shape haughtily drew itself up.

"I am the primitive man!" it cried in a terrible voice.

And the professor is understood to be running yet.

"An Awfu' Lesar."

Sir Archibald Geikie, the distinguished geologist, who will probably succeed Lord Rayleigh as president of the British Royal Society, tells a good story in his capital book of "Scottish Reminiscences." "I was quite sure you had been in our neighborhood," a friend said to Sir Archibald. "I met the old farmer of G——, who had a strange tale to tell me. 'Dod, Mr. Caithcart,' he began. 'I ran across the queerest body the ither day. As I was comin' by the head of the clough I thocht I heard a wheen tinkers quarrellin', but whan I lookit doon there was ae wee stoot man. Whiles he was chappin' the rocks wi' a hammer, whiles he was writin' in a book, whiles fechtin wi' the thorns, and misca'in them for a' that was bad. When he cam up frae the burn, him and me had a large confab. Dod! he tell't me a' about the stanes, and hoo they showed that' Scotland was ance like Greenland, smoored in ice. A very enterteenin' body, Mr. Caithcart, but—an awfu', awfu' lesar.'"

World's Record Map.

The Establishment Committee of the London County Council proposes to produce a map of London, with squares one-eighth of a mile in area, and with parks and open spaces colored green. It is to be hoped that the children of London will be permitted to play on the "green spaces."

A Wonderful Autograph Book.

Sir Donald Currie, head of the Castle line of steamers, has enjoyed the intimate friendship of many celebrities, besides numerous r alties. Amongst his proudest possessions is one of the late Lord Tennyson's pipes, probably the only one now in existence. "Keep it," said Mr. Gladstone, when Sir Donald showed it to the statesman. "It will be precious some day." Equally precious is the great shipowner's wonderful autograph book, which contains the names of half the royalties in the world.

Harvest Superstitions.

After the rice harvest in Ceylon the priests take a little old god, called Marwil, down to the river. A hole is dug where the water is shallow and into this is crammed a bag of dry rice with the god placed on top. The saturated rice expands, forcing the image upward, so that in about 15 days it comes to the surface and is welcomed as a new god with acclamations of great joy.

THE LONDON BLACKMAILER.

His Business Increasing — How to Treat Him When Threatened.

The business of blackmailing is industriously pursued in London. The number of infractions of the moral law by the well-to-do and wealthy men and women of the English capital who stand well before the public furnishes subjects for the blackmailer. Sometimes it is a man, sometimes a woman who relies upon extortion of the guilty for a living.

A police magistrate of London, speaking on the subject, said:

"Demanding money by menace is a form of crime which seems to be very much on the increase in London. The growing laxity of morals leads to an increase of those who thrive on the victims. To-day if a man sustains improper relations with a woman and he or she has means and a blackmailer becomes aware of it a series of threatening letters are sent out. The party levied upon gives up to prevent exposure. If he fights his name and address appear in the newspapers to his undoing. Fear of this prevents a large number of prosecutions, hence the blackmailers flourish and escape punishment. Now the remedy is to prohibit printing in the newspapers the names of those charged with transgressing the moral law and to give the hearing behind closed doors where the public would be excluded. This would put a stop to blackmail.

"The blackmailer when he starts after his victim should be treated with contempt. The one thing the assailed should not do is to pay money. That would be fatal and would not secure peace, for demand after demand would be made as long as the victim had any money left. He should either consult the police or tell one or two reliable friends or see a lawyer. The blackmailer is always a coward. He runs whenever the victime resents his rascality. He is the most contemptible of criminals and he knows it. Hence a little display of fortitude will get rid of him."

Laying a Ghost.

This "ghost" story was among those omitted from Mr. Stead's famous collection: There was an ordinary cupboard door that always mysteriously creaked open at five minutes before midnight unless it was kept locked, and when it was kept locked it groaned and rattled instead precisely at the same hour. Then came along a spook expert, who discovered that at five minutes before midnight the fast express train passed along the highroad a mile away from the house and set in motion some vibratory wave that acted upon the cupboard and scared a whole household.

Luck.

"Do you believe there is anything in luck?" asked the young man.

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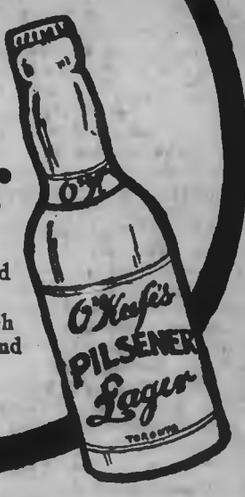

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Send 10 cents in stamps to the Herpicide Company, Dept. L, Windsor, Ont., for sample and booklet. Two sizes: 50c and $1.00. At Drug Stores. When you call for Herpicide, do not accept a substitute. Applications at Prominent Barber Shops.

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MAIL CONTRACT

Sealed Tenders addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon on Friday the 19th February, 1909, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, ninety-two times per week each way, between Peterborough and Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunk Railway Stations, from the 1st April next.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Peterborough, and at the Office of the Post Office Inspector at Kingston.

G. C. ANDERSON,
Superintendent.

Post Office Department,
Mail Service Branch,
Ottawa, 8th January, 1909. 3s-7

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS

ANY PERSON who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother, or sister of intending homesteader.

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In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price $3.00 per acre. Duties—Must reside six months in each of six years from date of homestead entry (including the time required to earn homestead patent) and cultivate fifty acres extra.

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W. W. CORY,
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BISMARCK'S LIMIT

He Consumed a Hundred Thousand Cigars and a Lake-of-Liquors.

In the "New Bismarck Reminiscences," just issued by Professor von Blaring of Berlin, there is a record of how many bottles of champagne and cigars Bismarck consumed before the great breakdown of his physical system some ten years previous to his retirement from the chancellorship.

"Dr. Schweninger had just taken the sick prince in hand, trying to save him from an untimely grave," says the author, "when I called upon him at his country place near Hamburg.

"Bismarck told me of the strict regimen up to food and drink to which he was now subject and added: 'Well, I suppose 10,000 bottles of champagne and 100,000 cigars are all a mortal can stand. I have always been a giant as to stature and stomach, and such. I now find out, were my limits. More's the pity.'

"'Why, your grace,' I said, 'you cannot have drunk as much as that in your busy life.'

"'Oh, yes, I've been figuring up,' replied the chancellor. 'During my long diplomatic service and my career as a statesman I never drank less than two bottles of champagne for dinner. That counts up in the long run, and imagine the quantities of brandy, beer, red wine and white wine and cordials that I have put away besides—enough to float a battleship.'

"'As to cigars, before this sickness came on I never threw away a stump until a new cigar was lighted. When I traveled from Hamburg to Berlin or from Frankfort to Berlin, for instance, I never left off smoking for a single moment.'"

Growing Tobacco in Maine.

It has apparently remained for Pepe Gibbs to demonstrate in his own garden, situated about a mile from the Soldiers' home in Togus, that tobacco can be successfully grown in Maine. Last year Mr. Gibbs raised about eighty pounds of tobacco from seventy-nine plants. This year he raised very nearly the same amount from only thirty-five plants, the season being much more favorable for the growth of the plant. Mr. Gibbs had no difficulty in disposing of the tobacco which he raised last year and which was generally conceded to be of excellent quality. He cured it in his barn, which has a ventilator and where by opening the doors he was able to get the current of air necessary for the best results, the conditions being quite as favorable as in the best tobacco curing plants of the south. The opinion was very generally expressed last season that while Mr. Gibbs was successful in raising tobacco in this state it would not be possible to mature the seed here. This year he has disproved this idea by maturing a tobacco stalk more than seven feet high, with an exceptionally well developed cluster of seeds.—Kennebec Journal.

Persian Justice.

The revolutionary party in Persia is circulating on postcards and in larger form a picture descriptive of "Persian justice," which shows three bandits hanging by their feet from the city gate of Tauris. The men, almost naked, are shown suspended from an opening in the wall, the ropes binding their feet being fastened to a pillar, next to which a military guard stands at "attention." "For hours," runs the legend under the picture, "these wretches, the robber Ago and his companions, hung in their badly wounded condition before death relieved their agony. Thousands of people of all ages and classes looked mournfully upon these victims of 'Persian justice.'"

Porto Rican English.

The English language may be steadily encroaching upon the Spanish in Porto Rico since our occupation of the island, but at least the Porto Ricans seem to be making some rearrangement of the new tongue so that it may conform somewhat to Spanish ideas.

For instance, in a recent issue of a San Juan paper there appears the announcement of a "mitin" to take place at such and such a time and at such and such a place, a political "mitin," in fact.

Which, in case there are readers who are still mystified, is a good, rapid transit version of our friend, "meeting" arranged to suit Spanish eyes and throats.

Only a Common Cold,

BUT IT BECOMES A SERIOUS MATTER IF NEGLECTED.

Pneumonia, Bronchitis, Asthma, Catarrh or Consumption is the result. Get rid of it at once by taking Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

Obstinate coughs yield to its grateful soothing action, and in the racking, persistent cough, often present in Consumptive cases, it gives prompt and sure relief. In Asthma and Bronchitis it is a successful remedy, rendering breathing easy and natural, enabling the sufferer to enjoy refreshing sleep and often affecting a permanent cure.

Mrs. Henry Smallpiece, Brudenell, Ont., writes:—"I was always subject to a cough and could get nothing to relieve me until I saw an advertisement of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup and thought I would try a bottle, and when I had taken a few doses I found I was getting relief, and when I had finished it I was cured. I procured a bottle for my baby, who had a cough, and a few doses cured him. I would advise anyone having a cough, to give Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup a trial and I am sure they will never be without it."

Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup 25 cts. per bottle at all dealers. Put up in yellow wrapper, and three pine trees the trade mark. Refuse substitutes. There is only one Norway Pine Syrup, and that one is "Dr. Wood's."

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JELLYFISH.

In Tropical Waters This Queer Creature is at Its Best.

Few marine animals seem at first glance to betray less intelligence than the jellyfish. Up with the tide and down with the tide, carried along by this or that current, moving with the eddy of a backwater hither and thither, the jellyfish has become almost a synonym for helplessness. Scientifically, of course, the popular idea of the jellyfish is wholly mistaken, but it is perhaps only in tropical waters that it is found in the perfection of intelligence. In the south Pacific round the islands of Polynesia and as far south as the upper portion of the North island of New Zealand there is a jellyfish that not only knows where it wants to go, but is even provided with a sail which it can and does hoist or lower at will. The sail, like the rest of this curious animal, is almost transparent; but, unlike the body of the fish, which is of the usual gelatinous construction, the sail is a membrane almost as hard as shell. Round about the Ellice group the navigating fish is often found with a sail measuring five inches across, and it navigates the shallow island waters with the skill of a pilot, steering in and out of snaggy places and avoiding obstructions both above and below the surface with unerring skill. Like its cousins in home waters, this navigating jellyfish has the power of stinging its natural enemies, and its sting is fatal to other fish and dangerous to man.—London Standard.

An Unpleasant Visitor.

A frightful shape loomed up before the nearsighted eyes of the frightened professor. It was of heroic size, it stooped a little, its arms were unusually long, its forehead was retreating and its feet were bare and very broad.

"You have taken great liberties with me," said the shape. "You refer to me on every possible occasion, ascribing to me characteristics of which I know nothing. You have a reprehensible way of shifting to my shoulders a great many problems that are too much for your limited mind to grasp. Come, now, what do you mean by it?"

"I've never seen you before," stammered the professor. "Who are you?"

The shape haughtily drew itself up.

"I am the primitive man!" it cried in a terrible voice.

And the professor is understood to be running yet.

"An Awfu' Lesar."

Sir Archibald Geikie, the distinguished geologist, who will probably succeed Lord Rayleigh as president of the British Royal Society, tells a good story in his capital book of "Scottish Reminiscences." "I was quite sure you had been in our neighborhood," a friend said to Sir Archibald. "I met the old farmer of G——, who had a strange tale to tell me. 'Dod, Mr. Caithcart,' he began, 'I ran across the queerest body the ither day. As I was comin' by the head of the cleugh I thocht I heard a wheen tinkers quarrellin', but whan I lookit doon there was ae wee stoot man. Whiles he was chappin' the rocks wi' a hammer, whiles he was writin' in a book, whiles fechtin wi' the thorns, and mischin them for a' that was bad. When he cam up frae the burn, him and me had a large confab. Dod! he tell't me a' aboot the stanes, and hoo they showed that Scotland was ance like Greenland, smoored in ice. A very enterteenin' body, Mr. Caithcart, but—an awfu', awfu' lesar.'"

World's Record Map.

The Establishment Committee of the London County Council proposes to produce a map of London, with squares one-eighth of a mile in area, and with parks and open spaces colored green. It is to be hoped that the children of London will be permitted to play on the "green spaces."

A Wonderful Autograph Book.

Sir Donald Currie, head of the Castle line of steamers, has enjoyed the intimate friendship of many celebrities, besides numerous royalties. Amongst his proudest possessions is one of the late Lord Tennyson's pipes, probably the only one now in existence. "Keep it," said Mr. Gladstone, when Sir Donald showed it to the statesman. "It will be precious some day." Equally precious is the great shipowner's wonderful autograph book, which contains the names of half the royalties in the world.

Harvest Superstitions.

After the rice harvest in Ceylon the priests take a little old god, called Mareii, down to the river. A hole is dug where the water is shallow and into this is crammed a bag of dry rice with the god placed on top. The saturated rice expands, forcing the image upward, so that in about 15 days it comes to the surface and is welcomed as a new god with acclamations of great joy.

THE LONDON BLACKMAILER.

His Business Increasing — How to Treat Him When Threatened.

The business of blackmailing is industriously pursued in London. The number of infractions of the moral law by the well-to-do and wealthy men and women of the English capital who stand well before the public furnishes subjects for the blackmailer. Sometimes it is a man, sometimes a woman who relies upon extortion of the guilty for a living.

A police magistrate of London, speaking on the subject, said:

"Demanding money by menace is a form of crime which seems to be very much on the increase in London. The growing laxity of morals leads to an increase of those who thrive on the victims. To-day if a man sustains improper relations with a woman and he or she has means and a blackmailer becomes aware of it a series of threatening letters are sent out. The party levied upon gives up to prevent exposure. If he fights his name and address appear in the newspapers to his undoing. Fear of this prevents a large number of prosecutions, hence the blackmailers flourish and escape punishment. Now the remedy is to prohibit printing in the newspapers the names of those charged with transgressing the moral law and to give the hearing behind closed doors where the public would be excluded. This would put a stop to blackmail.

"The blackmailer when he starts after his victim should be treated with contempt. The one thing the assailed should not do is to pay money. That would be fatal and would not secure peace, for demand after demand would be made as long as the victim had any money left. He should either consult the police or tell one or two reliable friends or see a lawyer. The blackmailer is always a coward. He runs whenever the victime resents his rascality. He is the most contemptible of criminals and he knows it. Hence a little display of fortitude will get rid of him."

Laying a Ghost.

This "ghost" story was among those omitted from Mr. Stead's famous collection: There was an ordinary cupboard door that always mysteriously creaked open at five minutes before midnight unless it was kept locked, and when it was kept locked it groaned and rattled instead precisely at the same hour. Then came along a spook expert, who discovered that at five minutes before midnight the fast express train passed along the highroad a mile away from the house and set in motion some vibratory wave that acted upon the cupboard and scared a whole household.

Luck.

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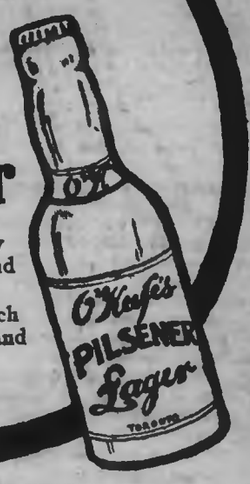

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THE LUCK OF A SEXTET.

BY A. L. DRUMMOND, FORMERLY CHIEF OF THE U. S. SECRET SERVICE.

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This story has to do with certain incidents, amusing and otherwise, that arose from the efforts of six Irishmen to restore prosperity along the New York docks in the summer of 1875. The Irishmen were stevedores, and, times being bad at their trade, they started a mint. Let one of them get a genuine trade dollar, half dollar or quarter to use as a pattern—or as a "daddy," as they called it—and they would turn out "shiners" in abundance. But such were the vicissitudes of fortune that the lack of a "daddy" often plunged them into poverty.

It was during such a period of unfortunate financial depression that I first met James Maher, or "Brock" Maher, as he was called.

Maher was a big, raw boned fellow, perhaps fifty years old, leader of the band. An old counterfeiter had offered to introduce me to him, and we found him one evening sitting on a truck in a dark corner near the Battery. Left to ourselves, he told me his story.

"Me frind," he said, "you come to me at a most unforchinit time. This is the sixt' of July. On the Fort' I got drounk, came home in a horrible condition, and while I was a-sleeping it off me old woman went through me clothes. And not a dollar or a cent did she leave me."

"That's bad, 'Brock,'" said I, "but such a thing ought to trouble you less than it would almost anybody else. You can make your own money."

"I can, can I?" he replied with feeling. "How the divvle can I make me own money when I haven't a 'daddy' to me name? Tell me that."

I couldn't tell him, and he went on:—

"Now I'll tell ye what to do, me frind. Ye're like meself—ye want money and ye don't want to wor-rk too hard fer it. If ye had come to me any time but this I could 'a' sold ye all ye could carry. But just now, as I said, I'm on me uppers. I haven't an ounce iv lead, and if I had a ton I couldn't mak a nickel for the lack of a 'daddy.' Now, I'll tell ye what ye do. Give me eight or nine dollars and come back here in two days and I'll have ye all the nice 'shiners' ye want."

I didn't like the idea of furnishing a man capital with which to commit crime, merely for the purpose of arresting him, so I told him I did not have the money with me and did not know, just then, where I could get it. I told him, however, that I expected to get a little money soon, and we parted good friends.

When I went back to the office I related the conversation to Chief Washburne, and he asked me why I didn't give Maher the money.

"I didn't give it to him," said I, "because if I had done so, and afterward arrested him, his attorney at his trial would have cross examined me something like this:—

"'Where did you first meet this defendant?'

"'Down on the docks.'

"'What was he doing?'

"'Sittin on a truck.'

"'Did he tell you whether he was out of work?'

"'Yes. He said he was.'

"'Did you give him any money?'

"'Yes.'

"'Was anything said with regard to what use the money you gave him was to be put?'

"'Yes.'

"'What was to be done with it?'

"'He was to use it to make counterfeit money.'

"'Then you found an idle man sitting on the docks and furnished him with money with which to become a criminal. Is that it?'

"And I should have been compelled to say, 'Yes.'"

"Well, I guess you are right," said the chief. "We'll go over to the United States District Attorney's office and see what advice we can get there."

We saw one of the assistant attorneys, and he was most emphatic in his declaration that I should have given Maher the money for which he asked. He finally went so far as to tell me to do it.

"I'll do nothing of the kind," said I, "no matter who may tell me to. If Maher can be caught in no other way than this he will never be caught by me."

The chief stood by me, and this means of getting evidence was definitely abandoned.

A few days later, however, the man who had introduced me to Maher told me that "Brock" wanted to see me—that he had raised a few dollars with which to buy materials and now had some counterfeit trade dollars to sell. A night was set for me to meet him, and I found him sitting on the same old truck, near the Battery.

"How are ye, Tom, me boy," said he (I was known to him as "Tom Moran"). "I wonder if ye are still broke, as ye was the other night? I hope ye have money with ye this evening, as I've got something good."

"Something good, eh," said I; "let's see it?"

"Don't be so fast, me boy," said the old man. "I want to know first have ye any money?"

"Well, Buck," I said "I'm sorry to say that I am in about the same financial condition that I was when I saw you the other time. But my sister has a gold watch, and I know where there is a pawnshop. I hate to hock the girl's ticker, but I'd rather do it than to miss anything."

"And how long would it take you to go home and get the watch?" asked the old man.

"Oh, I've got it with me," I said, pulling out my wife's watch, a timepiece worth about $17, that I had pawned in such emergencies, I don't know how many times.

"Well get to yo[illegible] uncle's in a hurry," said Buck. "Raise every dollar ye can and come back. I'll wait for ye; and I can tell ye now, me boy, that I've got something good."

I left him sitting on the truck while I went to the nearest pawnshop, returning in a little while with a pawnticket, which I showed him, and $7.

"Now, I'll talk business," he said. Pulling out a shining [illegible] dollar from his pocket, he held it before my eyes. "The Sicritary of the Trizury himself," he continued, "couldn't tell this coin from one of his own. His money and mine are like the peas in a pod. The only difference is that he charges ye a hundred cints on the dollar for his, while ye can have mine for a quarter of that. How much do ye want?"

I told him I would invest the whole $7 with him, and he rummaged around in his pockets until he had counted out and handed over to me twenty-eight trade dollars, each as bright as a new tin can.

"Stand 'em as you would water," said he, "for there's plenty more where these came from. And whin ye want more, remember that I'm the man who can give them to ye."

JAMES MAHER, ALIAS BROOK MAHEN.

ON AN OLD TOUCH DOWN NEAR THE BATTERY.

I told the old man I should never forget him, and we parted. I went home and marked each of the dollars with my initials, so that I could identify them in court. The next morning I looked up the informer who had introduced me to Buck and told him I wanted him to put me in touch with the rest of the band, one at a time, as quickly as possible. Maher's confederates were Michael Boyle, Bernard Quinn, James McGrath, Michael Tague and another man whose name I have forgotten. Maher and McGrath were manufacturers of counterfeit. The others were "shovers," or distributors.

Before night I had been introduced to Michael Boyle, and had made an appointment to go out with him the same evening to "shove." The art of "shoving" is to go into as many places as possible, make the smallest purchase consistent with appearances, pass out a piece of counterfeit money and get good coin in change. Saloons and cigar stands are usually selected for this purpose by those who deal in counterfeit silver coins. And the practice is for one man to go inside and turn the trick while another waits outside to watch for the police.

A little after nightfall I met Boyle and he gave me a counterfeit half dollar with which to begin my operations. I had already provided myself with perhaps fifty fifty-cent shin plasters that he didn't know about, and while he was outside a cigar store waiting for me I bought a nickel cigar with a shinplaster and received forty-five cents in change. In the middle of the block he overtook me and I turned over to him, by agreement, forty-five cents. Boyle then gave me another counterfeit half dollar which, as soon as I entered a cigar store I marked, paying for my purchase with another shinplaster.

Before we quit business that night, I had spent every one of my shinplasters and had in my possession as many of Boyle's counterfeit dollars. Then we divided up the change that I had turned over to him. I also gave him half of my cigars, and he went home, presumably feeling that the evening had been profitably spent.

At one night intervals I went out with the other members of the band. From McGrath, a manufacturer of counterfeit, I bought some half dollars and quarters, while with each Tague and Quinn I spent an evening "shoving."

Having obtained enough evidence, as I believed, to convict the whole crowd, the next thing was to get them under arrest. More than that, the arrests must all be made within a few hours of each other, otherwise the taking of one into custody might cause the others to flee. So I made an appointment with each one to meet me at a certain hour on a certain day, representing to each one that I was about to make a considerable investment in counterfeit. And I arranged that secret service men should cover each meeting point and arrest the man with whom I might be.

The first meeting came off at eleven o'clock in the morning. I was standing on a corner talking with James McGrath and we were discussing whether we should go into a saloon to conduct our transaction when a man stepped up to McGrath and told him he was a prisoner. At the first sign of trouble I took to my heels. For the purpose of completely deceiving McGrath, one of the officers gave chase and eventually caught me. McGrath had just been locked in a cell at the Broecker street station of the secret service when my captor and myself, panting hard, entered the front door. I was led past McGrath's cell, in order that he might see me, and locked up. But in ten minutes I was quietly let out the back way to keep my next appointment.

At two hour intervals during the afternoon I was arrested with Boyle, Tague and Quinn, respectively, in each case sprinting for my liberty and eventually being captured, locked up—and released. All were then under arrest but old Brock Maher himself, and my appointment with him was for nine o'clock at night. He was a little ahead of time, and I found him waiting for me. I at once broached the customary subject of where we should go to make our deal when a Secret Service man tapped him on the shoulder and told him he was under arrest.

Maher didn't think so. He was a powerful six footer and instantly began to fight. The other five counterfeiters having been arrested, there was no necessity for me to run in this case, and I closed in upon Maher with the others. In the midst of the scuffle I saw an opportunity, while the rest were serving as targets for his fists, to grab him by the throat. Harder and harder I shut down upon him, until finally, gasping and almost black in the face, he ceased to struggle, and handcuffs were put on him.

The next morning the six prisoners met at breakfast in the station house.

"Have inny av ye seen Tom Moran?" asked McGrath. "Poor Tom! He was with me when I was pinched, but I haven't seen him since he was locked up."

"Tom was with me when I was caught," said Quinn.

"Ye don't say so," said Boyle, in amazement. "He was with me too."

"Well, Tom himself pinched me," said old Brock Maher, and then the other five for the first time realized how they had been trapped.

"I knew ye were a copper the first time I saw ye," said McGrath, when I saw him the next day.

"Of course you did," I laughingly replied; "that's why you sold me those counterfeit halves and quarters."

"Well, ye did me no dirt when ye fooled me," said old Brock, with his customary good humor, "and I bear ye no grudge. Ye did yer jooty, and to show ye I think none the less of ye I'll shake yer hand."

One by one the cases came to trial and convictions followed as rapidly as the juries could go through the forms prescribed by law. I was feeling very good over the outcome, when one day I met Louis F. Post, attorney for the Irish sextet. Post, by the way, is now the editor of the Public, a single tax publication issued in Chicago.

"Drummond," he said, "I am going to free every one of those counterfeiters that you convicted."

I laughed as if I thought he were joking, as indeed I did, and he continued:—

"There is no joke about it. The indictments in those cases are not worth the paper upon which they are written. In every one of them is omitted the phrase required by law, 'then and there, with intent to defraud.' I am going to make a motion before the trial judge to set the convictions aside and discharge the defendants. And, under the law, he can do nothing but grant the motion."

Investigation proved all that Post said to be only too true. He procured the reopening of the case, made his motion, the convictions were set aside and all of the prisoners except McGrath, who had broken from the Ludlow Street Jail and stowed away on a steamship bound for England, were discharged. McGrath, by the way, was captured as his ship was descending the Delaware River, and he received a short term for breaking jail. The others went absolutely free.

I was unspeakably angry. Before the cases against the prisoners were dismissed I mentioned the name of the man who drew the indictments to the trial judge and pleaded for an opportunity to tell of an instance in which I knew the man in question had been corrupt in a small way.

"I once knew this lawyer," said I, "to substitute cheap three-for-a-nickel cigars for five hundred twenty-five-cent smuggled Havanas that had been turned over to him as evidence by the customs authorities. When I went to his office to get the cigars to take them back to the customs office I noticed the substitution and called his attention to it. 'What difference does it make?' he asked. 'It makes this difference,' I replied, 'that I will not return the substitutes.' And I refused to take them. I presume he has them yet, if he has not destroyed them or given them away."

The Judge listened to me intently, but the prisoners were, nevertheless, discharged. Post, by the way, was never suspected of being in collusion with the attorney. In the first place, Post is honest. Furthermore, he was not the attorney for the counterfeiters when the indictments were drawn.

Thus it came about, as a grotesque conclusion to these ludicrous cases, that the only counterfeiter who was punished was imprisoned for breaking from a jail in which he was illegally confined. And the last humorous feature was afforded when a German juror, who had voted to convict one of the Irishmen, stepped over to me in the courtroom and said:—

"You fool these Irishmen mit your talk about being a counterfeiter, but you could never fool me. Why? You have gray eyes. I have looked long, but I never yet see a man with gray eyes who gets into trouble and goes to jail. Believe me."

That was thirty-three years ago, and my observation since the German made this remark convinces me there is considerable truth in what he said.

LATEST IN POPULAR SCIENCE

THE ART OF WINE TASTING.

THE mere evidence of the senses is not rated very high by those accustomed to rely upon exact scientific measurement. Occasionally, however, the senses take their revenge. In the analysis of certain foods, for instance, facts too delicate to reveal themselves to the chemical analyst may be detected by the nose or tongue of an expert. Especially is this true of the analysis of teas or wines.

A recent French writer enumerates some of the precautions that must be observed by a good wine taster. He must, in the first place, have been tasting for some little time, and he must not be a smoker. Certain powerful flavors alter the taste of the wine entirely and must be avoided. Such are the salt relishes used to revive a jaded thirst, and even the nuts and cheese recommended by some to lovers of good wines. The expert taster must approach his task with virgin palate. He must try only one wine at a sitting and must drink water after each taste to prepare himself for the next.

Some tasters even go so far as to rinse the throat first with vichy and then with pure water. The wine is then first inspected, then smelled and finally tasted. The inspection may show various things. New red wines, for instance, are bright, older ones are more yellowish. Old wines are always clear, when good, but slight cloudiness is not necessarily a bad sign in new ones.

The odor test is very important, as the bouquet reveals many secrets to the expert, who can often tell by it the precise region where the wine was made, besides detecting adulteration, if any has been attempted. The tasting proper, which comes last of all, also depends very largely on the sense of smell, as we are told by the physiologists and also on that of feeling, by which the expert's tongue, for example, distinguishes between a rough and a smooth or velvety taste. The real sense of taste tells the tester whether the wine is sweet or bitter and enables him to make other similar distinctions.

The wine is well spread over the mucous surface of the mouth in tasting and is retained until warmed. If it is swallowed too soon much of the effect is lost. Often, too, a young wine that tastes somewhat thin and rough at first reveals after an instant that it has body and gives promise of delicacy.

SENDING PICTURES BY WIRELESS.

THE first application of wireless telegraphy is to the transmission of pictures, a feat already accomplished in this case over ordinary telegraph wires. The [illegible] apparatus, which is the invention of a Danish electrician named Knudsen, dispenses altogether with the use of a substance electrically sensitive to light, such as silenium, which is commonly employed in such apparatus.

The picture to be transmitted is previously so prepared as to raise the dark portions above the level of the lighter parts, forming a low relief. In the case of a photographic plate, for instance, a metallic powder, which will adhere to the damper opaque parts and not to the transparent places, may be dusted on.

In the sending instrument a style travels rapidly over the picture and closes an electric circuit whenever it is slightly raised by passing over the parts in relief. The current thus caused to flow actuates the wave generator, and the wave ultimately reaches the distant receiving apparatus, where it so acts as to press down a pencil, making a black mark. As this receiving pencil has a motion precisely corresponding to that of the style at the transmitting end, a mark will be made at all places corresponding to the raised or dark portions of the original picture, which will, hence, be exactly reproduced. This apparatus may be adapted to any system of wireless telegraphy. It will send a picture 10x12 inches in size in fifteen to twenty minutes.

THE X-RAY IN THE STUDY OF DIGESTION.

THE processes of digestion have been studied of late by means of the X-ray, the food being made opaque to the ray by mixing bismuth with it, so that its progress may be observed by taking successive radiographs. What may be learned by this method is illustrated by the recent reports of experiments on the action of morphine on the stomach. It has long been known that this drug retards digestion, but the X-ray reveals the fact that this action takes place almost entirely in the stomach. When the food reaches the intestine the morphine has no further effect upon it. It appears, therefore, that the morphine acts by retarding the natural churning motion that plays such an important part in stomach digestion, and therefore causes the process to occupy a longer time than usual.

THE ANCESTOR OF THE POTATO.

FROM which of the known species of wild potato did the cultivated variety arise? This question has long puzzled botanists. A short time ago potatoes equal to those of commerce were said to have been produced from a wild variety in France; but it was finally proved that these came, in fact, from part of a cultivated tuber that had been accidentally mixed with the wild ones. More lately it has been asserted that another wild species, grown in the experimental gardens of A. W. Sutton, of Reading, England, has spontaneously shown properties resembling those of the cultivated potato. It has been thought that this wild variety had perhaps been accidentally crossed with the ordinary tuber, or that, as in the case cited above, it was not really a wild species, but an escape from cultivation. Microscopic examination of the pollen grains, however, shows that these have all the characteristics of the wild vegetable, and it therefore seems probable that we have here the ancestor of the familiar "Irish" potato. Special interest attaches to this discovery because the wild species appears to be immune to the potato disease. It may thus be possible to breed an edible white potato that is much less susceptible to disease than the one that is now grown.

THE USE OF MOTOR TRUCKS.

WHEN motor trucks and delivery wagons were first introduced predictions were heard on all sides that the horse, except for pleasure traction, would disappear from city streets in a few years. This result seems still far off. Many of those who have adopted motor delivery report dissatisfaction with the system, and this deters others from adopting it.

The trouble, according to a recent writer, is sometimes that the wrong type of vehicle has been adopted, sometimes that those in charge of the service are incompetent. In one case, we are told, the adoption of electric trucks by a large brewery has resulted in financial loss simply because the drivers' wages remain the same, and the men are unwilling to handle twice or thrice as many barrels as before. Hence they see to it that the speed of the service is not improved.

In another instance where electric traction failed to satisfy it was found that the motors were improperly wired. Drivers of motor trucks frequently run them too fast over rough pavements to the great injury of the mechanism. The moral of all this is that those who intend to use motor delivery should have competent advice. Different types of vehicle will be required for light deliveries with frequent stops and for heavy loads with long hauls. Change to mechanical traction often enables a merchant to handle a larger volume of trade, and this more than offsets the increased running expense.

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Fiction

ON THE REBOUND.

By GARFIELD MACNEAL.

Lillian Treadwell awoke on the morning of her thirtieth birthday to the sickening consciousness that she was an old maid. She parted the cretonne curtains of her bed, curtains covered with red roses, suggestive of summer sunshine, and turned her eyes toward the window. Rain beating against the panes and dull gray sky proclaimed a cheerless November day. She sighed. Then, stretching out a shapely arm, she took a silver hand mirror from the nearby dressing table and carefully studied her features. In the language of Shakespeare, she saw "no deeper wrinkles yet," face long and oval, patrician in outline and expression, skin rather olive, eyes brown, deep and luminous, a mouth generously molded and a wealth of brown hair. On the whole, it was a notable face and one of character.

Dropping the mirror on the bed, she called "Lois!" A French maid, neat, trim and smiling, appeared with the breakfast tray.

"Ah, ma'm'selle! A thousand congratulations on your birthday."

"My thirtieth, Lois. But thank you just the same."

"Ma'm'selle is still young, and already fame has come to you. And when your novel is published the world will be at your feet," said Lois, with a comprehensive sweep indicating the world.

"Oh, yes, the novel!" murmured her mistress, sitting up and starting in on her coffee and rolls, while the maid laid a bundle of letters and manuscripts on the bed.

Miss Treadwell opened the one bulky package and looked at the accompanying letter. It was from a great publishing house formally expressing regret that they were unable to accept her novel.

She gulped down something in her throat. Her novel declined—her first really original work, to which she had given the leisure hours of six years! Truly, this was a most delightful birthday gift.

"Lois," she said, and her voice trembled—"Lois, my novel has been declined."

"Ah, ma'm'selle, I am too sorry"—with quick sympathy—"but some other publisher will accept it."

Her mistress shook her head. "I shall not send it out again. I shall stick to hack work. I can at least make a living at that." Then she added reflectively, "My life has been a failure."

Lois protested. She worshiped her mistress. "Ma'm'selle has been successful. You have a pretty apartment and everything you want."

"Other women, too, have pretty apartments and everything they want."

"Ah, yes, but they did not work for them," said Lois, with a worldly shrug, as she went in response to the electric bell, which at this moment buzzed loudly in the hall.

She reappeared with a huge white box. "Flowers, ma'm'selle, and a note," she said gayly.

Miss Treadwell cut the ribbon that held the box and disclosed a mass of violets. They seemed to look up at her tenderly, yet shrinkingly, as she bent over them. With a sigh of pleasure she took the note and studied the bold handwriting of the superscription. Her heart jumped. Surely it was Jack's! Dear old Jack had remembered her!

She slit across the end of the envelope while her fingers trembled and eagerly unfolded the paper.

"Dear Lillian," she read, "may I hope that this remembrance of your birthday will prove that I have not forgotten you? I have been in town two days. I secured your address from C.'s Magazine and send these flowers to warn you that I am coming to invade your sanctum sanctorum and talk over old times. Always your friend, Jack Ainsworth."

She started up, scattering letters and manuscripts on the floor. "Lois," she said decidedly, "I want you to lay out my new morning gown, the sea green one with the train."

Sitting down at her dressing table, she began a careful toilet. Her thoughts were busy with the past. Jack had been her girlhood friend in the little inland town where they were both born and bred. Again she was twenty-four and he was twenty-six. Why had he never spoken? She knew he loved her, and perhaps she had loved him, too, then. But when her mother's death left her alone in the world she was seized with the desire to come to New York to try her fortune. Jack had advised against it, but a strange perversity made her deaf to his warnings.

At first they had kept up a correspondence. Soon even that link was broken as she was drawn more and more into the absorbing whirl of newspaper and magazine work. For five years no letters had passed between them. To be sure, she had heard of him indirectly—how he gradually forged ahead from clerk in the railroad office to manager of the whole system, and she had been glad for his sake.

And now, after all this time, they were to meet. She wondered what he would be like. Doubtless he had lost the fresh boyish beauty she so well remembered. He was past thirty now, she reflected with a sigh. Doubtless, too, his career as a man of affairs had made him brusque and cold. She had visions of bearded cheek and chin and perhaps glasses. Horrors! Had it really come to that? Well, she would live in the old days and pay no attention to externals.

When at last Lois announced that Mr. Ainsworth was in the drawing room she swept to her mirror and surveyed the graceful figure reflected there. Her gown of sea green fell in shimmering folds. Her hair was done beautifully, and some of the violets were clasped in the silver girdle at her waist. She could not fail to be satisfied.

This consciousness helped her to enter the drawing room with the perfect self possession of a woman of the world. With outstretched hand she greeted him as if they had parted but yesterday.

"Jack! How good of you to come to see me on my birthday and to send me these lovely flowers!" turning to a center table where the violets were displayed.

Jack Ainsworth gasped. Could this elegant woman, with her perfect hair and silvery voice, be his old friend?

"Lillian," he said, still grasping her hand, "is it really you?"

She smiled, and it was her old smile.

"Yes, Jack, it is I. You see, I am going the way of the world."

"Nonsense! You are perfect!" he cried vehemently.

She was no less charmed. There was no evidence of beard or glasses, though the boy had grown into the man—tall, athletic, clean shaven, with strong jaw and deep voice. His honest gray eyes feasted on her beauty. She flushed.

"Tell me what you have been doing all these years, Jack," she said finally.

"Oh, working hard and following your career!"

"Yes," she said, "you have done well for yourself, and I am proud of you. As for my career, it has not amounted to much."

"Lillian," Ainsworth said, leaning forward eagerly, "do you know that you have not written a line I have not read! You ceased to write to me, but I did not forget, dear."

Miss Treadwell had forgotten the rain and the unfeeling publisher.

"Tell me, Jack, what brings you to New York?" she asked.

"I have been elected vice president of the road and must live here," he replied.

"Then I suppose you will marry and keep up an establishment?" with a pretense of lightness.

"I don't know," he said dubiously. "There never was but one girl for me, and she—she has achieved fame. She would not think of giving up glory to become the wife of a railroad man."

A feeling long dead woke in the woman. "But she might be willing, Jack, if you asked her," she said almost wistfully. "She might gladly give up all her false glory to find real happiness."

"If I thought that," said Ainsworth breathlessly, "I'd ask her in a minute."

She thought of the novel, of the hack work, of the loneliness of her life which this friend of the past brought sharply before her.

"Jack," she said, "I've decided"—she paused, then went on rapidly, fingering the violets in her belt—"to give up literature for good."

Ainsworth started forward. "Do you really mean it, Lillian?"

"Yes, I do," she replied bravely.

"But why?" he inquired, doubting, puzzled.

She looked up at him, and he read it in her shining eyes.

He leaped forward and folded her in his arms, crushing the violets in his eagerness. "My darling!" was all he could say in trembling tones.

As for Miss Treadwell, with that embrace came the realization that woman was not made to live on mind alone.

"Lois," she called after a little "bring me the manuscript of my novel!" She took it from the wondering maid and turned to Jack, with a radiant smile. "Come," she cried gayly—"come to my study fire and help me make dust and ashes of my literary pretensions."

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Japanese Calendar.

Reference is frequently made to the floral calendar of Japan. What this calendar is is explained in the Housekeeper. The Japanese are extremely fond of all flowers, and they have therefore made a calendar from them, giving to each month a favorite blossom or leaf.

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Fiction

ON THE REBOUND.

By GARFIELD MACNEAL.

Lillian Treadwell awoke on the morning of her thirtieth birthday to the sickening consciousness that she was an old maid. She parted the cretonne curtains of her bed, curtains covered with red roses, suggestive of summer sunshine, and turned her eyes toward the window. Rain beating against the panes and dull gray sky proclaimed a cheerless November day. She sighed. Then, stretching out a shapely arm, she took a silver hand mirror from the nearby dressing table and carefully studied her features. In the language of Shakespeare, she saw "no deeper wrinkles yet," face long and oval, patrician in outline and expression, skin rather olive, eyes brown, deep and luminous, a mouth generously molded and a wealth of brown hair. On the whole, it was a notable face and one of character.

Dropping the mirror on the bed, she called "Lois!" A French maid, neat, trim and smiling, appeared with the breakfast tray.

"Ah, ma'm'selle! A thousand congratulations on your birthday."

"My thirtieth, Lois. But thank you just the same."

"Ma'm'selle is still young, and already fame has come to you. And when your novel is published the world will be at your feet," said Lois, with a comprehensive sweep indicating the world.

"Oh, yes, the novel!" murmured her mistress, sitting up and starting in on her coffee and rolls, while the maid laid a bundle of letters and manuscripts on the bed.

Miss Treadwell opened the one bulky package and looked at the accompanying letter. It was from a great publishing house formally expressing regret that they were unable to accept her novel.

She gulped down something in her throat. Her novel declined—her first really original work, to which she had given the leisure hours of six years! Truly, this was a most delightful birthday gift.

"Lois," she said, and her voice trembled—"Lois, my novel has been declined."

"Ah, ma'm'selle, I am too sorry"—with quick sympathy—"but some other publisher will accept it."

Her mistress shook her head. "I shall not send it out again. I shall stick to hack work. I can at least make a living at that." Then she added reflectively, "My life has been a failure."

Lois protested. She worshiped her mistress. "Ma'm'selle has been successful. You have a pretty apartment and everything you want."

"Other women, too, have pretty apartments and everything they want."

"Ah, yes, but they did not work for them," said Lois, with a worldly shrug, as she went in response to the electric bell, which at this moment buzzed loudly in the hall.

She reappeared with a huge white box. "Flowers, ma'm'selle, and a note," she said gayly.

Miss Treadwell cut the ribbon that held the box and disclosed a mass of violets. They seemed to look up at her tenderly, yet shrinkingly, as she bent over them. With a sigh of pleasure she took the note and studied the bold handwriting of the superscription. Her heart jumped. Surely it was Jack's! Dear old Jack had remembered her!

She slit across the end of the envelope while her fingers trembled and eagerly unfolded the paper.

"Dear Lillian," she read, "may I hope that this remembrance of your birthday will prove that I have not forgotten you? I have been in town two days. I secured your address from C.'s Magazine and send these flowers to warn you that I am coming to invade your sanctum sanctorum and talk over old times. Always your friend, Jack Ainsworth."

She started up, scattering letters and manuscripts on the floor. "Lois," she said decidedly, "I want you to lay out my new morning gown, the sea green one with the train."

Sitting down at her dressing table, she began a careful toilet. Her thoughts were busy with the past. Jack had been her girlhood friend in the little inland town where they were both born and bred. Again she was twenty-four and he was twenty-six. Why had he never spoken? She knew he loved her, and perhaps she had loved him, too, then. But when her mother's death left her alone in the world she was seized with the desire to come to New York to try her fortune. Jack had advised against it, but a strange perversity made her deaf to his warnings.

At first they had kept up a correspondence. Soon even that link was broken as she was drawn more and more into the absorbing whirl of newspaper and magazine work. For five years no letters had passed between them. To be sure, she had heard of him indirectly—how he gradually forged ahead from clerk in the railroad office to manager of the whole system, and she had been glad for his sake.

And now, after all this time, they were to meet. She wondered what he would be like. Doubtless he had lost the fresh boyish beauty she so well remembered. He was past thirty now, she reflected with a sigh. Doubtless, too, his career as a man of affairs had made him brusque and cold. She had visions of bearded cheek and chin and perhaps glasses. Horrors! Had it really come to that? Well, she would live in the old days and pay no attention to externals.

When at last Lois announced that Mr. Ainsworth was in the drawing room she swept to her mirror and surveyed the graceful figure reflected there. Her gown of sea green fell in shimmering folds. Her hair was done beautifully, and some of the violets were clasped in the silver girdle at her waist. She could not fail to be satisfied.

This consciousness helped her to enter the drawing room with the perfect self possession of a woman of the world. With outstretched hand she greeted him as if they had parted but yesterday.

"Jack! How good of you to come to see me on my birthday and to send me these lovely flowers!" turning to a center table where the violets were displayed.

Jack Ainsworth gasped. Could this elegant woman, with her perfect hair and silvery voice, be his old friend?

"Lillian," he said, still grasping her hand, "is it really you?"

She smiled, and it was her old smile.

"Yes, Jack, it is I. You see, I am going the way of the world."

"Nonsense! You are perfect!" he cried vehemently.

She was no less charmed. There was no evidence of beard or glasses, though the boy had grown into the man—tall, athletic, clean shaven, with strong jaw and deep voice. His honest gray eyes feasted on her beauty. She flushed.

"Tell me what you have been doing all these years, Jack," she said finally.

"Oh, working hard and following your career!"

"Yes," she said, "you have done well for yourself, and I am proud of you. As for my career, it has not amounted to much."

"Lillian," Ainsworth said, leaning forward eagerly, "do you know that you have not written a line I have not read! You ceased to write to me, but I did not forget, dear."

Miss Treadwell had forgotten the rain and the unfeeling publisher.

"Tell me, Jack, what brings you to New York?" she asked.

"I have been elected vice president of the road and must live here," he replied.

"Then I suppose you will marry and keep up an establishment?" with a pretense of lightness.

"I don't know," he said dubiously. "There never was but one girl for me, and she—she has achieved fame. She would not think of giving up glory to become the wife of a railroad man."

A feeling long dead woke in the woman. "But she might be willing, Jack, if you asked her," she said almost wistfully. "She might gladly give up all her false glory to find real happiness."

"If I thought that," said Ainsworth breathlessly, "I'd ask her in a minute."

She thought of the novel, of the hack work, of the loneliness of her life which this friend of the past brought sharply before her.

"Jack," she said, "I've decided"—she paused, then went on rapidly, fingering the violets in her belt—"to give up literature for good."

Ainsworth started forward. "Do you really mean it, Lillian?"

"Yes, I do," she replied bravely.

"But why?" he inquired, doubting, puzzled.

She looked up at him, and he read it in her shining eyes.

He leaped forward and folded her in his arms, crushing the violets in his eagerness. "My darling!" was all he could say in trembling tones.

As for Miss Treadwell, with that embrace came the realization that woman was not made to live on mind alone.

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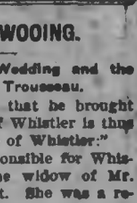

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"Jimmy," I said, "will you marry Mrs. Godwin?"

"Certainly," he replied.

"Mrs. Godwin," I said, "will you marry Jimmy?"

"Certainly," she replied.

"When?" I asked.

"Oh, some day," said Whistler.

"That won't do," I said. "We must have a date."

So they both agreed that I should choose the day, what church to come to for the ceremony, provide the clergyman and give the bride away. I fixed an early date and got the then chaplain of the house of commons, the Rev. Mr. Byng, to perform the ceremony.

It took place a few days later.

After the ceremony was over we adjourned to Whistler's studio, where we had prepared a banquet. The banquet was on the table, but there were no chairs. So we sat on packing cases. The happy pair when I left had not quite decided whether they would go that evening to Paris or remain in the studio.

How unpractical they were was shown when I happened to meet the bride the day before the marriage in the street.

"Don't forget tomorrow," I said.

"No," she replied; "I am just going to get my trousseau."

"A little late for that, is it not?" I asked.

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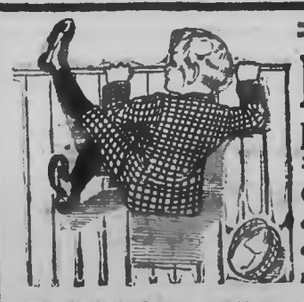

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Canadian Exhibit At The Great Exposition In Seattle, Wash., Will Attract Much Attention

Seattle, Jan. 24 — "It will unquestionably be the most beautiful exposition ever held in the world, and the remarkable progress you have made so far ahead of the opening date amazes me," said Charles Dana Gibson, the creator of the "Gibson Girl," after a trip over the grounds where the West is building the Alaska Yukon Pacific Exposition, which will be held in Seattle from June 1 to October 16th, 1909.

Mr. Gibson stood at the head of the Cascade Court, the central decorative feature of the grounds. Straight in front of him, but eighty miles away Mount Rainier, the highest mountain peak in the United States, reared its head until its snow covered crest was lost in the white fleecy clouds that hovered around it. To the left the Cascades made a rugged outline against the sky, and to his right the Olympics rose to majestic heights from the shores of the Pacific Ocean. Away off to the North-west the Selkirks carry a sea of snow capped peaks to the distant horizon. In the distant foreground, through stately pine trees that have so far withstood the march of progress, Lake Washington glittered. It was a December morning, but Mr. Gibson and Norman E. Hapgood, editor of Collier's Weekly, who was with him, wore in their button holes roses they had plucked as they strolled over the exposition grounds.

The salient features may be cited as below:—

The Government of Canada will have its building at the exposition completed and ready to receive exhibits by the latter part of April, thirty days in advance of the opening day. With the possible exception of the State of Washington, Canada will have the most complete display of agricultural and horticultural products exhibited at the 1909 Fair.

Recent advices received by the Exposition management from the Canadian Exposition Commissioner, states that the work of collecting and assembling the exhibit of the Government of Canada has been under way for several months, and it will be the most elaborate and comprehensive display ever undertaken by the Canadian Government at any exposition. In the exhibit particular attention is given to the agricultural resources of the country, and both British Columbia and Eastern Canada will be fully represented in the display.

In addition to the exhibit of the Canadian Government, the Canadian Pacific Railway will have a building and exhibit at the exposition.

As British Columbia is directly adjacent to the exposition, the exhibit from this section of Canada will furnish the larger portion of the exhibit. The mineral resources of British Columbia will be fully exploited and there will be exhibits of every known mineral found in this section.

Canada will also make a comprehensive display of its dairying, and will be a strong contender in the exposition live stock show. The exposition management has appropriated $100,000 for premiums in this department, and blooded stock from all parts of the United States and Canada will be shown. Already a number of the best known breeders of Canada have made applications to enter stock. The live stock show opens Sept. 27 and closes Oct. 20. This late date was arranged in order to allow two of the larger circuits to close in Seattle during the exposition.

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There is just one way to cure dyspepsia and stomach troubles, trivial or serious and that is to tone up or put energy into the stomach walls, so that they will be able to properly mix or churn the food.

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Harry Dodd, of Bridge street, Hastings, Ont., says: "For seven years I had suffered and spent much money doctoring, but all to no avail. I could eat but very little, as the food would ferment and sour, making gas, which caused serious heart depression. I was in constant misery, sour gas would belch from my stomach, I was languid and weak and had no ambition. I did not feel like going anywhere or seeing anyone. There was a constant dull pain in the pit of the stomach. I was unable to sleep, was nervous, restless and would awake more tired than on going to bed. I tried Mi-o-na and soon found relief, and in less than six weeks Mi-o-na had completely cured me.

Wm. Madill, the druggist, sells Mi-o-na tablets at 50 cents a large box, under a rigid guarantee to do all that is claimed for them or money back.

The Senate's Hole in the Wall.

When the nineteenth century was as yet only half grown, senators applied customarily for their toddies at the so called Hole in the Wall, a small circular room just off the postoffice of the upper house. The latter body then occupied what is now the chamber of the supreme court, and the postoffice was across the main corridor of the building on the same floor. When a wearer of the toga found himself in need of a "snifter" he had only to cross over to the mails department and pass through it to the little circular room aforesaid, which was about the size of a pantry. The Hole in the Wall was the first senate restaurant, and the bill of fare for edibles was short, though to the point. There was ham, guaranteed to have been smoked for six months, a veritable sublimation of the pork product; there were corned beef and bread and cheese, but very little else. They served, however, as an accompaniment for the fluids, and when the Hole was crowded, as was often the case, senators ate their sandwiches outside, in the postoffice.—Washington Post.

The Cold Iron Duke.

There are two characteristic stories of the great Duke of Wellington's cold nature to be found in the recollections of Lionel Tollemache, newly come from the press. When one of the duke's sons was ordered abroad with his regiment he was naturally affected at the parting with his father because he might never see him again. Not so the Spartan parent. "On his making the announcement, the duke, who had been reading, damped the son's emotion by saying shortly, 'Good-bye, Charlie, good-bye'; and, taking a last look before leaving the room, the son was mortified to see that the father appeared to be as intent on his reading as ever." The second anecdote concerns a naval officer, a near connection of the duke. His ship was lost and he was drowned; but all Wellington said when the news was brought to him was, "That's the second ship he has lost."

His Mother-in-law Won.

By one of those queer marriage settlements sometimes made in England a young man agreed to pay his wife's mother $100 on the first day of each year. He settled in Canada, and when he came to make the remittance he deducted the amount of the postage and sent her only $99.84. The mother-in-law insisted that she must have the other 16 cents, and after they had quarreled by mail about it for a month or two she had her attorneys bring suit against him in the Ontario courts. She made him pay, too, and stuck him for the cost of the action, though she was obliged to fee her own lawyers. The total expenses of this sixteen cent lawsuit were said to be exactly $612, most of which fell upon the economical son-in-law.

A Good Qualification.

The mystery of the negro mind is illustrated by a story which the Philadelphia Record prints. John, the colored applicant for the position of butler in a family living in one of the fashionable suburbs of Philadelphia, strove to impress his would be employer with his entire fitness for the place.

"Oh, yes, suh," he said, "I'a sholy well educated, suh. I's passed a civil service examination."

"Indeed," responded the gentleman, "that is very fine, I'm sure, but I can't say that that will be of any particular value to me in a butler."

"No?" said the surprised applicant. "It shose is strange how gemmen's tastes do differ. Now, Mr. Williams," naming his former employer, "he say, 'John, one thing I deman' in civil service to mah guests,' an' he done gave me a xamination ri' there, suh, an' that's the truf."

Then the gentleman saw a great light. He replied:

"Yes, you are quite right, John. Civil service is a very important and rather unusual virtue, so if you have passed that examination I think we'll consider you engaged."

A Mogul Hero.

Here is a little vignette of Babar, the first of the great moguls. At eleven he succeeded to his kingdom of Ferghana. His father was accidentally killed, and "I," says the boy, "immediately mounted in great haste and, taking such followers as were at hand, set out to secure my throne." He succeeded in holding it, nearly lost it by trusting a traitor who was "the best player at leapfrog he had ever seen" and actually lost it by grasping at the possession of Samarkand. Then came two years of wandering. Then he got Ferghana again and lost it a second time by trying to make his Mongol soldiers restore their loot to the peasantry. And all this before he was seventeen! Thirty-two years later he died, the last scene being the most striking of all. His darling son Humayun was desperately ill. Only some great sacrifice could save him, said the doctor. He entered the chamber, walked round the bed three times, saying, "On me be thy suffering," and a few days afterward died.—London Spectator.

The Dogskin Wouldn't Go Round.

Hungary swarms with barristers. It is the greatest ambition of the Hungarian peasant to make one of his sons an advocate.

The son of a small farmer in the neighborhood of Budapest was sent by his father to the law school of that town, but either from lack of parts or the necessary application he was plucked in the qualifying examination.

Not daring to return to the paternal abode empty handed after all the money that had been spent on his education, he conceived and executed the plan of forging a legal diploma. The father was not, however, so ignorant as not to be aware that such diplomas are always written on parchment—kutya-ber (dogskin)—in Hungary.

"Why is your certificate not made out on kutya-ber?" asked the old man.

"The fact is, father," coolly replied the youth, "there are more barristers than dogs in Hungary, and so there is not enough kutya-ber to make diplomas for us all."—London Answers.

Gam's Dry Humor.

When the gallant Welsh captain David Gam was sent forward by Henry V. to reconnoiter the French army before the battle of Agincourt he found that the enemy outnumbered the English by about five to one. His report to the king is historic:

"There are enough to be killed, enough to be taken prisoners and enough to run away."

This quaint forecast of the result of the battle at once spread through the camp, and doubtless every yeoman archer of the valiant company felt an inch taller. We know that it was almost literally justified by the event. Poor Gam's dry humor was equaled by his courage. He was killed while in the act of saving the life of his prince.—London Standard.

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FIGHT IN THIS CITY

As Far as the Number of Licenses is Concerned Peterborough is Most Important in Local Option Campaign.

THE BY-LAW TO BE TRIED.

Examiner Special

Toronto, Jan. 23. — Peterborough will be the chief battle ground of this year's local option campaign, at least so far as the number of licenses involved is concerned. If the by-law should carry in the seven towns and cities where a contest has already been definitely decided upon, no less than eighty-five licenses will be cut off. Only fifty-five bars were doomed in the twenty-two municipalities where local option carried on January 4th of this year, many of these places being townships with few licenses.

Here is the ambitious list with which the temperance people start out in 1909:

Municipality.	Licenses.
Peterborough	23
Brantford	20
Cobourg	12
Collingwood	10
Port Hope	9
Picton	7
Brampton	4
Total	85

In all these places a contest was planned last year, but had to be dropped for various reasons. In Brantford, for instance, the by-law was blocked by the council. Now a temperance council has been elected. Two of the licenses at Cobourg are summer licenses.

WRITER STATES THAT MIDNIGHT RATS ARE SEEN BY REVELLERS

The Examiner has received a picture post card inscribed with a reference to the "rat" article in yesterday's issue. The picture is particularly appropriate and illustrates the case well. It represents "Left at the Post." A man that had been out on a jollification had reached the meandering stage, and was leaning against a lamp post. His clothes are all awry, cuffs, overcoat sleeves watch pendant from his vest, collar held by the back button, in other words a drunk. His cane is on the ground and nearby is a dead rat. On the reverse side the following lines are written—

To the Editor of the Examiner,—

Dear Sir—It might be remarked that local option would be a good thing for those people who see rats on George street between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock. I, myself, have not met a rat or mouse on George street since I quit drinking.

Yours, etc.,
REFORMER

ACTION FOR DAMAGES AMOUNTING TO $60.00 WAS DISMISSED

The aftermath of an affair in the long swamp this side of Bridgenorth was heard in Division Court yesterday. The plaintiff, Beattie, claimed $60.00 damages from young Nicholls, the other party in the case. Judgment was given in favour of the defendant, whose counsel, Mr. R Ruddy, pleaded that the hearing in the criminal court was final and was upheld.

THIRTY DOLLARS IS FOUND AND GIVEN BACK TO OWNER

The thirty dollars which was lost by a Campbellford man in front of the George street Methodist church has been returned by a man named Brown, who found it. The former, who is on his way to Western Canada, will doubtless be pleased to receive the money back again.

THE PRIVATE SECRETARY.

Dont' forget to see "The Private Secretary," at the Grand Opera House on Monday night, February the first. We have picked most of the best artists out of the "Comforts of Home Company" for this production and a worthy performance may be expected.

"The Private Secretary" is a cleverer play than "All the Comforts of Home," and the very best talent in Peterborough has been secured to produce it. This piece will be under the direction of Irving Beers. 1d19

HIT BY A SWITCH BOARD LOCAL YOUNG MAN WAS BADLY HURT EN ROUTE FOR MATCH AT LINDSAY

John Wise Was Leaning From the Train Near Omemee When the Accident Happened—Head Was Cut.

SEVEN STITCHES NEEDED.

John Wise, son of Mr. Frank Wise, superintendent of the Little Lake Cemetery, was the victim of a very painful accident on Thursday night, while on his way to Lindsay to see the Intermediate O. H. A. game between Peterborough and the Scugog team. He left with the Peterborough team on the 5.30 G. T. R. train, and as the train was nearing Omemee he went on the platform ready to descend to the station as soon as it was reached. He was leaning out from the car to look ahead, when his head came in contact with a switch board, force of the blow sweeping him off the steps and he fell heavily to the ground beside the train. A very nasty cut was inflicted over the right eye by the blow and the wound bled profusely. He managed to climb on to the rear platform of the train there and remained there until the train reached Lindsay, when he went to the office of Dr. Brown and had the injury attended to. It was found necessary to use seven stitches in closing up the gash.

In the meantime his friends had gotten off at Omemee to look for him and missed the train, having to wait at that point for the special which came along about 7.30 o'clock.

THE WELCOME RAIN

The abundant rain that accompanied this year's January thaw was its most beneficent feature and is of untold benefit in relieving to a large extent, the water famine which has long prevailed. The rainfall of the last two days amounts to two and a half inches and will go far towards filling the streams that feed our sources of water power and remove the uncertain supply of motive force for our factories, which have been somewhat inconvenienced by scarcity of power, naturally incident to only one inch of rainfall since last June—two and one half times less in seven months than we have had in the last two days.

FORMER PETERBOROUGH MAN WAS BADLY HURT IN A RUNAWAY ACCIDENT

Examiner Special.

Havelock, Jan. 21. — Frank Coon, formerly of Peterborough, now of Havelock, got badly shaken up today by a runaway accident. He had been to the planing mill for some lumber, when the shafts of the one-horse sleigh became unfastened. The horse ran away taking Mr. Coon and the sleigh with him, and collided with a load of wood on the road throwing Frank off. He received a nasty cut under the eye, besides other bruises.

CHIEF ROSZEL AND LAWYER GORDON ENGAGE IN A TILT OF WORDS IN COURT

Chief Roszel and Mr. G. N. Gordon had a little wordy tilt at the police court this morning, causing a ripple of laughter from the ever-punctual regulars at the Chief's morning receptions. The cross fire arose out of the fact that Mark Pengelly, who was charged with stealing 6 chickens from Margaret Hurd did not plead nor elect, and the prosecution were not prepared to proceed with the case. Chief Roszel wanted a week's remand and Lawyer Gordon who appeared for the accused, raised an objection.

"It is simply an abuse, the way the Chief asks for enlargements of a week at a time."

Magistrate Dumble interjected with very likely a double meaning, "Yes, this court is abominably run."

Mr. Gordon stated that he did not think his client could get bail and it certainly was not fair to lodge a man in gaol for a week until the prosecution were ready.

"He will come out far better looking than he is now; it will do him good," the Magistrate remarked.

Chief Roszel explained that he had to go back 18 months to another chicken stealing affair.

"Well, it's pretty slow going if it takes you 18 months to work up a case," was Mr. Gordon's parting shot, and Pengelly waits the week.

HEAVY FINE IMPOSED ON YOUNG MAN WHO STARTED FRACAS IN RAILWAY COACH

Fined $20 and costs, amounting in all to $28.45, a young man paid rather dearly for his interfering with Conductor Johbitt on Thursday night, returning from the hockey match in Lindsay. G. T. R. Detective W. E. Scott, who was in the car at the time, gave rather damaging evidence, showing that the accused had interfered and generally made a nuisance of himself in the coach.

"When a man makes himself drunk and plays the fool he must pay the shot." No other evidence was taken.

THE MASTER PAINTERS OF CANADA MAY HOLD ANNUAL CONVENTION IN THIS CITY

At a special meeting of the Master Painters' Association of Peterborough held on Thursday evening, in the hall on Simcoe street, it was decided to endeavour to have the next annual convention of the Master Painters of Canada, which meets in July of this year, held in Peterborough. The association has a big membership and some 300 or 400 delegates would be present for the convention, so that it will be recognized that their coming to Peterborough would be very beneficial to the city. At the meeting it was decided to write to the executive in regard to the matter, and also to send a deputation to Hamilton to the meeting of the executive which will be held in Hamilton on January 28th, when the question of where the convention will be held will be decided.

Mr. E. V. Hobs, of Toronto, was present and gave the members a practical demonstration of analysing lead and colours. His remarks were interesting and instructive and were listened to with close attention.

MONEY IS RETURNED

Barber Engaged Apprentice Getting $25 for Teaching Business and the Term Was Not Finished.

CASE IN DIVISION COURT

Wilbert Barcroft paid $35.00 to a barber in the city to learn the business. He was kept on for a time but before he had completed the course, his connections with his employer were severed, and it was to receive the money that he took the case to court. Judge Weller gave judgment in his favour, the barber having to return the money to his would-be apprentice.

WESTWOOD MAN AT EIGHTY YEARS STILL IN BUSINESS

Congratulations are being extended to Squire John Breckenridge, of Westwood, who, on Thursday, completed his eightieth year. Mr. Breckenridge is still hale and hearty, and is as active as a much younger man, being still in business, being the proprietor of a saw mill and flour mill. He is postmaster of Westwood and a Justice of the Peace. His wife who is two years his junior, is still living. Mr. Breckenridge was born in Ayrshire, Scotland.

COURT PETERBOROUGH C. O. F. TO CELEBRATE 30TH ANNIVERSARY

There was a largely attended meeting of the officers of Court Peterborough, No. 29, Canadian Order of Foresters, on Friday night, when preliminary arrangements were made for the celebration of the 30th anniversary of the institution of the Court. It will take the form of a banquet to be held on Monday, March 1st, in the Court's rooms. In addition to a splendid banquet there will be a short programme of music, and it is expected that Mr. J. A. Stewart, High Chief Ranger, of Perth, will be present and during the evening will deliver an address. The officers are determined to make this anniversary a success and further announcements will be given later.

GIVEN JUDGMENT FOR $102.00 IN THE DIVISION COURT

Mrs. Lydia Bird received judgment against Mr. B O Miller for $102.00, an amount which she had lent him. The case was heard in the Division Court yesterday.

JUNIORS TO PLAY GAME IN OSHAWA

Local O. H. A. Youngsters Have Still a Chance to Win the Round.

The Peterborough Junior O. H. A. team will journey to Oshawa on Monday afternoon and expect to beat the homesters although they realize that Oshawa are liable to prove an awkward proposition on their own ice. The Petes are by no means out of the running yet as by winning their next three games they will be in a three cornered tie with Port Hope and Cobourg. The local kids are in good shape and count on a victory on Monday.

JUDGMENT AWARDED TO ROBT. SMITH FOR WORK ON THE SEWER FROM SCHOOL TO ROMAINE ST.

Counsel for Defence Says a Few Things Against the Board of Education on Their Pressing the Work.

CONTRACT WAS SUBLET.

At the Revision Court sittings yesterday Robert Smith was awarded his claim against McGregor and Reid for work done on the line of sewer between the King Edward School and the now famous Romaine street bungle. The Board of Education had let the contract to McGregor and Reid, and they in turn sublet it to Mr. Smith. Afterwards there was some repacking to be done and Mr. Smith finished this. The Board later had a manhole built at the junction of the branch sewer and that on the street. There was still a leakage and no payment was made McGregor and Reid for the repacking, and in turn Mr. Smith did not get his wages. However, the Judge awarded him his claim and it was intimated that McGregor and Reid should also have collected their money from the Board. Mr. R. F. McWilliams, who represented the plaintiff, scored the manner in which the Board of Education had passed forward the erection of the sewer. There was rapid cross fire between Mr. McWilliams and Mr. D. W. Dumble, who indirectly defended the Board of Education. The former stated the building had been built too low and without levels for the engineer, with the result that a proper floor could not be obtained when sewer on street was was laid. Considerable interest was manifested in the case.

SIMPSON TO MEET HAYES.

In a letter to Joe Hay, Tom Eck states that Fred Simpson will likely meet Johnny Hayes in Newark over the Marathon distance in three weeks. Simpson is coming along in grand style. He did 10 miles in 58 mins. a few days ago against a strong wind over an icy board walk and was not exerting himself. Eck states that he expects Simpson to be yet a good beater. He is running an exhibition 5 or 6 miles to-night in Newark as a preliminary to the relay race in which Longboat meets Spring and Hallen.

BULLETINS OF THE RACE IN NEW YORK

Will be Received at the Big Lindsay-Peterborough Hockey Game.

One of the features in connection with the Lindsay-Peterborough hockey match here on Tuesday night will be the fact that bulletins of the great Marathon race in New York between Tom Longboat and Alfie Shrubb will be received at the rink and will be announced to the crowd. Arrangements are being made for a complete list in service direct from New York and the crowd will be kept informed of the progress of the race which is causing so much excitement in the world of athletics.

AMUSING INCIDENT IN WHICH LOCAL VOCALIST FIGURED PROMINENTLY

The Toronto Saturday Night says of Miss Helen Davies, of Peterborough:

An amusing incident occurred at the first concert of the National Chorus on Monday evening last. After the singing of Miss Helen Davies in Bridge's "The Flag of England," an usher rushed down the aisle with a large bunch of American Beauty roses. Miss Davies, who was threading her way out through the orchestra, did not see him, nor did Dr. Albert Ham, who was leading her off the stage. The audience gave her a recall, but the usher who had stationed himself beside the organ, absolutely concealed from her by the musicians on the platform, refused to make a move. Some of the players tried to solve the situation, but as they were mostly foreigners they failed to make themselves understood. The audience saw the situation and recalled the singer again without succeeding in budging the usher from his post, where he held the bouquet aloft.

Finally the situation got too much for the nerves of Mr. Frank Morley, secretary of the Board of Trade and one of the founders of the National Chorus. Speeding down the aisle with the swift glide of a panther, he ordered the youth to go and give the bouquet to Miss Davies the next time she came out.

The usher obeyed, but in a grudging way, for he remarked: "Well, she's supposed to come over here where I am."

THE TIT-BIT OF THE HOCKEY SEASON WILL BE LINDSAY-PETERBORO GAME

The tit bit of the local hockey season will be dished out to the fans on Tuesday night when the Lindsay Midgets will be here to do battle with the Petes. A victory for the visitors will give them the championship of the group, as that they can be depended upon to put up the hardest kind of a battle while on the other hand Peterborough must win to keep in the running, and it is certain that the locals will play the game of their career knowing what depends upon the result.

The weather man is expected to provide keen ice for the game as the present brand of late soft stuff is not expected to last until Tuesday night. Lindsay claim to be at their best with the going good while it is certain that the Petes do not relish ice as it was served in Lindsay on Thursday night. Both teams are in the best of shape and it will be a battle royal with one of the biggest crowds in years to cheer the teams along. Lindsay will be down with a big bunch of noise producers on a special G T R train and there will be enough excitement crammed into two hours to last the season out.

PAYMENT OF ACCOUNTS

All accounts due the firm of H. LeBrun & Co., Clothiers, are required to be settled not later than the 8th day of February next, as our books must be closed on that date. Parties having accounts against this firm are requested to send them in for payment before the above date.

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Inspector in His Report on Protestant Home Does Not Think Any More Should be Expended on Building.

THE COUNCIL SHOULD HELP.

The government inspector who recently visited the Protestant Home, has the following report of the conditions there:

On inspection the beds and bedding, halls, dormitories, closets and drainage were found satisfactory. The ventilation is not good and can never be made good in a building so poorly adapted for the purpose of a Home. The building is old and one upon which it would not be prudent to make any expenditure for much improvement.

The old people at this Home are carefully looked after and the management is excellent, those in charge being evidently faithful and kind in looking after those committed to their care. All the inmates seemed cheerful and contented.

An effort should be made during the current year to provide a new building for this Home.

The city of Peterborough should come to the assistance of the Board with a liberal grant, for at present there are several old men in the county gaol who should be provided for elsewhere.

It is understood that the management of the Home is very anxious to see a new building erected. The Home has an endowment of $22,000 as a result of the generosity of the late Mrs. Nicholls, which would be sufficient to maintain the building while there would be no expense in securing a site, as the property upon which the present Home is situated is owned by the Board.

ST. THOMAS WATER RATES MAY BE DIMINISHED

Commissioners' Report Shows Surplus of $21,272 for the Year.

St. Thomas, Jan. 23 — The report of the civic water commissioners shows a surplus for the year of $21,272.66. After deducting $10,031.01 for debenture paying, $11,251.01 was handed to the Council to assist in wiping out its deficit. The board is now considering lowering the water rates.

THE GREAT CORELLI AT GRAND OPERA HOUSE

Corelli, the famous illusionist, appears at the Grand Opera House, Peterborough, for one night on Saturday, Jan. 30, matinee and night, bringing his own company of specially selected artists. All skilled in the conjurer's art. The programme will be entirely new and elaborate, devised, constructed and designed solely to amuse, mystify and entertain. Corelli carries over six tons of paraphernalia with which he performs those mysterious illusions. Some of the mysteries that he performs are "She" the double cabinet mystery. Mystic Singing Head. The Levitations of Princess Aga, and Corelli's multiplying furniture. You can see a farce comedy a drama and a comic opera any day, but the Great Corelli once in a life time.

THE ELECTRIC CITY PETERBORO.

The Electric City Peterborough,
And its great water power privileges,
And its great commercial advantages,
And its manufacturing resources,
And its transportation facilities,
And it's Alderman's great abilities,
Are all good assets for Peterborough,
In the Premier Province Ontario,

The Electric City Peterborough,
With its good School Board and its Board of Trade,
And Water Commissioners not afraid,
And an up-to-date first-class Fire Brigade,
And mobile Fifty-Seventh for parade,
And grand city brass band fully arrayed
Are all good assets for Peterborough,
In the Premier Province Ontario,

The Electric City Peterborough,
With its Trent Valley Canal and Life Lock,
With a Post Office and a City Clock,
Electric Works on thirty acre block,
Its Quaker Oat Mills are good paying stock,
With street cars running by electric shock,
Are all good assets for Peterborough,
In the Premier Province Ontario,

The Electric City Peterborough,
With fifteen Churches and nine money Banks,
Three Daily Papers with their platform planks,
With canoe factories in the highest ranks,
With Otonabee River driving cranks,
For all accept a poet's hearty thanks,
Are all good assets for Peterborough,
In the Premier Province Ontario,

Jan. 22nd, 1909. J. R.

THE ELECTRIC CAR LINE FROM COBOURG TO PETERBOROUGH MAY FOLLOW THE ROUTE OF THE OLD RAILWAY FROM THE LAKE FRONT

The proposed electric railway from Cobourg to the Kawartha Lakes through Peterborough, a charter for the carrying out of which has recently been applied for to the Legislature has aroused much interest in this city and the scheme is being eagerly discussed by the citizens who realize the importance of the project and the benefits that would accrue to Peterborough from its completion.

A number of well known local gentlemen in discussing the proposition hit upon a plan that on its face looks entirely feasible and which it is said could be carried out without difficulty. The suggestion is that the road bed of the old Cobourg-Peterborough railroad, which formerly ran from the Lakeshore port to this city, crossing Rice Lake on a bridge between Harwood and Hiawatha, and running through the township of Otonabee to Peterborough be used. It was pointed out that the adopting of this plan would provide a road bed for the line at a small cost as no levelling or grading would have to be done, as in the case of employing another route. The road bed of the old line still survives and it is said would require very little work upon it to make it suitable for the purposes of an electric road.

Of course the bridge across Rice Lake is long since gone, only the piers remaining to show where it once stood, but the difficulty of the passage from Hiawatha to Harwood could be overcome by the use of a ferry between the two points which could either carry the electric cars across or else bring the passengers from one side to the other. By adopting this scheme the cost of extending the line around the end of Rice Lake and through Bewdley, running across the townships of North and South Monaghan to Peterborough would be done away with.

The benefits that would result from the building of the line from Cobourg to Peterborough can easily be seen. It would put Rice Lake on a firm footing as a summer resort, not only from a Peterborough point of view, but for tourists as well. With a trolley line reaching the lake from Cobourg and Peterborough it would make the trip there much more comfortable and convenient. Eastern states people could come to Cobourg by steamer and be at Rice Lake a few minutes after on the trolley line, whereas now they have to drive the distance, making it very inconvenient.

For Peterborough people it would make Rice Lake much more easy of access than it is at present. Business men could send their families there for the summer and spend the week end with them conveniently, being able to reach the city in plenty of time for business, by using the electric cars.

It would also result in a larger number of people from the Rice Lake district coming to Peterborough to do their business and in this way the city would benefit.

The new road, if gone ahead with, should prove a most profitable investment.

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WANTED.

WANTED — TEAMS TO DRAW CORD Wood at Blackwater. Apply at once to W. Myree, 168 Antrim. 1d 19 5084

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AGENTS—WE WANT A GOOD MAN OR woman in every County in Canada to sell our Medicated Toilet Soaps and Family Remedies, in Combination Packages. From one to four sold in every house. The greatest sellers ever offered to agents. One hundred per cent. profit. Write to-day for full particulars. The F. E. Karn Co., Limited, cor. Queen and Victoria sts., Toronto, Canada. ttfns 9 4894

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WANTED — TEACHER FOR SCHOOL Section, No. 8, Chandos, for nine months beginning April 1st, 1909. Apply stating salary expected to Robert Hawkes, Sec.-Treas., Chandos P.O., Ontario. 1d-19 8w-4 5067

BOARDERS WANTED.

BOARDER WANTED — PERSON DESIRING warm, bright room with board, convenient and central, may be accommodated by applying at 318 Charlotte street. 3d 18 5075

HOUSES AND ROOMS TO LET

TO RENT — APPLY J. BELL, PHONE 547L. Nos. 127 and 129 Rubidge st., 10 rooms, $12.00. Nos. 126 and 128 Park street, 10 rooms, $10.00. No. 123 Park street, 15 rooms, rent $20.00. dtf

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TO RENT—OFFICE No. 12 IN BANK OF Commerce Building; heated, possession immediately. Apply at 437 George Street.

TO RENT — HOUSE No. 343 RUBIDGE street; hot water heating and all modern conveniences; immediate possession. Apply 437 George street. d-tf

HOUSES TO RENT

Houses to Let at reasonable rent. Apply for particulars at **W. H. BRADBURN'S OFFICE** over Dominion Bank, corner George and Simcoe Streets. dtf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE — PONY, SUITABLE FOR parcel express or small grocery delivery; a bargain. Apply Coates' Barber Shop, 164 Simcoe street. 2d 18 5071

FOR SALE — No. 3 WIDE CARRIAGE Underwood Typewriter, used only a short time, cost $147.50, will sell for $100.00 cash. Peterborough Typewriter Co., 159 Simcoe street, Phone 655. dtf

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WE ARE SOLE AGENTS FOR PETERborough and the territory between Toronto and Kingston for the Parisian Novelty Co., and have samples of all kinds of advertising novelties on hand. Call and see them at the Examiner office.

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Nice Frame House corner lot, nicely painted and papered, city water, size of lot 40 x 80, for $1,000. This property is a snap—party leaving city.

Beautiful Brick House double parlors, winter kitchen, summer kitchen and wood shed, 4 bed rooms, bath room, complete electric light fixtures, furnace, cement cellar floor and cement walks to front and side entrance. This can be bought for $2600.

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R. A. ELLIOTT & CO.
Real Estate Agent

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The Bell Telephone Company of Canada

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for the
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F. W. DOAN,
2d-17 Local Manager

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8 Acres of first-class garden property on the river bank south of the city, nice frame cottage on a good foundation, frame stable and out-buildings.

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Office open Saturday evening only

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LOTS
high and low in price.
FARMS
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Daily Examiner.

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R. M. GLOVER, Managing Director.
Advertising rates on application.

UNION LABEL

SATURDAY, JANUARY 23, 1909

CANADA AND PARLIAMENT.

The work of the Parliament of the Dominion began at Ottawa on Thursday. While minor matters and matters of detail should receive adequate attention, from the nature of things, it is evident that the scope of parliamentary action has a wider range. There is no room for the "little Canadian" spirit, nor the "Little Canadian," by which is meant the man, public or private, who has no faith in the future, or intelligent knowledge of the resources and capabilities, of Canada.

The philosophers enjoin upon us the duty of knowing ourselves; that should include our country or we are unfortunately ignorant, and cannot appreciate our responsibility as citizens towards it. In no vain glorious, but in a truly grateful and solemn spirit should we learn and speak of the extent and greatness of its resources.

It will be information to many Canadians, that this country is greater in area than the United States, by about 178,000 square miles, with only one-twelfth of the population; that Canada is larger than thirty United Kingdoms with only one-seventh of the population; that Canada is almost as large as Europe and twice as large as British India; that this Dominion is one-third the area of the British Empire and yet half this area has not been partitioned into provinces. Only one-quarter is occupied less than one-twelfth is under cultivation, and one-third is unexplored. One can travel, every foot on Canadian soil—from Vancouver to Halifax—a distance greater than the breadth of the Atlantic from Halifax to Liverpool. These facts which should be known to every school boy should be known to those who decry the country and throw discouragement upon enterprises aiming at its development.

To estimate and encourage ourselves in aiming to achieve the possibilities of the future, a knowledge of what our achievements have been will not be without its help.

To go back only twenty years. Then our total revenue was only $36,000,000, our expenditure slightly more, our net debt was $234,000,000, and Canadian credit good. Our total trade was only $200,000,000 a year, The Canadian Pacific, which has since built up a new Dominion in the West, was still in the stage of struggle, the Transcontinental was undreamed of, and our total production of minerals was only $2,000,000.

What has been done is shown in part by the fact that last year Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta produced grain crops totalling 233,000,000 bushels and contained over three million horses, cattle and sheep. The minerals produced in Canada last year showed a growth in value from $2,000,000, twenty years ago, to $86,000,000. Last year our total trade was $650,000,000, the total revenue was $96,000,000, with a surplus of $19,500,000 and the total debt approximately $290,000,000.

In expansion of this encouraging comparison it may be mentioned that twenty years ago with one-third less revenue, with no Saskatchewan or Alberta, with merely a nominal western grain crop and production of minerals, with development practically at a stand-still, the net debt of Canada was $234,000,000. This year, after adding to the wealth producing area of Canada, two provinces, each larger than France or Germany, and double the size of Great Britain, and yielding 200,000,000 bushels of grain; with a revenue of $96,000,000, a total trade three times greater, with the assets of Canada practically doubled, with its machinery of development vastly improved, the total debt in twenty years from 1888, is only $290,000,000 or an increase of $50,000,000. The debt increased on an average of two and one-half millions a year, while the revenue showed an average increase of three millions per year.

And what we have done is merely a beginning. We are only nicely started on the path of progress. With a great improvement in our transportation facilities, with a vast western expanse awaiting profitable exploitation, with Northern Ontario and Quebec made contributaries to the national total of wealth, with a thousand miles of the Transcontinental railway completed and the remaining 2,800 miles well under way, we can see great things in the future. Besides the areas of North-west crop lands tributary to the Transcontinental, we have 150,000,000 acres yet to be opened. To open up these, to make them factors in the trade and commence and wealth production of the Dominion is work for four statesman, in which every citizen can give sympathetic support. What Canadians must learn, publicists as well as public, is to hold an abiding faith in the future of the country, and each do his share in meeting the requirements of patriotic statesmanship and patriotic citizenship.

If in this spirit Parliament enters upon, and discharges, its duties, the coming session will add its share to the legislation whose trend is to bring about the realization of the great future which lies before the Dominion of Canada.

In figures $300,000,000 of a public debt is formidable, but not in relation to the almost unbounded resources of the country and natural potential wealth. A capable financier could take a block of the land brought into market by the building of the Grand Trunk Pacific and so manage it as to pay off Canada's national debt.

A PROSPEROUS YEAR.

The annual report to the Directors of the Toronto Savings and Loan Company, presented at the annual meeting, yesterday, and printed in this issue, reveals results of a very successful year's operations. The net earnings of the year after payment of debenture interest and management expenses amounted to $96,583.81. Adding last year's balance of profit and loss of $35,725.18 makes a total of $132,308.99 available for distribution. This was apportioned to the payment of four quarterly dividends, at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, and, a very satisfactory feature, the payment of a two per cent. bonus upon the $1,000,000 of paid up capital, amounting to $20,000. The Reserve Fund was also strengthened by the addition of $30,000 bringing this fund up to the satisfactory total of $650,000, equal to 65 per cent. of the paid up capital stock of $1,000,000. These distributions left $22,308.99 to be placed at the credit of Profit and Loss. General prosperity has marked the operations of the year; payments on the company's investments have been satisfactorily met and rentals have been properly paid. The general results are of an all round gratifying character and reflect credit upon the efficiency of the local management.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Manitoba Legislature is called to meet on February 4th.

The Public Accounts inform us that the amount expended last fiscal year on capital account upon the Trent Canal was $343,176.05.

The revenue from hydraulic rentals collected in Peterborough last fiscal year and deposited to the credit of the Receiver-General was $2,701.04.

Last year the Royal Mint of Canada, made a profit of $284,228 upon its silver coinage, and $4,111 on its copper coinage, a total of $288,339. At this rate it will not take the mint long to pay for itself; the public accounts stating that the expenditure upon it last year was $219,899.84.

Hon. Mr. Foster evidently intends continuing his verbose contribution to the bulky ponderosity of Hansard. The first day of Parliament, out of seventy-eight notices of motion and questions, thirty-three stand in Mr. Foster's name.

Hon. Mr. Foster evidently sees his chances for holding down the Finance Minister's place on the Treasury benches, still far away. He gives notice of an intention to advocate a larger participation of Canada in the defence of the Empire, presumably by helping build navies and maintain armies—maintaining a larger share of the burden of Imperial defence. This is all very nice as sentiment, but evidently Mr. Foster feels he is not responsible for making ends meet; not perhaps that that would make very much difference; Mr. Foster has never been very careful on that score, or if he were he concealed his solicitude very successfully in scoring a beautiful record of deficits.

GOWGANDA

The quickest and best route will continue to be via the Grand Trunk and T. & N. O. Railway to Charlton, thence 18 miles by stage to Elk Lake and 32 Miles Elk Lake to Gowganda. This route will enable steps to be made at Temagami, Cobalt, Haileybury, New Liskeard and Englehart. Cobalt special leaving Toronto 10.15 p. m., daily, makes direct connection with stages reaching Elk Lake next afternoon. Full information from W. Burton, G. P. & T. A. fdlf

WANTS FAMILY SEAT.

Sir Edward Gordon Johnston Taking Steps to Acquire His Estate.

The report is current that steps are being taken by Sir Edward Gordon Johnson and some friends, who are acting in his interests in the matter to acquire the old Johnson family manor house and grounds at Rougemont, near Chambly, Quebec, as a family residence.

The manor has historical and other associations which impart an interest to it that few buildings around Montreal possess. For generations it represented all that was left of the vast estates that were owned by the first Sir Wm. Johnson chiefly on the Mohawk River in New York State. The great domains that Sir William owned were confiscated by the United States Government at the close of the war of the American Revolution as a punishment for his loyalty to the British crown.

The Canadian patrimony was never great as compared with the huge Mohawk crown possessions, but it with the house that stood where the end of the Bonsecour market now is, once formed the city residence of the succeeding baronet, was the remnant that remained with the family of wealth that had it passed on intact with the title would probably have equalled even that of Rockefeller.

Sir Edward, who is still a clerk in the office of the auditor of agencies of the C.P.R., and looking as bright and cheerful as if he possessed all the millions that his ancestor might have had if he had taken the other side in the war, said recently, he was not yet in a position to state what action is being taken with a view to the recovery of the estate which the last baronet allowed to pass out of his hands; but he hopes the efforts now being made in that direction will be successful. A number of the family relics, including pictures and silver are in the Chateau Ramsey.

NO HURRY-UP WAGON.

Big City of Winnipeg Is Without a Black Maria.

It is a remarkable fact that Winnipeg, now a city of over a hundred thousand people, has not a single police patrol wagon. When a drunken or disorderly person is arrested on the streets of the western metropolis, the policeman simply grabs the man and drags and hustles him along to the "coop," leaving his own beat unguarded in the meantime. One has only to recall some of the stirring arrests made in by-gone days in one's little old home village to realize the excitement of such a scene. The Winnipeg newspapers, however, say that the people there are disgusted with the degrading spectacle of helplessly intoxicated people being hauled along the sidewalks of the city, and an agitation is on foot for the inauguration of an urban police system.

This is an excellent illustration of the fact that the west is growing so rapidly in a physical sense that conventional clothing can't be made fast enough to fit it from day to day. But the west needn't worry about that. As long as its sturdy growth continues—and nothing can stop it—it will have all the essentials of civilization, even if it has to do without a few of the frills for a while.

A MOTHER'S AID IN THE NURSERY.

Every mother should be able to treat the minor ailments of her little ones. Prompt action may prevent serious illness—perhaps save a child's life. A simple remedy always at hand is therefore an absolute necessity, and there is nothing else so good as Baby's Own Tablets. These Tablets promptly cure all stomach and bowel troubles, break up colds, cure simple fevers, expel worms and make teething easy. Good for the new born baby or the well grown child, and guaranteed to contain no opiate. Mr. L. W. Smith, St. Giles, Que., says: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets for constipation and other ills of childhood, and find them the best medicine I have ever given my little ones." Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Wanted to Match Him.

An Englishwoman temporarily residing in Toronto assured the writer that such a thing as a debt on a church is unknown in England. He is not one of the sort who easily "rests assured," and has since learned from another Englishwoman, whose acquaintance with churches is probably more intimate, that upon the parish church which she attended in Lancashire, a debt, dating from the time of Oliver Cromwell, was only recently paid in full. Travelers' tales of the marvellous are more interesting when the narrator's imagination, rather than his innocence, is brought into play.

This recalls the story of a Canadian lawyer, who, while in England, consulted a celebrated specialist with the object of relieving the anxiety of his friends at home.

Having inquired the amount of the doctor's fee, he placed the gold coin on his palm, covered it with the other hand, and invited the physician to match him.

"But, I don't understand," gravely replied Sir Andrew, perhaps beginning to suspect that he had overlooked some symptom in the case.

"Oh, we always do that in Canada. Doubles or quits, you know. We'll match to see if you get two guineas or none."

No doubt Sir Andrew made a note of this extraordinary colonial custom, but he didn't choose to speculate.

Not the Line, but "Central."

Minnie—You've got your nerve to say "busy" to so many folks instead of trying to get the number they want for 'em.

Grayce—It ain't no lie, though. Most of the time I am busy when I say that.—Kansas City Times.

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Toronto Savings and Loan Company

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Toronto Savings and Loan Company was held at the Head Office of the Company, No. 437 George Street, Peterborough, on Friday the 22nd day of January, 1909, at two o'clock p.m.

DIRECTORS' REPORT

The Directors submit herewith their Twenty-fourth Annual Report, showing the result of the business for the past year, accompanied by the Balance Sheet to the 31st December 1908.

The Gross Earnings for the year amounted to $191,579 61, and after the payment of Interest on Deposits and Debentures, and all expenses of management, there remained a Net Profit of $96,583.81. To this amount has been added $35,725.18, the balance carried forward from last year, which makes a total sum for distribution of $132,308.99.

This amount has been disposed of in the following manner:

(1) By payment of four Quarterly Dividends of 1½% each, equal to 6% for the year, amounting to	$60,000.00
(2) By Bonus of 2% for the year on $1,000,000 Paid-Up Capital	20,000.00
(3) By Addition to the Reserve Fund	30,000.00
(4) By Amount carried forward to Profit and Loss Account	22,308.99

The above addition to the Reserve Fund increases that account to $650,000.00, making it now 65% of the present Paid-up Capital of $1,000,000.00.

All payments maturing during the year on the Company's investments have been satisfactorily met, and the rentals from the property owned by the Company have also been promptly paid. The books, accounts and securities of the Company have been carefully examined by the auditors and their Report is attached to the Financial Statement.

GENERAL STATEMENT

31st December, 1908

ASSETS

Net value of Investments		$2,899,685.72
Cash on Hand		2,123.54
Cash in Banks		79,135.64
Sundry Accounts due to Company		6,227.50
		$2,987,172.40

LIABILITIES

Currency Debentures and Deposits, with accrued Interest	$941,548.04	
Sterling Debentures with accrued Interest	337,491.29	
		$1,279,039.33
Sundry Accounts due by Company		824.08
Capital Fully Paid	$1,000,000.00	
Reserve Fund, 31st Dec., 1907, $620,000.00		
Transfer from Profits of Year	30,000.00	
	650,000.00	
Profit and Loss Account	22,308.99	
Dividend due 1st January, 1909	15,000.00	
Bonus 2% for the Year 1908	20,000.00	
		1,707,308.99
		$2,987,172.40

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

We hereby certify that we have carefully audited the Books and Accounts of the Toronto Savings and Loan Company for the year ending 31st December, 1908. All disbursements have been properly vouched for, and the postings and balances of the Company's ledgers have been checked and found correct. The above statement of Assets and Liabilities shows the position of the Company on the 31st December, 1908, and the Profit and Loss Account is a correct showing of the operations of the Company for the year ending on that day. We have also examined the Securities and find everything in order.

Peterborough, January 11th, 1909. JAMES A. HALL, W. S. HODGENS } Auditors

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

Quarterly Dividends Nos. 56, 57, 58 and 59 being at the rate of 6% per annum		$60,000.00
Bonus 2% for the year on $1,000,000.00		20,000.00
Transferred to Reserve Fund		30,000.00
Balance carried forward		22,308.99
		$132,308.99
Balance at the Credit of Profit and Loss Account 31st December, 1907		$35,725.18
Net Profits for the year, after deducting charges of Management, Interest on Deposits, and Debentures, etc.		96,583.81
		$132,308.99

W. G. MORROW,
Managing Director

The usual resolutions were passed, after which the following gentlemen were elected Directors for the ensuing year:—

PRESIDENT:
HON. GEO. A. COX

VICE-PRESIDENTS:
W. G. MORROW, Esq., and RICHARD HALL, Esq.

DIRECTORS
PETER HAMILTON, H. C. COX, A. L. DAVIS, D. W. DUMBLE and JAMES STEVENSON.

F. W. MORSE TENDERS HIS RESIGNATION

Vice-President of G.T.P. Suddenly Leaves the Road.

NEWS CAUSES SENSATION

Charles M. Hays Says There Was No Friction Between Him and General Manager, But Enmity of Contractors May Have Forced the Move —Leaves For Trip In Mediterranean—Dramatic Departure.

Montreal, Jan. 23.—The Dominion Government, having absolutely declined to trust any longer with F. W. Morse, vice-president and general manager of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, that gentleman has placed his resignation at the disposition of the board of directors, who will consider, and, no doubt, accept the same without delay, while Mr. Morse has sailed for the Mediterranean.

Although he left New York Thursday, the resignation was not known generally in the city before five o'clock yesterday afternoon, yet so sudden a move on the part of so well-known a railway man did not fail to create almost a sensation in railway circles.

Charles M. Hays, president of the Grand Trunk Pacific, gave out a statement last evening to the effect that there was no friction between the president and vice-president, and that he regretted the departure of Mr. Morse, and that the work of the general manager would be always considered as a tribute to his ability and knowledge as a railway man.

The president absolutely refused to further discuss the departure of Mr. Morse.

It is quite probable that several things contributed to create this misunderstanding. In the first place, every contractor in the country was an open enemy of Morse, and again the supporters of the Ministry were being generally rubbed down the wrong way by him. It was stated many times that Mr. Morse was too partial to American contractors.

The manner of his departure was exceedingly dramatic. Yesterday afternoon, about five o'clock letters written on board the train between Montreal and New York were delivered to a number of friends in this city, saying that Mr. Morse had resigned, and that he would explain his position at a later date. J. W. Stewart, the G.T.P. contractor on the first 100 miles east of Prince Rupert saw Mr. Morse in New York last Thursday, and although he told him that he was sailing for the south of Europe. Mr. Stewart was the last to believe that Mr. Morse had really vacated his position.

Governments Can Charge Libel.

London, Jan. 23.—The British Law Journal, discussing the action brought in the United States against certain newspapers for the publication of alleged libelous matter in connection with the purchase of the Panama Canal from the French company, says that there is ample justification and precedent for proceedings for libel by or on behalf of a Government. The paper finds basis for this action in the common law and cites a number of precedents in 1905.

Cheap Theatres a Menace.

Montreal, Jan. 23.—The Montreal fire department has opened a strenuous campaign against the local picture houses, of which there are some sixty odd. Most of these shows are carried on in ordinary store rooms, where there are no precautions against fire. The fire captains, in inspecting the places, have found the back doors in many cases nailed up, and in other cases blocked with snow.

Zeppelin's New Airship.

Friedrichshafen, Jan. 23.—Count Zeppelin is building another airship which will bear the name of Zeppelin II., which he expects to be finished by the end of March.

Heretofore the gas has been discharged within the cigar-shaped covering, but with the new airship tubes will reach upward discharging it into the open air, thus preventing danger of explosion.

Chinese Students For 'Varsity.

Toronto, Jan. 23.—Through the British authorities in China, a proposal has reached the authorities of 'Varsity here that a limited number of Chinese students should attend 'Varsity.

It is proposed that 'Varsity should grant the Chinamen scholarships, or, at least, a reduction in the fees.

Chinese now attend United States universities.

Montreal Graduate Made Rector.

Washington, D.C., Jan. 23.—Thos. J. Shahan of Hartford, Conn., it is stated in well-informed circles, has been selected to succeed Bishop Dennis J. O'Connell as rector of the Catholic University of America.

He was born in Manchester, N.H., in 1857 and graduated from Montreal College, Canada, and studied also in the American College in Rome.

Texas Woman Freed of Murder.

Wichita Falls, Texas, Jan. 23.—After six hours, the jury in the case of Mrs. Walter Allen, wife of a wealthy business man, charged with killing another woman, returned a verdict of not guilty.

The contention was made that Mrs. Allen could not control her actions when she saw her husband seated in a buggy with the woman.

British Pensions Costly.

London, Jan. 23.—The official figures on the old-age pensions granted up to Dec. 31 last show that the total number of pensions granted was 596,038, costing £7,450,315 per annum.

To Watch Parliament.

Brandon, Jan. 23.—At the closing session of the Manitoba Grain Growers' Association it was decided to maintain a representative at Ottawa during the present session of the House of Parliament to watch the interests of the grain growers of the west.

FARMERS' WIVES TELL WHAT THEY KNOW ABOUT PE-RU-NA.

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Mrs. Magdalena Winkler, Route 5, Westminster, Md., writes:

"I thank you very much for your advice. I can safely say that Peruna and Manalin have saved my life.

"When I wrote to you the first time, asking your advice, my condition was so poor that I did not expect to live through the winter, but now I am perfectly healthy.

"I cannot praise your medicine enough, and I recommend it to others."

Catarrh of Stomach.

Mrs. Mary Allen, Route 6, Franklin, Tenn., writes:

"I am glad to be able to tell you that I am well of catarrh of the stomach, for which I am sincerely thankful to you for your advice. If it had not been for Peruna I would never have been well.

"I had three physicians. One of them told my husband that he could not cure me.

"I had been sick about nine months when a friend asked me to try Peruna to gratify her; so I commenced taking it.

"I can eat and walk and work. Everybody says I look as well as I ever did.

"Oh, you don't know how thankful I do feel to you.

"I have got several other people to take Peruna. I praise it to everybody."

Indigestion and Nervousness.

Mrs. Lenora Bodenhamer, R. F. D. 1, Box 99, Kernersville, North Carolina, writes the following letter to The Peruna Drug Manufacturing Company:

"I suffered with stomach trouble and indigestion for some time, and nothing that I ate agreed with me.

"I was very nervous and experienced a continual feeling of uneasiness and fear.

"I took medicine from the doctor, but it did me no good. I found in one of your Peruna books a description of my symptoms. I then wrote to Dr. Hartman for advice. He said I had catarrh of the stomach.

"I took Peruna and Manalin and followed his directions and can now say that I feel as well as I ever did.

"I hope that all who are afflicted with the same symptoms will take Peruna, as it has certainly cured me."

For Children's Colds.

Mrs. Henry Martin, La Motte, Ia., R. R. No. 1, writes:

"After suffering for some time with sore eyes I was advised by a friend to try Peruna, which I did at once.

"The first bottle relieved me, and after using four bottles I was entirely cured.

"I do recommend Peruna to all who are afflicted with catarrh. I have found it to be a great remedy also for coughs and colds of children; a dose at bedtime will relieve them from coughing all night. I always keep it on hand, and recommend it."

Catarrh for Seven Years.

Mrs. T. Frech, R. R. No. 1, Hickory Point, Tenn., writes: "I am happy to tell you that I am cured of catarrh. I have followed your good and kind advice faithfully. I bless the day when I wrote you of my condition, and I will always praise Peruna. I think it is one of the grandest medicines on earth.

"Having been afflicted with catarrh and stomach trouble for seven years, and after having tried four different doctors they only relieved me for a little while. I gave up all hope of being cured. I only weighed one hundred and thirty pounds, and was so weak I could hardly get around the room.

"I was induced to try Peruna, and to my great surprise I am now entirely well. My weight is now one hundred and eighty-eight pounds, my health never was better in my life, I shall always praise Dr. Hartman and his remedies."

The Farmer's Wife.

Who is in a better position to know than the farmer's wife herself what is required in the farmer's home? She must meet its troubles, solve its problems, ward off disease, nurse the sick, she must do all these things herself, and she learns by valuable experience what is best and what is not best.

In numberless farm homes Peruna is relied upon as the family medicine. Peruna books are consulted in health and disease. Peruna is used as a preventive as well as a corrective in disease.

The wives of the farmers of the United States constitute a solid phalanx in favor of Peruna. Against this testimony the slanders of a few critics will not prevail. One sensible mistress of a farm home who has used Peruna knows more about Peruna than all the magazine critics in the world.

Peruna in Her Home.

Mrs. Anna Linder, R. F. D. No. 5, Dassel, Meeker Co., Minn., writes: "For two years I suffered with that terrible disease, chronic catarrh.

"Fortunately I saw your advertisement in my paper and I spoke to my sister about your medicine. She wrote to you and I got your advice free of charge. I took Peruna and am well and a mother of two children.

"I owe it all to Peruna. I would not be without that great tonic for ten times its cost, for I am well and strong now, and cannot speak in too high terms of its value as a medicine."

In a letter dated June 12, 1906, Mrs. Linder writes: "I cannot express my thanks enough to you for all the good your medicine has done for me and my family.

This spring I took cold and it settled in my kidneys. At first I thought it was kidney trouble.

"I took Peruna as directed on the bottle and in a few days I was all right, so I owe my health to Dr. Hartman and his remedy."

Miserable With Catarrh.

Mrs. Hettie Green, R. R. 6, Iuka, Ill., writes: "Last November I had catarrh, and felt so miserable, I thought that I would go into consumption.

"I tried so many doctors and medicines, but nothing did me any good, only Peruna.

"After I began the use of Peruna I began to improve in every way.

"My head does not hurt so much, my stomach is all right, my bowels are regular, my appetite good, my complexion clear, my eyes are bright, and I am gaining in flesh and strength.

"I think Peruna has no equal as a catarrh remedy."

PUBLIC CONSCIENCE A CURE FOR GRAFT

Exonerates Higher Officials in the Marine Graft.

SUGGESTS BUYING BOARD

Recommends an Expert Purchasing Staff to Buy Supplies For Department—Agents Underpaid and Sorely Tempted In Handling Such Large Sums of Money—Late Mr. Prefontaine Blameless.

Ottawa, Jan. 23.—That the entire business of purchasing supplies for the Government should be entrusted to a board of experts.

That the cure for graft lies in the awakening of the public conscience.

That officials on small salaries are subjected to temptations of which the ordinary citizen knows little or nothing.

These are the observations in chief which Judge Cassels makes upon his investigation into the Marine Department. The report was tabled in the Commons yesterday by Hon. L. P. Brodeur, Minister of Marine and Fisheries. The evidence fills 14 volumes of about 150 pages each.

Incidentally Judge Cassels exonerates the late Hon. Raymond Prefontaine and Hon. James Sutherland, as Minister of Marine, from any responsibility for the existence of graft and over-payment in the Department over which they presided, and gives Hon. Clifford Sifton a clean bill of political health in the matter of contracts with the Department.

"I am not here to judge Mr. Prefontaine or his policy or the manner in which his Department was administered," says Judge Cassels. "There are but two places where I would consider any reflections are cast upon him. The one I have referred to in dealing with J. F. Fraser, the other in a statement made by Mr. Gregory in his defence given at Quebec. He stated in reference to Davie who gave for a period of about eleven years to Mr. Gregory the sum of $500 per annum, that he was very friendly with Davie, but did not think that a reason for him to ask for anything, and when his Minister did try and get some money out of those who can afford to pay it," he replied that the only honorable man he could trust himself with was Davie, and if he would lend him the money he would take it."

"Before concluding, I may be pardoned if I make a few observations.

"In the first place, the chief remedy for amelioration of the conditions I have sought to portray lies in the awakening of the public conscience.

"Secondly, capable and efficient officials should be adequately remunerated. Mr. Gregory, in the control of nearly one million dollars per annum, received a salary of $2,200 per annum; Mr. Harding, in the control of about $300,000 per annum, a salary of $1,800 per annum. Mr. Parsons, in the control of about $700,000 per annum, a salary of $1,000 per annum. It is an easy matter for those in affluent circumstances to hold up their hands in horror; they have not been in a position to be tempted.

"Thirdly, the abolition of the patronage system in the Department of Marine and Fisheries is a long step in the right direction."

In suggesting a remedy Judge Cassels says:

"Would it not be feasible to appoint a board of say three competent men, assisted by inspectors conversant with ruling market prices to act as

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purchasing agents for all the Departments? The office of the Auditor-General is a very valuable and necessary one, but to leave the matter to him alone is only to lock the stable after the horse has been stolen."

In the case of Harding, the agent at St. John, who borrowed money from contractors right and left, Judge Cassels says: "I would like to take as lenient a view as possible. He is evidently a man respected and with warm personal friends. He was for years in very straitened financial circumstances. His financial transactions with those having contracts or other dealings with the Department were numerous. At the same time while the transactions were numerous, in the main they consisted of accommodation afforded by his friends, money advanced to him.

Hon. L. P. Brodeur is praised for abolishing the patronage list scheme.

Do You Get Drunk?

Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 23.—The first surprise of the Carnack trial came yesterday when affidavits were filled by the state attacking the competency of one of six jurors chosen J. I. Leigh, on the ground that he was drunk on the day he was chosen.

Each talesman thereafter was asked whether he drank and whether or not he got drunk.

One man said he drank often, but got drunk only when he had nothing to do. He declared his last was fully sixteen years ago. He was rejected by the state.

A panel of 500 talesmen has been exhausted.

ROBBERS LOOT TRAIN.

Dozen Men Held Up Freight and Carry Off Merchandise.

Niagara Falls, N.Y., Jan. 23.—A gang of masked men, about a dozen in number, held up a freight train on the Rome, Watertown & Ogdensburg branch of the New York Central near the brow of the Lewiston Mountain about three o'clock yesterday morning and succeeded in getting away with several wagon loads of loot. It is believed the robbers had boats in waiting near the Lewiston docks and have made their escape into Canada.

Train, No. 38, westbound, had left Model City and was pulling up the long grade at the Lewiston Mountain. There were 54 loaded cars in the string, with three engines. About a mile and a half west of the station several men, wearing masks, boarded the train and set the brakes. As the train came to a standstill the crew of one of the engines walked back to ascertain the cause. They were met by two men with drawn revolvers and told to keep quiet. The other members of the crew, failing to get a report, also came back, and were covered.

In all the train crew consisted of ten men. A trio covered these men with their guns, while the others proceeded to pilfer the cars. A car filled with general merchandise the robbers ransacked. They then forced the crew to uncouple the first engine, climb aboard and run up the track, while they made their escape.

The spot where the hold-up occurred is one of the loneliest on the line. The robbers had waited some time for the train and had broken into the little station at Lewiston Heights and made themselves comfortable. The teams used by the robbers were found just below the Village of Lewiston, near the river's bank, yesterday morning. They had been stolen from two farmers.

Farmer Loses His Leg.

St. Catharines, Jan. 23.—An H. G. & B. electric car between Beamsville and Grimsby at 6.15 o'clock yesterday morning ran over Frank McLean, farmer, aged 40, cutting off his left leg, and injuring the other foot badly. The accident occurred about quarter of a mile from the spot where five people were killed Saturday morning by the G.T.R. flyer, and McLean is a brother-in-law of Mrs. Teeter, one of those victims.

New Fruit Tree Peril.

St. Catharines, Jan. 23.—"Unless this new gummy fungus growth on peach and cherry trees is checked at once it will prove an even greater menace to the fruit trees than the San Jose scale," was the statement made at the meeting of the Farmers' Institute on Thursday night by Walter Armstrong, scientific fruit farmer, of Queenston.

Trade Agent In Ireland.

Ottawa, Jan. 23.—The Department of Trade and Commerce has appointed the trade commissioner in Ireland in the person of Frank Bickerdike, son of Robert Bickerdike, M.P., of St. Lawrence division, Montreal, who goes to Belfast. Mr. Bickerdike will be the first Canadian trade commissioner in Ireland.

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At 8 a.m., Low Mass; at 9.15 a.m., Children's Mass; at 10.30 a.m., High Mass; at 7 p.m., Vespers with sermon.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH — Rev. J. C. Davidson, Rector.
3rd Sunday after Epiphany.
8.30 a.m. Holy Communion.
11 a.m. Matins and Sermon.
Hymns 231, 277, 265, 31.
Venite, 126; Te Deum, Simper; Benedictus, 27.
Anthem: "O Worship the King." (Maunder).
3 p.m. Sunday School. Bible Classes.
7 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.
Hymns 446, 405, 406 451.
Gloria, 179; Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis, Smart in D.
Anthem: "Praise the Lord, O my Soul (T. P. Royle).

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH — Rev. Dr. E. A. Langfeldt, M.A., Rector.
3rd Sunday after Epiphany.
8 a.m. Holy Communion.
11 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon.
3 p.m. Sunday School. Bible Class.
7 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.
Weeknight Service, Wednesday at 8.

ALL SAINTS CHURCH — Corner of Rubidge and Sherbrooke streets.
3rd Sunday after Epiphany.
Rev. H. R. Trumpour, M.A., B.D., Rector.
11 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon. Subject: "The people to whom Christianity has a massage."
3 p.m. Sunday School, Bible Classes.
7 p.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon. Subject: "Samson" (continued).
Rector will preach at both services.

CHARLOTTE STREET METHODIST CHURCH — Rev. G. W. Henderson, Pastor.
Missionary sermons will be preached by Rev. Mr. Rogers, of Millbrook, in the morning, and Rev. Mr. Weatherill, of Fraserville, in the evening.
3 p.m. Adult Bible Classes and Sabbath School.
Brotherhood in the Church at 3 p.m.
Monday at 8 p.m., Epworth League. Missionary evening.
At the weekly preaching, prayer and praise meeting on Wednesday evening the subject will be "Missions."

MARK STREET METHODIST CHURCH — Rev. C. H. Coon, Pastor.
Class Meeting at 10 o'clock.
Sunday School at 2.45.

GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH — Rev. Edwin A. Pearson, B.A., Pastor.
Missionary sermons will be preached to-morrow. In the morning Rev. Mr. Weatherill, of Fraserville, will preach while in the evening the pulpit will be occupied by Rev. Mr. Rogers of Millbrook.
2.30 p.m. Sabbath School. The following Bible Classes will meet:—
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Regular Morning Church Service and Sunday School in the afternoon.
There will be no service at night.
It is proposed to begin Public Services in the basement of the New St. James Methodist Church building about the end of January or the beginning of February. In the meantime the Sunday School will be held as usual in the King Edward School, and the week night service in the homes of the members of the congregation.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH — Rev. Robert Pogue, Pastor.
Rev. Mr. Potter will preach in the morning and Rev. Mr. Pogue in the evening. The latter will give the first of a series of sermons on Temperance in connection with the Local Option movement.
Mr. Pogue will teach the "Mitto" Adult Bible Class. Inspector Mowat will teach the Young Men's Class. The Guild will meet at 8.15 Sabbath evening.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH — Corner of Rubidge and Brock streets.
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Usual services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
3 p.m. Sunday School.

KNOX CHURCH — Rev. H. J. Keith, B.D., M.A.
Usual services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
3 p.m. Young Men's Guild and Sunday School.

THE MURRAY STREET BAPTIST CHURCH — Rev. J. R. Webb, Pastor.
Usual services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

PARK STREET BAPTIST CHURCH — Rev. W. C. Riddiford, Pastor.
Pastor will preach at both services, 11 a.m. "God's Labourers."
3 p.m. Bible School and Pastor's Bible Class.
7 p.m. "A Love Penance."
Monday: Young People's Meeting.
Wednesday, 8 p.m.: Prayer Meeting
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Regular services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Sunday School and Bible Classes at 3 p.m.
Young People's Meeting on Monday evening, 8 o'clock at the Pastor's residence.
Regular Prayer Meeting on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

GOSPEL HALL — Corner of George and Brock streets.
The Sunday School will be held at three o'clock. Any children not attending any school are heartily welcome.
The evening meeting will be conducted by Messrs. Stanway and Mason. The address will be given by Mr. Wm. Mason. Subject: "God's Salvation."
An invitation is extended to all.

SALVATION ARMY CITADEL — 228 Simcoe street. Bell Telephone 410. Staff Capt. and Mrs. Walton in charge.
7 a.m. Early Morning Prayer Service.
9.15 a.m. Bible Class.
11 a.m. Holiness Address.
2 p.m. Sunday School.
3 p.m. Public Song and Praise Service.
7 p.m. Public Salvation Meeting.
The Band will be in attendance at morning, afternoon and evening services and will render special music.
Wednesday evening at 8 p.m., Private Soldiers' Meeting.
Public Weeknight Meetings at 8 on Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Everybody welcome.

Prospects For The 1909 Fair Are Bright And Encouraging

Annual Meeting Held Yesterday Afternoon----Mr. Robert Leary Again Elected President---Reports From Last Year Most Satisfactory---President Gave an Address.

The annual meeting of the directors of the Peterborough Industrial Exhibition was held yesterday afternoon in the Council Chamber, when reports of the fair last year were presented and arrangements were made in a preliminary way for the coming year. Everything at present is bright and after the success of last season it is expected that the good work will be continued and that the fair in 1909 will be far ahead of anything that has yet been held in Peterborough.

Those present were Messrs. I. Payne, John Brown, W. B. Stewart, S. A. Oke, J. H. Garbutt, S. F. Redmond, J. R. Bell, W. E. Conway, Wm. Collins, Dr. King, Dawson Kennedy, R. Leary and J. J. Turner, Sr.

The president's report was given by Mr. Robt. Leary, who acted as chairman. He reviewed the past year, referring to the fair which had been a good success and might have surpassed expectations if the weather on the third day had been like that of the other two. However, the balance was encouraging and the fact that the entry list had been large seemed to point to much better conditions and prospects for next autumn, when the seventh annual exhibition will be held.

He would not advise any expenditure of a large amount on the present buildings. The by-law had been defeated, but the president thought that a sum of money would be voted to the purchase of other grounds at a later date, when there would be no demand for anything like $30,000. The city would like to see a good exhibition and would undoubtedly lend a substantial assistance when the time comes again. In the meantime they would have to do the best they could, and make a combined effort this year with everything conducted to the entire satisfaction of those with whom the directors have business in the holding of the fair.

Officers Elected

The election of officers followed and Mr. Leary was again appointed unanimously to the presidency, this being his third term. He acknowledged the compliment in a few well chosen words, and expressed the hope that the season would bring a success that would eclipse past exhibitions.

The officers elected are as follows:
Hon. Pres.—Mr. T. E. Bradburn, M.P.P.
Hon. Vice-Pres.—Hon. J. R. Stratton, M.P.
Pres.—Mr. Robt. Leary.
1st Vice-Pres.—Mr. J. H. Garbutt.
2nd Vice-Pres.—Mr. S. F. Redmond.
Sec.-Treas.—Mr. F. J. A. Hall.
Hon. Directors—Mayor Rush, the Warden of the County, Messrs. D. Hughes, Charles, Ed. M. Elliott, D. W. Dumble, J. H. Larmonth, J. A. Sexsmith, M.P., Jas. Thompson, M.P.P., and R. R. Hall.

The Directors are Messrs. Geo. E. Elliott, S. Deyell, W. B. Stewart, J. J. Turner, Sr., John Brown, Dawson Kennedy, James R. Bell, R. Vance, J. O'Shea, Wm. Collins, G. A. Gillespie, W. E. Conway, Jas. Baptie, S. A. Oke, F. W. Jones, Dr. King, J. A. Storey, John Cox, D. Cruikshanks, C. Moore, Ald. Phelan, Ald. Buller, D. B. Denison and S. Milburn.

A by-law was passed on motion of Mr. Wm. Collins and Mr. J. J. Turner, increasing the number of directors to twenty-four and the list was then made out.

The auditors were re-elected. They are Messrs. Robt. Fair and A. A. Hollingshead.

Mr. F. J. A. Hall presented his report as secretary-treasurer, as follows:

Receipts

Balance from 1907	$ 79 71
Legislative grant	560 00
Municipal grant	500 00
Members' subscriptions	105 00
Donations	112 00
Prize money retained for membership for 1909	124 00
Admission fees, 1909	1,670 93
Rent of grounds, etc.	132 00
Entry fees	259 75
Minor receipts	458 70
Total	$3,982 09

Expenditures

Prize money	$1,356 25
Prizes of other years	4 00
Special attractions	759 80
Rent, lighting, etc	461 95
Services of secretary	108 00
Working expenses	677 45
	$3,366 95
Balance	615 14
Total	$3,982 09

The total assets amount to $665.14.

Last Years Prizes

The number of entries last year were 1,046. The amount awarded in prize money was $1,356.25, and the amount offered was $2,120.00. The amount actually paid, including membership fees retained, is $1,356.25.

The dates for the exhibition this year were decided upon, the 16th, 17th and 18th of September meeting with general favour. Another feature that helped considerably last year was the excursion from Picton. Ald. Gillespie suggested that an effort be made to induce the same excursion party to make Peterborough their destination, and he also stated that an attempt might be made to bring others here on one of those dates. On motion of Messrs. Turner and Collins, the former step was decided upon.

In conclusion an unanimous vote of thanks was passed to the Mayor and aldermen for the use of the council chamber for meetings, to the press of the city for the liberal support they have given the exhibition, and also to all those who had assisted the directors last year.

108 Nox a Cold In One Day

The Greatest Lung Healing Medicine known to science. A guaranteed cure for all Lung Trouble, Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Sore Throat and Consumption. Every Bottle sold under a guarantee. The only Cough Medicine endorsed by doctors. 25c. Bottles.

Fig Pills Nature's Remedy For Constipation

Fig Pills will cure Rheumatism and all Blood Disease. Pimples and Blotches removed in a few days by taking Fig Pills. One taken at night time will make you feel better in the morning. Large boxes, 25c.

Manitoba	55,071,093
Oats	
Alberta	12,057,123
Saskatchewan	41,656,336
Manitoba	38,912,545
Barley	
Alberta	1,441,987
Saskatchewan	2,494,5 0
Manitoba	18,140,215

The value of the 1908 crop was £5,953,000 more than that of 1907.

LA GRIPPE'S VICTIMS

Left Weak, Miserable and a Prey to Disease in Many Forms.

La Grippe starts with a sneeze—and ends with a complication of troubles. It lays the strong man on his back; it tortures him with fevers and chills, headaches and backaches. It leaves him a prey to pneumonia, bronchitis, consumption and other deadly diseases. You can avoid La Grippe entirely by keeping your blood rich and red by the occasional use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. If you have not done this, and the disease lays you low, you can banish all its evil after effects with the same great blood-building, nerve restoring medicine. Here is proof of the wonderful power of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills over disease:

Mr. P. E. Paulin, Collector of Customs at Caraquet, N.B., says:—"In the winter of 1907 I had a very severe attack of la grippe, which broke me down entirely. I had to take to bed for several weeks. During that time I employed a doctor, but without benefit, fact I seemed to be getting worse and worse. I did not sleep; suffered from night sweats and had no appetite. I was really a physical wreck. On a former occasion I had used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for general debility, with great benefit so I decided to again try them. I sent for half a dozen boxes and began to use them at once. When taking the second box I began to feel quite a change in my condition. I was able to walk about the house and my appetite was improving. From that on I gained strength every day, and before the six boxes were done I was able to return to the office and attend to my work. Now I enjoy the best of health, and although 63 years old, am feeling quite young. I think Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a splendid medicine for troubles of this kind."

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are a blood-making, nerve-restoring tonic. In this way they cure anaemia, indigestion, rheumatism, neuralgia, St. Vitus' dance, and partial paralysis. They are the best medicine in the world for the ailments of girlhood and womanhood. Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for $2.50 from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Brockville, Ont.

ACTUAL FIGURES VINDICATE CANADA'S CLAIM TO THE TITLE OF "THE GRANARY OF THE EMPIRE"

Over One Billion Acres Form the World's Great Farm—Position of the British Empire Compared With the Rest of the World.

CROPS THAT ARE RAISED.

The position of the British Empire as regards the rest of the world treated as a mammoth farm is strikingly shown in the official return of the Board of Agriculture issued recently. The following shows the area of the world (in acres) under crops:—

British Empire	
Area under crops (acres)	307,600,000
Cattle	77,300,000
Sheep	173,800,000
Pigs	8,200,000
Horses	7,600,000
Rest of the world	
Area under crops (acres)	1,020,000,000
Cattle	202,500,000
Sheep	240,000,000
Pigs	119,300,000
Horses	63,300,000

In addition to the 1,327,600,000 acres from which crops are taken, immense tracts are included in the world's farm for grazing purposes. Thus, in Australia only 9,600,00 0acres of land are under crops, but grazing land is used by 82 million sheep and 9,200,000 cattle.

Enormous Crops

Some idea of the crop which is raised from the immense acreage under cultivation may be gained from the following comparison showing the acreage under wheat and the crop therefrom:—

	Acreage
British Empire	36,000,000
Europe	124,000,000
America	60,000,000
	Crop in quarters
British Empire	65,000,000
Europe	220,000,000
America	107,000,000

It is interesting in connection with the world's wheat crop to note that, with the exception of the Netherlands, the United Kingdom produced more wheat per acre sown in 1907 than any country in the world. Here is a list of the world's best producing countries:—

	Bushels per acre
Netherlands	38.40
United Kingdom	33.98
Germany	29.62
New Zealand	27.19
France	23.59
Ontario	21.96
Poland	16.14
United States	13.60
Argentina	11.09

In addition to wheat, the world's farm produced the following:—

	quarters
Rye	183,000,000
Barley	130,000,000
Oats	110,000,000

Agricultural Expansion

It is impossible to state exactly how much poultry the world possesses, but the figures available are as follows:—

	Fowls
Denmark	11,555,000
France	54,103,000
Germany	55,396,000
Netherland	4,935,0 0
Norway	1,640,0 0
United States	234,000,000
Canada	16,500,000
	Geese
Denmark	188,000
France	3,520,000
Germany	6,239,000
Netherland	34,000
Norway	7,000
United States	5,500,000
Canada	396,000
	Turkeys
Denmark	58,000
France	1,968,000
Germany	351,000
Netherland	11,000
Norway	4,000
United States	6,500,000
Canada	545,000

There were no definite figures for Great Britain, but Ireland possesses 17,663,000 fowls, 1,838,000 geese, and 1,651,000 turkeys.

One of the most striking facts made clear in the figures is the vast field for agricultural expansion there is within the confines of the British Empire. Thus while in Europe one in every three acres of land is cultivated, in Canada, which has a total area of more than the whole of Europe, only one acre in every 121 is under cultivation.

Britain's Granary

Canada's claim to the title of "the granary of the Empire," is vindicated by the following statement of the yield in bushels last year of the three prairie provinces:—

	Wheat
Alberta	5,242,085
Saskatchewan	43,540,091

UNSOLICITED PRAISE OF THE NORDHEIMER PIANO

Really partial as the French section of music is, it far surpasses the British section. But if a taint of shame mantles he Briton's cheek as he leaves the French department, it is deepened when he enters Canada. That a large country like France should beat us may be tolerated, but here is one of our own colonies which surpasses us. In the number of exhibits, and the way in which they were displayed, Canada leave the Mother Country far in the rear. Pianos are shown by Nordheimer of Toronto; Williams of Oshawa; Mason & Risch of Ottawa; Bell of Guelph; Leach of Montreal; Gerhard Heintzman of Toronto; and Newcombe of Toronto. Those that we tried were excellent in tone and touch, though one or two needed tuning after the voyage. The Nordheimer pianos, in particular, need fear no comparison as far as uprights go, with any competitor, and it is a matter for congratulation that such excellent instruments are manufactured in Canada. The chief point in which Canadian, like American, pianos are lacking is in the cases; possibly they suit the Transatlantic taste, but refined beauty of design is conspicuous by its absence. Reed organs, some with two manuals, and with pedals are shown by the Karn and Thomas Organ Companies.—London England, Musical News, July 25th, 1908.

BRITISH CHAPLAIN'S FATE

After long and tiring work the ruins of the house of the British chaplain, the Rev. C. B. Huleatt, were discovered on New Year's Day. The rescuing party, under Lieut. Pavin, of the British cruiser Minerva, worked until late at night, but found no one. The work was resumed at daybreak with fresh energy. In the evening another shock of earthquake rendered the work still more dangerous. Ten minutes later Mr. Huleatt and one child were found in bed, crushed but recognisable. Death had been instantaneous. All the Huleatt family are known to have perished.

The above is an extract from a paper lately received, recounting some of the casualties in the Messina earthquake. Mrs. Huleatt was well known to a lady living in Peterborough.

Every user of "Salada" Tea is absolutely guaranteed ten of the finest quality, purity and flavour. The company's well known lead packets can be purchased at any grocer's. 11.

STRATTON'S

Biggest Tumble in Prices for the Year

You can count on something extraordinary during the January Reduction Sale at the Peterborough Bookstore.

These are Bargain Days which come naturally with the clearing up of Odd Lots, etc. Unusually big snaps await you, as will be seen by this list:—

Note Papers
Fine quality Note Paper, linen cloth finish, correct society shape, regular 50c. Sale price 33c
Envelopes to match, packages of 25 Sale price.. 7c

Coaster Sleds
With spring runners. Sale prices—50c for..... 40c
and 75c for.. 60c

Hand Bags
All newest shapes, perfect goods and all sizes to choose from. Regular $1.35, sale price $1.00
Regular $2.00, sale price..... $1.50
Regular $2.50, sale price..... 1.88

Books
For Sunday School and Day School Libraries—33⅓c to 50c off published price.
1,000 English Copyright Novels, with bright lithograph covers, in colours, regular 20c. Sale price..... 12½c

Paper Your Rooms in January
Either paper them now, or buy the papers now. Stock-taking is in sight and prices are cut away down for quick selling.
650 Rolls Brown Papers, in stripe and floral, or plain and other bedroom effects, regular up to 20c. Sale price..... 6c
520 Rolls Parlour and Dining Room Papers, in Reds, Greens, Blues, etc., regular up to 50c. Sale price 15c
2,000 feet Room Moulding, regular 3c. Sale price 2½c

Window Blinds and Cornice Poles
Clean-up of broken lots and lines at big loss in Window Blinds and Cornice Poles:—
75c Window Blinds for..... 50c
50c Window Blinds for..... 38c
40c Cornice Poles for..... 25c
60c Cornice Poles for..... 49c
75c Cornice Poles for..... 58c

January is Going to be a Record Month With Us. Come and Assist

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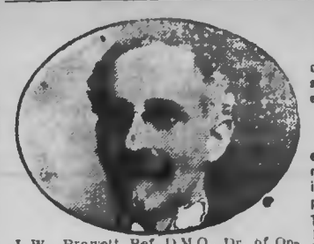

J. W. Browett, Ref. D.M.O., Dr. of Optics of Philadelphia, graduate of the best colleges of New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, Detroit and Toronto, and for the past fifteen years has been teaching Opticians throughout the various cities and towns of the United States and Canada.

AT 9 P. M. SATURDAYS
Hereafter the Peterborough Optical Institute closes at nine o'clock every Saturday night instead of ten as formerly, and 8 o'clock other evenings.

APPOINTMENTS
Evening is quite as suitable as day time for eye examinations for glasses but it is usually necessary to arrange a day or two in advance in order to secure a suitable appointment. Appointments are made by phone, letters or a call.
THE PETERBOROUGH OPTICAL INSTITUTE
In the Market Building, 332 George St., Phones—Bell 454L, Machine 7

New Dress Muslins and Cotton Voiles

Just opened up to-day. This is our first spring shipment from Europe for 1909. There are some very dainty colourings and patterns in the assortment. See them to-night. Per yard .....

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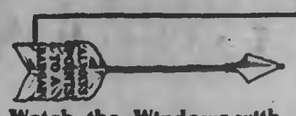

Watch the Windows with the Golden Arrows To-night

Three Days Skirt Sale

MONDAY'S daily papers will contain an itemized list of the Biggest Skirt Values ever given in the city. See window to-night. Sale commences Monday at **Cressman's.**

TRUTH ABOUT PRINCE RUPERT

British Newspaper Speaks of the New City of the North—Trade May Be Recovered.

HAS BRIGHT PROSPECTS.

Mr. E. P. Osborn, special commissioner for the English illustrated weekly Canada, gives some facts about Prince Rupert regarding which he thinks more lies has been told than about any city that ever yet sprung up in the west.

The harbour is the finest in Canada. It is formed by a perfectly-protected curved inlet sixteen miles long, a mile long, a mile broad, and twenty-six fathoms deep on an average. The bottom has good holding for anchors, and there is thirty feet of water at hte lowest tide, by the temporary wharves. The nature of the approach from seaward has been criticised in certain quarters. But all such criticisms have been finally disposed of by Captain J. F. Parry, R. N., of H. M. S., Egeria, which is making the Admiralty survey of the entrance. He says — "It is no breach of etiquette on my part to state that the result of the survey is entirely satisfactory in so far as the approach to Prince Rupert from seaward is concerned." That ought to be enough for the political variant of the modern 'Ananias'.

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Of course the real Prince Rupert is not in being yet. Until the townsite is sold—probably in May—permanent buildings cannot go up. Nearly everything there now will be swept away when the plans of the engineers are carried out. Prince Rupert is bot to be a checker-board city. To my mind, that is a great point. You can't get a picturesque city on the rectangular plan. Those who know Detroit with its radiating avenues know how pleasant it is to get away from the particular form of the square deal. Prince Rupert is to have places and parks—which will prevent a line running far—and undulating avenues and hills crowned with white edifices. It will not be one of those dull, decorous cities, where a boy and a girl can't lose themselves in case of necessity.

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The soil, which overlies solid rock, is made of decayed vegetation and is damp and peaty. Many of the present buildings are set on piles; they look like packing cases on sticks. There are two really good hotels, and a number of dollar-a-day propositions where they give the guests "good, square meals," and ask them to sleep in bunks as in French Canadian communities. At present it is a dry town, the sale of liquor being forbidden in view of the railway construction work going on there. It is said they make a kind of cider for the use of citizens suffering from a chronic thirst. But nobody offered us any. Whoever wishes to get "full" must go to Port Essington, several hours' voyage, where a perpendicular person is regarded with suspicion. When I was there I asked a man with a face like a tombstone, who was reclining on the wharf, why the whole population was celebrating the occasion. "That's so," was his only reply. Port Essington, a miniature Seattle, will be put out of action when Prince Rupert makes its real start.

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Of course, Prince Rupert is bound to become a great seaport. It will be served by the shortest and by far the easiest freight route on the continent, and the sea journey from Prince Rupert to Yokohama is 400 miles shorter than the Vancouver route and 600 miles shorter than the distance between San Francisco and the Japanese port. Naturally Prince Rupert will be the distributing point for all Northern British Columbia—a country richer in mineral resources than the more developed southern half—for the Yukon Territory and for all the Alaskan shoreline. It will eventually recover for Canada all the trade with the north that was lost to Seattle, a live city whatever its faults, during the Klondyke boom. Also it must become a great centre of lumbering, canning and the manufacturing of fishery products. Just outside the harbour is the finest halibut fishery in the world—an asset which has not yet been realized to any extent. Good progress has been made with the grading of the first 100 miles eastward on the G. T. P. and next summer the tracklayers should be at work.

Simply Astonishing

The amount of money there is thrown away on imperfect and unsuitable glasses — which fail to give satisfaction to their wearers. : : : :

The amount of genuine satisfaction and pleasure there is in wearing "T. T." Glasses — and they cost no more than the imperfect ones : :

If you require glasses "consult" us now. :

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AFTER FIVE YEARS OF SUFFERING

Dodd's Kidney Pills Effect Another Grand Cure in Nova Scotia.

Mrs. Margaret Brady Tells How They Relieved Her of Rheumatism and Made Her Stronger in Every Way.

Green's Brook, Pictou Co., N. S., Jan. 22.—Special—That diseased kidneys are the cause of the ills from which so many women suffer and that they are cured completely and permanently by Dodd's Kidney Pills, is once more proved in the case of Mrs. Margaret Brady, of this place.

"For five years," says Mrs. Brady when interviewed regarding her sickness and cure, "I was ill with kidney and liver complaint, which caused rheumatism, neuralgia and heart flutterings. My nervous system was affected and my blood seemed to lack vitality.

"I tried medicines and was under the doctor's care, but received no benefit till I used Dodd's Kidney Pills and Diamond Dinner Pills. They relieved me of rheumatism and made me stronger and better in every way. These remedies and no other cured me."

Dodd's Kidney Pills always cure diseased kidneys and all diseases that are caused by diseased kidneys or impure blood.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON QUESTIONS

Suggestive Questions on the Sunday School Lesson by Rev. Dr. Linscott for the International Newspaper Bible Study Club.

Jan. 24th, 1909.

The Lame Man Healed — Acts iii: 1-26.

Golden Text — His name, through faith in his name, hath made this man strong, whom ye see and know. Acts iii: 16.

Verse 1 — Are two devout persons better than one for worship?

Is it any help in the Christian life for each Christian to have a very intimate spiritual friend?

Did God think any the less of him for being lame?

Is any sickness or bodily infirmity necessarily sinful?

What proportion of our ailments are a result either of our sin, or our culpable ignorance? This question must be answered in writing by members of the club.)

To what class of persons do the poor generally go for help?

Verse 3 — Which is the better, to beg or to starve?

Was this a legitimate way for this man to make his living?

Should the state maintain all persons who are born with infirmities, which makeit impossible for them to maintain themselves?

Are our laws righteous which forbid begging?

Verse 4 — If you want to impart spiritual benefit, can you do it more effectually by looking the person straight in the eyes?

Verse 5 — Does effectual teaching or helping others depend as much upon the person taught, or needing help, as upon the teacher or helper?

Verse 6 — Was it an advantage, or a disadvantage, that Peter and John had no money to give?

Was it an advantage or a disadvantage to the lame man that Peter and John had no money?

Would a church do better work if it did not give money to the poor, but instead gave them the things they needed most?

Need the lack of money, or ability, ever prevent any man from doing the work in life which God has appointed him to do?

If we invoke the name of Jesus in the work to which we are appointed, what effect will it have upon the accomplishment of our work?

Verse 7 — By what power was this lame man healed?

What reason is there for the belief, that the power of God generally works in conjunction with human effort?

Verse 8 — Would it be wise or not, if we made more outward demonstration in returning God thanks for the wonders of his love?

Is there any merit in outward enthusiasm if we have inward loyalty to God?

Verse 9 — If we were to outwardly demonstrate more, would the work of God go on faster?

Verses 10-11 — What is the greatest influence in advancing Christ's Kingdom?

Verse 12 — Is it a sign of faith or of unbelief, when we "marvel" at the fulfilment of any of God's promises?

Verses 13-16 — Which was the guiltier, Pilate or the chief of the Jews, for the murder of Jesus?

Verse 17 — If a man does a wrong thing through ignorance when he could have known better, is he as guilty as if he knew better?

Verses 18-26 — What is our only reasonable hope of salvation?

Lesson for Sunday, Jan. 31st, 1909 — The Trial of Peter and John. Acts iv: 1-31.

DO FAT FOLKS WORRY?

Most thin people would say, no. Most fat folks, yes. They have all the causes for worry thin people have, and one other—their fat. Fat mortifies women because it spoils their appearance, and it distresses men, for it affects their activity. A few are afraid of it. There are few fat members of either sex who would not gladly dispense with 30 to 50 pounds if they knew how.

The "how" is my excuse for taking up this newspaper space. Although very few fat folks know it (and those who do are no longer fat), there is a very simple method of reducing safely. All one has to do is take after meals and at bedtime one teaspoonful of the following simple receipt, which any druggist will fill for a few cents: One-half ounce Marmola, 3-4 ounce Fluid Extract Cascara Aromatic, and 4 3-4 ounces Peppermint Water, and the trick is turned.

This is a certain cure for "fat folks' worry," for it does away with all necessity for exercise or dieting. It never causes wrinkles or stomach disturbances, and 12 to 16 ounces, I am told, is by no means an unusual amount of fat for it to take off daily.

MUSIC AND DRAMA

Miss Lina Dreschler-Adamson's recital in the Conservatory Music Hall a week ago last night was both delightful and successful. For a while Miss Adamson did not play in her best form but on the night of the recital she played better than I have ever heard her. In the first place her programme was admirably chosen and arranged. Everything suited her and pleasingly complemented the other numbers. It is difficult to say which was the most interesting number she played. I wanted to hear all of the "Bruch Concerto," but of course it is too long to play at a recital where variety of schools is necessary, but what she did give us, the slow movement, was thoroughly enjoyable.

She is most sincere and direct, so absolutely free from mannerisms that there is a seeming lack of individuality in her interpretation, but to me that is an added charm. I like the "Locatelli Sonata" very much. It is graceful and well written and unaffected. So many Schubert songs lend themselves so readily to transcription that when as well rendered as the Wilhelmj arrangement of the "Ave Maria," one almost prefers the transcription. Miss Adamson was compelled to bow several times after it and finally respond to an encore.

The "Spohr Concerto" for two violins was another interesting number, in which Miss Dreschler-Adamson played with her daughter. I was like the almost gorgeous odour of lavender in its quaint old-fashioned style. Its purity of form was as refreshing as a cool nook on a hot day. Of course the two players were perfectly en rapport. The Godard "En Regardant le Ciel" and Sitt's Scherzo-Tarantelle" are taking programme pieces and closed a delightful evening.—"Melos" in Saturday Night.

Enjoyable Banquet Held By The Carpet Weavers

Many people were present on Friday evening at the banquet given in the Grand Hotel by the Carpet Weavers' Association. This affair was a great success both financially and socially. Many of the carpet weavers took part in the programme which was a very long one, but none the less acceptable for that.

The hall was beautifully decorated with flags and flowers, and the menu was a most excellent one. During the supper a presentation was made to Mr. Hall, the secretary of the Association, of a beautiful carving set. This was presented by the vice-president, Mr. A Giles, and in a few well chosen words he pointed out that Mr. Hall had been untiring in his labours for the good of the members of the Association, and for the promotion of the banquet. Mr. Coley was also one of the promoters of the banquet and also proved a very acceptable chairman. He has been a prominent union man and official for the past 25 years in this country.

A large toast list was also one of the features of the evening. Letters of regret at their inability to be present were read from the organizer of the Textile Union, Mr. C A Miles, and Mr. H E Wadley, manager of the Brinton Carpet Factory in this city. A large number of ladies were present to lend their grace to the assembly. Songs were sung by Miss Beatrice Hawthorne, Mr. Fred Hall, Mr. R Murdock, Mrs. Sydney Yarrington, Mr. Daniel Ferguson, Miss Lily Hawthorne, Mr. Bert Farley, Mr. A Giles, Mrs. W Hall, Mr. E Yarrington, Mr. T Monk, Mr. G Skelding, Mrs. A Giles, Mr. W Jackson, Mr. E Stanfield, Mr. J Skippen and Mr. T Edwards.

At the conclusion of the programme the hall was cleared for dancing which was largely indulged in.

The banquet is noticeable as being the first that the association has ever held in this city and without exception it was a very great success. The enjoyable evening was brought to a close with the singing of the National Anthem.

The officers of the Association are as follows:

President—Edward Coley.
Vice-Pres.—Alfred Giles.
Rec. Sec.—Walter Hall.
Fin. Sec.—Edgar Yarrington.
Conductor—David Ferguson.
Warden—Emmot Stanafield.
Executive Committee—Henry Reid, George Skelding, Herbert Bourne, Alfred Aston, Thomas Monk.

ORCHESTRA GAVE SPLENDID CONCERT

Musicians of George Street Sunday School Delight Fairly Large Audience.

In spite of the weather there was a good attendance at the concert given by the Sunday School orchestra of the George Street Methodist Church in the school room last night. Those that came out were well repaid for every number was delightfully rendered, the orchestra winning many compliments for their fine work.

The programme was as follows:

Chairman's address.
Selection—Orchestra.
Vocal duet—Misses Chasty.
Piano solo—Miss L. Smith.
Quartette — "National Medley," Messrs. Biggs, Walton, Zepp and Cunningham.
Orchestra—"Keep on the Sunny Side."
Tenor solo—Mr. Walton.
Duet, mandolin and guitar—Messrs. Zepp and Seymour.
Cornet solo—Mr. Minicola.
Vocal solo—Mr. Moss.
String sextette.
Reading—Miss L. Smith.
Orchestra—Selection.
Quartette—Messrs. Biggs, Walton, Zepp and Cunningham.
Cornet solo—"Love's Old Sweet Song," orchestra accompaniment, Mr. Minicola.
Vocal solo—Mr. W. H. Cunningham.
Orchestra—"Washington Post."
God Save the King.
Miss L. Smith, accompanist.

A Concert and Oyster Supper will be given in Knox Church on the evening of January 26th, under the auspices of the Ladies Aid Society. Programme at 8 p.m. Supper served 9:30. Admission 25c, 1d19

THE NEW OFFICERS WERE DULY INSTALLED

Meeting of Cyzicus Sanctorum Was a Very Enjoyable Affair.

At a meeting of the Cyzicus Sanctorum No. 24, O O H and P, held last night in the I O O F hall, the following officers were installed—

G Hy—M T Breckenridge
V G Hy—E J Dormer
V F—M J Kirn
G M—J H Campbell
G H—Wm Robertson
G C G—E G Poole.
G H E—Thos. Duncan
G Banker—A A Fowler
G Rec.—F Wise
G Director—R J Matchett
Grand Magical Directors — Bruce Hutchinson and Robt. Beach.

The installation ceremony was performed by Acting Supreme Monarchos Frank Wise, assisted by Supreme Symposiarch of the North East, R. J. Matchett and Acting Supreme Vizier, Jas. A. Fully. After the officers were duly installed, nine aspirants for membership into this Ancient and Honourable order were introduced and taught the sublime lesson of humility. During the performance of this imposing ceremony the seating capacity in the spacious hall was taxed to its utmost. The music dispensed by the Sanctorum Orchestra was of a very high order and was greatly enjoyed by the audience. After the ceremony, light refreshments were partaken of, after which the members dispersed.

RECEPTION OF BELMONT CLUB

A very enjoyable affair was the first reception of the Belmont Club, held on Friday night in their cosy and commodious Club Rooms. They were at home to their friends and a large number of the young people of the city took advantage of the opportunity of sharing in the hospitality of the club, the members of which proved themselves capital hosts. The patronesses were Mrs. Percy McLean, Mrs. Frank Schneider and Mrs. G. L. Stevens. These ladies also assisted the club men in receiving and entertaining their young lady and gentlemen guests.

The handsome furnishings of the rooms (which were opened only a few months ago, met with pronounced approval and many compliments were paid the committee who selected the designs. Music and refreshments enhanced the enjoyment of the evening, and no detail was overlooked in making the event a most delightful one. The members of the Belmont Club have established themselves as hosts and future events of a similar nature will be looked forward to with pleasure.

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From Ontario points, via Chicago and St. Paul, Minneapolis, of Duluth, and proportionate rates to other principal points in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. Formerly the fare was five dollars and forty-five cents higher, and even at that rate, a number of people preferred this route on account of passing through several of the large American cities. Now that the rates have been lowered, the travel via the Grand Trunk and this attractive route, is steadily increasing. Be sure and consult Grand Trunk Agents before deciding on your trip.

H. P. KENNEDY'S SALES AT TORONTO CATTLE YARDS

The following live stock sales are reported by Mr H P Kennedy of this city, during the past week, from the Toronto Market—

H P Kennedy sold—15 butchers' 850 lbs. each, at $3.95 per cwt; 1 butchers', 1350 lbs. at $3.83; 1 butchers' 1500 lbs., at $3.65; 9 butchers', 840 lbs. each, at $3.70; 2 butchers' cows 1320 lbs each ar $4.50; 1 butchers' 800 lbs. at $4, 7 butchers' 970 lbs. each at $4.35; 7 butchers', 1040 lbs. each at $3.90; 6 butchers', 960 lbs. each at $4.35; 6 butchers', 870 lbs. each at $4; 7 butchers 770 lbs. each at $3.60; 7 butchers', 910 lbs. each at $4.15; 24 butchers', 1030 lbs. each at $4.65; 1 cow 870 lbs. at $3.00; 2 cows, 710 lbs. each at $3.90; 9 cows 740 lbs. each at $3.40; 5 cows, 950 lbs. each at $3.75, 21 feeders, 890 lbs. each at $3.80; 2 butchers', 980 lbs. each at $3.90, 11 butchers, 970 lbs. each at $4.20; 21 butchers' 910 lbs. each at $4.10; 8 butchers', 890 lbs. each at $4; 13 butchers', 880 lbs. each at $3.60; 17 butchers', 870 lbs. each at $4; 5 butchers', 840 lbs. each at $3.60 12 butchers' 790 lbs. each at $3.60; 2 cows 1070 lbs. each at $3.50; 12 butchers', 990 lbs each at $4.20; 11 cows 820 lbs. each at $3.50 54 lambs, at 95 lbs. each at $5; 4 sheep, 155 lbs each at $3.50; 4 calves, 155 lbs. each at $4.50. He also shipped out nine cars on order.

H P Kennedy also reports buying 1000 hogs during the week at $6.35 to $6.40 f. o. b. cars at country points.

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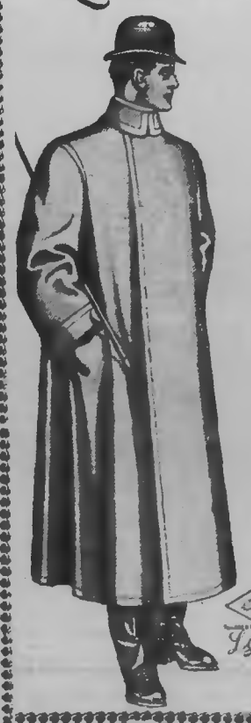

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A PAGE FOR MISSES

THE COMPREHENSIVE EDUCATION OF THE FASHIONABLE GIRL

An Initiation Into the Details of Printing

Explaining the Intricacies of a Newspaper Press

EDUCATION for the fashionable girl of the present day means far more than it did a generation ago. Learning includes every branch that a woman could possibly have use for in her future. Even the expensive boarding and finishing schools now have their fads and their innovations just as the public educational institutions are said to have—if a departure from the cut and dried curriculum can be called an educational novelty. And while some of these unusual and strictly modern classes may not find unqualified favor with parents and pupils, there is one at least of the new studies which has met with great success in its introduction among regular class features in several of the schools for fashionable girls who are being educated in or near New York city. This educational novelty is a practical study of great industries, public buildings and institutions, not in the old fashioned way of listening to lectures or seeing the workings of such an organization by means of pictures and lantern slides, but this new branch of learning is taught by having the girls make personal visits to these places of interest and by the careful and intelligent investigation of the inner workings of the great machinery which turns out a battle ship in an incredibly short time, publishes a great daily newspaper or does any of the wonderful achievements characteristic of these progressive modern days, and become familiar with conditions which might otherwise remain a mystery to them.

COLLEGE boys have enjoyed these advantages; but it has not been the general rule for school girls to be given practical instruction of this kind. But teachers now believe that one thorough observation lesson is worth much more than a semester of class lessons. It teaches them a different side of industries and opens up to their minds a world of new ideas and thoughts. The girl who understands this phase of the industrial world has a mental equipment which is of inestimable value, no matter what walk in life she may follow after her school days are over. She gets a different viewpoint and one which is far more sensible, intelligent and useful than the average girl acquires from a sheltered and long distance study of the vital affairs and machinery of a great city. The knowledge students gain in this way of studying could never be acquired in any other manner, and it is far more interesting than the average book study.

If you have never accompanied one of these observation classes on its regular visit to the city then you do not know how eagerly the young students listen to and absorb statistics and explanations together with practical demonstrations, a combination sure to make an indelible impression upon their active young minds. They ask intelligent questions and remember the vital points of a great organization as well as those of the machinery of a huge plant.

SATURDAY is the day usually chosen for one of these educational tours. An early start is made from the suburban school, for there is a great deal to be crowded into a few hours, and perhaps the visits and the study classes do not manage to meet oftener than twice a week. Small groups of girls are the most satisfactory to handle in every way. The students get a better idea of the practical subject under discussion and observation when there are only eight or ten to see and hear. Then, visiting the city institutions and places of interest is not like accompanying a nature study class through country roads and over unfrequented paths. The rush of traffic and the crowds of people make it difficult for the school guide and chaperon to conduct his flock through the streets. Even the practiced courier might well quail before such an undertaking. Some schools employ women for this duty, while men who lecture at the school are occasionally called upon to chaperon a party of girl students on an education tour to some metropolitan institution. It was a man instructor who brought a small class of girls from a nearby fashionable school to visit the HERALD Building and to study at close range the intricacies of editing, publishing and distributing a metropolitan newspaper. The teacher guide himself had had several years' experience as a practical printer and editor and was therefore able to explain in his own way the details of machinery and copy. The class arrived early. School girls are used to rising before the wheels of a great city are set fairly in motion for the day, and when there is an hour's ride by train preliminary to the observation lesson an extra early start is necessary. Besides the day set aside for observation classes is not given up wholly to study; a little play is permitted, but that comes later.

FIRST the class visited the composing room, where different types were handled and studied; then the working of the linotype machine was carefully explained as two or three were manipulated by skilled operators; next the girls were introduced to the mysteries of "making up" a great daily. A visit to the photographic department, the art department and to the stereotyping rooms gave them an excellent idea of the illustration work of a daily and weekly magazine publication, while the actual printing as accomplished by the gigantic presses used for both color work and type was left till the last, like the cream of the day's lesson. Probably not one out of a hundred such school girls would think of the practical side of publishing or would take advantage of the opportunity to visit stereotyping and engraving rooms or to see a daily sheet run off the press, if it were not for this new branch of study.

Studying the Process of Electrotyping

THE observation class lasts from one to two hours, the time taken up by the study depending upon the industry under discussion. Of course, it is impossible to get a really accurate knowledge of any plant or organization in such a short time, but the ideas acquired in this kind of rapid study are of a different kind from those gathered in books, and any special place of interest can be revisited by any members of the class who show a desire to supplement their small knowledge with greater.

The navy yards and forts within a few hours of New York, including West Point, are down on the list arranged for observation classes. So also are some of the most important skyscrapers, factories, museums, galleries, the aquarium and the gardens in and about the city. The museums and galleries would naturally be included in the art class studies, yet they can be looked at from an institutional side, and girls can learn a great deal from a practical demonstration of exhibitions and ways of exhibiting historic and modern works of art.

One great advantage of going to a school in or near New York city is the tremendous opportunities it offers for rare and valuable study. Nowhere, in this country at least, can a girl get more than she can in New York if properly and intelligently shown how to study the material at hand. It has always been said that the girl who lives in New York knows less about her own surroundings than the stranger does who makes occasional visits to the metropolis, but under the new order of things the school girl, at least, is no longer as ignorant in this as she used to be.

WITH the end of the practical study or demonstration the class does not disband. On the contrary, the close of the lesson is the signal for an afternoon of play in the city. It means luncheon followed by a matinee, concert or the opera and a rush for school afterward, or possibly a dinner in town if the opera or concert is late and there is not time enough to make the railroad trip back to school for the dinner hour. Instead of an indoor entertainment there are foreign quarters of the city which are a never ending source of interest to the student of human nature, sociology and hygiene. Of course, girls cannot be expected to spend all of their visiting day in serious discussion of the problems and progress of civilization. They must have a little recreation and amusement, and it is safe to say that they can be counted on to find amusement almost anywhere and upon nearly every occasion. It is the thing which keeps them fresh and young and interested in their doings and surroundings. Therefore when they visit the Italian quarter, the Chinese quarter or the Syrian or the German quarter to learn more about our coming citizens and how they live one need not be surprised to find that they have also learned where to buy novel and attractive Italian sweets, odd bits of ivory carvings not to be found in the larger shops or that they have seen interesting features of routine factory work which have escaped the eyes of the more practical demonstrator. It is their way of seeing things, and it all helps to make the observation day pleasanter and of more real value to the mind developing under the careful guidance of instructors and disciplinarians.

FURS FOR THE SCHOOL GIRL.

IT is to be sincerely hoped that the winter just commenced will be an unusually long and extraordinarily severe season, for never, it may safely be said, has there been a time when furs were more fashionable. Fur wraps, hats, stoles and muffs must be as numerous in the winter's outfit as are the gowns themselves; nor is there any age that can escape the craze this year, for even the veriest infant in her perambulator must be completely encased in soft, cosey squirrel or gray astrakhan before she can be taken out for her morning constitutional.

Furs this year are decidedly voluminous in effect, all boas and wraps being unusually large, while the coats and wraps are more than ordinarily long and full. As too large a boa, however, tends to take away from the natural height of the wearer, the furs now fashionable for young girls are somewhat smaller—not quite so all enveloping as are those designed for older women. Both the long boa and the short, wide cape are worn this year, and it is difficult to say which is the smarter of the two styles. A girl somewhat undersized for her age will find the long stole or boa more becoming, while to a tall, slender figure it is safe to say that any design will be becoming.

Of the long neck pieces the most attractive are those made of two separate skins, the heads joined together in the centre of the boa. The stoles are worn either with the heads in the middle of the back or over the right shoulder, with one end thrown back to the left and the other falling down in front. In lynx, pointed fox and all long haired furs these double stoles are especially pretty, but they are also smart in such skins as mink, sable, ermine, &c.

For school wear a stiff little fur tie of astrakhan or perhaps brown caracul is excellent, and with a simple style of dress is exceedingly pretty. This year these tiny ties look especially well, as they help to carry out the long straight lines of the Directoire models. Lined with white fur—fox, lynx or caracul—the black fur will not rub off and soil the collar, and this white lining is an excellent thing for the girl whose shoul waists are finished with neat white collars of embroidered linen or batiste.

There is nothing stiff in any of the fur boas or muffs this year, unless perhaps the small cravats and their muff of caracul or astrakhan. The majority of muffs are composed of one or two entire skins, with head, tail, claws and all remaining lined with chiffon or satin and only laid over an under muff covered with satin or brocade in black or the exact shade of the fur, if it be black or gray.

White fox and lynx are still altogether the most fashionable furs for a young girl to wear with her afternoon street costume. Surely there is nothing more becoming than a full white boa, and with its large flat muff a set of white fur is often depended upon to brighten a gown of somber shade.

SOCIAL AMENITIES FOR THE SCHOOL GIRL

TELEPHONES have so important a place in the social life of to-day that there is quite as much etiquette in regard to them as there is to other matters. Take the word itself, for instance. We began by calling it "telephone" as a matter of course, and always in speaking of using it referred to it as "telephoning." But this soon became corrupted by the lazy and slipshod into "'phone" and "'phoning," which pleased the ears of many and were widely adopted until among certain classes they are firmly established as the accepted parlance when referring to, or to the use of, the most indispensable invention of the age.

But the language of the polite world does not admit of abbreviations of any sort. In good society any form of slovenliness is abhorrent, and to speak in a slipshod way indicates an untidiness of speech as distasteful and as little to be tolerated as untidyness of person or of dress. And, consequently, well bred people from one end of the country to the other say "telephone" and look askance at the person who shortens it.

When you are calling up your friends, to greet them with "Hello" is as bad form as it is to say "'phone" or "'phoning." "Hello" belongs strictly to the business world and has no place in the social, either at the telephone or at any other place. You should say "Good morning" by way of greeting at the telephone, just as you would at home or in your friend's home, or the street, or wherever you encounter one another. If another member of the family than the one to whom you especially wish to talk answers the telephone do not be so discourteous as to ignore her by asking at once for the other, but exchange a few remarks with her first and then let her know that you wish to talk with another.

It is not etiquette for girls to telephone to men at their places of business or at their clubs, nor should they call them up at their homes unless for a particular reason, as giving them an informal invitation. So much inviting of an unceremonious character is done by means of the telephone nowadays that it is quite proper for girls to take this method of reaching young men, always, provided they do not try to get them at their places of business.

There is a great convenience in giving invitations over the telephone, for it means that they are accepted or declined at the moment and one can plan accordingly. But the verbal invitations extended must be followed by a note—that is, when the invitation is accepted. Of course, if it is declined the matter is ended. But when you ask your friend to anything over the telephone and he or she accepts, the correct thing is to write a note at once corroborating the matter. If your mother has allowed you to ask a young man to dinner, for instance, you write that your mother and you are so glad to know that he can dine with you on such a night and at such a time, mentioning the date and hour. The note should be brief to the point of one sentence covering the matter, and its object is, as no doubt you see, to fix beyond any possibility of mistake the day and time in the other's mind. So many errors of time and place have occurred through the giving and taking of telephone invitations, to the utter confusion of hostess and guest, that fertile Madame Grundy, ever alert to keep well oiled the wheels of social life, has invented this manner of meeting the situation, so now it is obligatory that you follow your telephone invitation by a note.

Girls think that they may call up their girl friends at any time of the day and evening, but this should not obtain, and it is very bad manners for to recognize that there are hours when families should not be disturbed and that households differ in regard to such hours. To call any one from a meal to talk to you at the telephone is very ill bred. It interrupts the progress of the meal not only for the one you call away but for the others, and though your young friend may not mind, her parents dislike it, and you not only show bad manners but a great lack of consideration for them when you do it.

Many women have stated hours for being "get-at-able" at the telephone and give the time out to all their friends, the popular hours being between nine and ten or ten and eleven in the morning. If you know that such a person has such an hour you must never, except in dire necessity, call her at any other time. Women usually have their maids answer their telephones and bring them the name of the person calling before they personally respond. Girls who have their own maids do this also and, indeed, in the homes of all fashionable persons a servant is delegated for the purpose of taking the responsibility of the telephone quite as much as another has the care of the front door.

It is not etiquette for the person called to the telephone to end the conversation. If a friend calls you you must remain until she says goodby. It is not proper for you to say it any more than you would if she were making a call in your house. Some people never seem to know how to break off a telephone conversation, and they are just the same people who never seem to know how to go, even after they get started from a room. But, being well mannered, you would never think of pushing them out, and neither can you push them off the telephone, which is precisely what you would do if you said goodby first. When you call them up there is another matter. The tables are turned, the initiative lies with you, and you end the conversation as it pleases you.

SOME PRACTICAL AND USEFUL HINTS.

NEW TRAVELLING BAGS.

OLD fashioned carpet valise sizes and shapes are being revived in the new travelling bags, which, despite their impressive proportions, are wonderfully light of weight and capable of accommodating an incredible amount of small luggage. They are developed in black and dark hued seal and morocco, the new auto pelt and in natural pigskin.

Black sole leather travelling bags have patent kid covered frames, gunmetal ornaments and moire or satin linings of the same neutral tint.

Regulation motoring bags of auto leather, of alligator, pigskin and walrus pelt are from ten to twelve inches in dimensions, are fitted with brass clasps and hinges and lined with heavy linen precisely matching the shade of the outside.

Calf alligator, soft and tender as an infant's palm, is made into attractive looking nine inch carriage bags of dark or shaded brown, lined with matching kid or leather. Rather smaller carriage bags are developed of real seal or English morocco in all the fashionable colors and lined with suède of glacé kid.

Pigskin shopping bags have narrow straps buckling near their top and bottom edges. These must be undone when the bag is opened, but for the shopper's convenience a change purse is set underneath a rather prominent flap let into the top of the frame. Other bags of this character, minus the straps and buckles, have deep outer flaps, one of which is lifted and folded over when the main portion of the bag is opened. Underneath the other side flap is a handkerchief pocket.

Velvet soft are the pin sealskin hand bags, which come in every fashionable color. The favorites of the moment are in the taupe and London smoke shades. They have silver and gold mountings and are lined with silver or gold colored satin or moire.

Taupe and tan colored leather, pin seal and morocco belt bags are studded with steel nail heads, arranged in disc or in conventional designs. More elaborate belt bags are of pin seal embroidered in shaded silks.

Lizard leather is once more to the fore for carriage and hand bags. They are fitted with handkerchief pockets, that folding bill purses, memorandum tablets, card cases and change boxes in addition to the omnipresent vanity mirror and powder puff receptacle.

NECK BOWS OF HANDKERCHIEFS.

THE girl who likes to have a lot of dainty little bows for the neck which are so universally worn now can make for herself a delightful variety of them, with very little trouble, by using pretty handkerchiefs for that purpose. There are many very pretty, inexpensive handkerchiefs that give a wonderfully good effect when pleated up, and then, of course, there are exquisitely fine ones at much higher prices. Almost any fancy handkerchief will make a pretty bow.

There are several shapes in which they can be made. The most generally used way is to cut the handkerchief straight across, with one piece a little longer than the other. Then sew the two raw edges in a seam, with the right side of one piece reversed so that the shorter piece will fall over the longer. Make a fan pleating of each, the top of the pleating at the seam being very narrow. Tack the shorter one over the longer, and the bow is finished.

Another way to use a handkerchief is to cut it across, just as for the first bow, and make a fan pleating of one half. Then cut off each of the other two corners, making a little triangle of each, and gather the cut edges up very tight. This will make two little butterfly ends, which must be sewed together with a tight little loop of linen around the centre and the whole sewed to the top of the pleated piece.

FLOWER PIN CUSHIONS.

ONE of the latest things in pincushions for girls' dressing tables is a flower pincushion. It is something a girl can make for herself or as a gift for a friend, and she can make it quite simple or in a very elaborate effect if she so chooses. Almost any flower can be chosen to match the room, but it is wiser not to choose anything so difficult as a full blown rose. The most satisfactory and by far the easiest to make are the comparatively flat flowers, such as violets, wild roses, daisies, asters and pansies.

A rather small cushion can be made with only one flower (larger than nature) or a larger cushion can have three or four flowers. The cushion itself is round and rather flat and covered with silk or satin in the desired color. The flower is sewed on the top, entirely covering it, and is made of satin ribbon. The width of the ribbon depends on the size of the flower to be made. Each petal is made of a piece of ribbon gathered at the ends to form the shape of the petal. The number of petals necessary for the flower must be made and all of them sewed together in the centre, the sewing being covered by a group of French knots of yellow, green or white embroidery silk.

The pins are, of course, put in the cushion underneath the flower petals, so it can be kept quite dainty and fresh if a little care be taken not to muss the ribbon in putting the pins in or taking them out.

FANCY HAT PINS.

FANCY hat pins prove that all manner of daintily quaint designs may be evolved from composition imitations of jewels and rare stones. Many of these are quite as effective as if the materials used were genuine.

Ball top pins are exceedingly popular, and for the school girl none is more practical than real or imitation tortoise shell in light and dark shades, in amber, smoked glass, jade, the Oriental reds, blues and greens of Japanese lacquered metal or wood; Dutch, German, Indian and sterling silver; gun and bronze metal and plated gold.

Scarab hat pins are of lapis lazuli, while in Russian and Roman intaglio and Oriental compositions are cabochons, cubes and spikes, which are uniquely decorative.

Tassel hat pins are made of tiny rhinestone, pearl, moonstone, coral, amethyst, garnet, turquoise and emerald beads, and the same effects are employed on the butterfly tops of gold and silver webbing.

Sterling silver pins in ball, loop, spike and bow knot effect are enamel or "jewel" set, and among the hand made pins are some sprinkled over with tiny amethysts and emeralds.

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BORDENITES WASH THEIR DIRTY LINEN

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Puts Mr. Borden on Defensive.

THE B. C. ELECTION MESSAGE

Laurier In Counter Attack During Debate on Speech From Throne Lays Bare Story of Opposition Leader's Telegram Regarding Asiatic Expulsion In British Columbia—Geo. E. Foster Has His Say.

Ottawa, Jan. 23.—The debate on the address is not as a rule remarkable for its relevancy to the subject matter of His Excellency's speech, and the discussion with which the House entered upon the session yesterday was more irrelevant than usual. As a legacy of the general election, the Opposition apparently found themselves with a considerable quantity of soiled political linen on their hands, and this Mr. Borden, with the assistance of Mr. Foster, proceeded immediately to wash. As has so often happened in the past, all that the Leader of the Opposition succeeded in doing yesterday was to bring trouble upon his own head. The Prime Minister is too old a Parliamentary hand to be taken unawares. Mr. Borden's attack was met by a counter-attack, the immediate effect of which was to place the Opposition entirely on the defensive, and to lay bare a chapter in the history of the last election of which more will probably be heard.

Mr. Borden resorted to figures and blamed it on the gerrymander. If we had proportional representation which, previous to 1896, Sir Wilfrid strongly favored, the Government would have a majority of 4.04, or without the Speaker, 3.04. According to Sir Wilfrid's logic, the last election had been fought on the most infamous gerrymander ever penetrated, each Conservative member representing 6,630 votes, while each Liberal represented 4,411 voters. No doubt the right hon. gentleman, with his sense of honor, would redress the grievance.

Mr. Borden declared that the length of the session would depend upon the early bringing down of important legislation. In previous sessions most important bills had been produced after long delays. He would be willing that a rule should be adopted to provide against bringing down bills after two-thirds or three-quarters of the session had passed. The exceeding great length of the sessions had the tendency to keep out of Parliament men who would be a credit to it.

Mr. Borden briefly referred to the Sicilian earthquake and passed on to contrast paragraphs taken from the speech in 1906, when prosperity was apparently confined to Canada and in 1909 when the depression is world-wide. The depression he thought would be well worth the price if it taught the gentlemen who sit on the Treasury benches economy.

Mr. Borden noticed the promised reappearance of the insurance bill. He trusted a measure in the public interest would be placed upon the statute books.

The Opposition Leader averred that the Cassels' investigation was restricted — it should have touched every spending department of the Government. When any question was put whether the increase in price of supplies had any relation to contributions to the campaign fund of the Liberal party, objection was always taken that the scope of the enquiry did not cover that.

Mr. Borden attacked the system of offering public works as bribes to constituencies. This was bribery tenfold more flagrant than the bribery of individuals. He promised that the Opposition would give consideration to the program of legislation, to the end that the session might not be delayed.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in opening, congratulated the Opposition Leader on the well deserved compliment paid him by his followers in confirming him in his position.

The policy of the Opposition on the Asiatic question was short-sighted, imperilling and jeopardizing the best interests, not only of Canada, but of British Columbia itself. He had no quarrel with the opinion that we should have a white Canada, but the parties differed as to the methods of bringing this about.

"We endeavored," said Sir Wilfrid, "to reach the same conclusion by negotiations and diplomatic action."

Mr. Borden's policy was the same as the Government's in respect to a white British Columbia, but this policy had been supplemented on the coast. Here was a telegram from Mr. Borden to one of his supporters: "The Conservative party stands for a white Canada, the protection of white labor and the absolute exclusion of Asiatics."

"I didn't send it," protested Mr. Borden.

"Then if he didn't one of his followers obtained his seat by false pretences," said Sir Wilfrid, who declared the telegram was a fac simile, but Mr. Borden denied the authorship of the concluding portion.

Later in the debate Mr. Borden explained that the alleged telegram as read by Sir Wilfrid was brought to his attention by Mr. Templeman. It was sent to The Victoria Colonist and by him to Mr. Cowan to be read at a public meeting.

The Liberal party had come back from the Maritime Provinces with the same strength as before, continued the Premier, and in Ontario the swinding was exactly the same. They suffered in Manitoba. This was "no credit to the Opposition," but due to the fact that the voters' lists had been "outrageously juggled." Likewise it was not to the discredit of the Government that the party lost in British Columbia. That was the only province in which the election had been fought on principle. In Ontario and other provinces there was simply an appeal to certain prejudices.

Replying Mr. Borden on the matter of the bribery of constituencies, Sir Wilfrid declared Mr. Borden was the most intolerate briber in Canada. He did not bribe constituencies, but whole provinces.

Hon. Mr. Foster was the next speaker. He declared that the Conservative party would never give adherence to a policy that abrogated the right to say who should be admitted to our shores. During the campaign Sir Wilfrid had offered no strong note as to the tone of public life, but at Sorel and Niagara Falls had thanked God he was no purist. "Every scalawag who has taken his 50 per cent. will say "Amen to that!" said Mr. Foster.

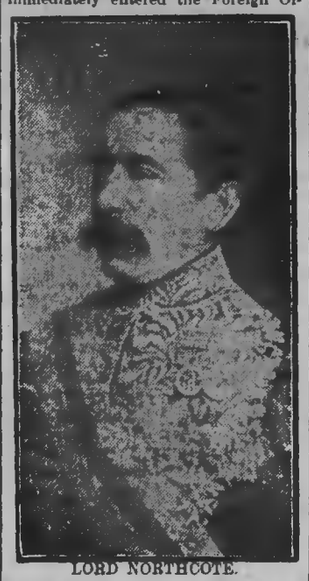
Discussing the marine investigation Mr. Foster dealt with the Marine enquiry and called for the resignation of Hon. Mr. Brodeur.

LORD NORTHCOTE NEXT?

Rumor Says He Will Succeed Earl Grey.

London, Jan. 23.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—The Canadian Associated Press is informed that Lord Northcote is to succeed Earl Grey as Governor-General of Canada. Lord Northcote is already one of Britain's great pro-consuls.

Graduated from Oxford in 1869, he immediately entered the Foreign Office and was attached in 1871 to the special mission of Lord Ripon, which resulted in the settlement of the Alabama claims. From 1900 to 1903 he served as Governor of Bombay, and from 1903 to 1908 as Governor-General of Australia.



LORD NORTHCOTE.

On his way home to England from the Antipodes last fall he paid a visit to Canada. Lady Northcote is an adopted daughter of Lord Mount Stephen.

Wrote Letters to Get Money.

Whitby, Jan. 23.—With tears flowing freely, Mrs. Rachel Hubbard of Uno Park, New Ontario, admitted to Police Magistrate Harper yesterday the writing of threatening letters to John Wakeland of Cannington and David J. Adams, banker, of Port Perry, in this county. This was in reply to the magistrate's question if she ad anything to say before he committed her for trial.

The evidence showed that there had been a land deal over forty years ago between the Hubbard woman's husband, before she married him, and Wakeland. She had heard it talked about, and in the dire straits of their present circumstances, in a wild country fifty miles north of Cobalt, had thought thus to get some money.

Captain Pauley a Millionaire.

Toronto, Jan. 23.—A syndicate composed of New York, Boston and Montreal capitalists offered Capt. Pauley eight hundred thousand dollars in cash for his claim in Gowganda. The Pauley claim is one of the show claims of the district, and being only 40 chains from the Mann and Armstrong properties, he can show native silver stripped for over 300 feet. Captain Pauley gave an option last night to the president of the Equitable Insurance Co. for $1,500,000, retaining one-quarter interest.

Absolute Right to End Her Life.

Chicago, Jan. 23.—A remarkable letter was left by Miss Alice Law, aged 26, an editor employed by a local publishing firm, who committed suicide yesterday by asphyxiation.

The letter is addressed "To all whom it does not concern," and states: "I am ending my life because I am seized with an acute disinclination to live, and I believe I have an absolute right to end my life if I wish. The struggle is too hard. There is too much work, too much monotony, too much weariness, and not enough art, music, recreation and rest."

Priest Is Absolved.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 23.—After fifteen years' rebellion against the authority of the Catholic Church, Rev. Father Antono P. Kolaszewski, has returned to the fold and has been forgiven and granted absolution.

He was the pastor of St. Stanislau's Church, and his parish was one of the largest in the city. He had some trouble with the late Bishop Horstmann and organized an "independent" Catholic church. His excommunication by the Pope followed.

Russian Loan a Success.

Paris, Jan. 23.—The new Russian loan has been a great success. It has been many times over subscribed, and is already selling at a premium of 2 per cent.

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This city will have many Diapepsin cranks, as some people will call them, but you will be cranky about this splendid stomach prescription, too, if you ever have indigestion or gastritis or any other stomach misery, and eat just one Triangule of Diapepsin.

MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Close Lower, Chicago Higher—Live Stock —Latest Quotations.

Friday Evening, Jan. 22.

Liverpool wheat futures closed ¼d lower than yesterday, and corn closed ¼d higher.

Chicago May wheat closed ⅛c higher than yesterday, May corn ⅛c higher, and oats closed unchanged.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—January 99⅛c bid, July $1.03 asked, May $1.01⅝ bid.
Oats—January 37¼c bid, May 41¼c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	$0 96	to $....
Wheat, red, bush	0 95	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 91	....
Rye, bush	0 80	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 85	....
Peas, bushel	0 85	....
Barley, bushel	0 56	....
Oats, bushel	0 45	....

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 26
Butter, store lots	0 23	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 28	0 29
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 30	0 35
Eggs, cold storage	0 26	0 27
Cheese, large, lb	0 13½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 22.—Closing—Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 10d. Futures steady; March 7s 7¾d, May 7s 6½d, July 7s 7d.

Corn—Spot steady; new American mixed via Galveston, 5s 4½d. Futures steady; March 5s 4d, May 5s 4d.

Hams—Short cut strong, 48s.

Bacon—Short rib strong, 47s; long clear middles, light, steady, 47s; do., heavy, steady, 46s 6d; short clear backs firm, 46s 6d; shoulders, square, firm, 39s.

Cheese—Canadian finest white firm, 61s 6d; do., colored, firm, 63s 6d.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—Butter—Dull and easy, unchanged; receipts, 4768.

Cheese—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 916.

Eggs—Firmer; receipts, 5517; state, Pennsylvania and nearby, brown and mixed, fancy 32c to 33c; do., fair to choice, 30c to 31c; western first, 30c; seconds, 29c to 29½c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Unchanged — Cattle Steady, Hogs Firmer at Buffalo.

LONDON, Jan. 22.—London cables for cattle are steady, at 12c to 12¾c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10¾c to 10¼c per lb.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Jan. 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 150 head; slow and steady; prime steers, $6.25 to $6.50.

Veals—Receipts, 700 head; active and steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 10,200 head; fairly active and strong to 5c higher; mixed, $6.50 to $6.65; yorkers, $6.30 to $6.50; pigs, $6.50 to $6.60; dairies, $6 to $6.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 20,000 head; slow; ewes steady; others 10c to 25c lower; lambs, $5 to $7.25; yearlings, $6 to $6.25; wethers, $5 to $6.25; sheep, mixed, $2.50 to $4.75.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—Beeves—Receipts, 1557; steers beadly demoralized and 15c lower; bulls and cows 10c to 15c off, except thin cows, which were steady; steers $4.90 to $6.50; bulls, $3.75 to $4.60; cows, $2.15 to $4.25. Exports to-morrow, 4975 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 393; feeling weak; veals, $6 to $10; culls, $4 to $5; Indiana calves, $4 to $6.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 1627; sheep easier; lambs 10c to 15c lower; sheep, $3 to $4.75; wethers, $5.25; culls, $2 to $2.75; lambs, $6.50 to $7.45; culls, $5.

Hogs—Receipts, 3630; feeling easier; no sales reported.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Jan. 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 3000; market steady; steers, $4.60 to $7.15; cows, $3 to $5.50; heifers, $3 to $5.75; bulls $3.40 to $3.90; calves, $3.50 to $7.75; stockers and feeders, $2.50 to $5.15.

Hogs—Receipts, 23,000; market 5c to 10c higher; choice heavy shipping, $6.50 to $6.70; butchers, $6.40 to $6.50; light mixed, $5.90 to $6.05; choice light, $6 to $6.10; packing, $5 to $6.05; pigs, $4.75 to $5.55; bulk of sales, $6 to $6.35.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 5000; market weak; sheep, $4.25 to $5.50; lambs, $5.25 to $6.75; yearlings, $6 to $7.

Physician Refuses Parole.

Trenton, N.J., Jan. 23.—Dr. R. E. Thompson, who was sentenced to 14 years in state prison on January 1903, on conviction of murder in Monmouth County, refuses to leave prison on parole on the ground that unless he gets a pardon he cannot be reinstated as a physician.

Pastor Resigns.

Kingston, Jan. 23.—The Kingston Presbytery yesterday accepted the resignation of Rev. A. M. Currie, who has been minister of the Presbyterian Church at Deseronto. Rev. Mr. Currie intends taking a post-graduate course in the Union Seminary, in New York.

Coal-Steel Judgment.

London, Jan. 23.—The Canadian Associated Press understands that the judgment of the judicial committee of the Privy Council in the Coal-Steel case will be delivered during the first week in February.

TOWN HAS NO HOTEL.

Grimsby's Only Inn Closes Because of Local Option Bylaw.

Grimsby, Jan. 23.—Last night Grimsby is without accommodation for the traveling public.

On Jan. 4, when the result of the vote on the repeal of local option was made known, J. W. Vandyke took down the sign from in front of the old and favorably known hostelry, the Lincoln House, and closed it up. This left the business all in the hands of the Village Inn, one of the best equipped and conducted houses in Western Ontario. The owner, Mr. Hewitt of Chicago, intimated to the local optionists that if he could not supply his guests with everything in the line of accommodation that they wished he would close the house, too.

Last night the shutters were put up and everything is dark within. There will be no place for a traveler to get a meal or a fed unless the local option people make good their ante-election promises of a temperance house, conducted on the joint stock plan, which is unlikely.

Saving on Text Books.

Victoria, B.C., Jan 23.—Finance Minister Tatlow, at the opening of the Legislature, announced a surplus of $1,388,380 for the fiscal year ending last June, the fourth and largest surplus yet.

Since last July, when the Government established free text books, the Government has saved the thirty-five thousand school children of the province $27,340 for supplies. For these the Government, buying them at cost, paid $17,300 and $7,600 for distribution and the salary of the staff. The system will be less costly every succeeding year.

Fell From Train.

Galt, Jan. 23.—Yesterday afternoon, shortly after the C.P.R. express had passed west, a sectionman on the road between Dunfries and Ayr stations discovered a man lying by the side of the track in a semi-unconscious condition. He proved to be James Sullivan of London, who had fallen from the train. His condition is said to be serious.

Burglars Start Fire.

North Bay, Jan. 23.—Early yesterday morning fire was discovered in the east part of the store of Begg Bros. drygoods merchants. The new paid fire department confined the flames to the department in which the fire originated. There is evidence that an attempt was made to burglarize the premises. Loss $8,000.

Templeman to Tour.

Victoria, B.C., Jan. 23.—Hon. W. Templeman left Ottawa yesterday for the west, and on his arrival will be tendered and will accept the Liberal nomination for Comox Atlin.

Conservatives will offer no opposition, but Mr. Templeman will tour the constituency prior to being elected by acclamation.

MOHAMMED.

His Vision of Heaven and the Story of the Mountain.

Halabi, the founder of Islam, was born at Mecca in the year A. D. 570. He died June 8, 632, at the age of seventy-two. He assumed the titular name of Mohammed, which means, according to some authorities, the "predicted Messiah."

One of the most extravagant relations which can be found in any language is credited to Mohammed. Speaking of the sights he beheld when "transported to heaven," he says: "I saw there an angel, the most gigantic of all created things. It had 70,000 heads, each head had 70,000 faces, each face had 70,000 mouths, each mouth had 70,000 tongues and each tongue spoke 70,000 languages. All were employed in singing God's praises."

When Mohammed first announced his divinely inspired and appointed system the Arabs demanded supernatural proofs of his commission. "Moses and Jesus," said the Arabs, "wrought miracles in the testimony of their divine authority. And if thou art indeed a prophet of God do so likewise."

"It would be tempting God to do so," replied Mohammed, "and bring down his anger, as in the case of Pharaoh."

As the story is told in Brewer's "Phrase and Fable," the Arabs were not satisfied with this answer, and Mohammed then commanded one of the numerous eminences near Mecca to come to him. The mountain not stirring at Mohammed's bidding, the prophet exclaimed: "God is merciful! Had the mountain obeyed my words it would have fallen on us to our destruction.

"I will therefore go to the mountain."

A Sporting Parson.

The inhibition of a hunting rector by his bishop reminds a correspondent that the Rev. Jack Russell, the famous west country sporting parson, was once cited to appear before the bishop of Exeter to answer charges of neglecting his spiritual and parochial duties, and he was also remonstrated with for keeping and following a pack of hounds. The charges were proved unfounded, and Russell refused to give up the sport, which he continued to pursue almost to the day of his death in 1883, at the age of eighty-eight. Besides being an insatiable hunter, he was, as his biographer pithily remarks, "a stanch supporter of Devonshire wrestlers, an admirable sparrer and an enthusiastic upholder of the virtues of Devonshire cider and cream." And in the pulpit he tried to reform conduct rather than to expound doctrine and was a stern denouncer of bad language, strong drink and "the filthy habit of smoking."—St. James' Gazette.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC

Going East	Leave Peterborough
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal, Kingston	11.30 a m
For Indian River, Norwood, Havelock, Tweed	7.51 p m
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	12.31 a m
Going West	**Leave Peterborough**
For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	4.56 a m
For Burketon, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	7.35 a m
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points	4.32 p m

GRAND TRUNK.

	Arrive	Depar
Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Gravenhurst, North Bay, Sturgeon Falls and Toronto	11:00 a.m. 9:00 p.m.	8:20 a.m. 11.45 a.m
Port Hope and pts. east to Montreal and Kingston	9:00 a.m. 9:50 p.m.	9:05 p.m. 9:50 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Cobourg Montreal and East	9:00 p.m.	11:05 a.m.
Toronto, Lindsay, Sturgeon Falls, Uxbridge and Markham	11:00 a.m. 9:00 p.m.	7:50 a.m. 3:40 p.m.
Lindsay Local	10:10 p.m. 9:00 a.m.	11:00 a.m. 2:40 p.m.
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	9:00 a.m. 9:00 p.m.	8:20 a.m. 9:00 a.m.
Lakefield and Stony Lake	10:10 a.m. 5:15 p.m.	8:20 a.m. 12:30 p.m.

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Gospel Address

—W. P. Douglas, evangelist, will give a Gospel address in the Assembly Hall, George street, Sunday night at 7 p. m. All cordially invited.

Wanted

—All the citizens of Peterborough to have their garments dyed, cleaned pressed and repaired by Mr Valet 204 Charlotte street. All work guaranteed. dtf

Marine Engine Display

—The Canadian Fairbanks Co., Ltd., Toronto, will have an exhibition of Marine Engines at Peterborough Canoe Co show rooms Feb. 1st to 5th. All parties interested are invited to call d7b

Smith St. Bridge

—An interesting and comprehensive letter on the Smith street bridge question has been received by the Examiner, but owing to pressure of matter could not be published today. It will appear in Monday's issue.

Public Invited

—The public is invited to the first open meeting of the Historical Society, in the Collegiate Institute, on Tuesday evening, 23rd inst. A lecture on "Volcanoes" will be given by Mr. G A Cornish, B.A., Science Master on the Normal School staff.

Applying for Grant

—The Trust and Guarantee Company, Limited, Toronto, are applying for grant of administration of the estate of the late Andrew Forrester Barros, of the city of Chicago, in the State of Illinois, U.S.A. The estate consists entirely of stocks.

Books for Sunday

—We supply our customers with the greatest collection of Sunday reading in the city. Nowhere else can you choose from so extensive and varied a stock of books, periodicals and magazines as at the Peterborough Bookstore. Come in to-night and look over the stock.—A. H. Stratton & Co.

Temperance Meeting

—At the Gospel Temperance meeting in the Crystal to-morrow afternoon Rev. H M Mannin, of St. James Methodist church will give the address. The George street Sunday school orchestra will provide music. The meeting will commence at 4.15 o'clock sharp.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Mr. E Oles left this afternoon for a six weeks' visit to the Western Coast.

Colonel Young, R.C.R., is in the city to inspect the stores of the 57th Regiment.

Mr. Gerald Wood, who is attending at the School of Practical Science, Toronto, is spending Sunday at his home, city.

Miss Ada Crowley, of Boston, and Miss Missie Newton, the well known elocutionist, of Lindsay, are visiting Mrs. H P Cowan, of this city.

Miss Rena McCarney and parents wish to thank the employees of the Quaker Oats Company for their kindness and flowers during her illness.

The Ottawa Free Press in reporting the vice-regal reception at the Capital, on the opening of Parliament, says: "Mrs. Stratten, of Peterborough, was beautifully gowned in a directoire gown of Saxe blue duchess satin, trimmed with lace and touches of gold, with pearl and diamond ornaments.

ENDOWMENT MADE BY LOCAL LADIES

The Misses Dickson Provide for Bed at Muskoka Hospital.

For a number of years the Misses Dickson and Misters of Peterborough have generously kept endowed at the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives, at a cost of $300 a year, a free bed for needy Consumptives of the city of Peterborough. The renewal cheque for this amount for another year has just reached the head office, 347 West King street, Toronto.—Toronto World.

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The Examiner's Sporting Page

RUNNING ATHLETICS. HOCKEY

REVIEW OF BOWLING SITUATION SHOWS MARKED IMPROVEMENT IN THE WORK OF THE LOCAL BOWLERS

Waram's Big Score Was One of the Features of the Past Week —Last Night's Games Went to The Examiner B.

STANDING OF LEAGUE.

That the fascinating indoor game of ten pins has come to stay in Peterborough is putting it mildly. Bowling is one of the oldest games in the world, though it is not the intention of the writer to trace back the ancient pastime from its antediluvian origin or enumerate the many improvements that have been made, even in the past few years. The game is simply an evolution of skittles, and skittles probably had its origin in prehistoric days, when the ancestors of Darwin put up sticks to pelt with stones. From that primitive method skittles emanated and then came nine pins and the more modern game of ten pins. However, what the writer started off to say is that the great indoor game never really reached its present vogue until within the past few years, during which period it has made great strides, particularly say, in the last five years or so, since the introduction of the present regulation alley.

Twenty years or so back ten pins was a pastime confined to saloons or hotels. And there are many old bowlers in Peterborough who still have a keen recollection of the period when there were bowling alleys in such institutions on George and other streets here. To-day such immense strides has the pastime made, that it is now played in palatial halls and has ceased entirely to be an accompaniment of anything that pertains to the liquor traffic. On the contrary, it has become a scientific, healthful pastime that all classes and both sexes find exhilarating, vigor and muscle promoting.

There is no game freer from vice, freer from anything approaching violation of the law, either of manly sportsmanship or goodfellowship.

There are still, however, a great many misinformed people, who have a vague impression that there is something sinful or iniquitous in the game, who still associate it with something objectionable they know not what. However, even many of these doubting ones are coming around to a more rational view of the game and are beginning to agree with its devotees that there is no cleaner, purer, wholesomer game than ten pins. It is brain food for the overworked business man and pleasurable relaxation for the working man, unalloyed amusement and recreation for all, free from gambling, drinking and everything objectionable.

Peterborough has had regulation standard alleys for less than a year but so quickly have the bowlers adapted themselves to the new conditions that the Electric City now numbers among its players some of the best trundlers in the Dominion. This fact is demonstrated nearly every week by the showing made by Peterborough devotees of the game against a number of commercial men who come down here periodically on business, and who always manage to spare enough time for a game or so against local talent. Among these travellers are numbered some of the best bowlers in Toronto, and that means the Dominion, as practically all the ten pin records of the country are held there. For example, this week there were several crack Toronto bowlers in town, and with a couple of exceptions they came off second best in their games against Peterborough opponents.

Within a couple of weeks at least one five man team will go up to Toronto for a match game there against one of the best city teams, and there will be many surprised bowlers here if the Peterborough contingent does not do a little more than hold its own in the game there and the return contest here.

There is at present in existence a city league, comprising twelve teams, and while the scores are not quite so large on the whole as those of Toronto, still they do not suffer much by comparison, particularly when allowance is made for the fact that Toronto has had three years' start on us with regulation alleys, and a similar start in the matter of league bowling. And right here let it be said that the best individual bowlers are not always the best in league or match games. Just why this is so will take a lot of explaining, but the fact remains that it takes a great deal of practice to perfect one's self in league work.

However, we are making great progress in that branch of the art, and every week sees an improvement, as reference to the various league scores will show. The progress along this line is indicated by the great work of Billy Waram, in a league game this week, the Belmont captain putting up a single score of 254, just about as good as anything they can show in Toronto, if not a trifle better, while George Cairns' 600 score for three games, will compare favourably with the league showing elsewhere. Then as to team work, one only has to look at the showing of the bankers, who are now second in the league standing, but whose team is about as good as anything witnessed on Canadian alleys. True, we haven't any world's records to boast of, but Peterborough has a number of individual bowlers who would be a credit to any city.

Recently league matters have been lagging a trifle preparatory to the opening of the second half of the season, which starts in a couple of weeks, but with the improvement already shown it is not an extravagant prediction when one says that Peterborough bowlers will have to be watched by the delegation from other cities when they go up to the Canadian tournament in Hamilton in March next.

A controversy has been raging for some time past as to who is the best bowler in Peterborough and several of the cracks secretly harbour the thought that the honour should rest with them. Certainly there are about a dozen who might contest for the championship and the writer intends taking up the merits of each at a later date. In the meantime the question bids fair to settle itself in a competition which is now in progress for individual trundlers, but even then the winner of the championship emblem will discover that there are still other dissatisfied ones ready to go after him for the challenge trophy.

In the meantime new bowlers are being created every day and if one is interested he will find it worth while to follow up the scores and compare closely the work of the various contestants in league and other games of the match and practice variety.

Besides being the best indoor game in existence it might be said in closing that bowling is also the most uncertain and it is this element of luck that is one of the games most attractive features. The veriest tyro may at any time beat the crack, and the inexperienced roller always stands a fair chance of carrying off the honours. For example take the work of the Examiner B team which bowled the Iroquois last night. With one exception the Examiner trio are new bowlers, while the Iroquois are all old hands at the game and could without any disparagement to their opponents of last night, easily beat them, according to form, in individual combat. Yet the poore team, judging them, of course, by all known standards, just simply romped away from their rivals, taking two of the three games. By every known rule or law the Iroquois should have won, yet they didn't, and that's one of the reasons why bowling is so popular.

The scores last night follow—

IROQUOIS—				
Martin	167	110	123	400
Anderson	142	151	140	433
Stroud	160	145	116	421
	469	406	379	1254

EXAMINER—				
Dela Fosse	171	143	119	433
Craig	158	124	168	450
Clark	158	124	168	450
	488	356	442	1320

League Standing

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Examiner A	16	5	761
Bankers	15	5	750
Pacifics	17	7	709
B. A. C.	12	9	571
Belmonts	11	10	515
Iroquois	13	11	541
Examiner B	13	14	481
Lock Works	10	14	416
Midgets	8	13	385
Frontenacs	9	15	375
Hams	8	16	333
Grays	5	19	208

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CITY TEMPERANCE LEAGUE OFFERS PRIZE FOR BEST ESSAY

The City Temperance League has decided to offer prizes for the best essay on "Why Peterborough Should Abolish the Bars." This offer is made to the Public Schools of the city, which will include St. Peter's School and the Collegiate Institute. There will be ten first prizes, consisting of $5 in gold and also second and third prizes given. A general prize that will consist of $10 in gold will be given for the best composition in all the schools. The information will be given in next Saturday's issue under the Temperance League Column and any literature that is wanted will be supplied by the League free of charge.

OBITUARY.

MR. FRED HALES

At St. Joseph's Hospital on Friday last, the death occurred of Mr. Fred Hales at the age of 61 years. Mr. Hales was well known and had a large number of friends in the city.

The funeral took place this afternoon at 3.30 and proceeded to Little Lake Cemetery for interment.

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THE INOCULATION OF SEED.

From Farm and Dairy.

The Ontario Agricultural College has in press a bulletin from the bacteriological laboratory, giving the results of work on the inoculation of seed with bacteria to increase the chances of the crop. This work has been in progress since 1905, and has increased in amount each year. It has been known for many years that the nodules or tubercles on the roots of alfalfa, clovers, peas, beans, etc., are inhabited by bacteria that have the power of taking nitrogen from the vast amount in the atmosphere, and storing up this most valuable fertilising element in the plants, thus enriching the soil when these plants are plowed under.

In the college laboratory these bacteria are cultivated under artificial conditions, their full power of nitrogen accumulation being conserved, and these cultures, as they are called, may be applied to the seed to be sown. On old established fields where clovers or alfalfa have been previously grown, the soil is well supplied with these desirable bacteria, and the use of artificial inoculation would be of little benefit. On new ground, however, or where the crop to be sown has not been successfully grown before, the inoculation of the seed usually helps to secure a better stand. During 1908, over 2,100 of these cultures were sent to farmers all over the Dominion and to five foreign countries. The results as reported by the farmers, and compiled in the forthcoming bulletin showed that the inoculation of the seed was beneficial in 63 per cent. of cases tried. Many farmers tried the cultures on old established fields, and as was to be expected the results here showed no increase in the crop from using the cultures.

During the coming spring, the college will send similar cultures for alfalfa, red, white, and alsike clover, peas, beans, and sweet peas, the only cost to the farmer being a normal charge of 25 cents for each culture sufficient for 60 pounds, or less of seed. The cultures, of which there is but one size, are sent in glass bottles with full directions for their use. Applications should be addressed to The Bacteriological Laboratory, O. A. C., Guelph, and should be sent at once so that ample provision may be made by the college to supply all demands. The kind and amount of seed to be inoculated and approximate date of seeding should also be stated in the application.

"A WIFE'S ALLOWANCE."

From Farm and Dairy.

In a recent issue of Farm and Dairy there appeared an article entitled, "A Wife's Allowance."

Judging from my own observation, the average countryman's wife has the free use of the pocket book and in most cases is more anxious to sacrifice her own personal comfort in order to make a home than is her husband. She is generally the harder worker of the two.

I called at a neighbor's the other night about eight o'clock, expecting to find them looking over the week's papers or talking of the morrow. Instead the young mother and daughter were out milking cows, and afterwards did a big ironing, so that the four little girls could go decently to Sunday school. So it is all over the country.

I have just received a card from a friend announcing the burial of his wife, whose girlhood days in England had been spent in comparative ease and comfort. She came to Ontario twenty years ago to marry the man she loved. She had put in eighteen years of hard work, caring for her little ones, with never a holiday, and with little hope of seeing the old home, or parents, again.

Many are going to the lonely west, there to spend years in a little shack, with but few of the comforts of life. In many cases the husband is not in a position to furnish any luxuries whatever. The furniture must be plain, and gifts small indeed.

A young mother said to me the other day, (and their savings bank account would average about $1000 a year), "See what my husband brought me from Brantford. You know he always tells me to get what I want, but it was so thoughtful of him to remember me by bringing home these flowers."

I was dining with an acquaintance in the city not long ago whose whole possessions would amount to but a few hundred dollars. He complimented the wife upon preparing the meal, and actually gave her a kiss when parting. Theirs was a happy home. But he was an Englishman. Whoever heard of a Canadian kissing his wife a year after marriage? I have seen apparently happy wives weep because of the lack of the little attentions which they had a right to expect from their husbands.

Surely it would be well for the husband to give his wife a part of the allowance he promised her during his courtship days.

Let him remember how he always wished for her company at entertainments or outings. How careful he was to clean his clothing or shoes before entering her home, and let him plan ahead so that she may go and see her parents and friends once in a while. Last, but not least, though the wife may be the mother, she is still pleased to hear a word of praise, or have a kiss now and then.

"BANDANNA" PILLOWS.

From Farm and Dairy.

A Montreal friend admired very much the pillows I had on my lounge. When I told her they were bandanna handkerchiefs she could hardly believe it. Secure the ones having the palm leaf pattern; they are not exactly square, but I made the pillow the same shape as the handerchief. Make a full ruffle; allow twice the difference around your pillow, and make very full at the corners. This ruffle I made of turkey red calico. I used the same kind for a high back rocking chair. Make for the seat the same as for the sofa pillow, and if it is too large, make a tuck on the wrong side of the handkerchief, leaving the border so it will show all around the edge.

For the back I took one handkerchief. This was the right length but too wide, so I narrowed it by a wide tuck, leaving it just the right width to have the border show all around. Put a padding back of this.

For the head rest take another handkerchief; buy a very soft roll of cotton, taking off the border, but leaving the ends long enough to gather inside of the border. Now, you have a handsome cover, and one that is easy to launder when soiled.—A Country Girl.

WRITER ON VENTILATION.

From Farm and Dairy.

"Ventilation for Dwellings, Rural Schools and Stables," is the title of Prof. F. H. King's latest book recently to hand. The book is a brief treatise which is intended to reach parents, teachers and officers of rural and other elementary schools, and the owners and caretakers of all classes of live stock, and lay before them the foundation facts and principles underlying the growing and imperative demand for a more nearly adequate supply of pure air than is being continuously maintained in the vast majority of homes, offices and stables to-day.

Owners and caretakers of live stock will find the treatment of stable ventilation, in this work, sufficiently explicit and illustrative to enable them to readily and effectively solve their own problems. The book should be in the hands of all. It can be obtained through Farm and Dairy at the regular retail price of 75 cents a copy postpaid.

LOCAL OPTION CAMPAIGN FOR PETERBOROUGH

The matter appearing in this space from time to time is furnished by the Temperance and Moral Reform League of this City, who have arranged for its Publication.

LOCAL OPTION IT IS

A vigorous and sane campaign for the formation and education of public opinion.

As already published the Temperance people of Peterboro are pronounced in their determination to have the Saloon banished. It is of no service to the City; it is ruinous to the individual, and to the home; it is the cause of much disorder, lawlessness, and debauchery; and no one has been found to publicly espouse its cause, or to enumerate any favourable qualities it possesses.

Every citizen interested in the Temperance cause may help by sending clippings, short original articles, or pointed and brief letters of information to the office of the "Temperance and Moral Reform League", 173 Simcoe Street.

WHAT LOCAL OPTION IS

A campaign having been determined on in Peterborough, explanation of what Local Option is, may not be out of place. There is a very general impression abroad that this law is apart altogether and distinct from the License Law. Such is not the case. This is simply a part of the License Act. The law gives the council of any municipality the right to pass a by-law prohibiting the granting, in that municipality, of licenses, for retail sale of liquors, provided that before being finally passed, the by-law has been duly approved by the electors in the manner provided for in the Municipal Act.

Full provision is made in the Liquor License Law for the enforcement of that by-law, and all the machinery that is provided for the enforcement of that Act comes into operation, for the enforcement of the Local Option By-law, and when it has once been duly passed, the penalties imposed upon persons breaking the Law are just the same as those provided for infringement of the License Law, when it is in operation. In short, Local Option simply enacts that no licenses shall be granted in a municipality adopting it, leaving the machinery for enforcement as effective as before.

Under the License Law all citizens of Peterborough, except 21, are prohibited from selling liquor. Local Option places the 21 on same basis.

THE PETITION

In order that the council of any municipality may be under obligation to prepare and submit to the electors a Local Option by-law, there must be presented to that body, prior to a certain date, fixed by a law, a petition signed by at least one-fourth of the qualified voters of the municipality, appearing on the last revised voter's list. The signing of such a petition does not constitute a vote in favour of Local Option, nor does it necessarily commit the person signing, to support the by-law. It is simply a declaration, that the question should be submitted to the people, to be dealt with as they deem best. This is one of the questions, that the law has put into the hands of the voters, and the petition is merely a request, that they be given an opportunity of expressing themselves. A ratepayer who believes that it is proper that this opportunity should be given, can with a clear conscience, sign the petition, whether or not he has made up his mind to support or oppose the by-law.

DO NOT BE DECEIVED

It was reported at Tuesday's meeting that friends of this movement have been approached by those opposed and influences have been used to get them to give pledges, that they would not sign the petition, for the submission of the by-law. All friends of Temperance, indeed all citizens are asked to be on guard, against any such action. As has been pointed out elsewhere to sign the petition is simply to ask that the voice of the people be heard, and surely every person should favour such a reasonable request?

FINANCING LOCAL OPTION

At the meeting Tuesday afternoon, the question of securing the necessary funds to meet the cost of the Campaign, received consideration. A subscription list has been started and friends of the movement are asked to subscribe such sums as will enable the committee to carry on the campaign with vigour. It was pointed out that the expense will be considerable. Rooms have been rented, and furnished, space has been secured in the local papers, light and fuel have to be provided, and a good deal will have to be spent on printing. The League will look to the various churches for contributions, and so far has been much encouraged. Mr. A. Brown, the Treasurer, will be glad to receive contributions from those desirous of helping, at his office, 396 Water Street.

HAVELOCK

In the list of places adopting Temperance Legislation was the Village of Havelock, which decided with a large majority, to join the procession toward happier homes and cleaner lives, by abolishing the bar. It was freely said, that the voters of the "Railroad Village" were too intellectual a class to tie themselves up by any such "fool legislation." They have given their answer, and it is to be hoped that those who professed so high a regard for the electors are satisfied.

When Havelock comes into line on May 1st., there will be but two licensed houses in Peterborough County.

We have it on good authority that there will be at least 100 places in which the fight will be waged, during this year. Among them are two of the cities, Peterborough and Brantford. None of the cities in Ontario have heretofore undertaken a canpaigm for the abolition of the bar, and our efforts will be watched with interest.

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All lines, telegram and telephone, were out of business last night east to Montreal. There was a big wind and rain storm in the Province of Quebec on Saturday night, and after 10 o'clock the service was closed. Communication was established on Sunday for a while, but as the storm had not subsided it was soon broken off.

The wind was so strong that it blew over a number of poles, and where the poles were not wrecked the rain froze on the wires and snapped them.

All C.P.R. messages were sent to Montreal on the 10.15 train last night.

DATE OF ENTRANCE EXAMINATIONS SET

Begin on Wednesday, June 23rd—Candidates Must Register Before May 1st.

The high school entrance examination for 1909 will begin on Wednesday, June 23, at 8.45 a.m., and will be conducted under the provisions of the High Schools Act and of the regulations relating thereto, subject to the instructions herein contained.

Candidates who purpose writing at the examination must notify the public school inspector before May 1st.

The inspector shall notify the education department not later than May 3, in each year of the number of persons desiring to be examined at any high school or other authorized place within his jurisdiction.

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Lit Piece of Paper to See if There Was Any Draft.

While putting up a stove in a room over R. J. Westcott's boot and shoe store on George street this afternoon, a tinsmith lit a piece of paper to see if there was any draft. There was a little too much, as the paper flew up the pipe setting fire to the soot. The firemen were telephoned for and arrived on the scene in short time, and had the fire under control with chemicals five minutes after arriving. No damage was done.

THE CLAN ALPINE'S BANQUET TO-NIGHT

Bobbie Burns Anniversary Will be Celebrated by Sons of Scotland.

The members of Clan Alpine Camp No. 36, Sons of Scotland will celebrate the anniversary of Bobbie Burns, with a grand banquet at the Snowden House this evening when the Scots men will gather around the festive board. A cordial invitation is extended to every Scotchman in the city to be present to-night. A splendid programme has been arranged and the repast served will be worthy of the occasion "haggis" and other Scottish dishes being included in the bill of fare.

CHARTER IS WANTED FOR A NEW LINE

Examiner Special.

Toronto, Jan. 25.—Application will be made to the Legislature for a charter for the Cobourg, Port Hope and Havelock Railway.

ARCHBISHOP SWEATMAN OF TORONTO PASSED AWAY YESTERDAY SPECIAL SERVICES AT ST. JOHN'S

Touching Reference Was Made by Rev. Canon Davidson, While the Choir Sang Special Music—Had Often Visited Peterborough

THE BELLS WERE TOLLED

The announcement that Archbishop Sweatman of Toronto, primate of all Canada had passed away at his home in Toronto yesterday, was received with regret and sorrow by the members of the Anglican church in this city to whom he was well known and by whom he was much loved. Rev. Canon Davidson of St John's Church, received the first message and the services in St John's church were marked by special music and references to the death of His Grace.

The late Archbishop of Toronto had been in ill health for some years, but it was not until last week that he was seized with an attack of pneumonia, which gradually grew worse until his death came yesterday. He was seventy-six years of age and was born in England receiving his education at Cambridge University. Some thirty years ago he was appointed Bishop of Toronto, and three years ago became Archbishop.

He had visited Peterborough many times and had a large circle of friends here. He had performed many confirmation services in this city and was invariably greeted with large congregations when he officiated in any service.

Rev. Canon Davidson at the evening service in St. John's church last night made a touching reference to the death of the Archbishop whose many good qualities were eulogised. The choir and congregation sang two special hymns, 'Peace, Perfect Peace' and 'On the Resurrection Morning' while the choir rendered a special anthem. The opening voluntary was "O Rest in the Lord" from the Elijah.

At the conclusion of the service the organist, Mr. Dovey, rendered "the "Dead March in Saul" while the choir and congregation stood in their places. While the congregation was retiring the bell of St John's church was tolled. The recessional was the Funeral March from Beethoven's Grand Sonata in A Flat.

HORSE, BUGGY AND OCCUPANTS FALL FROM THE MARK STREET BRIDGE BUT ESCAPE UNINJURED

Mr. and Mrs. Brown, of Otonabee, had a very narrow escape from serious injury yesterday at noon, that they will not soon forget. They were driving north on Mark street, immediately after leaving church, and were north of Hunter when the horse they were driving became frightened at an umbrella and shied violently. They were passing the bridge over the creek at the time and the buggy skewed and almost before the occupants could realize their peril, it had tipped over and horse, vehicle and occupants had swept over the edge of the bridge and fallen in a heap on the bed of the creek below. Spectators of the accident hurried to the scene, expecting to find that Mr. and Mrs. Brown were seriously hurt, but they discovered to their surprise that neither was injured in the least and that the horse had escaped unhurt, while the only damage to the outfit was that the harness was slightly broken. Willing hands succeeded in rescuing the horse and buggy and getting them to the surface again.

Passes Suddenly Away At 96 Years Of Age At The Home Of Her Son In Ennismore

With her years drawing nigh the century mark, and enfeebled from advanced age, Mrs. John Sullivan, 96 years, one of the pioneer women of the Township of Ennismore, passed away rather suddenly on Sunday morning, at the home of her son, Michael Sullivan. She had been rather poorly in health for some time but her death was unexpected. The late Mrs. Sullivan had taken a light breakfast and about nine o'clock was sitting in a chair, when without warning she was overcome by faintness, from which she did not recover.

The family is one of the oldest in Ennismore, Mrs. Sullivan and her late husband having come out in 1825. They shared in the early industry which was required to bring the township to its present position. Mrs. Sullivan's maiden name was Bridget Corkery. She was married to John Sullivan when she was about twenty years of age, her husband predeceasing her thirty years ago.

The surviving members of the family are three sons, John C., of East City, and Michael and Patrick of Ennismore; also three daughters, Mrs. John K. Galvin and Mrs. Martin Leonard, of Ennismore, and Miss Kate, of this city.

The funeral will be held to-morrow morning at nine o'clock from the residence of Mr. Michael Sullivan, lot 10 con. 6, Ennismore, and proceed to St. Martin's Church and from thence to St. Martin's Cemetery.

LUMBERMAN TOOK DEADLY POISON FOR COUGH MEDICINE IN DARKNESS OF ROOM

Minden, Jan. 23—An event which seemed miraculous occurred at Robertson Bros.' camp recently. One of the brothers, George, who had been spending Sunday at his home in the village, was retiring for the night, and took two swallows of what he thought was cough medicine since it was in the place where the cough medicine usually sat; and finding he had made a mistake, he lit a lamp, to find that he had taken aconite, which of course he knew was deadly and quick poison. The camp was soon aroused, and mustard and lard caused immediate vomiting, which saved his life. Medical aid was soon had, and all that remains now is the memory of a close shave.

ONE OF THE OLDEST RESIDENTS OF MILLBROOK PASSES AWAY

Examiner Special.

Millbrook, Jan. 25.—One of the oldest and best known residents of Millbrook passed away this morning in the person of Mr. Thomas Gillespie Kells, who died at his home here after a lingering illness. He had been at the point of death for some days past and his demise was not unexpected. The late Mr. Kells had been a lifelong resident of Millbrook, having been born here seventy-one years ago. He was widely known and highly thought of not only in Millbrook but in the surrounding district, his many amiable qualities having endeared him to all who came into contact with him.

The deceased was unmarried and the only surviving close relatives are his two sisters, Miss Annie and Miss Mary Kells, both living in Millbrook, and his niece, Miss Amy Kells, who lived with him.

The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon at Millbrook. Mr. Kells' many friends in Peterborough will regret to learn of his demise. He was well and favourably known in this city.

THE ANNIVERSARY OF ROBERT BURNS

To-day, Scotchmen the world over, celebrate the birthday of their great poet, Robert Burns, a man who above all others, has helped to cement those ties of nationalism and kinship which were called into being by the heroic deeds of Wallace and the bloody victory at Bannockburn.

The memory of the ploughman—poet, indeed, is to-day enshrined not only in the hearts of his countrymen

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and of those who owe allegiance to the same king, but in the hearts also of those many millions, who, whilst severed from the old land in respect of civil government, still speak the same tongue and take pride in the glories of a common literature.

Probably, no country in any age, has so passionately cherished the memory of any man as Scotland has the memory of Burns. Monarchs who have ruled honestly and well have been forgotten; warriors have fought and won great battles and their names have passed away with the empires for which they bled. The humble Ayrshire poet has outstripped them all, for the years go by, yet the power of his poetry, instead of failing in its influence, is increasing year by year. The reason is not far to seek—Burns' poems more than any others, appeal to the human heart. Especially do they appeal to Scotchmen, for, as a true poet of the people, he depicts all their faculties and foibles. But the greatest claim that Burns has on the love of his countrymen, lies in the fact that he has Scotticised poetry, and thereby as Rossetti has said, drawn all the hearts of his countrymen like the draught of a roaring, fiery furnace.

Sir Arthur Helps has well said that "the milestreams that turn the clappers of the world arise in solitary places." One such took its rise in a humble cottage in Alloway, and with Scotchmen to-day, we turn our eyes in love and reverence to that spot, whence sprung the stream of melody that has so delighted and soothed the world.

THE BALTIC HAS THE REPUBLIC'S PEOPLE

Examiner Special.

New York, Jan. 25.—White Star Liner Baltic arrived here this morning with the Republic's passengers. Total casualties in collision two dead and six injured.

WILL BE LAID TO REST ON WEDNESDAY

Examiner Special.

The funeral of the late Archbishop Sweatman takes place 2.30 Wednesday afternoon. The body will lie in state at St. Alban's Cathedral until the hour of service.

THE COBALT SPECIAL WAS DITCHED TO-DAY

Examiner Special.

North Bay, Jan. 25.—The Cobalt special from Toronto is ditched at Jocko, thirty-three miles north of T. & N. O., All but baggage car and engine derailed. Eighteen passengers were cut by broken glass.

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SMITH STREET BRIDGE.

In another column of this issue is found an interesting letter dealing with the desired character of a new bridge across the river at its intersection with Smith street. Without subscribing to the opinions expressed or pronouncing upon the merits of the arguments advanced, we may say this much. The letter is written by a gentleman, who does not wish to be conspicuously indicated, and his professional acquirements and engineering ability invest what he says upon the subject with an authority commanding attention and respect. His letter is well worth reading carefully.

It may be said of his contentions that the plea for durability should not be altogether ignored. A bridge that should serve generations would not be out of place in a scheme of permanent structures, which should be the aim of municipal corporations. Neither should the considerations of beauty and dignity be lost sight of. The new bridge should be worthy of its environment. It practically connects one of our most beautiful parks with one of the most beautiful and unspoiled stretches of river shore. The western shore comprising the river front of the park is attractive, to the bridge site itself and below that the stretch of bold river bank stockaded with growing trees and sweping in a green bend to Water street is susceptible of treatment, at little cost of means or effort, that will urbanize and heighten its natural beauty. The whole surroundings of the bridge are attractive, and the practical elimination of the lumbering industry, on a large scale at least, and in this vicinity, will prevent the interference of commercialism with aesthetic improvement which should include a bridge worthy of the possibilities of the situation.

At any rate the main idea of permanence should not be lost sight of. False economy has caused the erection of two bridges at Hunter street, with the necessity of another not very remote and a mistake should not be made at Smith street. As to a concrete bridge at this point, if its cost will not be greatly in excess of a fairly permanent steel structure the idea might well be taken, at least, into serious consideration.

Universal experience, endorses the wisdom of the old saw—"What is worth doing is worth doing well."

SUGGESTIONS FOR IMPROVEMENT.

In forwarding his report on the Marine Department inquiry Judge Cassels says in part:—"Before concluding, I may be pardoned if I make a few observations. I am aware that what I am going to say is not within the scope of my duty as defined. I am also aware that I have not the practical knowledge to guide me as to the feasibility of putting into practice my views. No harm, however, can come from my observations.

"In the first place, the chief remedy for the amelioration of the conditions I have sought to portray lies in the awakening of the public conscience. If the public generally could be brought to view with abhorrence graft and abuse of trust on the part of those administering the public moneys and property, the end of such abuses as have occurred in the past would be in sight.

"Secondly—Capable and efficient officials should be adequately remunerated. Mr. Gregory, in the control of nearly one million dollars per annum, received a salary of $2,200 per annum; Mr. Harding, in the control of about $800,000 per annum, a salary of $1,800 per annum; Mr. Parsons, in the control of about $700,000 per annum, a salary of $1,600 per annum. It is an easy matter for those in affluent circumstances to hold up their hands in horror. They have not been in a position to be tempted.

"Third.—The abolition of the patronage system in the department of Marine and Fisheries is a long step in the right direction. It is, however, important that, while the purchasing of supplies, etc., should be controlled by an able man like Mr. Boutre, a thorough and systematic inspection of the agencies, should periodically be made, in order that the necessity of the requirements demanded should be inquired into, and also with a view to ascertaining if the supplies reach their proper destination. According to the evidence, a saving of about $100,000 per annum would be effected in the Marine and Fisheries Department alone by the change. Are there not other Departments administered by the Government which could be dealt with in the same manner? Would it not be feasible to appoint a board of, say, three competent men, assisted by inspectors conversant with ruling market prices, to act as purchasing agents for all the departments? The office of the Auditor-General is a very valuable and necessary one, but to leave the matter with him alone is only to lock the stable after the horse has been stolen."

FINANCES OF THE DOMINION.

The best test of the financial condition of Canada is the ratio of the annual revenue to the expenditure chargeable year by year to revenue account. In a general way, the situation may be regarded as satisfactory if the expenditure is kept well within the total of receipts, so that there is a surplus each year to set off as capital against the public debt. For the last complete fiscal year, that ending on the thirty-first of March, 1908, the consolidated revenue amounted to $96,854,505, and the expenditure to $76,641,451, leaving a surplus of $19,413,054, the largest surplus in the history of the Dominion. As the expenditure on capital account amounted to $30,429,906, while the debt was increased during the year by only $14,288,999, it is apparent that over sixteen millions were paid out of revenue to keep down the net debt. This is an excellent use of the yearly surplus, and so long as the country can make such a showing its credit will remain unimpaired in spite of seemingly lavish expenditures on public works.

It is instructive to note how the receipts have increased during the past few years under the operation of the Fielding tariff. The year 1906-7 is omitted because in it the change in the dates of the fiscal year was made, the tabular view is as follows:

1897-98	$40,555,238
1898-99	46,741,249
1899-1900	51,029,934
1900-01	52,514,701
1901-02	58,050,790
1902-03	66,037,968
1903-04	70,669,872
1904-05	71,182,738
1905-06	80,139,166
1907-08	96,854,505

It is objected, as a matter of financial policy, that the increasing annual revenue is proof that too much is taken from the people, the answer is manifold: the Fielding tariff materially reduced taxation by extending the free list, by reducing the customs duties on many articles that are either necessaries or comforts of life, and by extending a substantial preference to British manufactures, and in this way bringing down the cost of all imports of the same classes. For reasons well understood by students of taxation, the lowering of the duties became the chief promoting cause of the increase of revenue. Another important cause was the increase of population by the policy of drawing immigrants into the Dominion to make homes for themselves, especially in the West. No matter how large the revenue may be it is not burdensome, and so long as there is a public debt to be reduced it is expedient to devote the annual surplus to paying it off.

The statistics of the national debt are just as interesting as are those of the annual revenue. For the years of the Fielding tariff period the net debt has been:—

1897	$261,538,596
1898	263,956,398
1899	266,273,446
1900	265,493,806
1901	268,480,903
1902	271,829,089
1903	261,606,988
1904	260,867,718
1905	266,224,166
1906	267,042,977
1907	263,671,859
1908	277,960,859

In view of the fact that in these twelve years enormous amounts have been spent on capital account, the increase in debt is quite inconsiderable, and this is to be explained by the fact, already mentioned, that by means of surplus revenues the country has been to a great extent paying its way as it goes. The debt will for the current fiscal year, and also for the next three years, increase more rapidly on account of the National Transcontinental Railway, but so will the population, and after the present depression disappears there is no reason to doubt that the increase in the annual surpluses will be at a higher rate than ever before.

If more were needed to show how comparatively unimportant is the growth of the public debt, one need only turn to the column showing the net interest on the debt and the average annual rate per cent. With the broken year 1906-07 omitted, the figures are:—

	Net Interest.	Ave. Rates.
1896	$9,202,659	$3 66
1897	9,003,303	3.63
1898	9,264,661	3.52
1899	9,016,594	3.52
1900	9,023,120	3.54
1901	9,083,711	3.50
1902	9,047,186	3.45
1903	8,992,380	3.51
1904	8,525,082	3.47
1905	8,674,385	3.40

It is not necessary to point out the fact that the improvement of the credit of the Dominion varies inversely as the rate of interest; that is to say, the improvement of credit is the explanation of the lowering of the rate, and the lowering of the rate is the indication of improvement of credit. No other country of any importance can show such an exhibit. All that is needed to keep credit high is to cut down annual expenditure chargeable to revenue, and thus keep surpluses to set off against debt.—Globe.

Mattie's Milkman.

By MURRAY FIEL.
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Miss Jeannette's objection to Gene Carman was his profession. He was night editor on a morning paper, and he came home anywhere between 2 and 6 o'clock in the morning.

Miss Jeannette was country bred, and for forty years she had accepted without question the dictum that those who were out of night were no better than thieves and robbers.

Just what was the difference between thieves and robbers Miss Jeannette did not know. She knew only that those were the only sort of persons who were out when decent folk should be abed, so when her pretty niece, Mattie Boyer, gave evidence of more than a passing interest in Carman she very promptly frowned upon the young man and warned Mattie that she must have nothing more to do with the Carmans, mother and son.

The latter lived on the floor above Mattie and her maiden aunt, and kindly Mrs. Carman had been a tower of strength to Miss Jeannette when she and Mattie had first come to the city to live.

She had pointed out the best places at which to trade and helped Miss Jeannette to get an obnoxious tenant on the lower floor out of the house and had initiated both the elder and the younger woman into city ways generally.

Naturally it had hurt the old lady when the Boyers had terminated their

"HEIN'S STUCK ON ME SHAPE AND SENT ME A MASH NOTE."

friendly relations without word of warning, but a hint from Mattie to Gene soon set matters right.

Mattie was accustomed to Miss Jeannette's sudden whims, and she assured Gene that presently there would be a turn of the tide in his favor. Meanwhile she had to obey Miss Jeannette's prohibition against seeing Gene, so the only communication they held was by means of notes.

Every morning when Gene came home from his work he found a note stuck in the wide mouth of the empty milk bottle beside the Boyer doorway. The milkman came through the house later, gathering up empty bottles and leaving the filled ones.

To any person who chanced to pass it would appear to be a note of instructions to the milkman, but to Gene, coming home tired and sometimes disheartened, the little blue envelopes were like mental cocktails.

The same bottle would not serve as his postoffice as well, for Miss Jeannette took in the milk.

The best that Gene could do was to leave his letters in the candy store on the corner, where Mattie could get them when she returned from her work.

Had Mrs. Carman been willing to act as messenger the problem would have been far more simple, but the kindly old lady would have nothing to do with the affair.

She was hurt that the friendship should be so suddenly terminated and still more hurt that her son should be regarded as ineligible. She wondered at his lack of pride that he should still want to marry Mattie in spite of Miss Jeannette's prohibition, and she was most ostentatiously neutral.

For a time the milk bottle postoffice answered its purpose excellently well. Miss Jeannette went to bed early and let Mattie close the house, so that the latter set the bottle out in the hall every evening.

But one morning Gene did not come home as usual. There had been a sensational accident, and all the men on duty had been rushed to the scene. Even the men on the desks who could be spared were sent out, Gene among them.

It was nearly noon when he at last reached home, so exhausted that not once did he think of the letter. Mind and body were numb, and he did not dream that another man was reading the letter intended for him and was gloating over its contents.

Mattie's letters were not affectionately personal. She knew the danger of the missives falling into other hands, so she wrote vague notes of good cheer.

In the missing one there was an allusion to the long wait for love's culmination, and this gave to Butch Cassidy, the milk boy, the idea that the young woman with the glorious blue eyes was very much interested in him.

"I bet she seen me somewhere on Sunday," he mused. "She's a pippin, but I guess I'm some apples myself when I get me new harness on. It's a darned shame that she didn't pipe up a couple of weeks ago. She'd have put it all over Slim Bleecker's girl at th' ball of th' Milk Wagon Drivers' association. The Lady Flirts give their blowout a week from Thursday, and that's the day after pay day. I wonder would the little dame give a look."

Butch was a firm believer in the adage that "faint heart ne'er won fair lady," so as soon as his horse was stabled and his routine ended he made for the flat house in which the Boyers lived.

He was somewhat taken aback when Miss Jeannette answered the bell. Mattie worked only in the afternoons, reading to an invalid, and generally it was she who paid the bills on Tuesday morning when Butch made his regular round.

"Where's the little lady?" demanded Butch, determined to brave it out. "I want to say suthin' to her."

"My niece is out just now," was the severe response. "I understood that she paid your bill yesterday."

"Bill be blowed," said Butch politely. "This is a personal game, see? I got me money yesterday. I want to make a date wit' her. Get that over your think plate?"

"You?" cried Miss Jeannette in disgust.

"Sure," was the easy response. "She's stuck on me shape and sent me a mash note. I ain't wise up to all her talk, but that's clear. Give a look."

Moved to anger by the incredulity in Miss Jeannette's look, he produced the note, now sadly soiled. "You ain't just what I'd pick for a mommer-in-law, but I guess I'll have to take you wit' th' rest of th' furniture."

Miss Jeannette had lived in dread of a misalliance for Mattie, and now her worst fears seemed about to be realized.

She gave another long, comprehending look at the unshaven young driver and, with a little groan of horror, sank to the floor in a faint.

Butch promptly took his departure after giving a frightened ring on the bell of the flat next door, trusting that some one might come to the woman's relief. He could not know that they had all gone out, so it was Mrs. Carman, summoned by a piano agent, who brought Miss Jeannette back to consciousness. Miss Jeannette clung to her convulsively.

"Did you see that milk wagon driver?" demanded the shuddering Miss Jeannette. "My dear Mrs. Carman, that man is going to marry Mattie. I have heard of young girls eloping with their father's coachman, but with the driver of a milk wagon! Do you know that Mattie actually has been writing letters to him?"

A gleam of comprehension came into Mrs. Carman's kindly eyes. She knew that Gene had come in late that morning, and she could guess the rest. Here might be an opportunity to make things come out all right.

"I suppose that Mattie admired his appearance," she suggested gently. "Young girls very frequently do fall in love with a fine physique, and I recall that the driver is very athletic. If you had not interfered with Gene and she"—

Miss Jeannette grasped her arm. "It's not too late," she declared. "Tell your son that I will make any apology he demands. Perhaps if they see more of each other Mattie will forget this mad infatuation."

"I am quite sure that she will," declared Mrs. Carman comfortingly. "I will speak to Gene and ask him for your sake to try and regain Mattie's love."

Miss Jeannette gave her rescuer a grateful glance, and the little woman withdrew to sit patiently on the front step to warn Mattie when she should return. There Gene found her when he came out to go to work, and he listened in great amusement while his mother explained the situation.

"Of the two evils you are the less," she reminded smilingly. "If Mattie will only play her part well and consent to gradually forget her milkman you have won."

"I don't like being the lesser of Miss Jeannette's two evils," declared Gene happily as he bent to kiss his mother's wrinkled cheek, "but to save Mattie from her milkman I am willing to be even that, dear."

Books of Reference.

Newspaper editors like to answer questions addressed to them by their readers if they are not too hard—and they deem themselves as arbiters rather than as accessories to a misdemeanor when they are appealed to for information "to decide a bet." But they wonder sometimes why certain questions are put to them for arbitrament when the answers are to be found in one of three very accessible books—an almanac, a grammar and a small dictionary.

These are books of reference that ought to be in every home library, however small. We guess that they are, but that they are sometimes dusty with misuse or out of easy reach on a top shelf. It is well to have an almanac, a dictionary or an atlas handy when you are reading your newspaper. By consulting them frequently the reader will find his daily paper relates his early historical studies to present events and makes his touch with the world closer and more significant. Get the habit.—New York Mail.

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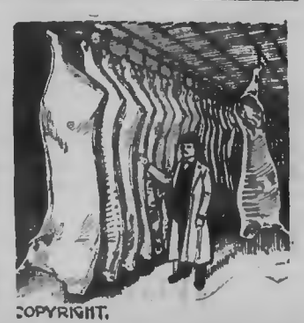

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TWO KILLED; SCORE HURT

Russian Desperadoes Hold Up Automobile Containing Wages of Employees at Rubber Factory and Are Pursued in Trolley Car by the Police and Armed Civilians—Both Captured; One Dead.

London, Jan. 25.—Two persons were killed and 21 injured at Walhamstow, a suburb of London, as the result of a sensational attempt on Saturday by two Russians at highway robbery.

The men were run down and surrounded by a posse and one of them finally committed suicide. The other attempted suicide, but did not succeed. He is now in a critical condition at Tottenham Hospital.

Two of their victims, a policeman and a boy of ten, lie dead, while five of the injured are seriously wounded.

London is breathless over the sensational introduction into its precincts of the Russian revolutionary methods. It was thought at first that the assassins were Italians, but the injured bandit admitted last night that he is a native of Riga, Russia, and came to England two years ago. One of the revolvers used by the men was found to be the same type as that used by Russian revolutionists.

The bandits, who evidently were intimately acquainted with the routine in the payment on Saturday of the employes at a rubber factory in Walhamstow, held up an automobile containing the employes' wages, at the entrance to the works, and made off with the money. They were followed by a few employes and a gradually increasing crowd of police and civilians, some of whom were armed.

The police jumped aboard a trolley car and the bandits, finding themselves closely pursued, jumped aboard another and forced the driver, with a revolver at his head, to send the car along at full speed.

One of the men ran to the rear of the car and repeatedly emptied his revolver at the pursuers. Reinforcements of armed police on foot, bicycles and horseback, joined in the chase and fusilades were fired for a mile.

The cars went thundering down the track, with the mounted and bicycle police straining every effort to keep up with the pacemakers. Nearing the Tottenham marshes, the bandits made the motorman slow down, and jumped off, seized a milk cart and made for the country district.

An automobile was pressed into the service by the police, and it was rapidly overhauling the assassins when they took to the marshes.

The pursuit through this treacherous ground was difficult and dangerous, but eventually the police succeeded in overtaking one of the men, who, finding his position hopeless, turned his weapon upon himself, inflicting a dangerous though not a fatal wound. The other man failing to reach Epping Forest, took refuge in a cottage, which the police, now reinforced by duck shooters who were in the vicinity, first fusiladed and then stormed. They found the assassin dead on the floor. He had sent a bullet into his head.

The wounded man was identified as Paul Hefeld of Riga. He had been a seaman. The other, who was known as Jacob, is said to have been a prominent Russian revolutionist.

Runaway Girl's Strange Bed.

Poughkeepsie, N.Y., Jan. 25.—While pursuing a cat Saturday night a small boy discovered living under a stoop in Peekskill, Grace Powers, 15 years old, who had disappeared five months ago, to evade capture by the police on a charge of theft.

The young girl had burrowed a bed in the ground and was garbed in burlap bags, which served her both for bedding and clothes. For nearly five months, during which time she had remained hidden in her strange retreat, she had crept out at night and stolen scraps of food from neighboring houses. She was removed to the Peekskill Hospital.

Carrie Nation In London.

London, Jan. 25.—Carrie Nation invaded London Saturday night and caused a scene at Oxford Music Hall. She was ejected.

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CANADIAN NORTHERN PLANS

Road Will Make Three Extensions In Alberta.

Edmonton, Alta., Jan. 25.—As a result of a conference between the Rutherford Government and D. D. Mann, the vice-president of the C.N.R., is in a position to state there are three extensions to be decided on. The Government has not yet stated what will be the basis of the guarantee, but it is understood that it will be practically the same as that of the Saskatchewan Government.

At as early a date as possible a line will be projected from Edmonton northwest to Fort Assiniboine on the Athabasca River, and eventually to Lesser Slave Lake and the Peace River Crossing. This will tap the great north country.

It is understood that the C.N.R. will build a line from a point near the eastern boundary to Edmonton, north of the Saskatchewan River. This branch will open up the country northeast of Edmonton.

The third line will probably run from Strathcona to Calgary, making a wide detour to the east to Penetae, that great area where settlers have been flocking in in increasing numbers each year. All three lines will have terminals in Edmonton. Other lines will undoubtedly be built by the C.N.R., but it was not known Saturday what direction they will take.

BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

Headed by Princess Louise (Duchess of Argyll) London women are working as recruiting agents for the new Territorial Force.

The Earl of Leicester died at his ancestral home, Holkham Hall, Wells, Norfolk, England. He was the patriarch of the English peerage, having been born in 1822.

While practicing with the junior hockey players at Port Arthur Thomas Friday received a cut across the eye which was so badly injured that it was necessary to remove the ball.

Constable Thurlow caught a man giving the name of Joseph Dutton in the Western Clothing Store in Port Arthur, and found he had about $200 worth of goods sacked, ready for removal.

Mayor Tom L. Johnson, although supposed to be politically dead so far as the mayoralty is concerned, by the failure of his three-cent fare operation of the city's traction system, is to try for the mayoralty next fall.

Bye-Election In B. C.

Ottawa, Jan. 25.—The writ for the Comox-Atlin bye-election was issued on Saturday. The returning officer will fix the date, which will probably be early in March.

Conservatives here expect the return of the Minister of Inland Revenue will be contested, though this will of course depend on conditions in the constituency.

The debate on the address will be continued to-day by Ralph Smith (Nanaimo), and Goodeve (Kootenay) and Taylor (New Westminster) will also speak. It is hoped to wind up by 6 o'clock, but several new members from other provinces want to break the ice, and consider this the best chance that will come along for some time.

It is rumored that Joseph Martin, K.C., will be asked to run as an Independent candidate.

Arnprior and Pontiac Railway.

Ottawa, Jan. 25.—Application will be made to Parliament this session for the incorporation of the Arnprior & Pontiac Railway Co., with power to build and operate a line of railway from the Pontiac Pacific Junction line between Quyon and Campbell's Bay, southerly across the Ottawa River to Fitzroy Harbor, and thence westerly via Arnprior to a point on the Kingston & Pembroke Railway at High Falls, also from Fitzroy Harbor easterly to a point on the Canadian Pacific Railway at or near Britannia, and to a point on the Grand Trunk at or near South March, with power also to construct a passenger and railway bridge across the Ottawa River at the Chats Falls.

Firemen Must Be Bigger.

Albany, Jan. 25.—The fire-fighters of New York City are not tall enough, nor do they weigh enough. The state civil service commission has issued an edict at the request of Chief Croker of New York, that in the future all firemen must be one inch taller and weigh five pounds more than is required at present, or 5 feet 8 inches, and 140 pounds, respectively.

Murder In Kansas City.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 25.—Stephen P. Hood, agent for the Fidelity & Casualty Co. here, was shot and killed by Walter Blanton in the office of the company on Friday evening. Blanton surrendered.

DEATH OF ANGLICAN PRIMATE OF CANADA

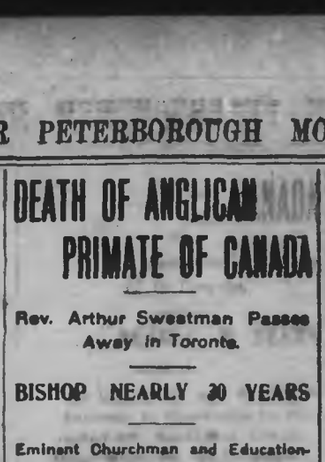
Rev. Arthur Sweatman Passes Away in Toronto.

BISHOP NEARLY 20 YEARS

Eminent Churchman and Educationist Succumbs to Pneumonia In His Seventy-Fifth Year—Was Unconscious When the End Came—Family Were Present—Came From England In 1850.

Toronto, Jan. 25.—After a week's illness the death occurred yesterday afternoon, shortly after one o'clock, of His Grace, the Most Rev. Arthur Sweatman, D.D., L.C.L., Lord Archbishop of Toronto, Primate of All Canada and Metropolitan, in his 74th year. Pneumonia was the cause of death.

The end came peacefully at the See House, Howland avenue. His grace has not enjoyed the best of health for the past two years, and on his return from the induction of Bishop Farthing as Bishop of Montreal, he betrayed symptoms of illness. Although nothing serious was anticipated, his family prevailed upon him not to attend last Sunday's services at St. Alban's Cathedral. On Monday His Grace was suffering apparently from a severe cold. Dr. Harrington and Dr. Grassett were called in, and diagnosed the illness as bronchial pneumonia. Mid-week it was thought



MOST. REV. ARTHUR SWEATMAN.

that improvement had set in, but on Friday there was a turn for the worse and on Saturday it was reported there was only a "fighting chance."

Rev. Canon MacNab said last night that on Friday morning Archbishop Sweatman received "the blessed sacrament." The archbishop was able to participate in the service and derived much comfort from it. He began to fail noticeably late on Saturday afternoon.

Canon MacNab said that he was with the archbishop at 4 o'clock yesterday morning. At 7 o'clock he gave the archbishop the commending prayers of the church for the dying.

Yesterday morning about an hour before daybreak Canon MacNab said he was with the archbishop. He turned on the electric lights so that he could see to read to him. The archbishop gazed around and asked: "Am I dead? Is this death?" These were the last words the archbishop said.

After that the archbishop lapsed into unconsciousness and remained so until the end.

There were present when the end came John, Stanley and Charles, sons of the archbishop, and a daughter, Miss Gladys, with Canon MacNab and the faimly physician, Dr. A. J. Harrington. Mrs. Walter of Kingston, another daughter, arrived later in the afternoon.

No arrangements have as yet been made for the funeral.

His Grace the Most Rev. Arthur Sweatman, M.A., D.D., D.C.L., was born Nov. 19, 1834, in London, England. The son of an eminent London physician, the late Dr. John Sweatman of Middlesex Hospital, his early education was obtained in private schools. His Christian ministry may be said o have commenced in 1849, when, at the age of 15, he engaged in Sunday school teaching in the parish of Christ Church, Marylebone.

After several years passed as a student at University College, London, he graduated in 1859 from Christ's College, Cambridge, with the degree of B.A., obtaining high honors in mathematics, in which he was graded senor optime. In 1862 he proceeded to the degree of M.A.

Ordained deacon by Bishop Tait of St. Paul's Cathedral in 1859, and priested the following year in the Chapel Royal, Whitehall. He then took the curacy of Holy Trinity Church, Islington.

Dr. Sweatman came to Canada in 1865 to assume the headmastership of the newly-founded London Collegiate Institute. Three years later he was married in England to Miss Garland of Islington.

In 1871 he became mathematical and science master in Upper Canada College. He then became rector of Grace Church, Brantford, where he was also made examining chaplain to the Bishop of Huron. In 1873 to 1879 he held the offices of clerical secretary to the Synod of Huron and secretary to the House of Bishops.

In 1874 he became headmaster of Hellmuth College, and two years later rector of Woodstock and Archdeacon of Brant.

He was consecrated Bishop of Toronto May 1, 1879, in St. James' Cathedral. In the same year he was honored by his alma mater, Cambridge, with the degree of D.D., jure dignitatis, and in 1882 Trinity University, Toronto, made him D.C.L.

Dr. Sweatman was destined for the highest honor in the gift of the Canadian church, and his election as Archbishop and Metropolitan and Primate of all Canada on Jan. 16, 1907, was received by laity and clergy alike with every evidence of sincere satisfaction and hearty approval.

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DROWNED IN GULLY POND.

Two Hamilton Boys Lose Lives While Skating.

Hamilton, Jan. 25.—James Wright, 2 Mill street, nine years of age, and John Taylor, 157 North Bay street, 13 years old, were drowned on Saturday morning in one of the Caroline street gullies in rear of the Grant Spring Brewery.

Although the area of the gully is not large, the water is 20 feet deep. The boys were skating, and the ice, weakened by the thaw, gave way.

Taylor's body was recovered almost immediately, but all attempts to resuscitate him were in vain. The body of his unfortunate chum was not found until two o'clock Saturday afternoon.

When the boys sank, a youth named Roundtree managed to get them both out, but the ice gave way under the trio, and Roundtree had all he could do to save himself. He was exhausted when he managed to crawl out.

Taylor was still living when he was rescued the second time, and if anybody versed in giving the proper kind of treatment had been there his life might have been saved.

TWO FISHERMEN DROWN.

Broke Through Ice Near Deseronto—Cries Were Heard.

Deseronto, Jan. 25.—Two fishermen named Rubin Lindsay and Frank Kimmerly were drowned near here on Friday night.

They were crossing the ice about 11 o'clock going to their fish shanty near Foresters' Island when the ice gave way, letting them both through.

Their cries were heard by some other fishermen near by, but by the time they were reached they had gone down for the last time.

Boy Drowned at Brantford.

Brantford, Jan. 25.—Johnny Leitch, the six-year-old son of Mrs. T. J. Leitch, widow of a former Hamilton druggist, was drowned in the canal here yesterday afternoon.

The little fellow wandered from his grandmother's residence and met with unknown companions, with whom he ventured on the thin ice covering the canal. He went through, and firemen were unable to recover the body.

His mother identified a cap which caught on the ice as that of her son. She is a resident of London, and was here on a brief visit to Mrs. John A. Leitch.

Within three days two men have been drowned at Picton, two men at Deseronto and two boys at Hamilton by breaking through ice.

New Railway Planned.

Havelock, Jan. 25.—A scheme by which the mining property in East Peterboro will be made very valuable is under consideration at the present time. In link with it is a plan to run a direct line to the Kawartha's popular summer resorts, and thus make those lakes the most popular in the country.

An application will shortly be made to Parliament for an act to incorporate a company for the purpose of constructing and operating an electric line between Cobourg and Havelock.

There is plenty of money behind the scheme.

Woman Badly Burned.

London, Jan. 25.—Mrs. Mary Weaver, an aged woman who lives alone at the corner of Wellington road and Clarke street, South London, was found in her home on Thursday evening in an unconscious condition, suffering from terrible burns to both her feet.

The reaction of coming into the hot room from outside and sitting down close to the fire caused her to faint, and in falling from her chair her right leg and foot fell directly against the hot stove.

Must Carry All Freight.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 25.—Common carriers cannot legally refuse to accept shipments of a certain commodity in order that they may better handle another, and the prompt handling of the latter gives it no imperial rights over the other products of a state. This is the law and its interpretation, as laid down by the Supreme Court of Georgia, in a case appealed by the Ocean Steamship Co., against the Savannah Locomotive Works and Supply Co.

Bump For Harriman.

Washington, Jan. 25.—That President Roosevelt's recommendation of an appropriation to reimburse E. H. Harriman for the expenditure of about $2,000,000 by the Southern Pacific Railway Co. to control the overflow of the Colorado River into Salton Sink, a few years ago, will be disregarded by Congress now appears probable.

Governor Wasn't Lost.

Winnipeg, Jan. 25.—A few days ago a local paper printed a statement to the effect that the Legislature could not be summoned owing to the absence of the Lieutenant-Governor, whose whereabouts were unknown. There was no truth in the announcement.

His honor left on a trip to the south some weeks ago, and was in constant communication with Winnipeg.

He returned to the city on Thursday, and the date of the opening of the Legislaure was thereupon announced as Feb. 4.

Senate's Gala Night.

Ottawa, Jan. 25.—The vice-regal drawing-room held in the Senate chamber Saturday night was one of the most largely attended in recent years. His Excellency, in full court uniform, and Countess Grey took their places on the dais and between the hours of 9 and 10 received upwards of 500, a large number being debutantes. After the drawing-room, Mrs. Marcel held a reception in the Speaker's apartments.

MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Close Unchanged, Chicago Lower—Live Stock—Latest Quotations.

Saturday Evening, Jan. 23.

Liverpool wheat futures closed unchanged, and corn closed 1-4d higher.

Chicago May wheat closed 1-4c lower than yesterday, May corn closed 1-2c lower, and oats closed 3-8c lower.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—January, 89½c bid, July $1.03⅝ bid, May $1.01⅝ bid.
Oats—January 37½c bid, May 41⅜c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	0 96	to $....
Wheat, red, bush	0 96	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 94	....
Rye, bush	0 60	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 55	....
Peas, bushel	0 85	....
Barley, bushel	0 53	....
Oats, bushel	0 45	....

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 32	0 32
Butter, store lots	0 28	0 28
Butter, creamery, solids	0 32	0 32
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 33	0 33
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 35	0 35
Eggs, cold storage	0 27	0 27
Cheese, large, lb	0 13½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 23.—Closing—Wheat—Spot easy; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 10d. Futures quiet; March 7s 7¾d, May 7s 6¼d, July 7s 7d.

Corn—Spot steady; new American mixed, via Galveston, 5s 4¾d. Futures quiet; March 5s 4½d, May 5s 4¼d.

Peas—Canadian steady, 7s 7d.

Flour—Winter patents steady, 29s 9d.

Hops—At London (Pacific coast) firm, £3 5s to £3.

Beef—Extra India mess, 113s 6d, steady.

Pork—Prime mess, western, quiet, 77s 6d.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs., firm, 44s; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs., firm, 46s 6d; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs., strong, 47s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs., steady, 47s 6d; 35s., heavy, 35 to 40 lbs., steady, 46s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs., quiet, 51s.

Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs., strong, 48s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, quiet, 49s; American refined, in pails, quiet, 49s 6d; shoulders, square, 11 to 13 lbs., firm, 32s.

Butter—Good United States steady, 92s.

Cheese—Canadian finest white firm, 61s 6d; do., colored, firm, 62s 6d.

Tallow—Prime city dull, 28s; Australian, in London, firm, 31s 4½d.

Turpentine—Spirits firm, 32s 6d. Linseed oil—Firm, 23s 3d. Petroleum—Steady, 7¾d. Rosin—Common firm, 8s 6d.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—Butter—Unsettled and lower; receipts, 4252; creamery specials, 31c to 31 1-2c; official, 31c; extras, 30c to 30 1-2c; third to first, 24c to 29c.

Cheese—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 1151.

Eggs—Steady, unchanged; receipts, 6185.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Steady—Hogs 10c to 15c Higher at Buffalo Market.

LONDON, Jan. 23.—London cables for cattle are steady, at 13c to 13 3-4c per pound, dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10 1-4c to 10 1-2c per pound.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 23.—John Rogers & Co., Liverpool, quote to-day: United States steers at 13½c to 13¾c; Canadians, 12c to 13c; cows and heifers, 12c; bulls, 11c; trade is slow but firm.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Jan. 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 150 head; slow and steady.

Veals—Receipts, 100 head; active and steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 2000 head; slow; pigs 10c to 15c higher; others steady; mixed, $6.55 to $6.65; Yorkers, $6 to $6.50; pigs, $5.65 to $5.75.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 10,000 head; active; lambs and yearlings 10c higher; lambs, $5 to $7.35; yearlings, $4 to $6.25.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—Beeves—Receipts, 250; nothing doing; feeling weak; dressed beef, dull, at 8c to 10c; exports, 4915 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 309; no demand for the westerns held over yesterday; feeling weak all round; dressed calves, slow; city dressed veals, 8c to 15c; country dressed, 7 1-2c to 13 1-2c.

Sheep and lambs — Receipts, 5631; sheep, quiet but steady; lambs dull and lower to sell; sheep, $3 to $5; culls, $2.75; lambs, $6.50 to $7.30.

Hogs — Receipts, 5113; steady to strong; prime Maryland hogs, $6.60; Ohio pigs, $5.80.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Ill., Jan. 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 600; steady; beeves, $4 to $6.90; Texans, $4.10 to $4.80; westerns, $3.75 to $5.40; stockers and feeders, $3.10 to $5; cows and heifers, $1.75 to $5.25; calves, $7 to $8.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 15,000; steady; light, $5.60 to $6.30; mixed, $5.80 to $6.50; heavy, $5.85 to $6.50; rough, $5.85 to $6.05; good to choice heavy, $6.05 to $6.50; pigs, $4.50 to $5.50; bulk of sales, $6.05 to $6.40.

Sheep and lambs — Receipts, 1500; steady; native, $3.25 to $5.65; western, $3.25 to $5.65; yearlings, $5.75 to $6.90; lambs, native, $5 to $7.65; western, $5 to $7.65.

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WILL SPEAK AT HARWOOD MEETING

Ald. Gillespie and Mr. H. B. Cowan to Attend Annual Creamery Meeting.

To-morrow night Ald. Gillespie and Mr. H. B. Cowan, of "Farm and Dairy," will go to Harwood to attend the annual meeting of the Harwood Creamery. There will probably be several other gentlemen go from the city and both the Peterborough men will give addresses.

NEW PROPRIETOR FOR CAVANVILLE FACTORY

Mr. Davies of Toronto Succeeds Mr. Wood in Cheese Manufacture.

The annual meeting of the Cavanville Cheese factory was held on Friday last. Mr. Wood has sold out the factory to a Mr. Davies of Toronto, who will put more vigour into it and run it nine months this year. It is to be hoped that he will receive liberal support from the farmers.—Millbrook Reporter.

MESSRS. P. CONNAL & SONS CHRISTMAS WINDOW DISPLAY

The Canadian Grocer of January 15th has the following complimentary reference regarding the design of Messrs. Connal & Son's Christmas window display which was awarded second prize in Class I in the recent Holiday Window Dressing Competition:

The second prize window in Class I. won its place more because of the novelty of arrangement and the new ideas presented rather than for any fine decoration effects. A taking feature of this window, too, is that practically everything bears a price ticket. In describing the window, Connal & Son say:

"The idea of the window was to emphasize the quality of our goods as the Queen of Quality. The central figure, a beautiful doll, dressed in royal robes, with a crown of gold on her head, stands under a light canopy made of light framework trimmed with silver paper, with a white sateen curtain as a background. The roof is made from paper covered with silver paper. The ridges of roof are trimmed with holly, with silver tinsel hung in loops along the eves as a finish. The floor of the window was built up at the back with steps leading down to the front of the window. The whole was covered with white sheet cotton batting. Along the front of the window are arranged nuts of all kinds, with price tickets attached. On the steps were placed fancy table raisins in kind with a price card on it. A clothes basket filled with California seedless oranges placed on each side of the queen's canopy completed the window."

The Grocer also prints a very clear double column half tone reproduction of the Connal window.

CARD OF THANKS.

The Sisters of Mount St. Joseph beg to acknowledge with many thanks the prompt and generous service of the Peterborough Fire Brigade yesterday. They wish also to commend in an especial manner the kindness and thoughtfulness of Chief Howard.

Sisters of Mount St. Joseph.

VALUES IN WAGES IN CANADA.

Ottawa, January 25 — The Census and Statistics Office issues to-day the results of a report for the year ended December 31 ultimo, on farm land values in the Dominion, the values of farm animals, and the averages of farm and domestic wages.

The average value of farm land for all the provinces is $35.70 per acre. In five of the provinces it is under $30, being $27.30 in Manitoba, $25.00 in Nova Scotia, $21.40 in New Brunswick, $20.40 in Saskatchewan and $18.20 in Alberta. In Prince Edward Island the average is $33.70 per acre, in Quebec $41.90, in Ontario $47.30 and in British Columbia $76.10. Values are high in the last named province owing to the comparatively large extent of farm land there in orchard and small fruits.

The average value of horses at the end of the year is $46.00 for ones under one year, $100.00 for ones of one to under three years, and $143.00 for ones of three years and over. Horses of the last class are below an average of $120 in Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia and Alberta; in New Brunswick, Quebec and Ontario they are about $140.00, and in Manitoba and Saskatchewan they are $170.00 to $176.00. Milch cows have an average value in the Dominion of $34.00, ranging from $29.00 in Prince Edward Island and New Brunswick to $36.00 in Ontario and $37.00 in Saskatchewan, but in British Columbia the average is $48.00. Other horned cattle have an average value over the Dominion of $9.00 for ones under one year, $21.00 for ones of one to under three years, and $32.00 for ones of three years and over. These averages are generally close for all the provinces, but the highest values are given for Ontario and the Western provinces.

The average value of swine is given as $5.86 per 100 lb. live weight, being lowest in Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and Alberta, and highest in Quebec, Ontario and British Columbia. Sheep are given an average value of $5.23 per head for the Dominion, and are below the average in the Maritime Provinces, Quebec and Saskatchewan.

The total value of farm animals computed on the foregoing averages and the number of animals on farms in June was $530,000,000. The June price of wool for the Dominion was 18 cents per pound.

The average wages of farm and domestic help for the Dominion per month was $24.80 for males and $13.50 for females, and $208 per year for males and $130 for females. The highest averages are reported for the Western Provinces, where they reach about $300 per year, for males, and $160 for females. In Ontario and Quebec the average for males is about $240, and for females $120 per year.

HILDA SPONG,

The great English actress, in "A Man and His Mate," at Grand Opera House, Wednesday night, January 27th. Coming direct from Royal Alexandra Theatre, Toronto. Plan now open at the box office.

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Mr. Wagner is recently from Schenectady, but he has already won the esteem of those in his charge and the completeness of the affair on Saturday night simply manifested the fact that Mr. Wagner has already established his popularity as foreman of the Test.

Those Present

The banquet was held at Coleman's and its success is in no small degree due to the careful and dainty manner in which each course was prepared and served. The following sat down to the tempting spread, which was done full justice to:

Messrs. R. S. Cotton, H. Dextutel, C. Lappe, W. G. Hall, S. W. Cannift, R. E. Wagner, G. H. Thornton, of the Transformer Department; J. W. Mackie, H. Fairweather, W. Hatton, C. E. Sisson, of the Engineering Department; H. B. Whyte, G. S. Stewart, B. Millar, Herbert L. Sheen, H. N. Bennett, H. D. Moss, J. Lowes, H. V. Maynard, J. H. Caster, F. W. McNeill, D. W. Richmond, T. Eardley-Wilmot and an Examiner representative.

The Toast List

In more ways than one this banquet was the most successful ever held under the auspices of the Test. The provision made for the inner man was all that could be desired, but the afterpart surpassed previous functions. Under the spell of My Lady Nicotine's soothing charm the post prandial speeches were most appropriate and not a dull moment ticked by. Mr. S. W. Cannift, as chairman, filled that position in a very capable manner, with the result that the interest was unabated until the last echo of the National Anthem had died away, at an hour bordering closely to that which ushered in Sunday morning.

The following is the list of toasts honoured:

The King—proposed by Mr. Hall, and honoured by the singing of God Save the King.

Canada—proposed by Mr. Lowes and responded to by Mr. Sisson.

Our Guest—proposed by Mr. Maynard, responded to by Messrs. Warner of the Test, Thornton of the Transformer; Theobald of the Press.

The Ladies—proposed by Mr. Caster and responded by Messrs. Stewart and Lappe.

The Test—proposed by Mr. Hatton and responded to by Mr. Whyte.

Sister Departments — proposed by Mr. Millar and responded to by Mr. Richmond.

Our Host—proposed by Mr. Cannift and responded to by Mr. Coleman.

Musical Programme

The following musical numbers and readings proved enjoyable intermissions—

Vocal Solo—Mr. Moss
Anecdotal—Mr. Cotton
Vocal Solo—Mr. McNeill
Vocal Solo—Mr. Fairweather
Vocal Solo—Mr. Mackie
Recitation—Mr. Sheen

The accompaniments were played by Mr. Harry Theobald.

Mr. Mackie sang splendidly "The Skippers of St. Ives," and "The Clang of the Forge." Mr. Fairweather sang "The Trumpeter" in a pleasing manner and Mr. McNeill's songs were very much enjoyed.

The Speeches

Mr. C. E. Sisson made a capital speech in his response to the toast to Canada. He dealt briefly but pointedly with the splendid progress we have made and stated that ever in the electrical business as an example, was her importance being recognized by the other nations.

Mr. Wagner in his speech, thanked the members of the Test for the cordial greeting they had extended to him in his new position. He hoped they would always operate harmoniously together for the best success of their department and the works. He pointed out the importance of the Test and gave a description of that in which he had been employed in Schenectady. He impressed upon the young men the necessity of accuracy, economy and neatness in their work. He again thanked them for the reception they had given him and expressed the hope that the good feeling would continue.

"It certainly will" in chorus.

Mr. Thornton also spoke well and interestingly.

This account would scarce be complete without reference to the toast to the ladies. Messrs Caster, Stewart and Lappe said all the nice things that they could think of, and these were many.

Mr. Coleman thanked the young men for the manifest appreciation of his services and sang two songs. The latter was "Rising Early in the Morning" which required the full chorus. Before "God Save the King" was sung, the graduates from McGill and S. P. S. gave a few remin iscences of their Alma Maters by several college songs and yells, forming a grand finale to an evening that everyone enjoyed.

THE PRIVATE SECRETARY

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At present the Council is considering the question of arriving at some plan of placing Peterborough's facilities before outside manufacturers looking for new locations. The following proposal of Senator W. C. Edwards, president of the Hull & Ottawa Power Co., to advertise Hull may be of interest locally.

Senator Edwards said that they were willing to advertise the city at their own expense, if the Hull Council would make a fixed reasonable assessment for new industries. They owned a large portion of land along the river front, and it was probable that the C.P.R. would run a spur line from the Interprovincial Bridge to the Chaudiere.

PETERBORO' GAINING GROUND MUSICALLY

Writer States Progress Has Been Made and Predicts Welcome to Toronto Orchestra if They Come Here.

Not all musicians are aware of the interesting phase through which the Toronto Symphony Orchestra is now passing. The work of past seasons has given to it much valuable experience, and the preliminary and important work of organization and the assembling of the various parts into one harmonious unit has been through the hard work of many owners of the enterprise, successfully accomplished. It now remains for the orchestra to place itself both financially and artistically in the same class as its great prototypes on this continent and in Europe. Only those in immediate contact with the problems to be solved in carrying out this idea have any conception of the difficulties to be overcome, but there is not the slightest doubt that is due time the orchestra will attain the required strength. In this connection it is interesting to learn that plans are being formed to give an orchestral concert in Peterborough in the course of two or three weeks, which many friends of the orchestra in that city think should be an unqualified success. Peterborough is rapidly gaining ground as a musical centre, and there is every reason to believe that a first class attraction of this kind will receive the support it deserves. When the Toronto Symphony Orchestra has increased its repertoire of fine orchestral works so that engagements may be taken at short notice, there is no doubt that it will be heard in towns and cities all over Canada and in the United States. In the meantime perfection in every undertaking is considered of more importance than continuous appearances of inferior merit, and the high ideals of the conductor will be satisfied with nothing but the best of effects.—Toronto Globe

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$15 San Toi Dress Skirts
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15 Gore black San Toi Skirt of excellent quality with elaborate overskirt effect, trimmed with touches of soutache braid, value $15. Three Days' Sale Price **$10.90.**

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9 Gore black Voile Skirt in combination box and side pleated effect and trimmed with clustered narrow silk folds. $22.00 value. Three Days' Sale Price **$17.75.**

$16 Pleated French Voile Skirt
11.40
17 Gore black French Voile Skirt, extra quality, trimmed with two rows of clustered wide and narrow silk strappings and folds, value $16.00. Three Days' Sale Price **$11.40.**

$16 Fine French Voile Skirt
11.40
22 Gore black French Voile Skirt of very superior quality and trimmed with self and narrow moire silk folds, $16 value. Three Days' Sale Price **$11.40.**

$14 Black Chiffon Panama Skirt
9.90
15 Gore pleated Skirt of black chiffon Panama cloth, trimmed with self and silk folds, $14 values. Three Days' Sale Price **$9.90.**

$13.00 Satin Stripped Voile Skirt
$9.90
Unparalleled Skirt Value
15 Gore, pleated Voile Skirt, blue and black shadow striped with over stripe of black satin, trimmed with three rows of silk folds at bottom. $13 value for Three Days' Sale **$9.90.**

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9.90
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$13.50 Tailored Panama Skirt **9.90**
Handsome 15 gored Skirt, made of fine French Chiffon Panama Cloth, in neat tailored style with combination box and inverted pleat effect and trimmed with self and silk strappings, $13.50 value. Three Days' Sale Price **$9.90.**

$15 San Toi Pleated Skirt **10.90**
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Peterboro' Man's Rapid Rise From Clerk To President Of Company

Hardware and Metal Describes the Career of Walter H. Cottingham, President of Sherwin-Williams Company.

WORKED IN THIS CITY.

The Hardware and Metal gives the following interesting account of a Peterborough young man's rise in the world.

The story of how men in any enterprise climb the ladder of success is always instructive and inspiring. It is full of human interest, that quality which arouses the indifferent to action, the struggling to renewed effort, and the successful to greater achievments.

Not very many years ago Walter H. Cottingham was weighing putty and nails in the retail hardware store of McKee & Davidson, in Peterborough; a few days ago he was elected president of the entire Sherwin-Williams organization, one of the greatest business concerns on the globe. At fifteen years a junior clerk; at forty-three occupying the highest office that the directors of an establishment which ranks foremost in the paint and varnish world of two countries, can bestow.

How did he rise? He had no influential friends, wealthy relatives or other levers sometimes used to give men a lift, and Walter H. Cottingham is a Canadian, of whom his countrymen are proud. As a boy he possessed enthusiasm and the ability to see the essenital things in whatever he undertook. He had the gift of imagination. The most renowned leaders in any line of endeavour have been visionaries, and Mr. Cottingham always dreamed of future prominence and power with all the enthusiasm of youth. To-day he pays tribute to imagination as an integral element of success. "Factories of air must precede factories of brick and warehouses exist first in the imagination," is one of his business maxims. He has travelled the rough road to eminence alone and is a splendid example of that class who always excel the self-made man. He believes there are two things which largely determine a man's success in business — his knowledge of his own business and an intimate acquaintance with human nature.

The little village of Omemee, a few miles north of Peterborough, was his birth place. His first job was with the hardware store in Peterborough where he spent one year, after which he was attracted to Montreal with its greater field of operation. It was during the first five years of his residence in that city, working with a comission merchant in hardware and paints, that he gained preliminary knowledge of the paint business and its great possibilities, as well as his comprehension of human nature.

In 1887, Mr. Cottingham launched out in the troubled sea of commerce as an independent maker of gold paint and other specialties. So modest and unostentatious was this undertaking that scarcely a ripple was raised on the commercial ocean. Failure and shipwreck were predicted for him and his enterprise. He received lots of advice, by far the larger part of which was to stay on shore where it was at least safe. Columbus got the same advice continuously from the day he stood the egg on end until he picked up the seaweed floating off the American shore. In the new firm Mr. Cottingham was manufacturer, salesman, buyer and most of the incidental positions that go to make up the staff of a manufacturing concern. But he wasn't so poorly equipped as a casual glance at his establishment or a Dun report would have us believe. He made his own paint; he knew what was in it, and consequently, could sell it without misgivings. His stock of enthusiasm was inexhaustible, and his faith in himself and his proposition strong and unwavering.

At the age of 35 years (1891) Mr. Cottingham was a miniature captain of industry. The following list of industries in which he was at that time interested will show what good use he made of his time. He was proprietor of Walter H. Cottingham & Co., makers of paints and varnishes; senior partner of Cottingham, Robertson & Co., package dyes dyes and dye stuffs; proprietor of the Windsor Chemical Co., makers of gold paint and gold specialties; proprietor of the St. Lawrence Canoe and Boat Co., makers of and dealers in canoes, boats and fittings; director of the Non-Chemical Laundry Co. It then occurred to him that he was getting his eggs distributed in too many baskets, so he gathered them all into one basket and devoted his energy to watching that basket. He saw the increasing demand for paint and varnish, so the Walter H. Cottingham Co. grew and flourished under his now focussed attention. They secured selling agencies for the leading English and American paint and varnish makers, among them the Sherwin-Williams Co. This arrangement had not been long in force before the energetic manager saw the opening for the manufacture in Canada of high-grade goods, and following up this idea he induced the Sherwin-Williams Co. to join with him in manufacturing their goods in Canada. The firm name was now changed to Walter H. Cottingham Co., Limited, and a subsidiary company was organized for the manufacture of varnish, it being called the Cottingham Varnish Co. The goods, which, under his new arrangement he had undertaken to make and sell were the highest priced in the United States, and higher than any other brand sold in Canada.

In 1896 the Walter H. Cottingham and the Cottingham Varnish Companies were merged with the Sherwin-Williams Co., and they had by this time become such important factors in the Canadian paint and varnish market that under the new arrangement, the proprietor was made a director of the Sherwin-Williams Co., and manager of the Canadian business. In this capacity Mr. Cottingham displayed the keen business acumen and power of organization that marked him as a general of commerce. He immediately attracted and held the attention of the home office at Cleveland, and, when the business demanded a man who could properly guide and aid its further growth, all eyes were turned to Montreal. In 1898 Mr. Cottingham was appointed to the general managership of the entire company, to which, in 1903, was added the title and responsibilities of vice-president. A few days ago, at a meeting of the directors held in Cleveland, he was appointed president of the entire Sherwin-Williams' organization, both in the United States and Canada, Mr. Williams retiring from the presidency, and being made chairman of the board.

During the 12 years that Mr. Cottingham has guided the destinies of the Sherwin-Williams Co. their operations have largely increased, and he, while still a young man, has the gratification of knowing that the reputation and sales of his company are yearly growing under his guidance.

Trunk Of Boots And Shoes Actually Contained Whiskey

It Was Destined for Millbrook But Was Intercepted at the G. T. R. Station and Figured To-day in a Police Court Case.

ENLARGED UNTIL FRIDAY.

It a trunk of "boots and shoes" had found its way to local option Millbrook on Friday last when opened at its destination its contents would have been found to have been transformed to whiskey. The disclosure, however, was made at the police court this morning, when a charge against Mr. Alex Elliott for unlawfully selling Liquor to a person who bought it to resell, was heard. It appears that the trunk was delivered to the G.T.R. station and that Mr. Croaker, proprietor of the Queen's Hotel, Millbrook, in his anxiety to find it, aroused suspicion at the station, as did also the fact that it came from a liquor store. This was increased when Mr. Croaker said the trunk contained boots and shoes.

First Witness

Mr. W E Scott stated that he was a detective on the G.T.R. "I have seen Mr. John Croaker, of Millbrook. He is a hotel keeper. I saw him at the station on Friday and thought he was acting queerly as if looking for something he could not find. He finally found this trunk. I heard him ask the baggageman to check it to Millbrook. It was overweight and was therefore not checked. It weighed 226 lbs. I heard him tell the baggageman that it contained boots and shoes. The baggageman told him to open it and if it contained boots and shoes he would check it, if not, he wouldn't. He admitted that it did not contain boots and shoes and that it came from A. Elliott's."

I said, "I guess that's whiskey, you would like to take it back,' and Croaker replied "yes." "I showed him my badge, and he said, "I guess I'm caught." He left the baggage-room then. Of my own knowledge I do not know what it contains.'

To Mr. Gordon witness said he had been told on saturday that Croaker conducted a hotel. "No one pointed out Croaker's actions to me at the station," witness said. "I noticed him myself. It's my business to notice all-sorts around stations." Mr. Gordon remarked to witness that Mr. Croaker was not a hotel keeper.

P. C. Meharry's Evidence

John Meharry, police constable, was next examined. "I saw Mr. Croaker on Friday night, Jan. 22, at the G. T.R. station. I asked him if his name was Croaker and he said yes. I told him I was a policeman. He asked me what they were going to do about that trunk. He said his solicitor had told him that the law would not allow us to hold it. He said he had four cases of whiskey and a jar that contained 21-2 gallons of the same. He told me he got it at Alex Elliott's. He said it would have been better if he had let the trunk go to h—. I went to Millbrook on Saturday and served him with a subpoena. I found him in the bar room of his hotel, the Queen's. I saw his name on small bill heads, stating that he was proprietor. I saw one bottle labelled whiskey. There was a lot of other stuff; I don't know what it was. I saw people drinking. The place was conducted like any ordinary hotel. I paid 40 cents for my dinner and two other men who had also had dinner, paid 25 cents each. Geo. Raper is the bar tender. He said they had no license and would not likely get it again in Millbrook.

John George was sworn and stated he was a baggageman at the G.T.R. station. His evidence was in part as follows:—"I had my doubts about the trunk and I checked it instead of Mr. Calder, whom he had asked to have it checked. He told me he had boots and shoes in the trunk. I understood the trunk had come from Alex Elliott's, and I said it was strange that it should be filled with boots and shoes, coming from there. He admitted to Mr. Scott that he was caught.

The trunk came from Millbrook on Jan. 13th. It was light at that time. I think there was something in it although I don't know what it was. I think I have noticed this trunk before. I could say I have seen it three times."

Box Opened

Other witnesses were called among them being Mr. Kenney, Mr. Wm. Closson, driver, for retail department; Robert Graham, an employee of bottling department in the wholesale business. Nothing particularly exciting was produced. The box was opened and was found packed with pint bottles of the long variety, each filled to the neck. There was also a demijohn that contained the 2 1-2 gals. The case was enlarged until Friday as requested by both parties.

NOTICE.

Peterborough Show Room for Nordheimer Pianos are at 332 George Street. You are invited to see them.
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Small Fire

—A small fire caused by some rags over the furnace gave the fire brigade a long run to Mount St. Joseph on Sunday afternoon, between the hours of twelve and one. No damage was done, however.

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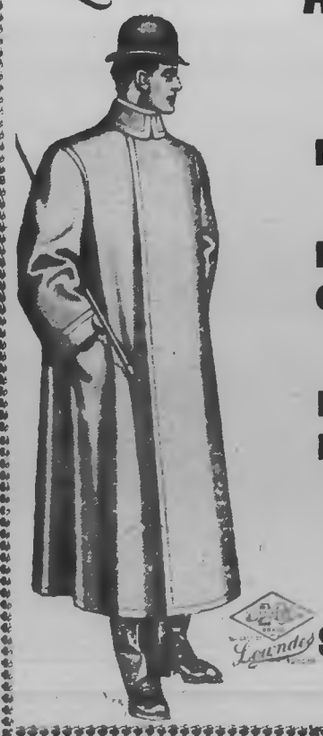

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First Shot In The Local Option Campaign Fired Last Night

One of the opening guns in the local option campaigns that is being started in Peterborough was fired last night in St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, by Rev. Robt. Pogue, who delivered the first of a series of sermons on "Temperance," from the text, "And the times of this ignorance God winked at, but now commandeth all men everywhere to repent." Acts 17:30. Rev. Mr. Pogue showed that the time has come when people will be held responsible by God if they do not work for the abolition of the liquor traffic.

One hundred years ago people allowed slavery because they did not realize its harmful influences. One hundred year ago even ministers opposed the expenditure of money for foreign missions. Those times have passed. Peoples eyes were opened, they saw conditions as they were, they drove out slavery and now are supporting foreign missions liberally. One hundred years ago, also, there was much ignorance in regard to the liquor traffic. It was believed that liquor was beneficial in many ways. Ministers thought they preached better if they had two glasses instead of one before the service. Drunken mobs attended weddings, and it was believed that liquor was a necessity to every social function. The observance of the Lord's Supper in Presbyterian circles was generally followed by a Thank giving service at which whiskey flowed like water.

Of late years we have found conclusively that the effects of alcohol are injurious instead of beneficial; that it stunts the growth, causes insanity, poverty and crime. Insurance companies would rather insure a total abstainer than a heavy drinker. People who now do not realize the demoralizing and disastrous effects of the liquor traffic are wilfully ignorant, and will be held accountable by God for their ignorance. Every one who recommends the use of liquor or who, by his vote, favours its continuance is doing incalculable harm to his fellow men. Every man who uses it as a beverage is guilty in the eyes of God, because he wastes his intellect and strength which were given him by God to be conserved for.

While all moderate drinkers are not drunkards, all drunkards were once moderate drinkers. Moderate drinkers may become drunkards. Our forefathers did not realize that alcohol increased the appetite for liquor. We do. Thus there is only one thing we should do and that is to abstain.

The Liquor bill of the United States is now almost $1,500,000,000 annually. Protest is raised because we talk of spending two or three millions for missions, and yet, we send many times that to the coffers of the rum sellers. It is our duty to try to secure the utter annihilation of the liquor triffic. It has brought nothing but crime and misery. Wherever it goes it fills prisons and mad houses, creates brothels and gambling houses and translates roughshod on wives and little children. It should be destroyed as we would shoot a mad dog. We would not try to reform the dog, we would get rid of him. The only consistent thing to do with the liquor traffic is to get rid of it.—

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Huge Liners Carrying More Than 1,150 Passengers Are Involved In Remarkable Accident In Which Six Lives Are Lost—Seven Big Ocean Liners Went to Scene of Accident —Republic Is Under Water.

New York, Jan. 25.—The drama of the sea, which, for more than 24 hours the whole world has practically simultaneously witnessed through the agency of wireless telegraphy, and which has not been without tragic features, ran through its last sensational scenes with the sinking of the Republic Sunday night when almost safe in harbor.

The ramming of the White Star liner Republic in a dense fog early Saturday morning by the Lloyd Italiano line steamship Florida off Nantucket Light, Mass., has been followed by a series of events constituting one of the most remarkable of ocean mishaps on record.

No less than seven ocean liners—the Baltic, New York, Furnessia, La Lorraine and Lucana—and the two crippled ships—Republic and Florida—are figuring in this stirring story.

The 442 passengers of the Republic have undergone two transfers on the open sea, first to the crippled Florida on Saturday morning and again early yesterday to the commodious Baltic, which is bringing also the 900 and more passengers from the disabled Florida.

With the great human cargo of 1,650 rescued persons, besides her own list of 930, the Baltic will arrive at New York early in the morning. The Republic, believed at one time to be safe, has gone down, and is under water near New York.

The Florida, with her bow rent from the terrific impact with the Republic, is slowly steering under her own steam for this port, convoyed by the American liner New York.

Six persons lost their lives in the collision. The message of Capt. Ransom of the Baltic to the White Star Co. in this city gave the names of the dead passengers as Mrs. Eugene Lynch of Boston and W. J. Mooney, a banker, of Langdon, N.D. The injured are Mrs. M. M. Murphy, wife of the financial agent of the Union Central Life Insurance Co. of Grand Forks, N.D., and Eugene Lynch of Boston.

Mr. Mooney and his wife, with Mr. and Mrs. Murphy, were bound on a pleasure trip from the west to the Mediterranean, and occupied state rooms on the top deck on the starboard side. Mr. and Mrs. Lynch occupied an adjoining stateroom, No. 23.

The steamer General Putnam has been chartered by the company, and will go alongside the Baltic when she reaches quarantine this morning.

Details of the collision at sea in the dense fog came fitfully by wireless yesterday from many receiving stations along the New England coast line. The story, though in brief, told how the passengers of the Republic and the Florida spent many anxious and uncomfortable hours following the wreck, and not until 8 o'clock yesterday morning, when all were safe and sound on the Baltic, did they have a feeling of security.

Duel With Knives.

Newark, N.J., Jan. 25.—William Pollak, a 14-year-old schoolboy at Summit N.J., is suffering from a dangerous knife wound over the heart, which he says, was received in a duel with a classmate, Arthur Tappan, 16 years old.

Both boys, Pollak asserts, were rivals for the affections of a girl member of their class, and they fought a duel during the noon recess with pocket knives.

Schooner Goes Down.

Vancouver, B.C., Jan. 25.—Bound from Callao to Port Townsend, in ballast, the four-masted schooner Sequel arrived in the Straits of Juan de Fuca during a gale Friday midnight. Capt. Jamieson apparently mistook the Pachena light for Tatoosh and headed between it and Cape Beale. Driving into the storm, the schooner struck, and the two aftermasts going by the board, killed the skipper's wife and child.

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Who Owned the Lynx.

Deseronto, Jan. 25.—Thos. Naphin of Tyendinaga, set a trap and caught a lynx. Sidney Lucas came along, saw the lynx, shot it, and sold the skin for $12. Now Naphin is prosecuting him for taking which it is alleged did not belong to him. Lucas will be tried before Magistrate Bedford of Deseronto next week.

Hotel In Quarantine.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 25.—Sixty guests are under rigid quarantine in the Hotel Clarendon because John Zonna, a traveling man from Wisconsin, developed a case of smallpox there Saturday night. Among those confined are the members of a melodrama company now playing here.

Loss by Earthquake.

Rome, Jan. 25.—Deputy Nitti, who is known as an economist, said in the course of an interview yesterday that the loss at Messina through the earthquake he estimated was in the neighborhood of $173,000,000, and the loss at Reggio $100,000,000.

Messina Shaken Again.

Messina, Jan. 25.—A very strong earthquake shock was felt here at 5.30 o'clock Saturday morning. The shock was undulatory and vertical and lasted eight seconds. The wall of a church and the broken walls of several houses were thrown down.

Poison on Rose.

Chicago, Jan. 25.—Robert Wahl was accused on Saturday of having expressed a desire to kill his wife by the use of a poisonous perfume placed on a rose. The accusation was made in a suit for separate maintenance filed by Mrs. Wahl. The defendant is a noted chemist and president of the Wahl-Henius Institute of Fermentology. Several alleged affinities are named by the wife, who lives in the Pattington apartments 1,664 Graceland avenue.

Northcote Not a Probability.

Ottawa, Jan. 25.—In official circles in Ottawa little credence is given to the report cabled from London, to the effect that Lord Northcote is to succeed Earl Grey as Governor-General of Canada. It is pointed out that Lord Northcote is a Unionist, and it is improbable that a Liberal Government will appoint a Conservative to one of the most honored positions in its gift.

Fire-Fighter Hurt.

Tillsonburg, Jan. 25.—Fire broke out in T. C. Walker & Sons' carriage shop at 5.35 Saturday night. By the efforts of the firemen the blaze was confined to the west end of the building. Damage by smoke and water will be considerable. Harry Malcolm, one of the firemen, was overcome by smoke and fell down a ladder. His head was bruised and leg injured.

Mild In the West.

Winnipeg, Jan. 25.—Following the cold spell of the past two weeks, the west is experiencing exceedingly mild weather. A chinook has cleaned up the snow in Alberta.

It has even reached eastern Saskatchewan and Manitoba. Saturday night considerable rain fell in Winnipeg, an unheard of occurrence in the month of January.

Big 'Quake In Turkestan.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 25.—Although reports from observatories in Russia tell of recording earth shocks on Saturday, which is thought to have centered somewhere on the Russian side of Pamirs, Turkestan, no direct news has been received that would serve to fix the location in any definate place.

Russian Turkestan, in the region indicated, is sparsely settled.

For 'Quake Sufferers.

Messina, Jan. 25.—The American relief ship Celtic arrived here on Saturday, and was warmly welcomed by the authorities and the population. The Celtic landed two hundred tons of fresh meat, two hundred and seventy tons of assorted foods, and forty-six thousand eggs with the understanding that thirty tons of the supplies be given out daily. The Celtic will proceed to Reggio.

Mariners Overcome.

Vineyard Haven, Mass., Jan. 25.—Two members of the crew of the barge Boston are dead, and Capt. George King of Perth Amboy, N.J., is lying at the Marine Hospital with no hope for his recovery, as the result of being overcome by coal gas in their little cabin.

Profited by Public Ownership.

St. Thomas, Jan. 25.—The light, heat and power department of the City of St. Thomas, owned by the city, paid a profit of more than $16,000 for the year. The waterworks, also the property of the city, paid a profit of $16,000.

Overcome by Coal Gas.

Port Arthur, Jan. 25.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cattanach, Dufferin street, were found unconscious from coal gas Saturday morning. Cattanach soon recovered, but his wife is still unconscious, and fatal results are feared.

Chileans In Royal Navy.

Santiago, Chile, Jan. 25.—The restriction on naval officers serving in the British navy having been withdrawn, a limited number of Chilean officers will shortly proceed to England.

Possibly the chap who growls about the wash day dinner would have found it more pleasing to his taste if he had done the washing.—Success.

IMPRESSING ISABEL.

By ELLIOT WALKER.

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"I'm sure I don't know how I am ever to get out of this scrape." The girl peered helplessly from the antiquated shed, shuddering at the thunder crashes close on the heels of every flash of lightning.

A deluge of rain swept across the wild pastures. The brook, fifty feet away, roared between its alder lined banks.

Upon her wide hat fell a steady dribble from the leaky roof, and her thin dress was fast dampening in the mist driven shelter.

She forced a laugh. Isabel Lynn was not easily daunted. Of course it was lonely and wet and very shattering to the nerves, but she was perfectly safe. Oh, yes; let her thank her stars to be secure under the friendly boards.

Suddenly a gasp broke from her.

She shrank back. Something was coming with leaps through the high weeds growing rankly at the corner of her retreat. Through Isabel's startled brain tore thoughts of dangerous animals. The near mountains might hold anything. She cowered into the farthest corner. Surely the thing would go by.

But it didn't. It dashed under the shed, with a loud snort, blowing and shaking vigorously, then stood gazing at the storm, and words came to Isabel's horrified ears in a steady stream of disgusted wrath.

"Well, if this doesn't beat me! Look at my shoes! Look at my new flannel suit! My hat is ruined! The next time I go trailing around on the trail of a girl I'll know it. Foster Allston, you're an unmitigated ass. I guess the charming Miss Lynn will not have the pleasure of meeting you! Girls! Bah! I'll take the first train home. I wish I'd never heard of her."

"So do I!" sounded a voice in his rear.

The man jumped and wheeled. He saw a slender, white gowned figure straighten up, take a forward step and then halt. A clap of thunder drowned his exclamation. Then his jaw fell.

"Did you speak, sir?" indignantly.

"I—I tried to. Really, I—I am overjoyed to—to be here, Miss Lynn. Of course you are—you—that is—bless my soul! So unexpected, you know. Quite a shower."

He cut a ridiculous figure in his staring embarrassment, pulling off the wrecked straw hat, bowing in his soaked garments, greatly at loss for words, woefully conscious of what he had said. And he knew that Isabel Lynn had heard him as a model of courtesy and easy manners.

He scraped a hesitating toe in the dirt, smiling idiotically. Was it for this—his fifty mile journey?

"Isabel is extremely particular and sensitive to first impressions," his Aunt Julia had said. "Here is your letter of introduction, Foster. It's silly to go crazy over a photograph, but go ahead. She is worth it. Everything depends upon the way she is approached. I've praised you to her up to the skies."

The girl stepped nearer, eying him in scornful amusement. Her eyes were bright with ill concealed desire to humble. The dampness had curled her disordered hair in bewitching rings about her white forehead. Roses shone in the smooth cheeks where sarcastic dimples played.

Allston thought he had never seen a more lovely face nor one so unreadable. Idly swinging her hat, she surveyed him curiously, with a chilling hauteur, which stung him to steadiness and a reckless impulse to retort.

"When one summers at a farmhouse and takes long strolls an occasional wetting must be expected, Mr. Allston," said Isabel evenly. "You shouldn't mind your new suit or your shoes. Dear me, how childish! I have heard that you could afford to disregard trifles. I wasn't to blame. You needn't have 'trailed' me."

Allston regarded her in silence.

There was more than a hint of disappointment in Isabel's tone. Had she been prejudiced in his favor only to react sharply at his boyish outburst?

Surely some humor lay in the situation. Couldn't the girl see it? He reflected dismally that many women never forgive slighting remarks, even when uttered in unmeaning carelessness.

The cool voice went on.

"I suppose they told you at the house that I was over this way?"

Foster nodded.

"And you never imagined I might be in this shed?"

A head shake.

"You must have had me very much on your mind. Were I a big man seeking a lost damsel my idea would be to keep my eyes open for the shelters to which she would sensibly run, not lose my wits in selfish consideration of raiment and then anathematize the lady." She laughed cuttingly.

Allston's countenance was reddening.

"Why don't you speak?" The uplift of her chin was a challenge for his reply. She would laugh and forgive him after sufficient reduction.

"I'm thinking," said Allston slowly. "I'm trying to make out what chance I have of—of—" He paused, hesitating.

"What chance?" Her eyes opened wide at his seeming audacity.

"Of catching the 6 o'clock train. It is getting late."

"Oh!" Isabel looked down, then up. A strange darkness was settling down upon the earth. Both had forgotten the storm, now grumbling back from the south. The man stepped out in the rain. In a moment he returned. His face was set in hard, worried lines.

"You'll put on my coat and we'll get into the open," said he decidedly. "I may be a fool, but I know something of cloudbursts. This building isn't safe. Quick!"

A sharp command, a clutch beneath her arm, then a rapid hoisting over rough ground, through a pelt of huge drops, to a low stone wall, and Isabel, breathless, felt herself pulled to her knees, while a strong arm clasped her firmly.

Forgetting all save the recognition of superior strength and judgment, appalled by the murky blackness, the reverberating shocks of heaven's artillery thundering over the hills, she nestled against him, with a little cry, as before her frightened gaze a broad sheet of flame showed bending trees flattened to earth and a distant rail fence flung into flying wreckage.

The man held her more tightly with an unconscious pressure. His face was set and steady, tense in his watching, yet filled with that bold, half smiling light seen on the visages of those who fearlessly face danger.

The next bright flare found her eyes meeting his in a look as rapid and intense as the lightning itself. The girl smiled at him as his breath drew in sharply.

"Down!" shouted Allston. "Flat! It's coming. Shut your eyes and hang to my neck."

Isabel did. In the roar of the elements she clung blindly to him, conscious only of a deafening noise and a sense of collapse.

The hush following was broken by Allston's laugh.

"Thought so," he uttered. "Look! Our shed is a heap of sticks, Miss Lynn. That miniature cyclone hit it just right. Well, well, if I hadn't happened to think so much of my clothes"—

"Don't!" said the girl. "Don't, please!"

The man solemnly consulted his watch.

"If we hurry," he observed, "I can get you home and catch my train."

Isabel caught his sleeve.

"No," she whispered softly. "I'd rather you would miss it."

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Allston's Aunt Julia was speaking of his engagement a month after a bedraggled couple surprised the occupants of a certain farmhouse.

"I don't understand how Foster managed it so quickly," she said. "I find my letter of introduction was not used. He must have made an excellent impression the minute he met Isabel."

Napoleon and the Roman Law.

Napoleon I. had an extraordinary mind. He appeared never to forget anything he cared to remember and assimilated information as the stomach assimilates food, retaining only the valuable. An incident will illustrate this remarkable quality of his mind.

When forming the "Code Napoleon" he frequently astonished the council of state by the skill with which he illustrated any point in discussion by quoting whole passages from memory of the Roman civil law. The council wondered how a man whose life had been passed in camp came to know so much about the old Roman laws. Finally one of them asked him how he acquired his knowledge.

"When I was a lieutenant," Napoleon replied, "I was unjustly placed under arrest. My small prison room contained no furniture except an old chair and a cupboard. In the latter was a ponderous volume, which proved to be a digest of the Roman law. You can easily imagine what a valuable prize the book was to me. It was so bulky and the leaves were so covered with marginal notes in manuscript that had I been confined 100 years I need never have been idle. When I recovered my liberty, at the end of ten days, I was saturated with Justinian and the decisions of the Roman legislation. It was then I acquired my knowledge of the civil law."

Smoke Preventive.

Kerosene lamps sometimes will smoke in spite of great care given them. Placing a small piece of rock salt close to the flames, inside the cup, will prevent smoke as well as seem to brighten the flame somewhat.

To Remove Odors.

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RUGBY BASKETBALL WRESTLING

The Examiner's Sporting Page

RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

BOTH TEAMS EXPECT TO WIN TO-MORROW NIGHT'S HARD BATTLE

The greatest interest is being taken in to-morrow night's game with Lindsay and unless all indications fail there will be one of the biggest crowds on hand that ever saw a game in Peterborough. The feeling around Peterborough that the defeat of the locals last week was due not to the superiority of the Lindsay team, but principally to the weird work of Referee Moxon, has increased the interest in the return game, and the excitement when the two teams get together will be at fever heat. From Lindsay comes the boast that the Midgets will bring home the bacon, as it is claimed in Scugogville that Goosie Taylor's aggregation are thoroughly at home when the sliding is good and they have no fear of the result, at least that is what they would like to have the people of Peterborough believe. Local fans, however, knowing that the Petes are best on hard ice feel that they will take a lot of beating, if the weatherman sees fit to hand out something in the frost line. There will be no changes in either line-up, the same two teams will battle it out again to-morrow night. Everything depends upon the game. A win for Lindsay will give them a district, while a victory for the locals puts them in a position to get upon an even footing with the Midgets by beating Cobourg twice. A big crowd of noisy fans will accompany the Lindsay team, coming on a special train, and they will make things lively. Altogether it is likely that there will be a very busy cup of tea. It is not known yet who will referee, but it is certain that it will not be Moxon. The secretary of the local club has written the O. H. A. to the effect that if that individual is ever sent to referee another Peterborough game the team will simply refuse to play.

SHRUBB-LONGBOAT RACE IS OFF UNTIL A WEEK FROM NEXT FRIDAY

The announcement from New York that the Shrubb-Longboat race is off until February 5th, will be received with regret by the sporting public of Peterborough who, like athletically inclined people all over the continent, have been looking forward to the result of the race. There had been so much trouble experienced in arranging the affair, and so much super-heated atmosphere was expended by both principals and their friends that the public heaved a sigh of relief when it was announced that at last the two would come together. Ever since the date was set the race has been the principal subject of discussion in athletic circles, and the public were impatiently waiting for the race. Now comes the disappointing intelligence that Shrubb has developed inflammation of his great toe and the race is off on that account until a week from next Friday to allow the injured member to come around again. As far as Longboat is concerned he is, no doubt, glad of the delay, as if the reports from the other side are to be believed, he would not have been in the best of condition to meet such a man as Shrubb, a brainy well trained and ambitious runner, to whom victory is worth the trouble of preparing himself for the battle.

MANY BOWLING GAMES ARE SCHEDULED AT P. B. C. ALLEYS

There are no less than thirteen games to be played this week in the Bowling League at the P.B.C. Alleys. Six are regularly scheduled games while the remainder are postponed games that will have to be played this week. Next week's games will complete the first round and it is likely that there may be some changes in the standing before the first eleven matches have all been played. Following is the schedule for the week:

Monday—
Lockworks vs. Frontenac.
B A C vs. Frontenac postponed.

Tuesday—
Grays vs. Pacifics.
Grays vs. Midgets, postponed.

Wednesday—
Examiner A vs. Iroquois.
Examiner A vs. Midgets, postponed.

Thursday—
Belmonts vs. Hams.
Belmonts vs. Examiner A, postponed.

Friday—
Bankers vs. B.A.C.
Bankers vs. Hams, postponed.

Saturday—
B.A.C. vs. Examiner B.
Belmonts vs. Grays, postponed.
Hams. vs. Iroquois, postponed.

KEENE TEAM DEFEATED NORWOOD IN TRENT VALLEY LEAGUE GAME

Keene, Jan. 21st—The first game between Norwood and Keene in group No. 1 Trent Valley League was played in Keene last night before a very large and appreciative audience, resulting in a victory for the home team. The half time score being 4-3 in favour of the home team, and when the curtain dropped on the finish of the last act Keene had netted 5 more and Norwood only one.

It was a fine game of hockey and Keene won on their merits their pretty combination bringing them a goal whenever necessary.

Every man played his game and there was never a slow minute, the boys going the full time without a stop. The game was a very clean exhibition, only three men being penalized, one of the home team and two of the visitors, these resulting in accidental trips.

Russell Pearce the official referee, handled the game with satisfaction to both teams and his decisions were never disputed.

R. Weir and "Kruger" McCarthy were always in the lime light for the home team, while Doherty for the visitors played a wonderful game in goal.

The Keene line up was as follows:
Goal—T Dean.
Point—J Dixon
C Point—H Dinsdale
Centre—R Weir
Rover—"Kruger" McCarthy
Forwards—S. Dinsdale and George Welsh

STANDING OF THE CITY HOCKEY LEAGUE

Strathconas and Lakefields are Tied for the Leadership.

There will be two lively games in the City League this week, when the T. A. S. will clash with the Lakefield seven, and the West Ends will endeavour to take a fall out of the champion Strathconas. Both games should be hard fought and interesting, and much depends upon the result. Following is the standing of the teams with the goals scored by each.

	Won.	Lost.	Goals for.	Goals against.
Straths...	2	0	22	4
Lakefield	2	0	16	4
T. A. S...	2	1	9	9
West Ends	0	2	3	5
Belmonts	0	3	4	32

THE JUNIOR GAME WITH OSHAWA OFF

The junior game in Oshawa tonight between Peterborough and the homesters, had to be called off on account of the mild weather, there being no ice for the battle. The locals were ready to go, but the weather man is evidently determined to be as disagreeable as he can. No date has been decided upon for the game, but it will not likely be played until next week. The locals are to play in Port Hope on Thursday night, but an effort has been made to switch it until Friday night on account of the City League games. Four members of the junior team belong to the West Ends City League seven, and the latter would be handicapped in the event of the juniors having a game the same night.

LONGBOAT WAS BEATEN IN VERY SLOW TIME

Lost to Hallen and Spring in a Ten-Mile Relay Race.

Newark, N. J., Jan. 23.—Special.—Tom Longboat, the Indian runner, lost the ten-mile race at Essex Troop Armoury here to-night, running against Bob Hallen and Mike Spring, each of whom ran a five miles relay. At the finish Longboat was nearly a lap behind and seemed to lack vim to make a spurt. The track measured twelve laps to the mile. The time made by Hallen and Spring was 58.49.

Longboat's performance did not please the crowd, and his apparent disinclination to exert himself was the chief cause. Hallen gained a lap on him right at the start and Spring took up the running with that advantage. Longboat made a weak effort to regain the lost ground at the end of the race, but only made up twenty or thirty feet.

BOWLING

The champion five-man team from Peterborough, captained by Joe Hay, the popular proprietor of the Peterborough Bowling Alleys, will roll a match game next Saturday, Jan. 30, at the Toronto Bowling Club, against picked team captained by George Yorke. Game to start at 8 p.m.—Toronto World.

HAVELOCK NEWS OF LOCAL INTEREST

Many Interesting Views From the Railroad Town.

Havelock, Jan. 25.—Misses Carrie McKelvie and Stella Armstrong and Messrs. Albert Armstrong and Will Ryan, attended the "Trainmen's Ball" at Smith's Falls, on Wednesday night.

Mr. G. W. Watson returned to his home in Toronto on Wednesday, after an extended visit in town, the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Alex. Rose.

Mr. Fred Bennett was in Belleville last week attending the funeral of his sister, Mrs. German Sills. Deceased was a resident of Havelock for a number of years before moving to Belleville, and the many friends here extend their deepest sympathy to the bereaved husband and children, who are left to mourn the loss of a loving wife and kind mother.

Misses I. Howe and L. Webb were in Peterborough on Wednesday.

Mrs. Burns returned home to Toronto on Wednesday, after a week's visit in town, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Alex. Rose.

Dr. Harry Andrew, of Toronto, spent a few days in town this week.

The Foresters' "At Home" on Wednesday night was largely attended, and a most enjoyable evening spent by all. Bro. J. N. Brown, of Belleville, organizer for the Foresters, was present and gave an interesting address.

Mr. Lynch, of Peterborough, was the entertainer for the evening, and was highly appreciated for his many songs and witty sayings. At eleven o'clock the guests all adjourned to the lunch room, where a most elaborate and dainty repast awaited them. After ample justice was done to the good things provided games of all kinds were indulged in until the wee small hours.

The singing of the National Anthem brought the evening to a close and one an all left for their homes.

We are sorry to report the illness of Miss Lillian Campbell.

Messrs. M. McWilliams and J. Rueburn and Messrs. T. P. Lancaster and T. Dineen attended the "At Home" at Delora on Friday evening.

Mr. F. R. Pratt, of Smith's Falls, was in town on Friday.

Miss Lottie Chiles, of Peterborough was in town on Friday.

Rev. Mr. Caplan returned home from Toronto on Thursday evening, where he has spent the week on business.

Mr. Jas. C. Fowler was in Peterborough on Friday evening.

Havelock hockey team were billed for a game at Madoc to-night, (Friday), but on account of the weather had to postpone the match until Monday of next week.

Mr. John A. Sexsmith, M.P., is attending the session at Ottawa this week.

Mr. W. J. Boyd, of Toronto, formerly manager of the Sovereign Bank here, was in town on Monday and Tuesday. Mr. Boyd is now engaged in the real estate and mining business.

The following officers were installed at the I. O. O. F. installation on Friday night last by Messrs. A. A. Fowler, F. Wise, W. G. Freeburn, R. F. Reason, M. Breckenridge, R. J. Matchett and Col. Miller, of Peterborough:

N. G.—John Horne.
V. G.—F. C. McMaster.
Rec. Sec.—W. H. Roche.
Treas.—Geo. Chiles.
Warden—Wm. Weese.
O. Guard—John Burnett.
I. Guard—Wm. Burnett.
Chap.—A. C. Denike.

At the conclusion of the installation supper was served and an interesting toast list was also discussed, Bro. A. C. Denike occupying the chair. Mr. Jas. Thompson, M.P.P., responded to the toast "Canada"; Mr. A. A. Fowler responded for the "Grand Lodge," and Mr. Reason paid tribute to "The Ladies." Col. Miller responded to "The Good of the Order," Rev. H. Caplan to "The Church," and Mrs. J. W. Howe to "The Oddfellows' Lady Friends."

Dr. Thompson, dentist, of Omemee, has purchased the practice of Dr. Middleton, and will open up-to-date dental apartments in the rooms above the new Standard Office, about the first week in March. Dr. Thompson comes highly recommended by Dr. Middleton.

Mr. Walter Wilde of town has been appointed a member of the License Commissioners for East Peterborough, in the place of Mr. Jas. Knox, who resigned lately.

Mrs. Ed. Chapman and daughter Flo, of West Toronto, stopped off for a day this week, on her way down to Almonte, Perth and Ottawa, where she will spend a few weeks visiting with friends.

Mr. Oscar Bracken left on Tuesday for Toronto, where he has been transferred to the C. P. R. despatching staff. Mr. McCutcheon, of Lindsay is filling the vacancy here.

"Civis" Writes Letter Upon The Smith Street Bridge Problem

Sir,—I was surprised to see in your issue of Thursday last that the newly elected Board of Works had instructed our City Engineer to prepare plans for a 'cheap' bridge across the Otonabee on Smith street. From the general tenor of the report it appeared as if the 'cheaper' the structure the better it would suit some of them.

On reading over the list of names of the members of the Board of Works one is doubly surprised to think that these gentlemen should exhibit so little foresight and lack of grasp of modern requirements as to ask for a 'cheap' bridge.

Of all things to shave and skimp on in order to save a few dollars in first cost, a bridge should be the last as hundreds of lives will be dependent on its security every day of its existence.

Do our representatives on the Board and the general public comprehend just what is meant by a 'cheap' bridge. Perhaps not. Let us look at it.

The City Engineer Mr Hay last year made plans and estimates for bridges with an 18 ft and 24 ft roadway and submitted them to the council. Leaving out of account the 24 ft. bridge, let us consider the 18 ft. one as for a city bridge, a roadway any narrower is out of the question.

When the Engineer made up his estimate, one would suppose that he must have included the cost of a lot of frills and fancies which could be just as well left off and still have a good substantial but plainer structure. This must have been the case for surely no one would wish him to cheapen the bridge by making it lighter and hence weaker, and unsafe.

As a matter of fact, Mr Editor, this was not the case. Mr Hay's estimates included the cost only of bare necessities for a modern first class highway bridge built to carry a fifteen ton road roller. Surely no city is going to put up a bridge which will not carry its own road roller over it. The Dominion Government specifications require a structure capable of carrying 100 lbs per square foot of floor area and at the same time to safely carry across a rolling load of 20 tons. Surely then the city of Peterborough can not afford to build a bridge of less strength than that proposed in the original estimate. Let it be distinctly understood then that any paring of the cost is done at the expense of the carrying capacity and safety of this bridge.

I am aware that certain persons claim to have other estimates in which they try to show that a much less sum than that required by the Engineers estimate is sufficient. These however, need be given little consideration. The engineer has careful measurements and soundings of the river, knows the nature of the bottom and the character of the stream. Thus he has a good idea of the cost of unwatering, and building piers and abutments, which nobody else has. His estimates also for the steel trusses were based on actual quotations by a well known Canadian Bridge Co. This being the case, Mr Editor, we must accept his figures as the most reliable available. All others are mere guesses and are not worthy a moment's consideration.

Mr Hay's estimate for the 18 foot bridge with two sidewalks was I believe, about $37,500 and this must be taken as the approximate cost of a first class structure. Peterborough is no "cheap John" town and her aldermen should, and I believe, will realize that fact and not attempt to erect a junk shop affair which would only be a laughing stock for outsiders and a disgrace to the city.

All talk about building a bridge for the Street Railway is entirely aside from the question of a modern structure for modern highway requirements must be stronger than necessary to carry our street car traffic. This street railway bogy is no more real than any other fairy tale.

Now granting, as all who stop to intelligently consider the question, must do, that a first class bridge is required, another question comes up for consideration, viz. the relative merits of steel trusses, and reinforced concrete arches. Mr Hay's estimate makes the cost of the two types about equal and this year the city buys cement for 63 cents a barrel cheaper than last, which would decrease the cost of the concrete bridge by about $2300; so that cost of the two kinds may be left out of the question, the advantages, if any, appearing to be with the concrete. Outside of cost, however, there is no comparison. The advantages are all with the concrete bridge. A steel structure would require painting about every three years at a cost of about $450.

But most important of all, from the day it is erected, steel deteriorates and decreases in strength and is comparatively short lived. On the other hand concrete costs absolutely nothing for upkeep and only gets stronger with age. A steel truss is an eyesore while a concrete arch bridge such as that for which the City Engineer has prepared the plans is a 'thing of beauty' and will be to this city if built 'a joy forever.' It will be a strong rival of the lift lock as an attraction and object of interest to visitors.

Just consider for a moment the location of the Smith street bridge it will join two of the city's most beautiful and most used parks, and is practically a park bridge. In the United States almost no other type of bridge but the concrete arch is now used in a public park. To erect a "cheap" structure at this place, would be a crying shame and the city would be sorry for it only once, but that would be as long as the bridge existed. The late Mrs Nichols was public spirited enough not only to present these beauty spots to the city but to provide for their being kept in such perfect condition for the benefit of the citizens that we are envied by all the other towns of the district. Surely then our city fathers will rise to the occasion and not only refuse to do anything to detract from the beauty of these spots, but when they have the opportunity, add to their attractions, especially when it will be so much to their interest to do so from other reasons altogether.

Another and very important point in favor of the use of concrete is the fact that nearly all the money spent on it would be left here in Peterborough for the benefit of our merchants and industries of various kinds. If steel were used the raw material would be bought in the States from Carnegie. It would be manufactured probably by a bridge company in Montreal or Hamilton, and erected by them with their own workmen, and all that Peterborough mechanics would get out of it would be the building of the piers. On the other hand if a reinforced concrete bridge were built only the comparatively small sum of about $5500. would leave the city and would be for steel rods which would likely be rolled in Canadian mills. The cement would come from Lakefield, a suburb of the town. Outside of these two small items every cent would go to Peterborough industries or Peterborough workmen and would remain right here in the city. A large number of carpenters would be employed for a great part of the summer as well as skilled concrete workers and laborers, and idle men would not be standing around the streets as they were during the past summer.

Now Mr Editor, even supposing a concrete bridge cost say 30 per cent more than a steel one, which it does not, which would be better, for the city to pay $130, to itself on $100, to an outsider. Let the mechanic and workman, of Peterborough consider this.

Some weeks ago a letter appeared in your columns attempting to decry the use of concrete for this bridge, but to any one at all acquainted with the question the objections raised were hardly worthy of serious consideration. It was stated, that concrete was only an experiment, and that we have no knowledge of its durability. The fact is, that concrete, made by the Romans thousands of years ago from a natural cement, much inferior to modern Portland cement is as good today as ever. It is used almost universally today the world over. The pillars in front of the court house in Victoria park were built thirty-five years ago of concrete and are as good today as ever.

It was said also that concrete bridges were not used on streams of this size. The fact is it is used in the United States, in France and Germany on rivers, in comparison with which the Otonabee is only a brook. I have before me descriptions of a concrete arch bridge over a river 700 feet wide, with 90 ft roadway, 30 ft above low water. Another bridge over a river 1000 feet wide with banks 50 ft. high, has a 16 feet roadway. The water during the spring floods rises about to the crowns of the arches of these bridges. The Otonabee is nothing in comparison. Even in a steel bridge the only part in contact with the water, viz. the piers, would be concrete anyway. Enough said on this point.

It was stated also that concrete bridges were not being generally used. Such a statement is laughable. One company alone in the United States, has erected over five hundred bridges without failure. Railways are every day replacing steel bridges only fifteen to twenty years old by concrete. New railways are using concrete bridges wherever possible.

It was stated that there are none in Canada. The town of St Thomas has just completed a concrete arch bridge of 116 ft span and this is the fourth such bridge. Smith street bridge would only require 100 ft spans.

Other objections such as the talk about the expense of erecting a complete bridge of wood first for forms only to take down afterwards are equally ridiculous. As well talk of erecting derricks for a steel bridge. No matter if a dozen wooden bridges had to be first built it is the total cost only that counts.

To summarize, Mr Editor, a few of the advantages of a concrete arch bridge are as follows:

1 Nearly the whole cost left in Peterborough.

2 No expense for painting or repairs.

3 It is flood proof, frost proof, rust proof and fire proof.

4 It grows stronger as it grows older. All others grow weaker.

5 It will be safe with any load ever put on it.

6 It is a permanent improvement, a part of the geology; once built, built for all time.

7 Last, but not by any means least, "It is a thing of beauty and a joy forever."

Keeping these advantages in mind it must be remembered that the cost is not estimated to be any greater, if as great, than a steel bridge to fill the requirements. Peterborough is an exceptionally favorable position to build a cheap concrete structure as it has an unlimited supply of good gravel close at hand and a remarkably cheap contract for cement.

It is to be hoped that the Aldermen the Board of Works and the citizens generally will consider this question seriously and not make a mistake which they will certainly regret. The Board of Works is composed of intelligent men who, I think only need to see the problem in its proper light, in order to authorize a structure that they and the citizens generally can take pride in, and which will stand for generations as a monument to their good sense.

Thanking you Mr Editor, for your space, I am,

Yours truly,
CIVIS.

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For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal, Kingston	11.20 a m
For Indian River, Norwood, Havelock, Tweed	7.44 p m
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Going West	**Leave Peterborough**
For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	6.38 a m
For Burketon, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	7.00 a m
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	Arrive	Depar
Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Gravenhurst, North Bay, Sturgeon Falls and Toronto	11:20 a.m. / 9:00 p.m.	8:35 a.m / 11.45 a.m
Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	9:00 a.m. / 6:50 p.m.	9:05 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Cobourg Montreal and East	6:50 p.m	11:45 a.m
	8:0 a.m.	9:05 p.m
Toronto, Lindsay, Sparrville, Uxbridge and Markham	11:20 a.m. / 7:10 p.m. / 12:10 p.m.	7:10 a.m / 9:05 a.m / 11:45 a.m
Lindsay Local	8:15 a.m.	9:10 p.m
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	9:10 a.m. / 3:45 p.m.	8:35 a.m / 1:20 p.m
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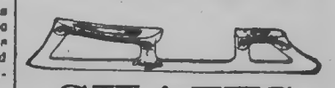

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The Mad Race To Gowganda Described By An East City Man

Mr. David Conroy, With the Peterborough Party, Who Were First on the Ground, Writes to Tell of the Journey to the New Cobalt.

PROCESSION WAS UNIQUE.

Mr. David Conroy, Jr., of East City, who is in the Gowganda District, north of Cobalt, with a Peterborough party, composed of Messrs. Michael Conroy, Frank O'Connor, John McLernan and John O'Brien, in addition to himself, sends the following newsy letter to his father, Mr. David Conroy, sr., East City:

Dear Father,—Have not had any time until to-day to tell you how we are getting along. As I anticipated we were the first in Gowganda. The road was finished at 10 o'clock and we had our tents pitched at 11. We are certainly the pioneers of Gowganda. We got here on Thursday last and to-day there is a town of 2,000 population, and 25 buildings being erected. None of us know where we are at yet, but are living in hopes. This is a great country, good land, good timber and more silver than Cobalt has. There is, unexplored, 25 square miles of silver. I have two prospectors going out for me next Wednesday. There are about 300 per day going through; coming from no where and going to the same place.

We got all our cattle killed yesterday and it proved quite a hard job, but I think it will come out all right. We are selling it for a big price by carcass. We bought a pair of oxen and harnessed them up with horse harness. They have done splendid work for us. This is the greatest experience I ever had in my life, combining millionaires and bums equally starving alike and going like mad night and day.

The greatest sight I ever saw was the race to Gowganda, with our party ahead; 28 head of our beef cattle on the lead, breaking the snow to allow the teams to follow; next came Jack McLernan's team with his sleigh and stove, having a fire in it to cook on the way and to keep us warm in our turn; following came Michael Conroy with the oxen on a jumper loaded with hay and oats; then came "Chub" with the four dog team hitched to a toboggan. Then John O'Brien, with his team, the government inspector and I bringing up the rear.

One hundred teams came after us, loaded with provisions and goods of all sorts; people of all nationalities. On crossing a marsh our last teams broke through the ice, leaving 200 yds. of open water. We managed to bring our band out safe, but you can imagine the experience the other people behind us had on seeing the water before them. I learned after that they had all to camp on the roadside to wait for the frost to freeze it over, which came after four days' delay. We are starting this afternoon to build our camp in Gowganda which will be finished in 3 or 4 days. There is a great future ahead of this district, as it has, without any doubt the greatest silver camps in the world.

We endured considerable hardships as we slept in tents since we left Elk Lake, the thermometer often going down to 40 and 50 degrees below zero. Much responsibility is taken from me as Uncle Michael and "Chub" are looking after the affairs concerning the store, as I am attending to the mineral claims. The surroundings around here appear to be splendid farming land, when cleared.

McKenzie & Mann are building a railway from Sudbury to Gowganda and expect it will be completed before September next.

Will write you more particulars when our camp is completed.

"DAVE."

Financial Statement Of St. Paul's Church Is Satisfactory

St. Paul's Presbyterian Church has made great strides during the past year, as the annual reports will show when presented at the congregational meeting on Wednesday evening next. The amount of money raised during the year from envelope contributions and open collections is over $7,000, which is an increase of $1,800 made up by $1,500 more through envelopes and $300 in open collections. For missionary purposes and all others schemes of the church raised by all branches there is a total of between $12,000 and $13,000, which is a big increase over last year. The financial statement for the year was circulated in the congregation yesterday, and it is indeed a very gratifying statement. The Board of Managers were not only able to meet all current expenses and demands, but also paid off $1,000 on the mortgage. Considering the depression in the times this is exceptionally good. The church membership was increased by 111, about equally divided between members by certificates and by profession of faith.

On Wednesday evening, from six to eight o'clock, the ladies of the congregation will serve tea to all the members and adherents of the church and a full attendance is looked for. The business meeting will be held afterwards.

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In Washington the Hepburn law argument is being made before the Supreme Court and the government has put forward some strong arguments in this case and those who have been sure that the railways would win their point, do not now feel so certain about it. The buying that has been manifest in Con. Gas during the past week, or so, is very attractive and we have no doubt that those who buy this stock and hold it will be able to sell at a handsome profit.

Money is very cheap and that is about the best bull argument the market has. We see no reason to change our opinion on the market, and still advise purchases of B. & O., Penna., Ills., Central, the Hill stocks, and Mo. Pac. on any temporary reaction. The industrial list is still under bear pressure and seems to be a sale on rallies. The closing was dull and a trifle heavy.

	Opening	Closing
A.C.P	78¼	78⅝
Atch	99⅜	99¼
B.R.T.	70⅛	70⅛
C.P.R.	174¼	178¼
C.F.I.	41⅛	41⅛
Erie	30⅜	30⅜
Great Northern	143⅜	144⅛
G.N.	—	—
Mo. Pac.	70	70⅛
Northern Pacific	140½	140½
N.Y.C.	129½	130
Penna	132½	133
R.I.	24⅛	24⅛
Rdg.	138	137½
Smelters	86⅜	85⅝
Soo	—	—
St. Paul	149⅛	150⅜
S.P.	130⅜	120⅛
U.P.	179½	179½
U.S.	58⅛	54
U.S. pfd.	114½	114½
Twin City	99⅛	99⅛
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LATEST CITY NEWS.

Probabilities

—Strong westerly winds, fair. Tuesday—Fair and a little cooler.

Has Removed

—Lew LeBar, clothing renovator, has removed to 283 George street, opposite the Grand Opera.

The Private Secretary

—There will be a rehearsal of "The Private Secretary" to-night in the Knights of Pythias' Hall.

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Notice to Rebekahs

—A special meeting of Golden Link Rebekah Lodge No. 81, I. O. O. F. is called for Tuesday evening, Jan. 26 to receive applications for membership. By order of the N. G.

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HOCKEY

There are two sports in Peterborough who feel pretty sore over the defeat of the Petes here on Thursday. These two are the dope editors of the Review and the Examiner. "Crooked referee," "Peterborough should have won," "Lindsay fast on soft ice," etc., is the style of comment they dish up.

—Lindsay Watchman Warder.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Miss Rumming, of Toronto, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Clarence Davidson, East City.

Miss Ida Mulholland left for Toronto this evening to visit her grandmother, Mrs Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McBain, of Keyes, Manitoba, are visiting Mrs. McBain's sister, Mrs. T. L. Anderson, 510 Water street.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker, Frankford on the Maine, Germany, are the guests of Mr. Walker's sister, Mrs. J. Mulholland, Reid street.

Miss M E O'Leary who has been visiting with friends for the month in Prescott and Ogdensburg, has returned to her home in Indian River.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hall, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Bradburn for the past month left this morning for thier home in Yorkton, Sask.

Owin to the illness in the family of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Denham, the tea which was to have been given to-morerow (Tuesday) afternoon, has been postponed for a short time.

Miss Una Duffield, Norwood, leaves this evening for her home, having spent the past week with her friend, Miss A M Little, Stewart street. Miss Duffield sang a solo in the George street Methodist church last night.

Mr. Robt. Grieve, organizer for the S.O.S., is in the city to attend the Burns Birthday Banquet, under the auspices of Camp Clan Alpine, to be held this evening. Mr. Grieve has been working in the interests of the Order in Whitby and reports encouraging progress.

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Auction Sale of 1000 Boxes Was Begun This Afternoon.

One thousand boxes of Christmas raisons are being sold in the store formerly occupied by Mr. Richard Hall on Simcoe street. Mr. Haggart is selling them by auction. They opened at $1.40 a box, but at three o'clock they were down to $1.10 and $1.00. Many grocers were present among the townspeople, who bought rapidly.

The sale will be continued until all are disposed of.

WIND BLOWS SMOKESTACK DOWN AT THE CORDAGE

It was learned while going to press that the large iron smokestack at the Cordage Works was blown down by the strong west wind this afternoon about two o'clock. It was reported that no serious damage resulted.

OBITUARY.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. John Thirbeck, McDonel street, will sympathize with them in the loss of their infant son, Norman Walter. The little boy passed away Saturday night and interment took place to-day at three o'clock at Little Lake Cemetery.

MRS. MARGARETE McNAMARA

The many friends of Mrs. Margaret McNamara will be sorry to hear that she died on Sunday morning at 3.30 at her home on Bethune street, after a few days illness. Mrs. McNamara was born in Cornwall 72 years ago, the same year that Queen Victoria ascended the throne, and came to this city as housekeeper to Rev. Father Lynch, when he arrived here as parish priest about 38 years ago.

She is survived by her husband, Mr. Patrick McNamara and five step children, viz. Mrs. Geo. Gordon, of Seattle, Mrs. Finn of Brantford Thomas of Seattle; Michael of Rochester; Jack of Bradford, Pa.; she has also one brother, Mr. Nathaniel Laheart, of Brantford, Ont.

The funeral will be held to-morrow at nine o'clock to St. Peter's Cathedral where mass will be celebrated and from thence to St. Peter's cemetery for interment.

MRS. SAMUEL WALLACE

The sad death of one of Lakefield's oldest residents, Mrs. Samuel Wallace, took place on Saturday. The deceased was well and favourably known. The funeral was held this afternoon from the family residence Lakefield and proceeded to the Lakefield Cemetery for interment.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(Furnished by J. N. Barber.)

New York, Jan. 25—The market opened fairly active and generally with stronger tendencies to-day. There was not much in the way of news over the week end to cause traders to take any definite side. At the same time there was practically no accumulation of commission house orders and foreign houses did a fair amount of selling here. Toward noon time the market became decidedly dull, and uninteresting and, in fact,

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Established 1817

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Reserve Fund, - - $12,000,000
$26,400,000

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On Saturday, and a few days following, we are offering a special inducement in

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Any suit in sizes from 24 to 33 in Norfolk and 3 piece, worth up to 3.50 for..... 1.90

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M. Halpin	Jas. R. Bell	Geod. O'Brien
J. J. Hill	J. H. Cameron	W. J. Routley
R. H. Hunter	D. Bradshaw	A. J. Warne
D. Henry	N. Routley	R. C. Braund
J. T. Donoghue	Mrs. Dunsford	J. J. Lynch
G. A. Gobeen	Mountjoy and Wotten	R. S. Parks
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THE GOLDEN LION STORE

Celebrates Its 25th Anniversary This Month by an

Unprecedented Bargain Festival

All previous sales by this or any other Peterborough store eclipsed. Help us celebrate this quarter century ending by saving money here.

Savings all through the store are like these:—

LINEN TABLING, NAPKINS, TOWELS, TOWELLINGS, ETC., ARE SELLING BELOW COST

15 Linen Table Cloths, worth $3.00, Sale Price, each **2.10**

2 yards x 2 yards and 2 yards x 2½ yards, bordered all round, splendid patterns and pure Irish Linen.

Sample Towels **1-3 Off**

Samples of Linen Huck, Damask Huck and Bath Towels and Towel length. Splendid value.

Linen Towels worth 20c, each **16c**

Hemstitched Irish Linen Huck Towels, size 19 x 38 inches, pure bleached.

500 Yards Table Damask worth $1.00 and $1.10. Sale Price **78c per yard**

Guaranteed pure Irish Linen. Splendid new designs, 72 inches wide.

Swiss Stand Covers Formerly 25c each **15c**

Size 20x30 inches, fine quality and several pretty designs.

Pillow Shams formerly 1.00 **62½c each**

Swiss Applique, Frilled Pillow Shams, 32x32 inches.

The best value ever offered this season in

LADIES' COATS Formerly $12.00 and $12.50 **7.50**

Splendid quality Black Melton, Kersey and Broadcloth, new long model, all this season's styles.

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White All-over Lace, 18 inches wide, good patterns, formerly *50c* per yard.

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White All-over Laces, 18 inches wide, very handsome designs for Blouses, formerly *75c* and *$1.00* per yard.

20 Beautiful Silk and Lace Blouses, Formerly $7.50 to $12.00, now each **5.00**

Soft Messaline and Chiffon Taffeta Silk Blouses, in Black, White, Navy Blue, Pink, Sky Blue, etc., and Lace and Net in Cream, Ecru and Black. Your choice, while they last, *$5.00* each.

Dress Trimmings, formerly up to 25c **2c per yd.**

Braids and Gimps, in blacks and colours, desirable patterns and colours.

Dress Trimmings, formerly up to 75c **5c per yd.**

Braid, Gimps and Appliques, blacks and almost every colour.

Remember, our sale of Dress Muslin and White Muslin Underwear is on.

Robert Fair & Co.

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A RUN ON ORDERED TAILORING

These Prices Won't Last Much Longer

PANTS

Men's Worsted Pants, made to order, former price was $6.50. Reduced now to **5.00**

Men's Worsted Pants, made to order, former price was $4.00. Reduced now to **3.00**

SUITS

Men's Single or Double Breasted Tweed Suits, made to order, former price was $20.00. Reduced now to..... **15.50**

Men's Serge and Worsted Suits, made to order, former price was $22.00 and $24.00. Reduced now to ..... **18.00 and 20.00**

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Men's Best Melton or Beaver Overcoats, made to order, former price was $25.00. Reduced to..... **18.00**

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Look in Our Window for Sample Prices.

FULL DRESS SUITS, Silk-lined and made up and finished in first-class style, former price $35.00. Reduced to.... **28.00**

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Best Make and Best Trimmed

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Fine Watches

If you are thinking of giving a watch New Year's then our large stock will be of interest to you. Remember, in buying a Watch quality is what counts every time. Some Watches are dear at any price. We pay most particular attention in selecting our movements.

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10 a.m. to 12 noon—1.30 to 6 p.m.
—7 to 11 p.m.

NEW PATHE FILMS EVERY DAY

and first shown in Peterborough at the Royal before being shown in any other theatre in this country. Come and see for yourself and be your own judge.

3 New Pictures TO-DAY

By request of several leading citizens unable yesterday to see the splendid Pathe film entitled

Mary Stuart

Queen of Scots

This picture will be presented again to-day. This coloured picture is a splendidly told story of Court life during the reign of Queen Elizabeth, and will be explained as the story progresses.

TO-DAY'S PICTURES

CARLO'S REVENGE

A strongly dramatic picture

Mr. Brown's Picture

A very funny film replete with laughter from start to finish.

Mr. Beveridge Miller

Will render an Illustrated Song by Margaret Kilgrove, entitled

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Admission Always **5c**

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FULL-BLOOD INDIANS FAST DISAPPEARING

Special Agent Says That in Three Generations the Last of Them will be Gone.

Examiner Special

Helena, Jan. 26 — Special Agent Samuel Cone, who is here as a witness before the Grand Jury and who has spent the greater part of his life among the Indians, says:

"Three generations more and I don't believe there will be a real Indian left in the country.

"White men's clothing and houses have signed the death warrant of the Indian," continued Mr. Cone. "Consumption and other diseases of a civilized people have a foothold on every reservation in the country, and the ranks of the full bloods are being decimated rapidly. This is particularly true of the older Indians who roamed the plains and the mountains before the creation of reservations and who have not been constitutionally fitted for the changed environment.

"A MAN AND HIS MATE"

New and Virile Play at Grand Opera House on Wednesday, January 27— One of the Season's Best.

Hilda Spong, who is announced to appear here shortly in H. B. Durant's new play "A Man and His Mate," is known in Australia as the

HILDA SPONG.

Ellen Terry of the Antipodes, and no artist who has ever played in that part of the world has so strong a hold on the affections of its inhabitants. In London, which is her birth-place, her success was so unusual that Arthur Pinero wrote "Trelawney of the Wells" especially for her, and in it she won the lavish praise of her own countrymen, and although it is five years since she played in England the British papers are constantly printing paragraphs about her for the sake of "Auld Lang Syne."

Although Miss Spong has played many roles by the leading writers of dramatic literature, she has never found a part that so exactly fits her as Betty Brackenridge in "A Man and His Mate," and she is so enthused over it that it half the joy it gives her to play it reaches her audiences they may be sure of realizing the best the present day stage has to offer.

MORE FINES FOR RAILWAY AFFAIR

Two Young Men Have to Pay for Their Part in the Rumpus in a Coach.

Two young men were fined two dollars each and costs this morning at the police court for the part they took in the fracas on the excursion returning from Lindsay last Thursday night.

The meeting of the Historical society to-night at which Mr. Cornish of the Normal School staff, will give a lecture upon "Volcanoes" promises to be highly interesting and there will likely be a large crowd to hear the first of the series of enjoyable addresses that have been arranged by the Society to be given during the winter months. The public is cordially invited to be present.

NOTICE.

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PETERBORO' GIRL IN SERIOUS CONDITION FROM BICHLORIDE OF MERCURY POISONING

Examiner Special.

Toronto, Jan. 26.—Miss Alice Howell, aged twenty-one, of Peterborough, a roomer with Mrs. Hawkins, Alice street, was taken to St. Michael's Hospital this morning, suffering from bichloride of mercury poisoning. Her room mate says that they returned to the house at four o'clock this morning from a party, and Miss Howell said something about being tired of life. She said she was going to take some headache tablets, and soon after complained of pains in the stomach. The after effects of this poison are sometimes fatal, and the girl is in a critical condition. She boarded with Mrs. Hawkins since before Christmas. She came to the house then, saying she was out of work but had been employed by Featherbone Novelty Company. She did not look for work at once, but went to visit her parents in Peterborough, returning a short time ago.

CHARGES AGAINST CHIEF HOWARD BROUGHT TO A CLOSE LAST NIGHT; COMMITTEE'S RECOMMENDATION

"The Best Interests of the City Will Not Be Served by His Remaining at the Head of the Fire Department," Reads Motion.

SESSION WAS LONG ONE.

Moved by Ald. Hicks, seconded by Ald. Morgan,—That this committee —report to the council that to Chief Howard is due the credit for the organizing of the permanent brigade in the face of many obstructions, but while doing so and after, we would judge from the evidence produced, that the Chief has been extremely indiscreet, and his actions have left him open to criticism to such an extent as to convince us that the best interests of the city will not be served by his remaining at the head of the Fire Department.

The above motion passed at 11.45 o'clock last night by the Fire, Water and Light Committee represents the finding of that committee in the inquiry arising from the charges laid against Chief Howard by Ex-Ald. W J Johnston, and the council will have to take what action they see fit upon the recommendation of the committee.

Most of the evidence upon the charges had been heard last week and the only one upon which evidence was taken last night was in connection with $8.22 over pay given to Fireman McBride in July of last year. McBride had returned the money to Chief Howard, and there was no evidence to show that it had been paid back to the City Treasurer. Chief Howard claimed that the money had been given to Albert E. George, who was on relief duty for one week in July, but was not able to locate George in order to have him give evidence on the point. Firemen Brumwell, Hayes and Grange were called by the committee last night, and all three stated that there had not been any one by the name of George working in the fire hall to their knowledge. There was a long discussion over the matter among the four members of the committee present, i. e., Ald. Butler, chairman; Ald. Turner, Hicks and Morgan.

Ald. Butler expressed himself as being in favour of giving the Chief another chance and announced that he would so vote in the council. He would not, however, block any motion that the committee might desire to pass.

Ald. Turner opposed the motion, which finally carried, for a long time. There was a doubt in his mind he said, and he wished to have added to the resolution a qualifying cause to the effect that the committee did not think the best interests of the city would be served by Chief Howard's remaining at the head of the Fire Department unless he showed improvement in his conduct during the next six months.

On the other hand Ald. Morgan did not think the motion went far enough although he finally decided to second it.

Ald. Hicks said that his opinion was summed up in the resolution he had moved. If the council decided to give the Chief another chance, he would be satisfied, but that was his opinion.

Ald. Turner finally decided to support the motion, seeing that there was no possibility of changing it, and the recommendation of the committee as given above was unanimously passed shortly before mid-night.

FAST EXPRESS LEAVES RAILS SEVENTEEN PASSENGERS HURT

J. N. Barber, (Special)

Cashocton, Ohio, Jan. 26.—A fast express on the Pennsylvania Line was wrecked early to-day at Adam's Mills, eight miles from here. Two Pullman cars left the track, and seventeen passengers were injured, but nobody killed, according to the latest reports. Doctors and nurses are being hurried from this place.

The Pittsburg and St. Louis express train, No. 44, eastward bound, ran off an embankment. The accident occurred at 5.45 a. m., caused by a broken rail, which failed to hold the heavy train running at top speed on the curve.

C. P. R. ENGINEER BADLY SCALDED BY EXPLOSION OF A REGISTER

Edward Tout, a Canadian Pacific freight engineer, residing in North Toronto, was painfully scalded in the cab of his engine at the C. P. R. station at two o'clock this morning. The injured man had left his cab when it reached the station, when he was startled by the sound of escaping steam, and rushing back to the locomotive found that the glass register had exploded. He hurriedly made his way into the cab to turn off the water, and while doing so had his hands, particularly the left, badly scalded before he succeeded in accomplishing the task. When it was seen that he was painfully injured Dr. Gray was sent for and dressed his injuries. He was recovered enough to leave for home on the early passenger train this morning and his injuries are not considered serious.

VOTE OF THANKS WAS PASSED TO MR. FOWLER BY THE CHARITY BOARD

A meeting of the Central Charity Board was held last night in the City Clerk's office, when there were present Mayor Rush, chairman; Messrs. Fowler, Cochrane, Yelland, Brown, Butler, Collins, Batten, Miller, Kempt and McIntyre.

A vote of thanks was passed to Mr. Wm. Fowler for his indefatigable work during the absence of the relief officer.

The following statement of orders given was read:

	1908	11909
Groceries	$ 854 35	$123 00
Wood	755 49 1-2	168 23
Tickets	34 15	
Sundries	817 95	
	$2,471 34	$291 23

List of Accounts

A. Allison	$ 4 00
J. T. Braund	4 00
R. C. Braund	4 00
J. H. Cameron	2 00
C. S. Curran	6 00
Mrs. M. G. Dunford	11 00
J. Donovan	2 00
E. Files	4 00
J. S. Guthrie	3 00
Mrs. Harris	3 00
R. H. Hunter	4 00
M. H. Halpin	8 00
R. Hicks & Co.	7 00
John James	2 00
W. H. Hamilton	11 00
John Kerr	10 00
T. R. Kennedy	4 00
J. E. Lillico	8 00
J. J. Lynch	4 00
R. McGill	6 00
Nugent Drug Co.	2 00
R. Parks	10 00
N. Routley	6 00
D. Sullivan	4 00
H. A. Sisson	8 00

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$1.50 or $1.00 Trusses for

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AN OVATION FOR THE OPERATOR

Passengers of the Republic are Parading Broadway With the Hero.

J. N. Barber, (Special)

New York, Jan. 26.—A number of the passengers of the Republic are down here on Broadway, waiting for the wireless operator, Binns, to come out of the White Star offices. They are going to carry him up the street. They are supplied with a large American flag. It is said a purse has been started for Mr. Binns.

LONGBOAT WILL RACE THE WINNER

Examiner Special.

New York, Jan. 26.—Tom Longboat has agreed to race the winner of the Dorando-Hayes contest on February 17th.

DIED FROM THE INJURY RECEIVED

Examiner Special.

New York, Jan. 26.—With two of her dead still crushed beneath the twisted steel and timber, the Italian liner, Florida, which sent the Republic of the White Star Line, to the bottom to-day, was moored at her pier at the foot of 42nd street south Brooklyn, while dozens of men worked to get at the bodies wedged into the broken prow. Eugene Lyneh, the Boston merchant, whose wife was killed in the collision, and who received terrible injuries himself, died in the Long Island Hospital.

IN FULL SWING.

The annuity contest, which closes on May 31 next, in connection with which a First prize of Seven Hundred Dollars in cash and several other large cash prizes will be given by the Orange Meat Company, is now in full swing.

The winners in this contest will be the persons sending in the largest number of bottoms of Orange Meat boxes. The number of contestants is very large and they are scattered all over Canada.

Full particulars are to be found on postcard in each package of Orange Meat.

Buy a package to-day and commence saving the bottoms and keep saving until the close.

Adding Machine Loose leaf ledger, bill and charge, card system, and all modern devices known to business science are at disposal of our students. Consequently business houses of leading Canadian and American cities are calling loudly for our graduates.

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WANTED.

$400 CASH WILL BE PAID FOR SOUTH African Warrants; send documents through Bank. Apply L. M. Gunn, 277 Nelson street, Ottawa. 3d 30 5093

ROOM WANTED — FURNISHED ROOM with or without board; must be first class. Apply Box 5108, Examiner office. 2d 21 5108

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TO RENT — APPLY J. BELL, PHONE 547L. Nos. 127 and 129 Rubidge st., 10 rooms, $13.00. Nos. 126 and 128 Park street, 10 rooms, $10.00. No. 122 Park street, 15 rooms, rent $20.00. dtf

TO RENT — SUITE OF ROOMS IN Grand Central Building, heated and all modern conveniences; immediate possession. Apply 457 George street.

TO RENT—OFFICE No. 12 IN BANK OF Commerce Building; heated, possession immediately. Apply at 457 George street.

TO RENT — HOUSE No. 242 RUBIDGE street; hot water heating and all modern conveniences; immediate possession. Apply 457 George street. d-tf

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Houses to Let at reasonable rent. Apply for particulars at **W. H. BRADBURN'S OFFICE** over Dominion Bank, corner George and Simcoe Streets. dtf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE — TWO FINE FARMS north of Peterborough. Apply No. 471 Elm street. 3d 21 5099

FOR SALE — No. 3 WIDE CARRIAGE Underwood Typewriter, used only a short time, cost $147.50, will sell for $100.00 cash. Peterborough Typewriter Co., 189 Simcoe street, Phone 665. dtf

FOR SALE—ALL KINDS OF RUBBER Stamps. Apply at Examiner office.

WE ARE SOLE AGENTS FOR PETERborough and the territory between Toronto and Kingston for the Parisian Novelty Co., and have samples of all kinds of advertising novelties on hand. Call and see them at the Examiner office.

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Nice Frame House corner lot, nicely painted and papered, city water, size of lot 40 x 90, for $1,600. This property is a snap—party leaving city.

Beautiful Brick House double parlors, winter kitchen, summer kitchen and wood shed, 4 bed rooms, bath room, complete electric light fixtures, furnace, cement cellar floor and cement walks in front and side entrance. This can be bought for $3800.

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WANTED — POSITION BY YOUNG woman at light house work; can do plain cooking. Apply at this office. 3d 21 5096

SITUATION WANTED BY CAPABLE and respectable woman at housework where she can go home in the evening. Apply at this office. d dh

LOST.

LOST — WILL THE PARTY WHO picked up the Black Purse on Grand Trunk crossing on Charlotte street kindly return to owner, name on card inside. Leave at Examiner office or 366 Boswell avenue. Reward. 2d 21 5104

LOST NEAR 174 DOURO STREET, A Persian Lamb Cap. A reward of $1.00 will be given for its return to the above address or the Examiner office. 3d-30-5096

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THE POPULAR VOTE.

The claim is made by Conservative journals that the figures of the popular vote in the recent Dominion election show that the Opposition is not represented in the House of Commons in proportion to its strength in the country. If representation in Parliament should correspond precisely with the popular vote, a government would rarely have a working majority. The Toronto Star puts the matter clearly:

"Suppose one party polled 1,000,000 votes and another 1,100,000, the successful party would have 110 members in a House of 210 if representation by population were carried to its logical conclusion. This would not be a working majority, and as the two parties are usually almost upon an equality in the popular vote, a working majority would rarely be obtained.'

The election returns give the Government the substantial margin of 25,000 votes to the good, and are interesting also as an illustration of the growth of the population. The total vote cast was 1,176,104, as compared with 952,496 in 1900. The census of 1901 showed the population to have been 5,371,315, or 5.84 as large as the number of votes cast. If the same proportions are taken now the population at present is 6,632,640, or an increase of 1,261,325 over 1901. If the same rate of increase is maintained, when the next census is taken, two years hence, it will be found that Canada has a population of upwards of 7,000,000.

In this connection the figures as to the vote in the western provinces are of interest. In 1900 Manitoba cast 41,780 votes; in 1904, 48,122, and in 1908, 68,061. The Northwest Territories in 1900 cast 23,618 votes, and in 1904, 46,676—an increase of nearly 100 per cent. Alberta alone, in the election of last year cast 45,962 votes, or nearly as many as the whole Northwest four years previously. Saskatchewan's total last year was 58,412. This makes 104,314 cast in the two new provinces, or close on four and one-half times as many as in 1900. The total for Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta was 172,378, or almost as many as Nova Scotia and New Brunswick together. In 1900 British Columbia cast 26,451 votes; in 1904, 25,184, and 1908, 37,368, beating Prince Edward Island by about 9,000 votes. It will thus be seen that the Maritime Provinces are now outvoted by those west of Lake Superior.—London Advertiser.

COMMERCIAL OUTLOOK.

Altogether, Canada's commercial outlook seems one of steady continuance in demand for commodities on the part of the buying public. A demand somewhat more discriminating and less wasteful than that obtaining fourteen or fifteen months ago; and a demand which, on that very account, will contribute to trade stability rather than to any industrial boom.

An instance of alert gauging of business volume was shown in the October increase of imports. Due largely, no doubt, to the bringing in of goods for holiday trade, it did not indicate that wholesalers were beginning to count on rapid general expansion. And November foreign trade returns — considered discouraging by some observers—are therefore to be taken as indicating that importing and manufacturing concerns will continue to display caution in adapting supply to probable demand. But certainly the past year must have so thoroughly cleaned up any previous over-supply, that from now on moderate trade activity should be the order of the day.—Finance Chronicle.

BRITISH COLUMBIA'S WEALTH.

A recent report shows the natural richness and productive capacity in timber and minerals of British Columbia. Evidently the great peaks of the Province are stored with mineral wealth, and its slopes are covered with a growth of timber unequalled in the world. Great as the mineral wealth is known to be, it has not yet been fully prospected; and the forests of the Pacific slopes, if not quite inexhaustible, are at least more than sufficient to meet all the timber demands of the present generation.

Last year the value of the Province's total mineral production was $23,857,735. This was a slight falling off from the output of 1907, but that was due to special circumstances, and not because of any exhaustion in any of the mineral deposits. The value of the gold output was $5,973,530, the bulk of it being from lode mines. Silver and lead had each an output of $1,500,000; while the value of the copper output was $5,792,820. The value of the coal output was $5,950,000. To these fall to be added $1,488,000 for coke, and $1,000,000 for building material. Added together these show the value of the mineral resources of the Province last year.

The value of the forest products last year was less than that of the minerals, but it yielded a larger revenue. While the mineral output of $23,857,535 yielded a revenue of $200,000, the cut of 900,000,000 feet of timber, valued at $30,000,000, yielded a revenue of $4,000,000, including the annual ground rents (which are payable whether the timber is cut or not,) and the sums derived from royalties, hand loggers' licenses, &c. About 11,000 square miles of timber lands have already been leased in one form or other. Although a cut of 900,000,000 feet may seem large, there are reliable estimates which show that the actual standing timber will supply that yield for a century, without counting growth or reforesting.—Scottish American.

THE BOOM OF BRITISH CAPITAL

When we are reminded that Canada has Dominion and Provincial Government debts of some $300,000,000 to Great Britain, and a railway bonded indebtedness of about $500,000,000, there comes strong realization of what it means to have had a ready and favourable access to the world's great credit mart. That the steadily progressing development of the country warrants an investment so stupendous is not open to doubt. Yet the situation is one involving grave responsibilities; and Mr. Wood sums it up none too strongly when he says that it rests with all issuers of securities, with every bond dealer, broker and financier, with every financial corporation, with every municipal council—and in a more important sense with every Provincial Legislature and with the Dominion Parliament—to see that the man who ventures his money in a Canadian enterprise is treated fairly and honestly. Canada must fully sustain the confidence of the British investor through the years to come.—Finance Chronicle.

DO JUST WHAT IS CLAIMED FOR THEM

That's What Joseph Macklin Says of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

They Cured His Neuralgia, Cramped Muscles and Heart Disease From Which He Had Suffered for Two Years.

St. Paul de Metis, Alta., Jan. 25.—Special—"Dodd's Kidney Pills have done for me all that is claimed for them." So says Joseph Macklin, a well known farmer of this district. "I was ill for over six years with neuralgia, cramps in my muscles, backache and heart disease. I called on different doctors but got no help. I heard that Dodd's Kidney Pills were meant for just such cases as mine and bought eight boxes of them. Now I feel just like a new man. I recommend them to all as a sure cure for rheumatism and all troubles arising from diseased kidneys."

Thousands of farmers all over the west relate similar experiences to that similar to Mr. Macklin. They find that Dodd's Kidney Pills do just what is claimed for them—cure all diseased kidneys and all diseases arising from diseased kidneys.

SLIDES DOWN ROPE ELOPES AND WEDS

Lover Waiting With Carriage in Which They Ne to Cleveland Parson.

St. Louis, Jan. 26.— Mrs. Bennett Million, of No. 3600 Summit avenue, East St. Louis, who notified the East St. Louis police that her daughter Zeada, seventeen years old, had disappeared, received a letter announcing that the girl had just married Everett Smith. It was written by Smith, who said:

"Don't worry; we are en route to Iowa on our honeymoon." There was a postscript from the daughter saying she would return in a few days.

Mrs. Million opposed the marriage of her daughter to Smith, and it is said she had another man selected for the girl. Smith boarded at the Million home and recently was compelled to leave by Mrs. Million because, as she explained, she did not want him courting her daughter. The couple took out the marriage license the next day. They planned to marry that night, but the mother kept the girl at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Million and their daughter retired early, and at 9 o'clock Zeada let herself out of her bedroom window on the second floor by means of a rope. Smith was waiting with a carriage, and the two, accompanied by Harry Bean, drove to the home of the Rev. Mr. McCannon, of the First Methodist Church, where the marriage was solemnized.

The girl's father was with the couple when the license was obtained.

The bride has been organist in the Winstanley M. E. Church in East St. Louis, and is active in church work. She and Smith have known each other two years.

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FASHIONS REBORN

A "Merry Widow" hat by another name and bequeathed from another century, shows that fashion, like history, repeats itself. To a degree fashion is history. The Pompadour coiffure, the Empire gown or Directoire skirt, the Puritan poke, the "Prince Albert" coat for men — which does not always come back because it is always here — are reminders of periods as well as styles. To their number may be added in time the green hat introduced by the present King Edward. The military stories of nations may be gathered from the uniforms of their soldiers.

Recent discoveries in Crete show that the wasp waist, the corset, the elbow sleeve and the short spreading skirt were familiar to the civilization of that island four thousand years ago. How insignificant, though still interesting, beside such a revelation, is John Colby Abbott's exhibition, upon which these comments are founded, of Marie Antoinette's straw hat, which even exceeds to-day's "Merry Widow" in its extravagance of inches!

In emulation of bygone dandies, men appeared at the London opera a few seasons ago carrying ornate tasselled canes. The vari-coloured waistcoats of the present are in revival of a fashion of the early sixties, which was in its turn an echo many times removed of a vastly earlier original.

Invention produces new materials for the dress of men and women and cheaper ways of making both the stuff and the clothes. These are feathers, lace and glittering trimmings for the millions now where once they were for the thousands. Practically the only new thing about a new fashion is the fresh stamp of the generation that calls it back.

ASPHODEL YOUNG LADY IS MARRIED

Latest News From Hastings and the Vicinity—Ladies' Aid Society Holds Social.

Examiner Special.

Hastings, Jan. 26 — A very pretty wedding was solemnized on Tuesday last at the Church of Our Lady of Mount Carmel, when Miss Honora Doherty, daughter of the late Patrick Doherty, of Asphodel, was united in marriage to Mr. John Doherty, of Brickley, by Rev. Father Bretherton, of town. Miss Ellen Fallon was bridesmaid, while Mr. Lawrence Doherty acted as groomsman.

After the ceremony the wedding party drove to the home of the bride's brother, Mr. John Doherty, of Asphodel, where a dainty breakfast was served after which the day was spent in music and dancing. Mr. and Mrs. Doherty will reside at Brickley.

Mr. S. J. Fisher, of Campbellford, was in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ealie Terrill, of Wooler, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hess.

Mr. Walter and Miss Bella Humphries visited friends in Allandale last week.

Mr. J. F. Mack, of the Local Engineering Staff of the Trent Valley Canal, has returned to his duties after a brief illness.

Mr. Charles Foulds was in Toronto on business last week.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist Church held a very interesting "Rosette" Social on Friday evening, Jan. 22nd; refreshments were served and a very interesting programme was given, consisting of songs and recitations, the main feature of the programme being a prize given to Miss Jessie Anderson and Dr. T. Stevenson, son of Mr. Jas. Stevenson, sr., for answering conundrums.

Reeve Nevin, of Millbrook, was in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. English attended the wedding of the latter's sister, Miss Cahill, of Peterborough, on Tuesday of last week.

Things look lively around town over the horse races that are being held here. We all congratulate Mr. Lou Stinson on the speed that his little Mack showed.

Mr. Harry Bolton, who has been at the Foundry for the past few months, returned to his home at Ayr.

TOOK WOMAN 25 YEARS TO SAY YES

Persistent Wooer Finally Obtains Hand of Missouri Woman.

St. Louis, Jan. 26 — After teaching painting for twenty-eight years at the Mary Institute, Miss Elizabeth Butler has resigned and married E. J. Macken, of the claim department of the Wabash Railroad.

Mr. Macken courted Miss Butler for twenty-five years, but could not get her final consent to marry him until she made up her mind to retire from the school. She is fifty years old.

The marriage ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. W. Gaus, pastor of the Presbyterian Church in Carondelet. Mr. and Mrs. Macken left immediately on their honeymoon.

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APPLICATION TO PARLIAMENT.

An Application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario at its next session, by the Peterborough Radial Railway Company, for an Act extending the times for the completion of those sections of the Company's Railway not yet under construction.

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T. AND N. O. TRAIN WAS DERAILED

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SPREAD RAIL IS TO BLAME

While Northbound is Traveling at 25 Miles an Hour Near North Bay Three Coaches Are Thrown Down a Steep Bank—One Man Has a Fractured Skull—None of the Injured Expected to Die.

North Bay, Jan. 26.—Over a score of passengers on the Cobalt special, which left here northward bound, at 8 o'clock yesterday morning, were injured in the first wreck of a passenger train on the T. & N. O. Railway.

From the circumstances attending the accident it was a miracle that many were not killed.

The train was running about 25 miles an hour, when suddenly, some 13 miles north of here, the rails spread from weather conditions and part of the train plunged down a 20-foot embankment.

The engine and baggage car remained on the track and one Pullman was left perched on the top of the bank, while the second-class and two first-class cars crashed down the declivity with terrific force.

The work of rescue began immediately. The telephone line was tapped and assistance summoned from North Bay. Drs. McMurchy, Bolland, Johnston went with the wrecking train, which was early on the scene, and the wounded received prompt attention.

At first it was thought that no serious injuries had resulted, but examination revealed several passengers severely hurt, the most serious being C. Lombard of Iroquois Falls, section foreman on the T. & N.O. Railway, whose skull was fractured, though he is expected to recover.

The wounded reached North Bay at 11.30 last night and were taken to the hospital.

J. W. Bradley was taken through to Toronto to St. Michael's Hospital on the Cobalt special.

GIRLS BURNED TO DEATH.

Three Daughters of Montreal Man Lose Lives In Fire.

Montreal, Jan. 26.—Beatrice, 18 years; Marguerite, 17 years, and Ruth, nine years, three daughters of W. G. Slack, treasurer of the Bell Telephone Co. were burned to death in a fire which destroyed their house, 163 Cote Des Neiges road, early yesterday.

The fire was discovered by Mrs. Slack, who about midnight was awakened by smoke which was filling the house. If it had been possible to send in an alarm immediately, help would have probably arrived in time to save the lives of the victims, but the effect of the storm on the telephone system had rendered the instruments in the house useless.

Is Now St. Joan.

Rome, Jan. 26.—In the hall of the consistory yesterday morning the Pope read the decree approving the solemn ratification of Joan of Arc.

In his address, the Pope said that he was never so satisfied as when, through the help of God, he was able to raise to the altars those who, leaving on earth the perfume of their virtues, show with the assistance of the Almighty, the miracles of heaven.

His Holiness also took occasion to complain of the present condition of society, which, he said, is afflicted by unbelief.

$35,000 For Salisbury Wreck Victim.

London, Jan. 26.—Mrs. Brodt of New York yesterday obtained a verdict of $35,000 against the London & Southwestern Railway Co., for personal injuries sustained in the Salisbury train wreck of July 1, 1906, when 27 persons lost their lives. Mrs. Brodt is the widow of John E. McDonald, one of the victims of the accident. She has since re-married. She claimed damages also for the death of her former husband.

Fire in Bonaventure Depot.

Montreal Jan. 26.—Fire which broke out in the Bonaventure depot yesterday did not get very much headway. The flames caught in the stationary department, the damage amounting to $6,000.

Suicides In Penitentiary.

New Westminster, B.C., Jan. 26.—While despondent, James B. Weston, a horse thief and jail-breaker, committed suicide in the penitentiary on Sunday night with a shoemaker's knife.

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Let us send you a full copy of Mr. Strongman's letter and some other literature on the subject. Just mention this paper.

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SWEATMAN FUNERAL.

Late Archbishop Will Be Interred on Wednesday.

Toronto, Jan. 26.—While the details of the funeral of the late Archbishop Sweatman have not yet been completed, it has been definitely decided that the service should be held at St. Alban's Cathedral to-morrow afternoon, the interment to be at St. James' cemetery.

The remains of the late primate will be taken to the cathedral early on Wednesday morning and lay in state from 10 a.m. until 1.30 p.m.

The bishops who are expected to participate are Bishop Dumoulin of Niagara, Bishop Mills of Ontario, Bishop Farthing of Montreal; Bishop Dunn of Quebec, and Bishop Thomloe of Algoma.

Bishop Tuttle, the presiding bishop of the Episcopalian Church in the United States, will be present.

The cathedral will be draped in purple. The scene will be most impressive, as the bishops and clergy march in procession from the crypt of the cathedral.

The funeral cortege will be lengthy and imposing, and will include the mayor and members of the City Council.

BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

The Mary Kirk Presbyterian Church at New Lowell, Ont., was burned on Friday last.

Gold medals, with suitable emblems, are to be awarded to Orville and Wilbur Wright by Congress.

Representatives of a Hammond, Ind., corporation, who are proposing to establish a manufactory in Galt, visited the town yesterday.

Galt is being subjected to the first flood of the spring, an unusually early date for the annual freshet. The flood has filled cellars along the river route.

Rear-Admiral Voevosky, assistant Minister of Marine, has been appointed Russian Minister of Marine in place of Admiral Dikoff, who recently resigned.

Emperor William has conferred the decoration of the Order of Merit on J. S. Sargent, the American artist, in recognition of his pre-eminence as a portrait painter.

The steamer Sault Ste. Marie, carrying a large number of passengers, is icebound in the river near the Soo, and may be unable to release herself for several days.

George Brett of Malton, who came before Judge McGibbon at Brampton for sentence on being found guilty of a charge of criminal assault and house-breaking, received seven years.

Fright Kills Child.

Belleville, Jan. 26.—Mr. and Mrs. John Flagler of this city lost their five-year-old boy in a peculiar manner.

On Sunday the mother was holding her baby in her lap when there came a vivid flash of lightning and heavy thunder. The child screamed and fell back in his mother's arms, going into convulsions of fright and dying yesterday, the doctor said, of fright.

Dozen 'Quakes a Day.

Monteleone, Jan. 26.—The earth shocks here average a dozen daily and apparently are increasing in intensity.

On the distant horizon Mount Aetna can be seen emitting an immense cloud of white smoke, which the people consider a bad omen.

Building Up Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, Jan. 26.—Building Inspector Rogers has issued his annual statement placing Winnipeg in third place in comparing the amount expended in construction. The number of permits issued is 1,544, covering 1,769 buildings worth $5,513,700. Fees for permits were $2,238.50.

Three Years For Theft of Stamps.

Brantford, Jan. 26.—William Cheevers, who recently completed a three-years' term in Kingston Penitentiary, was sentenced to three years yesterday for theft of $3 worth of postage stamps from Woods' Mill. His younger brother, Thomas, was let off on suspended sentence.

MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Close Higher. Chicago Lower—Live Stock —Latest Quotations.

Monday Evening, Jan. 25.

Liverpool wheat futures closed ¾d higher than Saturday, and corn closed unchanged.

Chicago May wheat closed ⅛c lower than Saturday, May corn closed ⅛c higher, and oats closed ⅛c higher.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—January, 95⅝c bid, July 92.02⅝ bid, May 91.01⅝ bid.
Oats—January 37⅜c bid, May 41⅜c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	0 96	to 0....
Wheat, red, bush	0 95	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 91	....
Rye, bush	0 58	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 55	....
Peas, bushel	0 80	....
Barley, bushel	0 53	....
Oats, bushel	0 46	....

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 26
Butter, store lots	0 23	0 24
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls	0 28	0 29
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 30	0 32
Eggs, cold storage	0 24	0 27
Cheese, large, lb	0 12½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Jan 25.—Butter—Unsettled and lower; receipts, 4387. Creamery, specials, 30c to 30½c, official price, 30c; extras, 29c to 29½c; third to first, 24c to 28½c; held, common to special, 23c to 29½c; process, common to special, 23c to 24½c; western factory, first, 21½c to 22c; western imitation creamery, first, 22c to 24c. Cheese, firm; receipts, 1289. State full cream, specials, 14½c to 15¼c; do., fancy, 14¼c; do., good to fine, 14c; winter made, best, 13½c; do., good to prime, 12c to 13c; do., common to fair, 10½c to 11½c; skims, full to specials, 2½c to 11½c. Eggs, steady; receipts, 4399. State, Pennsylvania and nearby fancy selected white, 33c; do., fair to choice, 32c to 33c; brown and mixed fancy, 32c to 32c; do., fair to choice, 30c to 31c; western first, 30c; seconds, 28c to 29½c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Steady—Hogs Firm at Chicago and Buffalo.

LONDON, Jan. 25.—London cables for cattle are steady, at 13c to 13½c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10½c to 10½c per lb.

Toronto Junction Live Stock.

TORONTO JUNCTION, Jan. 25.—Receipts of live stock at the Union Stock Yards were 52 carloads, composed of 1071 cattle, 10 hogs, 143 sheep and 16 calves.

Exporters.

There was a good demand for export steers and more would have sold. Dealers complain that there are few of the cattle offering that are finished. Steers sold from $5.10 to $5.60, but only one load at the latter figure; bulls sold from $4 to $4.75, and one choice bull brought $5 per cwt.

Butchers.

As will be seen by sales quoted below, the bulk of the butchers' cattle went over $4 per cwt., not many being sold under that figure. Choice picked lots, sold at $4.85 to $5 and a few were quoted for a little more money; loads of good, $4.50 to $4.75; medium, $4 to $4.40; common, $3.50 to $3.80, and $3.90; cows, $3 to $4.50, and in good demand; canners, $1.75 to $2.50.

Milkers and Springers.

About half a dozen milkers and springers sold at $30 to $55 each, and one at $60.

Napoleon Deziel of Montreal was on the market looking for some good cows.

Sheep and Lambs.

A light delivery of sheep and lambs sold at steady prices. Ewes sold at $3.50 to $4 per cwt.; rams, $2.50 to $3; lambs, $5.50 to $6 per cwt.

Hogs.

Gunns, Limited, quoted selects at $6.65, fed and watered, at the market, and $6.40 to drovers, f.o.b., cars, at country points. One drover from Western Ontario stated that he got $6.50, f.o.b., cars, last week.

Montreal Live Stock.

MONTREAL, Jan. 25.—(Special.)—At the Montreal Stock Yards, West End Market, the receipts of live stock for the week ending Jan. 23, were 2618 cattle, 918 sheep and lambs, 6497 hogs and 170 calves, while the offerings this morning amounted to 1200 cattle, 400 sheep and lambs, 1800 hogs and 300 calves. There was no further change in the condition of the market for cattle to-day, prices being firmly maintained, supplies being smaller and quality generally good. The demand was not quite so keen as a week ago on account of the milder weather, but there was a good attendance of buyers, a good many being for shipment to Quebec and Ottawa. There was no demand from exporters. Cables from Liverpool on Saturday reported trade slow but firm. Choice steers sold here at 5¼c to 5½c; good, at 4½c to 5c; fair, at 4c to 4½c; common, at 3c to 3½c; and inferior at 2c to 2½c per pound. Owing to the continued small supplies of sheep and lambs prices show no change from a week ago. Choice lots of sheep brought 3½c to 4c, and culls, 3½c to 3½c per lb. Lambs, sold freely at 5½c to 6c for choice stock, and at 5½c to 5½c for good per lb. Calves continue to be scarce with the demand good, and prices rule firm. There continues to be a strong undertone to the market for hogs and prices are steadily tending towards a higher level, they showing a further advance to-day of 10c per cwt., due to the keen demand from packers and the limited supplies of frozen stock coming forward. An active trade was done with sales of selected lots at $7.25 to $7.35 per cwt., weighed off cars, but some lots coming from Chatham cost laid down here $7.50 to $7.60 per cwt.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Jan. 25.—Cattle—Receipts 2500 head; fairly active and steady; prime steers, $5 to $5.50; shipping, $5.50 to $5.60; butchers', $4.75 to $5.35; heifers, $4 to $5.50; cows, $2.50 to $5; bulls, $3 to $5.

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This startling statement was made by a doctor at a recent inquest. "I should not like to say that heart disease is as common as this would imply," said the expert, "but I am sure that the number of persons going about with weak hearts must be very large."

"Hundreds of people go about their daily work on the verge of death, and yet do not know it. It is only when the shock comes that kills them that the unsuspected weakness of the heart is made apparent."

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Hogs—Receipts, 15,000 head; active and 10c to 15c higher; heavy and mixed, $6.65 to $6.75; yorkers, $6.15 to $6.65; pigs, $5.60 to $6.20; roughs, $5.50 to $5.75; stags, $4 to $4.75; dairies, $6.25 to $6.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, $5,000 head; active, sheep 25c, lambs and yearlings 40c higher; lambs, $5 to $7.75; yearlings, $6.25 to $6.75; wethers, $5 to $5.50; ewes, $4.50 to $5; sheep, mixed, $3.50 to $5.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Beeves—Receipts, 5188. Steers, opened slow, closed firm to a shade higher; bulls and cows, steady; Steers, $5.20 to $6.30; oxen, $3.75 to $4.20; bulls, $3 to $4.20; cows, $2 to $4.30.

Calves—Receipts, 3236. Veals, 25c to 50c lower; barnyard calves, easier; western, 50c lower. Veals, $6 to $10; culls, $5; barnyard calves, $2.50 to $4; western calves, $3.50 to $4.75.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 16,503. Sheep, steady; best lambs, firm to a fraction higher; all others, slow; medium grades, no more than steady; sheep, $3.40 to $3.75; culls, $2.50; lambs, $6 to $7.50; one car, $7.75; yearlings, $8.

Hogs—Receipts, 10,281; market, firm at $6.40 to $6.60; choice heavy weight, exceed quotations.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Jan. 25.—Cattle—Receipts, estimated at 17,000; market, 15c higher; steers, $4.60 to $7.15; cows, $3 to $5.50; heifers, $1 to $6.75; bulls, $3.40 to $4.90; calves, $3.50 to $9.50; stockers and feeders, $2.50 to $5.15.

Hogs—Receipts, estimated at 28,000; market, 10c to 15c higher; choice, heavy, shipping, $6.45 to $6.60; butchers', $6.40 to $6.55; light mixed, $6.20 to $6.40; choice light, $6.05 to $6.20; packing, $5 to $6.45; pigs, $4.75 to $5.50; bulk of sales, $6 to $6.40.

Sheep—Receipts, estimated at 14,000; market steady, at 10c higher; sheep, $4.25 to $5.50; lambs, $5.25 to $7.75; yearlings, $5 to $7.

Three Months In Central.

Guelph, Jan. 26.—Charles Randall Guthrie of Toronto was given three months in the Central upon being convicted by Judge Jamieson on a charge of temporarily depriving Ed. Palmer, a local liveryman, of his right of ownership of a $175 horse and buggy which he hired a week or so ago, saying he wanted to go to Hespeler. Guthrie turned up at Acton instead of Hespeler.

Broke Jail at Stratford.

Stratford, Jan. 26.—Charles Snazel pleaded guilty yesterday to destroying property, stealing a bolt from a police cell door and breaking jail.

Snazel was locked up in the City Hall on Sunday, on a charge of drunkenness and while the police were away to dinner the prisoner drew the bolts out of the door and escaped. He was recaptured yesterday after a long chase. He will be sentenced later.

Lineman Electrocuted.

Fort William, Jan. 26.—D. Fraser was electrocuted yesterday afternoon. He was a city lineman and came in contact with a live wire.

Judge Smith on the Job.

Windsor, Jan. 26.—Judge Smith arrived here yesterday from Woodstock, and was sworn in as junior judge, after which he was tendered a reception by the local Bar.

Three Miners Killed.

Cumberland, Md., Jan. 26.—Three men were killed and ten others injured, three perhaps fatally, in a coal mine accident at Piedmont, W.Va., yesterday. Two cars, loaded with miners, ascending the plane, when near the top became uncoupled and dashed down the incline, colliding with other cars.

Paid Not to Sing.

Although Mme. Nordica is one of the best prime donne in the world—it is said that her annual income amounts to nearly $75,000—it is interesting to note that her first fee was paid to her not for singing, but for consenting not to sing. Even as a little girl she used to love to try her voice at all times and in all places, and, much to the annoyance of her elder sisters, she would persist in joining in with them whenever they sang duets together. So, in order to silence the future diva, they resorted to bribery, and gave her some money on condition that she promised to keep quiet.

An Explanation.

"Why do fairy stories end, 'and they lived happily ever after?'"

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PEEPING TOM CAUGHT ON THE FIRE ESCAPE

Had Been Causing an Annoyance for a Week—Finally Landed.

New Yory, Jan. 26 — Manager Thomas Toby, of the Hotel Margaret, Columbia Heights, Brooklyn, and twenty-two indignant girls were complainants yesterday in the Adams street police court against Herman Summ, physical instructor in the Italian settlement, No. 29 Front street, Brooklyn.

For a week the inmates of the servants' dormitory in the hotel annex had been in a flutter of excitement. Stealthy footsteps on the lawn, unusual rustlings on the fire escape and the raising of windows proclaimed the presence of a man. Several of the girls were thrown into hysterics one night to see a male face gazing into their rooms. A trap was laid for the intruder.

Henry Watkins, the negro porter of the hotel, was appointed the Sherlock Holmes. Friday night he slipped into the grounds and reconnoitred. In a few minutes he saw the figure of a man silhouetted against a lighted window on the second floor. The man noiselessly raised the window, says Watkins, drew back the curtain and peeped into the girls' dormitory. So interested was he that he did not hear Watkins approach. Suddenly two strong hands grasped him from behind and he was thrown from the fire escape to the ground. He was turned over to Detective Germanhauser and Patrolman Ryan, of the Fulton street station.

Magistrate Dooley held Summ in $1,000 bail. He told the Magistrate that he was passing the hotel Margaret and saw the windows of the dormitory lighted. "On the impulse of the moment," he continued, "I climbed the fire escape and looked in. I did not open the window, as the complainants charge."

POST CARD COLUMN.

To the Editor of The Examiner:

Dear Sir,—(Would you let me correct "Civis" in his statement of the pillars at the Court House being built of concrete. There is not one shovelful of concrete in them. They are built of brick and plastered over with Portland cement. I know what I am talking about for the late Joseph Phillips of East City and I built them.

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SCOTCHMEN PAY TRIBUTE TO MEMORY OF BURNS, THE DEMIGOD OF THE NATION

Splendid Banquet at the Snowden House by the Local Camp Clan Alpine, S. O. S., Was Largely Attended—Scotch Music, Songs, Stories, Yes, and Haggis, the Dish Par Excellence.

DR. McKINNON PRESIDED

Scotchmen the world over honoured the memory of their immortal poet, Robert Burns, yesterday, on the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of his birth. In Peterborough the local Camp Clan Alpine joined in the universal expression by a banquet, which was held at the Snowden House, and was attended by a large number of Scotchmen, who, in no uncertain way manifested the spirit of reverence for Burns, which seems to be a bond that unites the nation into one grand clan. Every Scotchman is born to an intuition of the merits of his poems, which is as much as saying that whatever is strongest, deepest, broadest and finest in that remarkable concrete, the Scotch national character, finds its enthusiasm in his immortal verse.

To anyone who might have chanced in at the banquet during the after dinner speeches, if he were not a Scotchman, he would undoubtedly be at a loss to understand the reasons for the fact that one man, a humble ploughman, who gave to his country its best literary wealth, that the memory of this man could so unite the Scotchmen present and stir in them the deepest of love for their native land, its people and its customs, the birthplace of its ancestors.

Camp Clan Alpine's commemorative function was a delightful and a most successful event, and if it were only from the fact that it was out of respect for Burns that it was held, the enthusiasm and love evidenced will take on a new lease of life and the lamp that has been placed before the altar of Scotland's greatest poet by Scotchmen, and the whole literary world, will be kept glowing and bright by such gatherings and such evidences of national love.

The Banquet

The confidence that had been placed in Mine Host Fraser of the Snowden House, had not been misplaced for the sumptuous spread was all that could be desired, and would surely have inspired an eulogistic verse from Burns himself had he been with his fellow Scotchmen to enjoy it. The menu was as follows:

"Nearer as they came, a genial savour,
Of certain stews, sheep's heid and (trotters,"—Burns.

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Roast Turkey Jellied Tongue
Boiled Ham

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Potato Lobster

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Chocolate Cake Lemon Cake
Ice Cream Assorted Cake
Mixed Nuts Layer Raisins

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Orange Jelly Strawberry Jelly

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Oranges Bananas

Tea Coffee Milk

From the favourite Scotch haggis down the various courses everything was well prepared and served in a pleasing manner. The artistic menu cards were the work of the job department of the Examiner Printing Company, Limited.

The Toast List

The inner man having received the necessary attention the following toast list was honoured.

Chairman's address—Bro. Dr. McKinnon.

The King—proposed by Dr. McKinnon.

The Immortal Memory of Robert Burns—proposed by the chairman and responded to by Mr. Bennet.

The Grand Camp—proposed by the chairman and responded to by Bro. Mearns of Toronto and Bro. Tytler also of Toronto.

Clan Alpine Camp No 36 S. O. S.—proposed by Bro. Grieve and responded to by Bro. MacKay.

Sister Societies—proposed by the chairman and responded to by Mr. F. D. Kerr.

Canada and the Motherland—proposed by the chairman and responded to by Mayor Rush.

Prosperity of the City—proposed by the chairman and responded to by Bro. F. MacPherson.

The Ladies—Proposed by Bro. A. M Chalmers, and responded to by Bros. Linton and D B MacRae.

"Auld Lang Syne"

"God Save the King."

Addresses

Dr. McKinnon expressed thanks for the honour that had been conferred upon him in being asked to preside at the function. Continuing he referred to the good work of Mr. Grieve whose reorganization methods and new spirit instilled into the local camp had brought it to a flourishing condition.

Dr. McKinnon referred to the choice of the anniversary of Burns for the banquet and thought the choice had been a happy one. He also spoke of the devout patriotism of Scotchmen to their country, a loyalty which has ever lived and kept Scotch hearts together. The speaker dwelt in feeling terms on Burns the beloved poet of the Scotch race. He was the one who taught the poorer and humbler men that it were better to be an honest man than a duke. Burns spoke to the man of broad sympathies. He taught them that it was a crime to trample under foot the modest daisy nestling on the mountain side, or to destroy the modest home of the timid mouse.

A Splendid Speech

In reply to the toast of "The Immortal Memory of Robert Burns" Mr. Bennet said that a Scotchman is as sincere in his social and business life as he is in his patriotic life. Wherever there is a Scotchman to-night he will be found commemorating the memory of Robert Burns." Mr. Bennet said that the inspiration of a Scotchman's life was the memory of that poet. Speaking of Burns' faults, which his critics emphasized, these were what endeared him to Scottish hearts. It was only human to possess some fault. But continuing he stated that it was Burns who saved Scottish life, and in his poetry inspired the literature of the 19th century. Mr. Bennet spoke in splendid terms of the respect which Burns displayed for women in his poetry.

Mr. Bennet's magnificent address touched everybody present and his similes and references to the different phases of the character of Burns were received with enthusiastic applause. He concluded by saying that God had given the different nations distinguished men, but to none had there been given a brighter star, than Burns to Scotland. Mr. Bennet's splendid and stirring speech was received with prolonged applause.

Grand Camp Visitors

Bro. Mearns congratulated the local officers on their resuscitation of the local camp and bringing it in one year to such a flourishing condition. Speaking of the Order, he said it comprised camps forming net work from coast to coast and gave Scotchmen the advantage of meeting each other on equal footing, as man to man, the spirit that Burns had so much admired. In the camp rooms the things sought were to cultivate a love of Scotch music and literature. In conclusion he thanked the members of the local camp for their invitation to be present.

Bro. Tytler, Grand Secretary, of Toronto, spoke in behalf of the keeping alive of Scottish customs, Scottish manners, music, literature, etc. He also reviewed the history of the Sons of Scotland from its inception in 1850 down to the present time, and dwelt on its growth through the countries. He hoped to see every Scotchman a member and told of the democracy of the Grand Camp emphasizing the fact that its affairs were not in the hands of one man or a few men.

Bros. Grieve and MacKay in referring to the local camp spoke of the progress that had been made in the past year, and assured every Scotchman in the city a hearty welcome at the camp meetings and looked for many new members during the coming year.

The Programme

The following programme was given, interspersing the speeches:—

Song—Bro Davidson.
Song, "Rantin Robin"—Bro. MacKay.
Song—Mr. Ferguson.
Song—Bro. Weatherstone.
Song—Mr. W Mellroy.
Song—Bro. J Galbraith.
Recitation—Bro. MacAllister.
Song—Bro. Dr. Bone.
"Rantin Robin" by Bro. MacKay, as a stirring number, the chorus of which everybody knew.

Mr. Mellroy's "Loch Lomond" and "Annie Laurie" were sung tenderly and in splendid voice.

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JUDGE WELLER CHAIRMAN.

Total number of males arrested or summoned, 519.
Total number of females, 10.
Convictions, 357.
Discharged, 151.
Withdrawn, 5.
Committed for trial, 12.

The annual meeting of the Police Commissioners of the city was held yesterday afternoon when Judge Weller was re-elected chairman. The other members of the Board are Mayor Rush and Magistrate Dumble. One of the most important features was the presentation of Chief Roszel's annual report. It contains many interesting notes of the past year's record.

Chief's Report

To the Police Commissioners of the City of Peterborough:

Gentlemen,—I beg to submit my report of the work done by the Police Department during the year 1908.

Schedule "A" contains a list alphabetically arranged and classified of the principal offences which prisoners were charged with and showing how the cases were disposed of.

Schedule "B" shows the amount of fines and costs collected by the Department during the year and handed over to the City Treasurer.

Schedule "C" shows the amount of property reported lost or stolen during the year and what proportions were recovered.

Schedule "D" shows the amount of Licenses collected (with the assistance of the City Clerk) during the year, including dog tax.

Schedule "E" will show the work done by the Sanitary Inspectors during the year.

General Remarks

During the year one appointment was made to the force, viz., P. C. Magher. The general health and conduct of the Force during the year has been good. I am pleased to be able to report that the Police Force is working together in peace and harmony.

I am pleased to report that all second-hand and junk dealers have complied with the bylaw.

Hotel and Pool Rooms

Seventeen persons were before the Police Magistrate for breaches of the Liquor License Act during the year. Eleven of these were convicted. Pool rooms have been very well conducted during the year.

No illicit sale of liquor is done in the city, and the city is free from houses of ill-fame and gambling resorts so far as I am aware.

The Chief Constables' Association of Canada meets this year at Niagara Falls, Ontario, in July next, and I trust, gentlemen, you will make it convenient for me to attend, as I was elected President of the Association at our meeting last year in Quebec.

I would again bring to the notice of the Property Committee the totally inadequate size of the Police Office, there being only one small room in which to do the police business.

During the summer months several houses were left in our care during the temporary absence of the owners. I am pleased to report that none were disturbed.

I am sorry to have to report that during the latter part of the year several petty thefts have been committed from delivery rigs, the perpetrators of which we have not been able to capture.

We have had no serious crimes during the year.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

I have the honour to be, gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
((Signed.) GEO. I. ROSZEL,
Chief Constable.

Schedule A.

Showing number of prisoners arrested or summoned, and the offences with which they were charged.

Offences	Totals
Assaults	27
Assaulting Peace officer	2
Attempt Carnal knowledges	1
Attempt suicide	1
Breach Bicycle by-law	21
" Cow by-law	3
" Dog by-law	12
" Building by-law	2
" Market by-law	3
" other by-laws	37
" Liquor License Act	17
" Lord's Day Act	14
" Health Act	8
" Medical Act	3
" Tobacco Act	1
Causing disturbance	1
Carrying fire arms	1
Cruelty to animals	4
Damage to property	1
Disorderly conduct	27
Drunk and disorderly	54
Drunks	68
Escaped prisoner	1
False pretences	1
Forgery	1
Fraud	2
Frequenting house of ill fame	1
Gambling	22
Gambling house	2
Gross indecency	2
House breaking	13
Indecent assault	2
Injury to property	18
Inmate house ill fame	1
Important witness	1
Insane	3
Keeping house of ill fame	3
Nonpayment of wages	7
Nonsupport	3
Perjury	1
Pistol in possession	1
Picking pockets	8
Poisoning dog	1
Prostitution	1
Receiving stolen goods	3
Seduction	1
Theft	57
Threats	8
Trespass	9
Vagrants	46

Schedule B.

Shows the amount of money collected in the Police Court during the year 1908 and paid over to the City Treasurer, in fines and costs, $1169.42.

Schedule C.

Shows lost and stolen property reported during the year and also amount recovered and returned to the owners.

Value of goods lost or stolen	$1904 25
	1306.25
Not recovered	$597.00
Bicycles stolen	17
" recovered	11
" Not recovered	6

Schedule D.

Shows the amount of Licenses collected, including dog tax, (with the assistance of the City Clerk during the year.

Amount of Licenses ... $3167.50
Amount of Dog Tax ... 965.00

Schedule E.

Shows the work done during the year by the Sanitary Inspectors.

No. of yards examined ... 4789
No. of notices served ... 599
No. of yards found in good condition ... 5590

Besides numerous complaints that were looked after.

No. of houses placarded during the year for infectious diseases 49.

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22,000 Envelopes, per box (500), only ... 38c
per 1,000, only ... 75c
100 Papeteries, regular 25c. Stock-taking price .. 15c
70 Large Quarto Writing Tablets, ruled or plain, good quality of paper, regular 25c. Stock-taking price.. 15c
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PRIMARY TEACHERS MAY BE ORGANIZED

A Meeting on Friday Night Next at Y. M. C. A. to Consider Question of a Union.

The primary and junior teachers of the city Sunday Schools are requested to meet at the Y. M. C. A., Friday, at eight o'clock, to consider the organization of a union.

Mrs. Lewis, who has been appointed superintendent of primary work for the city, will be present to organize, if it is the wish of the teachers.

OYSTER SUPPER AT KNOX CHURCH TO-NIGHT

To-night the Ladies' Aid Society of Knox Church will give a concert which will be followed by an oyster supper. Part of the programme will be contributed by the following: The George street Orchestra; Mandolin Club; Cunningham Quartette; Dr. Park, violinist; Mr. Clark, banjo soloist, and others. A large attendance is expected as the ladies have left nothing undone to provide a pleasant evening.

Laces and Embroideries

We searched the market for the daintiest and most exquisite designs it had to offer and here they are awaiting your approval. How easy it will be to have a pretty waist or undergarment this season—if you select the Lace and Embroideries Trimmings here.

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New Spring Prints
31 pieces, 31 patterns, of new Spring Prints, full width, every piece stamped "warranted fast colours," dark and light ground with polka dot, floral and stripe patterns. See range displayed in window. Price per yard
8 1/2c

Wash Silk Blouses
62 only White and Cream Wash Silk Blouses, well made and prettily trimmed with lace insertion and tucks. This lot comprises a manufacturer's overmake and was bought very cheap. Sizes 32 to 40, regularly priced from 2.25 to 3.25. In the Annex on Wednesday,see window
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TWO O'CLOCK Undervests and Gowns TWO LOTS

No. 1.—12 dozen Women's and Misses' Elastic Ribbed Undervests, medium weight, regular 25c. In the Annex, each **15c**

No. 2.—8 dozen women's Flannelette Gowns, in pink and grey stripes, full sized, specially priced at 59c. In the Annex at two o'clock **35c**

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Wardenship Of County Comes To Reeve R. N. Scott Of Smith

County Council Opens the Initial Session of 1909 With Full Attendance—Standing Committees Being Selected.

THE UNANIMOUS CHOICE.

The first session of the County Council for 1909 met this afternoon composed of the following—

A. Brealt—Norwood,
A. J. Kidd—Lakefield
J. Knox—Havelock,
W. Comstock—Asphodel,
J. Russell—Belmont.
W. Tucker—Burleigh.
W. Hales—Chandos.
C. J Darling—Dummer
F. Moher—Douro.
M. Perdue—Ennismore.
C. Cobeu—Galway,
R. Shaw—Harvey.
J. Brown—N. Monaghan
J. H. Fife—Otonabee
W. B. Stewart—Otonabee
R. N. Scott—Smith
T. H. Graham—Smith

Warden Elected

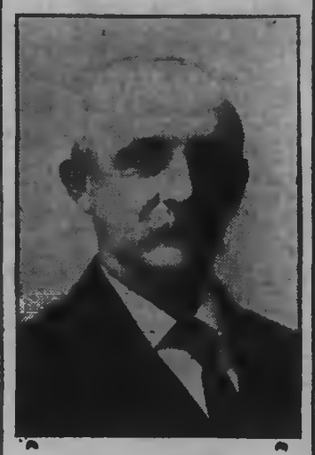
The first business was the election of warden. Mr. R. N. Scott was unanimously elected and succeeds Mr. Jas. Thompson, who held that position last year.

Mr. C. E. Puckennam was appointed High School trustee to replace Mr Robertson, on motion of Messrs. Breault and Knox.

On motion of Councillors Breault and Hales Mr. J. L. Squire was appointed auditor for the year 1909.

Mr. W. H. Casement was appointed the other auditor on motion of Councillors Shaw and Kidd.

Council adjourned until Wednesday morning, going into committee to strike the standing committees.



MR. R. N. SCOTT,
Reeve of Smith who was unanimously elected Warden of the County of Peterboro this afternoon.

BAKERY CART SLID INTO DEEP DITCH DRAGGING HORSE WITH IT

A deepened part of the ditch near the foot of Munroe Avenue, at Concession street, drew a baker's delivery horse and waggon into its depth, slightly damaging the former and spreading a number of the loaves around the bottom.

One of Stock's bakery rigs in turning swung around and could not regain the roadway. The driver, according to the account received, jumped from his seat when he saw the inevitable result. This is the third time that such an affair has occurred and the residents feel that the hole should be filled up at once.

WORK THAT WEAKENS

Booth's Kidney Pills Have Done Great Service For People Who Work In Peterborough

Many Peterborough people work every day in some strained unnatural position, bending constantly over a desk, riding on jolting waggons or cars, bending over heavy house work, lifting, reaching, pulling, all these strains tend to wear, weaken and injure the kidneys until they fall behind in their work of filtering the poisons from the blood. Booth's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys, put new strength in bad backs, Peterborough cures prove it

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IS BACK FROM SILVER DISTRICT

Mr. Webber Turner Has Returned From a Trip to Elk Lake.

Mr. Webber Turner returned last night from Elk Lake in the centre of the new silver field in Northern Ontario, after securing a large list of orders for tents, canoes, paddles, etc. He states that an astonishing number of prospectos, miners, etc., are passing through to Gowganda daily, feverishly eager to share in the riches that some of the earliest have unearthed.

Farmers even are among the throng, men who have never been in such a place before.

There have been instances of money quickly made that have been widely reported. Several young bankers "grub-staked" a prospector some months ago and in return a few weeks ago they received $10,000 for each ten dollars they had put in to keep the prospector in food. He's rich and paid well. Other stories just as wonderful are related as facts.

THE ACCOUNTS WERE PASSED

Finance Committee of the City Council Held Meeting Yesterday.

A meeting of the Finance Committee was held yesterday afternoon when they considered a number of accounts and prepared them for the council meeting.

All the members were present with Ald. Morrow in the chair.

A grant of $15 was made to the Sick Children's Hospital.

The demand of the Board of Education will be paid in monthly instalments as required.

One subscription was sent to the Municipal World.

No action was taken in regard to the application of Messrs. Smyth and Pappas for a reduction in the pool room licenses.

The Bell Telephone Co. was instructed to put a 'phone in the city clerk's residence.

ADDRESS SHOULD BE LARGELY ATTENDED

Mr. Bennett Will Give a Lecture and a Musical Programme Will be Rendered.

Mr. Bennet of the Canadian Cordage Co. will deliver an address at the concert to-morrow night in the T. A. S. Hall given under the auspices of the T. A. S. A. C. Those who have already heard him have been delighted with his humour and vivid powers of description and his feature on a trip through Europe should be heard by a large audience. A good musical programme will be provided.

NO GAME AT ALL HERE THIS WEEK

Just before going to press this afternoon it was learned that Cobourg would be unable to play here on Friday, and consequently there will be no game this week. Cobourg will be here on Monday of next week, and Lindsay on Wednesday, while the return game with Cobourg will be played on Friday night of next week.

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THE PHILOMATHEAN SOCIETY MEETING

Very Enjoyable Programme Was Given by the Pupils of the Collegiate Institute.

The regular meeting of the Collegiate Institute Philomathean Society was held yesterday evening in the Assembly Hall. It was perhaps the best of those that have been held since September, and the most largely attended.

The meeting opened as usual by the reading of the minutes of the last meeting which was followed by a chorus by the Glee Club. The next number was a spelling match in which two pupils from each form took part. The last to go down on the losing side was Miss Dorothy Fessenden, and the survivor on the winning one, Miss E Derocher.

A prettily rendered piano solo by Miss Hazel Moffat preceded the first scene of a dialogue entitled "Uncle Zed." Those taking part in this humorous sketch were Misses M Armstrong, M Potter and J Neill, and Messrs. Cyril Moore, M Pearson, H Armstrong and Harry Hall. They all played their parts most creditably, Mr. Moore particularly pleasing the audience as an arystocratic foreigner.

Between the first and second scenes of the dialogue Messrs. J H Adams and John Brightman played a mandolin duet, with piano accompaniment by Miss K Leary. This number was heartily applauded and the players were forced to respond with an encore. After the second scene of the dialogue Miss Alice Neil rendered a piano solo which seemed to be highly appreciated by the audience. The meeting then closed in the usual manner.

ADDRESSED BY DR. J. A. MORGAN

Literary Meeting Held at the Baptist Church Last Night.

A literary meeting was held at the Baptist church on Monday night, Dr. J A Morgan delivered the address on "The Body the Temple of the Holy Ghost, and the care we should give it." The address was a very fine one and was listened to with great delight by the large attendance present. Miss Kidd sang a solo which was beautifully rendered and then a short discussion of the paper by the audience was indulged in.

ENJOYABLE DANCE HELD AT LAKEFIELD

Party of Local Young People Drove Out There Last Night.

Two bus loads of merry young Peterborough people drove to Lakefield last night and held a most enjoyable dance. The village hall had been secured for the occasion and it proved an ideal place for a dance. The floor was in good condition and excellent music was provided by Mr. Nicholls of the Crystal. A number of Lakefield young people had been invited and their presence was not the least delightful feature of the evening. The light fantastic was trippedd until an early hour and it was four o'clock before the party reached home.

MUSIC AND DRAMA

THE MAN OF MYSTRY

Corelli recognized as the worlds greatest magician will be the attraction at the Grand Opera House on Saturday, Jan. 30th for one night and matinee. It was left to him to astound the old world during his 3 years tour and even in India where magic sprang from the Hindoo fakirs stood aghast at the quiet young man's performances. During the season's tour, he will offer a banquet of novel mysteries giving a programme of fascinating refinement, educational to the highest degree. Some of the mysteries he performs are Corelli's inexhaustible coin tables, The daughter of Isis, She, the double cabinet mystery, the levitation of Princess Ada and the Triple Canon mystery. You can see a drama opera or farce comedy any day—but the great Corelli perhaps once in a life time.

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MANY NEW BILLS WERE INTRODUCED

Work of Legislation Gets Away in Good Style.

REPORT ON COTTON MILLS

Result of W. L. Mackenzie King's Investigation Into Quebec Troubles, is Announced — Seven Bills Are Brought In and Given First Reading — Dr. Reid Is Again First With Proposed Measure.

Ottawa, Jan. 26.—If the pace set at the opening of yesterday's sitting of the House of Commons can be maintained, then assuredly the session will be a short one. Of a list of nine bills standing on the order paper no fewer than seven were introduced and read a first time. It is true that several of the measures were old friends, but the fact that their sponsors were ready to move them at the first opportunity was a sign of activity that carried its own commentary. The honor of introducing the first bill of the session fell to Dr. Reid, who is again in charge of the passenger ticket measure.

Mr. Bickerdike (Montreal) introduced a bill to amend the Railway Act. Public opinion demanded some measure to protect the public at level crossings.

Mr. Lancaster: "How does your bill differ from mine?"

Mr. Bickerdike said it was milder and applied chiefly to towns and villages, but gave the committe power to protect crossings anywhere.

Mr. Bickerdike also scooped E. N. Lewis by introducing a bill making it unlawful to carry deadly weapons.

Hon. Charles Murphy introduced a bill to amend the naturalization bill. It follows the British system as to the form of declaration.

Mr. Lancaster also submitted his level crossing bill, the same as he had carried through the House the last three sessions. He hoped the Senate would repent and allow it to go through.

Hon. Mr. Oliver introduced a bill to correct verbal errors in his land act of last year.

Dr. Reid introduced a bill providing for two cents a mile fare, mileage tickets to be accepted by conductors without the requirement of exchanging at the depot and also for interchange of tickets by different railways.

R. L. Borden announced his election to sit for Halifax and resigned his seat for Carleton.

Ralph Smith, resuming the debate on the address, declared that the return of so many Conservatives from British Columbia was due to the fact that the issues of "better terms" and Asiatic immigration had not been presented fairly to the people of that province by the Conservatives. What Sir Wilfrid Laurier had asked the province to accept was what had been desired by the Premiers of the several provinces of the Dominion. In the campaign, however, the "better terms" settlement had been made by Sir Wilfrid personally, and so the grievance was saddled upon the Liberal party at Ottawa. So with the Asiatic question: it had been made a political football and the Conservatives had played the game well.

Two methods were open to settle the oriental question—employ white labor and pass reasonable legislation. He questioned if every one of the five British Columbia Conservatives could say they did not employ oriental labor.

"Don't all speak at once," he said, after a pause.

Martin Burrell said in his campaign he differentiated between Japanese and Hindus.

"The Government does and the Prime Minister does," called several Conservatives at once.

"Then," returned Mr. Smith, "I do not agree with the Government."

Still Coming In.

Mr. Goodeve (Kootenay), heralded as the greatest of all the British Columbia delegation in the way of oratorical display, followed. He gave a dispassionate resume of the oriental difficulty, proposing, he said, to appeal to the House in no mere party spirit. There was no disloyalty in the attitude of the people of British Columbia on this question, but he pointed out that notwithstanding the written agreement that Hon. Mr. Fisher alleged he had received with Japan, that the immigration from Japan would be limited to 600, no less than 8,125 Japanese had invaded British Columbia in the months of 1907.

If, as Mr. Smith said, the people of British Columbia were swayed by a bogus telegram, it showed that they were very much in earnest.

J. D. Taylor (New Westminster) and F. N. Lewis also spoke. The address was passed at 8.45 p.m.

On motion of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, G. H. McIntyre was appointed Deputy Speaker.

The estimates will be down this week, Mr. Paterson told Mr. Borden.

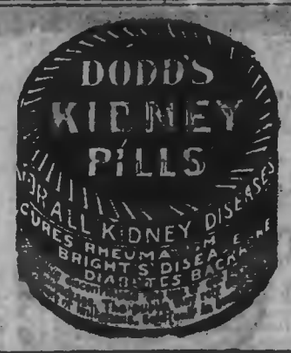
Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux tabled yesterday the report of W. L. Mackenzie King, who was commissioned to enquire into the series of disputes which affected some 6,000 operators of cotton mills in the Province of Quebec during the summer of 1908. The main conclusions of the report are:

The ten per cent. reduction in wages, which occasioned the strike and lockout in May, was not due to any peculiar severity on the part of the Canadian employers or to tariff, or other special conditions, but was an economic consequence of general trade and financial depression which Canada shared in common with the United States and Great Britain, and which affected the cotton industry in all parts of the world.

The strike in the Quebec mills was unwise and ill-timed and would not have taken place had the constitution of the labor organization been strictly followed. The companies were aggravatingly curt in their notice of the proposed reduction, and the employes' interests suffered through jealousies among their leaders.

The hours of labor of women and children in the cotton mills are too long. The law respecting the employment of child labor has been evaded, and should be amended to provide against possible infractions in the future.

"At most, all that can be said of the lowering of the tariff, so far as the actual experience of the cotton mills of Quebec is concerned, is that during this period of temporary depression it has caused the effects of competition to be felt [illegible] than it otherwise would have been, whereas at other times, it has not been such as to cause those engaged in the industry to feel the effects of foreign competition, and has been an undoubted benefit to the consumer."



TO SUCCEED MORSE.

Vice-Presidency of G.T.P. Goes to Chamberlain.

Montreal, Jan. 26.—E. J. Chamberlain, formerly general manager of the Canada Atlantic, has been appointed vice-president and general manager of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway Co., succeeding F. W. Morse, resigned.

The announcement is not looked upon here as anything like a permanent nomination, but simply one that will tide over the company in its very important negotiation with the Government during the session which has just begun. Those who are behind the scenes look wise and declare that the legislation asked by the Government this session will be most important.

A leading railway man stated yesterday afternoon that the G.T.P. will more than likely ask to be relieved of the 1,800 miles of the G.T.P. between Moncton and Winnipeg. Nothing short, he says, will save the G.T.P. from failure, and the old Grand Trunk from bankruptcy.

It transpires that the new vice-president was in California and was sent for by wire, so this looks as if the Morse resignation had been accepted for some time past.

Retires to Enjoy Money.

Chicago, Jan. 26.—Sidney C. Love of New York and Chicago, having amassed during a brief but brilliant career fortunes said to be close to two million dollars, and having married a Chicago society girl, pronounced by Sir Philip Burne-Jones, the artist, to be the most beautiful woman in the world, quietly retired from business yesterday. Mr. Love had contemplated the move for some months, but so quietly were the details worked out yesterday that the announcement that Sidney C. Love & Co. had abandoned a business formerly rated at $25,000,000 a year, startled the local financial district.

Mr. Love is 36 years of age. He began his business career as a clerk 15 years ago.

Bad Move For Anarchists.

London, Jan. 26.—The two men who on Saturday killed two persons and wounded many others in an attempt at highway robbery at Walhamstow, and later committed suicide were undoubtedly dangerous anarchists.

The London morning papers, in strong terms, urge the Government to take vigorous measures to protect the country against such desperadoes.

Heretofore anarchists have been very quiet in England, because of the immunity they enjoy from molestation by the police.

Japan Is Not Warlike.

Tokio, Jan. 26.—Marquis Katsuram, the Premier; Count Jaturo Komura, the Minister of Foreign Affairs, and Viscount Terauchi, the Minister of War, declared in the Diet yesterday that Japan's relations with the powers of the world were so improved that the proposed reduction in armaments and the like were fully warranted.

Usury Charge at Chatham.

Chatham, Jan. 26.—John W. White, local money lender, charged with usury, came up for preliminary hearing before Judge Houston yesterday. He pleaded not guilty, and elected to be tried by jury.

THE PASSENGERS HAD A RIOT

Italian on Board Steamer Florida Fought in Their Panic.

CAPTAIN STRUCK WHEELMAN

Quartermaster of Florida Said to Have Disobeyed Orders and to Have Been Felled With Spike by His Skipper—Passengers on the Republic Tell Thrilling Tales of Their Escape From Angry Sea.

New York, Jan. 26.—Within considerably less than 72 hours after the crash between the ocean liners Republic and Florida, off the Nantucket shoals, which eventually sent the one to the bottom and reduced the other to an almost helpless state, the survivors of the thrilling accident have found a haven at last.

At nightfall last night 1,650 passengers from the two vessels were safe in this port, brought here by the Baltic. Frenzied cheers from the thousands at the pier when she docked greeted her arrival. Tears of thankfulness were shed, affectionate greetings were exchanged and only here and there was there a note of sadness heard.

On the Republic's side little was to be learned. Her passengers told graphic tales of the crash, of the excitement on board, of the bravery of the officers, the good behavior of the crew and the efficient work of rescue.

Little could be learned from Capt. Rospini of the Florida last night, but according to others who had been on board the Florida and were brought into port by the Baltic, something went wrong with the Florida's steering wheel when the collision was imminent.

One story had it that a quartermaster had the wheel when the commander yelled for it to be jammed to starboard. He put it to port instead and the liners crashed into each other.

Another story is that the man dropper his wheel in a panic when danger impended. Both versions agree in saying that the commander felled the quartermaster with an iron spike following what he must have considered the seaman's recreancy.

Stories told by the Republic's passengers show that the transfer of passengers from the Florida to the Baltic in the dark hours of Saturday night come perilously near resulting in a riot of the 500 Italian steerage passengers on the Florida, who believed that their vessel was in imminent danger of sinking.

They pressed about the entrance of the gangway, which was guarded by Chief Steward Stanyer, and three of the other ship's officers. The Italians made several rushes for the gangway, but were repulsed by the officers and one or two passengers of the Republic, who used their fists and a few convenient spikes.

After the Gresham came up with the sinking Republic, Sunday forenoon, preparations were made to tow the steamer to the nearest land for beaching, as Capt. Sealby thought that she could be saved. But the steamer's bulkheads were unable to stand the pressure, and at 7 o'clock Sunday night Capt. Sealby ordered every man off the ship. He himself refused to leave and the second officer remained by his commander's side. An hour later two shots were heard from the bridge of the Republic, two blue lights were burned and the bow of the doomed steamer shot up in the air and the great liner sank, stern first. Just before she went down, Capt. Sealby climbed the mast, while his second officer jumped the rail. They were rescued by one of the Gresham's lifeboats.

The bodies of Mrs. Lynch and Mr. Mooney were placed in hermetically-sealed caskets, which sank with the steamer Republic off Nantucket.

Oddfellows Sue Railway.

Windsor, Jan. 26.—John Gillespie, a prominent Detroit fraternity and business man, is suing the Michigan Central Railway for $35 in claims assigned to him by thirty-eight Oddfellows, who were included in a canton from Detroit at a celebration in St. Thomas last August.

Plaintiff claims that the Oddfellows were promised the same rate from Detroit as from Windsor, but when returning extra fare was demanded. Each man asked for a receipt, and while these were being made out the train left. Now damages are asked for those who were compelled to go to further expense.

A Lynching In Sight.

Guthrie, Okla., Jan. 26.—Great excitement prevails over an attack upon Mrs. J. R. Faulkner, wife of State Representative Faulkner, in her home in Hobart yesterday, and a posse has gone after J. F. Bowden, a white man in the employ of Faulkner, who is accused of the assault.

Goes to Hague Tribunal.

Washington, Jan. 26.—An agreement has been reached between Secretary Root and the British and Canadian and Newfoundland Governments, through their representatives here, on the Newfoundland fisheries question, to be submitted to The Hague court for arbitration.

Praise For Mr. Borden.

Montreal, Jan. 26.—L'Evenement, speaking for the French Conservative press congratulates the members of the left, who reinstated R. L. Borden as leader of the Conservative party. Generally speaking, declares L'Evenement, Mr. Borden's policy is a good one.

Reparation Wanted.

Ottawa, Jan. 26.—A. B. Crosby, M.P., will ask the Government to demand a big sum from Paraguay for the capture of the sealing schooner Agnes Donohue, in 1906, for alleged poaching. The crew, Canadians, were imprisoned.

Neck Broken.

Beachville, Ont., Jan. 26.—W. A. Brake of Leamington was instantly killed at the Standard White Lime Co. works. His neck was broken by some falling machinery.

New Dry Dock at Soo.

Sault Ste. Marie, Jan. 26.—O'Boyle Bros'. Construction Co. have the contract for erecting a dry dock here, which will accommodate the largest boats on the lakes.

The deal, it is supposed, is backed by Canadian capital. The Board of Trade will make a formal announcement at its meeting sometime this week.

Youth Sentenced to Death.

Bridgetown, N.Y., Jan. 26.—Walter Zeller, aged 18, convicted of murder for complicity in the killing of William Read, his grandfather, for the purpose of robbery, was yesterday sentenced to be electrocuted.

Herbert Grigg, aged 18, and Cline Wheeler, for complicity in the crime, were each sentenced to 30 years.

Glory For Boston.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 26.—With a grand song service, in which 2,000 choristers participated, the largest and most remarkable evangelistic campaign ever attempted in this city, was opened in Tremont Temple yesterday.

The revival is under the leadership of Rev. Dr. J. Wilbur Chapman of Albany, N.Y., assisted by Charles M. Alexander, the gospel singer, and more than 60 evangelists from every part of the country.

Firemen Drop Three Flats.

Rochester, N.Y., Jan. 26.—The largest industry of Canisteo, N.Y., the Canisteo Woodenware Co., was burned Sunday night. Six firemen at work on a bridge were dropped into the street from the third floor. One man had his ribs broken. Loss $60,000.

New "Maine" at Havana.

Havana, Jan. 26.—The U. S. battleships Maine and Mississippi arrived here yesterday for the Presidential inauguration ceremonies on Thursday.

Yesterday was the eleventh anniversary of the arrival at Havana of the old battleship Maine.

$200,000 For Italy.

Washington, Jan. 26.—The American Red Cross yesterday cabled $200,000 to Ambassador Griscom at Rome, half to the Italian Queen's Orphanage Fund, and the other half for the rehabilitation of professional men and other relief.

Carrie Nation Egged.

London, Jan. 26.—Mrs. Carrie Nation was pelted with eggs, one of them striking her in the face, while delivering a lecture in Canterbury Music Hall last night.

Mrs. Nation was obliged to quit the house under police protection.

Ten Miners Imprisoned.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 26.—Two Americans and eight foreigners are imprisoned in Merchants' Coal Co. mine at Boswell, Pa., where a gas explosion occurred about 8 o'clock last night. Three foreigners, badly injured, escaped.

Use the Lash More.

Ottawa, Jan. 26.—Robert Bickerdike, M.P., of Montreal, will introduce at this session an amendment to the Criminal Code, providing for the use of the lash in the cases of wife-beaters, purse-snatchers and highway robbers.

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RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

NO GAME WITH LINDSAY TO-NIGHT; MATCH IS POSTPONED TILL FRIDAY ON ACCOUNT OF THE SOFT ICE

The Peterborough fans, who have been eagerly looking forward to the battle, will regret to learn that there will be no game with Lindsay to-night. The weather conditions have been so unfavourable during the past few days that the local club called up Lindsay last evening and notified them that there would be no ice here, and on that account it would be necessary to postpone the game. Accordingly Friday night of this week was decided upon as the date for the game. Cobourg were scheduled to play here on that night, but a telephone message to the Cobourg Club re-arranged matters. Cobourg were found to be quite agreeable to transfer their game and it will be played here early next week, while Lindsay comes on Friday. The delay is disappointing, but it will serve to put the locals into better position, and it is reasonably certain that there will be hard ice on Friday. It will be better than attempting to play in the slush to-night. The team will have a number of practices this week and will be in the best of shape for Friday's big contest, which promises to be one of the hardest fought and most interesting games ever seen on the local rink. The greatest interest has been displayed in the game and all indications point to a record breaking crowd when the two teams get together on Friday night.

JUNIOR GAME WITH PORT HOPE TO BE PLAYED ON FRIDAY

It will be welcome news to the West Ends City League team that the junior game in Port Hope, scheduled for Thursday night, has been switched to Friday night. Four members of the West Ends team are playing with the Junior O. H. A. team and would be unavailable in the event of the junior team playing away from home that night. The management of the Peterborough Club realizing the position of the West Ends telephoned to Port Hope succeeded in getting the Lake Shore team to postpone the game until the night after, in order to relieve the West Ends.

TWO LIVELY BATTLES BILLED IN THE CITY LEAGUE SERIES

Two of the most interesting City League games of the season will be seen on Thursday night, when the T. A. S. will meet Lakefield and the Stratheonas will play the West Ends. Both should be hard fought contests. The T. A. S. promise to make things interesting for Leo. Quinn's bunch when the two get together, and Manager Deannard says that his team are going to turn the trick. Lakefield held the game and are not going to take any chances, as they will bring down their strongest line-up. It will be a hard battle and should prove highly interesting.

The West Ends will give the Strathconas a great run in the second game. Both teams are in the best of shape and the West Ends, who comprise four of the Junior O. H. A. team, will take a lot of beating. The Straths will be without the services of Charlie Ray, their crack rover, who is being kept out of Thursday's game by the Strath's management, in order that he may be in the best of shape for Friday's big game with Lindsay. It is likely that Len Dobson will play rover and the rest of the team will be the same as defeated the T. A. S. two weeks ago. The Straths are well into their third season without a defeat and they figure on getting through the season untrimmed. The West Ends may have something to say in the matter, however.

EXAMINER A'S STILL AT TOP OF GROUP THREE GAMES PLAYED LAST NIGHT

Three games were played in the Peterborough Bowling League at the P. B. C. Alleys, and as a result the Examiner A team, although they dropped one to the Belmonts, are still at the head of the dozen, as the Bankers also lost one to the B. A. C. The Lock Works succeeded in grabbing two from the Frontenacs while the Examiner A and Bankers also won two out of their three. Some excellent rolling was done, four individual scores of over 500 being put on. Wareham was top scorer of the day, with 576. Geo. Cairns of the Examiner A had 506, La Plante of the Lock Works, 503, and Graham Ferguson of the Bankers, an even 500. The bowling throughout was uniform, only one team of the six in action failing to reach 1,300 pins.

The scores follow:—

FRONTENACS—				
Lang	118	134	114—	366
Gutterson	171	156	160—	486
Barrett	123	138	170—	428
	412	427	444—	1283
LOCK WORKS—				
Westbrook	131	166	119—	416
Barrett	164	133	95—	392
LaPlante	167	148	188—	503
	462	447	402—	1311
BANKERS—				
Barber	127	112	155—	394
Ferguson	132	193	175—	500
Ford	144	152	180—	476
	403	457	510—	1370
B. A. C.				
McRae	162	157	146—	465
Collings	167	138	173—	478
Best	123	107	161—	391
	452	401	481—	1334
BELMONTS—				
Pollard	141	161	161—	463
Wesley	109	120	124—	353
Wareham	167	208	199—	576
	417	489	484—	1390
EXAMINER A—				
Lacheur	109	175	166—	450
Glover	165	145	126—	436
Cairns	184	176	145—	505
	458	496	437—	1391

FRED SIMPSON'S GRAND SHOWING WON THE RACE BY FOUR LAPS

New York, Jan. 25.—Fred Simpson, the Canadian Indian, beat Bob Edgar, a New York runner, four miles at the Newark race on Saturday night. He won by four laps. Simpson ran in grand style, but was only given 23.10 for the four miles. "It looked to me," says Lou Marsh, "as if Simpson was running at about 22 minutes to the four miles, and the time given was what excited my suspicion that the track was about half a lap too long for the mile."

Simpson is tickled to death with the way Tom Eck is handling him. Simpson is getting speed every day, and if he gets a chance will surprise some of the wise ones.

SHRUBB'S TIME FOR TWENTY MILES WAS BIG SURPRISE TO HIMSELF

New York, Jan. 25 — Alfred Shrubb wishes now that his ambition to ascertain whether he could run twenty miles somewhere up to record time had not vaulted quite so high.

It is well known, of course, that Shrubb has not held the reputation of being a great runner for distances of more than fifteen miles. Everything which he has placed to his credit has been within that distance, and the Indian, Longboat, who is matched to race against him, has been confident from the start that he would be able to finish ahead of the Englishman when the latter was called upon to run further than his usual "stunts."

It seems that Shrubb was not wholly certain himself as to his possibilities in the very long distance class, so he thought that he would try a little road running on the quiet to see what time he could make in a twenty mile run. On the strength of that experiment he felt that he would be able to guage his work against the Indian next Tuesday night.

He ran the twenty miles, a little more than twenty miles in fact, and when he pulled up he felt fresh, but after a few hours one foot became badly inflamed and a doctor was sent for in a hurry. When the doctor came he shook his head. Then Shrubb sent word to P. T. Powers, the head of the Marathon races and Mr. Powers immediately went to the training quarters of Shrubb with his own doctor.

Pat Shakes his Head

The latter looked over the foot of the famous English runner, and he, too, shook his head. Mr. Powers said that he did not intend to "be the goat" for any excuses that might be made in regard to the condition of either runner called up Madison Square Garden on the telephone and obtained opportunity to run the race on February 5.

There was nothing dangerous about the injury to Shrubb. It is simply a case of inflammation, but very painful. Shrubb attributes it to the fact that his shoe chafed his foot and that a longer distance than he ever had run before was too new an experience for the skin on his pedal extremities. It is also said, quietly, that Shrubb ran the distance in time which was a surprise party, not only to him, but to everybody else, and that he would have "rated" his speed better had he any idea of the pace at which he was travelling.

NO MATCH WITH SCUGOGS THIS WEEK

Cobourg Team May, However, be Here on Friday Night.

The hockey situation, as far as Peterborough is concerned, is in a whirl just now but is expected to be straightened out all right. In the first place the game with Lindsay scheduled for to-night, had to be postponed, owing to the fact there was little probability of ice. It was then decided to have Lindsay play here Friday night and the Scugog management agreed to the arrangement and it was thought, as stated in another column, that the matter was settled. However, a letter from Lindsay this afternoon conveyed the information that a game had been arranged with Belleville in Lindsay, and that therefore it would not be possible for the Lindsay team to play here on that date. The game will have to stand over until next week.

Cobourg had been scheduled to play here Friday night, but had consented to postponement when the favour was asked of them by the Peterborough Club. Now, however, that Lindsay is unable to come this week the Petes have asked Cobourg to come on Friday night and they will likely do so, although they were unable to give a definite answer at the time of going to press.

CURLING.

The ice at the curling rink is in good shape again, on account of the change in the weather last night, and the following schedule of games will be played to-night:

Connal vs. Dr. Greer.
W. G. Morrow vs. H. A. Morrow.
Brightman vs. W. Davidson.
Hicks vs. T. F. Matthews.
Medd vs. H. R. H. Kenner.
Thompson vs. R. Neill.
Clegg vs. Burnham.

The schedule games to be played to-morrow night, January 27th, are between the following skips and their teams:

W. Lang vs. D. Fraser.
Hay vs. J. H. Ferguson.
F. M. Dela Fosse vs. W. C. Read.
Giroux vs. Stevenson.
G. Ray vs. Dr. Eastwood.
Fitzgerald vs. A. Moore.
Talbot vs. Dr. McCullough.

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The games for the district cup in No. 5 district, which were to have been played here to-day, have been postponed until next Tuesday on account of the mild weather and no ice. Mr. T. F. Matthews, the official umpire, notified all the clubs to that effect.

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The whole affair should be an object lession to those who arrange the Tankard groups. Why should clubs from a distance like Lindsay and Peterborough who come, and Port Hope and Cobourg, who don't come, be grouped with Toronto clubs? If the Toronto clubs were put in one group and the eastern clubs in another it is a good guess that more of the latter would take part in the competition and postponements could be made without subjecting the clubs to more expense than they care to bear. — Lindsay Warder.

RUNNING.

In an interview with the Toronto News Tim O'Rourke, of the Irish-Canadians, says:—

Simpson and Dorando

"I'd like to see Fred Simpson, the Peterborough Indian, and Dorando hitched up for a Marathon to-morrow night, to take the place of the other big race. That would be a fine contest," he concluded.

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Lou Marsh at New York—I am not satisfied with the Indian, and believe that if Shrubb's toe recovers within a week and nothing else happens him that he will beat the Indian. Two weeks' additional training will do the Indian a world of good, but even at that I like Shrubb.

Tom Flanagan at New York—Shrubb will beat Longboat and will beat him handily when they meet, if Shrubb does not have another accident. I know the Indian and I know Shrubb, and Shrubb will conquer him as sure as you stand on two feet, always barring accidents. He has too much speed and condition.

HOCKEY

A meeting of the players of the Intermediate O. H. A. team is called for to-night at seven o'clock at the rink. In the event of a practice not being available the team will have a workout in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, as the men must keep in shape for the hard battles before them.

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A practice of the Stratheona City League team is called for to-night, and as the Straths have a City League game with the West Ends on Thursday night every man is expected to be out in uniform to-night.

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To-morrow night, between seven and eight o'clock, a practice game will be played between the Peterborough Intermediates and Juniors. The following teams are requested to be on hand:

Junior		Intermediates
	Goal	
Len Giroux		Derocher
	Point	
Wade		Glover
	Cover Point	
Dobson		Moore
	Forwards	
G. Rose		Ray
Short		Morgan
Hillier		Parnell
Pentland		Rose
Giroux		Dusty

MR. MOWAT GAVE TALK ON TENNYSON

Interesting Meeting of the Knox Church Society Last Night.

At a meeting of the Knox Church Young People's Society last night, the occasion being literary evening, a lecture on "Tennyson" was given by Mr. A. Mowat. It was requested of those present to imagine themselves, say, sixty years back in the Victorian era, when so many changes were taking place. Several headings were given, the first "Politics," in poetry was shown. True Statesmanship was another. Here, the poet, shows his true patriotism. Poems on monasticism, art and beauty, religion and love, with its conspicuous purity. Love songs were some of his works, showing how remarkable was love in the home life. The poet's conception of woman was next given. A few lines read by Mr. Mowat on this subject, were given to show that woman was not to step into the business and intellectual life and compete against men. The conception of nature, in beautiful language, was set forth by this well known poet.

"Tenny-on" was a steadying force to his generation, and to all mankind. Mr. Mowat concluded by saying that the poets were neglected. He could speak for hours on the poems of "Tennyson." A recitation was given by Miss Barr. Mr. Patton moved a vote of thanks to the lecturer of the evening, hoping he would soon pay the society another visit. Mr. Ken Denoon seconded the motion.

February 1st is devotional night, the subject being "Religious laws and how they are enforced."

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HE WILL GIVE A DEMONSTRATION

Mr. Badgley, of the Eastman Kodak Co., Toronto, is in town. He will give a demonstration on printing, developing out and the manner of obtaining sepia effects on Velox papers at the meeting of the Peterborough Camera Club, at its headquarters in the parlours of the Tate-Taylor Optical Co., at 8 p.m., to-night. If you are interested you will be welcome.

WILL GIVE AN ADDRESS AT Y.W.C.A.

Dr. Greer will lecture this evening in his regular course of "First Aid." This class is free to all members of the association. A full attendance of the class members is desired. Miss Nicholl's class for study in the different English subjects, also Arithmetic meets this evening at 7.30. This is a free class and all girls who would like to continue their school work will be made most welcome.

Any desiring to join Miss Ross' class in wood carving will kindly leave their names at the Y. W. C. A.

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For Indian River, Norwood, Havelock, Tweed	7.51 p m
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	12.51 a m
Going West	**Leave Peterborough**
For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	6.35 a m
For Burleton, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	7.55 a m
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points	4.30 p m

GRAND TRUNK.

	Arrive	Depar
Lindsay, Orillia, Midland, Penetanguishene, North Bay, Sturgeon Falls and Toronto	11.40 a.m. 8.30 p.m.	8.00 a.m. 11.55 a.m.
Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	8.30 a.m. 8.30 p.m.	8.00 a.m. 8.00 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, Lindsay, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo (Tuesday Montreal and East)	8.30 p.m.	11.55 a.m. 8.00 a.m.
Toronto, Lindsay, Sturgeon Falls, Uxbridge and Markham	11.40 a.m. 8.30 p.m. 10.40 p.m.	7.10 a.m. 8.00 p.m. 11.55 a.m.
Lindsay Local	8.30 a.m.	8.00 p.m.
Hastings Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	8.30 a.m. 8.30 p.m.	8.00 a.m. 1.00 p.m.
Lakefield and Stony Lake	10.10 a.m. 8.15 p.m.	8.00 a.m. 12.00 p.m.

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LATEST CITY NEWS.

The Private Secretary
—Don't forget the date of "The Private Secretary" is next Monday night, February 1st.

Jordan Bros., Florists
—Will remove on the 1st February to the store now occupied by Macgregor & Reid, 428 George street.

Probabilities
—Northwest and west winds, fine. Wednesday—Southwest winds, fair, with about the same temperature.

Rehearsal
—Rehearsal for "The Private Secretary" in the Catholic Foresters' Hall, Hunter street, at 7.30 tonight.

A Social Night
—The Brotherhood of the Charlotte Street Methodist church are arranging for a special social evening on Friday night next.

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Charity Concert
—Will the people of Peterborough kindly remember the concert in St. Andrew's Lecture Hall, Friday evening of this week, in aid of the poor of the city.

Important Meeting
—There will be an important meeting of the St. John's Church Sunday School teachers, which will be held in the Guild Room, at 8.30 o'clock to-night.

No. 8 Company
—All members of No. 8 Co., 57th Regiment, having side arms and belts in their possession must turn them in at once. Same may be left at Examiner office. By order, F. A. Clarke, Capt. O. C. Company.

Entertained Friends
—Mr. and Mrs. James Gray, of Otonabee entertained about one hundred guests on Friday evening last, on the eve of their departure for Peterborough, as they are retiring from farming. The light fantastic was tripped until five A. M. The guests included people from Dodo, Peterborough, Otonabee Keene, Harwood, Gore's Landing, Vion.

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Knights of Pythias
—Will make their meeting nights interesting by having songs, readings, stump speeches, instrumental music, etc. They have an Entertainment Committee in charge of this branch of the work and intend to have a good time during the winter months. The second of these entertainments will be held to-night at the close of their regular meeting and much interest is being shown by the boys in making these social gatherings a success.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Miss Annette Collins left last evening for Toronto on a month's vacation.

Owing to there being no ice the church game to-night has been postponed.

Miss Loretta Kelly, of Norwood, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Jas. Lynch, 340 Charlotte street.

Miss Alberta Gooding who has been visiting in London and Toronto, returned to Peterborough on Monday evening.

Mr. Darcy Dunlop has retired from farming and moved to the Toll Gate School where he intends to start a butcher shop.

Mr. Edward Parker, a former employee of the Matthews pork packing establishment, has returned to the city after being away for some time, and is staying at Mr. Noble's temperance house.

Miss Amy T. Doty, of London, who trained the children of the George Street SSunday School last year for the anniversary entertainment, came to the city last night to train the Sunday School children for a concert to be held on Monday, February 8th.

OBITUARY.

The sad death of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meeks occurred this morning at the residence of the parents, 473 Elm street.

The funeral was held this afternoon to Little Lake Cemetery for interment.

WEDDING BELLS

CONWAY—FRAILEY

Yesterday morning at ten o'clock at St. Martin's Church, Ennismore, the marriage took place of William Conway, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Conway, Ennismore, and Matilda Frailey, adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen O'Reilly. The Rev. Father Fitzpatrick, rector of the church, performed the ceremony in the presence of a very large congregation. Miss Conway, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid, and Mr. Patrick Killen performed the duties of best man. After the ceremony had been performed dinner was served to about sixty guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O'Reilly, and the happy couple left last night on the 5.35 C. P. R. train for Toronto, where they will spend a few days, returning on Thursday to take up their abode on the homestead at Ennismore.

CUPOLI—GIORDINO

The marriage was solemnized in St. Peter's Cathedral this morning between Leonardina Cupoli, sister of John Cupoli, 529 Elm street, and who has been out here about four years from Castelluccio Valmaggiore, in the province of Foggia, and Cormine Giordino, who is a son of Mauro Giordino, of 508 Parnell street, who has also been out here about four years, coming from Roccos Giovanni, in the province of Chieti. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father McColl, and the happy couple will reside in the future, as is the custom of the old country, with the groom's father.

Many costly presents were given to them, and they were attended by Nicholas Fibbo and his wife, with whom they were very close friends. Breakfast was served to about fifty guests after the ceremony at the home of the groom's father, 508 Parnell street.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(Furnished by J. N. Barber.)

New York, Jan. 26.—Opening prices were only fractionally changed today, although London sent lower prices, especially for the copper stocks and C.P.R. During the first half hour C. & O. and the Wabash issues were marked up very easily with the general list responding only sluggishly. Then liquidation broke out in Con. Gas which carried that issue down nearly 10 points very swiftly and caused the market to fall off all around. There was very little pressure in other directions, however, and when the break in Gas had spent itself dullness again became the feature, to be followed by another small rally.

C.P.R. developed weakness again today on light transactions the selling apparently being due to the disappointment over the new issue of stock, which it is feared will be made at 125 or 1150 instead of 100 as heretofore, thus lessening the value of the "rights." Another decline in the price of the metal in London made the copper stocks soft here. Americans were quiet in London and there was little doing here by foreign houses.

There was nothing new in the day's news and the strength in some of the minor rails, like C. & O. and the Wabashes, looked like pool manipulation, helped by cheap money.

The market rallied easily in the last half hour and most of the early losses were regained, exception strength being shown in O. & W. The closing was quiet.

	Opening	Closing
A.C.P	78⅞	78⅞
Atch	99½	100½
B.R.T.	69⅞	70⅛
C.P.R.	173	173½
C.F.I.	41½	41½
Erie	30½	30⅝
Great Northern	143⅜	143⅜
L.N.	133½	132
Mo. Pac.	70⅛	70⅜
Northern Pacific	140½	140½
N.Y.C.	130½	130⅜
Penna	128½	128⅜
R.I.	24½	24½
Rdg.	137½	137
Smelters	85	86
Soo	145	144½
St. Paul	150½	150
S.P.	120½	120⅜
U.P.	179½	178⅜
U.S.	54	54
U.S. p'f'd.	114	114½
Twin City	—	99⅜
Nipissing	—	10½
May Wheat	107⅞	106⅛
" Corn	63½	62½
May Oats	51½	51½
" Pork	17.07	16.97

THE SOUTHLAND SEXTETTE.

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CELEBRATED SEVEN YEARS OF MARRIED LIFE

A very pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. Hamilton Hutchinson in Asphodel on Friday last. When Mr. Hutchinson celebrated his seven years of happy married life. The night was a very disagreeable one but in spite of the heavy rain a jolly load drove in from Villiers to the number of 24 and followed by a load from Dummer numbering 27. The music was provided by Mr. W. Dalton and Mr. John Ross, of Dummer, accompanied by Miss Addie Dalton on the piano. A very pretty present was given to Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson at the close and Mrs. Hutchinson gave a very interesting speech, thanking the people very kindly for their token of esteem.

Among the guests were Mr and Mrs John Burk from Lindsay. Mr J. Burk and Mr. A. Quinlan amused the people with dancing. Mr. E. Bell of Dummer, accompanied by his sister Eva on the piano, sang "Are you coming out to-night Mary Ann" The night was spent in a very pleasant way and about nine o'clock the crowd started for home, wishing Mr and Mrs Hutchinson every success in their future years of wedded life.

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CHURCH SERVICES

St. John's

The following meetings will be held in connection with St. John's church this week:

Tuesday—7.30, Rev. Canon Davidson's confirmation class; 8.30, Sunday school teachers' meeting.

Wednesday—3.30 to 4.30, Women's devotional hour; 8.30, Brotherhood at St. Andrew's 8, Evening service.

Thursday — 8 o'clock, choir practice.

Friday—4.15, Mission Band.

Saturday—9 a.m., boys' choir practice.

Knox Church

Tuesday evening, Ladies' Aid Concert and Oyster Supper. Refreshments received at the church in the afternoon. An excellent programme will be rendered and a large audience is expected.

Wednesday, 8 p. m., mid week service; subject, "The Present Revival in China. Teacher Training Class at 9 p. m.

Thursday afternoon, 3 p. m., Women's Home and Foreign Mission Auxiliary annual meeting. Election of officers and address by Mrs. Reger. 8 p. m., choir practice.

Friday evening, 7.30, Boys' Club.

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The Former a Lawyer Helps Part Couples His Father Has Married.

Poughkeepsie, N.Y., Jan. 27 — Joseph Cecil Thompson was the plaintiff in a divorce action from White Plains, which was tried before Supreme Court Justice Morschauser. The defendant, Lavinia L. M. Thompson, it was proved, had been indiscreet at the Briar Cliff Inn, in Westchester County. The Court awarded the plaintiff an interlocutory decree.

In the course of Mr. Thompson's testimony he made the statement that he was married by the Rev. Dr. Van Kleeck, rector of the Episcopal Church at White Plains, Oct. 7, 1908.

The Court remarked to Frank Van Kleeck, the lawyer for the plaintiff, "Is he (the clergyman) a relative of yours?"

Lawyer Van Kleeck replied: "He is my father. He ties the knots, Judge, and I untie them. This is the second one of his jobs that I have undone."

The Judge smiled as he remarked, "I see, it's all in the family."

KISSES HER CHILDREN AND JUMPS FROM ROOF

In a Note to Her Husband Angry Woman Tells Him to Get Another to Suit Him.

New York, Jan. 26 — After kissing her three children half a dozen times and telling them to be good until she returned, Miss Rosie Reismeyer went to the roof of the tenement house at No. 428 East Eighty-second street yesterday morning and committed suicide by jumping from the roof. The woman died instantly, every bone in her body being broken by the jump of five stories.

Although her husband Joseph denied to the police of the East Eighty-eighth street station that he had quarrelled with her before he left home, a note, written by her in Hungarian, was found in the rooms, and in part read:

"You will never have a chance to quarrel with me again. As long as I don't suit you I'm going to get out of the way so you can get another woman. I am tired of living."

In the rooms the police found the three children. They told of how their mother had left them and had told them to be "good" until she returned.

HER SINGING WAS APPRECIATED

Many Expressions of Praise for Miss Jean Robson of Norwood.

"The social event of the season at Burnbrae was the social given under the auspices of St. Andrew's Guild, last Wednesday evening, in the auditorium of the church.

The main feature of the evening was the singing of Miss Jean A. Robson, of Norwood, formerly choir leader and soloist of Knox Church, Peterborough, who delighted the audience with her selections and called forth much applause, which required a second number in each instance.

Miss Robson is possessed of a sweet, clear voice and her enunciation is particularly good. Her rendering of "The Swallows," by Cowen, was delightful, and the ease with which she sustained her high notes was excellent. "Sunshine and Rain," "Jerusalem," and "Mary of Argyle," were great favourites. "My Ain Countree" was very much appreciated, as was natural in an audience so loyally Scotch. Miss Robson may be sure of a warm welcome back to Burnbrae.—Campbellford Herald.

Miss Robson is a pupil of Miss Helen Davies, A.T.C.M., of Peterborough.

LINDSAY CONTRACT IS AWARDED

Mr. J. Ritchie Will Build the New Lock, Dam and Bridge There.

The contract for the building of a dam, bridge and lock at Lindsay, upon which several Peterborough contractors tendered, has been let to Mr J. Ritchie, a Western Ontario contractor. It is understood that the amount of the contract is between $40,000 and $50,000. Work will be commenced upon the contract as soon as the weather conditions will permit, as it is desired to prevent any more impediment to navigation than may be necessary under the circumstances. The new lock will be built at Lindsay street on the same location as the present old wooden structure, while the new bridge is to be constructed at Wellington street.

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Black Listed Men Pay $30 For A Spree Yesterday

Two drunken men in the George street Methodist church sheds yesterday afternoon frightened the children who saw them there and refused to leave when ordered away. Constables Adams and McGinty, however removed them to the police station where it was not long before they were in slumberland. In the face of strong evidence one of them swore that he had not been intoxicated and did not have any liquor. Both these men were on the Indian list and the story of where they got their liquor was almost entirely discredited by court. The second gave evidence of a strong imagination. He stated that when he found his friend in the shed the latter told him there was a bottle of whiskey behind a board in the corner. He inferred that his friend had found the bottle, drank some and put it back in order that he would have a chance to see the welcome position in which it had been (quietly resting behind an old board with just enough peering around the corner to be seen—a welcome quart bottle of red eye.) The story was of the flimsiest and the men were told so, but they would not acknowledge anything else. One of them was fined $20.00 or a month in gaol and the other's fine was $10.00 or the same enforced boarding term.

Steamer Empress In Repairs For Summer Season Of 1909

Word has been received from Young's Point to the effect that the Steamer Empress is being refitted for the season of 1909. It is being replanked and other improvements are being made. When the vessel is painted in the spring it will take the water almost a new boat and should give its owners and the tourist public every satisfaction. A large harvest of ice is being cut for use in the various summer resorts and for the boats. Other changes are being arranged for which will be noticed when the tipd weather arrives.

AVERAGE COST OF EACH PERSON IN THE HOUSE OF REFUGE HAS BEEN FOUND TO BE $1.43 A WEEK

Report of Board of Management Presented at Meeting of County Council This Morning—Money Obtained From the Products of Farm.

NUMBER OF INMATES.

The report of the Board of Management of the House of Refuge was presented this morning and was of a very satisfactory nature. An inventory of the chattels showed there was only about two dollars of difference.

There have been 41 inmates committed since inception. All seem to be in good health, barring two old men and one old lady, the latter at times being a subject more fit for an asylum than a home. The plumbing has not been giving satisfaction and the chairman was authorized to see that it was remedied at once.

The farm work was done at a nominal cost and the earning power of the farm is shown by the accompanying list. Fifty apple trees were planted in 1908 with 200 smaller fruit trees and all are doing well. The Board recommends the planting of ornamental trees in front of the Home, thereby beautifying it.

The increase of inmates will necessitate the purchase of clothes in the near future.

At the beginning of the year there were 28 inmates in the Home; 10 male and 12 female. Fifteen have been admitted during the year, ten males and five females.

They were as follows, from Otonabee 2, Smith 2, Dummer 2, Ennismore 4, Harvey 3, North Monaghan 2.

Discharged during the year 6, died 3; a total of 9, leaving 34 at December 31, 1908.

Products of the Farm

600 bushels oats	$ 240 00
175 bushels peas	157 50
100 bushels barley	45 00
75 bushels buckwheat	45 00
20 tons hay	240 00
2,500 bushels roots	250 00
125 bags potatoes	93 75
17 bushels beans	17 00
10 bushels onions	10 00
5 bushels carrots	1 50
800 lbs. pork	64 00
29,044 lbs. milk	275 00
15 pigs 3 months old	45 00
32 turkeys	36 00
73 dozen eggs	14 00
5 calves	94 00
50 chickens	10 00
	$1,632 95

Recapitulations

Amount raised	$1,632 95
Amount used in 1908	445 13
Amount sold in 1908	302 79
On hand Dec. 31st	$ 885 03

Payments

General payments	$4,232 39
Construction account	2,354 70
	$6,587 09

Receipts

Cash	$ 838 13
Permanent improvements	851 85
Insurance	3 00
Maintenance account	2,539 41
Construction account	2,354 70
	$6,587 09
Average number of help and officials	3 3-4
Average number inmates	30 1-4
Total	34

34 inmates, 52 weeks each, 1,768 weeks.

Average cost of each person per week, therefore, $ 1.43.

This was taken from the report presented by the managers, Messrs. R. N. Scott, chairman; Jas. Thompson and W. J. Porter.

Serious Accident To Well Known Resident Of Warsaw

A serious accident happened to Mrs. Geo. Tucker, of Warsaw, on Tuesday afternoon. It appears that she was going to the pump for water, when she slipped on the ice and fell, fracturing her hip, it is believed. Mrs. Tucker is a very old lady and this fall was rather a shock to her. The swelling was so great that the doctor could not see what amount of injury had been inflicted.

COUNTY COUNCIL SELECTS COMMITTEES

The following report of the Committee of the Whole on the Standing Committees for the year for the County Council was adopted this morning:

The Committee appointed to strike the Standing Committees beg to report as follows:

That the following be the members of the committees hereinafter named:

County Property — Messrs. Stewart, Brault, Moher, Darling, Knox, Kidd, Perdue, Hales and Brown; Mr. Brown to be chairman.

Appointments — Messrs. Knox, Shaw, Darling, Coben, Tucker, Fife, Graham and Hales; Mr. Hales to be chairman.

Roads and Brfidges—All the members; Mr. Fife to be chairman.

Schools—Messrs. Perdue, Russell, Tucker, Darling, Shaw, Hales, Graham, Comstock, and Stewart; Mr. Stewart to be chairman.

Petitions — Messrs. Fife, Perdue, Tucker, Stewart, Coben, Kidd, Comstock and Pussell, Chairman.

Printing — Messrs. Fife, Coben, Shaw, Brault, Comstock, Brown, Knox, Graham and Moher to be chairman.

Finance—All the members; Mr. Brault to be chairman.

Equalization and Assessment — All the members; Mr. Kidd to be chairman.

Joint Committee — Messrs. Brown, Stewart Knox, Kidd, Brault, Moher, Russell and Darling to be chairman.

Legislative and Railway Committee —Messrs. Comstock, Brault, Hales and Knox to be chairman.

That the Whole Council be a Special Committee to meet the Council of the City of Peterborough, to discuss matters relating to the management of the parks and market of the city. Mr. Shaw to be chairman.

Respectfully submitted.

J. FIFE, chairman.

Some good seats yet for Hilda Spong in "A Man and His Mate". Do not miss it. Grand Opera House, tonight.

SATURDAY IS THE LAST DAY OF THE Semi-Ready Lonely Sale

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MID-WINTER BLOOM AT CHILDREN'S SHELTER

At the Children's Shelter the pansy, the violet and the daisy are in full bloom. These are the names of some of the inmates from the northern part of this country; and under the improving influences of the shelter they are as sweet as their names. On Tuesday, by the way, there was held the largest and most successful sewing "bee" in the history of the shelter. Ladies to the ill-amended number of thirteen were present, making, with the aid of two sewing machines, garments for the shelter children. The afternoon was devoted to work—the "conversational" element generally attributed to such gatherings, being conspicuous by its absence. Work was the order of the afternoon and the substantial results showed how closely this order was observed.

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BOUT WITH KAISER ON NEXT MONTH

Hurtubise Will Meet the Oswego Man Here in the Auditorium Roller Rink

The long looked for wrestling bout between Eugene Hurtubise, Peterborough's big wrestler and Charlie Kaiser of Oswego, N. Y., will be pulled off here in the Auditorium Roller Rink during the week commencing Feb. 5th, although the exact date has not yet been decided upon. The Oswego man under the conditions is to throw Gene twice in one hour. Local followers of the game figure out that he would have a somewhat troublesome task in flooring the local man twice. It should be a grand bout.

A SPLENDID SPEAKER.

Hear Mr. Bennett's Lecture this evening at St. Peter's T. A. S. Hall on "A Trip Through Europe" Musical Programme will be given. Begins at 8 o'clock sharp.

WEDDING BELLS

FALLIS—MITCHELL

Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. E. A. Pearson, pastor of the George street Methodist Church, performed at the parsonage, the ceremony that united in marriage Mr. Hiram Fallis, of Otvan township, and Miss Mary Ann Mitchell, of the same place. The bridal party were unattended. They will reside on a farm in Otvan township.

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HUMANE SOCIETIES.

The most timely, and important invitation the Examiner has had to invite the co-operation of our citizens, is that looking to the formation of a Federation of Canadian Humane Societies. The invitation comes from the president and officers of the Toronto Humane Society, which is taking the lead in the matter. The first step, so far as Peterborough is concerned, is the formation of a local society, whose non-existence is a reproach, not to the humanity of our citizens, but it is a sharp commentary upon their indifference to what only can give effect to the noblest impulses, organization. That there is need here for such a Society we have abundant evidences. The ill-treatment of, say, horses, not only by specific abuse, but by the slower torture of over-working, under-feeding, ill-fitting harness, inadequate protection, etc., is of daily occurrence. The other day a dray team was drawn up alongside, and parallell with, the pavement on Charlotte street; the heads of the horses were close to a telephone pole. The inner horse of the team was rubbing his neck against the pole. The driver of the team came out of the office of his employer and seeing the action of the horse, without a word, dealt, with his heavy boots, several vicious and forcible kicks in the flank of the animal. He could do this with cruel effect, for at this point the pavement is elevated and the barrel of the horse was in the most favourable position to receive the full injury of the brutality committed by the other brute, the driver. This is only given as example of things of a similar kind occurring daily in all parts of the city. There is no machinery for bringing the miscreants who perpetuate these cruelties, to account. True, we have the law, but who is to put its machinery into motion? There is not one chance in a thundred that a policeman will see acts of cruelty committed, and there is no certainty that if he did see them, he would take official cognizance of them. The role of an informer does not appeal to the ordinary citizen, but a member or an official of a Humane Society would, in taking action, be regarded as simply doing the duty that is expected of him or her. There is certainly room as well as demand for a branch of the Humane Society in Peterborough. Will some public-spirited citizen take the initiative in its formation? If reasonably prompt action is taken the local branch could be represented at the meeting to form a federation which is to be held in Toronto in June, 1909. Mrs. Edward Leigh, 50 Albany avenue, Toronto, is the Honorary Organizing Secretary.

The quality of mercy is not strained; it droppeth as the gentle rain from heaven upon the earth beneath.

AGRICULTURE IN 1908.

An interesting report issued by the Dominion Department of Agriculture estimates the area under field crops in Canada last year to have been 27,505,663 acres, and the value of the harvest, computed at average local market prices, at $432,534,000. This of course, is exclusive of the value of animals and their products, dairy produce and fruit. The acreage and yield of field crops are thus given:

	Acres.	Bushels.
Fall wheat	770,400	8,798,000
Spring wheat	5,839,900	93,636,000
Oats	7,941,000	250,377,000
Barley	1,745,000	46,762,000
Rye	180,350	1,711,000
Peas	412,900	7,060,000
Buckwheat	291,300	7,153,000
Mixed grains	581,900	19,049,000
Flax	139,300	1,499,000
Beans	60,100	1,245,000
Corn for husking	366,200	22,872,000
Potatoes	503,600	73,790,000
Turnips, etc.	271,443	101,248,000
		Tons.
Hay and clover	8,210,300	11,150,000
Fodder corn	259,770	2,928,000
Sugar beets	10 800	109,000

Wheat holds only third place in the following table, giving the estimated value of the crops as gathered:

Hay and clover	$123,884,000
Oats	98,459,000
Wheat, fall and spring	91,226,000
Potatoes	34,819,000
Barley	21,253,000
Turnips and other roots	17,582,000
Corn for husking	11,837,000
Corn for fodder	11,782,000
Mixed grains	10,140,000
Peas	6,970,000
Buckwheat	4,215,000
Beans	1,988,000
Flax	1,457,000
Rye	1,262,000
Sugar beets	678,000

It is not a little surprising to find that roots far surpass in value per acre of crop even the most profitable of grains. Potatoes come first, with $69.14; turnips second, $64.58, and sugar beets third, $53,52. Beans and corn are well up in the list, the value per acre of the former being $33.08, and of the latter, for husking, $32.32, and for fodder, $45.35. Peas and buckwheat show $14.46 and $14.47 respectively, and hay $14.84 per acre. First among the cereals is fall wheat, with $21.10 per acre, spring wheat being credited with only $12.84. The value per acre of rye is placed at $12.57, of barley $12.23, and of oats $12.15.

Ontario leads the provinces in value of field crop yield, as will be seen from the appended table, in which British Columbia is not included:

Ontario	$185,308,000
Quebec	80,896,000
Manitoba	66,600,000
Saskatchewan	37,614,000
Nova Scotia	20,084,000
New Brunswick	18,012,000
Alberta	14,522,000
Prince Edward Island	9,408,000

If animals and their products, dairy produce and fruit were taken into account, hundreds of millions of dollars would be added to the value above.

THE RAILWAY COMMISSION AND EXPRESS CHARGES.

Striking evidence of the progress that is being made in the work of subjecting pubic service corporations in this country to effective control in the interests of the public is furnished by the action of Judge Mabee, the Chairman of the Dominion Railway Commission, in announcing the other day the decision of the Commission that the express companies doing business in Canada must revert to the scale of charges which was in force previous to January 1, and was displaced on that day by a new classification and new rates, which the Commission had approved.

In Judge Mabee's order dealing with the matter it is set forth that in approving the new classification and schedules of rates and allowing their being put into operation on January 1, the Commission had done so under the understanding that the changes were for the convenience of the companies, not for increasing their profits. As a result of the new scale of charges that came into force with the new year were mostly in the way of making shippers pay more than they have been paying before the Commission had ordered that the new scale be done away with and that the status quo ante be restored.

When the Railway Commission was first established, only a few years ago, the express companies were not under its jurisdiction. It was only within the last couple of years that Parliament brought the express companies under the Commission, an eminently right and proper thing, as the express companies are offshoots of the railway companies. In considering the great public advantage of the action just taken by the Commission in checking up the express companies and preventing their making the public "pay a little more," it is interesting to contrast it with what would have happened, had not the old era given place to the new era of vigilant and effective public control.

Suppose that there had been no Dominion Railway Commission with jurisdiction over the express companies, and the latter corporations had decided that the time was ripe for taking a little more out of the public. They would simply have increased their charges and that would be all there would be to it. There would be grumbling on the part of the public, of course, but what would the companies care for that? There would probably be a few indignant letters in the newspapers, signed "Pro Bono Publico," or "Shipper," and there would be some editorials setting forth the injustice of the increased charges. But the increased charges would stand. Things are different now, and the Railway Commission stands as a just and watchful tribunal for the enforcement of fair treatment of the public by the public service corporations which are subject to its jurisdiction.—Manitoba Free Press.

A GOOD DEPARTURE.

The Department of Trade and Commerce, which has of late devoted much attention to the best methods of developing Canada's foreign trade, has now turned its searchlight on the domestic trade as well. The last Weekly Bulletin issued by the department prints the first of a series of articles upon the promotion of Canadian trade at home. The subject discussed is the building up of an inland market for salt water fish. In outline the project is briefly to establish a regular fast refrigerator service from Halifax through Ontario to Detroit and Chicago, where fish from the Atlantic coast would realize a fair profit in a much shorter period of time than is at present required to supply the New York and New England markets. The proposed route, touching as it does the more populous centres of Quebec and Ontario, as well as those of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, would, it is contended, in time create a permanently reliable and lucrative demand and great profits would be kept within the Dominion.

The Dominion Government has been earnest in its endeavours to promote the fishing industry. Last year, through the Department of Marine and Fisheries, $25,000 was devoted to providing refrigerator cars. The experiment was attended with a fair measure of success. The Department of Trade and Commerce has for some time past been corresponding with various authorities with a view to securing various suggestions. Communications were despatched to the boards of trade in Ontario and the Maritime Provinces with the object of obtaining the names of fish dealers in the larger cities and towns, together with expert testimony upon the opportunities and possibilities were such a project carried into effect.

These suggestions have resulted in voluminous replies, for the most part quite practical. Among them is one that it would pay the fishing industry to send a lecturer or two through Central Canada in order to teach housewives how to cook fish properly; another is that fish markets should be established in each large centre of population where fish could be effectively displayed and not, as now, be mixed up with meats and vegetables, and, too often, given the back place

It is to be hoped that the department will continue its good work. Effective co-operation between the fisherman and the inland consumers would be of mutual good, to say nothing of the physical benefit which would be gained by the fish-eaters. —Ottawa Free Press.

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YOUNG'S POINT PEOPLE HOPE FOR RAILWAY

News From the Half-way Point to Kawarthadom—Steamer Empress Being Replanked.

Examiner Special.

Young's Point, Jan. 27 — We were visited by severe lightning, thunder and rain on Sunday the 24th inst., which leaves the sleighing in a poor condition. It will interfere with the lumbering men back north if we do not get more snow.

Miss Edith Elliott, of Bridgenorth, is visiting with Miss Lottie Kearney.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McFarlane have moved into Mr. R. Fitzgerald's house, on the east side, for the remainder of the winter.

Mr. Harry Hockedy is building a new house on the east side of the river, which will add greatly to that part of the village, when completed. He is doing the carpentering work himself.

The planking on the steamer Empress will soon be completed, and she will be almost a new boat when Mr. G. Hickey has finished.

The villagers were delighted with the article in the Examiner with regard to street cars or the G.T.R. running to the Point. Of course that talk has been going on for the past twelve years, but hope to see something done in the near future.

Capt. Scollard was home from the north over Sunday.

A quiet wedding was solemnized by the Rector, Rev. C. B. Spencer, M.A., at the Parsonage, Young's Point, at half-past seven o'clock on Wednesday, Jan. 20th, when Caroline, daughter of William Armstrong, of Smith, was married to John B. Clarkson, of Harvey. The bride wore a becoming gown of brown silk with hat to match.

Miss Constance T. Spencer, of Mount Forest, is visiting her brother at The Parsonage, Young's Point.

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HE HAD WIDE INTERESTS

Capitalist Passes Away After Several Months of Illness—Was Universally Beloved by His Associates and Acquaintances—Gave Largely to Philanthropic Institutions—Was a Genius For Business.

Toronto, Jan. 27.—Herbert Carlyle Hammond, the well-known financier of the firm of Osler & Hammond, died at 7.30 yesterday evening after an illness lasting for many months.

Taken ill in June, 1908, when on a visit to Winnipeg, where he was associated in the firm of Osler, Hammond and Nanton, with an incurable disease of the throat, he bore his suffering with patience and resignation. Last week his condition became critical, and five days before he passed away he lapsed into unconsciousness.

For several months, unable to speak, he had carried on cheerful communication with relatives and friends by writing.

The funeral will be private and will take place to-day at 3.30 from his late residence in Grosvenor street, to St. James' cemetery.

Herbert Carlyle Hammond was the son of the late Carlyle Pryce Hammond, and his wife, Margaret Butler. His grandfather was Capt. Charles Hammond, R.N., one of whose exploits was specially mentioned in The London Gazette, 1809.

He was born at Grafton, Ont., Oct. 19, 1844, and was educated at Cobourg Grammar School, and at Upper Canada College.

He began his business career in the Bank of Montreal, Cobourg, and was afterwards accountant in the Quebec

HERBERT CARLYLE HAMMOND.

Bank at the head office, being associated there with D. R. Wilkie, the present general manager of the Imperial Bank.

On the organization of the Bank of Hamilton, in 1872, he was appointed cashier. This office he resigned upon entering into partnership with E. B. Osler, M.P., when the firm of Osler & Hammond came into being. Members of the Stock Exchange, they have had to do with the promotion of many important commercial and financial projects, and of a large number of these Mr. Hammond was a director.

Mr. Hammond was a man of such broad sympathy and fine financial ability that men seemed naturally to turn to him in critical times, as the one best fitted to resolve their difficulties. On the occasion of the Federal Bank failure in 1898 his name was suggested as liquidator, and when, some four years ago the Northern Navigation Co. found itself called upon to face a difficult situation, it was Mr. Hammond who, taking the presidency of the company, devoted his time and energy to it to such effect that he may truly be said to have placed the company on its feet again.

The spirit of the man, which seemed to be ever aroused by the contemplation of the prospective suffering of innocent investors, was again shown in the recent Ontario Bank failure, when he acted entirely without remuneration as president of the committee of shareholders.

What maintains one vice would bring up two children.—Benjamin Franklin.

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FRANK LAW SENTENCED.

Wild-Cat Mine Promoter Gets Five Years In Prison.

Toronto, Jan. 27.—Frank Law, mining broker, was yesterday sentenced to five years in Kingston Penitentiary for defrauding the public by means of "wild-cat" mining ventures. He, with his wife, who was in court, was apparently unmoved.

His counsel, G. T. Blackstock, asked for leniency. Of Law he said: "From circumstances generally I conceived that he was a weak man, unexperienced so far as business ability is concerned. He is a man who was played upon by a powerful and astute person, in whose hands he was little less than a tool."

Judge Winchester said the evidence against him had been overwhelming.

"I quite agree that your partner was the leader, but you followed him very closely in most of the company's dealings, and aided and abetted him in duping the public," said his honor. "That was apparently what your company intended to do. When Russell comes back he will be dealt with by whatever court he comes before.

"You have not only duped hundreds, but you have cast a stigma on legitimate mining enterprises. However, with that I have nothing to do. My part is to deal justice to you. If the executive show you mercy I will be quite pleased."

T. H. Lennox of defence counsel said an appeal would be taken to the Minister of Justice.

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But there is one remedy that will kill the germs and cure catarrh, and that is Hyomei, the Australia dry air treatment.

Joseph Dural, of Woodstock street, Tavistock, Ont., says: "Catarrh had given me all kinds of suffering for a long time. There was a swelling of the glands under the eyes and adjacent to my nose and the discharges would drop into my throat. I used several remedies, but never got the relief that I did from Booth's Hyomei. I have been so pleased with Hyomei results that I highly recommend its use to catarrh sufferers."

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NOTED CROOK CAPTURED.

Cleveland Police Catch Eddie Quinn Who Robbed Tilbury Bank.

Windsor, Jan. 27.—Provincial Detective Mahoney has been notified of the arrest at Cleveland of Eddie Quinn, an international crook, who was implicated in the sensational theft of $1,200 from the Sovereign Bank clerk of Tilbury in the fall of 1906.

The Sovereign Bank got insurance in full from Lloyds for the loss and the insurance company has declined to prosecute.

Quinn and a pal named Futzi Deihn managed to switch suit cases with the bank clerk, whose attention was momentarily withdrawn. The robbery was discovered before the train stopped at Fletcher and preparations were made to nab the thieves, who, however, alighted opposite the station, ran across the fields and got away.

Trial Postponed.

Toronto, Jan. 27.—Walter Blythe will not be tried for the murder of his wife in Agincourt until Feb. 8. At the opening of the Criminal Assizes yesterday his counsel, T. N. Phelan, moved for an adjournment to the May Assizes, on account of the impossibility of securing data from his family connection in England regarding the sanity of his progenitors.

The defence's trump card will be insanity, and in this connection Dr. T. F. McMahon's affidavit was put in stating that he had made an examination of the prisoner, but could come to no definite conclusion as to the accused's mental state without observing him closely for some time, and making a complete enquiry into his family history.

ELECTING WARDENS.

Heads of County Councils Chosen at Inaugural Meetings.

Toronto, Jan. 27.—Most of the newly-elected County Councils throughout Ontario held their inaugural meetings yesterday and elected their wardens. Those elected follows: Brant, Richard Sanderson; Bruce, S. J. Parke; Dufferin, W. J. Dynes; Elgin, J. R. Summers; Essex, J. A. Coulter; Frontenac, R. A. Hamilton; Grey, R. Agnew; Haliburton, Dr Giles; Haldimand, Julius Root; Huron, Peter Lamont; Hastings, William Rogers; Kent, William Abraham; Lennox and Addington, Cyrus E. Yarker; Lincoln, Thos. D. Allan; Lambton, Robt. G. Bailey; Leeds and Grenville, A. E. Baker; Middlesex, S. R. Gillies; Northumberland and Durham, A. A. Powers; Norfolk, William Sutton; Ontario, R. R. Mowbray; Oxford, H. S. Moore; Perth, David Bonis; Peterboro, R. N. Scott; Simcoe, Richard Bell; Victoria, Geo. A. Jordan; Wellington, H. J. Colwill; Welland, Jas. McKeown; Wentworth, J. W. Gage; Waterloo, J. F. Katsenmeir.

Charges Panama Graft.

Washington, Jan. 27.—Charging that William Nelson Cromwell, Roger L. Farnham, Charles P. Taft and others are parties to the "most infamous railroad proposition ever submitted to any Government," and that they "are being permitted not only to rob the Republic of Panama, but indirectly the treasury of the United States," Representative Rainey of Illinois yesterday in a startling speech supported his resolution providing for an investigation by Congress of the Panama Canal purchase.

"In their efforts in this direction," he continued, "they have had so far the complete co-operation and active assistance of the present administration and the next President of the United States."

Howdy For Shriners.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 27.—"Howdy" has been selected as the slogan for the Mystic Shriners. The executive committee, which is planning for the 35th annual session of the Imperial council in this city June 7 to 10, has officially designated "Howdy" as the salutation.

"Howdy" is to be used verbally and on the banners. It is to be spelled in electric lights and to adorn the stationery that goes forth from Louisville business houses. "Howdy" will be uttered in a million forms, more or less, between now and the middle of June.

Train Leaves Track.

North Bay, Jan. 27.—A peculiar freight wreck occurred yesterday morning at Garry, on the C.P.R., 51 miles west of Chapleau, and 351 miles west of North Bay.

Eighteen cars left the rails and crashed into a telegraph pole, tearing down the pole and wires, severing communication entirely with the west. The cause of the accident is unknown at present. Traffic will be delayed for several hours.

A slight accident to an engine on the C.P.R. Toronto express, No. 95, also caused delay yesterday.

BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

J. & W. Boyd's general store at Flesherton was burglarized Sunday night.

Three men are dead at Fort Dupont, Del., from drinking denatured alcohol.

A five-mile extension will be built to the Edmonton street railway during the present season.

The war cloud has returned to the region of the Balkans, and Bulgaria is mobilizing troops on the Turkish frontier.

A petition for a re-hearing in the New York Consolidated Gas case has been filed in the Supreme Court of the United States.

W. E. Mountain, a poet, is seeking a divorce in Philadelphia because his wife claims to have a soul mate in another world.

P. J. Kieran, head of the Fidelity Funding Co., was arrested in New York on a charge of larceny, but released soon after on receipt of instructions from Pittsburg.

It is stated that Miss Lottie Teeter, one of the two survivors of the level crossing accident at Grimsby a week ago Saturday, has no recollection of the affair whatever. She has not been informed of the death of five of her friends.

Rev. Father Forner, while driving over the prairie south of Macklin, Sask., got lost in the storm and drove for two days and two nights without finding food or shelter. When taken in he was almost exhausted, and he was badly frozen.

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"Finally I began to take *Peruna*. After I had taken one bottle I felt better. I took another one, and now I *am well*. I would like to always feel as I do to-day. I often recommend Peruna to my friends."

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Mr. G. W. Woodbury, Rogers, Ohio, formerly Captain and Center of the Hiram College Basket Ball Team, writes:

"There are times in the life of *every student* when excessive study and too *close confinement* and attention to the object in view will tell on your health.

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THE COMING EXHIBIT OF PAINTINGS AND STATUARY

Under the Auspices of the Local Branch of the Women's Art Association of Canada.

Early in February, under the auspices of the city section of the Women's Art Association of Canada, an interesting exhibit of art works—painting and statuary—will be held in the rooms of the local association, Bank of Montreal Chambers, Simcoe street.

The exhibit will be an elaborate and excellent one, comprising oils by Scotch artists and Dutch watercolours by the leading artists of the Netherlands. There will also be exhibits of the statuary work of the Peterborough artist, Miss Kathleen Wallis, which was received with so mush enthusiasm in Montreal. Exhibits of sculpture by the celebrated Dutch artist, Mr. Charles Van Wyjk, will also be on view. An unique feature of the exhibit will be specimens of the black and white work of Mr. Walter Crane, illustrations, etc. These have never, heretofore, been exhibited outside of England. The coming exhibits will be the most elaborate and interesting of any ever held under the management of the local branch of the association.

ANOTHER PURSE IS RETURNED

Honesty of People Again Demonstrated in a Trivial But Important Way.

The honesty of Peterborough people has been once more proven in the return of another pocket book. A few days ago one was lost containing $30 and was returned to Chief Roszel by the finder. The former returned it to the owner in Campbellford. Yesterday a Street Railway conductor lost his purse on Charlotte street. Last night he had inserted an "ad" in the Lost and Found column of the Examiner. This morning he has the purse safe and sound it having been returned to him last night.

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Took Deadly Poison Instead Of Usual Headache Tablets

More Details of Peterboro' Girl's Narrow Escape From Death by Poisoning at Her Boarding House in Toronto — Had Been to Party.

CONDITION YET SERIOUS.

The Toronto News had the following account of the narrow escape of Miss Alice Howell, a Peterborough girl from poisoning:

Suffering from bichloride of mercury poisoning, Miss Alice Howell, twenty-one years of age, was taken to St. Michael's Hospital this morning.

The girl was a roomer at 42 1-2 Alice street, with Mrs. Florence Hawkins. Last night she came home from work and complained of a headache. At about four o'clock this morning she arose and went to a drawer in a wardrobe in the room and took a tablet which she says she thought to be a headache tablet. In a short time she began to suffer from severe pains, and a doctor was summoned. He ordered her removal to the hospital. A stomach pump was applied, and the girl put to bed. She is still in a critical condition, however, owing to the fact that the after effects of this particular form of poisoning are very dangerous.

What she Told her Friend

Cassie, the girl with whom Miss Howell was sleeping when she took the poison, told her story to The News.

"We had been out to a party, Alice and I, and did not get back until about four o'clock this morning. Alice said she had an awful headache. She told me, too, that she was tired of life, but I did not think much about this, as you often hear people say such things. I got in bed, and was going to sleep when she got up and said she was going to the wardrobe to get some headache tablets that were there. She came back, and I went to sleep. I was awakened in about an hour by her rolling around in the bed. When she saw that I was awake she said to me: "Cassie, give me your word of honour that you will never tell anyone what I am going to tell you." I said I would not and she said, "I think I must have taken something else besides headache powders. I have pains in my stomach that are awful." I got scared at that and went to Mrs. Hawkins and told her about it. She went out and got Dr. Spiers, and he called up the police and had her taken over to St. Michael's Hospital."

Home is in Peterboro

Miss Howell has boarded with Mrs. Hawkins since before Christmas. She came to the house at that time, saying that she was out of work. She did not go to look for another position at once, but went home to visit her parents in Peterborough, returning to the city a short time ago. The police have possession of the remainder of the tablets which the girl used. They were used, she said, for antiseptic purposes.

REV. CANON DAVIDSON'S ANNUAL NEW YEAR'S SERMON IS PRAISED

The following appeared in the Hardware and Metal of January 23rd and speaks of the time when standing accounts should be paid. It is necessary that all should join in the move to secure the best results. This is a matter to which not enough serious attention is given, with the result that persons are often careless and think that the merchant can wait. This is a grave mistake, and if only those who have been accommodated, would stop and think, they would not ask local tradesmen to tarry longer for their money. These accounts are in many instances, small but in the aggregate they amount to a great deal and their payment means that the merchant is able to satisfy the financial demands made upon him.

This is so important and far reaching a question that clergymen have felt impelled to speak out on it in the interest of the community and the good of the people. For several years Rev. Canon Davidson, rector of Peterborough, and one of the leading members of the Anglican body in Canada has on the first Sunday of each new year delivered an impressive sermon on this subject. At the services in his church on Jan. 3 he again took occasion to refer to this subject by urging prompt attention to all financial obligations, particularly the small ones. He dwelt upon our interdependence in this particular, and how each could contribute his share in making 1909 bright and prosperous if the system was only followed out. He said that the discharge of this duty was a most important and far reaching one. It should be done for itself and also because it had the effect of enabling others to meet their obligations. It is noticeable that the words of the reverend gentleman have had a good effect upon the people in general, and a hardware dealer in Peterborough, informed a representative of of Hardware and Metal that, after the delivery of this sound, practical advice from the pulpit each year, several customers, well able to pay, but naturally careless or thoughtless, have awakened up and discharged their indebtedness.

The example of the rector of Peterborough might be worthily emulated by the clergy in other towns.

RESULTS OF COW TESTING AS SHOWN BY REPORTS FROM TWO ASSOCIATIONS IN THE COUNTY

The results of cow testing by the Central Smith and Keene Associations as shown in the following compilations, shows the advantage of this work and the results attained.

Central Smith Association

The average yield of 11 cows for 6 months was 4,056 lb. milk, 3.3 test and 132.5 lb. fat. The best individual yield was 4,880 lb. milk, 3.0 test, 145 lb. fat. Five cows in two herds, being representatives of the Jersey, Shorthorn and Ayrshire breeds, as well as so-called 'scrub' animals were below the average yield, indicating that selection is necessary and requisite as well in one breed as another. No one of these 5 cows was under 5 years old; one was 12.

Forty-one cows recorded for 7 months [illegible] average yield of 4,866 lb. milk, 3.3 test, 163 lb. fat. Herd [illegible] one dry average from 20 cows, including 2 3-year-olds, for 7 months, of 5,243 lb. milk and 172.5 lb fat, thus being well above the average. In this herd the highest individual yield was 6,850 lb. milk and 202.9 lb. fat. As a contrast to this herd average, another herd of 5 cows had an average yield of only 3,726 lb. milk, 3.2 test, 120.9 lb. fat; the youngest cow was 6 years old, and the best individual yield was 4,430 lb. milk, 3.1 test, 138.0 lb. fat.

Thirty-eight cows tested 8 months gave an average yield of 5,657 lb. milk, 3.3 test, 185.7 lb. fat.

The average yield of herd 20 for 8 months was 7,246 lb. milk, 3.4 test, 246.4 lb. fat. One would naturally suppose that must be a fine herd. A closer examination of the records reveals immediately that the high average was due entirely to the heavy production of one cow, an 8-year-old, that gave 14,720 lb. milk, 2.9 test, 342.8 lb. fat. Six of the remaining seven animals were below the herd average. The lowest yield was from a 4-year-old that gave 5,680 lb. milk, 3.8 test, 215 lb. fat, a decidedly different yield from 11,720 lb. This, again, lends emphasis to the paramount importance of considering each animal in the herd on its own individual merits, its ability to produce milk and butter fat economically, instead of resting content with fair 'average' yields.

Twelve cows tested 9 months gave on the average, 6,551 lb. milk, 3.3 test, 214.4 lb. fat. The best yield was 8,152 lb. milk, 3.2 test, 258.5 lb. fat from a 7-year-old grade.

Keene Association

The average yield of 21 cows for 6 months was 4,052 lb. milk, 3.3 test, 137.2 lb. fat.

The average production of 39 cows for 7 months was 4,308 lb. milk, 3.5 test, 153.1 lb. fat. One herd of 4 cows averaged only 3,293 lb. milk each in the 7 months. Another herd of 15 cows averaged 224.6 lb. milk more, or 5,539 lb. each during the same time. The 4 cows should easily have brought in $15 each more than they did to their owner, and probably would have done so if they had had some green soiling crops.

The average production of 19 cows for 8 months was 4,903 lb. milk, 3.4 test, 171 lb. fat.

In the group tested for 8 months one herd of cows had an average of 3,985 lb. milk, 3.5 test, 141.4 lb. fat; the best yield was 5,815 lb. milk, 3.2 test, 183.5 lb. fat, and the poorest yield was from a 7-year-old, 2645 lb. milk, 3.2 test, 85.4 lb. fat, or almost 100 lb. of fat less.

Another lot of 4 cows gave, in 8 months, 6,558 lb. milk, 3.3 test, 219.6 lb. fat, or an average of 2,573 lb. milk each more than the 4 noted above. In this herd the highest yield was 8,135 lb. milk, 3.6 test, 292.8 lb. fat, and the lowest from a 4-year-old, 4,990 lb. milk, 3.1 test, 156.3 lb. fat, yield.

This clearly indicates the general unevenness in herds, in average and good herds alike, and the necessity of this work of noting the actual production of each single individual.

The average yield of 4 cows for 9 months was 6,6278 lb. milk, 3.4 test, 222.9 lb. fat. The highest was 8,151 lb. milk, 3.2 test, 264.3 lb. fat.

For 10 months, the average production of 7 cows was 6,262 lb. milk, 3.4 test, 217.1 lb. fat, or a lower average than those recorded for 9 months. The highest yield was 6,968 lb. milk, 3.3 test, 229.8 lb. fat.

The average production for 11 months of 3 cows was 7,673 lb. milk, 3.5 test, 267.2 lb. fat. The best individual cow gave 8,505 lb. milk, 3.5 test, 294.1 lb. fat.

BIG NIGHT FOR THE CITY FATHERS

Several Deputations Will Wait Upon the Council This Evening.

There will be an important meeting of the Committee of the Whole Council held to-night when business of importance will come up. The Water Commissioners will likely be present and will lay before the Committee their plans for a new dam and pumping station, while the Board of Education will also be on hand with several matters to lay before the Committee. The Joint Committee of the County Council will likewise wait upon the city fathers in connection with the management of the market. In addition the City Assessor will be appointed and other important business is to come up.

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CONCERT WAS SUCCESSFUL

Ladies of Knox Church Gave Successful Affair Last Night—Programme and Oyster Supper.

LARGE NUMBER PRESENT

The Ladies' Aid Society of Knox Church gave a very enjoyable concert, followed by an oyster supper, on Tuesday night, which, in every respect was a gratifying success. The affair was largely attended and its financial success was one of the features of which the ladies may be justly proud, and the programme was replete with excellent numbers which were thoroughly enjoyed. Rev. H. J. Keith acted as chairman in his usual pleasing manner, and in no small degree was responsible for the evening's success. The programme was as follows:

Selection by the George Street Orchestra.
Reading—Miss E. Smith.
Mandolin Club—Selection.
Banjo solo—Mr. F. Clark.
Solo—Miss Stewart.
George Street Quartette—Messrs. Cunningham, Zepp, Walton and Biggs.
Piano duet—Miss Chiles and Miss Grace Naylor.
Vocal solo—Miss Kidd.
Banjo selection—Mr. Clark.
Instrumental—Miss Smith.
Violin solo—Dr. Park.
Quartette — Messrs. Cunningham, Zepp, Walton and Biggs.
Selection by the Mandolin Club.
Vocal trio—Messrs. Davenport, McCannon and Thompson.
Selection by George Street Methodist Sunday School Orchestra.
Miss H. McCannon accompanied Dr. Park.

His number was a pleasure to the audience. Dr. Park possesses a thorough knowledge of the violin and the exacting selection played was sympathetically rendered and with an ease that lends grace to the finished musician. His encore number was "The Last Rose of Summer," played in different positions and with the feeling and tenderness this favourite demands.

The last part of the evening was pleasingly spent, the ladies serving oysters, coffee, etc., and an enjoyable social hour was the result.

POST CARD COLUMN

Editor Post Card Column:

Dear Sir,—I could not read all the lengthy epistle of "Civis" last night, but enough to suggest that our streets be cleaned and the sweepings dumped in the river at Smith street, and then those wishing to go to the other side could jump it. If the political economical ideas of Civis were carried out there would be no business for our factories and there would be no one to cross the river.

Yours truly,
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Peterborough, Jan. 26, 1909.

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Interesting Lecture Given By Mr. G. A. Cornish On Volcanoes

The first of a series of lectures to be held under the auspices of the Peterborough Historical Society, was given on Tuesday night in the Collegiate Institute by Mr. G. A. Cornish, Science Master of the Normal School, to a large and interested audience. The subject was "Volcanoes," and Mr. Cornish's address was intensely interesting, as well as being of a most instructive nature, and the audience followed his remarks with rapt attention. The speaker had evidently studied his subject to good purpose, and he succeeded in presenting it to his hearers in a thoroughly palatable form.

In beginning the speaker pointed out the fallacy of the ordinary school definition of a volcano, i. e., that it was a *burning mountain* which threw out fire, ashes and smoke. A volcano was not a mountain in the first place, neither did it burn or throw out any fire, ashes and smoke. On the other hand, a volcano was a fissure in the earth's crust, and if there was a mountain it was the result of the action of the volcano.

The impression of fire coming from the volcano was given by the reflection of the cloud of vapour above the crater of it. There could be no smoke or ashes as there was no combustion.

Mr. Cornish went on to point out the different products in the action of the Volcano, showing that the chief gas from the crater was steam or water gas, which was ejected with tremendous force in the event of an eruption and condensed forming with the dust a mud lava which descended the slope with destructive violence. Besides steam large quantities of chlorine sulphurous gasses and carbon dioxide were given off during the action of a volcano, the latter coming last and often arising from fissures centuries after the eruption.

Besides these gases other substances were given off from the volcano, and were deposited as efflorescences on the surrounding rocks, in this way forming boracic acid, sal ammonia and iron chloride, which were collected on a commercial scale.

The chief liquid product, Mr. Cornish stated, was lava, which was rock material melted so intensely that it came off in a liquid state and was incandescent. The solids thrown off from the crater were entirely rock materials of various sizes.

The next point Mr. Cornish touched upon was the activity of the volcano, which might be either constant or periodic. He referred briefly to Stromboli, Vesuvius, and the other famous volcanoes, showing how their eruptions varied.

Mr. Cornish then went on to explain the action of a volcano giving a clear, lucid and easily followed explanation on this point, which was new to most of his hearers.

Speaking of the number of volcanoes in the world, Mr. Cornish stated, that there were between 300 and 350 in an active state. Vesuvius was the only one in Europe, but there were six among the Mediterranean Islands. Africa has ten, four on the west and six on the east, while there were about ten others near the coast. There were twenty in North America, twenty-five in Central America and thirty-seven in South America. Asia had twenty-four, of which half were situated on one peninsula. There were none in Australia.

In conclusion, the speaker dealt with the source of heat in a volcano, and the condition of the earth's nucleus, explaining the three hypotheses on the latter point.

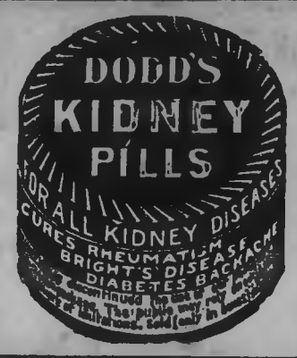
(1) That there was a thin crust between ten and twenty miles thick, with a liquid nucleus.

(2) That the earth was solid to the centre, with, perhaps, lacunar spaces here and there filled with liquid material, and

(3) That both the outer crust and centre were solid with a space between the two filled with liquid material.

The first theory was the common one, and it was a fact that no matter where a boring was made in the earth's crust, after a depth of from 60 to 80 feet, the temperature began to rise and increased about one degree Fahrenheit for every 50 to 60 feet in descent.

Space unfortunately will not permit of a more extended report of Mr. Cornish's remarks, but enough has been given to show the delightful and instructive nature of his address. His lecture has set a high standard for the series which has been arranged, and if the other addresses approach in excellence that given on Tuesday night, the remaining meetings should be attended by very large audiences.



THE DERIVATION OF GRAFT IS WANTED

Correspondent Seeks Some Information Upon the Point—Is it an Americanism?

To the Editor of the Examiner,

Dear Sir—As an appreciative reader of your paper, and encouraged by the statement in to-night's issue that "newspaper editors like to answer questions addressed to them by their readers", I venture to put my little query, hoping it will not be too hard a nut to crack.

What is the root meaning of the word "grafdt?" (vide Judge Cassels' report); also, is the word "graft" in any dictionary? Further, what were the circumstances attending its introduction to the language? and finally, is it an "Americanism" pure and simple?

Any information you can give me on this subject will be highly appreciated.

"The awakening of the public conscience." How is it to be done? Why that's an easy one. Through the press, for sure."

Thanking you in anticipation, dear sir, I am yours, etc.

CIVIS SCOTORUM

P. S.—Your correspondent's (Civis') argument for a substantial bridge is a sound one. "Cheap and nasty" is as true of bridges as anything else.

P. P. S.—I have a cutting from a recent number of an influential magazine at home in the "old-land" and it deals very fully on "Graft" and "the American Sailor-man."

If you would like to see it you are welcome to.

Some very sweeping charges are made in it re-Government officials handling Citizens papers, and Merchant Service Certificates.

If true, the case is bad enough and *now's* the time to hit out at such as iniquitous system before it gains a good foothold on Canadian soil.

Last winter I had good grounds for surmising that some Government inspectors for navigation certificates of competency for the "lakes" and coasting waters were not above accepting a present, not a bribe mind you but if it is true that "a gift destroyeth the heart", then it follows, logically, that, bye and bye, the present will evolve itself into a bribe.

Your article homily on "honour" and "honor" in last Saturday's issue just fills the bill to a tee. Get right out after them, remembering that "Righteousness exalteth a nation."

OBITUARY.

GEORGE LEFAVE

The death of George Lefave, seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lefave, occurred this morning at the family residence, 125 George street. The sympathy of the whole community is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Lefave in their sad breavement as the boy was of a bright and happy disposition and greatly liked by all who knew him. The funeral will be held to-morrow afternoon from the family residence, 125 George street, at 2.30 o'clock, and proceed to St. Peter's Cathedral where mass will be celebrated, and thence to St. Peter's Cemetery for interment.

If the child is restless at night, has coated tongue, sallow complexion, a dose of Miller's Worm Powders is what is required; pleasant, harmless. Sold by J. D. Tully, druggist, PPeterborough.

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Our January Whitewear Sale offers many attractive and enticing prices in Corset Covers and Drawers.

35c CORSET COVERS 25c

20 doz Corset Covers of fine quality cotton, well made and finished, full front, peplin skirt and draw string, trimmed front, and armholes with wide laces, sizes 34 to 44. Regular 35c. Special January Sale Price ..... .25

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DRAWER SPECIAL FOR 25c, 25 doz. Drawers, made of splendid quality white cotton with a 6 inch frill, deep hem and two rows of tucks, open and closed, sizes 25, 27, 29. Extra Special January Sale Price ..... .25

SEE THESE WHITEWEAR SPECIALS IN OUR WINDOW ALL THIS WEEK.

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Men's Suits from **$5.95 up**

Men's Overcoats from **$2.48 up**

Men's Furnishings All At Alteration Sale Prices

SALE ONLY LASTS THIS WEEK

THE LAYMEN'S MOVEMENT

History of This Important Undertaking in Connection With Missionary Work.

ITS AIMS AND OBJECTS

The short career of the Laymen's Missionary Movement, which is to hold a national missionary congress in Toronto, March 31st to April 4th, is full of interesting incidents, and the Movement has shown a most remarkable growth.

It was organized in connection with the Centennial celebration of the Haystack Prayer Meeting in New York, November 13th and 14th, 1906. Following these meetings there was a group of laymen who met for prayer in the chapel of the 5th Avenue Pres. Church, continuing all afternoon and evening, and closing with resolutions covering the following points:

The 100th Anniversary of the first American Foreign Missionary work finds the door of every nation open to the Gospel; the organizations at work are doing excellent service; business men are taking a vital interest in every form of church work, and such men have been very successful in the management of large business and political enterprises; a committee should be appointed to co-operate with the Mission Boards for three purposes: to project a campaign of education among laymen; to devise a comprehensive plan looking towards the evangelization of the world in this generation; to endeavour to form through the church boards a commission of fifty or more laymen to visit the mission fields and report to the church at home.

The work since that time has taken giant strides, and quite a number of denominational Laymen's Movements have been organized. The work in the Canadian churches has been particularly strong, though the Churches in the Southern States have their denominational organizations very complete.

It has no organization apart from a general committee, with headquarters in New York, meeting twice a year, and an Executive Committee of 21 members, meeting each month. Three Secretaries give their whole time to the work of the general movement, besides the Denominational Secretaries.

The Movement stands for investigation, agitation and organization; the investigation by laymen of missionary conditions; and the organization of laymen to co-operate with the ministers and Missionary Boards in enlisting the whole church in its supreme work of saving the world.

It is noteworthy that wherever the Movement has been presented, in scores of cities of the United States and Canada, it has received the enthusiastic commendation and co-operation of representative men. A commission of six laymen from the United States and Canada presented the Movement in Great Britain, where it was at once taken up, and National Committees organized both in England and Scotland. It has since spread to Germany and Australia. The time seems to be approaching when the Christian nations will be federated for co-operative action in behalf of mankind.

The power of the Movement in the lives of men seems to be partially answered by the following considerations:—

(1) The movement presents to men the greatest possible spiritual challenge—the need of the world.

(2) It makes the largest possible demands upon men; reminding them that all life is a trust involving stewardship of opportunity, influence, time and treasure; that spiritual values are the only permanent ones, and that selfishness is suicidal.

(3) The effort to evangelize the world presents to every man the largest opportunity of service which can come to him in this life.

(4) The life purpose emphasized by the Movement when followed satisfies the deepest spiritual ambitions of men.

(5) The effort to evangelize the world presents the speediest and surest method of saving the church.

(6) The union of all branches of the church in such co-operation emphasizes as nothing else can, the unity of the church.

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THE SOUTHLAND SEXTETTE.

The finest local organization appearing in the city. Opera house Jan. 29, under auspices Y. M. C. A. Leader's Corps. See Programmes and Press Notices. Plan at Opera House, admission 15, 25, 35, 50 cents. 2d-mw

MARCONI GRATEFUL

New York, Jan. 27—The following letter has been received from Signor Marconi.—

London, Jan. 23—I am exceedingly grateful that wireless telegraphy has again proved its value in saving life at sea. I feel that a single incident such as the rescue of the Republic's passengers is an overwhelming reward for any efforts I may have made to render such a thing possible. Much had been accomplished already. The case of the Republic is an earnest of the future. I believe the time is fast approaching, if not already here, when wireless telegraphy will have robbed the ocean travel of its old-time terrors.

GUGLIELMO MARCONI

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS

PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded. 50 cents.

SPECIALIST WAS BAFFLED

Child Tortured With Eczema—When All Else Failed Zam-Buk Cured Her.

Once again the unequalled merit of Zam-Buk as a healer of skin disease has been demonstrated, this time at Lunenburg Co., N.S.

Mr. D G Mossman, of that place says:—"My little girl, now nearly three years old, when about four months of age began to be afflicted with eczema. I consulted a specialist who did his best for the poor little thing, but the disease baffled him, and after a long trial I was obliged to admit that his treatment was not doing any good. Then I tried various remedies which were advised by friends, but with no better result.

Next I called in another doctor,—still the disease continued to spread! It began in the form of small spots and pustules on the child's head. These increased in size and discharged. The discharge seemed to spread infection to other parts and bit by bit the diseased area increased until at last the poor child's head and face seemed to be one great sore.

"When the second doctor failed to give any relief, I was at a loss what to do. Someone who had tried Zam-Buk strongly advised me to give it a trial, and I did so. The first few applications didn't seem to have any effect at all, but although not apparent it must have been attacking the very roots of the disease, for after persevering with the treatment for a little while we noted a marked improvement. Encouraged by this we continued with Zam-Buk and left off everything else. The disease was gradually subdued, the itching grew less acute, and the little one's suffering was relieved. Then the area of the sores grew less and less, and in the end every trace of the dreadful eczema was removed. Not only so, but there has been no scarring or marking left to disfigure the child's face.

"There is now no trace of the disease which acused her much suffering, baffled one specialist and one practitioner, and defied every remedy I could obtain save Zam-Buk."

Zam-Buk is Nature's own healing balm, being composed of pure herbal essences. It is a sure cure for eczema, ring-worm, ulcers, cuts, burns, bruises, poisoned sores, chronic wounds, bad leg, piles, festering sores, chapped hands, cold-sores, frost-bite, and all skin injuries and diseases. Druggists and stores everywhere sell at 50c. a box, or post free for price from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto; 3 boxes $1.25. You are warned against harmful imitations sometimes represented to be "just as good."

ST. JOHN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS

St. John's Sunday School teachers met in the Guild Room last night, when the Rev. Canon Davidson delivered an instruction of the Sunday School lesson for the next two Sunday.

A statement of the progress of the school for the first half of the Sunday School year was read by the superintendent, showing a distinct advance in all departments.

The following resolutions were unanimously passed:

That Mr. Donald Denham be appointed to the office of secretary-treasurer."

"That the hearty thanks of this meeting be conveyed to Mr. Rush for his long and faithful services to this Sunday School, both as teacher and treasurer."

"That this meeting expresses its earnest sympathy with Mr. and Mrs. Denham in the serious illness of their son Donald, and prays that the invalid may soon be restored to health."

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS HAD JOLLY TIME

Welcomed Their Friends Last Night—Concert and Refreshments.

When the Knights of Pythias undertake to entertain their friends they do it in knightly fashion, and last night proved no exception to the rule.

After the regular meeting the Knights opened the wicket and no raps or signs were necessary to gain admittance to their Castle Hall. They gave their friends a knightly welcome 'mid song and smoke, reading, recitation and music, the time passing only too quickly. The Programme was of unusual merit and all present left with the impression that the night had proven one of both profit and pleasure. After the programme they had a dainty lunch, followed by cigars which were greatly enjoyed.

The programme was as follows:—

Address (Chairman), Bro. Dr. Middleton, C.C.; Instrumental, Bro. Louis Mendel; Speech, Bro. Dr. A. W. MacPherson; Song, Bro. W. A. Greenslade; Solo, Mr. J. King; Recitation, Mr. Waring; Solo, Bro. F. C. Freeland; Address, Bro. Oliver Milburn; Solo, Mr. Walter Stocker; Speech, Bro. J. Squires; Solo, Mr. Chas. Coleman.

God Save the King.

Messrs. Ackerman and Avann played the accompaniments in a finished manner and were greatly appreciated by all present.

Marathon Lodge, No. 39, is forging ahead at a great rate. The membership is increasing very rapidly and at nearly every meeting there are applications received for membership.

The next regular meeting will be held on Tuesday evening next, February 2nd, when the installation of officers will take place.

Some good seats yet for Hilda Spong in "A Man and His Mate". Do not miss it. Grand Opera House, to-night.

HE THINKS THE RACE SHOULD BE GOOD

Hoagland Writes From Auburn in Connection With the Harrison-Blake Match.

Jim Harrison has received a letter from Hoagland in which that well-known walker said that he was sorry that Harrison did not take part in the recent race at Auburn, N. Y., as he felt sure that Harrison would hav taken second place. There will be another race in Auburn next month and Hoagland wants the local crack to keep in condition and to enter the contest. Hoagland is to be handicapped one half mile in order to give the others a chance. Speaking of the Harrison-Blake race to take place here on Saturday, Hoagland said that it ought to be a grand race.

HOUSE DEBATES ON PUBLISHING TREATY

Mr. Borden Raises Point in Question to Premier.

PUBLIC MUST KNOW TERMS

In Reply to Opposition Leader's Protest Against Delay in Tabling Waterways Treaty Sir Wilfrid Agrees That It Should Be Made Public Before It Is Ratified—Thinks British Tradition Is Wrong.

Ottawa, Jan. 27.—The House sat less than an hour yesterday afternoon, clearing off many of the questions of private members and uncontested motions for returns.

R. L. Borden again protested against the rule that prevented the tabling of the waterways treaty simultaneously with the reference of the same documents to the United States Senate.

"I believe," said Sir Wilfrid, "that in the United States a treaty may be given to the press some time before it is given to the Senate. We do not admit anything of that kind in this country, and it is simply because in his matter we follow the traditions of British diplomacy, under which Parliament does not publish the treaty until it has been signed by the King. But I quite agree that it is inconvenient that we should not have the matter made public in this country as soon as it is in the United States."

"A treaty which we make with the United States is not valid or binding until it is ratified by their Senate," said Mr. Borden. "It might be worth considering whether or not our treaties dealing with important subjects should not have a clause to the effect that they should not become binding on His Majesty until they have been ratified by the Parliament of Canada."

Sir Wilfrid agreed, adding: "I would go even further. Even admitting that the King alone has the treaty-making power I see no reason why the moment the treaty is signed it should not be given to the public even before it is ratified by His Majesty. Although the present treaty has been signed I must say we have not yet received an official copy of it."

Mr. Speaker announced that he had issued his writ for the bye-election in Carleton County.

Claude Macdonnel introduced his election amendment to abolish the $200 deposit required and to make federal election day a public holiday.

LEGISLATURE DATE SET.

Ontario House Will Open Its Session on Feb. 16.

Toronto, Jan. 27.—Feb. 16, which is a Tuesday, is the day chosen for the opening of the 12th Legislature of Ontario. The date was announced late yesterday evening after a Cabinet Council meeting by Sir James Whitney.

Several points are obviously to be dealt with. The Niagara power situation requires attention, and the necessary legislation will not be delayed.

The very important change in the period of the fiscal year, which in future is to terminate at the end of October instead of Dec. 31, as at present, will be brought into effect.

The statutory revision commission has been sitting assiduously several times a week for months, and forty or fifty of the important statutes have been completed.

A revision of a different order is in the case of the Municipal and Assessment Acts, which it is anticipated will be taken up and dealt with as a whole.

Law reform is another of the expected subjects of legislation.

The Cared of Homeless Children.

Washington, D.C., Jan. 27.—Speakers yesterday at the conference of the care of dependent children appeared to agree that children of normal minds who must be removed from their homes should be cared for in families wherever practicable, but that the abnormal child should be placed in a children's institution.

An opinion was voiced that child-caring institutions should be conducted on the cottage plan.

Mulcted For Costs.

Washington, Jan. 27.—President Samuel Gompers, Vice-President John Mitchell and Secretary Frank Morrison of the American Federation of Labor, who recently were sentenced to terms of imprisonment in the District of Columbia Jail for contempt of court, were ordered yesterday by Justice Wright of the District Supreme Court to pay the costs incurred in the proceedings which resulted in the sentence for contempt. The costs aggregate about $1,500.

Laymen's Mission Secretary.

New York, Jan. 27.—J. Campbell White, secretary of the laymen's missionary movement, announced yesterdays that Col. Elijah Halford of Washington, former private secretary of the late President Harrison, had been appointed corresponding secretary of the laymen's missionary movement of the Methodist Episcopal Church. Col. Halford will make his headquarters in this city.

Sifton Buys Mine.

Ottawa, Jan. 27.—Hon. Clifford Sifton and M. J. O'Brien, c. Renfrew have purchased the Bonsall properties on Miller Lake, in the Gowganda district for $500,000.

It is said the Bonsall claims are the richest in the silver area of the north. Samples averaging 20,000 to 30,000 ounces to the ton have been secured.

Talesmen Exhausted.

Nashville, Tenn., Jan. 27.—When the second venire of 500 talesmen was exhausted yesterday without the completion of the jury to try Col. Duncan B. Cooper, Robin Cooper and John D. Sharpe, for the slaying of Former Senator E. W. Carmack, Judge Hart announced that he would devote to-day to the hearing of charges of intoxication against Jurors Leigh and Jackson, he drew another venire of 500 names. Two jurors were chosen yesterday, the eighth and ninth.

THE EXAMINER MUST ADD 500 NEW SUBSCRIBERS BEFORE THE FIRST OF MAY

THE EXAMINER'S
Live Money-Making
NEWSBOYS' COMPETITION

Starts Monday, February 1st.
Ends Friday, April 30th.

20 Prizes in Cash 20

To the first 20 boys securing the largest number of New Subscribers to THE EVENING EXAMINER up to APRIL 30th, and an additional $2.00 PRIZE IN CASH, EACH WEEK, to the boy selling the largest number of EVENING EXAMINERS during each week of the Competition.

Every boy will start off Monday Morning, February 1st, on an equal footing, no matter whether you have been selling papers in the past or not. Don't be afraid to start. Any boy can compete. The Examiner wants you to have your own customers, to collect your own money, and make what you can. Any boy that becomes an Examiner Newsboy and gets two or more new customers each week will stand a good chance of winning one of the following :—

Remember

New beginners, as well as all our regular Newsboys, who enter this contest, will start scoring together on **Monday Evening,** February 1st.

We will keep a record of every boy's daily sales up to the end of the contest.

Papers are ready every evening shortly after four o'clock.

Boys attending school can be easily supplied, and with a little hustle can soon start a savings bank.

Girls, who desire, can take part in this competition, as well as boys.

The Examiner is easy to sell and has proved to be a good money maker in the past.

Cash Prizes
Offered

First Prize	$25.00
Second Prize	20.00
Third Prize	15.00
Fourth Prize	10.00
Fifth Prize	5.00
Sixth Prize	4.00
Seventh Prize	3.00
Eighth Prize	2.00
Twelve Prizes of	1.00

Understand

It's the largest individual increase every week that counts.

Whether you have been selling papers in the past or not makes no difference.

Canvass those who are not now taking the Examiner. They will always read it if you get them started.

If one boy who has been selling papers starts on Monday next with ten regular customers and increases his list to twenty at the end of the week, and another boy with twenty regular customers has only increased to twenty-five, the first boy wins the $2.00 Weekly Prize in cash, because he has added ten to his list while the second boy has only added five to his list.

No boy has any advantage over any other.

It's all in the hustle.

PARENTS

Who would like to encourage their boys to earn sufficient pocket money to keep them, are urged to give them a start with a few cents for their first lot of papers. There are many young men now holding good positions who made their first money by selling the Evening Examiner. Any boy can start at any time, but he should start on Monday, February 1st, with the rest and give no handicap. Any further information required, regarding this competition, will be given at the office of the Examiner.

NOW, BOYS AND GIRLS, GET BUSY!

AN IMPORTANT CONDITION—In order that protection may be given to each boy who is entered in this competition it is a condition that no one will secure a prize who does not legitimately earn it. If a boy applies for a weekly prize who has not bought the papers for his own use and sale it will be turned over to the boy who has actually won it. :-: :-: :-: :-: :-:

Buffalo Man Gets Job.

Welland, Jan. 27.—Frank L. Pattison of Buffalo has been appointed collector of customs and canal tolls at Port Colborne, made vacant by the death of S. J. Sidey. George Wells of Welland was an applicant.

A. L. Current of Welland has been appointed customs officer at Bridgeburg.

Senate to Probe.

Washington, D.C., Jan. 27.—The Senate judiciary committee has determined to proceed with its enquiry as to the authority of the President to permit the absorption of the Tennessee Coal & Iron Co. by the United States Steel Corporation. It is expected that Henry C. Frick and Judge E. H. Gary of the steel corporation may be called to give testimony.

Huge Cave-In.

Pottsville, Pa., Jan. 27.—Opening up a crater of 50 feet in depth, 100 feet in width at points, and 450 feet in length, the mountain near Summit Hill disappeared Monday night, many thousands of tons of earth and rock dropping from sight.

Four Men Are Burned.

Fort Worth, Texas, Jan. 27.—Four men were burned or suffocated to death and another fatally burned here yesterday in a fire which burned out the Southern Hotel, opposite the Santa Fe passenger station.

An explosion of a gasoline stove caused the fire, which also heavily damaged six other buildings. All were frame structures.

Governor Gillett's Warning.

Sacramento, Cal., Jan. 27.—With a warning against any anti-Japanese legislation under the recommendation that the Labor Commission be given money to take a census in the state, Governor J. N. Gillett yesterday sent a special message to the Legislature.

Boy Shoots Brother.

Rochester, N.Y., Jan. 27.—Albert Jones, aged 11, son of Geo. H. Jones of Kysorville, near Mount Morris, N.Y., is dead of a gunshot wound in the back, accidentally fired by Frank Jones, aged 16, his brother. The boys were shooting muskrats.

Railwayman's Heroic Act.

St. Thomas, Jan. 27.—Pere Marquette Fireman John McArthur of this city and a South African veteran saved a child of four years of age near Niagara Falls Monday evening, leaping from a fast freight at the risk of his own life.

He was on a fast freight eastbound, about dusk, when he saw a child with its feet caught in a cattle guard on the westbound M.C.R. track. A little older companion was vainly endeavoring to extricate the child. McArthur landed safely and released the little tot with difficulty.

Less than a quarter of a minute later the fast westbound train passed over the spot.

Make Vessels Carry Wireless.

Washington, Jan. 27.—Representative James Francis Burke of Pennsylvania yesterday introduced a bill to require every ocean passenger steamer certified to carry 50 passengers before it is granted a clearance for a foreign port 500 miles are more distant, to be equipped with an efficient radio-telegraphic installation with an operator aboard.

British Fishing Vessel Sunk.

Boston, Jan. 27.—A collision in the British channel in which the German steamer Bethania, from Hamburg, sank a small British fishing vessel, on Jan. 10, was reported here yesterday upon the arrival of the Bethania. The Bethania cruised about in the vicinity of the collision for several hours, but could find no trace of the fishermen.

Charge Against Town Foreman.

Galt, Jan. 27.—George Egerton has preferred charges against Town Foreman Adam Davidson of employing men to work on his farm and turning in their time to the town treasurer.

The mayor and council have decided to hold a conference with Davidson's solicitor, who has been instructed to learn whether this action cannot be made to cover the desired investigation.

New Steamers For Lakes.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 27.—Twenty-eight new steel ships are to be placed in commission on the great lakes for the ore trade and commerce next season.

Girl Perishes In Fire.

Lavalee, Jan. 27.—Fire which started in the home of S. Shine, a mail carrier, last night, burned the house to the ground and caused the death of his only daughter, Gertie, aged 8. A family of four boys escaped with difficulty through an upstairs window. The girl, it is supposed, was suffocated while asleep.

The whole town might have been burned, but that Scotchmen were celebrating Burns' anniversary in a nearby hall and turned out in time to stop the fire. Lavalee is a siding next to Fort Frances.

Wellington's Tact.

There was an army of generals assembled at Paris in 1814, and when the various Austrian and Prussian generals who had been beaten by Napoleon came crowding round the Duke of Wellington and expressing lots of compliments to him for having never been beaten by the French the duke pleased them immensely by saying, "Ah, but you know I never met Bonsparte, and I have always looked on him as being as good as 40,000 men."

LEVEL CROSSING CLAIMS TWO MORE

Farmer and Son Killed on Kingston Level Crossing.

WIFE SERIOUSLY INJURED

William Spooner of Blenburnie Is Crossing Tracks After Dark When Eastbound Train Crashes Into His Wagon—Checked Team to Avoid one Train But Did Not See the Other One Coming.

Kingston, Jan. 27.—The Montreal street level crossing of the Grand Trunk was the scene of a terrible accident at 7.15 o'clock last night, when the train westbound struck a wagon and killed William Spooner, a farmer of Blenburnie, aged 40, and his son Wilfrid, aged 10; while his wife is so terribly injured that the doctors say it is doubtful whether she will recover.

Spooner and his family were homeward bound from the city. Reaching the crossing, Spooner checked up to let the suburban train pass into the station. He then went ahead. At this point there are six tracks crossing in a diagonal manner, and when he reached the centre the train from the east crashed into the vehicle. The wagon was picked up on the cowcatcher and the horses broke away. Spooner was crushed in between the box of the wagon and one of the front trucks of the locomotive, and death was instantaneous. His head struck the engine with terrific force.

The boy, who was sitting between his parents, was also thrown against the engine and was dead when found.

Mrs. Spooner was thrown several feet to one side of the track, and, despite her injuries, was able to tell her name to the railway men, and give the names of the others. Spooner's head was crushed and his back broken, and the boy's skull was crushed into an awful mass.

The horses had a miraculous escape. They started to run on breaking away from the rig and were captured about half a mile away. The train stopped within 175 yards.

G.T.R. Surgeon Anglin says the woman's head is badly bruised, also her limbs, but no bones are broken.

At the crossing there is a watchman only from 5 in the morning till 6 at night. It is regarded as dangerous, and in the past 20 years has been the scene of several fatalities and many serious accidents. Some time ago the county endeavored to get assistance from the railway committee before the Railway Commission was formed, to build an overhead bridge. The bridge was ordered, with the understanding that the county, city and company pay equal. The city held back, claiming that as the railway was not in the city limits, they should not pay, and the matter was dropped.

Telegraph Poles Blown Down.

Montreal, Jan. 27.—The storm is over, but the railways feel it badly yet. The C.P.R. has 280 poles down between here and Farnham, 30 miles. The G.T.R. has not a pole standing in the eight miles from Valois to St. Anne de Bellevue, yet the trains are not far behind. By the cancellation of freights and less important passenger trains, the others are running with care without any despatches. Even the Vancouver train came in almost on time after feeling its way with news of the other train from Smith's Falls in.

Leaves Fortune to Priest.

Kingston, Jan. 27.—Miss Emil Deprez, who died in the General Hospital, left a fortune of $28,000 to Rev. Father Huntingdon of New York. Of this amount $6,000 is invested in real estate and the balance in stocks and securities. Father Huntingdon devotes his life to the relief of the poor. Her remains were cremated at her request and sent to her former home in Paris, France.

Dr. A. D. McIntyre, late superintendent of the General Hospital, has secured a fellowship at Edinburgh.

Laird-Scott Case To-morrow.

Regina, Sask., Jan. 27.—The famous Laird-Scott libel case goes to trial to-morrow morning, according to announcement made in court yesterday afternoon. Both sides have retained outside counsel, and these do not arrive till Thursday.

For the defence, Premier Scott has engaged Hugh Robson and N. P. Hogel of Winnipeg. The defence announces that they have filed a second plea and also objections to the pleadings.

Rail Broke at Game.

Cobalt, Jan. 27.—Ten or a dozen spectators of last night's hockey match between the Cobalts and Wanderers were injured by the collapse of a portion of the gallery rail, which allowed them to fall a dozen feet to the ice. The accident occurred with 13-4 minutes time left to play, and the Wanderers fighting furiously to overcome a lead of two goals. In the excitement the crowd pressed forward and the railing gave way.

Mining Men Ask Changes.

Edmonton, Jan. 27.—A deputation of the Western Coal Operators' Association of Southern Alberta and Eastern British Columbia waited on the members of the Provincial Cabinet to ask that amendments be made to the Workmen's Compensation Act—to change the compensation in the case of a fatality from $1,000 to $1,500, and for the repeal of the clause compensating workmen in the case of permanent disability.

Husband Kidnaps Child.

Toronto, Jan. 27.—Mrs. Charlotte E. Hamilton, 57 Cecil street, complains that her six-year-old child, Almer F. Hamilton, was kidnapped Jan. 13 while on his way to the Lansdowne school on Spadina crescent.

The next morning the mother received a 'phone message from her husband, from whom she is divorced. He said he was taking the boy to St. Louis.

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RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

SOME TORONTO GAMES HAVE BEEN ARRANGED WITH THE LOCAL BOWLERS NEWS PRINTERS ARE COMING HERE

Mr. J B Hay, proprietor of the P.B.C. bowling alleys, returned last evening from Toronto where he had spent a couple of days at his home and also calling on some of his many warm friends there. He visited a few of the bowling alleys and was besieged with applications for games with the Peterborough bowlers. The travellers out of Toronto, calling here are nearly all acquainted with Joe and they have bowled on the Peterborough alleys and against Peterborough bowlers. The result is they have gone back to Toronto with glowing stories of the prowess of the bowlers in the Electric City, and many of the Toronto bowlers are desirous of meeting teams from here.

Mr. Hay stated last night that he has arranged two games for five-men teams from this city to go to the Queen City a week from Saturday night. There will be a picked team from here play a picked team from the Toronto bowlers, and the latter bunch will include such men as Eddie Sutherland, Frank Johnston, Bath Neill, etc., all members of the big league bowlers and men with Canadian championship aspirations. It is men of this class that the local bowlers will be called upon to meet. The local team will include McIlroy, Wareham, Cairns and two others, probably Hay, Martin or Pollard.

Mr. Hay is of the opinion that although the Peterborough men have been bowling for about only one year, they have not very much to fear from the Toronto men. He does not say the locals will win in Toronto but he is confident that they will win the return game, and anyway it will be a feather in their caps to be pitted against the best men in Canada, no matter whether they win or lose. The contest will be played in Toronto a week from Saturday night.

On the same night a team of Peterborough printers will go to Toronto to meet the Mail & Empire team. The locals will be composed of such men as Cairns, Lacheur, Rishea, etc., while the Mail & Empire will play their regular printers' league team. This match will undoubtedly prove of great interest both in Toronto and here.

In addition to the games mentioned above, applications are in from the News, the champions of the Printers' League and it is possible that they will visit Peterborough within the next three weeks.

Another match which may materialize is a game between the editorial staff of the Toronto Telegram and a team of local newspaper men. If this game comes off it will likely be played on the same night that the News printers' team comes down.

There is a team of Toronto druggists who have issued a challenge to a team of Peterborough druggists. Mr. Hay will try and accommodate these people in the near future, but so far the local druggists have not gone in for bowling very extensively.

The Canadian Bowling Club also want a game here and together with the return matches with the Toronto picked team and the Mail & Empire team the local bowlers have a busy season before them.

BOTH MEN EXPECT TO WIN THE SIX-HOUR WALK ON SATURDAY

The announcement that J. E. Blake of Syracuse, N. Y., the American coloured walking champion and Jim Harrison, Peterborough's well known distance pedestrian are to back up for a six hour race in the Auditorium Roller Rink on Saturday of this week has aroused great interest in the city and a big crowd will witness the event. Blake was a prime favourite with the local enthusiasts while he was taking part in the big six day walk in which he finished second with Harrison third and many people will welcome the opportunity to see him in action again. He writes from Syracuse that he is in good shape and expects to beat Harrison here on Saturday. Whether he will do so or not is another matter, Harrison does not say so and those who saw the local crack go in his last match with Haugland are of the same opinion. In any event it should prove a great race and will be well worth seeing. The race will start at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and will continue until 5 when the men will leave the track for three hours, resuming at 8 o'clock to wind up the grind with another three hours walking.

CURLERS ARE BUSY AGAIN AFTER ENFORCED ABSENCE FROM THE RINK

With the first return of cool weather the curlers have begun to flock to the rink and yesterday afternoon a couple of scrub games were played while last night six schedule games were pulled off. The skips, scores and rinks are as follows:

S Rush	B F Ackerman	S A Oke	R Cameron
J Hall	T M Barber	H Meredith	W T Hall
Hollingshead	S D Hall	E B Clegg—10	A Moore—8
S T Medd—10	W J Thompson—5		
W A Adamson	W Stocker	B Lasher	W Taylor
F Brownscombe	C Clark	Scobbs	Dr Cameron
C N Brown	E H D'Hall	J Montgomery	D B Dennison
R Neill—20	W G Morrow—14	G H Giroux—14	J H Ferguson—16
T B Yates	W Higgins	M Lyle	W Menzies
		R Best	R Evans
		G Ferguson	Dr. Wightman
		W Lang—19	G B Stevenson—16
		W J Johnston	E Wade
		Dr. Buchanan	J Donaldson
		G Jobbitt	Dr Eastwood
		A Webb	J H Conna
		W J Read—10	M Tooley—5

CITY LEAGUE GAMES TO-MORROW ONLY HOCKEY EVENTS OF THE WEEK

The City League games to-morrow night promise to be of more than usual interest. They are, as it were, the semi finals in the League race, and all four teams may be depended upon to work hard for victory. Much is expected of the T.A.S.-Lakefield game as on the dope the teams are about equal. The T.A.S. beat the West Ends by 2—1 and the Lakefield team put it over the same team by the same narrow margin so that if those two games can be taken for purposes of comparison, there is nothing whatever to choose between the two teams. It will be a hard battle all the way and as both teams have now rounded into shape there is every reason to look forward to a most interesting game.

The Scratchonas and West Ends will be the contestants in the second game and although the Scratchonas are the logical favourites, upon a study of the games played, yet there is every reason to expect that the West Ends will give the High Commissioners the toughest kind of a tussle and the game should prove always interesting. With four of the junior O.H.A. team on the line-up the West Ends will have a fast team, and the argument they gave Leo Quinn's Lakefield bunch last week shows that they are not to be overlooked.

In addition to the big games the programme will also include a junior City League game between the Chieftains and Otonabees and those who have not seen any of the junior games this year are advised to go early to get a line upon this contest. The Chieftains are playing beautiful hockey and the Otonabees have a fast and heavy team, so that it should be a good game.

The City League bill of fare is the only hockey attraction of the week in Peterborough so that it should be largely attended.

PACIFICS LEAD THE BOWLING LEAGUE LAST NIGHT'S GAMES EXCITING

Fast were doings in the Peterborough Bowling League yesterday and as one of the spectators was heard to remark the evening's entertainment was "more exciting than a horse race." Several of the leaders were in action last night and so close is the race that the leadership changed hands three times last night. In the first place the Pacifics took three in a row from the Grays in the first game of the evening and as a result were out a front in the league race. Their head did not last long however for the Examiner A in the next match put the Indian sign on the Iroquois for three games thereby ousting the Pacifics from the top notch and climbing back there themselves. Then came the surprise of the evening when the Midgets who have not been rolling in form recently came back with a vengeance and grabbing two from the Examiner A pulled that team off the top peg and allowed the Pacifics to climb back to the place they had won earlier in the evening.

In the afternoon the Examiner B's tore off two out of three games from the B A C and as a result jumped from seventh position to a tie with the Belmonts and B A C for fourth position, the Iroquois taking a big drop as a result of their defeat at the hands of the Examiner A.

There was some excellent rolling done during the four games. Only one team rolled under 1300 and the Examiner A had two scores of over 1400 while the Midgets put on 1493. The Pacifics however beat the top rolling splendidly together for a 151 total.

McIlroy, captain of the Pacifics, also high man for the day, getting 571 in which a score of 213 helped some.

George Cairns of the Examiner A had two splendid scores of 553 and 528, getting 207 in one match and 208 in another, while Cyril Giroux rolled 526, getting 203 in his first game.

Dela Fosse of the Examiner B put on 515 against the B A C in the afternoon.

The scores last night were as follows—

PACIFICS				
Lillie	181	126	170—	477
Connors	166	153	150—	469
McIlroy	159	199	213—	571
	506	478	533—1517	
GRAYS				
McFadden	112	155	157—	424
Sullivan	126	153	133—	392
Percy	147	117	152—	440
	385	435	442—1262	
EXAMINER A				
Cairns	176	208	144—	528
Glover	146	160	146—	452
Lacheur	165	128	150—	443
	487	496	440—1423	
MIDGETS				
C Giroux	161	172	203—	526
Hayes	173	142	136—	451
L. Giroux	169	182	186—	537
	493	476	524—1493	
IROQUOIS—				
Anderson	96	121	144—	361
Stroud	150	154	157—	461
Martin	192	176	142—	510
	438	451	423—1312	
EXAMINER A				
Cairns	170	207	176—	553
Lacheur	141	145	153—	439
Glover	153	122	139—	414
	464	474	468—1406	
EXAMINER B				
Dela Fosse	158	185	172—	515
Craig	138	156	144—	438
Clark	116	147	129—	392
	412	468	445—1325	
B. A. C.				
MacRae	117	149	159—	425
Best	135	156	156—	447
Brue	143	148	195—	486
	395	453	510—1358	

HOCKEY

Church League clubs having postponed games will play same off as soon as possible on the rink scheduled, and make their own arrangements for dates.

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The Peterborough intermediate O.H.A. team had a lively practice last night with the Strathconas, a good representation of both teams being out, and they went at a speedy clip for an hour although the ice was necessarily not of the best. It was the first workout since the game in Lindsay and the team seemed full of ginger after the rest. There will be another practice to-night between 7 and 8 o'clock, if the weather conditions permit.

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	2:10 a.m.	9:05 p.m.
Toronto, Lindsay, Stouffville, Uxbridge and Markham	11:00 a.m. 2:00 p.m. 10:10 p.m.	7:10 a.m. 12:45 p.m. 11:45a.m
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All accounts due the firm of H. LeBrun & Co., Clothiers, are required to be settled not lated than the 8th day of February next, as our books must be closed on that date. Parties having accounts against this firm are requested to send them in for payment before the above rate.

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LATEST CITY NEWS.

Rehearsal to-night
—Rehearsal to-night for "The Private Secretary," in the K. of P. hall at eight sharp.

Jordan Bros., Florists
—Will remove on the 1st February to the store now occupied by Macgregor & Reid, 428 George street.

"The Private Secretary"
—Remember that the local production of "The Private Secretary" will be next Monday night, February the first.

Probabilities
—Strong southwesterly to northwesterly winds, fair and mild. Thursday—Northwesterly winds, fair, with a little lower temperature.

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—Painting and decorating, all work quickly, neatly and cheaply executed. Country work not objected to. A Guppy, 455 Stewart street. 22d14

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Literary Meeting
—The regular meeting of The Ladies' Literary Society of St. Peter's T. A. S. will be held on Friday evening when a paper will be read by Miss V. Donoghue. 3dan22

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Mr. Joseph McNeil, of Midland, is the guest of Mr. Jas. Dorris, for a week.

Miss Alicen Fair has returned to the city after a pleasant visit in Millbrook.

Mr. Emmet Doherty, formerly of Peterborough and now of Fort William, is in the city on a visit.

Mrs. W. J. Dunlop, 711 Water street, will be at home the first and fourth Thursdays of each month.

Miss Perry, of Bobcaygeon, and Mrs. Simpson, of Birch Hill, Sask., are the guests of Mrs. Henry, Boswell avenue.

A large crowd drove out to Keenismore on Tuesday night to be present at a play entitled "The Parish Priest" which was presented by local talent to a very large audience in the town hall.

Hon. J. R. Stratton was in Toronto on Tuesday attending the annual meeting of the Traders Bank of Canada of which he is vice-president. Mr. Stratton spent the evening in Peterborough, arriving on the local and left on the midnight train for Ottawa.

The many friends of Mrs. G. B. Ormond, who accompanied Mrs. J. R. Stratton to Ottawa to attend the opening of Parliament and who was taken suddenly ill, and has been in the hospital at Ottawa since Wednesday last, will be pleased to know that she is improving in health. It is expected that in a few days' time she will have entirely recovered.

Mrs. (Hon.) J R Stratton was present at the Governor-General's Drawing Room on Saturday, and the Citizen says:—Mrs. J R Stratton, (Peterborough,) wore an exquisite robe of pearl white chiffon cloth with tiny iridescent sequins heavily embroidered by hand with large roses in a rich design around the bottom of the skirt and on the corsage, the whole mounted on pearl white satin finished around the hem with cloth of silver; diamond and pearl ornaments and bouquet of lilies of the valley.

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NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(Furnished by J. N. Barber.)

New York, Jan. 27—There was little feature and less interest in today's stock market. Dullness and irregularity characterized the list for the most part, although the announcement of the election of Mr Harriman to the board of directors of the New York Central stirred things up for a half an hour and caused fair advances in that issues and the Harriman stocks. Southern and Union Pacific. C. and O. was again made active at advancing prices and sold up to the highest figure in a long time. The trading elsewhere was strictly professional and along narrow lines.

London prices were unchanged, with foreign houses looking on. Copper metal was again lower over there, but this was hardly reflected in the copper shares here which were absolutely neglected.

There was a little more activity in the last half hour with the market highly irregular. Rock Island, B R. T. and some of the minor Gould issues were run up while the leading rails. Steel and Copper were heavy and sold off at the same time. The closing was unsettled.

	Opening	Closing
A.C.P	78½	78½
Atch	100½	100⅝
B.R.T.	70⅝	71⅛
C.P.R.	173⅝	176
C.F.I.	41½	41½
Erie	30½	31
Great Northern	143⅝	143⅝
L.N.	—	—
Mo. Pac.	71½	71½
Northern Pacific	140⅝	140
N.Y.C.	130½	130⅝
Penna	133½	133½
R.I.	24⅝	25½
Rdg.	137	136½
Smelters	86	85½
Soo	144½	144
St. Paul	189	189⅝
S.P	120	121½
U.P.	170	170⅝
U.S	53⅝	53⅝
U.S. pfd.	114½	114½
Twin City	100½	100⅝
Nipissing	10⅛	10⅛
May Wheat	106⅝	107½
" Corn	64½	65
May Oats	51⅝	52½
" Pork	16.95	16.91

COUNTY COUNCIL'S SESSIONS TO-DAY

Reports and Communications Received—School Inspectors Present.

The County Council again met this morning and this afternoon. Considerable business was done, receiving reports and communications and in committee. This morning's session was taken up as follows:—

The Treasurer's financial report was read and adopted.

The report of the Board of Management of the House of Refuge for 1908 was read and adopted.

Statements from several treasurers of other municipalities were read and ordered to be filed.

Messrs. Chatten and Bickle asked the Council to provide for Mr. C. Chatten, senior. Referred to Finance Committee.

Communications

From Fred Fry re appointment of School Trustee, Norwood.—Committee on Appointments.

From the Clerk of the County of Essex, re collecting compensation from motor vehicles.—Roads and Bridges Committee.

From the Hospital for Sick Children re grant. — Finance Committee.

From the executors of the A. G. Foley showing statements of funds.—Finance.

From Dr. Graham re increase of salary as House of Refuge Surgeon, also report of visits, etc., during 1908.—Committee on Appointments.

From Hon. J. R. Stratton, M.P., re bridge for Indians at Chemong.—Roads and Bridges Committee.

On motion of Messrs. Russell and Brown, the reports of the Public School Inspectors were read and referred to the Committee on Schools.

The Council then adjourned.

The afternoon was spent mostly in Committee work.

HOW TO CURE A HEADACHE

To attempt to cure a headache by dosing of "headache powder," is like trying to stop a leak in the roof by putting a pan under the dripping water. Chronic headaches are caused by poisoned blood. The blood is poisoned by tissue waste, undigested food and other impurities remaining too long in the system. These poisons are not promptly eliminated because of sick liver, bowels, skin or kidneys.

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THE LOAD OF HIDES WERE WORTH $400

Bridgenorth Man Brought Record Load —Crows and Robins at the Village.

Examiner Special.

Bridgenorth, Jan. 27—Did you see the fog?

Weather decidedly mild.

Crows are quite plentiful at present.

Mr. S. Forsythe saw two robins on Thursday while working in the woods.

A heavy thunder storm passed over this section on Sunday morning about 9 o'clock.

John Pope was in Peterborough on Saturday on business.

Mr. Nathan Taylor is confined to his home through illness.

Mr. Ball is home from Squaw River for a few days.

Miss Cruickshanks who teaches the school at Selwyn spent Sunday at her home in the village.

Mr. Sandy Morrison has purchased a house and lot in the village and intends taking up housekeeping in the near future.

Mr. C. R. Keyes the local organizer for the C. O. O. F. who has spent the past ten days here in the interests of the local Court has met with great success, seven initiations being the result, which took place at a special meeting on Friday night, the 15th. Refreshments were served interspersed with songs, speeches, gramaphone selections, etc., and altogether a very enjoyable evening was spent, including the installation of officers which was conducted by Bro. Keyes. Over seventy members were present.

The division court case between Nicholls and Beatty which came up for its final hearing on Friday before Judge Weller at the Council chamber, was thrown out.

The school board this year is composed of Messrs. R. C. Heard, D. H. Weed, and J. A. Jobe, with Mr. Jobe as chairman. No doubt he will have his hands full during the present year as a number of improvements are contemplated at the present time.

Sealed tenders were asked for to supply ten cords of two foot hard wood to be delivered on or before the first of March.

Mr Mann Jr. had the lowest tender therefore was awarded the contract. This no doubt will make extra work for the chairman of the board as he has to help pile the wood and measure it up.

Mr. Thos Mann took a load of hides to Peterborough last week for Jopling Bros., butchers which contained four tons and brought something over four hundred dollars.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. D. Kelly, who have been in New York and Boston on their wedding trip, have returned home and are at present occupying their beautiful new home on the corner of Front and Bay streets.

Mr. A. Walker, formerly of Yelland's Carriage Works, Peterborough who has leased Mr. Heard's shop in the village, is doing a land office business. He finds it impossible to attend to the rush himself and no doubt will have to get an apprentice in the near future.

Throughout Ontario on Christmas Day 375 marriage licenses were issued; a record number indeed.

A lady in the village who was doing a little house cleaning last week came across a pin cushion which looked as if it had survived its usefulness but before consigning it to the flames she poked around among its inwards" a little, just to see if any needles were hidden there. She found 103 needles in the cushion which was 17 years old.

APPLICATION TO PARLIAMENT.

An Application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario at its next session, by the Peterborough Radial Railway Company, for an Act extending the times for the completion of those sections of the Company's Railway not yet under construction.

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Examiner Special.

Havelock, Jan. 28 — The death occurred on Sunday of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Hartney (Rita Mary), after only a very short illness of two days. The funeral took place on Monday morning, services being held at the house at 10 a.m., and from thence by noon train to Perth for burial. The sympathy of all is extended to the bereaved parents in the loss of their little darling.

Mr. and Mrs. Kindred spent Thursday last in Norwood, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Howson.

No services were held in St. John's Church on Sunday, owing to the absence of the pastor, Rev. H. Caplan, who was conducting service at Marmora.

Miss Minnie McWilliams, of town, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Jennie Raeburn, of Tweed, left on Friday to spend a few weeks at her home in Marmora.

Mrs. Smith, of Campbellford, is spending a few days in town, the guest of her daughter, Miss Annie Smith.

Mrs. A. E. Aldrey and little daughter Mabel left on Monday for Toronto, where they will spend a few weeks the guest of her sister, Mrs. Young, of the city.

Mr. F. R. Pratt, of Smiths Falls, is in town for a few days on business.

A number from town intend taking in the "Trainmen's Ball" at Toronto on Wednesday night.

Mr. Jack Weir, of Norwood, was in town on Saturday.

Havelock Hockey Team go to Madoc on Wednesday of this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Hourigan and baby returned to town from Smith's Falls on Monday, where they have been the guests of the former's parents, for the past few weeks and will remain in town for a few days, the guests of Mrs. Hourigan's sister, Mrs. A. E. McGuire, before returning to their home at Woodstock.

Miss Flynn, of Peterborough, is the guest of Mrs. Thos. Bennett.

Mr. Frank Coon, who was hurt in a runaway accident on Saturday of last week is, we are glad to report, progressing favourably, but is still under the doctor's care.

The Piano Recital in the Opera House on Friday evening was largely attended and highly appreciated by all, and much praise and credit is due Miss Smith and her pupils.

The programme was as follows:—

PART I.

Duet, "Dance of the Shadows," Misses S. and A. Wood.
Solo, "Playfulness," Miss W. Smith.
Solo, "In the Twilight," Miss A. Bennington.
Solo (vocal), "Island of Dreams," Mrs. H. C. Kindred.
Duet, "Lady Betty," Misses M. Murphy and A. Smith.
Solo, "Will o' the Wisp," Miss Eva O'Brien.
Solo, "Sonatina Op. 20, No. 1," Miss M. Sexsmith.
Solo (vocal), "Sing on," Mrs. M. H. Swain.
Solo, "Valse," Miss Olive Rose.

PART II.

Solo, "La Fontaine," Miss S. Kitchen.
Solo, "Dancing Spirits," Miss Pearl Brown.
Solo (vocal), "Carol of the Lark," Miss B. Rose.
Solo, "Second Valse," Miss S. Armstrong.
Solo, "Tarantelle," Miss R. H. Alvena.
Solo (vocal), "Taters," Mrs. M. S. Swain.
Solo, "Les Sylphes," Miss E. Wright.
Solo, "The Myrtles," Miss H. Sexsmith.
Duet (vocal), "Very Suspicious," Dr. and Mrs. Kindred
Duet, "Marche Militaire," Misses K. Anderson and A. Smith.
National Anthem.

Mr. Joseph Knox, Reeve, acted as chairman, and most ably filled the position.

Mr. Thos. Sheldon, of Boston, Swift & Co.'s agent, is in town this week inspecting the work done at this point.

Mr. J. V. A. Coon was in Peterborough this week on business.

Messrs. C. Armstrong and Jas. Watson were in Peterborough on Tuesday.

Miss Georgina Falkner left on Tuesday to spend a few weeks with friends in Peterborough.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Pickford, of Norwood, were guests at the Rectory on Tuesday.

Mr. Jack Weir, of Norwood, has bought out the livery business of Mr. John Thompson, of town; the change take place on Wednesday.

Mr. Harold Howson, of Norwood, was in town on Tuesday.

Rev. H. Caplan went to Toronto on Wednesday to attend the funeral of Archbishop Sweatman which takes place on the afternoon of that day.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Wing and baby returned home on Tuesday after a week's vacation with friends down east.

Miss Bessie Rose was in Lindsay on Tuesday.

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ANSWERS HIS DETRACTORS

Dr. Reid of Grenville Resumes Old Role of Scandal Hunter and Raises Debate on Ante-Election Canard—Dr. Sproule Asks Question Which He Is Forced to Withdraw — Marconi Stations.

Ottawa, Jan. 28.—Dr. Reid of Grenville has commenced again on his work of lengthening the session. Yesterday in the Commons he started on the trail of another imaginary scandal and succeeded in rousing a debate on the Mayes dredging contract.

The Liberals, however, had no reason to regret the discussion, if for no other reason than that it afforded Hon. Mr. Pugsley an opportunity to reply to his detractors, of which he effectively availed himself. In meeting the attack of the Opposition he was ably supported by Mr. Hugh Guthrie, who in a convincing speech moved as an amendment that the conditions embodie din the regulation passed by the Government provided a proper safeguard of the public interest.

The question came up on a resolution moved by Dr. Reid declaring that tenders should be placed in safe custody under seal, so as to prevent any possibility or suspicion of tampering, and should be opened in public in the presence of at least three officials of the Deparment, and that persons tendering should be at liberty to attend.

Hon. William Pugsley pointed out that it would be impossible, in some cases, for a Minister or Deputy Minister to be present. Dr. Reid had failed to make a case that the public were not well satisfied that everything was O.K.

"Does the Minister mean to say," asked Dr. Sproule, "that there was no collusion in respect to the alteration of the tender in which the price was changed from 50 cents to 55 cents and a rake-off went to Mr. McAvity?"

Dr. Pugsley jumped to his feet.

"There was no alteration of the tender referred to," he said. "There appeared in St. John what purported to be a solemn declaration, read by Mr. Hazen, and which contained statements that were absolutely false."

Mr. Pugsley had asked Mr. Hazen to have the declaration filed, but he said he returned it to Mr. Mayes, who refused to produce it.

"Does the hon. member meant to say that I advised changing the tender?" asked Dr. Pugsley.

Dr. Sproule withdrew. But was it not the fact that the information proceeded from the only authority that had the power to grant the contract?

Dr. Pugsley again denied the allegations. So far as he knew, no tender had been changed from 50 to 55 cents. Only two tenders had been received and the lowest, at 55 cents, was the successful one.

"Will the Minister not say that the man who tendered at 50 cents got the work at 55 cents?", asked Mr. Lancaster.

"He refers to two different tenders," retorted Dr. Pugsley. "In answer to advertisement two tenders were received, one at 55 cents and another at $1.10 or thereabouts."

"Wasn't it the same work for which a tender for 50 cents had been received?" asked Mr. Lancaster.

"I think it was," said Dr. Pugsley.

"Then who gave the advice that the figure be changed?" Dr. Sproule persisted.

"I gave no such advice," corrected Mr. Pugsley.

O. S. Crockett (York, N.B.): Does he say that he did not send Mayes to McAvity and that McAvity advised Mayes to raise the price?"

Mr. Pugsley: "That is an entirely different matter."

Mr. Foster read portions of the Mayes affidavit, according to which McAvity received $35,000 of public money for no other return than his influence to secure a higher price for work than the contractor was satisfied to do it for. Yet on Tuesday the Minister said the Government was not aware that it had any claim for the return of the money.

Mr. Pugsley challenged his opponents to point to any wrong-doing in his Department in connection with the passing of tenders. It was a mistake to say that Conservatives would not tender for Government work. The records of the Department proved this.

The allegation that he had, while a Minister, accepted $2,000 from a contractor was the most infamous charge ever brought against a public man.

The requirement that tenderers should have a dredge in Canada forced the withdrawal of the Mayes' tender of 50 cents. The subsequent tender of 55 cents was 70 cents below the tender of Haney & Miller.

The Minister of Marine, in reply to a question, said the amount paid to March 31, 1907, for Marconi stations was $132,641 for construction and $67,556 for maintenance, and for 1907-08, for maintenance $56,232. There were 15 stations, handling 4,886 messages.

Played at Victoria's Coronation.

Buffalo, Jan. 28.—No more loyal British subject ever went to make peace with his Maker than Alcimis Coulthirst, a native of Lancashire, England, and the last survivor of the band which played at the coronation of the late Queen Victoria, whose death occurred on Tuesday at his old home in Amigari, Ont., aged 89. Mr. Coulthirst had been a resident of Ontario for over half a century.

BURIAL OF THE LATE PRIMATE

Remains of "Arthur Toronto" Are Laid to Rest.

AN IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY

Chancel of St. Alban's Cathedral Is Too Small For Crowds Who Come to Pay Last Respects to Dead Primate of All Canada—St. Alban's Schoolboys Act as Guard of Honor Yesterday Afternoon.

Toronto, Jan. 28.—No more stately, more impressive nor yet simpler obsequies have ever been celebrated in Toronto than the ceremonial rites accompanying the interment yesterday of the remains of His Grace the late Most Reverend Metropolitan and Primate of Canada, Bishop of Toronto, Archbishop Arthur Sweatman, D.D., at St. Alban's Cathedral and St. James' cemetery.

All the bright morning the remains lay in state in the chancel of the cathedral of St. Alban the Martyr. Touches of purple drapery on the walls told that a prince of the church was being mourned. But white flowers on the altar and about the chancel were more in evidence.

At 10.30 the great concourse of mourners began to file through the cathedral, passing the purple draped copper casket in the middle aisle near the chancel steps. The crowds grew to such a size that the chancel of the cathedral would scarcely hold them all.

The service was very simple and characterized by the solemn dignity that dwells in the association of long years, through which many of those present found it enriched by a wealth of memories. Nothing was added to the ordinary burial service but the processional hymn, "Love divine, each joy excelling." This was followed by Gounod's anthem, sung with fine pathos, "Come Unto Him."

Outside St. Alban's cathedral a vast concourse awaited the conclusion of the church service. As the procession bearing the casket emerged from the sacred edifice the deep silence was only broken by the solemn tolling of the cathedral bell. The sky was overcast and a chilling mist swept the streets, but the multitude stood as if spell-bound until the cortege moved slowly away to the cemetery.

Among the few flowers, few by request of the family and in accordance with the dead prelate's desire, was a wreath of orchids, palms and lilies of the valley from Earl and Countess Grey. Rupert's Land sent a wreath, and the boys of St. Alban's school a cross with the school motto: "Macte virtute puer," (increase the manliness of the boy).

To Cancel Fishing Leases.

Ottawa, Jan. 28.—It is announced that the Minister of Marine is taking steps to cancel three fishing leases which there has been a good deal of discussion.

They are the lease of F. H. Markey of Montreal of fishing privileges granted 21 years from 1904 for the Nelson, Hayes and Pidgeon rivers and in Great Slave Lake; J. Mackenzie, a nine-year lease of the fishing of Lake Athabasca and Lesser Slave Lake; Archibald McNee, a 21-year lease of the fishing rights of James Bay.

Stowaways In Lifeboat.

Hoboken, N.J., Jan. 28.—Recorder McGovern listened to a remarkable stowaway story yesterday, when three young Germans were arraigned before him. They had finished their trip across the ocean in a lifeboat, swinging on its davits amidships on the starboard side of the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, Tuesday night, and were waiting to escape when discovered.

Each lifeboat is provided with a keg of water and a supply of sea biscuit, and on these supplies the stowaways subsisted comfortably.

Lutherans' School Campaign.

Berlin, Ont., Jan. 28.—The Lutheran conference, in session here, moved yesterday toward getting wider educational liberties for Lutheran children. A committee, including Valentine Stock, M.P., has charge of the campaign.

This action is the result of an arraignment of children of a local Lutheran parishioner in the Police Court for infringement of the school regulations by attending St. Paul's Lutheran Confirmation School in public school hours.

King and Queen to Visit Spain.

Madrid, Jan. 28.—It is announced that King Edward and Queen Alexandra will visit Villagarcia on board the royal yacht Victoria and Albert, Feb. 16. King Alfonso and Queen Victoria will receive the royal visitors. A British squadron will convoy the Victoria and Albert, and French, Italian and German fleet divisions are also expected to arrive at the same time.

Keeps Names of Assailants a Secret.

Niagara Falls, N.Y., Jan. 28.—Emmet White, aged 32 years, died yesterday from injuries received Sunday morning, from a beating inflicted by a party of men

While White admitted that he knew who his assailants were, he died without giving any names. The polive have five men under arrest.

Absence Is Costly.

Ottawa, Jan. 28.—For not appearing for examination preliminary to his trial, judgment was entered against W. J. Usher, Ottawa, in a suit by Le Banque Nationale, for payment of a promissory note for $2,000. Usher was away from the city on business.

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WIFE GOES BACK ON PROBATION

She Must Not Go Out at Night o Entertain Without Chaperone.

Flint, Mich., Jan. 28 — Mrs. Grace Conger, a young married woman, pleaded guilty in the County Court here to running away to New York State with Orson Brooks.

She was released on probation for a period of three years, during which time she is forbidden to leave her home at night, unless in the company of an adult member of her family, nor can she entertain company unless a member of the family is present.

She must report to the court every sixty days. Brooks who also pleaded guilty, was sentenced to from six months to three years in the Industrial Reformatory.

A BALD NEWSPAPER MAN

Getting a new Crop of Hair, and ha no More Dandruff.

Everybody in the North West knows Col Laniel Seaman the well known journalist and publicist, of Butte, Jan 10, 1909, the Colonel writes. "I used a couple of bottles of Newbro's Herpicide with marvelous results. The dandruff disappeared. A new crop of hair has taken root and the bald spot is rapidly being covered." Herpicide is the only hair preparation that kills the dandruff germ that digs up the scalp in scales and it burrows its way to the root of the hair, where it destroys the vitality of the hair causing the hair to fall out. Kill the dandruff germ with Herpicide.

Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to the Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. Two Sizes 50c and $1 McDermid & Jury, and Payne's Drug Store, Special Agents.

HAS NEVER KISSED ALTHOUGH 79 YEARS OL

Never Swore an Oath and Never Chew or Smoked Tobacco.

St. Paul, Ind., Jan. 28 — David Hawkins, a well known wealthy citizen of Metamora, has been visiting friends in Decatur County for a few days. Mr. Hawkins is seventy-nine years old, and says he has never been kissed, never swore an oath, never took a chew of tobacco and never smoked a pipe or cigar.

The South African war raised the national debt of Great Britain from 625 millions to nearly 797 millions sterling. The famous "Salads" [illegible] has raised the standard of tea consumption throughout the entire American continent.

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Photographing Aileen.

By LITTELL McCLUNG.

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Marvin Morton, with some little experience at snapshotting, as an incentive, decided to go in for amateur photography on a more extensive scale. Straightway he went to a fashionable dealer and bought an expensive camera, with plate holder attachment.

"I'll call by for it tomorrow morning," he told the clerk. "Please be sure to have a couple of plates in the holder, for I want to take some pictures if the weather is fine."

"I'll have the plates put in and everything ready for you, sir," the salesman replied.

Then Marvin began to think of what he should most like to snap with his new camera. There were the new library, the new custom house, the new art gallery. But somehow or other none of these marble structures appealed to him.

"There's nothing like a human subject when it comes to photography," he mused. The next thought followed naturally. "And the best of human subjects is a pretty girl in a pretty gown!"

A moment later he was talking over the telephone.

"Hello, Aileen! I've just bought a new camera," he announced.

"Indeed, Marvin, that's interesting," came back over the wire. "And what are you going to do with it?"

"Take some pictures of Aileen if she'll let me," he replied.

"Oh, that will be splendid!" she exclaimed. "And when are you going to take them?"

"Tomorrow morning if you say so."

"All right. I've got nothing on hand for tomorrow morning," she answered. "Where shall we go?"

"Out into the park."

"Then I'll don a frock that will be in accord with the setting," she laughed.

Aileen was as good as her word, for when Marvin stopped for her next morning, camera in hand, she wore the smartest blue suit imaginable, almost matching the clear autumn sky.

"Oh, I know we will have a nice little expedition," she ventured. "And I'm to have my picture taken for—why, let me see—for the first time since early spring. Let me get a peep at your new camera. It's a beauty, isn't it?"

"Yes," he replied. "It is supposed to do extra fine work. You see, I am somewhat of a novice, and the camera has to be a good one for me. This one has a holder for plates at the back. I've never used plates before, but the clerk filled up the holder for me, and I'm going to try them this morning."

Soon they were strolling down one of the velvety slopes of the park. The leaves were falling from the larger trees, but the occasional bushes were as green as in springtime.

They passed a lake, and presently they came into a little glen that ran right up against a hillside.

"This ought to be a fine place for the pictures," he suggested. "Suppose you strike a pose—anything you like."

"Well, how's this, Sir Photographer?" she queried, putting her closed parasol back over her shoulder and holding it at both ends—as a huntsman sometimes carries his gun—and throwing her head back in a merry laugh.

"Very fetching," he commented, "but I believe that with the parasol up and a side view would be even more so. Try it, if you don't mind."

She turned slightly, opened the parasol and held it back over her shoulder with one hand. Her dainty head was silhouetted against the turquoise sky, for she was standing on the slope several feet above him.

"This one's a stunner!" he declared, shifting his position. Then he drew out of the plate holder the thin little board protecting the first plate, and, click, it was over.

"How did I look?" she questioned, with an alluring glance.

"How did you look?" he repeated. "Why, you were—but please don't ask me such questions, for the first thing you know I'll be telling you more complimentary things than would be good for you—or me either!"

"Oh, very well," she laughed, shrugging her shoulders prettily. "Now what am I to do for picture No. 2?"

"Let's have this one sitting down," he requested.

She assented by seating herself on the slope and gazing at him seriously with her chin poised on her dainty little fist.

"Don't look so solemn," he protested. "You're not posing as a tragedy queen!"

"Well, then, how's this?" she asked, resting her chin between both hands and smiling radiantly.

He suppressed a reply and concentrated his attention on catching that bewitching, tantalizing smile.

"I've surely got it!" he thought as he withdrew the second plate protector.

"That was prettier than the other if comparisons are not distasteful," he opined. "Now if you will"—

But of a sudden something caused him to rivet his glance on the plate holder side of the kodak. Then he pulled out one of the thin protectors and peered more closely at the box-like arrangement. With a look of disgust he shook the camera savagely.

"Well, I am a prize goose!" he muttered.

"Why, what's the trouble, Marvin?" she questioned, coming up close and looking at the camera

"What's the trouble?" he echoed "There's trouble a-plenty. All your posing has been for naught. There's not a single solitary plate in this blooming thing! Look at it!"

"Oh, how funny!" she gurgled.

"How did it happen?"

"It happened because that forgetful clerk failed to put in the plates after solemnly assuring me that he would!" he answered. "Well, there's nothing to do but come out here again some time. Let's go over and sit down under that big tree and chat awhile and try to laugh off this fiasco."

She readily agreed, and they sat down on a rustic bench and commented on their failure.

"Just to think those poses had to be lost on an unappreciative camera!" she complained, with a little pout.

"Yes, it was a pity," he agreed. "But, after all, they weren't lost on an unappreciative photographer!"

"Really, weren't they?" And her eyes flashed pleasurable surprise.

"I should say not," he affirmed earnestly, his voice unsteady. "For a long time I shall remember them, I think."

She was silent as she looked at him questioningly.

"Aileen," he continued, his tone lower, "don't you know that somewhere in my mind there is a camera that always has plates ready for use? With it I have taken a thousand pictures of you, Aileen, in all your moods. Often, day and night, I go over this lovely picture gallery of my memory—one that all the money on earth could not buy!

"Some of the portraits are blurred a little, but the rest are as bright as when they first appeared. Somehow I think none of them will ever fade entirely. Many show you laughing and happy. Others depict you smiling and wistful. Some are vivacious, some demure, others coy and quaint, a few stormy and revengeful, but all are precious to me. One—must I tell you of that?—shows you with a young man in the moonlight. It's a beautiful gallery, my dear; the most beautiful, I am sure, in all the world!"

She was gazing at him now with a new look in her eyes—the look of tender appeal. Her hand rested gently on his arm.

"Marvin, dear boy," she whispered, "I do so hope your picture gallery will always be bright; that none of the pictures will ever fade away."

"Do you really, dear?" he asked earnestly.

"Yes, very, very much," she answered.

"Then there's one sure way of having them always clear and bright," he said.

"How is that?" she asked, with an encouraging smile.

"By having the subject always present," he declared, the twinkle returning to his eyes. "Is she willing?"

"With you as photographer, Marvin? Yes. She's been willing for quite a long time!"

"After all," he commented as they walked homeward, "this picture taking expedition without plates has been the most successful of my whole life."

Their Masks.

Victor Grayson's latest charge against the members of the house of commons is one of the most surprising and at the same time one of the most serious of the many that have come from him. He said:

"They wear large white shirts to conceal the fact that they have nothing behind their foreheads."—Westminster Gazette.

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Every boy will start off Monday Morning, February 1st, on an equal footing, no matter whether you have been selling papers in the past or not. Don't be afraid to start. Any boy can compete. The Examiner wants you to have your own customers, to collect your own money, and make what you can. Any boy that becomes an Examiner Newsboy and gets two or more new customers each week will stand a good chance of winning one of the following :—

Remember

New beginners, as well as all our regular Newsboys, who enter this contest, will start scoring together on **Monday Evening,** February 1st.

Papers are ready every evening shortly after four o'clock.

Boys attending school can be easily supplied, and with a little hustle can soon start a savings bank.

Girls, who desire, can take part in this competition, as well as boys.

We will keep a record of every boy's daily sales up to the end of the contest.

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First Prize	$25.00
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It's the largest individual increase every week that counts.

If one boy who has been selling papers starts on Monday next with ten regular customers and increases his list to twenty at the end of the week, and another boy with twenty regular customers has only increased to twenty-five, the first boy wins the $2.00 Weekly Prize in cash, because he has added ten to his list while the second boy has only added five to his list.

Whether you have been selling papers in the past or not makes no difference.

Canvass those who are not now taking the Examiner. They will always read it if you get them started.

No boy has any advantage over any other.

It's all in the hustle.

PARENTS

Who would like to encourage their boys to earn sufficient pocket money to keep them, are urged to give them a start with a few cents for their first lot of papers. There are many young men now holding good positions who made their first money by selling the Evening Examiner. Any boy can start at any time, but he should start on Monday, February 1st, with the rest and give no handicap. Any further information required, regarding this competition, will be given at the office of the Examiner.

NOW, BOYS AND GIRLS, GET BUSY!

AN IMPORTANT CONDITION—In order that protection may be given to each boy who is entered in this competition it is a condition that no one will secure a prize who does not legitimately earn it. If a boy applies for a weekly prize who has not bought the papers for his own use and sale it will be turned over to the boy who has actually won it. :-: :-: :-: -:- :-:

THE MORNING TUB.

Wonders Wrought Daily Both For Nerves and Complexion.

Nothing could be more beneficial to nerves and complexion than a daily tub, and, indeed, the best bred women consider it an essential to good grooming. But others—and they number astoundingly high—declare they cannot stand either a warm or cold bath daily. They claim it weakens them and makes them catch cold easily. Now, the whole trouble is probably that they do not regulate the temperature of the water to suit their individual systems. Hot baths are weakening, 'tis true, in the long run, and cold baths many women cannot stand. But there are many degrees of tepidity and warmth for those who are not very robust.

It is impossible to lay down any rule as to the precise point of heat to which the tub may be brought, because what would be warm to one person would be chilly to another, the degree of heat depending upon the individual's general physical condition. The nearest one can come to specific instruction is to state that the bath should impart a gentle feeling of warmth as soon as the water touches the body, but that it must not be hot.

This getting into water that is languorously hot is to be commended only when trying to break up a cold or to throw the body into a state of perspiration. There is no reaction from it—indeed, such water is debilitating in effect—and immediately after taking such a tub a person must go to bed. Even resting will not be sufficient, and one would probably waken from a nap feeling weak and languid after a very hot tub.

Under no circumstances should a person remain longer than fifteen minutes in a tub, and ten minutes is enough. This, of course, is in warm water. In cold one would not stay longer than two or three minutes. When in the water use a bath brush. It has excellent cleansing qualities, as it gives surface stimulation if gently rubbed on the skin. A woman who has once used a bath brush will not enjoy her tub without using one.

The tub is best indulged in late in the afternoon, lying down for ten minutes or longer afterward. This is not a good hour for a busy woman, however, and so she will get the most benefit by taking her bath at night just before going to bed.

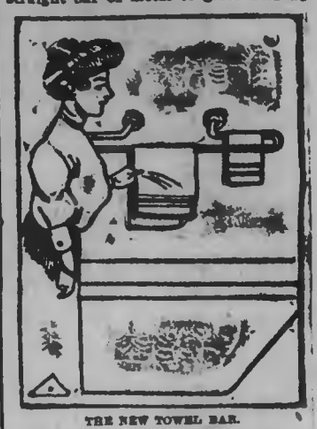
At times when a bath is impossible a dry rub is excellent. To give it the whole body should be briskly frictioned with a coarse bath towel, stimulating the circulation and preventing the accumulation of dried skin.

A daily morning cold sponge, while it should be taken in addition to rather than instead of the tepid tub, is very stimulating to those who can stand it, and more women could stand it if they tried it in a warm room.

TOWEL BAR'S CAPACITY.

Has Been Increased by a Trifling Change in Its Design.

The metal towel bar, which is to be seen in every properly furnished bathroom, is a popular piece of furnishing, as attested by its general use. Up to very recently it has consisted of a straight bar of metal or glass held at



THE NEW TOWEL BAR.

a convenient height above the tub by supports secured in the wall. The storage capacity of this article has been greatly increased by a slight change in its design, as shown by the accompanying cut. This feature is particularly desirable from the fact that it permits of fresh towels being placed on the rear, while the towels in use may hang from the front.

THE CABIN BOY.

He Has Become Practically a Thing of the Past.

An old sea captain who brought his ship into port recently after a long voyage from the east was talking about the changed conditions in the merchant marine since he entered it fifty years ago.

"I was thinking particularly," he said, "of how the cabin boy has completely disappeared, or at least how extremely rare he is now. I went to sea when I was twelve years old and got in full share of the many duties and few pleasures that belonged to the job I took. I waited on the officers, or the passengers if we had any, helped the steward in the pantry and even had to assist 'cookie' despite the chronic kicking I put up over that imposition. Besides all those things, of course, the crew made me run errands for them, and everybody in general seemed to regard 'the boy' as the scapegoat for anything that went wrong. All new cabin boys were unmercifully laughed at if they were either homesick or seasick, and there were various practical jokes which had to be tried on them by the seamen. I remember well how I was told the first day I came aboard never to throw anything to windward except hot water and ashes and how I was green enough to follow these orders implicitly. The sight of my red and streaming eyes set the crew into roars of laughter.

"Those times are gone. There's no place at sea for any one but an able-bodied man now. Even the 'mess boys,' so called on the liners and in the navy, are all men. The modern changes in the build of vessels have left no work fit for a boy, and I don't believe you could find one now unless on some very small craft."

Power of Habit Strong.

"The habit of looking under the bed for burglars," the young woman said, "is something that folks laugh at, but I have never been able to get myself out of it. I never feel perfectly comfortable unless I look, no matter where I happen to be. To my mind there isn't any place except a safe deposit vault burglars are unlikely to be. In fact, the habit is so strongly ingrained in me that one night when I was staying in a small country hotel, where there was nothing but a folding bed in the room, I took it down and then looked under it before I got into bed. That's a fact. I laughed at myself the minute after."

Suffragists Heckled.

Miss Sylvia Pankhurst, the suffragist, was to have addressed a meeting in the Public Hall, Ipswich, England, some time ago, but utterly failed to obtain a hearing. She was greeted with a derisive song, set to the tune of "Good-bye, Dolly Gray," advising her to return to Holloway, and directly she rose to speak she was greeted with the clanging of bells, the noise of rattles, and whistling.

Finally, tubes of foul-smelling chemicals were emptied, and a large number of those occupying reserved seats were compelled to leave the hall. Following the singing of a special song written for the occasion there was continued shouting of "Sit down" to the speaker.

The disturbance became violently uproarious, and the efforts of the stewards to eject a few of the interrupters only served to create further tumult, so that free fights were of constant occurrence. Seats were overturned and smashed, and women fainted.

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CALLED DOWN.

By DOUGLAS Z. DOTY.

By birth a gentleman, by force of circumstances a jack of all trades, by profession a raconteur.

Such was my record when I arrived in England, whither the fame of my stories had preceded me. Almost directly I received a letter from Lord Brower of Tentowers castle, in Surrey, requesting me to come down to his place, as he was entertaining a large house party.

The castle, founded as a monastery, was a most romantic pile, representing in its various towers and wings a succession of architectural periods. Its maze of winding corridors and hidden stairways suggested mystery and invited exploration.

My initial appearance before Lord Brower's guests was to be at dinner, and I spent the last moments before leaving my apartment in reading over the list of topics I had jotted down for use during the evening. A raconteur is expected to fill in every lull, every dull moment. Suddenly there fell upon the quiet of my room these significant words:

"We must run it up to £5,000 tonight! Do you hear? We must!"

I stared around the room. It seemed as if the sound had come through some dull tapestry in a small alcove. Perhaps the tapestry covered a secret door. But there was no time to investigate. A resplendent footman was waiting to conduct me to Lord Brower's presence.

An interesting lot they were gathered around the dinner table of Tentowers castle that night—that is, they were interesting to me as types for study. As conversationalists they were failures, for the only subjects on which they talked fluently were cards and horseflesh.

I selected my stories accordingly. The guests were apparently familiar with the customs of Monte Carlo, but I told them tales of our own wild west, of games of faro and poker that fairly made them gasp, and after dinner I must teach them our national game of chance.

Sitting opposite me at table was a broad shouldered, dark man, whose eyes, black and set rather close together, never left my face. His lips were thin and bloodless, and his long, rather aquiline nose had a cruel curve about the nostrils. But what most attracted my attention was his odd trick of drumming almost constantly with his right hand, now on the table, now on the arm of his chair and now on his square chin. The instant he spoke I recognized the voice back of the tapestry in my room. His name was Captain Marchand.

His wife sat at my right, a handsome woman, with a profusion of soft brown hair and beautiful blue eyes, which, I learned in a short time, were playing havoc with the mental peace of a young fellow named Chadwick, who was plainly jealous of every smile the lady wasted on me. He was a handsome, boyish looking fellow, one of those chaps who imagine themselves violently in love with every pretty face they meet.

Mrs. Marchand seemed to have caught her husband's peculiar trick of beating that devilish tattoo with her fingers. It fairly got my nerves on edge, but no one else at the table appeared to notice it. I caught myself recalling stories of telegraph operators who continued their work automatically after office hours, but surely these two guests of an English aristocrat knew nothing of a trade. In the course of my eventful and uncertain life I had been an operator for a short period.

After the ladies had withdrawn I told my choicest stag stories, to which the men drank freely, and by the time we rose to enter the drawing room it can be truthfully said that Captain Marchand and myself were the only men of the party who were thoroughly sober.

During the next hour I was kept busy explaining the intricacies of poker, after which I watched the guests yield to the fascination of the game. Soon little piles of sovereigns and notes appeared and disappeared at the various tables. Excitement grew apace, and the very faces of the players were transformed. The greed of gain was upon them. It was my first glimpse of the English aristocrat at his private gaming table.

Finally interest centered at the table where Marchand and young Chadwick held forth alone. At the beginning Chadwick had won, and with a triumphant gesture he would haul in his little pile of gold. The liquor had brought a sparkle to his eye and daring to his tongue, for he kept Mrs. Marchand close at his side, declaring her to be his mascot and casting such languishing glances into her perfect blue eyes that I wondered at Captain Marchand's calmness. When Chadwick won she clapped her hands in girlish glee, and once or twice I caught a cynical smile on Marchand's lips. Clearly her presence was going to Chadwick's head. He played recklessly.

"I'll make it £4,000!" exclaimed the captain.

A hush fell on the room. Then rose handsome Mrs. Marchand's clear, sweet voice:

"How exciting! Oh, Mr. Chadwick, do go him one better! Do make it £5,000!"

The other guests rose and gathered round the table. Lord Brower stood on the hearth rug, glancing toward the group with troubled eyes. I heard him say under his breath:

"The lad can't afford to lose that amount."

I joined the spectators just as Chadwick called for another card. Then I felt a thrill pass over me. The blood rushed to my face, and instinctively I clinched my fist.

Mrs. Marchand was gently tapping the back of Chadwick's chair, but it was no longer the tattoo of an absent-minded individual. Each tap meant something. She was telegraphing Chadwick's hand to her husband!

My first impulse was to denounce them then and there, but what was the word of a hired entertainer against that of distinguished guests, people of social standing, as any of Lord Brower's friends must be? Then came the inspiration. With something of the captain's cynical smile, I, too, commenced to drum on the back of a chair, and this was what reached the startled couple:

"You—are—caught!"

The captain turned rigid as he grasped the arms of his chair, and for a single instant his eyes, expressing rage, hate and fear, met mine. I smiled grimly, enjoying the situation. The coup had a different effect on Mrs. Marchand. She fainted away, at which the captain's composure returned. He sprang to her rescue, and the table was overturned.

When Mrs. Marchand recovered the guests clamored for the finish of the game, but Marchand shook his head, perhaps because I drummed a rhythmic warning, "Don't play!"

I sat in my room an hour later, cogitating whether I should inform Lord Brower that he was entertaining a pair of clever tricksters, when a servant brought me a message from Marchand asking an interview in his room. I found him waiting for me with an ugly scowl on his face, but his wife, pale and with her hair in artistic disarray, was charming in her new role of beauty in distress.

Marchand came directly to the point.

"Well, what do you intend to do?"

"Nothing," I replied nonchalantly. "It is your play. If you and your charming wife are suddenly summoned to London tomorrow the matter ends. Otherwise I think Lord Brower"—

I shrugged my shoulders significantly.

"And, by the way, it might be just as well if you refunded to Chadwick the money you've won since he's been playing with you."

"And then?"

Madam's hands were working nervously.

"And then I shall have one more good after dinner story—to tell when I return to America; that is all. Lord Brower shall never know."

"You are very generous," replied the lady, with tears in her eyes. "You can have no idea to what straits we, my husband and I, have been driven." She was playing her part well. "We were raised to love the good things of life. Both thought the other had money, and both have made the best of a bad bargain. We have lived upon the losses of our aristocratic friends until we met you, and now"—

With a well simulated sob she bowed her head among the pillows. Captain Marchand rose and opened the door. His politeness was elaborate.

"You will pardon Mrs. Marchand's lack of self control. As you say, I think a trip to London is what she needs, what we both need. Good night, my dear sir."

I stepped backward toward the door which he held open, my glance, which I know must have held some amusement at the clever acting of his wife, still fixed on the weeping lady. Then suddenly I felt myself going down, down. I clutched at space, and from above me came a mocking laugh, then a shock, a blinding light in my eyes and—blackness!

When I woke dim rays of light penetrated into a slimy cellar where I lay, practically a prisoner, for one leg was broken and I was bruised from head to foot. Rats ran along the ledges in the masonry, and bats hung from the rafters above.

It must have been hours before help came to me, but I lost all reckoning of time. When at last I was carried to my room and medical aid was summoned I learned from Lord Brower that my being alive was nothing short of a miracle. I had fallen three flights into a stone dungeon, one of the numerous pitfalls which abounded in this ancient pile. The captain had skillfully guided me to the secret door, which was one of his characteristic discoveries.

Lord Brower heard with amazement my tale of their treachery and trickery, but the scandal never became public. British pride stepped in at this point, the deeply annoyed master of Tentowers making ample reparation for my loss of time and suffering. And the only reason for telling of the story is that during my recent trip to London I recognized in one of the reigning stage beauties Mrs. Captain Marchand, who once telegraphed a poker hand to her fellow trickster at Tentowers castle.

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Mounted Nurses.

Central London was treated to an attractive spectacle the other day when a fine body of uniformed Amazons came cantering down from Regents' Park along Oxford street and Holborn toward the city. They were not militant Suffragettes in a new guise, but a section of the Girls' First Aid Nursing Yeomanry Corps. This was the first time they showed themselves to the public, and their object was to pay an official visit to the big St. Bartholomew Hospital at the invitation of the hospital staff. The girls wore smart, tight-fitting scarlet tunics, with white facings, skirts of blue serge braided with white, flat military caps of scarlet and white, riding boots and gauntlets. They were all exceedingly well horsed, and rode with the erect, immovable seat of the trained cavalryman. They trotted into the square of the hospital, reined up in line that would have done credit to a crack cavalry corps, and at command leaped lightly to the ground. The tour of inspection over, the nursing troopers sprang gracefully into their saddles, and complacently received the plaudits of an admiring crowd.

Monument to Wilde.

Twenty thousand pounds have been given for the erection of a monument to Oscar Wilde in Pere la Chaise cemetery, Paris, by a donor who desires to remain anonymous. An announcement to this effect was made at the recent complimentary dinner at the Ritz Hotel to Robert Ross in recognition of his publication of Wilde's works in the face of considerable difficulty owing to the author's estate being in bankruptcy. The large company present included Sir Martin Conway, the Duchess of Sutherland, Lord Howard De Walden, who is generally supposed to be the anonymous donor of the monument; Edmund Gosse, William Archer and H. G. Wells.

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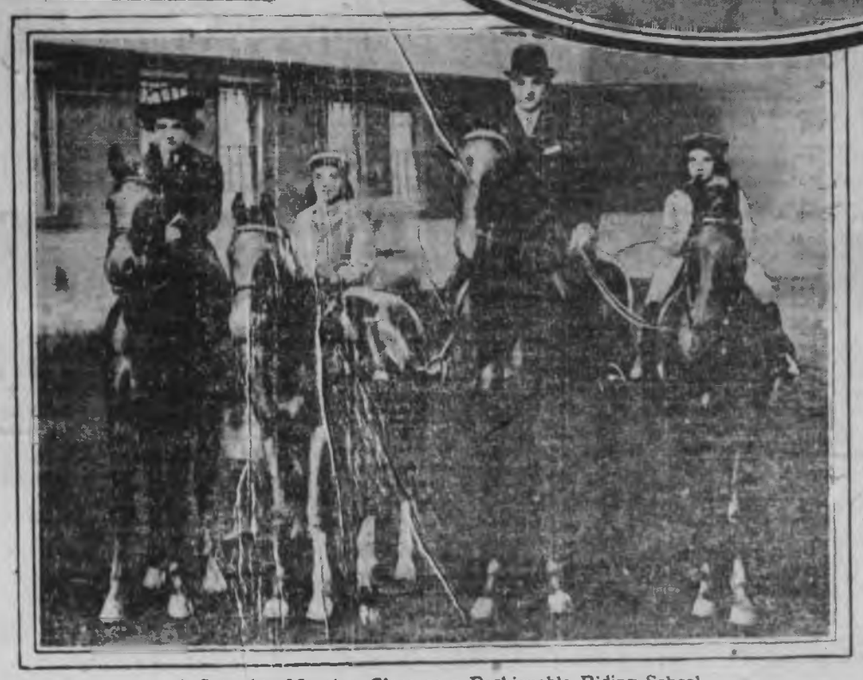

A Saturday Morning Class at a Fashionable Riding School

HARDLY does the daughter of wealthy and fashionable parents master the art of speech and locomotion before she is placed in the saddle and taught to ride. There is nothing that counts so vitally in the equestrian accomplishment as an early start, and years of association with horse and saddle later on never quite balance with the training received while the pupil is almost too youthful and small to sit astride a pony. One of the best English horsewomen of this generation owes her perfect seat and mastery of horses to this juvenile training. Her father followed the hounds and often took his little daughter for a preliminary canter over the turf before the exciting day's sport began. She sat across saddle in front of her father and held the reins in her tiny hands while he gripped them more firmly just behind hers and guided the animal. But to the child it was real riding and her youthful initiation into the art of handling a mount always stood her in good stead, and she is now considered one of the best, if not the very best, horsewomen that ride to hounds. Of course she might have become an excellent rider even if she had started in the more usual way and at a much later period, but she recommends an early training for both girls and boys.

CROSS country riding is not offered to every girl, but there is always the riding academy to which to go, where there are competent instructors to look after the youngest pupils as well as the older ones. Several academies are at the disposal of the New York young girl riders. Every possible convenience is arranged for their lessons and every facility offered to make them masters of the horse. The equestrian education of the young girl is managed with the most careful attention to details and with a course of lessons any of them can learn to ride fairly well unless she be hopelessly stupid and out of sympathy with horses.

Saturday mornings are usually given up to the instruction of children and young girls. During the winter months, when outdoor sports are practically out of the question, the riding academies are well patronized. This form of exercise is one of the best that can be followed, and there is always a great deal of pleasure in taking a brisk canter around the ring or a tour of the Park when the pupil has reached that point in the accomplishment where outdoor work is permitted. So many other lessons and interests divide the time of the future society belle that she does not have all the riding she would like during the winter months.

THE morning riding classes begin at nine. Ten o'clock is, however, the fashionable hour, and from then on till noon the street in front of a well patronized academy is lined with smart looking automobiles and carriages. When the young pupil is not accompanied to the lesson by a member of the family she is placed in the care of a maid, whose duty it is to report progress in lessons, as well as to look after the girl's belongings while she is occupied with her instructor. There are rooms provided with lockers where riding clothes can be kept, if liked, but the majority of the pupils prefer to wear their riding habits to the academy, with a long, loose coat as a covering. This can be left in charge of the maid while in the ring and donned again as soon as the driver has dismounted.

The musical and fancy dress rides are a feature of the season's entertainment and are greatly enjoyed by the participants. On Saturday mornings there is always music for the young girls when they are taking their lessons. The fancy dress events are, however, arranged for the older set and take place in the evening. The tanbark ring presents a brilliant and unique picture with the couples and fours cantering by, horses and riders in gay apparel and festive accoutrements.

FANCY riding of another kind is taught to nearly all young girls who expect to devote a good deal of their time later on to this outdoor sport. At the Durland Riding Academy several of the girls who have become fairly expert in the saddle are learning to ride tandem, a rather difficult feat and one which requires a driver's as well as a rider's skill. As one of the instructors at the academy explained, "Tandem riding is really more for exhibition than anything else. Young girls learn to handle the two horses quite easily if their training is begun early enough. They must know how to drive, and if they are already taking lessons in handling a pair of horses or a four in hand then the combination of driving and riding is greatly simplified.

"The leader is driven in practically the same way as when the driver occupies the box seat of a cart instead of a saddle, but the one who handles the reins has the added difficulty of managing a somewhat rather unsteady and uncertain mount. Even horses that are used to being driven and ridden tandem at times grow restive, nervous and unmanageable, especially when they are taken out of the ring. Country roads are best for this fancy riding, but the pupil is first taught the art of tandem riding here in the ring. During the winter she is ready for the more important and enjoyable country variation, where there is less to distract the pair.

"We often let our older pupils drive a pair of horses while riding a third, the team being managed in the same way as a regular tandem. Of course it requires a much firmer hand and more skill to handle the pair from the saddle, but girls and women who are fond of exciting and daring sport make wonderful progress with a tandem. The horses are bridled and fitted just as they are for driving, but the reins of the leader pass under the breastplate and then through the terret of the tandem saddle, from which point they go on through the throat latch of the saddle horse. Often the reins are white or light colored, the effect of the light bands being considered smarter than dark reins. In holding the reins pupils are taught to grasp those of the saddle horse in the left hand with the reins passing over the second finger and the reins of the leader over the first finger. This arrangement leaves the right hand free to hold the whip, which is always a long one and preferably of the bow kind. The reins are grasped in the hand before mounting, and they should be manipulated with such exactness that it will not be necessary to alter them a fraction of an inch after mounting. This trick is one of the first things a pupil learns when taking driving lessons and when managing a four in hand. It is practically the same in fancy riding where more than one horse is used.

"THE rule to follow is to keep the saddle horse ever in mind and to handle him so that his gait corresponds perfectly with that of the leader. The latter must be left more or less to his own fancy, and it is this art of harmonizing the two which makes tandem riding one of the most absorbing as well as exhilarating of sports. The reins are used to control the leader, while the saddle horse is kept in hand by guiding him with the reins and the heel.

"I instruct my pupils to use their left heel as a spur. The slightest pressure against the animal's side is sufficient to guide a high spirited horse. Of course the degree of pressure needed depends on the sensitiveness of the horse. Some require much more severe handling than others, and this is one of the first points for the novice to understand. The horse can be controlled practically by this heel pressure.

"Beginners are apt to look and feel awkward, so I tell them at the start that they must imagine that the reins are attached to the horse's front hoofs and with each drawing of a rein that foot is lifted and the horse guided in the desired direction. As soon as the rider learns this fundamental principle of mastering a horse she will find the rest comparatively easy. Some will acquire a good seat from the start, while others never develop into perfect horsewomen, but much can be accomplished by thorough and regular practice either in the ring or elsewhere.

"AS to the advantages of cross saddle position much can be said on both riding and the ordinary side saddle sides. Usually the youngest pupils start by mounting ponies saddled for riding astride. In the first place, very small girls are really unable to sit well on a side saddle. They can get a much better grip in the other fashion and they seem to take to it more naturally. When older they may abandon the astride fashion altogether or reserve it for country and hard riding. There are not so many devotees of the cross saddle seen in the city now as there used to be, but when you go to the country you will always find women and girls riding in that style. Those who do adopt the fashion prefer it to the side saddle, yet there are many expert horsewomen who have given both a fair trial and have gone back to the side saddle. Many women have told me that they find it difficult to get a good grip with the knees when riding astride, but when seated in a side saddle they feel perfectly secure.

"WHEN riding and driving tandem girls are always accompanied by a riding instructor. In fact, they seldom attempt this style of exhibition riding without being properly protected by a man who understands a tandem team. The ordinary groom may know about horses and harness, but he is apt to become confused and lose his head if the leader grows restive and tries to turn around while being driven. When this happens to the leader the rider is practically helpless, for there is no way of straightening out the restive horse unless he responds properly to the whip. An instructor knows just how to control the horse in his unusual harness and can quickly come to the relief of the disturbed pupil.

"As to habits for the indoor ring there is as great a variety of styles as could possibly be conceived, for very young girls sometimes wear ordinary dresses or they wear divided skirts or fitted cross saddle habits. The older ones choose the conventional costume which alters very little in style from year to year."

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HAIR perfuming caps are among the newest toilet accessories of the young girl who likes to be quoted as exceptionally dainty. These caps are intended to be worn on the head for an hour or so during the day or evening, but never throughout the night, as they are apt to overheat the scalp and cause the hair to fall out. They are shaped precisely like an old fashioned dusting cap and are made by cutting out a huge circle, double shirring its edges and running a narrow elastic band between the rows of shirrings, so that the cap shall fit snugly about the hair line. The decorations consist of a three inch wide full ruffle and two huge rosettes of ribbon. The hair perfuming cap may be made of light or dark hued messaline, liberty satin, taffeta or thin cashmere and lined with white India silk, fine linon or allover muslin embroidery. Between the lining and the outside there is placed a heavily scented layer of cotton batting, which should be renewed from time to time.

PRACTICAL TALKS BY THE APRIL GRANDMOTHER

"SOME girls might have infinitely more attractive looking feet if they would take intelligent care of them," said the April Grandmother as she watched the pupils of a fashionable boarding school troop past her window. "To be sure, the feet cannot be reduced in size, but, like the waist, arms and legs, they can be moulded into lines of beauty, and every schoolgirl should devote plenty of time and a generous share of her allowance to their dressing if she wishes them to look small and shapely. In the first place the stockings should be carefully selected and fit perfectly. Hosiery that is too small for the feet will cause bunions too large to be endurable and stockings that are too long will, by forming creases, play havoc with the nerves and muscles of a pair of tender feet.

"Unless the feet are well cared for they become sore and get old long before their time." The April Grandmother nodded her head toward a limping girl at the rear of the school procession. "One indication of a prematurely old condition of the feet is the inability to use them freely because they are continually aching, swollen or disfigured with excrescences. Obviously, the first thing to do for painful feet is to get them into a healthy condition and then endeavor to keep them so. If they are swollen and aching soaking them nightly in very warm water or in a hot salt bath scented with pine needles will prove soothing, but still better is some sweet, refreshing lotion such as any chemist can prescribe. This treatment should be followed by rubbing with rose pomade, or even with vaseline, as the massage is soothing to the muscles and nerves.

"Feet need to be treated to plenty of air and allowed occasional freedom from confinement. The shoes may be slipped off while a girl is practising at the piano and when she is studying in some retired room to which strangers are not likely to penetrate; the shoeless feet should be placed on an elevation somewhat higher than the head. I do not say that this is a graceful or refined attitude for a young gentlewoman to assume," interpolated the April Grandmother, "but it is an exceedingly restful one, and instantly sends the blood away from the feet and allays that aching sensation which makes the entire body as well as the mind feel out of gear. This treatment will sometimes drive away an incipient headache or a nervous attack.

"Girls who are fond of dancing sometimes are obliged to deny themselves that pleasure simply because their feet begin to swell after a few turns, whereas all that is usually necessary to insure absolute comfort is to dip the bare feet several times into a basin of ice cold water. After that they will probably be able to indulge for hours in the ordinary round dances, which, unlike the fancy steps, affect the calves of the leg more than they do the muscles of the feet.

"Shoes of the customary size are not to be thought of while the feet are being put into a healthy condition, as corns and bunions can never be vanquished by pressure. Therefore, their victim must bravely determine to put her vanity aside and temporarily wear large, comfortable shoes, which, however, may be so shapely that they will look moderately small, especially if kept in a highly polished condition. Low cut slippers are out of the question for feet prone to aches, and pumps are absolutely taboo, as they not only go far toward helping to break down the arch of the instep, but will not stay on unless the counters fit the heels tightly, a condition likely to cause blisters.

"Heelless house shoes, of soft suede skin, are excellent resting gear for aching feet and for 'health' walks; the spring heeled boots are best for all save girls possessing exceptionally high insteps, which need the back support of a military heel. Obviously, such boots should be thick and broad, for the cold feet caused by too tight shoes will take all the blood out of the cheeks, where it belongs, as it drives it to that most undesirable place, the nose, pronto."

Separate Waists for School Wear

ALTOGETHER the most satisfactory separate waists for school wear are of soft satin or silk, the exact shade of the cloth skirt, relieved only by fresh white collar and cuffs at the throat and wrists. Stiff linen turned down collars with cuffs to correspond are sure to look neat and trim, but often a softer collar of embroidered batiste or lawn will be more becoming. Unfortunately, however, these soft colors crumple and soil so readily when worn over a dark color that many girls have given up wearing them rather than have the bother of sewing on fresh sets each day.

If the embroidered lawn collar is so much more becoming than the stiff linen it is a excellent plan to have cut out several collar and cuff bands in buckram the color of the waist, baste the soft collar to this stiff foundation and hook or fasten with two or three small jewel pins the entire collar into the waist. If this is done both collar and cuffs will remain clean two or three times as long and look infinitely neater than if only basted to the soft material of the waist.

With the plain white organdie collar and cuffs worn in mourning the only possible means of keeping them fresh is to baste the collar and cuffs to a buckram foundation the desired height and width and fasten to the gown with tiny mourning pins.

Many of the new sleeves come so far down over the hand as to make a narrow piece of ruching the only possible finish. In all the smarter French gowns a fine plaited net is used at both collar and sleeve instead of the stiffer ruching which is bought ready plaited by the yard. With half a yard of cream colored net a number of ruches for the collar and sleeves can be made by gathering in an inch wide double fold of the length of the net and basting it to the material of the dress at throat and wrists. Apart from being far prettier than the stiff ruching to be had ready plaited this style of ruching, although more expensive at the commencement, will be found infinitely cheaper in the end.

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SOCIAL AMENITIES FOR THE SCHOOL GIRL

IT is sometimes said by disapproving elders that the young people of to-day do not begin to have the manners of the previous generation; that they lack repose, graciousness, charm, and exhibit a deplorable indifference to the claims of courtesy. While unquestionably this is true of some girls, it cannot be admitted of the majority, and there would be a delightful state of things if such an imputation could not truthfully be made of any of our girls from one end of the land to the other.

What might be called the "frills" of good manners change somewhat with the times, there being fashions in these things as in everything else; but the fundamental principles which constitute the backbone of good breeding never change, and throughout the polite world have been handed down from generation to generation, forming an unwritten code with which every girl should be conversant.

A generation ago the delicate, helpless, clinging Lydia Languish type was in vogue, but the twentieth century girl is quite different. Yet because she is athletic, alert and independent it does not follow that she is brusque and given to riding roughshod over people. This would be to put her down as a selfish, heedless young person, which is not, generally speaking, the case.

The girls of to-day acquire a graceful carriage through their athletic sports quite as successfully and with more fun than their mothers had in being taught this accomplishment through correct walking and dancing. Of course there is now and then the girl whom athletics, particularly when carried to excess, make clumsy and boyish in her movements; but she is the exception, and where she exists she should be taken in hand by her mother or teachers and made to practise restraint, while also she should be taught how to manage her body with grace.

The plain-at faced girl in the world will have an attractive air if she carries herself well. It is astonishing what distinction a straight back and a head held high will give. One of the débutantes of this winter, who has no pretensions to beauty whatever, gets a great deal of admiration from the manner in which she carries herself. Trained by a clever mother, she has always been required to sit erect in a chair; no leaning back and no rocking chair habits, this strictly American article of furniture being severely condemned by her mother, except for the use of the ill and the aged.

This young girl, too, never has been permitted to sleep on pillows or to put cushions under her head when she threw herself down to rest on her divan. She is always stretched out perfectly flat when she lies down and never sleeps on her side, but invariably on her back. This may sound like Spartan treatment, but, as a matter of fact, it is nothing of the sort, for the flat posture of the body is perfectly comfortable, and greatly contributes to the straight beauty of the back. Sitting erect is, of course, the other necessary requisite, and this habit cannot be formed too young. But in case you have not begun very young begin to-day and make your back the straight and lovely line nature intends it to be.

If you train your back you will find that instinctively your head will assume a higher angle. No one ever saw a straight backed girl with a hanging head. Hanging heads were permissible when the simpering girl was in fashion, but now no one admires them, for they not only indicate a characterless nature, but they produce a horrid little curve at the back of the neck, where, instead, the line should be beautifully flat.

It is an art to hold the head high without producing a disdainful or haughty air, both of which are bad manners. But any danger of this is obviated by constantly remembering, as all of us should, to be sweet and gracious to every one about us. Some are blessed by being born gracious, and others have to acquire the art, but it is well worth learning, for graciousness indicates inward beauty as well as outward polish, and the people who love a girl of this sort are legion.

THEATRE COUPON CRAZE.

THE craze for keeping theatre programmes as souvenirs has long been popular with girls, but now there is a new fad in the shape of collecting seat coupons. The idea is to keep your own coupons, or, if you wish, those of the persons who were with you on the occasion; but most girls are satisfied to have just their own. So popular has the craze become that books are provided for the purpose—most attractive books with artistic covers and blank pages subdivided for the arrangement of the coupons and with spaces left for remarks about the play.

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Woman's World

MRS. WILLIAM H. TAFT.

Charming Personality of the Wife of the President Elect.

What manner of woman is Mrs. Taft, whose name is so soon to be added to those of the women whose influence has made the social fame of past administrations? More pertinently still, how will it measure with the record of the Roosevelt regime? The first question is easy to answer, for few women have gone into the White House so well equipped to meet the exactions of the position of "first lady" of the land.

Mrs. Taft has brains and uses them without being in any sense aggressive or pedantic. She talks well and looks well when she is talking. Her smile has the charm of intelligence, that quick flash of recognition distinct from the frozen, automatic smile peculiar to many women in official life, on whom social duties make many demands, even to that of continuously "looking pleasant." She has a generous mouth and handsome teeth, a straight nose, well proportioned to her other features, and a broad forehead, above which her brown hair is arranged in a soft pompadour.

In her knowledge of languages Mrs. Taft will have the advantage over many of her predecessors. The future mistress of the White House is a good

FUTURE MISTRESS OF THE WHITE HOUSE.

housekeeper, and in matters of dress she has quiet tastes. She does much of her own choosing and shopping, and during the season in Washington she patronizes the local shops. Like Mrs. Roosevelt, Mrs. Taft is passionately fond of music. Not only is she a patroness of music, but a musician as well. Though she does not regard herself as sufficiently in practice to perform for a critical audience these days, she has by no means lost her skill and frequently plays for her husband and children during their evenings at home.

Other avenues through which her artistic taste finds an outlet are her love of pictures and her appreciation of woodcarving. The art collection of her brother-in-law, Charles Taft, has no more appreciative friend than his sister-in-law. She is enthusiastic about every treasure he adds to it and enjoys few things more than pointing out its beauties to others. Mrs. Taft on her own account has made a study of woodcarving and has the nucleus of a fine collection and knows the fine points in the work of various schools and masters.

She, too, is a book lover, because she grew up in a home where books came down from the shelves and made the worlds they contain part of the domestic environment. As Helen Herron her favorite authors were Thackeray and Dickens. Mrs. Taft is loyal to her old literary friends and still dips into their society. George Eliot is one of the favorites of her later years. Newspapers come in for a daily share of her attention. To any subject in which Mr. Taft is interested or of which he is making a study she also gives a great part of her time. As few men of the period have had occasion to look up information on more varied subjects as the president elect, his wife's knowledge is necessarily extensive. That Mrs. Taft is the right woman for the position of mistress of the White House and that she will be a gracious and charming chatelaine there is no manner of doubt.

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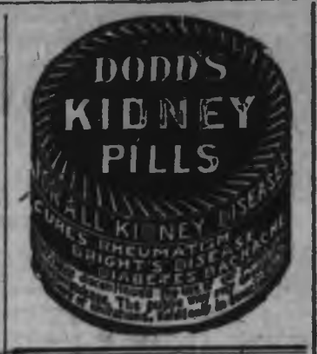

She Sees the Reason.

Notices and warnings on placards do not begin to make the impression upon the public that one individual experience will. Every woman knows that in all postoffices are cards begging persons to put their names and addresses on all valuable letters that they may be returned in case they cannot be delivered. One woman, at least, has seen and disregarded them for years, but in the future she will do differently. Last month she had occasion to send away $10 and put one bill of that denomination in an envelope, which she neither registered nor wrote on the back for return. The letter was never delivered, and the woman was obliged to send another bill, this time registered. One day her first letter came back to her after six weeks of wandering.

She found that she had used one of her husband's business envelopes, on which were stamped his name and address, and because she had misdirected it in the first place it had come back to the name printed at the top. Thus she is in $10, and when she sends money again by mail there is no doubt that the letter will have her own name on the outside as well as that of the addressee.

Dark, Spare Men as Husbands.

"If young women would study the chromatic characteristics of men more closely before betrothing themselves," said the woman who thinks deeply, "there would be fewer unhappy marriages. A man's complexion and general build have much to do with his disposition. That traditional bogy of the fortune tellers, 'the dark man,' is not such a mistaken type, after all. When, in addition, he is of spare build every girl who wants a happy home ought to have a special mitten all ready to hand to him. Many years of observation have taught me it is impossible for a dark, slender man to make any woman happy. It isn't in him to be happy himself. He invariably is suspicious, narrow minded and parsimonious, and the chances are great he's unscrupulous as well. It is out of the question to please him in any way. He thinks everybody is trying to get the better of him, whereas the truth is he passes his days trying to get the better of everybody else. Moreover, he is envious of the smallest prosperity that comes to another and jealous of the slightest interest, however impersonal, his wife betrays in another man. A law should be passed compelling every dark, spare bachelor to put on flesh or bleach his complexion before taking a wife. Women may get along with blond, slender men or with dark, stout ones, but with those who are dark and slender, never."

A Woman of Tact.

A woman of tact is the one who feels that the story told to hurt yom feelings is essentially bad form and inconsiderate of the feelings of others

A woman of tact is the woman who is courteous to old people, who laughs with the young and who makes herself agreeable to all women in all conditions of life.

A woman of tact is the one who makes her "Good morning" a pleasant greeting, her visit a bright spot in the day and her "Goodby" a hope that she may come again.

A woman of tact is one who does not gauge people by their clothes or their riches, but who condemns bad manners.

A woman of tact is one who is courteous under all circumstances and in every condition in which she may be placed.

A woman of tact is one whose love for humanity is second only in her life's devotion and whose watchword is unselfishness in thought and action with regard to others.

Clara Morris and Husbands.

It is folly to call the husband the head of the house. He is not, says Clara Morris, the famous actress, in the Housekeeper. It is but a courtesy title at best, since in truth he is but an incident in the home life, while the wife and mother is its whole existence. Literally the sun of domestic happiness rises and sets in the face of the wife and mother.

Walking is an ideal exercise. Hold the head erect, with chin slightly lifted, which will throw the muscles of the back and of the shoulders into proper line. Expand the chest with deep breaths, and do not swing the arms, but let them hang with muscles relaxed.

No application is better for lusterless hair than salt. Rub well into the roots of the hair at night, then tie up in a large handkerchief or wear a nightcap. Brush out the salt in the morning. Several applications will show a marked improvement in the appearance of the hair.

MME. MIRIELLE DE MONGIVAL

One of the Leaders in the New French Movement.

From the French capital comes the news of an individualist movement among representative women of Paris which is arousing considerable interest and will no doubt create discussion later on here in America. Already about 250 women have joined the movement, recruited largely from the intellectual class. These women have founded at 49 Rue Lafitte a "salon international," as it is called. The French look upon a woman's club as a destroyer of the home and as a consequence leading to the desertion of children, so they have, to use a homely phrase, whipped the devil about the bush in this euphonious fashion.

Once a week this society or what you will publishes a four page journal containing their propaganda, which already has 3,000 readers. In connection with the "salon international" are a tea room and a reading room, and during the week there are musicales, lec-

MME. MIRIELLE DE MONGIVAL.

tures and exhibitions of art work. So much interest is taken in the movement by American women that there is a special section devoted to their interests presided over by Mme. Mirielle de Mongival, whose picture is shown herewith.

Religion and politics are both tabooed subjects at present, but the group contains a number of radicals. One of the active members of the "salon international" explains that the object of the club is not to break up the home, but to try to raise women to be the real companions of men, that they are in England and in America, and to fit them to educate their children properly. "We appeal to the idle rich class of women, who think only of clothes," she says, "and to the bourgeois class, who are slaves in the kitchen and house. Especially we wish to help those who are struggling alone."

The movement, which is international in some respects, is assisting artists regardless of nationality, and there is a lawyer paid to carry women's rights when abused before the courts.

Don't Get in a Rut.

The woman who sinks into a domestic rut, says Woman's Life, is really the victim of her own sense of duty. She neglects her back hair, wears frayed shoe laces and leaves the pages of the last magazine uncut in her determination to make her house a fit abode for her husband, then defeats her own end by her lack of companionableness.

There's the woman who gets into an intellectual rut. She has all of Maeterlinck's theories at her fingers' ends. She really understands the situation at Panama! She can even do long division with six figures at a pinch. Yet, after all, she is a dead failure.

She never seems to realize that these nuggets of wisdom would not be less valuable for an attractive setting. She cannot understand why some girl who went to school with her and paid as much attention to her stocks as she did to her philosophy should always be the recipient of the attentions of extraordinarily cultivated men, who never seek her society a second time. By and by she consoles herself with the conviction that really brainy women are shut off from most companionship because their true worth is misunderstood, and she sinks a little deeper into the rut that really has been her undoing.

There's the woman who has got into the rut of her work. It may be very nice work, very interesting up to a certain point to her fellow beings, but it has its limitations. Perhaps she is an artist. She talks color schemes and high lights and perspective, with her collar under one ear and the dust on her tea table even more than artistically thick, and should your features wax rebellious she is convinced that you have no soul.

Or she may be a musician who can rhapsodize over naught but harmony and counterpoint, or a business woman whose heart is turned to additions alone, or a dressmaker whose world is bounded by tucks, gathers, seams and gores. It doesn't make any difference what the work is, you have no right to let it make you narrow—to put you in a rut.

About Children's Teeth.

No child can thoroughly cleanse his own teeth, and the mother who gives her child a few simple instructions as to how to clean the teeth and then leaves him to his own resources is simply courting poor teeth for her child. Even a grown person cannot thoroughly cleanse certain parts of his teeth. The mother not only should see that the teeth are brushed carefully and regularly, but she should insist on frequent visits to the dentist's to have the teeth examined and thoroughly cleaned.

Never allow a "baby" tooth, if it is decayed, to remain unfilled, for if the decay is left it is apt to travel downward and affect the permanent tooth which is forming below.

Never allow a child to pick the teeth with any sharp or pointed instrument or to crack nuts with the teeth. Dental floss is the best thing to use for removing foreign substances from between the teeth.

Mrs. Barrie a Daring Driver.

Mrs. James M. Barrie, wife of the novelist and dramatist, has become one of the most daring automobile drivers in England. She has three racing cars and spends several hours every day on the road. The Barrie country place is in the heart of beautiful Surrey, and the roads there are perfect for automobiling. Barrie usually accompanies his wife on her flying trips, and it is said he has had difficulty in checking her desire to compete in road and track races. Mrs. Barrie is small and slight, but is wiry and possessed of remarkable endurance. The couple never are attended by a chauffeur, as they have mastered the mechanism of the car. They get down in the road together to mend all breaks.

A Useful Present.

A girl who has more inventiveness than money has hit upon a Christmas present for her married friends that may prove suggestive to other distracted givers.

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Scotland's Thistle.

This is the story of how the thistle came to be the badge of Scotland: When the Danes invaded the country a night surprise was attempted. In order to more completely hide their advance the Danish soldiers walked barefoot. For awhile all went well till one of the Danes happened to tread on a thistle. The pain made him cry out, and his cry disclosed the fact of the intended assault. The Scots at once took to their arms and routed the invaders. The thistle thereafter became the national emblem.

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OTONABEE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY HELD ITS MEETING

Examiner Special.

Keene, Jan. 26.—The annual meeting of the Otonabee Agricultural Society was held in the council chamber Tuesday afternoon, January 19, when the following officers were elected for the coming year:

President—Robert Humphries.

Vice-President — Peter Drummond.

Secretary—Andrew Shearer.

Auditors—J. C. Read and Jas. McNeil.

Directors—J. H. Fife, John Lang, J. J. Moore, W. J. Miller, Gilbert Howson, W. Renwick, Alex. Stewart, W. W. Shearer, W. B. Stewart, W. Drummond, John Miller, Robt. Weir, R. A. Nelson, D. Edwards, F. A. Eason and Edgar Wood.

A discussion took place regarding the prize list and a few changes were recommended.

It was decided that the society would hold a standing grain competition as they had done last year, and that the grain selected should be white oats. Also the superintendent of the fairs will be requested to furnish the society with an expert judge, who will judge all the exhibits of horses, and to enable him to do this the judging will be commenced at eleven o'clock.

The president, vice-president, secretary, J. C. Read, William Drummond, John Lang and W. J. Miller were appointed a committee to look after the prosperity of the society, attend to any necessary improvements and see about leasing the grounds.

They were also given instructions to have plans drawn up and estimates prepared for a grand stand capable of seating about two hundred people.

The fair will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday, October 5th and 6th.

Mr. Southorpe, Port Hope, attended the meeting and offered a prize of five dollars for the best field of peas grown under contract for his firm, the judges to be supplied by the society. The offer was accepted.

The financial statement, which was presented, shows the society to be in excellent financial condition. They own a valuable property with a good race course and a fairly good and large building for inside exhibits. Besides they have a surplus of $207.98.

Last year the society paid $513.70 in prizes, not including horse races and other special attractions, and their receipts were $1,020.20 and expenditures $812.22.

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Explanation Of Grading Cheese As Found In Recent Report From Department

The following is an article taken from the report of the Dairy and Cold Storage Commissioner, and deals with the standards for grading cheese:—

First Grade

Flavour — Clean, sound and pure.

Body and Texture — Close, firm and silky.

Colour — Good and uniform.

Finish — Fairly even in size, smoothly finished, sound and clean surfaces, straight and pure.

Boxes — Strong, clean, well made and nailed. Ends to be of seasoned timber. Close fitting. Weights stencilled or marked with rubber stamp.

Second Grade

Flavour — 'Fruity,' not clean, 'turnipy,' or other objectionable flavour.

Body and Texture — Weak, open, loose, 'acidy,' too soft, too dry.

Colour — Uneven, mottled, or objectionable shade.

Finish — Very uneven in size, showing rough corners, black mould, dirty or cracked surfaces, soft rinds.

Boxes — Too large in diameter; top edge of box more than half-inch below the top of the cheese. Made of light material. Ends made of improperly seasoned material.

Third Grade

Flavour — Rancid, badly "off," anything inferior to Second Grade.

Body and Texture — Very weak, very open, showing pinholes, or porous, very 'acidy,' very soft or very dry.

Colour — Badly mottled, or very objectionable shade.

Finish — Anything worse than second grade.

Boxes — No question of boxes sufficient to make Third Grade if other qualities are good.

Explanations

The definition for first grade cheese is practically the same as what was adopted several years ago for "Finest" quality, except under the head of "Boxes," wherein there are some new and very necessary requirements.

The standard for first grade does not imply perfection. For instance, a "clean, sound and pure" flavour means only an absence of bad flavour. A strictly fancy cheese must not only possess this negative quality, but must have a positive quality in a typical cheese flavour, which many first grade cheese never have.

It would be impossible to define exactly the qualities or defects which may appear in cheese. The standards given are intended to indicate the range of quality for the different grades rather than to establish hard and fast rules to guide the grader.

The expression "good colour" means that the colour must be of a proper shade. There are cheap, inferior cheese colours used, which do not give the proper shade no matter what quantity is used.

The expression "clean surfaces" in the definition for First Grade does not exclude from that grade cheese with a slight growth of blue mould, although it is desirable that the cheese should not show any signs of mould. "Black Mould" (see definition for Second Grade), is simply the advanced stage of the ordinary blue mould.

The following scale of points will indicate the relative values of the different divisions of quality: Flavour, 40; body and texture, 30; colour, 15; finish and boxing, 15; equals 100.

It is obvious that a defect in flavour of a certain degree counts nearly three times as much in determining the grade as a defect in finish or boxing of the same degree.

Cheese which are strictly sour, or otherwise inferior to Third Grade, will be designated as "culls" for which there is no classification.

Any lot of cheese shall be considered third grade if it shows three or more defects of Second Grade class.

If there are not more than 15 per cent of defective cheese in any lot, the inferior ones may be sorted out and classed separately. If more than 15 per cent are defective, the classification for the defective cheese may apply to the whole lot.

This does not apply when inferior cheese have been properly marked so as to be identified, in which case the inferior cheeses shall be treated as a separate lot.

ENNISMORE YOUNG PEOPLE MARRIED

Interesting Budget of News From the Township to the North.

Examiner Special.

Ennismore, Jan. 26.—The sleighing in the vicinity is very poor owing to the recent heavy rains—wheels being used by many.

Mr. James Garvey, Peterborough, spent a few days visiting friends here.

Mr. John Young has just finished drawing bark to Omemee.

The O'Connor Bros. have started drawing logs to Pigeon Creek.

A number of the young people attended a concert and dance Wednesday night in the Indian village.

Mr. Jos. Doran spent Sunday with friends in Cook's Lane.

Tuesday morning St. Martin's Church was the scene of a very pretty but quiet wedding, when William Conway, one of the most popular well to do young men, was united in the holy bonds of wedlock to Miss Tilly Froby. The bride was assisted by Miss M. Conway, sister of the groom; Mr. William Conway being ably supported by Mr. Patrick Killen. Mr. and Mrs. Conway left on a honeymoon trip to Hamilton, Buffalo and other points. They will be home to friends after April 1st.

Mr. John Davis' family have a bad attack of scarlet fever.

Mr. Leo Sullivan has been drawing straw the past week for Mr. Nat Carew.

Mr. John Mahoney has finished building a stable for Mr. J. Crough.

Mr. Ed. Corkery is drawing wood for P. Sullivan.

Mr. Dan Harrington is preparing to move into his new house next week.

An Englishman working for Wm. Young had rather an unpleasant ride on horseback across Mud Lake Saturday night, he having broken his sulter in Bridgenorth.

Mr. Jas. Collins has moved into Mr. Jas. Hoar's house.

Mr. H. Clark is working for Dr. Hickson. He intends to be done in a few days when he will begin work with the O'Reilly Company.

Quite a number of young people attended a dance given by Mick Conway on Thursday night.

Miss M. Cadigan spent Sunday with her parents.

Miss Kate English has returned home, after spending a couple of weeks with her sister, Mrs. W. J. Crough.

Miss Theresa Guiry spent Sunday in Peterborough.

MISS M. KENNEALY SPRAINS HER ANKLE

Was Skating at the Rink—Movements of the People of Lakefield.

Examiner Special

Lakefield, Jan. 27.—The congregation of the Presbyterian Church will hold their annual meeting in the church on Friday evening, January 29th, at 7.30 p. m.

Mr. Clare Bravender spent a few days last week visiting friends in Montreal.

Mr. Tom. Allen, of Millbrook, spent Sunday at "The Grove," the guest of Rev. A. W. and Mrs. Mackenzie.

Miss Mabel Brown, of Peterborough, spent a few days last week in the village, the guest of Miss M. Edwards.

Mrs. A. S. Butchart left on Wednesday last to spend a few weeks in Toronto.

The limelight views and lecture on "Other Worlds Than Ours," which was to have been given by Rev. Dr. Marsh in the town hall on Tuesday evening last, has been postponed indefinitely, Dr. Marsh being unable to keep his appointment owing to illness. We look forward, however, to hearing Dr. Marsh on some future occasion.

Messrs. George Hilliard and Fred Fearman were in Peterborough on Wednesday last.

Rev. C. B. Spencer and family, of Young's Point, were in the village on Thursday last.

Miss Maud Leahy, of Peterborough, is visiting friends in the village.

Mrs. Cumberland, who has been spending the past week in Toronto, visiting her sister, Miss Roberts, returned home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Gray are visiting friends in Toronto and Bobcaygeon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Evans Atwood, Master Harry and Miss Phyllis Atwood, of Peterborough, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Atwood, at "Ashelworth," on Monday last.

Dr. Caldwell, of Peterborough, was in the village on Monday.

Dr. C. H. Amys and family were in the village on Thursday last.

Mrs. James Pammett and Master Melville Pammett are visiting friends in Buffalo, N. Y.

Mr. John Belcher, of Peterborough, was in the village on Wednesday last.

Miss Lancaster was in Peterborough, attending her sister's wedding on Wednesday last.

Miss Traill left on Monday to spend a few weeks with her niece, Mrs. Moodie-Heddle, at St. Hyacinthe, P. Q.

While skating at the rink on Tuesday evening last, Mis M. Kennealy had the misfortune to sprain her ankle very badly. Miss Kennedy will take her place as teacher at the public school during the time of her enforced absence from the school.

Mrs. Gilbert of the Grove School, was in Peterborough on Wednesday last.

Mr. George Payne spent a few days last week at Birdsall.

KEENE'S CARNIVAL WAS POSTPONED

Mild Weather Interfered—Young People's Association Was a Success.

Examiner Special.

Keene, Jan 25.—On account of the mild weather the carnival, which was to have been last Friday, was postponed until Friday, January 29th.

A social, under the auspices of the Y. P. S. C. E., will be held in the basement of the Presbyterian Church on February 8th. A good programme is being prepared. Refreshments will be served and a good time is expected.

The congregational meeting of the Presbyterian Church, which was held last Thuraday, was well attended. After the reports of the various organizations had been received and discussed, and other matters of church business attended to, the congregation repaired to the basement where a very pleasant social hour was spent around the tea table.

Court Zion, C. O. F., will hold its annual oyster supper and ball in the hall at Zion, on Tuesday, January 26th.

Mr. Will Lang, of Edmonton, who is on his way to Scotland as an agent of the Immigration Department, stopped off here for one day last week.

Mrs. Jas. Fife, of Bridgenorth, is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Dickson.

Mr. Gillett spent Sunday at his home in Millbrook.

Mrs. Wm. Campbell and Miss Bella Miller were in Norwood a few days last week.

Mrs. Jennie Anderson, of Peterborough, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Jennie Renwick

Mr. Donald Carter, of Edmonton, is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Wm. Carter, in Keene.

Mrs. Fife and son William, of Iowa, who have been visiting friends in this vicinity, left to-day for their home.

Mrs. Miller, of Peterborough, is the guest of her brother, Dr. McWilliams.

Mrs. Dr. McWilliams is visiting friends in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Gray, of Hiawatha, entertained a number of their friends last Friday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Gray intend moving to Peterborough shortly.

Mr. Victor Fife, of Bridgenorth, is visiting in Otonabee.

THE LOAD OF HIDES WERE WORTH $400

Bridgenorth Man Brought Record Load —Crows and Robins at the Village.

Examiner Special.

Bridgenorth, Jan. 27—Did you see the fog?

Weather decidedly mild.

Crows are quite plentiful at present.

Mr. S. Forsythe saw two robins on Thursday while working in the woods.

A heavy thunder storm passed over this section on Sunday morning about 9 o'clock.

John Pope was in Peterborough on Saturday on business.

Mr. Nathan Taylor is confined to his home through illness.

Mr. Ball is home from Squaw River for a few days.

Miss Cruickshanks who teaches the school at Selwyn spent Sunday at her home in the village.

Mr. Sandy Morrison has purchased a house and lot in the village and intends taking up housekeeping in the near future.

Mr. C. R. Keyes the local organizer for the C. O. O. F. who has spent the past ten days here in the interests of the local Court has met with great success, seven initiations being the result, which took place at a special meeting on Friday night, the 15th. Refreshments were served interspersed with songs, speeches, gramaphone selections, etc., and altogether a very enjoyable evening was spent, including the installation of officers which was conducted by Bro. Keyes. Over seventy members were present.

The division court case between Nicholls and Beatly which came up for its final hearing on Friday before Judge Weller at the Council chamber, was thrown out

The school board this year is composed of Messrs. R. C. Heard, D. H. Wood, and J. A. Jobe, with Mr. Jobe as chairman. No doubt he will have his hands full during the present year as a number of improvements are contemplated at the present time.

Sealed tenders were asked for to supply ten cords of two foot hard wood to be delivered on or before the first of March.

Mr Mann Jr. had the lowest tender therefore was awarded the contract. That no doubt will make extra work for the chairman of the board as he has to help pile the wood and measure it up.

Mr. Thos Mann took a load of hides to Peterborough last week for Jopling Bros, butchers which contained four tons and brought something over four hundred dollars

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. D. Kelly, who have been in New York and Boston on their wedding trip, have returned home and are at present occupying their beautiful new home on the corner of Front and Bay streets.

Mr. A. Walker, formerly of Yelland's Carriage Works, Peterborough who has leased Mr. Heard's shop in the village, is doing a land office business. He finds it impossible to attend to the rush himself and no doubt will have to get an apprentice in the near future.

Throughout Ontario on Christmas Day 375 marriage licenses were issued; a record number indeed.

A lady in the village who was doing a little house cleaning last week came across a pin cushion which looked as if it had survived its usefulness but before consigning it to the flames she poked around among its inwards" a little, just to see if any needles were hidden there. She found 163 needles in the cushion, which was 17 years old.

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PETERBOROUGH THURSDAY JANUARY 28 1909

KNOCKED FROM SIDE OF BOX CAR CROSSING BRIDGE AT CEREAL DAM AND HURLED 33 FEET TO THE ICE BELOW

Mr. Leo Sullivan, G. T. R. Brakeman, Struck a Right Leg Against Iron Guide Post—Broken Above the Knee—Lost His Hold on Side of Car and Went Over Edge of Bridge—Miraculous Escape.

HAD TO BE LIFTED TO THE TOP BY ROPE TIED AROUND WAIST

With his right leg broken above the knee by striking a guard post at the Peterborough Hydraulic Power Company's power house, Mr. Leo Sullivan was hurled from the side of a box car over the edge of the bridge down to the ice below, a distance of thirty-three feet. That this accident which occurred yesterday afternoon about five o'clock, did not result in a fatality is almost marvelous. As it is Mr. Sullivan is lying in St. Joseph's Hospital with a few facial injuries, besides a broken leg and is also suffering from the awful shock he received.

He is engaged as a brakeman in the employ of the G. T. R. and is foreman of the yard crew of this city, which works with the shunter. They had made a run up to Auburn and down the siding to the Quaker Oats mill and were returning with a string of seven cars, one empty and six loaded.

How it Happened

Mr. Sullivan was in the empty car and wanted to get up on top. Accordingly he jumped out in front of the power house, but missed the first car he attempted to catch. He was successful in gripping on to the side of the next car but by this time he had reached the edge of the cement flooring. There is an iron railing extending along the edge from the north west corner to within 32 inches of the east rail. When a car is on the track there is only four inches between the outside post and the side of the car. The post is four feet high.

As Mr. Sullivan endeavoured to swing himself up on the iron handles on the side of the car to escape the post, his right leg struck the post and was broken above the knee. The cars were moving at about five miles an hour and the iron handles being coated with ice Mr. Sullivan was unable to main ain his hold, and the next instant he was plunging through the air to the ice below.

Slipped into Water

From those who saw the affair it is learned that his fall was practically headlong. Mr. Sullivan struck a sloping bank of ice, slightly breaking his fall, and plunging him into the shallow water.

A Difficult Task

Assistance was close at hand but it was a perplexing question to raise the injured man to the cement flooring which extends between the east wall of the power house and the track. Finally a stout rope was secured and a man was lowered to the shallow water beside Mr. Sullivan. The latter fastened the rope about his body and as carefully as possible Mr. Sullivan was pulled up the thirty-three feet to the top, the other man being brought up afterwards in the same manner.

The Dan Spence ambulance had made a rapid run and was on hand and the injured man was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital. It was found that other than the broken thigh his injuries were not severe, although he was cut about the head and felt the effects of the shock and the exposure.

Mr. Sullivan, who has a wife and child, resides on George street, over F. R. J. MacPherson's store.

THE COUNTY COUNCIL ACCEPTS RETRACTION OF SERIOUS CHARGES MADE BY MR. J. J. CROWE AGAINST MANAGEMENT OF HOUSE OF REFUGE

Mr. J J Crowe threw a bomb shell into the County Council proceedings this morning when he brought a charge of a serious nature against the Board of Management of the House of Refuge. He stated that a connection of his, an old gentleman named Argue, had died at the House and "was bundled up and buried a few hours later, like a dog." Mr. Crowe used rather strong statements describing the affair which to the credit of the Board, were entirely disproved, and finally Mr. Crowe retracted some of the statements, saying that he had been wrongly informed.

The occurrence is described as follows:

On motion, Mr. J J Crowe, of Dummer, was allowed to address the council with reference to the burying of a relative of his from the House of Refuge without notifying him of the death of such inmate, also setting forth in his address that the burial was not satisfactory, nor reverently carried out, in so much as the death took place in the early morning and burial at nine o'clock the same morning. He also requested the Board to have the body removed to the cemetery in Dummer.

Mr. Scott assured Mr. Crowe that the deceased had been carefully nursed during his illness and cared for in his dying hours, and that the death took place on one day, and the next day he and Mr. Webster, of Dummer, had acted as bearers at the funeral at 3 p.m., the English church minister conducting the service. The body was buried in the plot secured by the county in the Lakefield Cemetery.

Did not Claim Body

The declaration accompanying the committment of the old gentleman was signed by Mr. Crowe himself and although in said declaration space is provided for the individual taking, or signing, such declaration, to request the body to be handed to him, no request was made by Mr. Crowe to that effect, consequently the Board having no other alternative and having passed a bylaw to provide for the proper burial of inmates by the County, did bury the body as stated.

Moved by Mr. Knox and seconded by Mr. Graham, that this Council approve of the actions of the Board of Management and Superintendent, and that Mr. Crowe be allowed to have the body transferred to his own cemetery, if he desires, if the transfer does not interfere with the rules and regulations of the Institution, and at his own expense.—Carried.

Mr. Crowe on being requested, retracted some of the statements he made, and upon motion of Messrs. Moher and Darling, the Council recognized the retraction.

WALTER H. COTTINGHAM IN HIS OFFICE.

Former Peterborough boy who has mounted the ladder of success from the lowest step. His example should be an inspiration to every young man in business.

The above is the picture of a young man who formerly was employed as a clerk in the hardware store of McKee and Davidson, now the Peterborough Hardware store. It was in this capacity that Walter H. Cottingham learned the first principles of the hardware business. To-day he is president of the entire Sherwin-Williams organization, both in the United States and Canada. Mr. Williams has retired from the presidency and was made chairman of the board. The above shows Mr. Cottingham in his office. The complete story of his phenomenal advancement and success appeared in Monday's issue, and is a splendid example for all young men to follow.

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CARD OF THANKS

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OBITUARY

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With his right leg broken above the knee by striking a guard post on the Peterborough Hydraulic Power Company's power house, Mr Leo Sullivan was hurled from the side of a box car over the edge of the bridge down to the ice below, a distance of thirty-three feet. That this accident which occurred yesterday afternoon about five o'clock, did not result in a fatality is almost marvelous. As it is Mr. Sullivan is lying in St. Joseph's Hospital with a few facial injuries, besides a broken leg and is also suffering from the awful shock he received.

He is engaged as a brakeman in the employ of the G. T. R. and is foreman of the yard crew of this city, which works with the shunter. They had made a run up to Auburn and down the siding to the Quaker Oats mill and were returning with a string of seven cars, one empty and six loaded.

How it Happened

Mr. Sullivan was in the empty car and wanted to get up on top. Accordingly he jumped out in front of the power house, but missed the first car he attempted to catch. He was successful in gripping on to the side of the next car but by this time he had reached the edge of the cement flooring. There is an iron railing extending along the edge from the north west corner to within 32 inches of the east rail. When a car is on the track there is only four inches between the outside post and the side of the car. The post is four feet high.

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Slipped into Water

From those who saw the affair it is learned that his fall was practically headlong. Mr. Sullivan struck a sloping bank of ice, slightly breaking his fall, and plunging him into the shallow water.

A Difficult Task

Assistance was close at hand but it was a perplexing question to raise the injured man to the cement flooring which extends between the east wall of the power house and the track. Finally a stout rope was secured and a man was lowered to the shallow water beside Mr. Sullivan. The latter fastened the rope about his body and as carefully as possible Mr. Sullivan was pulled up the thirty-three feet to the top, the other man being brought up afterwards in the same manner.

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Did not Claim Body

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FUNERAL AT MILLBROOK YESTERDAY OF THE LATE MR. THOMAS G. KELLS

The funeral of the late Mr. T. G. Kells, of Millbrook, took place from his residence to the family burying plot, Cavan, on Wednesday afternoon. The pall bearers were Messrs. A. H. Smith, Chas. Needler, Albert Hetherington, Chas. Winslow, R. H. Kells and Harry Armstrong.

The funeral services were conducted at his late residence by Rural Dean Allen. The funeral was one of the largest seen in this locality for some time. The late Mr. Kells conducted a general store and banking business for a long period of years in this village, and was one of the most active and energetic business men this village ever produced. The mercantile business of Wood and Kells, and the banking business of Wood and Kells were well known throughout the whole of the Midland district, and perhaps no two men were more favourably looked upon by the community generally than the members who composed the firm.

Some years ago the firm dissolved partnership, Mr. Kells retiring and disposing of the general store to Mr. John Kells, his nephew, who has since conducted it with much success. The banking business was carried on by Mr. Wood for some years, eventually being taken over by the Bank of Toronto, which bank opened a branch in the village, having cooperated more or less with the banking firm of Wood and Kells for some years. Mr. Wood predeceased Mr. Kells a few years ago. When the northwest was first opened up and lands were being disposed of at a nominal price to companies and corporations, this firm purchased a large area of land in the Souris district, some of which was disposed of subsequently, but the late Mr. Kells was the holder of a large block of the most valuable lands in the Souris district to-day.

In the death of Mr. Kells Millbrook loses one of its most prominent citizens, and the community will miss Mr. Kells, who was a leading resident.

In politics the deceased was a thorough Liberal and exercised his best efforts in behalf of the cause he believed in. In religion Mr. Kells was a member of the Anglican Church, Millbrook, and was one of its most devoted and energetic members, taking a great interest in everything that tended to the furtherance of the work.

FARMERS ARE STILL CLAMOURING FOR LOWER FEES AT P.C.I.

The farmers of the county are desirous of having their children placed upon the same basis as the city children as regards the fees at the Collegiate Institute. A deputation composed of Messrs. David Eastwood, North Monaghan; Jas Fowler and D Lewis, of Smith, waited on the County Council yesterday requesting that the latter body meet the Board of Education and endeavour to make some arrangements to this effect.

SEPARATE SCHOOL BOARD DECIDES UPON $9333 FOR 1909

A special meeting of the Separate School Board was held last night, when the amount required for the year was placed at $9,333.00. The Separate School ratepayers will be assessed for this sum and the report will be given the Finance Committee of the council.

CARD OF THANKS

TO THE PRESIDENT AND MEMBERS OF BRANCH No. 39, C.M.B.A.

Dear Sirs:

I wish to express my thanks for the prompt manner in which your Association paid my claim of 2,000 dollars beneficiary due on the death of my father; said claim was paid in less than 10 days after the proof of death was furnished.

Wishing you every success in the good work, I am,

Yours very gratefully,

B. HALPIN.

Peterborough, Jan. 27, 1909.

1d-28-5124

OBITUARY

KENNETH LEE COX

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Cox, 787 Concession street, East City, will regret very much to learn of the death of their infant son, Kenneth Lee Cox, aged one month, after a few days' illness from pneumonia.

Funeral will take place to-morrow (Friday,) at 2 o'clock, from the family residence.

Annual Meeting

—The annual congregational meeting of St. Andrew's Church will be held in the school room of the church to-night, when the financial statement and reports bearing upon the several activities of the church will be presented.

TELL YOUR STORY WHERE IT WILL BE HEARD. Whether it is something Wanted, or to Sell, Lost or Found, Exchange or Rent, tell your story in THE EXAMINER, where it will be read. Little Condensed Ads. in these columns cost but a few cents—only One Cent per Word. Special price for two, three, six or more insertions. Phone 57k and a messenger will call for your Ad., or telephone the Ad. direct to 57L.

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City Clerk.
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Houses to Let at reasonable rent. Apply for particulars at **W. H. BRADBURN'S OFFICE** over Dominion Bank, corner George and Simcoe Streets. dtf

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LOST — A DRIVING GLOVE TUESDAY evening on George street. Finder will kindly leave at this office. 1d-23-5118

LOST IN PETERBOROUGH, ON MONday evening, a brown leather Suit Case. Finder will kindly return to this office. 3d 23 5123

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THE NEW WATERWORKS DAM.

Last night the Water Commissioners made an important request of the City Council—to submit to a popular vote a bylaw to authorize the issue of debentures to the amount of $120,000 for the construction of a new Waterworks dam and the provision of increased and adequate pumping capacity.

The council will probably submit such a bylaw and the citizens will probably carry it. In favour of this there are several considerations.

In the first place the present dam which is of wood and built fifteen years ago, is none too safe, nor will it become safer as time passes, and is hardly in a condition to safely withstand any extraordinary pressure. Then the present pumping capacity is insufficient. The growth of the city in population and expanse has made necessary increased pumping capacity. In dry periods of the year—July and August—the pumps are worked to their full capacity to supply normal demands, and if some sudden emergency arose such as a large fire, the results might be easily disastrous.

The necessity for the new dam being conceded, it is to be remembered that its construction will not impose a cent of additional taxation, apart from the cost of voting on the bylaw. The sinking fund provided and to be provided by the Commissioners, will serve to meet and retire the debentures on maturity, and the interest will be met from current revenue, without the slightest increase of the water rates. In other words the Water Works, through the Commissioners, will build the new dam, buy new pumps and pay for them themselves. Thus it is seen that the application of the Commissioners is, in one sense, a mere formality, to give authority to raise the money by debentures. The only known liability the city assumes is to become sponsor for the debentures, the Water Commissioners providing for the payment of the borrowed money and the annually accruing interest.

This is the situation and the ratepayers will note that the authorization of the debentures for $120,000 will not add to the rate of taxation, nor an increase of water rates, but will provide what is needed in the interests of the city and citizens a strong and sufficient new dam and enlarged and greatly needed pumping capacity.

The flow of the River Otonabee at low water is 65,000 cubic feet, or about 490,000 gallons per minute.

FORESTRY.

The Canadian Forestry Association will meet, this year, in Toronto on Thursday and Friday, February 11th and 12th. The meetings will be held in the Convocation Hall of the University of Toronto. The railways have, as in former years, granted a single-fare rate for the meeting.

The Association decided to hold the meeting in Toronto on the invitation of the Board of Trade of that city. This fact of itself is interesting as tending to show that forestry has now come to be recognized as a business matter. The preservation and perpetuation of Canada's forests—the ideal aimed at by the Association—is indeed, judged by the experience of other countries, the best business policy Canada can pursue.

The chief work of the Canadian Forestry Association has been to bring and keep before the Canadian public the wisdom of such a policy, to advocate the exploration of wild lands, with a view of having the land unsuitable for agriculture set aside as permanent forest lands, and generally to disseminate knowledge on forestry topics. For the better carrying out of this last object the Association maintains the Canadian Forestry Journal, a magazine which all its members receive.

The Association has been in existence for about nine years, having been founded in February, 1900, by Mr. E Stewart, then Superintendent of Forestry for the Dominion. From the first it has been successful in attracting to its membership many prominent lumbermen, as well as officials connected with the timber administration of the Dominion and the several provinces, well known scientists and educators and others interested in one or other of the many aspects of forestry. The membership is now nearly 1,700, the past year having seen an increase of nearly five hundred.

The president of the Association for 1908-09 is Mr. W. B. Snowball, of Chatham, N. B., prominent in the lumbering industry of that province. The secretary is Mr. A. H. D. Ross, of the Faculty of Forestry, University of Toronto, who will gladly furnish further information regarding the Association and its meetings.

THE EMPIRE'S SEA SUPREMACY.

For decades, if not for centuries, the greater nations of the world have made attempts to rival Great Britain as a sea power, but the Empire—Great Britain and her colonies—still maintain a tremendous lead. Figures, even nautical figures, are dry reading, but it is only by their use that one can gain an adequate idea of British maritime preponderance. "Lloyd's Register" for 1907-8 shows that Great Britain has 9,517 steam and sailing vessels of 16,999,668 tons; colonies, 2,000 tonnage, 1,321,000; United States (excluding lake vessels), 3046. tonnage, 2,774,165; Germany, 2,094, tonnage, 4,110,562; Italy, 1,107, tonnage, 1,219,409; France, 1,483, tonnage, 1,761,783; Norway, 2,161, tonnage, 1,918,531; Russia, 1,359, tonnage, 937,911; Spain, 578, tonnage, 708,749; Sweden, 1,538, tonnage, 877,548; Denmark, 859, tonnage, 722,590; Austria-Hungary, 326, tonnage, 688,619; Holland, 547, tonnage, 813,627. A little analysis or compilation of these figures reveals the fact that the ocean tonnage of Great Britain alone, not to include her colonies, is greater than the combined tonnage of the nations named—the eleven powers standing foremost in the possession of seagoing fleets. In war ships Britain's aim and attainment, too, is to have a war fleet double the strength of any of the two largest nations combined. The old country is coquetting with the question of protection. Judged by the experience of the United States her sea supremacy will depend upon the extent to which she may adopt the practice of the principle of protection. The United States has given it extreme application and the effects are seen in her dwindling maritime power. After forty years of protection she has not enough mercantile marine to do lightering work for her navy, and has to depend for this service upon foreign powers, principally Great Britain.

Canada has thirty lines of steamships sailing from her various ports. The first steamer to cross the Atlantic, a Canadian, was the Royal William, from Quebec to Gravesend—1833.

CANADIAN ACHIEVEMENT.

The London Times has at last discovered Canada. In a recent issue it says:

"By deliberately pitting the power of human mind and character against the blind forces of geography Canadians have achieved in barely more than a generation a triumph over natural obstacles which is, perhaps, the most striking monument, in the modern world, of national decision and resource."

By virtue of having faith in herself; by virtue of living up to the teachings of this faith, Canada has not only exhibited its self respect but has conquered the respect of onlookers, and even won the admiration and approval of the London Times, which has for long regarded Canada with indifference or patronizing tolerance. However, the Times still hardly appreciates the situation. Canada may have, as the Times says, "pitted the powers of human mind and character against blind forces," but without a splendid faith in the future, a splendid confidence in the universality and unlimited character of our resources, the power of human mind and character would not have effected what has been done. Canada, in proportion to population and financial resources, has accomplished more in the way of material improvement in equipment of national growth, than almost any country in recorded history. In providing the raw material for growth—transportation—a national expenditure of some three hundred millions in railways and canals has been made—about two millions each for every man, woman and child of a population of some six millions, a very creditable performance. This is apart from an investment, by private and corporate enterprise, of nearly two thousand million in railways. These things have been done by the effective combination of faith and works. It was faith that inspired and works that completed and are completing the Canadian Pacific, the Canadian Northern and the Transcontinental and Grand Trunk Pacific Railways, linking a narrow fringe of settled domain, now broadened many times over, across a wilderness, with a wilderness in the West, which has been and is being transformed into a granary of the Empire. It was faith that explored "New Ontario," and works that led to its exploration and development by building the first provincial owned railway in Canada, which revealed wealth that never was dreamed of before, and of which the end is not yet. The pessimists, whom we have with us always, but, thank Heaven, in decreasing numbers, saw nothing of the great West of the Dominion, or the great North of Ontario. The Examiner has frequently pointed out that there is probably not a square mile of Canadian territory that has not its potential wealth in some form. The truth of this has been so frequently and effectively proven in respect of explored and developed regions of previous apparent uselessness, that there is little room for the doubter. We do not all of us appreciate the imperial expanse of our possessions. A member of the new Parliament, from Alberta, said to a newspaper the other day:

"My constituency is nearly as large as Ireland. The area is sixteen million acres, ten millions of which is good wheat land. It could grow 300,000,000 bushels of No. 1 Hard, which is more wheat than the whole of the Dominion grows to-day."

And the constituency mentioned by this gentleman is only one of seven in Alberta, and of nine in Saskatchewan. North of all this is more virgin territory with very great possibilities, listed to be soon brought under the development which transportation facilities will make possible. The future of Canada depends upon Canadians themselves, and judged by the past they will be equal to the responsibility.

In providing transportation facilities—one of the raw materials of nation building—railways, canals, etc., Canada has expended in round numbers 2,500 million of dollars.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Ven. Archdeacon Sweeney, Toronto, senior archdeacon of the diocese of Toronto, has summoned the clergy and lay representatives to a meeting, to be held in the school house of St. James' Cathedral, on February 17th, to elect a successor to the late Most Reverend Archbishop Sweatman.

NOTICE.

Peterborough depot for Nordheimer Pianos is in Browett's Optical Parlours. 332 George Street. See them. 8d-18

DON'T FIGHT THE WEATHER.

Try the Plan of Being on Friendly Terms With It.

What a great misfortune this is, the habit of considering the weather—of thinking that we must consider the weather! It is largely due, is it not, to clothes? No mention is made of rain in the garden of Eden, but we must not therefore contend that rain was disagreeable and omitted. We must recollect that Adam and Eve did not need to consider rain. Furthermore, in blessed ignorance they did not know that it was anything to be considered.

To mind the rain no more than the May sunshine, but to plunge into it and let the drops pelt as they will, to accept snow without a thought of discomfort, but, rather, to enjoy the thronging presence of it; to pursue one's daily stint regardless of whether the sky be dun or blue—this is a state which we, especially of the cities, long, long have lost.

We regain it, some of us, in the wilderness camp, where we hunt or fish if the day be dark or if the day be bright, and where we find that the dash of the soft rain on one's face is not death, after all; that wetness and dryness are merely relative terms.

All the centuries of fussing and fuming with the weather have not affected the weather one particle. It still rains and snows and sleets and blows, just as dictated by circumstances. Therefore, what's the use? Are your puny diatribes or mine of any greater potency than those of others gone before? Evidently not. Accordingly try the plan of being friendly with the weather, of agreeing with it instead of fighting it, and, 'pon my word, presently it will be agreeing with you.—E. L. Sabin in Lippincott's.

Kinnikinic.

"We ran out of tobacco while fishing in the Canadian wilds," said a clubman. "Our guides put us on to kinnikinic, and we smoked that for ten days. It wasn't bad.

"Kinnikinic is the inner bark of the red willow. You dry it, then you cut it up. It really tastes like tobacco. The Indians always use it when they can't get the real thing, and I understand that there are certain brands of Canadian tobacco that are flavored with kinnikinic."

Snakes Changed Into Rods.

The Egyptian cobra is not unlike its Asiatic relative except in respect of the absence of the curious spectacle-like mark which distinguishes the latter. Although it is the most poisonous reptile known to inhabit northern Africa, it is the favorite among the snake charmers. These conjurers know how to render this serpent rigidly unconscious by pressing the nape of its neck with a finger. This act appears to throw the reptile into catalepsy, in which it as stiff as an iron rod.

Murders Burlesque Actress.

Philadelphia, Jan. 28.—Mazie Kenney, a burlesque actress, 20 years of age, was shot and almost instantly killed by an unidentified young man who was infatuated with her. He then fired a bullet into his own brain.

PRUDENT PRIDE.

You thenk eet strange for dat I am
So meek, so quiet like lamb,
Reestend for brag a leetla beet
About da greata granda feat
Of leetla dagoman dat ran
An' beat so bad da Irishman?
Of course, signore, eet eesa true
I like to say a word or two.
But w'at'sa use? Een deesa lan'
Dere ees so many Irishman
Dat ees so queeck for gat excite'
An' alla time wanta fight
I notta care for show da pride
An' joy my heart ees feel eenside.
Dorando ees so strong, so gran',
He need no be afraid for stan'
Een front of many Irishman
An' brag a leetla beet an' tal
How slow dey are. But I mysal,
I no can run so vera wal.

—T. A. Daly in Catholic Standard and Times.

In Ten Years' Time.

Chauffeur—Now, then! Can't you keep on your own side?

By Word of Mouth.

There is a certain youth who recently became engaged to a very sweet young girl who for all her sweetness is well supplied with spirit. This youth evidently thought he had the entire game neatly printed in a book and determined to head off the usual "Am I the only girl?" etc., queries, for, taking her in his arms, he said gently, but firmly:

"Now, sweetheart, I might as well tell you at the start—you are not the only girl I have ever kissed."

"Well, maybe not," she retorted, "but you still have much to learn about it."—Harper's Weekly.

A Christmas Gift Hint.

My dear —— (fill this in with the name of the recipient), please accept this little —— with best wishes for a merry Christmas. I hope it is something that you really didn't need, because to present you with anything useful would be a reflection on your own ability to provide for yourself. I sincerely trust that it is not more valuable than the thing that you will present to me. In the firm belief that you will be able to exchange it soon, offer it as a prize at a card party or put it in some place where you will not have to pay storage upon it, I am, etc.—New York Life.

The Way of True Love.

Three or four several times was her heart broken. Twice at least she ate it out. But hereupon she was turned twenty-four.

"I've had my fling!" she exclaimed sadly and added, with a sigh, "I suppose I must marry." And so she gave her heart to the first man who happened along and lived happily ever after.—Puck.

Breaking It Gently.

"George, dear, did you see this handsome vase I got for my birthday?"

"No. Where is it?"

"Here it is, George."

"Very pretty. Who gave it to you?"

"Don't you know?"

"I'll give it up."

"Why, you did, George!"—New York Herald.

That's What Hurt.

"See here," feebly complained the victim after the accident, "I thought you said it was perfectly safe to go up in that old elevator?"

"Well," replied the elevator man, "so it was safe to go up. You see, the dangerous part of it was coming down."—Catholic Standard and Times.

Severe on His Throat.

"Yes, ma'am, the las' job I had wuz hard on me poor throat."

"What was the job?"

"It wuz at a home for friendless dogs, ma'am. I wuz engaged to bark a friendly welcome to the homesick dogs that felt lonesome, ma'am."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

An Enthusiastic Audience.

"Do you dictate your speeches to a stenographer?"

"No," answered the statesman who appreciates himself highly. "I have to write them. A stenographer wastes too much time laughing and applauding."—Washington Star.

His Part of the Program.

"Young man," said the stern parent, "I devoted my life to business. You are devoting yours to pleasure."

"Well," replied the flippant youth, "that's the good old rule, business before pleasure."—Pittsburg Post.

A Regular Barn.

The old woman who lived in a shoe complained of cramped quarters.

"Why not try a Christmas stocking?" they suggested.

So she immediately adopted the hint.—Puck.

The Rising Man.

Gyer—There goes a young man who invariably rises to the occasion.

Myer—Indeed!

Gyer—Fact. He's an elevator chauffeur.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Stop Screeching.

Sweet Singer—I asked you to show me where I could get something to improve my voice.

Low Comedian—Well, there is the place across the street.

Sweet Singer—That's not a pharmacy. Why, that's a carriage shop.

Low Comedian—Sure! That's where they sell axle grease.—Detroit Tribune.

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Fine Heaters, with Nickel Top, Band and Skirt and Roller Grates.

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1 No. 3 Quebec Idea Heater, regular price 8.50, Sale Price **6.50**

1 No. 4 Quebec Idea Heater, reg. price 10.50, Sale Price.. **8.50**

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THE TRADERS BANK

of Canada

Proceedings of the Twenty-fourth Annual General Meeting of Shareholders

HELD AT THE BANKING HOUSE IN TORONTO.

Among those present were: Messrs. C. D. Warren, Hon. J. R. Stratton, C. Kloepfer, W. J. Sheppard, Alex. Stewart, Seneca Jones, W. J. McAllister, Geo. Watson, E. Galley, H. R. Playtner, J. S. Williamson, L. Bauer, H. H. Strathy, K.C., Frank Hansel, Jas. Young, J. P. Steedman, A. M. Scott, Geo. Mair, Harry G. Horton, J. B. Fairgrieve, Dr. Garrique, J. L. McMurray, A. T. Lowe, J. A. M. Alley, A. D. Robertson, F. W. Bain, R. P. Sherris, C. S. Wilcox, E. F. B. Johnston, K.C., H. S. Strathy, Jas. Linton, A. H. Brown, Geo. LeRiche, Archibald Filshie, R. M. Gilkison, Thos. R. Parker, Albert Kleiser, S. Dillon Mills, J. A. Halbhaus, Joseph Morris, J. K. Niven, J. Wallace, M.D., J. P. Hodgins, A. G. Knowles, F. J. Winlow, M. Garvin, G. Reid Simpson,, E. Cork, N. Ross, J. A. Laird, N. Hillary, Lt. W. A. P. Durie, A. B. Ord, and Frank W. Strathy.

Moved by Mr. Seneca Jones, seconded by Mr. J. S. Williamson, that Messrs. E. Galley and J. K. Niven be appointed Scrutineers. Carried.

The Chair was taken by the President, Mr. C. D. Warren, and Mr. Stuart Strathy was requested to act as Secretary.

The General Manager then read the following Statement:—

Statement of the Result of the Business of the Bank for the Twelve Months Ending 31st December, 1908.

The net profits for the twelve months, after making provision for bad and doubtful debts, and reserving accrued interest, amounted to	$500,217 60
Premium on New Stock	100 00
Balance at credit of Profit and Loss last year	25,364 39
	$525,681 99
Appropriated as follows, viz.:	
Dividend No. 48, quarterly, at the rate of 7 per cent per annum,	$76,168 29
Dividend No. 49, quarterly, at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum,	76,174 11
Dividend No. 50, quarterly, at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum,	76,178 44
Dividend No. 51, quarterly, at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum,	76,178 66
Written off Bank Premises and Furniture,	20,000 00
Transferred to Officers Guarantee Fund,	5,000 00
Transferred to Officers Pension Fund,	5,000 00
Balance at Credit of Profit and Loss new account	190,982 49
	$525,681 99

General Statement, 31st December, 1908.

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid up		$4,353,592 00
Rest Account		2,000,000 00
Dividend No. 51, payable 2nd January		76,178 66
Former Dividends unpaid		408 27
Interest accrued on Deposit Receipts		8,786 80
Balance of Profits carried forward		190,982 49
		$6,629,946 22
Notes of the Bank in circulation		$2,600,905 00
Deposits bearing interest, including interest accrued to date,	$21,285,685 00	
Deposits not bearing interest	4,099,432 02	
	25,385,117 02	
Balance due to other Banks in Canada	14,021 88	
Deposits from Banks in U.S.	229,600 21	
		28,229,644 11
		$34,859,590 33

ASSETS

Gold and Silver coin current	$ 400,327 00	
Dominion Government Demand Notes	2,632,234 00	
Notes of and Cheques on other Banks	771,818 85	
Balance due from other Banks	685,202 46	
Balance due from Foreign Agents	1,219,465 06	
Dominion and Provincial Government Securities	614,084 03	
Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks	955,937 84	
Call and Short Loans on Stocks, Bonds and other Securities	1,871,773 93	
		9,150,843 17
Bills discounted current	23,512,673 83	
Notes discounted overdue (estimated loss provided for)	23,532 83	
Loans to other Banks secured	23,532 66	
Deposit with Dominion Government for security of general Bank Note Circulation	148,270 49	
Real Estate, the property of the Bank (other than the Bank premises)	5,928 66	
Bank premises (including safes, etc.)	1,991,808 89	
Mortgages on Real Estate sold by Bank	3,000 00	
		25,708,747 16
		$34,859,590 33

STUART STRATHY, General Manager.

Toronto, 31st December, 1908.

The General Manager, having read the foregoing report, made the following comments:

From the statement submitted, it will be observed that the results of the year's operations have been satisfactory, notwithstanding the severe financial disturbance, which was felt, more or less, throughout the world during the period under review. The wave of depression is apparently lifting, and we face another year with good prospects of a general return to normal conditions in several lines of business. A brief consideration of the yearly statement will readily show how successful the Bank's business has been during the past year. The net profits, after making allowance for all probable contingencies, and crediting interest to all interest-bearing accounts, amount to $500,217.60. Adding to this the balance carried forward from Profit and Loss the previous year, with one or two small additional items, makes the sum of $525,681.99, which was available for distribution. This amount was apportioned to pay four quarterly dividends at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, amounting to $304,699.50. $20,000 has been written off Bank Premises and Furniture Accounts, and $10,000 has been added to the Officers' Guarantee and Pension Fund, leaving the substantial sum of $190,982.49 to be carried forward at the credit of Profit and Loss new account.

The paid-up Capital Stock of the Bank amounts to.....$4,353,592, and the Rest Account.....$2,000,000 nearly one-half of the Paid-up Capital.

The total deposits of the Bank now amount to over.....$25,000,000 Of this sum over $4,000,000 is non-interest-bearing, and the total deposits of the Bank have increased $2,000,000 during the year.

The assets, which are immediately available, amount to over nine millions of dollars, being about thirty per cent. of the liabilities to the public, a condition which places the Bank in a very strong position.

Attention should be called to the excellent character generally of the assets of the Bank, as set forth in the statement.

During the year, seven new Branches were opened and two were closed, making a total of eighty-one Branches open at the end of the year.

The Bank continued, throughout the year, to increase both in volume and character of its business. It is interesting to note its growth by comparison with the figures of ten years ago.

	1898	1908
Paid-up Capital	$ 700,000	$ 4,353,592
Surplus	50,000	2,000,000
Deposits	4,930,817	25,385,117
Circulation	697,680	2,600,905

The general depression of a year ago has resulted in a contraction of business throughout the Country. Now, that it would appear that the period of depression is passing away, and provided the incoming year is a prosperous one, it is natural to infer that more activity in commercial lines will ensue, followed by a more active demand for money. We find again this year, a considerably larger acreage will be ready for early seeding in the Northwest, consequent upon the continued flow into those lands of a most desirable class of settlers, principally from the Country to the South of us, the effect of which must benefit this Country at large. The greatly increased transportation facilities will also prove an important factor, not alone in the temporary large expenditure, which continues to be made on this account, but by this very large extension of our Railway System, making it possible to bring to the Seaboard the steadily increasing crops of our great Northwest, with the least possible delay. We have established several important Branches in this field, and, as the Country develops, extension in this direction, no doubt, will meet with your approval.

Before concluding, I wish to express my appreciation of the cordial co-operation of all the officials of the Bank in the work of the year. All the books and documents of the Bank have been carefully examined, and the affairs of all the Branches have been looked into, and reported upon in a manner permitting the Board to deal intelligently with all the assets of the Bank.

Mr. C. D. Warren, President, in moving the adoption of the Report, said:

I have much pleasure in moving the adoption of the Report which has been presented. The Management and shareholders may well congratulate themselves on the result of the year's business. The Report affords strong evidence of the prosperous condition of the Bank, and of a satisfactory increase in the general volume of business. The period of prosperity which Canada enjoyed until about a year ago, led to extensive, and in some cases, unsuccessful expansion on the part of many capitalists and business men, and the resources of all financial institutions were taxed to the limit of their capacity to meet the demands of this abnormal enterprise. Depression followed, bringing about conditions that caused a restriction of all financial enterprises, thereby resulting in a withdrawal of capital from business undertakings and an increase in the amount of comparatively idle money not yielding the average return of profits. Last year was, therefore, not to be regarded as one favourable to profitable financial operation, but the results have nevertheless been very satisfactory.

A growing country like Canada, with unbounded resources, naturally has great power of recuperation. Trade depression consequently affected Canada less than almost any other country, and as a result, commercial and manufacturing interests are rapidly recovering from the embarrassment which retarded their progress for the past twelve months. The probability is that in the immediate future, the limits of the available resources of our financial institutions will be reached by the requirements of various legitimate undertakings, which are already beginning to show renewed vigour and vitality.

The Agricultural returns from the Dominion for 1908 indicate a large yield of grain and other crops, and this condition tends materially to create business confidence. With the prospect of fair prices and an increase in the wealth of the country from its natural products, commercial undertakings must receive a great impetus, and manufacturing and all its branches will be greatly extended. The distribution of this increased wealth rests largely with Banking institutions, and whilst the rate of interest may be somewhat lower than it has been for a year or two, the increased volume of business will, it is believed, maintain in the earning power at the same level.

The lumber industry, one of the great National sources of wealth, is rapidly reviving, and increased activity in railway extension and incidental enterprises has given a new impulse to our iron and steel works. Our mining interests now call for large outlays for operation, and our trade, increasing at home and abroad, gives good ground for the hope that Canada in a short time will more than make up for the temporary delay in her course towards the highest point of commercial greatness.

The employment of money is absolutely necessary for current operations, and as these are now extending in all directions, it is not unreasonable to look forward to several years of prosperous development of a substantial character.

To meet the demands involved in the interests I have briefly mentioned as well as others that readily suggest themselves, our Banking and financial institutions may expect a largely increased volume of business and a ready and safe outlet for all their surplus money during the present year.

The Northwest is extending its cultivated area, and is being opened to the people by means of great trunk railway lines, and many local extensions. Here we have the true source of wealth. The mere interchange or investment of money does not add materially to the general wealth of the country, but the products of the soil, the forest and the mine create new and additional capital, most of which finds its way into Banks, Loan and Insurance Corporations, and other similar institutions. By keeping a constant and energetic lookout, we hope to obtain a fair share of the handling of this increased wealth, and with this object in view, we have already established Agencies in some of the more important Western points. Yet, without unduly extending the Bank operations, there is still room for other openings and advantage of this fact should be taken as occasion arises and circumstances permit.

Whilst the value of money chiefly depends on the conditions of the great financial centres of the world, there are many local demands which affect the money market here. It is true that municipal debentures principally find a market in Great Britain. Corporation bonds such as railway, electric, etc., are largely sold abroad, but much of the cash resulting therefrom reaches our banks eventually. To show the practical situation more forcibly, I might state that the value of Municipal and Corporation Bonds of this country sold in Great Britain in 1908, was over Nineteen Million Dollars, and that Canadian investors bought only Twenty-one Million Dollars' worth, but the total of over One Hundred and Ten Millions is likely to find its way here, to be used for Local and National Development. In view, therefore, of the growth of our transportation and transmission lines, and the development of Municipal works in every town and city in the Dominion, and the large foreign capital which will be brought into this country for these purposed our Banks may anticipate, not only a large amount of money in circulation and on deposit, but a greater demand for those local needs which cannot be supplied through foreign agencies. The great industries of the country must be carried on, and these look to our Banking facilities for assistance, and with the return of prosperity the avenues of investment will materially increase. Your Directors have availed themselves of every favourable opportunity to meet this demand, but always having in mind that prosperous times demand greater care and watchfulness than periods of depression.

Instead of increasing a sufficiently strong reserve to meet all probable demands and thereby locking up a large amount of unproductive money in the treasury, we have invested considerable sums in high-class municipal debentures and other bonds, yielding the Bank a profitable return, and being almost as available as cash if occasion should arise in the future. The price of these securities is not much affected by the local market, the purchasers in Great Britain practically controlling values, and it was felt that no better or safer investment could be made with surplus or reserve funds which must be constantly and immediately available in every well-managed banking institution.

In call loans, we pursue a very conservative policy, so that no large amount of any particular stock shall be held as security by the bank at any one time. The margin of safety is always large, and the fluctuations of the ordinary market do not affect the security.

Your directors examine practically all credits and accounts in the books of the Bank. No advance of any moment is made without their sanction, and whilst this method entails a large amount of work, we feel it to be the only safe way to discharge our duty. The various agencies have been carefully inspected, the returns scrutinized, and the state and nature of investments thoroughly considered. In this work, we find the services of the Directors' Auditor, Mr. Willis, most valuable, and through him, important information regarding the bank's transactions is readily available to the Board.

Our inspectors are competent and efficient officers, and it affords me much pleasure in being able to testify to the great care and ability which they bring to bear in the performance of their duties.

I am glad to be able to state that every part of the Head Office building is rented, yielding a good return, and there does not appear to be any doubt as to this condition being continuous. The same satisfactory state of affairs exists in regard to the Yonge and Bloor streets office.

We hope that before long, the result of the careful attention and efforts of your Directors and the management may reach the Shareholders in a substantial and gratifying manner.

I move that the Report be adopted.

The Vice-President, Hon. J. R. Stratton, seconded the motion, and said: The ground has been pretty thoroughly covered by the remarks of the General Manager and the President; but I can at least re-echo the congratulations and repeat the expressions of pleasure which the report warrants.

I have personal knowledge that the directors have all devoted themselves faithfully to the service of the Bank during their tenure of office. This was to be expected from their high standing, high sense of duty, and ability. Besides, they are among the largest holders of stock, and are, therefore, the most directly and largely interested. Any indifferent or perfunctory performance of service or duty on their part would naturally more prejudicially affect them than shareholders with less interests at stake. It is certain, therefore, that when the responsible officers of the Bank are so directly and personally interested, there exists a guarantee of careful and effective administration. The Bank has more than 1,900 shareholders, many of whom are prominently associated with important and industrial enterprises. The character of these shareholders, associated with the rapid increase of the paid-up capital of the Bank, testifies to the confidence which its stability, and excellent management inspire.

The business of the Bank is expanding in every direction; and it is the aim of the directors to keep the Traders Bank abreast of the great progress this Dominion is making. Of this, its past is a guarantee, which the year just closed strengthens. To see gratifying results achieved, to see business and profits satisfactory, to see securities strengthened, and assets increased, in the face of conditions such as have prevailed during the greater part of the year, seem to be indications of good and efficient management. A financial institution which comes so creditably through a difficult year, can, with improved conditions in every important national interest, reasonably anticipate a prosperous future.

It affords me great pleasure to second the motion for the adoption of the report.

The motion for the adoption of the report was carried unanimously.

Moved by Mr. R M Gilkison, seconded by Mr. Geo. Watson, that the thanks of the shareholders are due, and are hereby tendered, to the President, Vice-President and Directors of the Bank for their attention to the interests of the Bank during the past year.—Carried.

Moved by the Hon. J R Stratton, seconded by Mr. E F B Johnston, that the thanks of the Directors and Shareholders are due, and are hereby tendered, to the General Manager, the Assistant General Manager, the staff of the Bank, for their diligent attention to the interests of the Bank during the past year.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Alex. Stewart, seconded by Mr. Jas. E Brown, that the ballot be now open for the election of Directors, and to be kept open until three o'clock unless five minutes elapse without a vote being cast, when it shall be closed, and until that time, and for that purpose, only this meeting be continued.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Thos. R Parker, seconded by Mr. J B Fairgrieve, that the scrutineers cast one ballot in favour of the following persons as Directors:—C D Warren, Hon. J R Stratton, C Kloepfer, W J Sheppard, C S Wilcox, E F B Johnston, H S Strathy.—Carried.

E Galley, J K Niven, Scrutineers.

The Scrutineers reported the following gentlemen duly elected to act as Directors for the ensuing year, viz:—C D Warren, Hon. J R Stratton, C Kloepfer (Guelph,) W J Sheppard (Waubaushene.) C S Wilcox (Hamilton.) E F B Johnston, K.C., H S Strathy.

The meeting then adjourned.

At a subsequent meeting of the newly-elected Directors, Mr. C D Warren was re-elected President, and Hon. J R Stratton Vice-President by a unanimous vote.

STUART STRATHY, General Manager.

The Traders Bank of Canada, Toronto, 26th January, 1909.

TREATY BLOCKED AT THE CAPITOL

Michigan Senator Delays Ratification of Waterways Pact.

ST. MARY'S RIVER POWER

Senator Smith Declares That Treaty Should Not Be Passed on Until Clause Is Added Fixing Partition of Power of Which He Says 75 Per Cent. Rightfully Belongs to the United States.

Washington, Jan. 28.—After devoting over four months to a consideration of the Canadian waterways treaty yesterday the Senate adjourned without having made any substantial progress toward ratification. The treaty probably will be considered daily until voted on.

Most of the time was consumed by Senator William Alden Smith (Michigan), who insisted that the treaty should not be ratified without a provision fixing a division of the interests of Canada and the United States in the 6,203,000 horse-power provided by the rapids in the St. Mary's river.

He argued that only one per cent. of the flow of the river is required to operate the locks at Sault Ste. Marie, leaving the remainder of the vast flow to be utilized for power purposes. To leave this division of the water undetermined at this time, he declared, would be to leave a vexing question open for the future, and he made plain his determination to fight the treaty.

If, as a matter of right, he said, 75 per cent. of this power belongs to the United States, as he was satisfied it did, he wanted that fact specified in the treaty.

In the development of the transmission of power he insisted it would be possible to utilize all of this vast energy for mining and manufacturing purposes on the American side of the St. Mary's river, and he did not wish to have the industries of his state crippled by a failure to conserve demands in the framing of a treaty.

Senator Lodge defended the treaty on the ground that the disposition of water rights related to a question of boundary and could be settled later. In this view Mr. Lodge was supported by Senator Carter of Montana.

Newfoundland Balks.

St. John's, Nfld., Jan. 28.—The Newfoundland Cabinet has not accepted the draft of the proposed fisheries agreement arranged at Washington, but on the other hand has submitted a counter proposal to Ambassador Bryce and Secretary Root.

The newspapers opposed to Sir Robert Bond's Government express the opinion that the Premier does not intend to accept the Washington agreement.

Successful Rural 'Phone Company.

Brockville, Ont., Jan. 28.—One of the thriving rural telephone companies of these united countries is the Leeds and Grenville company, with headquarters at North Augusta, and the first annual meeting, just held, disclosed profitable results.

The plant is valued at $11,000, and a handsome net profit was reported. 'Phones to the number of 137 are in use throughout the townships of Augusta and Edwardsburg, and preparations are being made for extending the line by 40 miles next summer.

Weds Chinaman For Spite.

New York, Jan. 28.—"I married him just to spite my parents," declared Mrs. Ong Sing, the radiant young bride of a Chinese bridegroom, as she held an impromptu wedding reception on Tuesday in the City Hall. Ong Sing, who reached just to the bride's shoulders, nodded an enthusiastic approval and beamed while his bride explained.

The newly-wed Mrs. Ong Sing gave her name as May Bohner of No. 92 Floyd street, Brooklyn, and said she is 21 years old.

Burglars at Mount Forest.

Mount Forest, Jan. 28.—Burglars on Tuesday night forced an entrance into Volson's dry goods store, Skale's jewelry store and R. Scott & Co.'s departmental store. The tills in each case were rifled. Several gold chains were also taken from Skale's. Chief Cringle arrested a suspect yesterday morning. He had quite a collection of coppers and silver in his possession, and a cut on his hand. The glass in Scott's front door was broken to effect an entrance.

Alligator Steak For Taft.

New Orleans, Jan. 28.—For the delectation of President-elect Taft, Secretary M. B. Trezevant of the Progressive Union, which organization is taking a prominent part in arranging for the entertainment of Mr. Taft on his visit here, has advanced a plan to give the distinguished visitor an alligator steak dinner in New Orleans.

Says He Could Have Saved Republic.

New York, Jan. 28.—The opinion of Capt. Thomas Fenlon of the whaleback steamer City of Everett, that he could have towed the steamer Republic into a place where she could have been beached if Capt. Sealby had accepted his offer of help, [illegible] yesterday communicated to off[illegible] of the White Star line.

Arrested Son For Murder.

Port Henry, N.Y., Jan. 28.—Frank Clark, a chemist, was shot and mortally wounded in a quarrel with Clyde Butterfield, a mail carrier, in the Lee House, yesterday.

Butterfield was arrested by his father, a constable, and is charged with the shooting.

Historic Timber For Woodwork.

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 28.—Timbers from the British frigate Augusta, sunk in the Delaware river, near New Salem, N.J., in 1777, are being transformed by a Worcester firm into interior panelling for the New Jersey room of the new building of the Daughters of the American Revolution at Washington.

HELPED ELOPING COUPLE.

Charles Murphy of Brockville Jailed on Strange Charge.

Brockville, Jan. 28.—A man named Barnhart and Mrs. William Pyke from this town offered the residents of Lyn, a village five miles distant, an amusing spectacle. They left here after having purchased tickets for Kingston, and took the road to Lyn, where they had dinner at the completion of which they started for the G.T.R. depot, one mile distant.

Hardly had they left the hotel when the irate father of the girl appeared on the scene, accompanied by her uncle. Reaching the station just as the train was pulling out, the father grabbed the girl, while at the same time her uncle applied a stout horsewhip to the young man.

As a result of the affair Charles Murphy, a young man of 22 years of age, has been arrested on a charge of aiding an elopement. The charge against Murphy is that he helped Barnhart to make another attempt to elope the same night. Murphy was remanded for a week.

TO EXPORT POWER.

Windsor Company Designs to Sell Hydro-Electric.

Windsor, Jan. 28.—Some months ago Hon. Adam Beck admitted that he had received application from private parties here for a large amount of Niagara power.

It became known last evening that the application came from the Electrical Distributing Co., which has been incorporated with a Dominion charter. It is backed by some wealthy men of this vicinity. John Davis, ex-mayor, is president, George M. Hendrie, vice-president, and W. C. Kennedy, who is managing director of the Windsor Gas Co., is secretary. O. E. Fleming, who unsuccessfully contested North Essex at the last Dominion election, and M. J. Dee, are directors.

It is announced that the company expects to export power, unless this is prohibited.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

Ottawa Conservatives have decided to withdraw the protest against Sir Wilfrid Laurier's election.

The Spanish steamer Trinidad has sunk an unknown Belgian steamer off Cape Rocs. Eight Belgians lost their lives.

Four children of A. M. Kendall, Pittsburg, were cremated and their parents seriously injured in a fire which destroyed their home.

An epidemic of black diphtheria is causing much uneasiness in the village of Harlowe, near Kingston, and three families are quarantined.

President Roosevelt sent to Congress a message approving the recommendation that the wreck of the battleship Maine be removed from Havana harbor.

Magistrate Campbell of St. Catharines found Percy Loftus and Albert Peckett guilty of stealing chickens, and sentenced each to six months in the Central Prison.

There is reason to believe that the crisis in the International Naval Congress, which has been in session in London since last month, is over. Mutual concessions have been made on disputed points.

Canadian Northern In B.C.

Victoria, Jan. 28.—At a luncheon tendered to D. D. Mann yesterday afternoon, he stated that while no definite arrangements had yet been made he had received great encouragement from Premier McBride and colleagues, and the outlook was promising for the Canadian Northern in British Columbia. He regarded Vancouver Island and the mainland coast as the Reviera of the Pacific, and advocated a Canadian-manned squadron with Canadian training ships on the Pacific and Atlantic.

The Premier emphasized the statement in the House that he could see no difficulties in the way of satisfactory arrangements with the railway, which he hoped would soon be completed.

Benoit Coquelin Dead.

Paris, Jan. 28.—Benoit Constant Coquelin, the great French actor, whose culminating triumph had been awaited in Edmond Rostand's "The Chantecleer," which is now being rehearsed, died on Tuesday night at Pont Aux Dames Seine et Marne, from angina pectoris.

Benoit Constant Coquelin was the best known actor on the French stage. He was born at Boulogne-Sur-Mer, Jan. 23, 1841, the son of a baker. It was originally intended that he follow the trade of his father.

He made his debut at the Comedie Francais in 1860, and up to 1886 he created no less than 40 parts.

To Recall Japanese Consul.

Sacramento, Cal., Jan. 28.—Senator Marc Anthony introduced in the Upper House yesterday a joint resolution calling upon Congress to request that the Japanese Consul-General at San Francisco be recalled by his Government, on the ground that the official had attempted to influence the action of the California Legislature.

Police Chase a Swich Engine.

Salt Lake City, Jan. 28.—After an exciting chase, in which 16 members of the police force and an Oregon Short Line switch engine figured, Frank Leland and Ike Goldberg, two hold-up men, who have been terrorizing citizens of this city for several nights, were captured at Breck's Hot Springs on Tuesday night.

To Seek White Indians.

New York, Jan. 28.—Dr. Hamilton Rice, who has devoted more than a year to trying to find the head waters of the Orinoco river, and who for a long time was thought dead, has returned here, but will leave soon to discover a tribe of white Indians in South American wilds.

$25,000 For Hospital.

Montreal, Jan. 28.—The will of the late Angus W. Hopper, president of the Dow Brewing Co., was probated yesterday, and it bequeaths $25,000 to the Montreal General Hospital at once, and the same institution is to receive another $25,000 on the death of his brother and sister, Major George Hopper and Mrs. Gilman. All his other property is divided between the brother and sister.

A SHINING MARK

What Parisian Sage did for Chas. S. Baker, it will do for you. Read the following:

"I was so bald and such a shining mark for my friends that I, as a last resort, tried your Parisian Sage (after trying several bottles of the highly advertised and high priced so-called hair restorers), and I am glad to say I now have a heavy growth of new hair after carrying my shining mark for over seven years. I gladly recommend Parisian Sage to all afflicted with baldness." Chas. S. Baker, 491 Main street east, Rochester, N. Y.

Parisian Sage, the only natural hair restorer, is guaranteed by Wm. Madill to cure dandruff, stop falling hair, and cure itching of the scalp, or money back. It is the ladies' favourite hair dressing because it adds charm and luxuriance to the hair. 50 cents a bottle. Ask Wm. Madill about it.

TWO DIE IN COLLISION.

Grand Trunk Freight Trains Crash Together at Harriston.

Harriston, Jan. 28.—Just before noon yesterday an Owen Sound freight train, drawn by a big mogul engine, instead of taking the Owen Sound branch at Harriston, signalled for the main line to Southampton. The switch was opened and the great engine steamed up the Southampton line at about 30 miles an hour.

When about three miles north of here, and going down grade in a blinding snowstorm, it crashed into the southbound way freight from Southampton, killing instantly Fireman M. Root of Palmerston and Brakeman John Smith of Southampton. Engineer Joseph Arkell of the Southampton freight was not, however, seriously injured.

Just a little north of Harriston is a branch to Owen Sound, and, Engineer Kennedy, being a new man up this division, signalled for the Southampton line instead of the Owen Sound. The southbound train had right of way.

This is one of the worst wrecks up this way for some years, and the cars are literally smashed to pieces. One engine telescoped the other and remained upright on the track, but the tenders were thrown one on either side of the track.

Brakeman Smith was found partly under the tender of the big engine, and Fireman Root just at the edge of his engine. He was badly cut up and has his neck broken. Both bodies were brought here and an inquest was opened last night. Drs. Stewart of Palmerston and Henry and McCullough of Harriston attended the injured.

Two auxiliaries are working at the wreck, but it will not be clear before this afternoon. Superintendent Gillen came up from Toronto last evening.

The casualties were all on the southbound way freight, the crew of the north freight saving themselves by jumping.

KAISER'S FIFTIETH BIRTHDAY.

All Germany Turns Out to Wish Him Long Life.

Berlin, Jan. 28.—The 50th anniversary of the birth of Emperor William was celebrated yesterday in an unusual manner.

All the crowned heads of the German states, excepting the aged Luitpold, Regent of Bavaria, came to Berlin to present their congratulations. The city is beflagged and the illumination last evening was on an uncommon scale.

According to the old Prussian tradition the day was ushered in at 6 o'clock by the intoning of a chorus from the tower of the castle by a corps of trumpeters. At 8 o'clock the castle guard, headed by a military band, marched the length of Unter Den Linden to the Brandenburg gate and back. The streets were lined by crowds of people and a large assemblage cheered the Emperor when he appeared at one of the castle windows.

After religious services in the chapel the Emperor and Empress took up a position in the white room of the castle, before the throne, where they received the congratulations of the members of the diplomatic corps, Chancellor Von Buelow and the other Ministers.

Treated His Prisoners.

Windsor, Jan. 28.—Joseph Lappan, an Essex County constable, has been suspended from duty and will in all probability lose his position, for improper conduct. Lappan, who was given charge of two prisoners to take down to Sandwich jail a few days ago, had not reached his destination at a late hour in the evening, and it was feared he had been attacked and perhaps murdered by his charges. Instead, he was found in a road-house, treating the two prisoners to whisky and cigars. All three were intoxicated, and had to be conveyed to the jail on a dray.

To License Imbibers.

Spokane, Wash., Jan. 28.—Liquor drinkers in Washington will be forced to carry licenses, embellished with their photographs and other data of identification, and anyone will be permitted to engage in the traffic without the payment of fees if the measure framed by Elmer E. Hall of Spokane, and fathered by State Senator Whitney of Spokane County, is adopted by the Legislature, now in session at Olympia.

Licenses to drink anything stronger than ginger pop and the various other "stickless" concoctions will cost $5 a year.

Boys Start Out to Kill Indians.

Windsor, Jan. 28.—Three Windsor lads—Trumen Beecher, John Grant, and Henry Smith—crossed to Detroit, and with their combined capital purchased a revolver, with which they started out to shoot Indians. The trio were arrested and escorted to this side.

Vest Button In His Heart.

Denver, Col., Jan. 28.—An autopsy performed yesterday morning on the body of Fred Pomplitz, who was 67 years old, revealed a black vest button embedded in the heart over the right auricle.

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LIVED A BACHELOR AND HAD A FAMILY

Prominent Illinois Man Reveals His Marriage on Death Bed.

Examiner Special.

Litchfield, Ill., Jan. 28 — "My wife and children are back in Vermont. Tell them I died thinking of them and I want their forgiveness." After a few other words, S. F. Allard, for many years a well known resident of Walshville, a village south of here, lay dead in St. Francis Hospital in this city.

Allard was past seventy-one years of age. He was a prominent citizen of Walshville and had many warm friends in the village. He lived alone and secluded, and was recognized as a bachelor. Realizing that he must die in a few hours, he gathered a few of his closest friends around him and told the secret of his life.

Messages were sent to the family in Vermont, and the dying man's story was verified. In the return messages sincere affection was expressed for the husband and father. The reason for the secluded life still remains a secret.

Band at Brock Street Rink to-morrow—Friday evening.

MANY ITEMS OF INTEREST FROM CAMPBELLFORD

Examiner Special.

The work on this charge has moved along remarkably well during the past six months. The services on the sabbath are well attended and the offering is far in advance of any time in the history of the church.

All the organizations of the church are flourishing and enthusiastically engaged in the Master's work.

The prayer meeting is most encouraging and the large lecture room is often crowded.

The W. M. Society have added to their number three Life Members and the income thus far is in advance of last year.

The Ladies' Aid decided not to have a social or tea meeting on Thanksgiving time and instead asked for cash contributions and received some $80.00.

The anniversary services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Balfour of Havelock and Rev. Mr. Cairns an ex-president of Montreal Conference on Nov. 22nd and 29th. Five hundred dollars were asked for and more than that amount was given.

Our Sunday School on Rally Day gave $10 to the Sunday School Aid and Extension Fund, and on Sunday Dec. 20th the school gave $20 to the Sick Children's Hospital, Toronto.

The ladies of our church produced 'The Temple of Fame' in the music hall on New Year's evening to an immense audience and repeated the following Monday evening, also to a full house. This was given by home talent and all ladies of the Methodist church and was acknowledged the best entertainment ever given in this town. Many are anxious to have it repeated. Some 75 took part and all did their part well.

On January 3rd a number were received as members in good standing of the Methodist church.

We are confident the work of God is progressing on this charge and the pastor, Rev. A. J. H. Strike, is doing a noble work and is very popular with the people.

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The Annual Meeting Of St. Paul's Church Congregation

Reports Were Presented and Officers for the Year Elected ---Finances in a Satisfactory Condition--- Congregational Tea Was Held.

The annual meeting of St. Paul's Presbyterian church was held last night in the school room, and a great number of the members and adherents were present.

The Ladies' Aid were hostess to the whole congregation and from 6 to 8 o'clock they served supper. The tables were laid in the Sunday school room and were very artistically decorated for the occasion. The menu provided was on exceptionally good one and very appetizing. The young ladies waited on the tables and were very attentive to the large number who availed themselves of the opportunity to partake of the ladies' hospitality. The supper was a very enjoyable features of the evening and the ladies are deserving of much praise.

About nine o'clock the business meeting was called to order, and Mr. R. E. Wood was elected to the chair.

Session's Report

Sheriff Hall read the report of the session in which was mentioned that there was a very substantial increase in the membership of the church. The Sunday services were well attended and the contributions both to the ordinary revenues and to the missionary schemes have showed a marked increase over those of any former years.

There was also an increased attendance at the Sabbath school and Bible class. The number of members on the roll at the end of the year 1907 was 708. There were added during the year by certificate 54 and by profession of faith 57. 42 have been removed by certificate, and 16 by death, leaving at present a membership of 833.

Financial Report

The Board of Managers financial report was read by Mr. Crane and showed the following;

Balance last year	$ 116.28
Receipts for year	7004.93

Disbursements

Salaries	$ 38.85
Fuel, light, etc...	1973.86
Sunday school	200.00
Music for choir	50.00
Payment on mortgage	1000.00
Bal. on hand	12.35

Sunday School

The report of the Sabbath school was read by Mr. Madill, and showed the total enrollment 483, with an average attendance of 333, or 69 per cent. The financial statement of the Sunday school was read by Mr. Fisk and reported that the receipts were $1,202.52, and the expenditure was $758.20, leaving a balance of $444.22.

Mr. G. M. Rodger, treasurer of the church schemes, read the report which showed total collections of $3,728.11, special contributions $1,-805.60; of this amount $1,908.60 had been allotted and $1,772.64 was allotted at the meeting.

Other Reports

The report of the Ladies' Aid Society was read by Mrs. T. H. Moore, and was a very favorable report. It showed that there is the same average attendance and the work is still left in the hands of the same few faithful members. The financial report gave the receipts as $612.76 and the expenditure was $536.75, leaving the substantial balance of $77.01.

W. F. M. S.

The 32nd annual report of the women's Foreign Missionary Society was read by Mrs. J. H. Connal, and was also very encouraging. This society was asked to provide clothing for a boy and girl aged 15 years in the school at Ahousaht, B.C., and a bale of suitable clothing valued at $63.65 was forwarded. A bale of clothing weighing 1100 lbs., was sent this year to Ahousaht. The thankoffering amounted to $450.45, the largest one in the history of the auxiliary.

The report of the Young People's Guild, was read by Mr. Laing, and proved very favorable.

Resolutions

Mr. Wm. Moore introduced the question of greater attention to systematic contributions to missions. Remarks were made by Mr. J. C. Shook and Mr. J. H. Connal and it was moved that the pastor call a number of the men of the congregation together to consider the matter.

A motion was also passed instructing the managers to publish the annual report. Other motions were passed, one was adapted to impower the session to deal with the question of appointing some person to act as assistant secretary and stenographer for the pastor.

The Rev. Mr. Pogue referred to the gratifying and encouraging tone of the reports presented.

The meeting concluded with prayer and the singing of the Doxology.

The following officers were elected for the coming year;—

Managers—R. Innes, John Crane, W. Scott, H. Gillespie.
Auditors—W. Hill, A. P. McLean.
Secretary—John Crane.
Secretary of meeting—R. E. Wood.

County Council Asks For Improvements To The Market; Objects To Confiscation Clause

The members of the County Council waited upon the City Council in regard to the market.

Those present were: — Messrs. Shaw, Brown, Breault, Kidd, Knox, Comstock, Russell, Tucker, Hales, Darling, Moher, Perdue, Coben, Fife, Stewart, Graham and Warden Scott, representing the Council, while Aldermen Turner, Metheral, Duttus, McIntyre and Mayor Rush represented the city.

In opening Ald. Turner asked the County Council's committee to state the questions they desired to take up with the city.

Mr. Shaw said their purpose was to discuss first, clause 11, of the market bylaw, which they thought was rather harsh. They would also like some shelter in case of storm.

The farmers would like to have the market on the ground floor instead of having to go upstairs with their baskets, etc.

Warden Scott stated that the question proposed to discuss was the market bylaw. There is considerable dissatisfaction among the farmers and it was felt that some more congenial arrangement could be made.

Clause 11 referred to the sale of potatoes, beet, etc., which must be sold according to weight and measure as represented.

This clause has caused several farmers to pay fines and lose their goods. They think it very hard to lose their goods. They think potatoes should be sold by the bag and some other alterations could also be made.

Mr. Brown said that it was just as convenient for the city people to go to the market as it was for the farmers. If the farmers are to be hauled up in police court and to have their goods confiscated they will stop patronizing the market and sell to the grocers.

He stated that if the city could afford to do so, a covered market would be a great convenience to the farmers and they would come in large numbers on stormy days and the prices would be more steady.

County Solicitor Peck pointed out that the bylaw as it stood was a hardship on the farmers. Some of them filled their bags and might be a pound short without any intention on their part to do wrong.

The city purchasers pointed out that the purchasers had to be protected, and the council tried to do justice to all parties. It was felt, however, that the farmers should sell all their produce according to a standard weight.

The county representatives finally stated that it might be all right to impose a fine but not confiscate the goods. For instance a man should not lose a whole load of potatoes or a basket of butter, because they were a little under weight.

One suggestion made was to repeal the confiscation clause from the bylaw.

The joint committee will refer the matter to the Property Committee and have the matter fixed up.

COUNCIL IS ASKED TO ISSUE DEBENTURES FOR $10,000 MORE TO MEET COST OF THE INSTITUTE

Board of Education Waited Upon the Committee---Aldermen Think the Board Should Come to Them Before the Money Was Spent.

SOME CRITICISMS.

At the meeting of the Committee of the whole Council on Wednesday night, a deputation from the Board of Education waited upon the City Fathers to request that debentures be issued for the borrowing of $10,000 in addition to the $71,000 already voted by the people for the new Collegiate Institute. They explained that it had been regarded by the board at the time that the sum voted was too small and that they would have to ask for more and the members of the Board felt that they had done very well in keeping the expense down as close to the amount as they had.

The Aldermen, on the other hand, seemed to think that the money should be asked for before the work was done, and not afterwards. The people had been taken into the confidence of the Board on the other grants and should be now, was the opinion of the Aldermen to whom the $10,000 demand looked big when it was considered that the school rate this year will be in the neighbourhood of 8 1-2 mills.

There were present on behalf of the Board of Education, Mr. L. M. Hayes, chairman of the Board, and Messrs. R. Fair, D. W. Dumble and B. F. Ackerman, of the Finance Committee of the Board.

Mr. Fair informed the Council that since the Board had made their demand, for this year they had found that a portion of the sum asked for should have come under the head of permanent improvements. The total was $4,557.50 and the Board asked that debentures should be issued to cover that amount.

Chairman Hayes remarked that the first amount had always been considered too small. The amount granted by the people was in all $71,000, and this was expended as follows:—

Sundries and purchase of lot...	$15,385.80
Langford & Sheehy	53,457.95
J. Kincaid	865.50
Duranceau	1,809.50
McGregor & Reid	4,989.87
J. E. Belcher	2,500.00

The amount expended in excess of receipts was $6,828.22, to which was to be added $1,800 for sundries, making $79,628.62 as the total cost of the Collegiate Institute. The extra expenditure largely included furniture and equipment. The building was erected well within the contract, as the furnishing and equipment might be looked upon as an extra.

Ald. Hicks went over the situation; he stated that the Board had asked for $50,000, which was granted, but that a second request for a similar amount had been defeated. Then they asked the Council to submit a by-law for $21,000 and in doing so the Board had stated to the Council that it would leave them $2,000 to come and go on. He asked if the Board had not known that they would need furnishings and equipment.

Mr. Hayes stated that if he remembered correctly, it had been said at the time that the Board would have to ask for $10,000 or $15,000 more for furnishing.

Mr. Dumble also spoke for the Board in supporting the request. He said that he had been unable to find any crookedness to the extent of even ten cents in the operations of the Board. Everything was done openly and above board. Mr. Dumble explained that in school buildings there were always extras cropping up which could not be foreseen. The Board had felt it their duty to secure good buildings and furniture, and he felt sure that the new Collegiate Institute was a credit to the city. In order too, to get the best teachers available, it had been found necessary to raise the standard of salaries, the increase in two years being $2,000.

Ald. Hicks stated that the Board had been voted $71,000 by the people, and had spent over $6,000 in excess of that amount without coming to the Council or the people about it. He thought that the right time to come to the Council was before the money was spent and not afterwards, and that the Board had better carry along the overdraft for a while.

Ald. Bradburn concurred with Ald. Hicks, saying that the Board should have come to the Council first. He also thought that the tax bills should be made out so that they would show the city rate, the public school rate, the Collegiate Institute rate and the Separate School rate instead of having the total amount. He moved, seconded by Ald. Phelan, that this be done, and the motion carried.

The Board's demand will be taken up again.

MR. BENNETT'S FINE LECTURE

Was Given at St. Peter's T. A. S. Rooms Last Night at Athletic Club's Concert—Musical Programme Was Rendered.

LARGE NUMBER PRESENT

The Athletic Club of St. Peter's T.A.S. gave a very enjoyable entertainment in the society's assembly hall last night, the feature being a lecture by Mr. Bennett, of the Canadian Cordage Works, on a trip from England to India. The attendance was fairly large and thoroughly appreciative, and the delightful journey which in their fancy they took under the guidance of the lecturer was greatly enjoyed.

Mr. Jos. Picard, president of the Athletic Club, occupied the chair until Rev. Father McColl arrived shortly before the principal event of the evening.

The following programme was presented in connection with the lecture:—

Chairman's Address.
Selection by the Mandolin Club.
Instrumental Solo, Miss Bernice Giroux.
Recitation, Mr. J. John.
Piano Duet, the Misses Dorris.
Vocal Solo, Mr. Harry Quinlan.
Recitation, Mr. Waring.
Vocal Solo, Mr. John King.
God Save the King.

Mr. Bennett commenced at Scotland but his descriptive voyage was really begun at Southampton. Down through the Atlantic the steamer held its course along the western coast of the Peninsula, until its course was turned towards the Mediterranean, which it gained after passing the pillars of Hercules. Eastward, touching here and there the audience was taken over a journey on every hand of which historic scenes and places are found. The trip was delightfully carried out, and when the destination in India had been reached, and the fancy anchor of the fancy ship had been cast, a hearty vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Bennett for his most entertaining and instructive lecture. It was moved by Mr. Chas. Murty and seconded by Mr. Maurice O'Hern. Rev. Father McColl also referred to the lecture in very complimentary terms.

The accompaniments were played by Miss Dorris, Miss L. Quinlan and Mr. Avan.

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The many friends of Mr. Adolphus Picard will be glad to hear of his having passed safely through a critical operation in St. Joseph's Hospital on Tuesday. The doctors who performed the operation were Drs. Buchanan and Morgan. It will be remembered that Mr. Picard was caught on a suspended hook in MacPherson's store, tearing his left eye.

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WATER COMMISSIONERS ASK FOR $120,000.00

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cil the expenditure of a considerable sum of money in improving the plant, putting in a new dam and installing auxiliary pumps. Mr. Matthews gave the history of the taking over of the plant by the city in 1902. He showed that the cost then had been $237,000. The mileage then was 17.6 as compar-with 30.7 now, the services were 1070, as compared with 2463 last year while the hydrants were 129 instead of 213. The pumpage during the first year of the Commissioners, was 394,451,000 instead of 620,466,000 last year. There had been times during the past two years when the pumping plant was working at its fullest capacity. The average repairs during the seven years in which the Commissioners had the department in charge, had been $881; $1,235 having been expended last year.

The present pumping plant consisted of two sets, taking care of in all 2,225,000 each, while the report of the Underwriters had recommended that it should be increased by 6,000,000, making the total capacity, 10,450,000. St. Thomas with 14,000 population had a plant with a capacity of 9,500,000 gallons.

The Commissioners had studied the matter carefully and had called in two well known hydraulic engineers, Mr. Keefer, of Ottawa, and Mr. Wm. Kennedy, Jr., of Montreal. They had recommended a new dam 500 feet below the present one, with a new pumping station, the installation of one set of 3,000,000 capacity, moving down the present two sets to the new station and the converting of the old plant into a steam auxiliary pumping plant.

Resolution Passed

Mr. Matthews then read the following resolution which had been passed by the Commissioners at a meeting held on Wednesday afternoon:

That in the judgment of the Commissioners the time has arrived, when a new concrete dam with the necessary accessories, should be erected to replace the wooden one, built by the late Peterborough Water Company in 1893-4; that such dam should be placed about 500 feet down the river from the present dam, where the river is considerably narrower, and where a much better rock bottom and increased head can be obtained; that the dam and accessories should be so designed, constructed and equipped, as to be thoroughly modern and efficient throughout thus securing the greatest degree of permanency, reducing cost of maintenance to a minimum, and securing the city the full benefit of the whole flow of the river; that the result desired can in the opinion of the Commissioners, be secured, almost, if not altogether, out of current revenue from the works, without increase of water rates or other assessment; that such new dam is estimated to produce about 1200 h. p. at low water, would relieve the city from an average yearly outlay on the dam of nearly $900 and also from all apprehension as to its safety; that there be sent to the city council this resolution, and a copy of the report, and letter of Mr. Wm Kennedy, Civil and Hydraulic Engineer, of Montreal, to the commission in relation to a dam of the character and capacity outlined above, with a request to submit to the ratepayers a by-law for the issue of $120,000.00 of debentures for the above purpose in case the council shall approve of the proposal of the Commissioners."

Mr. W. H. Moore, another of the Water Commissioners, also explained the reason for the request of the Commissioners. He stated that the matter had been under the study of Commissioners for three years and after calling in expert advice had felt that it was a step that would, have to be taken. He urged upon the Council to pass the by law and present it to the people at as early a date as possible. Mr. Moore read the report of Engineer Kennedy, upon the subject, showing what was needed and the cost of the work.

He went on to point out that the new dam would leave available 1200 h. p.; 500 h. p. of which would be used by the Commissioners for pumping purposes which would leave 700 h. p. Whatever way it was used, at ten dollars per h. p. a sum would be provided which would pay the interest and sinking fund on $110,000. Besides this there would be the increasing income from year to year, so that the debentures could be paid without asking the people to contribute one cent from the general tax; neither would the rates be raised, in fact if the new works were finished now it would be possible to lower the rate.

Mr. W. H. Hill, the third Commissioner also spoke strongly in favour of the proposition. He said that the Commissioners had taken the matter into their most serious consideration and felt that what they were asking for was needed. He pointed out that the yearly revenue from the water works was increasing and showed that the interest and sinking fund on the debentures would be practically covered by that, while on the other hand there was the power question. Mr. Hill urged upon the Council the immediate passing of the by-law pointing out that even if the Council acted as quickly as possible there would necessarily be some delay in view of the time necessary to advertise and pass the by-law and to secure the necessary plans and specifications.

The Council did not discuss the matter at all last night but left it in the hands of the Power Committee who will have a meeting with the Water Commissioners in regard to the matter at as early a date as possible. It is not expected that the by-law will be in such shape as to present it at Monday's meeting.

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Very Favourable Report Presented by Board of Directors.

The twenty-fourth annual meeting of the Traders' Bank was held in the head office building, Yonge Street, Tuesday, Jan. 26, and a statement presented by Mr. Stuart Strathy, the General Manager, disclosed the results of a year of successful operation and a very satisfactory condition of the bank's affairs. Notwithstanding the financial disturbance of the past year the earnings on the paid-up capital amount to the large sum of $500,217.60. The liquid assets of the bank are over $9,000,000.00, being about 30 per cent. of the liabilities to the public, which places the bank in a very strong position. A large increase in the deposits has taken place during the year, the amount now on deposit being over $25,600,000.00, $4,000,000.00 of which is non-interest bearing.

The remarks of the General Manager, Mr. Stuart Strathy, and of the President, Mr. C. D. Warren, and the Vice-President, Hon J. R. Stratton, M.P., agreed in asserting the belief that the worst of business depression had spent its force, and a brighter future in financial and industrial circles is in sight.

The circulation of the bank amounts to $2,600,905, while the total assets of the bank now amounts to $34,859,590.31.

The Traders Bank in point of capital is now the sixth largest bank in the country, and is one of the most progressive of Canada's financial institutions.

VERY INTERESTING MEETING HELD

Royal Templars of Temperance Elect Officers.

The meeting of the Royal Templars of Temperance, Dan Spence Council, No 26, was held on Tuesday night last and was one of great interest and enthusiasm on the part of all present. The reports of the secretary and treasurer were interesting, showed a great advance in all departments.

The officers elected for the following six months are as follows—

Select Coun.—Rev. C. H. Coon
Vice Coun—Sis. Gurney
Past Coun—Bro. Carey
Chaplain—Sis. Church
Herald—Bro. N. Gurney,
Guard—Bro. Peters
Rec. Sec.—Sis. Martin.
Beneficiary Treas.—Pro. Richmond
Dep. Herald—Sis. N. Smith.
Sentinel—Bro. Taylor.
Organist—Sis. L. Smith.

W. T. Armstrong, of West Toronto, Grand Councillor for Ontario, will be in the city next week to confer with the members of the local council and it is probable a special meeting will be called for that purpose, notice of which will appear in the press.

Band at Brock Street Rink to-morrow—Friday evening.

A DELIGHTFUL COMEDY OF LOVE AND LAUGHTER

Kathryn Osterman, who will be remembered in this city by her clever performance of "The Girl Who Looks Like Me," will return to Peterborough Saturday, Feb. 6th, matinee and night. The clever comedienne will be seen at the Grand in the delightful comedy of love and laughter, "The Night of the Play" which is said to be even better than her offering of last season. Miss Osterman will have the assistance of an excellent company including Wm. Williams, Edgar Post, Charles Worthington, Guy Sampael, Gavin Harris, Sada Werteim Belle Theodore, Elizabeth DeWitt, and Edna Ward.

The story of "The Night of the Play" is that of an ambitious woman who writes a play, and tries to keep the fact from her husband. She seeks the assistant of a poet to get the piece produced, and this naturally makes the poet's sweetheart jealous. This, with the husband's jealousy, causes all sorts of complications, and the wife gets her husband and her friends into all sorts of trouble. The fun is of the rich, clean and crisp order, and Miss Osterman is said to be delightfully funny in the part.

Miss Osterman will introduce some entirely new gowns that are said to be simply gorgeous, especially the cloth-of-gold directoire dress which she will wear in the fourth act. This it is claimed will be the handsomest gown ever worn by an actress on the English-speaking stage, and the cost is said to be $1,000. There will hardly be any need for any woman to wear the directoire gown on the stage of a Peterborough theatre after Miss Osterman is seen in hers, which is one mass of gold from head to foot.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

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	Opening	Closing
A.O.P	77⅛	75⅛
Atch	100⅛	99⅛
A.R.T.	71⅛	70⅛
A.P.R.	172⅛	173⅛
B.R.I.	41	40⅛
Erie	31	30⅛
Great Northern	143⅛	142⅛
G.N.	122⅛	122⅛
Mo. Pac.	71⅛	70⅛
Northern Pacific	140	139
N.Y.C.	130	128⅛
Penna	133⅛	133⅛
R.I.	25⅛	24⅛
Rdg.	136⅛	137⅛
Smelters	85⅛	84
Soo	144⅛	143⅛
St. Paul	150⅛	149⅛
S.P	121⅛	119⅛
U.P.	179⅛	177⅛
U.S	53⅛	52⅛
U.S. pfd.	114⅛	113⅛
Iwin City	—	—
Nipissing	10	10
May-Wheat	107⅛	107⅛
" Corn	63	62⅛
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" Pork	16.95	17.30

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SHIPPING CHEESE TO GREAT BRITAIN

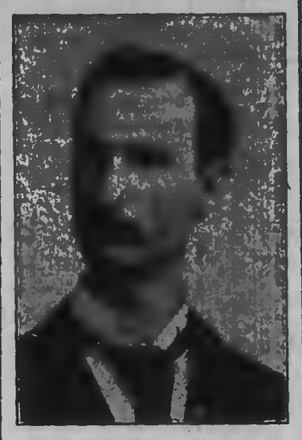
From Farm and Dairy.

Several factories in the Lansdowne, Ont. section of Eastern Ontario, shipped cheese direct to Great Britain last year in an effort to save the charges of the middlemen in Canada including the local buyers and the Montreal exporters. The results of these shipments were reported last week, at a meeting of the Farmers' Produce Association, held in Ottawa, by Wm. J. Webster, of Tilley.

Mr. Webster's paper was as follows: Possibly no scheme connected with the sale of cheese has created more general interest, approving and contrary, than that proposing direct shipments to Great Britain. This phase of the question has been commented upon by cheese men, both in Canada and in England, and particularly by the Canadian trade commissioner at Manchester, Mr. P. B. MacNamara, who expresses most hearty approval of the plan and anticipates in connection with such a trade increased prices for good cheese furnished regularly in this way.

A Lansdowne branch of the Farmers' Produce Association, during the past season, has been evading Canadian buyers and been placing the output of its factories directly on the English market. While the results of this undertaking have not been as satisfactory as might have been wished, still much information, if not gain in other ways, has been acquired which perhaps may be turned to advantage and which, it is expected, will be a guide to the future selling operations of the Lansdowne Association.

One feature of direct shipments which recommends it is the elimination of details (as they may be called)



Mr. J. J. Parsons, Jarvis, Ont.

The newly elected President of the Dairymen's Association of Western Ontario was first appointed to the board of directors at the time the convention of the Association was held at Stratford four years ago. He has served continually on the board since, until his election as president at the recent convention held at Brantford. Mr. Parsons has been connected with the dairy industry for many years and is at present engaged in making both cheese and creamery butter in modern factories at Jarvis and Marburg.

associated with the sale of Canadian cheese and adding to the expense of placing it where it ultimately goes upon the English market. The buyers have pointed out in connection with the agitation for factory inspection weigh and pay at car doors, that costs of this sort would be a charge on the cheese and would be deducted from the price allowed the factory. If this is so, and we may reasonably assume that it is, and we can reduce the amount of that expense, thus increasing the price at the factory, why it behooves us to do so and to see that our cheese are transferred from the curing room to the counter in Great Britain with the least possible accumulation of cost. Why is it necessary to have all the complicated system and machinery that has distinguished our Canadian cheese trade in the past? It is at any rate not at all essential to the safe transit of the goods. They will arrive just as safely in England where they are bound for and where they ultimately will go, if shipped for export from factory, as to be transferred in the roundabout way at present practised, and practised for no very evident purpose except to facilitate advantageous opportunities in the interests of the middleman. Our present system, gives us the cheese board, the board salesmen, the board buyers, the Montreal agent, and cartage, storage, inspection and dock dues at Montreal. Cannot any or all of these be eliminated without any disadvantage to the producer?

One decided advantage to through shipment is that cheese placed aboard cars on Tuesday at Lansdowne go into cold storage aboard ship at Montreal on Wednesday or Thursday, thus avoiding a menace to the quality of our cheese and at the same time avoiding a certain charge of three-eighths of a cent a pound on the cost of our cheese, which, at the rate of three-eighths of a cent on the output of the eight counties, Leeds, Grenville, Dundas, Stormont, Glengarry, Prescott, Russell and Carleton, would mean a yearly saving of over $160,000. This would pay nicely the expenses of several such meetings as we are holding here to-day and seems well worth our while looking after. Still the middleman argues we must have him and without this outlay his services will be denied us.

Even though, as the adverse critics of this idea contend, the services of the middlemen are essential to an intelligent distribution of our cheese, as we were advised by buyers in connection with factory inspection, it does not follow that we should demand for distributing purposes too extravagant a number of employees, agents and agencies.

The English firms are practically the only ones we are interested in in connection with our cheese trade. We have refused to send our cheese to them, so they are obliged to send their agents to us or employ already established firms here to act as agents for them. This is a question not of eliminating the middleman but of co-operating with him in the marketing of our cheese, thus permitting him to dispense with superfluous accessories and reduce expense, to our ultimate advantage, we trust.

In our season's venture in cheese shipping, we depended entirely upon the reliability and business capacity of Willer & Riley, Ltd., for satisfactory returns for our cheese. This is an objectionable feature to the system as carried on by us. The cheese were shipped to Willer & Riley, Ltd. and left in their hands to be sold. They rendered account sales showing the price our cheese had brought from the retailer and we received proceeds, less charges of transportation and commission. Willer & Riley's account sales kept fairly up with current market reports (as taken from the Manchester Grocers' Review) until the middle of September, at which time our first August cheese came upon the market, just following their unfortunate financial collapse. These cheese were sold for 60 shillings of one shilling less than at the sale of a week previous and that on a market reported one shilling higher, continuing equally unprofitable until the balance of our cheese in their hands were disposed of. Had we been able to secure prices continuing the season through as close to the highest ruling prices as were realised for May, June and July, we should have come out at the end of the season, with a very fair balance to the credit of through shipments. As it was, the three-eighths of a cent which we were saving in our mode of transit was either appropriated by the English middleman or deducted from the price charged to the retailer.

The firm handling those cheese must have realized a better profit than they could have done had they paid the same price to our factory, sold to the retailer for the same price as they did, and besides have paid a Brockville buyer one-eighth of a cent a pound commission, a Montreal agent another one-eighth cent for his trouble of unloading, storing, inspecting and reshipping, besides paying for cartage and dock dues at Montreal.

The results of our commission sales bring us to the question, whether the cheese cannot be sold right at home on a through shipping basis. The importers will co-operate with us in eliminating this encumbrance of trade, (the Montreal inspection) and buy our cheese right on their reputation, and at home. In this way we should gain security, we should gain at least the major portion of the saving in transit, we would obviate the possibility of injurious speculation and sell our cheese to a certain extent on their merits. All these advantages are aimed at by this association.

Cheese can be exported from any railway station, direct without in any way hazarding the value of the cheese, if reasonable care is observed in boxing and handling prior to shipment.

English firms will meet us either as purchasers at home or as agents to sell on commission.

Upon shipments for sale on commission there is no certainty of receiving either market prices ruling in England or better prices than are ruling at home. Like Montreal inspection, there is an uncertainty about it, as carried on the past season, far from satisfying. This, however, might be overcome; in the first place as to security, no doubt the firms would be willing to make a larger advance; then as to guarantee of fair returns of proceeds, it could be obtained we would suppose in this way: Visit our customers in England (should we anticipate sufficient business in this to make such a proceeding profitable) through a representative from ourselves, with a view of getting a special insight into the business, such as locating as far as possible the customer of each particular factory, and arranging with that grocer to furnish direct to each factory secretary the season's account of all that factory's cheese purchased by him, thus auditing the account sales as rendered to us by the firm selling the cheese. In this way we would be placed right in touch with the retailer himself, as has already been pointed out, to the undoubted advantage of good factories. The sudden collapse of the wealthy firm of Willer & Riley, Limited, capitalized at 350,000 pounds, with unlimited credit, points again to the lack of stability of the most apparently substantial and prosperous firms, and furnishes us a very apt and opportune lesson on the insecurity of a credit system.

DAIRY HERD COMPETITION.

From Farm and Dairy.

"You will remember that for the last two years I have been a competitor in the Dairy Herd Competition," said Mr. W. E. Thompson, of Woodstock, who won the 3rd prize in the Dairy Herd Competition, in addressing the dairymen's convention in Brantford recently. "Last year I was fortunate enough to get a medal. As far as I was concerned I made up my mind that this year I would not try for it. I did not feel that my herd was in shape to start out another season and win a prize in this competition. I had a little bad luck with one of my cows which I could not avoid. However, I saw Mr. Herns in Toronto and later on at the dairy district meeting in Woodstock, and he urged upon me to try again and finally I decided to enter this year.

"Therefore you may see that I made no preparation whatever, and took no special care of my stock. Last year some thought that I had fed more grain or expensive feeds than I got returns for, and this year I thought I would just feed my cows in the shape that I thought would be profitable. Last year I fed considerable more grain than I did this year.

"This year I fed nothing until about the fore part of July, when I started to feed one pound of bran and two pounds of meal twice daily until the first of November, amounting in all to about $75.00 in round figures. That is not a great amount of money to spend for mill feed. I was a little short of pasture and was handicapped in not having a silo. I haven't made a practice of growing lucerne or peas and oats or any crop of that kind. I am only a common man, starting honestly in business, and it takes time to get these things. I am putting up a silo and expect to have it for next year. Lucerne and silage are necessary things to produce milk economically for cheese making."

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35c DRAWERS 25c

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DRAWER SPECIAL FOR 25c. 25 doz. Drawers, made of splendid quality white cotton with a 6 inch frill, deep hem and two rows of tucks, open and closed, sizes 25, 27, 29. Extra Special January Sale Price ..... .25

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The Examiner's Sporting Page

RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

GAME PLAYED IN INSTITUTE LEAGUE

Geale's Team Won Good Contest by Six Goals to One.

The third game in the Collegiate Hockey League was played last night between Geale's and Anderson's teams, the former winning by 6 1.

The game was more than the score would indicate, the play being at the winner's end of the ice as much as at the losers.

Four goals were scored by the Gealettes in the first half and two in the second. The lone tally for Anderson's team was scored by Armstrong after going the length of the rink.

Those who showed up well on Anderson's team were Dennison and Halpany. The winners all played good hockey, especially Geale.

Ken Crane made a satisfactory referee.

The line up—

	Goal.	
Armstrong		Meldrum
Anderson	Point.	Layfield
Anderson.	Armstrong Cover.	Meldrum
Rankin	Rover.	Layfield
Halpany	Centre.	Matthews
Dennison		Geale
Harstone	Left Wing.	Richardson
Dean	Right Wing.	Adams

The Last Call

Our Alteration Sale CLOSES ON Saturday Night

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BANKERS TAKE THREE FROM HAMS AND ARE NOW WITH THE LEADERS

The Bankers are now tied with the Pacifics for first place in the Bowling League, having won three straights fom the Hams last night. After that game the Hams turned around and won two out of the three from the Iroquois.

The scores last night were as follows:—

BANKERS—				
Ford	142	154	117	413
Barber	141	137	168	446
Ferguson	154	149	205	508
	437	440	490	1367
HAMS—				
Hartubise	134	120	169	423
Rickey	105	99	141	345
Hay	177	149	136	462
	416	366	425	1207
HAMS—				
Rickey	170	186	163	439
Hurtubise	168	220	131	477
Hay	112	125	223	460
	418	531	476	1405
IROQUOIS—				
Martin	188	186	142	466
Anderson	145	160	153	458
Stroud	133	155	163	440
	466	441	468	1334

GREAT ICE READY FOR GAMES IN CITY LEAGUE SERIES TO-NIGHT

A big bill is ready for the City League patrons to-night, and with the best sheet of ice available, some of the best games of the season should be seen. All the teams have rounded into shape and the hockey to-night should be the best seen in the league this year.

The first game will being together the T. A. S. and Lakefield, and both teams are claiming the victory. The Abstainers feel that they will be able to look after Leo Quinn's seven all right, while on the other hand Lakefield realizing that they are at their best on hard ice, are not worrying any about the outcome. It should be a hard fought, speedy contest all the way. Harry Morgan has been agreed upon as referee for the first game.

In the second contest the West Ends will try conclusions with the Strathconas, and the speedy bunch of youngsters from the Occidental Ward, should make things highly interesting for the champs, who will again make their appearance after a rest for last week. Both teams will be strong and the game should be of a most interesting nature.

The Strathconas will have the following line-up.

Goal—Wilson.
Point—Smith.
Cover—Dusty.
Rover—Dobson.
Centre—Long.
Right wing—Seymour.
Left wing—McMillan.

Mr. George Lynch will referee the second contest.

The curtain raiser will be between Jack Thirnbeck's Chieftains and the Otonabees.

CURLING.

The games played last night at the Curling Rink resulted as follows:—

H. Hill ..... J. D. Craig
M. Lyle ..... W. C. Austin
H. Meredith ..... J. H. Ferguson
E. B. Clegg, 18 .... Dr. McCullough, 8

— Hall ..... T. Minicolo
W. Menzies ..... A. Mowat
Dr. Wightman ..... J. Montgomery
W. J. Hall, 16 ..... W. D. Campbell, 10

G. Clarke ..... M. Tooley
R. Cameron ..... F. M. DelaFosse
T. B. Yeats ..... A. A. Hollingshead
Dr. Greer, 8 ..... Dr. Eastwood, 8

— Bowes ..... — Millard
H. Evans ..... — Taylor
A. Webb ..... W. Baptie
R. Neill, 17 ..... D. Hall, 12

— Jobbitt ..... — Cooper
— Sherwood ..... S. Rush
— Maitland ..... W. S. Dodds
— Hay, 8 ..... S. D. Hall, 8

These scores and names are taken from the book at the Curling Rink.

HOCKEY

The Strathconas team committee has selected the following team for to-night's game with the West Ends in the City League.

Goal — Wilson.
Point — Smith.
Cover — Dusty.
Rover — Dobson.
Centre — Long.
Right wing — Seymour.
Left wing — McMillan.

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The following is the line-up of St. Andrew's against the Park street Baptists on the Knox Rink to-night:

Goal—Patterson.
Point—McDonald.
Cover—Flannigan.
Rover—Stanton.
Centre—Rae.
Right wing—Currie.
Left wing—Dormer.

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The line-up of the West Ends to-night for their City League game with the Strathconas will be as follows:

Goal—Halpin.
Point—Wade.
Cover—C Dobson.
Rover—Rose.
Centre—Hillier.
Right wing—Short.
Left wing—Pentland.

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The T.A.S. line-up for their City League game with the Lakefield team to-night will be as follows:

Goal—Drocher.
Point—Quinlan.
Cover—Cahill.
Rover—Quigley.
Centre—Giroux.
Right wing—Galvin.
Left wing—Coughlin.

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The Peterborough Junior O. H. A. team will not play in Port Hope to-morrow night as expected. Word was received from Port Hope this morning that they are short on ice in the Lakeshore town and asking the locals to come down on Monday instead of to-morrow. There was nothing for Peterborough to do but to accept the proposition.

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The following players are requested to be out to-night to play hockey at the Knox rink from 7 to 9— Crowe, Reid Galley, Hillier, Barclay Armstrong, Stewart, Menzies, Lang, Thompson, McGill, Richmond, Denson

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All Saints Hockey Club challenge the Fresh Air Club to a game of hockey, to be played on Knox Rink as soon as the ice can be arranged for.

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The Peterborough Intermediate O. H. A. team will practise to-night at 6 o'clock until 6.45 o'clock.

BASKET-BALL.

The local Y.M.C.A. Basketball Team which journeyed to Port Hope last night, succeeded in trimming the Port Hope Senior Y.M.C.A. team by 38-36 in an interesting game. The Peterborough team lined up as follows:—

Laing, Loomis — defence.
Wallace — centre.
Kirn, H. Wallis — forwards.

LATEST CITY NEWS.

Plan Opens Friday

—Plan opens Friday for "The Private Secretary" at the Grand Opera House box office.

Probabilities

—Fair and cold to-day, followed late to-night and during Friday by easterly gales with snow.

Jordan Bros., Florists

—Will remove on the 1st February to the store now occupied by MacGregor & Reid, 428 George street.

Rehearsal to-night

—Rehearsal to-night for "The Private Secretary" in the Grand Opera House at 8 o'clock sharp. Enter at stage door.

Painting and Decorating

—Painting and decorating, all work quickly, neatly and cheaply executed. Country work not objected to. A. Guppy, 455 Stewart street. 28d14

Wanted

—All the citizens of Peterborough to have their garments dyed, cleaned pressed and repaired by Mr. Valet, 204 Charlotte street. All work guaranteed. dtf

Choir Practice

—St. John's Choir will meet for practice this evening at eight p. m. in the Guild Room. All choristers are asked to be present in good time.

"The Private Secretary"

—The story of that sparkling comedy "The Private Secretary" will appear in this paper on next Saturday, and the play will be produced on Monday, Feb. 1st.

Literary Meeting

—The regular meeting of The Ladies' Literary Society of St. Peter's T. A. S. will be held on Friday evening when a paper will be read by Miss V. Donoghue. 3dcn22

W. C. T. U. Meeting

—The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held on Friday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. parlours. Rev. J. G. Potter will likely speak, and a large attendance is expected.

A Small Fire

—Fire broke out in the chimney of the English Canoe Company's factory on Charlotte street this morning, but it was allowed to burn out there being no danger in doing so. The brigade was not called.

Will Occupy New Store

—Jordan Bros. beg to announce that they will occupy their new store, 428 George Street, (MacGregor & Reid's old stand,) on Monday, Feb. 1st., and will be very pleased to see all their old friends at their new premises. 3d-23

Social Evening

—On Friday, January 29th, the Young People's Guild of St. Paul's Church have a splendid programme prepared and give a cordial invitation to all to enjoy a pleasant and profitable evening. "Jane Austen," the novelist, of whom to know is to want to know more, will be the topic for literary discussion. "Watch for your pilot."

Hockey Players, Attention!

—Best shaped sticks for forwards and defence. 25c and 35c sticks reduced to 20c, or $2.25 per dozen. Spaulding's championship hockey sticks, 50c; for $4.50 per dozen, on 38c each. Every stick guaranteed, specially selected by professional hockey players. Also Spaulding's pucks, shin pads and all correct winter sporting goods always in stock at the Peterborough Bookstore. A. H. Stratton & Company.

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2 " " " " 85.00 for	70.00
4 Black Dog Coats, regular price $25.00 for	16.50
1 Austrian Coon Coat, regular price 45.00 for	32.50
2 Mattassinaw Buffalo Coats, regular price 25.00 for	18.50
1 Black Wombat Coat, regular price 27.50 for	20.00
1 Black Corsican Lamb Coat, 30.00 for	22.50

MEN'S FUR-LINED COATS

1 Men's fine Beaver Cloth, spring muskrat lining, regular price $115.00 for	80.00
3 Men's fine fur lined Coats, regular 80.00 for	60.00

LADIES' FUR COATS

1 Near Seal Coat, with grey squirrel collar and reveres, blouse effect, regular price 55.00 for	40.00
2 Near Seal Coats, with mink collars and reveres, regular price 75.00 for	60.00
1 Near Seal Coat, with Western Sable collars and reveres, blouse effect, regular price 55.00 for	42.50
1 Norway Seal, plain, regular price 65.00 for	50.00
1 Persian Lamb Jacket, regular price 115.00 for	95.00
1 Persian Lamb Jacket, with mink collars and reveres, blouse effect, regular price 185.00 for	160.00
4 Muskrat Jackets, regular price 65.00 for	45.00
4 Astrachan Jackets, regular price from 37.00 to 45.00 your choice for	30.00

LADIES' FUR-LINED COATS

1 Hampster lined, navy blue cloth, with otter collar and reveres, regular 60.00 for	45.00
1 Loche lined, dark cardinal cloth, with black lynx collar and reveres, regular 90.00 for	72.50
1 Hampster lined, black cloth, with black fox shawl collar, regular 60.00 for	45.00

COLLARETTES

Alaska Sable and Persian Lamb yoke Collarettes, regular 25.00 for	16.50
Western Sable and Persian Lamb yoke Collarettes, large size, regular 30.00 for	22.50
Electric Seal with Persian Lamb yoke Collarettes, regular 8.00 for	6.00

CHILDREN'S GRAY LAMB FURS

Children's grey Lamb Collars, regular price 8.00 for	5.25
Children's grey Lamb Collars, regular price 11.00	8.50
Grey Lamb Caps, regular price 4.00 for	3.00
Grey Lamb Gauntlets, regular price 6.00 for	4.00

LADIES' SCARFS AND STOLES

Ladies' Alaska Sable Stoles, regular price 25.00 for	18.50
Ladies' Alaska Sable Scarfs, regular price 20.00 for	14.50
Ladies' Alaska Sable Scarfs, regular price 13.50 for	9.00
Marmott Stoles, regular price 20.00 for	15.00
Marmott Stoles, regular price 16.50 for	10.50
Marmott Stoles, regular price 13.50 for	9.00
Western Sable Scarfs, regular 18.00 for	13.50

MISSES' FURS

White Thibet Stoles, regular 16.50 for	2.00
White Thibet Stoles, regular 10.00 for	7.50
White Thibet Stoles, regular 5.50 for	3.75
Rock Martin Stoles, regular 9.00 for	6.50
Muff to Match, regular 7.50 for	5.00
Natural Coon Stole, regular 9.00 for	6.50
Natural Coon Stole, regular 16.00 for	11.00
Muff to Match regular 9.00 for	6.50

LADIES' THROW SCARFS AND STOLES

Mink Throws, regular 35.00 for	25.00
Mink Stoles, regular 55.00 for	40.00
Grey Squirrel Throws, regular 9.00 for	7.00
Grey Lamb Throws, regular 6.50 for	4.50
Persian Lamb Throws, regular 18.00 for	12.00
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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Mr. H Sherin, of Lakefield, is in the city to-day.

Mrs. Malcolm McCulloch will not receive to-morrow.

Owing to illness Mrs. W. H. Robertson, Water street, will not receive to-morrow, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. T. C. Elliott, 142 McDonel st., will receive to-morrow, Friday afternoon, and not again until March.

Miss Edith Williams, Boswell ave., left on Thursday morning for Toronto, where she will attend the millinery wholesales. While in Toronto she will be the guest of Miss Moldon.

Mrs. Isaac Richardson, Homewood avenue, slipped and fell heavily on the pavement on Sunday evening, and has been confined to her bed ever since with severe bruises.

Rev. Canon Davidson has returned from attending the funeral of the late Most Rev. Archbishop Sweatman Toronto. He was one of the guard of honour selected for the Cathedral chapter.

Mr. Jos. Fitzgerald, deputy sheriff of Black Creek, Wis., has returned to his home, after an extended visit with his friends and relatives in Peterborough. Mr. Fitzgerald was greatly pleased with the city and surrounding country.

Rev. E. A. Pearson, pastor of the George Street Methodist Church, is in Toronto to-day. He is delivering an address at the Adult Bible Class Convention being held in that city. He will return to the city to-morrow —Friday.

FEEDING OF HENS

From Farm and Dairy.

It costs no more to feed a flock of good hens than it does a flock of poor ones.

As a rule pullets lay better than old hens, but neither will lay without feed.

Though doctoring chicks is not profitable, it pays to know how to prevent sickness.

A change of food often helps layers to start laying again, hens like other animals like variety.

Except during the breeding season keep males away from the flock, hens lay better if left alone.

Hens that lay soft-shelled eggs may be helped by a little more vegetables or green food and oyster-shell.

If a hen will not pay for her keep in eggs she should be made into just what she is best fitted for—a pot-pie.

Alfalfa makes on excellent feed for poultry in winter. Cut it up fine and steam it or throw a forkful in for litter.

One cannot raise chickens and lice together, the lice will thrive at the expense of the chicken. There is no profit in lice.

"The hen doesn't lay because she is too fat" is not correct. That "she is too fat because she doesn't lay" is nearer the mark.

Dampness in the poultry-house should not be allowed. Give good ventilation without drafts, and don't over-crowd the hens.

Lazy hens, like lazy men, are not money-makers; they eat up the profits of the busy ones. You can kill the hens if not the men.

Milk is a good poultry food whether for making eggs or flesh. It is good for the chick at all ages from the day it is hatched to the laying hen.

Start with the breed you think you want and if it is the right one for your locality and market stick to it; nothing is gained by changing breeds.

It is just as well to have a well-bred chicken as a well-bred horse or cow. Any amount of food will not make a mongrel as profitable as a pure-bred under the same conditions.

In building the house do not have the roosts too high; two feet is high enough. Have them level, not step-ladder style. Many hens get hurt trying to get to the top and shoving each other off.

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While in the central portion of Ontario recently, a representative of Farm and Dairy was impressed by the magnificent outward appearance of the barns there. On entering them, however, he was shocked to find the poorly laid out condition of the stables, the total absence of ventilation, the wholly inadequate supply of light and in nearly every instance the ceilings festooned with cobwebs. Should disease get a hold in these stables their owners would have small chance of exterminating it under existing conditions. Those who are planning a re-arrangement of their stables or building new ones this coming season should not fail to make provision for ventilation and the admittance of light.

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STONY LAKE COTTAGERS WILL OPPOSE THE REQUEST OF RADIAL RAILWAY COMPANY FOR MORE TIME

Local Members of the Association Hold Meeting to Consider the Matter—Their Views are Expressed.

LINE SHOULD BE BUILT.

A large meeting of the Cottagers and Property Committee was held in the Council Chamber last night, to discuss the application of the Peterborough Radial Railway Co. to the Legislature for a further extension of time to commence their line to Clear and Stony Lakes.

Mr. Robert Neill acted as chairman and invited discussion of the subject.

Mr. Felix Brownscombe gave a history of the agreement with the City and Radial Railway, and what was promised the City and Legislature, when application was made to the latter as follows:—

At the time the Street Railway proposition came before the ratepayers we had two means of ascertaining the extent of the work which we believed they intended to carry out. The first was from the charter which they received from the Government, and the second from the agreement entered into between the Street Railway and the City. In applying to the Government for a charter they stated that it was their intention to build and operate an electric street railway in the city of Peterborough, and also in the Townships of North Monaghan, Smith and Douro, and in the villages Ashburnham and Lakefield, and to connect the villages of Lakefield, Young's Point and Chemong Lake, with the city of Peterborough.

In coming before the City Council they led them to believe that they would do as stated in their charter, as is borne out by the preamble attached to the agreement which was entered into between them and the city, but while these outside lines were all mentioned in the preamble only that part of the line lying within the city limits was made binding by the agreement. There is, however, no doubt that the whole railway as referred to in the charter was in the minds of the citizens when they voted so strongly to give them the franchise. When the by-law was submitted to the people it was carried by a majority of 522, and there was only one polling sub-division in the city that gave a majority against it. As to the part which the company were to build in the city, that has all been completed, and has always been operated in a manner entirely satisfactory to the citizens. It is not therefore a question of better service over the existing lines, but an extension of the lines as called for by the charter, that we are here to-night asking for. If the citizens had thought for a moment that there would not have been some outside lines to draw trade to the city, I do not think they would have carried the by-law as they did. At the time Mr. Stewart and his associates appeared before the Council there was a strong feeling that the Street Railway should agree to build the line to Stony Lake by a stated time, and when the Council pressed for this, Mr Stewart replied that his company was then negotiating with the Grand Trunk for the lease of their road from Peterborough to Lakefield, and that if the Council insisted on that being in the agreement the Grand Trunk would hold out for a higher price than if he were left free to deal with them. On this understanding the matter was let stand. When the City and Street Railway entered into the agreement, the City agreed to give them an exclusive franchise for thirty years, of every street in the city, as also to bear the whole expense for five years, three-quarters of the expense for a further five years, and one-half of the expense for the remaining twenty years, for removing the snow off from all the streets in the city on which the railway had their tracks. This applies not only to the snow at the sides of the streets, but also to the snow which the street railway throw off their tracks on to the other parts of the roadway. In addition to this they are to be exempt from all taxes on their real and personal property for the thirty years. Now, surely, when we as citizens have carried out our part of the agreement to the letter, we should look to the railway to build the lines for which they received their charter.

Mr. T. C. Elliott, Rev. J. R. Webb, D. W. Dumble, T. J. Wilson, George Cochrane and B. Shortly expressed their views on the subject.

R. Neill, W. H. Meldrum, Wm. Irwin, J. D. Collins and D. W. Dumble were appointed a committee to appear before the Council and the Legislature and submit the following resolution:—

Moved by T. J. Wilson, seconded by Felix Brownscombe.

That this meeting of the Stony Lake Cottagers' Association believe that the Peterborough Radial Railway Company should not receive from the Ontario Legislature a further extension of time in which to begin the work on the extension of their Electric Railway to Clear and Stonk Lakes unless it is upon the condition that they must bona-fide commence the work this year, and prosecute it continuously during the season that such work can be carried on and in such a way that the line will be ready for service before the first of July 1910.

Also that the City Council be asked to take such steps as will give effect to this resolution, and secure for our citizens and the thousands of visitors to our city the benefits of an electric railway to our beautiful lakes, and which we were led to believe would be given at the time the present Street Railway Company were granted a franchise to our streets.

Mr. J. S. Knapman spoke on the advantage the Radial Railway Companies are to a city and the merchants. The City of Hamilton has four lines reaching out to a distance all rom seven to thirty miles. On these lines the winter time tables show that forty-eight cars arrive every day, calling at all the villages and cross roads and bringing the people in all that large section of country to the city of Hamilton at cheap rates, and giving a system that people can get a car any hour of the day up to eleven o'clock at night to return home.

Bert Hurd Used A Sherlock Holmes Method In Looking For Man Who Stole His Hens

In all probability U. Q. Woo is still trying to figure out how Mark Pengelly carried in his arms six hens without having tied them together or put them in a bag, following the usual order of proceedings. On Friday evening, January 22nd, Pengelly, went to the rear of Woo's restaurant, at the corner of George and King streets, with the fowl safely tucked under his arms as carefully as the old mother bird shielded them when they were chicklets.

Pengelly was charged with having stolen the fowl from Mrs. M. Hurd's barn on George street, and was given a hearing yesterday afternoon in the police court. On the evidence he was committed for trial, having elected that way on his first appearance last Saturday. Whoever stole them, it is a fact that Woo bought them from Pengelly, giving in return $2.05.

In relating his knowledge of the hen affair Woo amused the court by his broken English and by the amusement he derived from the remembrance of Pengelly bringing in the six hens.

"I bought one cheeken on the market and six cheekens from him man. I paid him $2.05. I know him lived on George street."

Woo told all he knew, which was to the effect that the policemen came later that night and confiscated the hens.

Bert Hurd stated that he had noticed the prints of a man's foot in an ash box beneath the hen roost. Mr. Fanning told him shortly afterwards that he had seen a suspicious looking character at the King street door of the Chinaman's. The witness said he saw Pengelly coming out of the Chinaman's and noticed that on his boots and socks were ashes.

W. Woo also testified to Pengelly coming in with the ashes on him. Kenneth Hurd, a boy of ten, identified five of the chickens that night and the police took them to the station.

Pengelly was committed, the magistrate remarking that it was too bad to bother the judge with the case, and put the county to the extra expense.

Hotelkeeper Asserts That Lid Is On Tight In Millbrook

Mr. John Croaker Says That the Watch is Too Vigilant to Allow Sale of Liquor — "Two Men Tried it and Were Froze Out."

THE BLUE TRUNK CASE.

"The Gray-Blue Trunk," or "How be supply of Whiskey did not get o Millbrook," has been told in two chapters, and the concluding section will be given on Monday, from present appearances. The trunk which contained the whiskey that Mr. John Croaker was trying to get to Millbrook at the regular baggage rate has remained at the Police Court chamber unmolested since last Friday. It is unusual in design, color and general appearance and contents. Mr. Croaker being called at the hearing this morning stated that he had the whiskey for his own use and to treat his friends now and then when they called. At Christmas time he gave considerable away as a little present here and there.

Judgment was reserved until Monday. There was nothing very new brought out in the evidence.

Mr. Walter Gillette, Clerk of Millbrook, was examined for the purpose of showing that a local option by-law was in force in Millbrook. He did not know whether Mr. Croaker sold any liquor or not.

Mr. Croaker said he kept a boarding house, but did not sell liquor. He kept it for his own private use. "You can't go that game down there, two other men tried it and got frozen out." Witness got four gallons of whiskey in December and drank some of it, giving the rest away to friends. On January 2nd, he got the trunk full which was intercepted at the G. T. R. Station. Mr. Croaker had intended that this "cargo" would last him six months. He would have used some of it and given the rest away according to the usual custom. He did not intend to sell the "stuff." "You are watched too close, anyway," he remarked.

Mr. Hall: "Why did you not take it down openly?"

Croaker: "I wanted to save expense, save the charges."

When the baggageman said to him that the trunk came from Elliott's, he remarked that there was no use lying about it.

"You have no friends in that business down there; if a man bought a drink and was pulled up for it, he would squeal on you."

SEAY SENTENCED TO TWENTY-FIVE YEARS FOR SHOOTING HIS WIFE

Examiner Special.

Toronto, Ont., Jan. 29 — William Seay, the mulatto coachman, who was found guilty last week on the charge of shooting his white wife, was sentenced this morning by the Chief Justice Sir Glenholme Falconbridge, to twenty-five years in the Kingston Penitentiary. Seay's counsel and Seay himself asked for leniency but Sir Glenholme said the crime of which the man had been found guilty was one that should be adequately punished and he had considered whether the sentence should not be for life.

Board Of Works Rescinds The By-law Concerning Railway

The Board of Works met last night with the following members present, Ald. Phelan, Duncan, Gillespie, Bradburn, Buller and McIntyre. A communication was received from the Ontario Asphalt Block Company re paving blocks for city's use.

Mr. Martin O'Neil's application for re-appointment as foreman of sewers was received.

Mr. James H. Brown complained of overcharges on sewer connections. Moved by Ald. Bradburn and Buller that no action be taken.

City Engineer Kay showed in a report he had prepared that $2.62 a cord could be saved by having stone crushed with north end crusher in the river bed than that which was delivered at the yard.

It was moved by Ald. Bradburn and Duncan that the city purchase 200 cords of stone, to be delivered in the yard at $3.00 a cord.

Moved by Ald. Buller and McIntyre that the Board enquire into the question of reducing the expenses in the Board of Works department.

Moved by Ald. Gillespie and Duncan that the chairman be asked to inquire into the matter of procuring the stone in the river bed, and the quantity that can be obtained there and report at a later meeting.

Moved by Ald. Buller and Gillespie that the chairman, Mayor Rush, Ald. Bradburn, Duncan and McIntyre be a committee to look after the interests of the city in regard to the application of the Peterborough Radial Railway Company, for the extending of the time in which to build their line to Stony Lake, with authority to attend the Legislature at Toronto when the matter comes up there, if they deem it advisable, in which case their expenses be paid, and that the motion on this matter of January 20th be rescinded.

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Sirloin steak—12 1-2c.
Porterhouse steak—12 1-2c.
Shoulder steak—10c.
Beef by the quarter 6 to 8c lb.
Fresh Pork sausage 10c.
Head cheese, our own make, 4 lbs for 25c.
Hind quarter lamb—15c.
Fore quarter of lamb—12 1-2c.
Loin of lamb—16c.
Leg of lamb—17c.
Fresh pork —15c.
Hind quarter pork—12 1-2c.
Fore quarter pork—11 1-2c.
Hind quarter mutton—12 1-2c.
Fore quarter mutton—11 1-2c.
Loin of mutton—14c.
Leg of Mutton—15c.

These prices are good for this week and all next week, and are strictly for cash.

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OBITUARY

MRS. M. J. KEOUGH

Many people in this city will be sorry to hear of the death of Mrs. M. J. Keough, wife of the First Vice President of the Iron Moulders of North America after a short illness. The death occurred this morning, Friday, at Troy, N.Y. Mrs. M. C. Tooley, is a sister-in-law to Mrs Keough. The funeral was held to-day to the Troy Cemetery.

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TECHNICAL EDUCATION.

The members of the Whitney Government, says the Brantford Expositor, are quite willing to make surrender of provincial rights when it is inconvenient to them to make assertion of the principle. "This is very apparent relative to technical education, which is a matter the provinces should undertake as an integral part of a provincial system for the training of the youth of our land. There may be some reason for asking Dominion assistance, but to ask the Ottawa authorities to establish an entirely independent system of education is not only an abnegation of provincial rights, but is suggesting unnecessary duplication of methods. Technical education, in its simplified forms, should be introduced into our primary and secondary schools, which are under provincial control, and in its higher forms it should only be an extension of the same system."

Under the Whitney administration we were to have all sorts of educational improvements, but the reform has not reached the core of the technical education problem, one of the most important subjects in relation to the interests of an industrial country like Canada. As long ago as 1901 Hon. R. Harcourt, Minister of Education in the Ross Government, on February 27th, in discussing the question of university aid, spoke of the important position science should occupy relative to the development of our national and provincial resources, and he made a strong plea for equipping the University with all possible completeness to this end. He shewed that if this country was to be developed; if its schools were to be a factor in its industrial growth attention must be given to the study of science. "The country wanted trained assayists, mineralogists, geologists and engineers, men who would build bridges and tunnel mountains. They wanted also trained artisans without which no country could be industrially great." These words, though spoken eight or nine years ago, are as true to-day as they were then. Does the Government of Sir James Whitney realize the gravity, of the responsibility which rests upon them in the regard of technical training in our schools?

LITTLE IMPROVEMENT.

When the electors excluded the Fowlers, the Lefurgeys and Bennette from Parliament the hope was expressed that the tone and dignity of parliamentary debate would be improved. This hope, however, appears to have been delusive. The Conservative party does not seem to appreciate the lesson administered by the electors to blatant obstruction. On Wednesday, Dr. Reid, of Grenville, showed that the mantle of these gentlemen had fallen upon his shoulders. He is an adept in tracking down imaginary scandals, but he improves. He was instrumental in reviving an exploded scandal, the Mayes contract. His suspicious nature shows lack of confidence in everybody. He insists on tenders for government contracts being opened in the presence of the officials of the department, the tendering contractor and the public. The object of Dr. Reed's motion to this effect was apparently to permit Mr. Foster and other Conservative members a chance of attacking Hon. Mr. Pugsley, Minister of Public Works, on the head of the Maye's dredging contract. This gave Mr. Pugsley an opportunity of showing that Mr. Foster had relied on newspaper clippings as basis of his charges. Mr. Foster would not answer the demand of Mr. Pugsley as to whether the affidavit which he (Mr. Foster) had quoted, making infamous charges and besides containing a radical error in date, was actually sworn to. Mr. Pugsley showed that the contract objected to went regularly to the lowest tender, as has been frequently explained. The Mayes contract charges are simply a scandal abundantly disproved. If the Opposition persist in resurrecting in Parliament all the tittle-tattle and exposed slanders of the election campaign the session will stretch out interminably, and the question of the reform of Parliamentary procedure will acquire a new significance.

Mr. Brodeur regards bribery of a constituency by promise of public works as vicious; but to bribe a province by subtle promises as good statesmanship.

HEROISM.

The world is full of persons who are not a credit to humanity, who live to themselves, and to whom sacrifice, or even thought, for their fellows is something unknown. But the world contains many heroes, some working out their lives under obscure conditions marked by devotion to duty and continuous self-sacrifice constituting systematic and not impulsive heroism. Thousands of them remain and will remain unknown, except to the eye who sees and regards all the quiet heroism of human life. On occasions circumstances bring heroic deeds to light.

The wreck of the Republic developed acts of heroism on the part of Captain Seelby, and first officer Williams, worthy of the grandest traditions of British seamanship. They stuck to their ship to the very last—till the sinking of the doomed vessel literally floated them from the post of duty and cast them adrift amidst the perilous wreckage pounding on a stormy sea. They expected no reward; they had reason, rather, to expect death, and they risked their lives with the peril of death present. The greatest reward they can get is the grateful recognition of humanity. The brazen banality of a Carnegie medal is not needed to keep their memories green.

A conspicuous example of sustained heroism is furnished by the closing days of Mr. H. C. Hammond, of Toronto. Many men under the impulse of the moment, in the heat of battle and the strife of elemental war, perform acts of heroism which they might not have done if the opportunity of deliberation, consideration or counting the cost had been afforded; and often when chance for reflection comes they look back with shudering wonder how they could have been rash enough to do what they had done.

But in the case of Mr. Hammond we have a man under sentence of death, forgetful of himself, heroically hiding his wound and facing and fulfilling the duty presented, whose neglect under the circumstances could have brought no condemnation. Some months ago his physician told him he had an incurable disease, malignant cancer of the throat, certain to bring death after a longer or shorther period of painful and loathsome endurance. Mr. Hammond simply said that there was the greater necessity of doing what he could do in the interests of suffering humanity. Under the shadow of his doom, in the midst of his pain, he led a movement for the benefit of the Hospital for Consumptives, none the less successful by his example of patient subordination of his sufferings for the sake of a good cause. This attitude is less surprising in his case, because it was the outcome of a habit of his life, the unostentatious doing of good. One needs only to reflect a moment to recognize the valiant attitude towards duty such conditions represent. There was not the impulse of heroism executed in a moment of sudden peril; only the deep sense of duty present under sentence of death in one of the most dreadful and most dreaded forms. While such specific instances of heroism are rare, there are millions on a similar plane, patient housewives and mothers of families, whose lives are an unending round of devotion to duty, unlightened by a single pleasure or relaxation or hope of relief, except through the portals of death. When we applaud the heroic deeds of soldier or sailor, we should not forget the humble heroes and heroines, whose lives glorify humanity and constitute records of devotion to duty more beneficent to mankind than the deeds of heroes eternized in bronze.

Thomas Carlisle in Sartor Resartus says that "hero worship exists, has existed and will exist universally among mankind."

TUBERCULOSIS.

The report of Dr. Charles A. Hodgetts, Deputy Provincial Registrar, has the following to say in reference to the prevalence and fatality of tuberculosis in the province,

Of tuberculosis it cannot unfortunately at present be so written as it is of malaria—that it is on the decrease.—During the year the white plague carried off 2,911 in the province, of which the cities reported 887 and the towns 118, the rate for the province being 131 per hundred thousand of the estimated population. By reference to table 10 it will be seen that each county lends its quota to make this sadly large total, the minimum being in Haliburton, 4; while the maximum is that of York (including Toronto), 553.

Surely this death roll for 1906 will present object lesson enough to at least a few of those counties in which it is sapping the best life of its ratepayers. Is the situation not worthy of the attention of every man and woman in Ontario, irrespective of race, creed and colour, and sufficient to make each one of them enthusiastic in the work to suppress what is now and what will continue to carry sorrow, suffering, disease and death to every home in this fair province. Charity can and has done much, but it cannot do all. The task is herculean, but not impossible; but municipalities must consider most seriously the situation, and if immediate results are to be obtained, and Ontario is to keep pace with the other countries and states in the great crusade, there must no longer be apathy, but work must be the war cry, and provision made for the care of the advanced cases in hospital annex or country home annexes, while the dispensary, with the instructed nurse as house visitor must be opened up in every town and city. These means, together with the day and night camp, and the instruction of the children of our Public and Separate schools, must be adopted as means to the desired end.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Toronto World announces the discovery of a process which will reduce the price of tool steel from $1.03 to 10 cents per pound. The "man with the knife" can afford a new one every day or two now.

Australia has a revenue of about $200,000,000 and a debt of $1,200,000,000. With about double the revenue it has four times the national debt of Canada, so that relatively the debt of the Commonwealth is double that of Canada.

Sir Charles Tupper thinks he will live to see the Canadian Liberals lose office. The evergreen old statesman is now 88 years old and may live to record his century. Even in that event Mr. Borden has only twelve years to make good; and his past record does not give promise that he will succeed.

Ottawa Conservatives have decided to withdraw the protest against Sir Wilfrid Laurier's election for an Ottawa seat. This will leave him free to elect for which seat he will sit—Ottawa or Quebec East. His resignation of one of them will necessitate a bye-election, which will, of course, go the the government.

Sir Richard Cartwright, speaking in the Senate said, that a railway under government could not be run by either a good or a bad government as cheaply as under economical private management. It stands to reason that a government has less control over rates. If it should lower rates, with a view of increasing business, privately owned railways would raise an outcry. Sir Richard pointed out that the Intercolonial lent itself unkindly to effective and paying management—it was badly laid out at first.

A discovery is claimed to have been made which, if it comes up to what it promises, will have a far-reaching and, indeed, revolutionary effect upon steel production and make Canada the controlling factor. The new process will cheaply convert the common iron ore, of which this country has an abundance, into steel at a cost that will mean 10 cents a pound for tool steel, as against $1.03, the present price. It is stated that the Minister of Mines dfor Ontario has great faith in the alleged new discovery; he thinks it will give Ontario control of the steel trade of the world. It is to be hoped that this story is not too good to be true.

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Now, I beg to differ from them in that respect, when East City with a population of much more than 2,000 and extending for over two miles from north to south, and one mile from east to west, never see a street car unless they walk over to George street. Strangers visiting in East City many times have made the remark, wondering why a city as large as Peterborough had no street railway system, as none is noticed on these streets.

I, for one, have been in many towns and cities in Ontario, of less population than Peterborough, with far better street car system and service. I do not doubt there may be an excellent service from George street to Jackson Park and back, but the problem for us is to walk a mile or two to catch that car.

I hope that the interest of this part of the city will be attended to as soon as possible. This is the general sentiment of all this part of the city.

I am,
Yours truly,
EAST CITY RESIDENT.
Peterborough, Jan. 29, 1909.

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Bad as this case was, Zam-Buk triumphed, and Mrs. Hughes suffers no longer.

Mrs. R. Bonnell, of Scott Street, St. Thomas, says:—"For months without cessation I endured great pain from bleeding piles. For as many months I tried everything which I thought would give me ease, but in the end, dispirited and still suffering I gave in."

Then it was she heard of Zam-Buk, and she adds:—"Although I feared Zam-Buk would be like the ordinary remedies—useless—I am glad it was not. It soon proved itself to be very different. It rapidly gave me relief, and after a time cured me completely. I would like to let all sufferers from piles know what a grand thing Zam-Buk is."

Mr. Thos. Carr, of Ellesmere Street, Runcorn, says:—"I first began to suffer from piles through sitting on damp grass one summer, and for years I endured agony from this terrible complaint. Sometimes I would be bedridden for as long as a month at a stretch. Yet, to-day, I never suffer from piles! Zam-Buk cured me, to stay cured, and I bless the day I first tried it!"

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[Sgd.] THOMAS YOUNG.

A NATIONAL CALAMITY.

More Than 7,000,000 People In Great Britain Suffering For Food.

In Great Britain hundreds of thousands of people are starving and dependent upon charity to keep body and soul together. The state of affairs is termed by thinking men a national calamity. When it is understood that more than 7,000,000 persons are actually in want and suffering, the seriousness of the situation will be understood.

Every day these 7,000,000 arise with the gnawing pain of hunger in their stomachs and with no assurance that it is to be relieved. Food is the all important question with these millions. To keep the flame of life going they must get it somehow. They must beg, salvage, or steal.

Thefts have increased enormously in recent months. Pawnshops have acquired immense stocks and are taking little.

To make it worse, the number of sufferers is growing steadily. Many thousands of frugal workmen have spent their savings in the period they have been without work. Economize as they would, they could not stave off altogether the day when they were to feel the pinch of poverty, to know actual need.

The Government will have to do something, devise some means or other of caring for the unemployed of the nation. Riots have come to be of almost daily occurrence throughout the United Kingdom. Agitators are finding fruitful fields for their labors. These are indeed black days in Great Britain.

The General Federation of Trades Unions has advised all union men to refuse to work overtime. The federation points out that for every skilled workman out of employment two unskilled men are workless. It urges the employment of surplus labor by national and municipal work and recommends the establishment of a national department of labor, whose head shall hold a Cabinet portfolio.

It is in the big cities that the much is felt most. London and Glasgow have large quotas of unemployed. Riots have been frequent in both of these cities.

In the smaller cities there is more charity, the helping hand is extended by neighbors, but in the large cities the poor and friendless are numbered by the hundred thousand. Relief organizations are doing their utmost, but they are unable to cope with a situation of this magnitude.

Men are committing crimes to get into jail and be fed at public expense. The nation's wealthy men have been liberal contributors, but the demands are so vast that they cannot be met.

The most pitiful sights of London are the constant bread lines. Men, women and children will stand in line for hours to get a bit of stale bread from the bakeries. Thousands are turned away disappointed and forced to salvage among garbage heaps for scraps and remnants of food scorned even by dogs.

Before one of the big bakeries nightly may be seen hundreds of persons so faint with hunger as to be barely able to stand, many of whom have been there all day to hold the choice places with the better prospect of getting food.

The situation is such as to make for anarchy. Radical speakers have stirred the people to such an extent that there is danger of an uprising.

These speeches have had their effect in individual crimes and in outbreaks by small mobs. The anger of the people is growing, however, and it would not be well for the Government to delay relief measures much longer.

Prosperity In New Brunswick.

Business in New Brunswick has been brisk, and the year will prove to have been a most satisfactory one for farmers, merchants, and manufacturers, with the exception of the lumber operators, who report a dull season. The potatoe crop has been the best in many years, and farmers are selling for a dollar a barrel on a rising market.

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DEBATE ON REID'S MOTION

Dr. Pugsley Defends Himself Against Attacks of Opponents Who Tried to Ruin His Reputation by Mayes Affidavit — Hon. Mr. Graham Discusses Level Crossings Evil —Several Bills Introduced.

Ottawa, Jan. 29.—If, as they profess, it is the desire of the Opposition to expedite the business of the House this session, they are taking a peculiar way of showing it. Two days have been spent over Dr. Reid's motion dealing with the reception and awarding of tenders, and the end of the debate is not yet in sight. For the unnecessary prolongation of the discussion the party who sit to the left of the Speaker must be held responsible. Putting aside the question of whether the motion was called for at all, in view of the regulation passed by the Government relating to the procedure of receiving and awarding tenders, the issue raised by the member for Grenville was a simple one and could have been disposed of very briefly.

Reverting to the Mayes' affidavit, which he denounced on Wednesday, Dr. Pugsley said "it was a disgrace to the man who read it (Premier Hazen), and who never had the manliness to acknowledge the wrong he did me. Mr. Foster also did no credit to himself for fathering a false affidavit.

"We were not only prepared to answer the charges, but to carry on an aggressive campaign against the men who made them."

He said that Mayes had made repeated efforts to get the contract, saying he should have 90 cents a cubic for the work, but the Minister held him to it. Mayes had approached the Minister later on to have the Government take over his dredge for $150,000. Associated with him in the endeavor was Mr. Baxter, vice-president of the St. John Conservative Association, who had threatened to make it warm for Pugsley if the dredge was not taken over. Another man, Osman, said if the dredge was not purchased disclosures would be made. Osman had been led to believe that a cheque for $2,000 had been paid Pugsley, after he became a member of the Federal Government.

"But I told him," said the Minister warmly, "to go back and tell Mayes to go ahead." The Conservative party of New Brunswick had lent themselves to "this unholy campaign" to destroy him.

Mr. Pugsley claimed no credit for the result in New Brunswick, which was a recognition of the "splendid personality of the gentleman whom we are proud to follow."

"It does seem to me," he concluded, "as if the example set by the leaders of the Conservative party — by the leaders I mean every member on the Opposition side of the House—in making reckless and unwarranted charges of all kinds, has been followed by their friends and supporters throughout the country, even to the reading of false affidavits and the printing of forged telegrams, in order to defeat the Government."

O. S. Crocket, (York, N.B.) followed, and was about to discuss the Mayes affidavit, when Mr. Emmerson raised the point of order.

R. F. Sutherland declared the irrelevant matter was introduced by Mr. Foster.

"Here," retorted Mr. Foster, "Is a man who was Speaker of this House making a statement that is not in accordance with the facts."

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that everyone knew the affidavit was introduced by Mr. Foster.

"That is not true," said Mr. Foster.

Mr. Crocket then closed. W. O. Scaley (Wentworth) and several other Liberal members followed.

During the question hour, Mr. Blain was informed by Sir Wilfrid that it was not the intention of the Government to introduce legislation to prohibit or restrict the sale of cigarettes.

George Taylor was told by the Premier that George Anson Aylesworth is employed by the Government as immigration inspector at a salary of $100 a month and expenses.

Mr. Oliver introduced a bill to amend the Immigration Act, and Mr. Fisher introduced a bill to amend the act respecting infectious or contagious diseases affecting animals, by restoring the provisions of the old act. In revising the statutes there was a transposition in regard to the limit of valuation in respect to compensation for diseased cattle destroyed.

Mr. Lemieux introduced an amendment to the Railway Act. It makes the act passed last year to compensate for damages conform to the General Railway Act. Another amendment places the water powers on the canals under Government control in regard to rates.

Mr. Verville had a bill respecting hours of labor on public works. It limits the hours to eight a day.

"Would it not be the proper thing for us to consider the situation—if it would not be wisdom to join hands with the provinces and the municipalities in the creation of a fund so that when the Railway Board makes an order for the separation of grades, it may become binding?"

Hon. G. P. Graham made this statement in the House yesterday afternoon in discussing the question of protecting life at level crossings, brought to the attention of the Government by Dr. Edwards, member for Frontenac.

The Senate will adjourn on Friday till Feb. 16.

The members of the Upper House have decided to depart to-day from the long-established custom of electing chairmen of committees practically for life.

FIRST TO WEAR OUT WITH AGE

Simple Recipe for Bladder Trouble Should Be Valued By Elderly People.

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The great majority of men and women at the age of 50 years begin to feel the first signs of advancing age in some form of kidney trouble and bladder weakness. Few are entirely free from that torturous disease, rheumatism, which is not a disease in itself, but a symptom of deranged function of the kidneys, which have become clogged and sluggish, failing in their duty of sifting and straining the poisonous waste matter, uric acid, etc., from the blood, permitting it to remain and decompose, settling about the joints and muscles, causing intense pain and suffering.

The bladder, however, causes the old folks the most annoyance, especially at night and early morning.

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This prescription, though simple, is always effective in the diseases and afflictions of the kidneys and bladder and rheumatism.

Officials Exonerated.

Cobourg, Jan. 29.—Superintendent McMillan and those in charge of the House of Refuge, by the finding of the counties council special committee appointed to investigate the charges of alleged ill-treatment of John Maynard of Bowmanville, are completely exonerated.

The evidence of the superintendent, the physician, two of the inmates who had charge of Maynard, and the counties' clerk was taken.

The committee reported "We are fully satisfied that the charges are absolutely false and without any foundation whatever."

Flying Machine In Berlin.

Berlin, Jan. 29.—The first experiments in Berlin with a flying machine were witnessed yesterday when Armand Zipfel, a French aviator, began a series of trials on Templehof field.

An enormous crowd, exceeding 50,000, was attracted to the scene, but the expectations of the people were disappointed, for the machine, a Moison biplan, failed to fly.

Misfortunes Not Singly.

Brockville, Jan. 29.—Edwin Barnhart, a young man who was publicly horsewhipped here by an irate parent while he was in the company of a young married woman, was arrested at Oshawa Wednesday night, charged with the theft of jewelry, the property of the woman's husband.

Facts About the Japs.

Sacramento, Cal., Jan. 29.—In accordance with the suggestion of President Roosevelt and Governor Gillett, Speaker Stanton introduced a bill in the Assembly yesterday appropriating $10,000 to gather data regarding the number and occupation of Japanese in California.

Sensational Charges, These.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 29.—A nurse and others made sensational charges against the Fitchburg Hospitals. Patients, they say, have been drugged to death that nurses might carry on intrigues with men.

Enquiry at Grimsby.

Ottawa, Jan. 29.—D'Arcy Scott, the assistant chief railway commissioner, and Dr. Mills will hold a sitting at Grimsby on Feb. 10 to investigate the recent catastrophe at the level crossing there.

A WOMAN'S BACK WAS NOT MADE TO ACHE.

Thousands of Women Suffer Untold Misery Every Day With Aching Backs That Really Have No Business To Ache.

Under ordinary conditions it ought to be strong and ready to bear the burdens of life.

It is hard to do housework with an aching back. Backaches come from sick kidneys, and what a lot of trouble sick kidneys cause,

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PROPOSES TO REFORM SENATE

Ex-Secretary of State Scott Gives Notice of Resolution.

WOULD ELECT TWO-THIRDS

Veteran Leader of the Upper House Proposes Scheme by Which It Should Have 59 Members, Two-Thirds Elected and One-Third Appointed by Government For a Term of Eight Years.

Ottawa, Jan. 29.—In the Senate yesterday ex-Secretary of State Hon. R. W. Scott, backed by the authority of thirty-four years as leader of the Liberal party in the Upper House both in Opposition and in power, gave notice of a Senate reform resolution based on the results of his long experience. For seventeen years he has led the Senate on the Government side and for seventeen years on the Opposition side. In brief, his proposal is to have two-thirds of the Upper House elected every eight years by popular compulsory vote, and one-third appointed by the Government in power for an eight-year tenure of office.

His resolution, after premising that the time has come to amend the constitution of the Senate so as to bring the mode of selection of the Senators more in harmony with public opinion, provides as follows: That the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec be each divided into sixteen electoral districts for representation in the Senate; that the Provinces of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick be each divided into seven electoral districts, and the Province of Prince Edward Island into two electoral districts, and that for the present and until the four western provinces have been given increased representation Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta be each divided into three electoral districts, and British Columbia be divided into two electoral districts. In defining the electoral districts due regard is to be had not only to approximately equalizing the population in each district, but to the convenience of local interests and county boundaries.

Stolen Scrips In West.

Winnipeg, Jan. 29.—There is trouble here over stolen scrip. Many original holders of S. A. scrip, in selling, simply make out a power of attorney in the blank and attach it to the scrip. Many of these papers have been lost or stolen, and as they are worth more than the face value, persons thus securing them may re-sell them until finally someone attempts to get the title. Then the fraud is discovered and the scrip identified. Three of these dangerous flotsam are already in the city, all originally from Toronto, and at least one of them has been sold twice in the city before being discovered to have been stolen.

Castro Gives It Up.

Berlin, Jan. 29.—Cipriano Castro, the former President of Venezuela, interviewed yesterday regarding reports that it was his ambition to become the "new liberator" of Venezuela, said:

"I cannot accept the role of liberator of the Venezuelan people assigned to me because my experience of nine years as President has taught me that true freedom is a chimera.

"I am convinced more than ever to-day of the wisdom of the words of the great liberator, Simon Bolivar, when he was about to die: 'I have sown in the sea.'"

Georgian Bay Fairs Association.

Barrie, Jan. 29.—The Georgian Bay Fair Association met yesterday afternoon to fix dates for the different fairs in the county. They elected the following officers: President, G. Raikes; vice-president, J. Knowlshaw, Bradford; secretary-treasurer, Geo. Greene, Bradford; directors, Wm. Wood, Bradford; W. Tom Collingwood; M. Saunders, Stayner; R. Graham, Elmvale, and C. L. Stephens, Orillia.

President George Raikes was chosen as Simcoe's candidate for the directorate of the Ontario Fairs Association.

Invalid's Act Saves Five.

London, Jan. 29.—William Thompson, an invalid who has not left his bed for many months, saved the lives of five persons.

He awoke about five o'clock and saw the roof of a neighbor's house on fire. Getting into an overcoat he hobbled to the fire and climbing to the roof beat the flames out.

After arousing the neighbors and sleeping inmates of the house he collapsed and is at present very ill as a result of the reaction.

Royal Bank's New Issue.

Montreal, Jan. 29.—At the annual general meeting of the Royal Bank of Canada yesterday, it was decided to increase the paid-up capital stock from $3,900,000 to $5,000,000, the new issue being 1,100 shares.

T. J. Drummond of Montreal was added to the directorate, which gives a quorum of directors residing in this city. Mr. Bauld retires from the board.

The date of the annual meeting was changed from the fourth to the third Thursday in January.

$2,000,000 Damages Claimed.

New York, Jan. 21.—Counsel for the Oceanic Steam Navigation Co., owners of the White Star line steamship Republic, yesterday filed a libel in the United States District Court against the steamer Florida of the Lloyd Italiano line. Damages amounting to $1,500,000 for the ship and $500,000 for cargo are claimed.

Organized Gang of Thieves.

Hamilton, Jan. 29.—It is claimed that an organized gang of thieves is working on the Lehigh Valley trains running over the G.T.R. from Buffalo to Toronto. Their scheme is to board the trains either at Buffalo or Hamilton, and after sizing up the grips of the passengers, to walk off when the train is nearing a station with the pieces of luggage that have the appearance of containing valuables.

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TO AMEND TREATY.

Waterways Compact In U. S. Senate To-Day.

Washington, Jan. 29.—An agreement was reached among the Senators yesterday for an amendment to the Canadian waterways treaty to satisfy the contention of Senator Wm. Alden Smith of Michigan that the treaty should fix a division of the waters of the St. Mary's river for power purposes between Canada and the United States. The exact terms of the proposed amendment of the treaty have not been determined. The treaty will again be considered at an executive session to-day.

Local Optionists In Brant.

Brantford, Jan. 29.—It was the unanimous decision of the county convention of local optionists yesterday to prosecute a general campaign throughout the county for local option. Licenses at St. George and Paris, also in this city, to the number of 40, are thus jeopardized. Officers were elected as follows: President, Fred Mann; vice-president, D. M. Lee, Paris; secretary, Ald. J. W. Shepperson; treasurer, F. J. Maxwell.

Two Burned to Death.

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 29.—A special from Big Falls, Minn., says: In a fire which destroyed the Audit Hotel and saloon here Wednesday night, two men met death in the flames and two other persons are probably fatally burned. J. J. Curley and Joseph LeBlanc, homesteaders of Waukonda, were cremated. Paul Lawrence and his wife, who ran through the flames in their night clothes, are not expected to live.

Bomb For Korean Emperor.

Tokio, Jan. 29.—While the imperial train bearing the Emperor of Korea and Count Ito of Japan, who are making a trip of inspection through northern Korea, was en route to Pyeng Yang, one of the emperor's aides attacked the home secretary with a sword.

A bomb was thrown in a temporary building erected at Kaisyong for the reception of the emperor.

Their Narrow Escape.

London, Ont., Jan. 29.—It is related that T. H. Smallman's thoughtfulness for the convenience of his daughter-in-law saved her life and his son's in the Republic wreck. They originally had booked passage in the stateroom in which Mr. and Mrs. Lynch were afterwards killed. On Mr. Smallman's advice, that another room would would be more convenient, the change was made.

Sovereign Bank Loses $40,000.

Aylmer, Jan. 29.—The first and final statement of the assignee of Stephen Pierce, manufacturer, of Aylmer, is of interest to the shareholders of the Sovereign Bank, which advanced $40,065 to the insolvents, upon which they will not realize anything. The total assets amounted to $9,853.98. The total liabilities unprovided for amount to $45,778. Mr. Pierce has taken up farming.

Motorman's Hard Luck.

Chicago, Jan. 29.—Four persons have been killed beneath the wheels of electric cars, of which he was motorman, and two women having been maimed for life, L. A. Brodway is now taking a voluntary rest "to recover his nerve." In none of the accidents has Brodway been censured by the coroner.

W. [illegible] Says Good-Bye.

Washington, Jan. 29.—President Roosevelt will not follow the custom and ride back to the White House on March 4 next with his successor in office. After Taft takes the oath of office he will go direct from the capital to the Union Station and take a train for New York.

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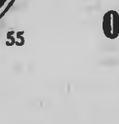

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Reeves of Various Townships of the County Prove Capital Hosts and Show Their Ability in a Social Affair as Well as Around the Council Board—Ex-Warden Thompson Chairman.

AN ENJOYABLE AFFAIR.

It may not have been probably known to all the citizens that the County Council has been in daily session in their chambers at the court house this week, but it is a fact that quietly and unostentatiously they have been transacting routine business and dealing with many important questions that concern the county and upon which its advancement and welfare depend. The reeves and deputy reeves of the various townships have been attending diligently to everything that comes under their supervision out last night they played a new role and in every respect they played it well.

In other words it was the occasion of the annual banquet of the County Council and as hosts, the councillors and those who were with them in providing the affair, proved themselves worthy representatives of their people socially around the festive board as they have manifested their ability in dealing with the knotty problems that are presented in the council chamber. The function was an entire success and the council is to be congratulated upon the splendid manner in which everything was carried out, and upon the fact that they received many compliments from their guests for the manner in which the arrangements had been prepared.

Some of Those Present.

There were present not only the members of the council but also not a few ex wardens and those who are connected officially with the council as the county clerk, architect, banker, solicitor, etc. There were also former members of the council and prominent city officials, including Mr T. E. Bradburn, M.P.P., Mayor Rush, Dr. Morrison president of the Board of Trade, Mr. R. R. Hall, Mr. L. M. Hayes, K.C., Chairman of the Board of Education, Mr. B. Morrow, Mr. John Moloney, School Inspectors Lees and Brown, Mr. F. Dobbin, Mr. Lancaster of the Havelock Standard and Mr. Keefer, of the Norwood Register, and many others all completing a very representative and sociable body who thoroughly enjoyed themselves. It was stated during the after dinner speeches that affairs of this kind would bring the city and county closer together, would create a better feeling and would bring better results from the county councillors themselves.

Mr. Denison, proprietor of the National Hotel provided a splendid dinner, its preparation and the pleasing manner in which it was served bringing forth many complimentary remarks and entire satisfaction. About one hundred sat down at the tables which were appropriately adorned for the occasion.

When the time arrived for the post prandial part of the evening, Mr. Jas Thompson, M.P.P. and ex-warden, who acted as chairman called attention to the toast list which was honoured as follows—

The Toast List.

The King—proposed by the chairman, James Thompson, Esq., M.P.P. and ex Warden

Parliament of Canada and Legislature of Ontario—proposed by R. R. Hall, Esq., responded to by the members for East and West Peterborough.

Our Municipal Institutions, Financial Institutions, Sister Municipality the City and its Boards—proposed by E. A. Peck, Esq., County Solicitor, responded to by Mayor Rush, D. Hughes Charles, Esq., banker, L. M. Hayes, Esq., chairman of the Board of Education; Dr. Morrison, chairman of the Board of Trade.

County of Peterborough and Officials—proposed by J. Hayden Burnham, Esq., and responded to by R. N. Scott, Esq., Warden 1909. A. Breault, Esq., chairman of Finance Committee; J. L. Squire, Esq. the County Auditor, J. E. Belcher, Esq. County Engineer; Ed. M. Elliott, Esq. County Clerk.

Ex Wardens—proposed by Sheriff Hall, and responded to by Messrs. J. E. Pearce, P. McNulty, W. H. Casement, R. Shaw.

The Press—proposed by R. Lees, Esq., and responded to by Mr. F. Dobbin, representative of the local Press, and Mr. Keefer of Norwood and Mr. Lancaster of Havelock.

The Ladies—proposed by Mr. Ed. M. Elliott and responded to by Mr. Hunter.

The Speeches.

The speeches made in connection with the different toasts brought out many different subjects which concerned the city and county and the feeling expressed was one of good will and mutual sympathy.

Mr R. R. Hall, ex-M. P. in proposing the toast of the Parliament of Canada and Legislature of Ontario stated that a great responsibility rested with both these bodies. But the country's interests were served too by County Councils they looking after the interests of the sections, which united, constituted the entire Dominion. One question in which the county could assist Parliament was that which was prominently before the people to-day, viz.,

MR. ROBT. SHAW,
Reeve of Harvey and an Ex-Warden of Peterborough County. He was one of the speakers at the Banquet last night.

MR. FRANK MOHER,
Reeve of Douro and a member of the County Council of Peterborough attending the opening session this week.

protection at level crossings. Costly examples had been recently given which proved the necessity of increased protection. It was idle Mr. Hall stated to say that the railway companies should bear the entire cost of such protection at any crossing, but something should be done at those which were considered most dangerous. The railways could not bear the cost and at the same time give the people the same low traffic and freight rates. It might therefore be considered by County councils how they could assist the Government in meeting the cost to provide protection which was deemed necessary.

Mr. Hall also referred to the Trent Canal which would soon begin to realize money for the farmers of this county, but it was necessary to be completed as soon as possible. He suggested that the council might impress upon the Government the necessity of bringing it to a rapid completion.

Mr. T. E. Bradburn, M.P.P.

Mr. Bradburn agreed with Mr. Hall in every respect and he would do anything in his power to advance a

MR. ARCH. BREAULT,
Reeve of Norwood, Member of County Council, and Chairman of the Finance Committee. One of the speakers at the Banquet

movement in that respect if the County Council should at any time take it up.

Mr. Jas. Thompson, M.P.P.

Mr. Thompson, in replying, brought out the qualities that were necessary in an ideal representative of the people. In Parliament his first duty was to the province. Ontario's vast wealth could scarcely be estimated. Particularly was this true of its mineral resources. Within a mile of Cobalt there were minerals estimated at one hundred million dollars. Thirteen mines had paid up to January last nine million dollars, and there were one hundred square miles of country of that nature. The policy Mr. Thompson believed in was not a conservative one, but rather along broader lines looking to the best development of the country.

Mr. E. A. Peck

Mr. Peck, in proposing the toast to our Municipal and Financial Institutions, Sister Municipalities and the City and its Boards, said that it was over 100 years ago since Legislature introduced at Niagara the Municipal Act, and since that time its clauses have been improved and bettered, and now there are over 700 clauses in it. Our educational system has grown side by side with the municipal system, and has obtained a splendid standing. Mr. Peck spoke well of Peterborough's fine school system. He also spoke of the work done by the Board of Trade, and then referred to the necessity of a strong banking system and mentioned Mr. D. Hughes-Charles' duties as a banker for the County.

Mayor Rush

Mayor Rush referred to the kindred relations of the County and City and mentioned a few of the ways by which the two interests could be fostered and combined. The Mayor was pleased to see the County progressing so favourably and felt that the farmers were enjoying splendid financial conditions. As a representative of the City the Mayor expressed pleasure at having been invited and hoped that the mutual relation between the two municipal bodies would always be of the best.

Mr. Hughes-Charles

Mr. Hughes-Charles expressed his pleasure at being present, and congratulated the County Council on the success of their annual banquet, and the interest that had been manifested in it by such a representative body of men. It was marvellous, he stated, that a country with only six million of a population should be as wealthy as Canada has been shown to be. Dealing with insurance companies he quoted figures showing their strength as also in the case of Loan Companies. The banks have a reserve fund of 15 millions, with foreign deposits of 60 million dollars. The great importance of our banks, Mr. Hughes-Charles pointed out by a local illustration, showing how they carry out their legitimate purpose of assisting business. A company sent out its goods and obtains their money for them by means of a draft on a bank, even though it is paid from New Zealand.

Mr. Hughes-Charles gave a brief and comprehensive review of the best banking methods, and pointed out the wrong ways by which banks come to grief.

Mr. L. M. Hayes, K.C.

Mr. Hayes congratulated Warden Scott on his appointment, and also the members of the Council on their elections. On behalf of the Board of Education he expressed his thanks for the invitation to attend the annual function of the County Council. Continuing, he spoke of the work of the Board, and in connection with the splendid Collegiate Institute, referred to the good work of the architect Mr. J. E. Belcher, and the chairman of the building committee, Dr. Morrison. Mr. Hayes reviewed the progressive policy the Board had pursued in its Public School system, which, he said, was modern in every department. He assured the members of the County Council that if they brought the question of Collegiate Institute fees to the Board of Education, they would receive a fair hearing.

Dr. Morrison

Dr. Morrison, in his reply, explained the nature and duties of the Board of Trade. He said it was representative citizens, whose aim it was to further the interests of the city, and also the county and province. It had done good work in the past, helping to bring industries here, and advancing the city's welfare. The county and city were intertwined in their progress the one keeping pace with the other. Dr. Morrison emphasized the improved conditions found in the country. Farms are worth up to $90.00 an acre and have rapidly advanced to that price. The central position of the county in relation to the big markets had brought wealth indirectly to the farmers. The speaker supported his statement that an advancement for the city entailed better conditions for the county. Dr. Morrison also looked ahead to what might be expected when electric railways opened up the country, and the share of the new wealth that this would bring the farmers.

Mr. J. H. Burnham

Mr. J. H. Burnham remarked that everything came out of the ground and that banking institutions would not exist without the farmers and the money their products bring. He considered that the county was in good hands, but the Councils of the past should not be forgotten. They were the men who laid the foundation stones of the country and Peterborough could look back with pride to its pioneers. The first warden was the father of Mr. J. B. Pearce, who held the position in 1862. The toast of the County Officials, as proposed by Mr. Burnham, was heartily received.

The Warden

Warden Scott stated that he considered the present system of county council representation was the best. The present council was endeavouring to give the county the best roads, bridges, schools, etc., that could possibly be built. Their aim was to provide the best and they would always try to live up to it. The council is very anxious to have better conditions at the markets and more consideration shown the farmers by civic officials. Another improvement they were seeking for was a more satisfactory method of county children paying fees for attendance at the Collegiate Institute.

In his reply Mr. Breault referred to the splendid work done by the clerk, Mr. Ed. M. Elliott, who he considered was "the proper man in the proper place." All the county officials, he stated, were rendering good service.

Mr. J. L. Squire

Mr. Squire, County Auditor, stated that he felt it an honour to be connected with such a splendid body as the County Council. He assured them that there was no graft in auditing the county's books. The provision of a House of Refuge was one of the things which Mr. Squire congratulated the Council upon. He expressed his thanks at having been invited to be present.

Mr. John E. Belcher

"I am rather a man of work than of words," Mr. John E. Belcher began his reply with. He was grateful for the kind recognition that had been made of his efforts, and was pleased to be connected with the County Council. He mentioned Mr. J. B. Pearce's father, whom, he said, had been one of his contemporaries and one he had found to be the worthy son of a worthy father. Mr.

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her stated that he had preserved his strength and vigour since the time of his arrival in Peterborough when he condemned an iron bridge over the Otonabee, which fell three years later. He was proud that he had always enjoyed the confidence of the County Council.

Mr. Ed. Elliott stated that he had never felt more pleased than when he was surrounded by a group of county councillors. He had been interested in and connected with municipal work ever since he was fifteen years old. Mr. Elliott referred to the seizing of light weight butter and potatoes and showed how farmers could easily be wrongly or unfairly dealt with. The county of Peterborough, he stated, stands at the head of the list of those in the province from a financial standpoint. He hoped that good results would accrue from an annual affair of this kind.

The Ex-Wardens

Sheriff Hall made an appropriate speech in proposing this toast.

In reply, Mr. J. B. Pearce replied that words failed him in expressing his appreciation of the invitation to attend the county banquet. He was proud of the fact that his father, two of his brothers and himself had seen long years of activity on the County Council Board. He hoped that those who would fill the warden's chair in the future would strive for greater work than in the past.

Mr. W. H. Casement, Mr. R. Shaw and Mr. P. McNulty also made appropriate replies, thanking their hosts and referring to the Council's continued careful guidance of the prosperity of the county.

The Press

Mr. R. Lees proposed the toast to the Press which was responded to by Mr. Keefer of Norwood, Mr. Lancaster of Havelock, and the representatives of the local press.

The last toast was to the ladies, proposed in a neat speech by Mr. Ed. M. Elliott, and responded to by Mr. T. Hunter and Mr. Russell.

The evening was closed by the singing of the National Anthem and Auld Lang Syne.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE, Saturday Jan. 30, Matinee and Night
W. H. COLBORNE, Amusement Company, Presents
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Illusionists introducing more exclusive and sensational features than ever befor presented in a single performance of magic.
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NEWS OF
Hall's Saturday Bargains

Your Attention, Please, while we point out a few facts good for you to know. Here are gathered "specials" from all over the store: Odd lots, perhaps, or broken sizes, but all merchandise that is fresh, clean, new and worthy. We separate these leftovers weekly, and mark them at greatly reduced prices that we may keep all stocks full and complete; but the opportunity for money saving on your part is all the greater for this policy. These items and prices are convincing evidence of that:—

HEAVY AXMINSTER CARPET
In lengths of from 21 to 48 yards to a pattern, all good, up-to-date colourings. Regular price up to $2.00 per yard.
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NOTTINGHAM LACE CURTAINS
In a good range of splendid patterns, fine and lacey looking, 42 to 60 inches wide, 3½ yards long.
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SCOTCH TWEED
375 yards Scoth Tweed in Mixtures and Plaid effects; for a good wearing and dressy suit or skirt. 42 inches wide, pure wool sold up to 85c.
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BLACK PEAU-DE-SOIE SILK
45 yards Black Peau-de-Soie Silk, a good wearing and rich finished fabric, suitable for a dressy waist, dress or coat. Sold at 75c.
HALL'S SATURDAY BARGAIN....per yard **53c**

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A splendid assortment of patterns in Light and Medium Dark grounds, suitable for dressing sacques, kimonas, wrappers, children's dresses and waists.
HALL'S SATURDAY BARGAIN..per yard **12½c**

GLOVES
Ladies' and Misses' fine wool Ringwood Gloves, colours Red, Navy, Brown, Grey, Black and White, extra good quality.
HALL'S SATURDAY BARGAIN.....pair **19c**

ENGLISH MULL
200 yards only, fine quality English Mull, suitable for ladies' fine underwear and children's dresses.
HALL'S SATURDAY BARGAIN....per yard **14c**

WRAPPERS AND HOUSE DRESSES
2 dozen only, made of good Percale and Sateen, nicely trimmed with fancy braid and deep flounce finishing the bottom.
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SKIRTS
Made of good quality French Panama, has box pleat down centre front, and deep pleats at side, gores trimmed with two stitched bands of self, black and navy.
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CORSET COVERS
Ladies' fine white knitted Corset Covers, good length, cotton, fleeced lined and nicely finished.
HALL'S SATURDAY BARGAIN.....each **25c**

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Ladies' and Boys' fine Wool Sweaters, plain and honeycomb stitch, colors Red, White and Navy, also children's sizes in colors Grey, Red and Navy. Regular price $1.50 each.
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Children's heavy ribbed Over Hose, all wool, heelless and gaiter style with strap, all sizes, worth up to 75c per pair.
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Second Annual February

MARK DOWN SALE

Commences Saturday, January 30th

Have you ever heard merchants say that February is the quietest month in the year? That has been the general experience of the Canadian merchants– it's ours or was ours until last year, when we inaugurated a campaign to bring this short month up to the standard and ahead if possible. The first sale was such a decided success that we have decided to make it an annual event. This Saturday commences the sale with the greatest values that we have ever given in Staples and Linens. Each department has five days during which a down-pour of Marked Down Prices will be the great drawing feature. Don't forget! It's Staples and Linens first. Note the following.

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UNBLEACHED TABLE LINEN — **20c**
500 yds. of 56 in. Unbleached Table Linen, a quality that for ordinary use cannot be beaten. Regular 25c line. Mark Down Price **20** cents.

HEAVY DAMASK TABLE NAPKINS — **59c**
30 doz 20x20 inch Table Napkins in heavy damask, conventional designs, hemmed ready for use. Reg. 90c doz. Sale Price **59o.**

FRINGED LINEN TOWELS — **29c**
29 doz. high-class grass bleached Linen Towels with fringed ends, size, 22x24 ins. Reg.50c each. Mark Down Price, each **29o.**

"OLD BLEACH" LINEN TOWELS — **20c**
35 doz. "Old Bleach" Irish Linen Towels, deep hemstitched hem, pure bleached, extra value at 25c. Mark Down Price, each **20** cents.

Mark Down Values in Table Cloths
A MANUFACTURER'S OVER MAKE

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Here is a chance for the thrifty housewife to secure cottons and all Staple Goods for her spring sewing at prices yet to be equalled here or elsewhere.

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An all wool Flannel, 27 ins. wide, cream with black, red with black, dark green with white and red with white. Reg. 50 cent value. Mark Down Price **36o.**

LONGCLOTH PILLOW CASES — **11½c**
Four sizes, 40, 42, 44 and 46 inches of Pillow Cases, made of good English Longcloth, well made and finished with 2 inch hem. Reg. 15c, at **11½o.**

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All lengths, all prices and all kinds of goods, including Table Linens, Towellings, Flannels, Flannelettes, Wrapperettes, Prints, Ginghams, Tickings, Cretonnes Art Sateens, Cottons, Nainsooks, Sheetings, etc.

STRIPED FLANNELETTE — **8½c**
A full yard wide Flannelette, in splendid stripes and guaranteed fast colours, also warranted easy to wash. This heavy fleecy fabric is good value at 12½c. Sale Price **8½o.**

Hemstitched Pillow Cases — **21c**
These cases are made of the best English Longcloth, in sizes 40, 42, 44, 46 and 48. Well made and finished with 3 inch hem and spoke stitch. Regular 35c. Mark Down Price **21o.**

Slightly Soiled White Cottons — **7c**
200 yds of extra heavy White Cotton, which was slightly soiled from handling during the White Goods Sale. 32 inch fabric and free from sizing. Regularly sold at 9c. Mark Down Price **7o.**

SCOURED FACTORY YARN — **39c**
25 lbs of 2 and 3 ply Factory Yarn, in black and white, thoroughly scoured and free from all impurities. Regular 50c quality. Mark Down Price **39o.**

ALL WOOL GREY FLANNEL — **19c**
A 27 inch cloth in light or dark shades, both twilled and plain weaves, splendid all wool quality, regular 28c. Mark Down Price **19o.**

KINGCOTT WHITE SAXONY SHAKER — **8½c**
32 in. Shaker in pure white, a material especially used for women's and children's wear. Regular 12½c value, Mark Down Price 8½ cents.

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Encouraging Reports Presented At The Annual Meeting Of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church

A large and most enthusiastic congregational meeting met last night in the Sunday School hall. The Rev. J. G. Potter, pastor, presided and conducted devotional exercises.

After the reading of the minutes of the last annual meeting by the Secretary, Mr. John McClelland, the Session's report was presented by Mr. John Mathieson.

The report referred to the fact that during the year so many young people had united in fellowship with the church and stated that it was ground for thankfulness and encouragement.

The Session exhorted the congregation to continued fidelity to the work entrusted to them, and urged a greater interest in the weekly prayer meeting and Sabbath services.

Expressions of sorrow with the bereaved were made and an appeal to a greater zest in our ways of life, for the extension of the Kingdom of Christ.

There were added to the church during the year. Thirty by certificate and thirty by profession of faith. There were twenty baptisms.

The treasurer's statement showed collection $23.52, expenditure $15.50, leaving a balance of $8.02.

Ladies' Aid Society

This report was presented by Mr. Cornish and showed a splendid year. The receipts for the year were $314.37 with expenditures $216.25, with a balance of $98.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society was reported by Mrs. Potter.

Interesting work has been accomplished by the Missionary Society. Regular meetings were held and interesting papers and addresses given.

$159.11 was raised, of which $152 was forwarded to the W. F. M. S. treasury.

The Young Ladies' Mission Band report was presented by Miss L. Shearer, and referred to the interesting character of their meetings.

Forty dollars had been contributed for missionary work.

The Willing Workers' Mission Band was reported by the secretary, Miss Blanche Hart.

They have been very busy in their meetings in studying different missionary topics, and also in their sewing circle, and had contributed $16 to the missionary work.

Mr. F. E. Kerr presented the Sabbath School report, which had enjoyed a prosperous year in attendance and finances.

The enrolled membership is 300, in all departments the work was most encouraging, and there is an excellent prospect for a greater year's work.

The school's finances showed, receipts $202, with expenditure of $155, leaving balance of $47. To missions $75.91 had been given.

The Adult Bible classes, showed signs of continuous and rapid growth.

Mr. Cornish's class of young men reported a membership of thirty-five with receipt of $30, and balance of $11.35.

Mr. F. E. Kerr's class of young ladies has increased with similar steady growth.

The Young People's Society reported regular and helpful meetings. While existing primarily for Bible study and social improvement they had contributed some $20.

Mr. F. E. Kerr presented a very interesting and encouraging report of the choir. It referred in very eulogistic terms to the good work done by Mr. F. C. Freeland, and also to the helpful services of Mrs. Davidson, Mrs. McGregor, Miss Manning, Mrs. McClelland and Mr. G. Wright. The choir had spent $106 on vestments.

The Daughters of Erin's report was presented by Mr. W. S. Campbell for the secretary.

Excellent work had been accomplished during the past year. Fifty dollars were given for the support of a pupil in the Pointe-aux-Trembles School, while $35.00 were contributed to the furnishing of a room in the new building.

The Board of Managers reported the total receipts for the year were $3,173.85.

Financial Summary

Board of Managers	$3,173 85
Mission fund	725 71
Sunday School	281 91
Adult Bible Classes	55 00
Ladies' Aid Society	314 37
Women's Foreign Missionary Society	159 11
Young Ladies' Mission Band	40 00
Daughters of Erin	100 00
Choir Association	123 00
Y. P. S. C. E.	30 00
Pointe-aux-Trembles Building fund	38 00
Willing Workers	16 00
Sailors' Mission	26 10
Session fund	20 52
	$5,103 57

Messrs. Andrew McFarlane and Cornish were elected to the Board of Managers.

Mr. John McClelland was re-elected to the Nicholls Hospital Board, and Mr. William Fowler to the Charity Board.

Messrs. E. B. Fowler and John C. Anderson were elected auditors.

PROPERTY COMMITTEE HAVE IN VIEW SEVERAL IMPROVEMENTS

Will Illuminate the Town Clock and Paint the Council Chamber This Year.

$900 THEIR DEMAND.

The Property Committee of the City Council at a meeting held on Thursday went into the question of the appropriation that they will need this year to carry on their department of the city's business. It was decided to endeavour to get along on the same appropriation as last year and among other things on the programme for the season the committee will illuminate the clock in the market building and paint the interior of the council chamber and the Dan Spence Ambulance.

The committee met yesterday afternoon at five o'clock, with Ald. Bradburn in the chair, Alderman McIntyre and Duncan, and Mayor Rush were also present.

The Wm. Hamilton Mfg. Co., made application to the council for the deed of that portion of Murray st., which they erected their buildings upon, but never have been given a deed.

There was a by-law passed 25 years ago giving the company permission to erect their buildings on condition that they graded the remainder of the street. In return they were to be given a deed of the street.

The committee, however, were not particularly anxious to hand over a deed as the city may want to use the street sometime in case the Wm. Hamilton Company move or are burned out.

The matter was referred to the city solicitor. Mr. Hall stated that if the company had done the work the city would have to give the deed.

It was moved by Alderman Duncan and McIntyre that a by-law be prepared authorizing the execution of a deed to the Wm. Hamilton Mfg. Co., Limited.—Carried.

A letter was received from Mr. E. B. Edwards, proprietor of the Crystal stated that he desired to move into a much larger building to accommodate the public, and he would like to rent the building formerly occupied by R. Hall & Son.

Ald. Bradburn stated that the committee should decide upon a price for the building and whether they intended to sell at once or not. The committee wanted to sell out as they intended to build the new public library this year.

The committee decided that the city should sell the building, but not to give a lease for it. In the meantime the chairman stated that he would see Mr. Edwards.

The Property Committee has received a letter from Hoboken, stating that the $25,000 from Andrew Carnegie for the city of Peterborough's new public library, was on deposit in their trust.

Ald. Bradburn stated that he had prepared the estimates for this year and made it $860. This was less than last year by $100, but it did not allow anything for repainting the interior of the council chambers. The chambers were at present in a disgraceful condition and should be fixed up. It is ten years since the chamber was cleaned and fixed up.

Ald. McIntyre introduced the matter of lighting up the town clock. It could be done very cheaply, he said. The wiring would not be more than $50, and one 30-candle power lamp on each dial would be sufficient. The chairman was authorized to look into the matter before the next meeting.

The Committee will endeavour to secure an ext a $100 to fix up the council chamber, light the town clock and paint the ambulance.

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35o DRAWERS 25o
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ELECTED THEIR OFFICERS FOR YEAR

Annual Meeting of the Missionary Society of Knox Church Was Held on Thursday.

The annual meeting of the Home and Foreign Missionary Society of Knox Presbyterian church was held on Thursday afternoon, when representatives of other societies in the city were present and extended greetings. The afternoon was a most enjoyable one and the large attendance showed an encouraging growth in the interest being taken in Mission work. Mrs. Rogers of St. Paul's church gave a most instructive address upon missionary work in India.

The following officers were elected:
President—Mrs. McPherson.
First Vice Pres.—Mrs. H. J. Keith
Sec. Vice Pres.—Mrs. M. Kenzie
Secretary—Miss Wilson
Sec. Home Missions—Miss Shorter.
Sec. For. Missions—Mrs. Sherwood
Press Cor.—Miss Dunlop.
Pioneer—Miss Penner.
Treasurer—Mrs. Mervin
Executive Com—Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Armstrong, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Allin.

During the afternoon Miss Hunter rendered a solo that was much enjoyed.

At the conclusion of the meeting the ladies of Knox church served tea and a very pleasant social hour was spent.

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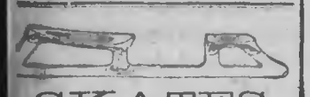
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EUROPE VERY UNEASY JUST NOW

Balkan Troubles Are Again Coming to the Front.

THAT BULGARIAN FRONTIER

Turkey's Struggles to Get Rectification of Boundary Line Has Caused Bulgaria to Order Out Her Reserves and the Powers Are Lending Every Effort to Keep the Peace of European Nations.

London, Jan. 29.—The Balkan situation is again causing some anxiety at the European capitals.

Bulgaria's action in calling out her reserves is apparently explained by Turkey's attempts to secure rectification of the existing frontier as a condition for reducing her monetary demands from Bulgaria. Noting the danger of trouble between Turkey and Bulgaria, the powers are again resorting to negotiations to bring about joint pressure in favor of a peaceful settlement.

It is reported that Sir Edward Grey, the British Foreign Secretary, has sounded the powers on this subject, and a St. Petersburg despatch announces semi-officially that Russia has already addressed a circular despatch to all the signatories of the Berlin treaty. In this circular Russia proposed to make common representations to both Sofia and Constantinople against any change being made in the frontier line which would endanger European peace and enjoining both Governments to refrain from a military movement.

According to a Sofia despatch, Great Britain has advised Turkey to accept an indemnity of $20,000,000 and Bulgaria is inclined to pay this sum, provided Turkey abandons her claim for rectification of the frontier.

Negotiations between Austria-Hungary and Turkey are still dragging, owing to the fact that the Turkish Government has not yet succeeded in putting an end to the Austrian boycott.

What Milner Accomplished.

London, Jan. 29.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—"Unionist," writing in The Mail, prognosticating the Secretaryship of the Colonies for Milner in the next Unionist Cabinet, declares that Milner's speeches in Canada and the public education which he revived in the imperial cause at a critical moment, upon the very eve of a tariff revision at Washington, saved the immediate situation. "Unionist" declared Milner now has a special support in Canada which holds the casting vote in the whole imperial problem.

Attempted Poultry Fraud.

Kingston, Jan. 29.—Quite a sensation has been caused locally among the poultry fanciers by the discovery of an attempted fraud by two of the exhibitors at the local show. Prof. Robertson of Ottawa found that Messrs. Dougherty and Guay had painted their birds' legs and used caustic on their combs. The birds were disqualified.

Lineman Is Killed.

Toronto, Jan. 29.—Harry R. Smith, thought to be from Williamstown, and who came here to join a gang of linemen who are to start out for the Bell Telephone Co., received such severe injuries last evening while attempting to board a moving car at King and Yonge street that he died shortly afterwards.

Rabbi In Jail Starving

Montreal, Jan. 29.—Rabbi Solomon Lombon, now serving a 15 days' sentence for killing chickens by a method considered cruel, but which he contends is according to the articles of the Jewish faith, refused to eat anything since "kosher" meat is not served prisoners.

May Not Be Brought Back.

Chatham, Jan. 29.—Crown Attorney H. D. Smith gave out the information yesterday that he had as yet received no information whether or not Eddie Quinn, who was captured in Cleveland, will be extradited. Quinn is wanted for robbery from a Sovereign Bank clerk.

Men and Teams In Water.

New York, Jan. 29.—Five men and two teams and trucks were thrown overboard from a ferryboat as she smashed into the side of her dock yesterday. The men were rescued.

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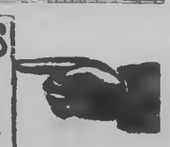
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SHIPYARDS FOR SOO.

Drydock Company Is Carrying on Negotiations With City.

Sault Ste. Marie, Jan. 29.—According to the terms of an agreement practically arrived at between the city and John O'Boyle, representating a company of capitalists, arrangements are made for the construction of a drydock and shipbuilding yards in the Soo, work to commence with the opening of spring. The company asks the city for exemption of taxes and a cash bonus annually for 20 years, and in return promises to contruct a shipbuilding plant and drydock 620 feet long, the initial expense to be $500,000, the plant to be 50 per cent. better than the one at Collingwood, which employed 300 men in 1908.

"I have the men with the money and will commence operations on building of dock as soon as weather permits, providing the city sticks by me," said Mr. O'Boyle. "We will also commence building vessels for an independent line as soon as we can. It is the intention of those interested to commence the construction of lake vessels as soon as the yards are in shape."

A favorable report on local conditions was read from Hugh Calderwood, an expert of Toronto, who recommended that the property of J. A. Wilde, near the boat club in the west end, be purchased. A committee consisting of members of the Board of Trade and Council was appointed to make a report at a public meeting.

BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

The opening of the Quebec Legislature has been fixed for March 2.

The Pekin correspondent of The London Times says the infant Chinese Emperor is suffering from confluent smallpox.

The announcement is made at Paris that Daniel Burt, ex-M.P.P. for North Brant, will be appointed collector of customs, to succeed Dr. Sinclair.

Four years' negotiations are about ended for an American steeplejack to repair the celebrated St. Paul's Cathedral steeple at London, England.

Geo. Smith of Calgary, fourth year student at the University of Toronto, has been selected Rhodes' scholarship man for Alberta and Saskatchewan.

A Tacoma, Wash., special despatch says Alaska is excited over the discovery in the Tanana Valley of an immense ledge of quartz bearing gold. It has been located for twenty miles.

The Town of Welland has paid to the Methodist Church the sum of $13,000, in accordance with the judgment of the court in the suit against the town for the burning of the church as the result of the ignition of natural gas by a steam roller.

Drama as Lesson to Britain.

London, Jan. 29.—A scene of rare enthusiasm was produced at Wyndham's Theatre Wednesday night by the new play, "An Englishman's Home."

The play is by an anonymous author, who is known to be an officer of the British army. It is a sterling melo-drama, and evidently was designed to force Englishmen to realize their country's unpreparedness for invasion and the necessity for recourse to conscription. In thinly veiled fashion it depicts a German invasion of England and shows the English volunteers in a ludicrous light.

Suicides at Sea.

New York, Jan. 29.—James T. Scheuer, 27 years old, of this city, plunged from the deck of the Old Dominion liner Princess Anne, en route to Norfolk, Va., Tuesday night, and was lost. He was on his way with a secretary to Virginia Beach for his health.

Autos Burned.

Montreal, Jan. 29.—Seventy-five thousand dollars is the estimated damage from fire at the Comet Motor Co.'s garage on Juror street, early yesterday morning. Thirty motor-cars, ranging from the most expensive to the cheapest, have been practically destroyed.

Editor Goes to Asylum.

Kingston, N.Y., Jan. 29.—Stephen H. Abbey, whose weekly paper, The Ulster Square Dealer, citizens of Kingston tried to suppress about a year ago on account of its statements and charges, was taken to the state insane asylum at Middletown yesterday.

Attempt Successful.

London, Ont., Jan. 29.—S. B. Fawcett who attempted suicide on Sunday afternoon, by cutting his throat, died at six o'clock last night, septic pneumonia having set in. C. E. Henderson of West Toronto, his nephew, has been communicated with.

Triangle Travels To-Night.

Toronto, Jan. 29.—One hundred members of St. Patrick's Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, will leave for Buffalo by special train this evening. They will occupy the traveling triangle on the first "jump" of its long journey around the world.

Dr. Davidson's Mishap.

The Archbishop of Canterbury met with an accident at the house of the Bishop of Kensington a few days ago. He was descending a flight of steps while leaving for Lambeth Palace, and apparently thought that he had reached the bottom step when there was still another. He made a false step, and fell, receiving a severe wrench to the left leg. It has not yet been discovered whether the tendon has been broken or only strained.

CUBA LIBRE!

Island Is Set Free Now to Shift For Herself.

Havana, Jan. 29.—Jose Miguel Gomez was inaugurated president of the Cuban Republic at a few minutes past noon yesterday amid the firing of salutes from the forts on shore and from the warships assembled in the harbor.

Precisely at noon President Gomez stepped out upon the balcony overlooking the Plaza de Armas and took the oath faithfully to enforce the laws of the republic and defend the constitution. The oath was administered by the chief justice of the Supreme Court.

The new president received from the hands of Mr. Magoon the final decree turning over all the affairs of the island, together with an order from Washington terminating Mr. Magoon's commission as provincial governor.

The coming of the new day of Cuban liberty was signalled by a general display of fireworks. The streets of the city, which were brilliantly illuminated and garlanded with chains of incandescent bulbs, were thronged with people until an early hour. Thousands of people gathered around the club throughout the night, where inaugural and farewell balls were held.

Gomez is 53 years old. He participated in two revolutions against Spain and attained the rank of major-general.

EX-WARDEN HAS SECRET.

New Westminster Man Threatens to Tell About Bill Miner.

New Westminster, B.C., Jan. 29.—Piqued because a recent despatch from Ottawa intimates that discipline in the British Columbia Penitentiary was not perfect during his tenure of office, D. D. Bourke, ex-deputy warden, and for months virtually warden, has written to the press, intimating that unless justice is done him he will "open up a new field for moral reformers by telling the world the truth about the escape of Bill Miner and three convict companions," who levanted from the institution in August, 1907. Mr. Bourke states that the disclosures he may make public would be sensational and far-reaching.

MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Close Higher, Chicago Lower—Live Stock —Latest Quotations.

Thursday Evening, Jan. 28.

Liverpool wheat futures closed ½d higher than yesterday, and corn closed ½d higher.

Chicago May wheat closed ½c lower than yesterday; May corn closed ½c lower, and oats ½c lower.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—January, $1.00¼ bid, July $1.03½ bid, May $1.02¼ bid.
Oats—January 37⅞c bid, May 41⅜c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	$0 98 to	$0 99
Wheat, red, bush	0 95	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 91	....
Rye, bush	0 80	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 55	....
Peas, bushel	0 88	....
Barley, bushel	0 57	0 60
Oats, bushel	0 45	0 46

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 26
Butter, store lots	0 22	0 23
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb rolls	0 27	0 28
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 32	0 33
Eggs, cold storage	0 25	0 27
Cheese, large, lb	0 13½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 28.—Close—Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 11½d; futures, steady; March, 7s 8⅝d; May, 7s 7½d; July, 7s 7d. Corn, spot, steady; American mixed new, via Galveston, 5s 6d; futures, steady; March, 5s 4⅝d; May, 5s 4½d. Shoulders, square, strong, 29s 6d.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—Butter—Fancy grade steady, other grades, dull and weak; prices, unchanged; receipts, 4618.

Cheese—Firm, unchanged; receipts, 1498.

Eggs—Firmer; receipts, 6323; state, Pennsylvania and nearby fancy selected white, 34c; do., fair to choice, 31c to 33c; brown and mixed fancy, 31c to 32c; do., fair to choice, 29½c to 30c; western first, 29½c to 30c; seconds, 28½c to 29c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Unchanged—Hogs Lower at Buffalo and Chicago.

LONDON, Jan. 28.—London cables for cattle are steady at 13c to 13¾c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10½c to 11¼c per lb.

Toronto Live Stock.

TORONTO, Jan 28.—Receipts of live stock at the City Market, as reported by the railways for Wednesday and Thursday were 123 carloads, consisting of 1416 cattle, 2419 hogs, 580 sheep and lambs, 90 calves and 1 horse.

Exporters.

There was a good demand for export steers of the right kind, but the trouble was that raw numbed cattle were offered. The best lead offered for the last two days sold at $5.65. These cattle were fed by Farmer A. McLean of Port Elgin, weighed 1300 lbs. each, and were sold by Maybee & Wilson. Prices for export steers ranged all the way from $5.20 to $5.65; export bulls, $4 to $4.75, with one or two extra quality at $5 per cwt.

Butchers.

Prime picked heifers and steers, 1050 to 1200 lbs. each, equal in quality to the best exporters, sold at $4.85 to $5.15, but there were few of this class on the market, probably not more than 20 or 30 all told, out of 1200 cattle on sale. Loads of good $4.50 to $4.75; medium, $4 to $4.40; common, $3.65 to $3.80. The bulk of the cattle went in the medium class; stockers and common cows, $1.50 to $2.65.

Feeders and Stockers.

H. & W. Murby report a fair sprinkling of feeders and stockers all week, about equal to the demand. Mhe Messrs. Murby bought about 750 during the week at the following quotations: Best feeders, 900 to 1000 lbs. each, at $3.90 to $4.25; best stockers, 700 to 900 lbs. each, at $3.40 to $3.90; medium stockers, 600 to 650 lbs. each, at $3 to $3.50. There is some enquiry for short-keeps, but the demand for exporters has put this class out of reach of the ordinary buyers.

Milkers and Springers.

There has been a good demand for the best milkers and springers, caused largely by two Montreal and Quebec dealers, Messrs. Napoleon Deziel and Arthur Tardiff, being on the market. Prices ranged from $30 to $65, but only one brought the latter figure, the bulk selling between $45 and $55.

Veal Calves.

About 100 veal calves sold from $3 to $6.50 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs.

The receipts were light. Sheep sold at about steady prices, while lambs were a trifle firmer. Ewes sold $3.75 to $4.25; rams, $3.25 to $3.50, lambs, $5.75 to $6.25 per cwt.

Hogs.

Receipts were not large, with market strong all week. Hogs are higher in Toronto than at Chicago. Mr. Harris quotes the market steady at $6.85 for selects, fed and watered, and $6.40 at country points, f.o.b., cars. Some of the dealers report having to pay $6.50 to drovers, f.o.b., cars, at country points. H. P. Kennedy, commission salesman, stated that he had to pay $6.50 to drovers, and in one or two instances $6.60, f.o.b., cars, and $6.75 for selects, fed and watered, at the market, and then could not get what he wanted.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Jan. 28.—Cattle—Firm; prime steers, $6 to $6.60.

Veals—Receipts, 150 head; active and steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 3400 head; slow and 5c to 10c lower; heavy, $6.60 to $6.70; mixed, $6.50 to $6.65; yorkers, $6 to $6.50; pigs, $5.60 to $5.70; roughs, $5.30 to $5.65; dairies, $5 to $6.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 13,000 head; slow; sheep, steady; lambs and yearlings, 25c lower; lambs, $5 to $7.50; yearlings, $6.25 to $6.50.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Jan. 28.—Beeves—Receipts, 1302; no trading; feeling steady.

Calves—Receipts, 157 head; feeling steady; veals, $7 to $10 per cwt. No barnyard calves or westerners.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 4645. Market slow but steady. Sheep, $3 to $4.50; lambs, $6 to $7.60; culls, $4.25 to $4.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 1512; feeling weak to 10c lower; prime heavy state hogs sold at $6.70 per cwt.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, Jan. 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 7000; market steady; steers, $4 60 to $7.15; cows, $3 to $5.50; heifers, $3 to $5.75; bulls, $3.40 to $3.90; calves, $3.50 to $8; stockers and feeders, $2.50 to $5.40.

Hogs—Receipts, 30,000; market, 5c to 10c lower; choice heavy shipping, $6.35 to $6.40; butchers', $6.30 to $6.35; light mixed, $5.85 to $6; choice light, $6 to $6.05; packing, $6.10 to $6.25; pigs, $4.75 to $5.60; bulk of sales, $6 to $6.20.

Sheep—Receipts, 15,000; market, 15c to 25c lower; sheep, $4.25 to $5.75; lambs, $5.25 to $8.35; yearlings, $5 to $7.

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PIMPLES. Mrs. W. J. Craddon, St. Mary's, Ont., writes:—"I was troubled with pimples on my face for a couple of years and tried a good deal of patent medicine, but they were not of much use. Finally I used four bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters and am now entirely cured."
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Chinese Trick Failed.

Ottawa, Jan. 29.—The Trade and Commerce Department will deport two Chinese laborers who sought free entry to Canada at Montreal on the ground that they were merchants. They had each been loaned $500 to carry on the deception.

MEXICAN LOTTERIES.

They Pull $10,000 a Day From the People of the Capital City.

Nearly $100,000 is spent in the City of Mexico every week in lottery tickets, and in the same period about $70,000 is paid back in premiums.

On the weeks immediately preceding the big drawings the sale, of course, mounts up to great sums—as, for instance, when the $200,000 drawings are held there are 20,000 tickets at $40 each sold on the streets, and practically every ticket is disposed of, most of them during the last two weeks before the drawing. But as a general proposition an average of $10,000 a day is spent by the City of Mexico people on the lotteries.

There are, as is well known, three companies operating under concessions from the government for the conduct of lotteries in the City of Mexico.

Many picturesque figures are included in the list of lottery venders in Mexico, for all must be licensed. Blind men and women, dogs, old men, cripples and deformed persons, all seem attracted to the business of selling lottery tickets, for there is an inexplicable fascination about buying a ticket from a misshapen person, for there surely must be luck in it, and this feeling is played upon by the venders.

There have been from time to time rumors of changes coming in the lottery business of Mexico, that this industry is going the way of the gambling houses, now entirely driven out of practically all cities of the republic, and one hears that the great new prizes are but the forerunners of the lotteries' last days and their efforts to gather in what they may while they can. How much truth there is in this one cannot say, but it is reasonable to suppose that the lotteries will ultimately be suppressed.—Mexican Herald.

Numbering the Presidents.

Will William H. Taft be the twenty-sixth or twenty-seventh president of the United States? is a question interesting some minds, as it has every time a new president has been elected since the administration of Benjamin Harrison. Cleveland at his first election was the twenty-second president. All are agreed as to this. Was he the twenty-fourth president on his second election after an interval of one term? If so, then Mr. Taft will be the twenty-seventh president; if not, then he will be the twenty-sixth. But if George Washington was the first president, even through his second term, why should Mr. Cleveland be the twenty-fourth president in his second term when he was the twenty-second president in his first term? Let the idle ones pass on to some other equally harmless post-election subject. Mr. Taft will be the twenty-sixth president.—Springfield Republican.

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COBOURG HERE ON TUESDAY NEXT

The fog which have hung over the local hockey season for the past few days has lifted at last, and the officers of the local club can at last see daylight ahead of them. There will be no games this week but next Tuesday Cobourg will be here and it is expected that Lindsay will be on hand on the Friday after, just ten days after they were scheduled to play here. Lindsay refused to come to Peterborough until the locals had met Cobourg, and as the latter could not come until next week, Tuesday was decided on by the two teams after a consultation over the long distance phone this morning. Cobourg have a strong team which has rounded into shape now, and they will give Peterborough a hard argument here, so that the game should be one of best that has been seen at the Brock Street Rink this year. Crossen, the old St. Andrew's player, is at cover, and they have Patton, Turpin, Bentley, Moffatt, Payne, Burger and other good men to pick from.

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The Examiner's Sporting Page

RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

CITY LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIP LIES BETWEEN STRATHS AND LAKEFIELD BOTH TEAMS WON LAST NIGHT

High Commissioners Swamped the West Ends With 12-1 Score, While T. A. S. Gave Lakefield a Hard Argument, Losing 4-2.

GAMES WERE INTERESTING.

It's the Strathconas or Lakefield for the City League Championship, and, next week's game between the two will decide whether the Strathcona team will win the Stratton Trophy for the third year in succession, or whether the Lakefield bunch will gather in the silverware after years of trying. Last night, what might be called the semi-final games, were played, the Lakefield seven trimming the T A S after a hard fought battle, by 4-2, and the High Commissioners swamping the West Ends by the big score of twelve goals to one. Both games were fast and interesting, and the 600 fans present, found them decidedly entertaining on the whole, although the last contest was more one-sided than was expected.

The T A S-Lakefield game was a battle royal from start to finish, and, the crowd was on tip toes all the way, with a big following rooting for each team. It was close all the way with the checking hard, but with plenty of open hockey of the nature that aroused enthusiasm. There were many penalties, but the game was not rough considering the pace at which the teams travelled. It was fast hockey for the whole sixty minutes with both teams hammering along in vigorous fashion.

That the T A S were not beaten more is due to one Leo Derocher, who played goal for the Abstainers, and, who does a similiar service for the Peterborough O H A Team. Derocher played a phenomenal game in the nets, his work, especially in the first half, being of a startling nature, Lakefield had dozens of openings, but Derocher was there with his hands, his feet or stick, and kept weeding them out from all angles. Many times his defence were beaten, but he waded out and intercepted the pass, or stopped the shot in brilliant fashion, his great saves earning him round after round of applause. He held them out so well that Lakefield were unable to score at all in the first period, although they had opportunities to spare. Coupled with Derocher's great goal keeping, the Abstainers checked the visitors pretty closely during the first period, covering up their checks and meeting Quinn with body checks when they came down, and the result was that the TAS were out in front at half time by a score of 1—0, their checking and Derocher's goal keeping producing that result. They could not stand the pace, however, and wilted in the second half, being unable to come back with their checks as they had done earlier, and the result was that Lakefield began to break away from them, and, soon had rammed in four goals, which was enough to carry them through with two to spare.

Lakefield had both the speed and condition, but there was nothing to choose between the teams in the matter of shooting or combination. Neither had any of the latter article, at least, not enough to be noticed at the side, while the shooting on either side was not good. The visitors were faster however, and in the second half began to leave their checks behind them and work in on the goal with the rubber so that goals were bound to come in spite of Derocher's spectacular work.

Quinn was, as usual, the star of the Lakefield team. He was watched pretty closely in the first half and had few opportunities to get away, but in the last period he showed his usual form, tearing loose with some pretty rushes. On the forward line, Simpson played good hockey and the two wings Moran and Joe Quigley, showed better than usual form, while Tony Sabatino was effective and worked hard at centre.

Derocher was the star of the TAS, as has been explained. Of the others, Mack Quigley was about the best, getting away with some pretty stickhandling and rushing, while his checking helped. Giroux did useful work at centre, especially in checking back, and Coughlin at right wing, showed considerable speed in spots. Cahill and Quinlin on the defence, checked well and relieved on many occasions.

The only score in the second half went to the TAS, Quigley doing the trick on a beautiful single handed rush from centre after twenty-five minutes hard playing. Lakefield came back with a rush in the second half, and were on Easy Street before the Abstainers could rally. In less than a minute after the period opened J Quigley had tied the score from a scrimmage. Two minutes afterwards, Moran got away with a nice rush and put his team in the lead and inside of four minutes Lakefield tallied twice more and the game was won. The Abstainers managed to score again on a nice shot by Coughlin but they were held safe.

Harry Morgan refereed the game to the satisfaction of both teams.

The line-up, summary and penalties were as follows :—

LAKEFIELD.		
	Crawford	
	M. Sabatino	
	Quinn	
	Simpson	
Moran	T. Sabatino	J. Quigley
Galvin	Giroux	Coughlin
	Quigley	
	Quinlan	

Cahill
Derocher
T A S

Summary—
1—T.A.S.—Quigley, 35 minutes.
Half Time
2—Lakefield—Quigley, 1 minute,
3—Lakefield—Moran, 2 minutes,
4—Lakefield—Quigley, 1 minute, 30 sec.
5—Lakefield—Simpson, 1 minute.
6—T.A.S.—Coughlin, 18 minutes.
Penalties—Galvin, 3; M. Sabatino, 2; M. Quigley, 3; Quinlan, 4; Simpson, 3; J. Quigley, Moran, T. Sabatino.
Total—T.A.S. 10; Lakefield 8.

Contrary to expectations in some quarters the West Ends failed to hold the Strathconas in the second game, and the champions romped away with the game by scoring an even dozen counters while a white-wash for the youngsters was only averted by a long shot by Short in the last half minute to play. The figure at the half was 6—0. The heavier Strathconas had too much speed and combination for the losers and the latter never had a chance to win, their forward line being smothered by the back checking of the winners, while the defence were powerless to stall off the winners' combination rushes. The Straths as usual played combination from the drop of the hat, carrying the puck in on top of the nets and making the best use of their opportunities when they got there, the whole line shooting well.

The West Ends whose team is practically the Junior OHA Team line-up, worked hard all the way, and never let up even when the Straths started to pile up a score, but their efforts were rendered futile by the great work of the High Commissioner's line and the steadiness of their defence, although the latter were so much helped out by their forward line that they did not really have a chance to show what they could do in the checking line. They however got away for numerous pretty rushes which pieced out the advance guard and took care of the few West End rushes that happened to get away from their forwards. As a result the West Ends had only a dozen unimpeded shots at the nets and the greater part of these was from well out.

The Straths played grand hockey all the way. They were in the best of condition and swept along at top speed forthe sixty minutes, every man being reliable and effective. There were no particular stars, although Long's feat of scoring six goals was a noteworthy one. The big centre man was always camped out near the nets and never lost an opportunity for a shot. The Straths kept feeding him continuously and that they were making no mistake is shown by the number of goals to his credit. The whole forward line worked smoothly and effectively together, breaking away fast in a line and transferring the rubber from one to the other accurately and fast with the result that the West End defence had troubles of its own. Dusty and Smith on the defence tore off some speedy excursions while Wilson in the nets had a lonely evening.

Short was the pick of the West Ends' line and worked like a Trojan all through, doing some nice stickhandling and rushing. The other three workedhard but the line lacked the Straths' speed and weight. Charlie Dobson and Wade checked well and Halpin in the nets pulled off some very pretty stops, most of those that beat him were from well in.

The West Ends' goal keeper was on the fence once for slashing at Dusty, but there was no scoring while he was off.

The Straths started the scoring within thirty seconds of the face off and kept it up regularly all the way through while Short scored the only goal for the West Ends just before time was called by a pretty shot from welt out, the puck striking Wilson on the shoulder and dropping down into the net.

Wallie Parnell was an impartial and satisfactory referee. The teams were as follows :—

STRATHCONAS		
	Wilson	
	L. Dobson (Smith)	
	Smith (Dusty)	
	Dusty (Dobson)	
Seymour	Long	McMillan
Pentland	Hillier	Short
	Rose	
	C. Dobson	
	Wade	
	Halpin	
	WEST ENDS	

Summary
1—Strathconas—Long, 30 seconds.
2—Strathconas—Long, 3.30.
3—Strathconas—Seymour, 12 minutes.
4—Strathconas—Long, 1 minute.
5—Strathconas—Smith, 2 minutes.
6—Strathconas—Long, 5 minutes.
Half Time
7—Strathconas—Dobson, 15 seconds.
8—Strathconas—McMillan, 1 minute.
9—Strathconas—Long, 2 minutes.
10—Strathconas—McMillan, 6 mins.
11—Strathconas—Seymour, 5 mins.
12—Strathconas—Long, 8 minutes.
13—West Ends—Short, 30 seconds.
Penalties—Rose, L Dobson, C Dobson, Seymour, Halpin, Long, 2; Smith.
Total—Strathconas 8; West Ends 3.

BLAKE IS HERE READY FOR TO-MORROW'S WALKING RACE

Both Blake and Harrison are in the best of shape for the six hour race on Saturday afternoon, in the Auditorium Roller Rink and the contest promises to be one of the sporting events of the season. Blake will be here to-morrow night and has written to say that he is in the pink of condition and expects to win handily. Harrison is working out regularly, however, and has no fear of the result. The curtain raiser in the evening will be a tug-of-war contest between the champion Quakers and a picked team from Auburn, for the Sykes cup, now in the possession of the Quakers. The trophy is on exhibition in the window of Lang & Maher, and is attracting much attention. The Quaker's team will line-up as follows: Dave McGrath, Jas. Murphy, John Murphy, Chas. McGee, Tom Deeson, John Newell, Jas. Griffis and A. Simmonds.

The walking match will commence at two o'clock in the afternoon and again in the evening at 8 o'clock, the tug-of-war being pulled off at 7.45 o'clock.

STANDING OF THE CITY LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Goals For	Goals Against
Strathconas	3	0	34	5
Lakefeif	3	0	20	2
T. A. S.	2	1	11	13
West Ends	0	3	4	17
Belmonts	0	3	4	32

HOCKEY

The C. P. R. hereby challenges the G. T. R. to a game of hockey to be played as soon as possible. An answer to this challenge is necessary. The game to come off at Brock St. ring.

Band at Brock Street Rink to-night.

W. L. M. KING AND THE COW.

One of Prospective Labor Minister's Adventures During Campaign.

Have you heard the story of the recent encounter between W. L. M. King, M.P., and the auctioneer? If not, it is a good one. It seems that in the course of the campaign in North Waterloo the presumptive Minister of Labor and his friends had a series of adventures. First they met a crowd of men who were putting up telephone or telegraph poles, and, of course, the candidate had to get out of his buggy and give a hand. Next the party ran up against a barn-raising, and, of course, nothing would do but that the Boy Who Had Been Raised on a Farm should turn to and give a hand. These two experiences ought to have been enough for one day, but as the tour proceeded fortune brought them to a farmhouse where there was an auction sale of cattle. And pretty cattle they were—almost on a par with the farm itself. Just as soon as the new arrivals loomed in sight the worst animal in the barnyard was being brought up for disposal.

"Now," said the auctioneer, seizing his opportunity, "we have an unexpected and a most valued accession to our audience. We have now with us the next member of Parliament for North Waterloo, and we are going to give him the first chance at this most valuable animal."

And, seizing opportunity by the ears, he at once put the cow on parade.

"How much am I offered?" said the auctioneer.

Mr. King, not wishing to appear mean, after it was apparent that no one else would bid, presumably because they did not wish to forestall the politician, bid "Five dollars."

And the auctioneer, without waiting for further bids, at once knocked down the animal to Mr. King for five dollars. It was a case of "Going, going, gone," at once.

And you ought to hear Mackenzie King tell of his troubles in finding a widow who had no family, and therefore no vote attached to her household, to whom, without arousing suspicion of bribery and corruption, he could hand over the wretched animal.

Goodness knows what would have happened had woman suffrage been in force in Canada. Mr. King might have had to take the cow to China with him!

A Royal Snake Slaughterer.

The "secretary bird" is one of the most precious birds in South Africa. It is royal game, and any person destroying one is liable to a fine of £50. Majestic looking birds, they stand about three feet high and generally go in pairs. They are of drab color, with black, feathery legs, and are valued for their propensity for killing snakes. Where the secretary bird is seen there are sure to be many reptiles about. The bird beats down its adversary first with one wing and then with the other, at the same time trampling on it with its feet until the snake is sufficiently stunned to catch it by the head with its claws. Then the bird rises far up in the air and drops its victim to the ground, to be killed. By this means thousands of venomous reptiles are destroyed.—London Scraps.

The Man Who Thought He Was In Love.

By LULU JOHNSON.

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The worst of it all was that Alice was happy. "That," Buick told himself, "was the cap of the climax."

Had she been decently miserable, as he had been ever since they had had their quarrel, the misery that loves company would have drawn them together, and once more the superb solitaire which Teddy Buick had bought with a glad heart and a half of his savings would have gleamed on Alice Ryder's finger.

By all precedent that very thing should have happened, instead of which Alice presently became engaged to Harvey Post, and the expression of gloom which had become habitual to Ted's face deepened to a scowl. He took to reading poetry in the long hours of the night, and even in his dreams he lamented his lost love.

Reproachfully he gazed upon Alice's radiant face when he could not avoid meeting her in Harvey's society. At such times the sky seemed overcast, no matter how brightly the sun shone, and Teddy hurried home to brood over his great grief, made the sharper by the very apparent happiness that had come to Alice.

The day that the wedding invitations were issued was Teddy's field day, and the sun was stealing through the half closed curtains when at last he threw off his clothes and flung himself upon his bed to gain a brief transition from wakeful to dreamy grief.

He did not go near his office, but late in the afternoon his mother persuaded

SLOWLY HE FOLLOWED ALICE ALONG THE PATH.

him to take a walk, and he made for the fields, where he was least likely to be observed.

He plunged into the woods, which in that happy summer had been the favorite objective point of their walks together.

Now the foliage was sear and withered, flung to the ground as his own heart had been, and the giant trees lifted their naked arms to the autumnal winds in dumb supplication.

The place was thoroughly in harmony with his mood, and Ted flung himself upon a bank of moss to commune with his unhappy thoughts.

The woods represented his own life. Springtime, with its bursting buds and tender foliage, had marked the birth of love; then had come the summer of courtship, the rich fruition of promise under the ardent glow of the sun of love.

Ted skipped the harvest time, but now the woods were, like love, dead. The chill of winter was in the air and in the dull November clouds.

The fancy pleased him, and so occupied was he with his thoughts that he failed to hear the footfalls on the rustling leaves until the newcomer hailed him with cheery cry.

"Mooning again, Ted?" cried Alice blithely. "Forget your troubles for awhile and help me gather some hickory nuts."

Ted rose slowly to his feet, and as he did so he glanced about and made certain that Harvey was not to make a third. He felt that he could not stand by and see the loving glances which the two would exchange.

Slowly he followed Alice along the path. Most of the nuts had been gathered, but some few remained, and presently Ted forgot his great grief in Alice's merry chat.

It was not until the nuts had been gathered and they sat down to rest on a fallen trunk that remembrance came again.

Alice saw the cloud that settled down upon his face, and she turned abruptly.

"Ted," she asked, "do you want to make me very happy?"

"You're about as happy now as one girl deserves to be," was the ungracious response. "What do you want?"

"I want you to get married," was the surprising reply.

"That's what I wanted to do," reminded Ted, "but you wouldn't have it. Has Harvey jilted you?"

"Mercy, I don't want you to marry me!" was the hurried reply. "I want you to marry some other girl."

"Rather hard on the other girl," commented Ted, "considering that I could only offer an empty heart"

"And an empty head," was the caustic interruption. "That's just the trouble, Ted. You are having a lovely time with your heartache, and you don't want to give it up yet, but I can't be really happy with Harvey with the thought of your accusing eyes following me."

"Then forget it," advised Ted inelegantly.

"That's what I want you to do," explained Alice. "You never were really in love with me. I know it, and you know it. That is why we were always quarreling. We used to get along beautifully before we became engaged. Then when you realized the mistake you had made you became ill natured."

"All on my side?" asked Ted.

"I suppose that I was just as mean," admitted Alice, "but it was because we both realized that we had made a mistake. I want you to forget all about it. Marry Beth Agnus or Letty Fredericks or Nancy Bellman."

"What's the matter with Audrey Dunbar?" demanded Ted. "She is the only eligible you left out."

"You wouldn't like her," protested Alice hastily. "I should hate to see you married to her. You would never get along with her."

"She's a nice girl," growled Ted, "but I'm not going to marry any one."

He rose to his feet again and shouldered the bag as an intimation that he was ready to depart, and Alice meekly followed.

Ted carried the bag to Alice's home, and it was fate that on the way they should pass the disputed Miss Dunbar and that Ted should be unusually effusive, while Alice was barely civil.

He did not know that Alice could be so pretty, and he was glad when he could leave the burden on her porch and hurry away before her little speech of thanks was half completed. She came flying after him and reached him before he had opened the gate.

"You won't marry Audrey, will you?" she asked pleadingly.

"I told you that I was not going to marry any one," was the impatient response as Ted shut the gate with a vicious bang and started for home.

He was not yet ready to abandon his grief, but one ray of comfort pierced his once pervading gloom. Ted disliked girls who decried others. He had never known Alice to do it before.

Just to show Alice what he thought of her conduct, he escorted Audrey to the wedding and smiled sardonically when she caught the bridal bouquet, unfailing sign that she was to be the next bride.

However, Alice kissed her in congratulation with a warmth that little suggested the jealousy she felt.

There were three weeks of the honeymoon, and Harvey was giving the news to the new Mrs. Post after his first trip downtown.

"Ted's going to marry Audrey Dunbar," he announced as the choicest morsel.

"So mother was telling me," was the reply. "I expected it, but not so soon."

"I didn't suppose that you would relish such a quick desertion," said Harvey, with a laugh. But Alice only smiled.

She smiled still more broadly when Ted proudly escorted Audrey to call and welcome them home. There was an air of defiance in his manner that was amusing to the girl who knew him better than he knew himself, and Ted did not realize how truthful was Alice's declaration Audrey was the very girl she would have picked out.

He could not tell that Alice was counting upon his stubbornness to make her happy by removing his reproachful gaze. He only thought that he had shown her that he was a man of his own action, and therein he found great content.

The Medical Fee.

Dr. Arthur C. Heffenger, discussing "The Medical Fee" in the North American Review, deplores the notion which prevails in some quarters that the physician charges more for his services than they are worth. He instances some abnormally large fees which have been paid to medical men and shows that these were justified either by the delicate nature of the services rendered or by unusual conditions attending them. He says:

"The American Medical association, our highest medical authority, has never attempted to establish an ethical fee. In point of fact, the fee evolves itself and ever has been and ever will be a graded one. The great bulk of practice is practically charity—that is, it represents small fees or no fees. This is true alike in the remote country districts and in the great metropolitan centers. There is one difference, however, which should be distinctly remembered, and that is that rural charity is generally deserved, whereas urban charity is often misplaced. It is stated that practically 33 per cent of the entire practice of New York city is charity and that in a third of such cases the doctor is imposed upon."

Same Vintage.

There are some things in this world for which not even the most profound rural philosopher can account to his own satisfaction.

"I never saw an animal move so slowly before in all my life!" cried an exasperated traveler in an Essex carrier's cart, behind which the clouds of a rapidly rising storm were growing blacker every moment. "Can't the horse go any faster? You had an excellent one fifteen years ago when I used to spend the summer here."

"That's the curious thing about it," said the driver, gazing first at his steed and then at the uneasy passenger in a mildly speculative way. "This hoss is the very same identical hoss that I drove that summer. I don't know what on earth's the matter with him! He seems to have lost his animation."—London Telegraph.

All Details Arranged.

"Dear," whispered the sloping lover, "what shall we do with the rope ladder? We shouldn't leave it hanging there."

"Oh, that's all right," replied the coy damsel. "Pa said he'd pull it up again so we couldn't get back."—Philadelphia Press.

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	9.00 a.m.	9.05 p.m
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The fog which has hung over the local hockey season for the past few days has lifted at last, and the officers of the local club can at last see daylight ahead of them. There will be no games this week but next Tuesday Cobourg will be here and it is expected that Lindsay will be on hand on the Friday after, just ten days after they were scheduled to play here. Lindsay refused to come to Peterborough until the locals had met Cobourg, and as the latter could not come until next week, Tuesday was decided on by the two teams after a consultation over the long distance phone this morning. Cobourg have a strong team which has rounded into shape now, and they will give Peterborough a hard argument here, so that the game should be one of best that has been seen at the Brock Street Rink this year. Crossen, the old St. Andrew's player, is at cover, and they have Patton, Turpin, Bentley, Moffatt, Payne, Burger and other good men to pick from.

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RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

CITY LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIP LIES BETWEEN STRATHS AND LAKEFIELD

BOTH TEAMS WON LAST NIGHT

High Commissioners Swamped the West Ends With 12-1 Score, While T. A. S. Gave Lakefield a Hard Argument, Losing 4-2.

GAMES WERE INTERESTING.

It's the Strathconas or Lakefield for the City League Championship, and, next week's game between the two will decide whether the Strathcona team will win the Stratton Trophy for the third year in succession, or whether the Lakefield bunch will gather in the silverware after years of trying. Last night, what might be called the semi-final games, were played, the Lakefield seven trimming the T A S after a hard fought battle, by 4-2, and the High Commissioners swamping the West Ends by the big score of twelve goals to one. Both games were fast and interesting, and the 500 fans present, found them decidedly entertaining on the whole, although the last contest was more one-sided than was expected.

The T A S-Lakefield game was a battle royal from start to finish, and, the crowd was on tip toes all the way, with a big following rooting for each team. It was close all the way with the checking hard, but with plenty of open hockey of the nature that aroused enthusiasm. There were many penalties, but the game was not rough considering the pace at which the teams travelled. It was fast hockey for the whole sixty minutes with both teams hammering along in vigorous fashion.

That the T A S were not beaten more is due to one Leo Derocher, who played goal for the Abstainers, and, who does a similiar service for the Peterborough O H A Team. Derocher played a phenomenal game in the nets, his work, especially in the first half, being of a startling nature, Lakefield had dozens of openings, but Derocher was there with his hands, his feet or stick, and kept weeding them out from all angles. Many times his defence were beaten, but he waded out and intercepted the pass, or stopped the shot in brilliant fashion, his great saves earning him round after round of applause. He held them out so well that Lakefield were unable to score at all in the first period, although they had opportunities to spare. Coupled with Derocher's great goal keeping, the Abstainers checked the visitors pretty closely during this first period, covering up their checks and meeting Quinn with body checks when they came down, and the result was that the TAS were out in front at half time by a score of 1—0, their checking and Derocher's goal keeping producing that result. They could not stand the pace, however, and wilted in the second half, being unable to come back with their checks as they had done earlier, and the result was that Lakefield began to break away from them, and, soon had rammed in four goals, which was enough to carry them through with two to spare.

Lakefield had both the speed and condition, but there was nothing to choose between the teams in the matter of shooting or combination. Neither had anyof the latter article, at least, not enough to be noticed at the side, while the shooting on either side was not good. The visitors were faster however, and in the second half began to leave their checks behind them and work in on the goal with the rubber so that goals were bound to come in spite of Derocher's spectacular work.

Quinn was, as usual, the star of the Lakefield team. He was watched pretty closely in the first half and had few opportunities to get away, but in the last period he showed his usual form, tearing loose with some pretty rushes. On the forward line, Simpson played good hockey and the two wings Moran and Joe Quigley, showed better than usual form, while Tony Sabatino was effective and worked hard at centre.

Derocher was the star of the TAS, as has been explained. Of the others, Mack Quigley was about the best, getting away with some pretty stickhandling and rushing, while his checking helped. Giroux did useful work at centre, especially in checking back, and Coughlin at right wing, showed considerable speed in spots. Cahill and Quinlin on the defence, checked well and relieved on many occasions.

The only score in the second half went to the TAS, Quigley doing the trick on a beautiful single handed rush from centre after twenty-five minutes hard playing. Lakefield came back with a rush in the second half, and were on Easy Street before the Abstainers could rally. In less than a minute after the period opened J Quigley had tied the score from a scrimmage. Two minutes afterwards, Moran got away with a nice rush and put his team in the lead and inside of four minutes Lakefield rallied twice more and the same was won. The Abstainers managed to score again on a nice shot by Coughlin but they were held safe.

Harry Morgan refereed the game to the satisfaction of both teams.

The line-up, summary and penalties were as follows :—

LAKEFIELD.		
	Crawford	
	M. Sabatino	
	Quinn	
	Simpson	
Moran	T. Sabatino	J. Quigley
Galvin	Giroux	Coughlin
	Quigley	
	Quinlan	
	Cahill	
	Derocher	
	T A S	

Summary—
1—T.A.S.—Quigley, 26 minutes.
Half Time
2—Lakefield—Quigley, 1 minute.
3—Lakefield—Moran, 2 minutes.
4—Lakefield—Quigley, 1 minute, 30 sec.
5—Lakefield—Simpson, 1 minute.
6—T.A.S.—Coughlin, 18 minutes.
Penalties—Galvin, 3; M. Sabatino, 2; M. Quigley, 3; Quinlan, 4; Simpson, 2; J. Quigley, Moran, T. Sabatino.
Total—T.A.S. 10; Lakefield 8.

Contrary to expectations in some quarters the West Ends failed to hold the Strathconas in the second game, and the champions romped away with the game by scoring an even dozen counters while a white-wash for the youngsters was only averted by a long shot by Short in the last half minute to play. The figure at the half was 6—0. The heavier Strathconas had too much speed and combination for the losers and the latter never had a chance to win, their forward line being smothered by the back checking of the winners, while the defence were powerless to stall off the winners' combination rushes. The Straths as usual played combination from the drop of the hat, carrying the puck in on top of the nets and making the best use of their opportunities when they got there, the whole line shooting well.

The West Ends whose team is practically the Junior OHA Team line-up, worked hard all the way, and never let up even when the Straths started to pile up a score, but their efforts were rendered futile by the great work of the High Commissioner's line and the steadiness of their defence, although the latter were so much helped out by their forward line that they did not really have a chance to show what they could do in the checking line. They however got away for numerous pretty rushes which pieced out the advance guard and took care of the few West End rushes that happened to get away from their forwards. As a result the West Ends had only a dozen unimpeded shots at the nets and the greater part of these was from well out.

The Straths played grand hockey all the way. They were in the best of condition and swept along at top speed forth sixty minutes, every man being reliable and effective. There were no particular stars, although Long's feat of scoring six goals was a noteworthy one. The big centre man was always camped out near the nets and never lost an opportunity for a shot. The Straths kept feeding him continuously and that they were making no mistake is shown by the number of goals to his credit. The whole forward line worked smoothly and effectively together, breaking away fast in a line and transferring the rubber from one to the other accurately and fast with the result that the West End defence had troubles of its own. Dusty and Smith on the defence tore off some speedy excursions while Wilson in the nets had a lonely evening.

Short was the pick of the West Ends' line and worked like a Trojan all through, doing some nice stickhandling and rushing. The other three workedhard but the line lacked the Straths' speed and weight. Charlie Dobson and Wade checked well and Halpin in the nets pulled off some very pretty stops, most of those that beat him were from well in.

The West Ends' goal keeper was on the fence once for slashing at Dusty, but there was no scoring while he was off.

The Straths started the scoring within thirty seconds of the face off and kept it up regularly all the way through while Short scored the only goal for the West Ends just before time was called by a pretty shot from well out, the puck striking Wilson on the shoulder and dropping down into the net.

Wallie Parnell was an impartial and satisfactory referee. The teams were as follows :—

STRATHCONAS		
	Wilson	
	L. Dobson (Smith)	
	Smith (Dusty)	
	Dusty (Dobson)	
Seymour	Long	McMillan
Pentland	Hillier	Short
	Rose	
	C. Dobson	
	Wade	
	Halpin	
	WEST ENDS	

Summary
1—Strathconas—Long, 30 seconds.
2—Strathconas—Long, 3.30.
3—Strathconas—Seymour, 12 minutes.
4—Strathconas—Long, 1 minute.
5—Strathconas—Smith, 2 minutes.
6—Strathconas—Long, 5 minutes.
Half Time
7—Strathconas—Dobson, 15 seconds.
8—Strathconas—McMillan, 1 minute.
9—Strathconas—Long, 2 minutes.
10—Strathconas—McMillan, 6 mins.
11—Strathconas—Seymour, 6 mins.
12—Strathconas—Long, 8 minutes.
13—West Ends—Short, 30 seconds.
Penalties—Rose, L Dobson, C Dobson, Seymour, Halpin, Long, 2; Smith.
Total—Strathconas 5; West Ends 3.

BLAKE IS HERE READY FOR TO-MORROW'S WALKING RACE

Both Blake and Harrison are in the best of shape for the six hour race on Saturday afternoon, in the Auditorium Roller Rink and the contest promises to be one of the sporting events of the season. Blake will be here to-morrow night and has written to say that he is in the pink of condition and expects to win handily. Harrison is working out regularly, however, and has no fear of the result. The curtain raiser in the evening will be a tug-of-war contest between the champion Quakers and a picked team from Auburn, for the Sykes cup, now in the possession of the Quakers. The trophy is on exhibition in the window of Lang & Maher, and is attracting much attention. The Quaker's team will line-up as follows: Dave McGrath, Jas. Murphy, John Murphy, Chas. McGee, Tom Deeson, John Newell, Jas. Griffis and A. Simmonds.

The walking match will commence at two o'clock in the afternoon and again in the evening at 8 o'clock, the tug-of-war being pulled off at 7.45 o'clock.

STANDING OF THE CITY LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Goals For	Goals Against
Strathconas	3	0	34	5
Lakefield	3	0	20	8
T. A. S.	2	2	11	13
West Ends	0	3	4	17
Belmonts	0	3	4	32

HOCKEY

The C. P. R. hereby challenges the G. T. R. to a game of hockey to be played as soon as possible. An answer to this challenge is necessary. The game to come off at Brock St. rink.

Band at Brock Street Rink to-night.

W. L. M. KING AND THE COW.

One of Prospective Labor Minister's Adventures During Campaign.

Have you heard the story of the recent encounter between W. L. M. King, M.P., and the auctioneer? If not, it is a good one. It seems that in the course of the campaign in North Waterloo the presumptive Minister of Labor and his friends had a series of adventures. First they met a crowd of men who were putting up telephone or telegraph poles, and, of course, the candidate had to get out of his buggy and give a hand. Next the party ran up against a barn-raising, and, of course, nothing would do but that the Boy Who Had Been Raised on a Farm should turn to and give a hand. These two experiences ought to have been enough for one day, but as the tour proceeded fortune brought them to a farmhouse where there was an auction sale of cattle. And pretty cattle they were—almost on a par with the farm itself. Just as soon as the new arrivals loomed in sight the worst animal in the barnyard was being brought up for disposal.

"Now," said the auctioneer, seizing his opportunity, "we have an unexpected and a most valued addition to our audience. We have now with us the next member of Parliament for North Waterloo, and we are going to give him the first chance at this most valuable animal."

And, seizing opportunity by the ears, he at once put the cow on parade.

"How much am I offered?" said the auctioneer.

Mr. King, not wishing to appear mean, after it was apparent that no one else would bid, presumably because they did not wish to forestall the politician, bid "Five dollars."

And the auctioneer, without waiting for further bids, at once knocked down the animal to Mr. King for five dollars. It was a case of "Going, going, gone," at once.

And you ought to hear Mackenzie King tell of his troubles in finding a widow who had no family, and therefore no vote attached to her household, to whom, without arousing suspicion of bribery and corruption, he could hand over the wretched animal.

Goodness knows what would have happened had woman suffrage been in force in Canada. Mr. King might have had to take the cow to China with him!

A Royal Snake Slaughterer.

The "secretary bird" is one of the most precious birds in South Africa. It is royal game, and any person destroying one is liable to a fine of £50. Majestic looking birds, they stand about three feet high and generally go in pairs. They are of drab color, with black, feathery legs, and are valued for their propensity for killing snakes. Where the secretary bird is seen there are sure to be many reptiles about. The bird beats down its adversary first with one wing and then with the other, at the same time trampling on it with its feet until the snake is sufficiently stunned to catch it by the head with its claws. Then the bird rises far up in the air and drops its victim to the ground, to be killed. By this means thousands of venomous reptiles are destroyed.—London Scraps.

The Man Who Thought He Was In Love.

By LULU JOHNSON.

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The worst of it all was that Alice was happy. "That," Buick told himself, "was the cap of the climax."

Had she been decently miserable, as he had been ever since they had had their quarrel, the misery that loves company would have drawn them together, and once more the superb solitaire which Teddy Buick had bought with a glad heart and a half of his savings would have gleamed on Alice Ryder's finger.

By all precedent that very thing should have happened, instead of which Alice presently became engaged to Harvey Post, and the expression of gloom which had become habitual to Ted's face deepened to a scowl. He took to reading poetry in the long hours of the night, and even in his dreams he lamented his lost love.

Reproachfully he gazed upon Alice's radiant face when he could not avoid meeting her in Harvey's society. At such times the sky seemed overcast, no matter how brightly the sun shone, and Teddy hurried home to brood over his great grief, made the sharper by the very apparent happiness that had come to Alice.

The day that the wedding invitations were issued was Teddy's field day, and the sun was stealing through the half closed curtains when at last he threw off his clothes and flung himself upon his bed to gain a brief transition from wakeful to dreamy grief.

He did not go near his office, but late in the afternoon his mother persuaded

SLOWLY HE FOLLOWED ALICE ALONG THE PATH.

him to take a walk, and he made for the fields, where he was least likely to be observed.

He plunged into the woods, which in that happy summer had been the favorite objective point of their walks together.

Now the foliage was sear and withered, flung to the ground as his own heart had been, and the giant trees lifted their naked arms to the autumnal winds in dumb supplication.

The place was thoroughly in harmony with his mood, and Ted flung himself upon a bank of moss to commune with his unhappy thoughts.

The woods represented his own life. Springtime, with its bursting buds and tender foliage, had marked the birth of love; then had come the summer of courtship, the rich fruition of promise under the ardent glow of the sun of love.

Ted skipped the harvest time, but now the woods were, like love, dead. The chill of winter was in the air and in the dull November clouds.

The fancy pleased him, and so occupied was he with his thoughts that he failed to hear the footfalls on the rustling leaves until the newcomer hailed him with cheery cry.

"Mooning again, Ted?" cried Alice slightly. "Forget your troubles for awhile and help me gather some hickory nuts."

Ted rose slowly to his feet, and as he did so he glanced about and made certain that Harvey was not to make a third. He felt that he could not stand by and see the loving glances which the two would exchange.

Slowly he followed Alice along the path. Most of the nuts had been gathered, but some few remained, and presently Ted forgot his great grief in Alice's merry chat.

It was not until the nuts had been gathered and they sat down to rest on a fallen trunk that remembrance came again.

Alice saw the cloud that settled down upon his face, and she turned abruptly.

"Te he asked, "do you want to ma very happy?"

"You're about as happy now as one girl deserves to be," was the ungracious response. "What do you want?"

"I want you to get married," was the surprising reply.

"That's what I wanted to do," reminded Ted, "but you wouldn't have it. Has Harvey jilted you?"

"Mercy, I don't want you to marry me!" was the hurried reply. "I want you to marry some other girl."

"Rather hard on the other girl," commented Ted, "considering that I could only offer an empty heart."

"And an empty head," was the caustic interruption. "That's just the trouble, Ted. You are having a lovely time with your heartache, and you don't want to give it up yet, but I can't be really happy with Harvey with the thought of your accusing eyes following me."

"Then forget it," advised Ted indignantly.

"That's what I want you to do," explained Alice. "You never were really in love with me. I know it, and you know it. That is why we were always quarreling. We used to get along beautifully before we became engaged. Then when you realized the mistake you had made you became ill natured."

"All on my side?" asked Ted.

"I suppose that I was just as mean," admitted Alice, "but it was because we both realized that we had made a mistake. I want you to forget all about it. Marry Beth Agnus or Letty Fredericks or Nancy Bellman."

"What's the matter with Audrey Dunbar?" demanded Ted. "She is the only eligible you left out."

"You wouldn't like her," protested Alice hastily. "I should hate to see you married to her. You would never get along with her."

"She's a nice girl," growled Ted, "but I'm not going to marry any one."

He rose to his feet again and shouldered the bag as an intimation that he was ready to depart, and Alice meekly followed.

Ted carried the bag to Alice's home, and it was fate that on the way they should pass the disputed Miss Dunbar and that Ted should be unusually effusive, while Alice was barely civil.

He did not know that Alice could be so pretty, and he was glad when he could leave the burden on her porch and hurry away before her little speech of thanks was half completed. She came flying after him and reached him before he had opened the gate.

"You won't marry Audrey, will you?" she asked pleadingly.

"I told you that I was not going to marry any one," was the impatient response as Ted shut the gate with a vicious bang and started for home.

He was not yet ready to abandon his grief, but one ray of comfort pierced his once pervading gloom. Ted disliked girls who decried others. He had never known Alice to do it before.

Just to show Alice what he thought of her conduct, he escorted Audrey to the wedding and smiled sardonically when she caught the bridal bouquet, unfailing sign that she was to be the next bride.

However, Alice kissed her in congratulation with a warmth that little suggested the jealousy she felt.

There were three weeks of the honeymoon, and Harvey was giving the news to the new Mrs. Post after his first trip downtown.

"Ted's going to marry Audrey Dunbar," he announced as the choicest morsel.

"So mother was telling me," was the reply. "I expected it, but not so soon."

"I didn't suppose that you would relish such a quick desertion," said Harvey, with a laugh. But Alice only smiled.

She smiled still more broadly when Ted proudly escorted Audrey to call and welcome them home. There was an air of defiance in his manner that was amusing to the girl who knew him better than he knew himself, and Ted did not realize how truthful was Alice's declaration Audrey was the very girl she would have picked out.

He could not tell that Alice was counting upon his stubbornness to make her happy by removing his reproachful gaze. He only thought that he had shown her that he was a man of his own action, and therein he found great content.

The Medical Fee.

Dr. Arthur C. Heffenger, discussing "The Medical Fee" in the North American Review, deplores the notion which prevails in some quarters that the physician charges more for his services than they are worth. He instances some abnormally large fees which have been paid to medical men and shows that these were justified either by the delicate nature of the services rendered or by unusual conditions attending them. He says:

"The American Medical association, our highest medical authority, has never attempted to establish an ethical fee. In point of fact, the fee evolves itself and ever has been and ever will be a graded one. The great bulk of practice is practically charity—that is, it represents small fees or no fees. This is true alike in the remote country districts and in the great metropolitan centers. There is one difference, however, which should be distinctly remembered, and that is that rural charity is generally deserved, whereas urban charity is often misplaced. It is stated that practically 33 per cent of the entire practice of New York city is charity and that in a third of such cases the doctor is imposed upon."

Same Vintage.

There are some things in this world for which not even the most profound rural philosopher can account to his own satisfaction.

"I never saw an animal move so slowly before in all my life!" cried an exasperated traveler in an Essex carrier's cart, behind which the clouds of a rapidly rising storm were growing blacker every moment. "Can't the horse go any faster? You had an excellent one fifteen years ago when I used to spend the summer here."

"That's the curious thing about it," said the driver, gazing first at his steed and then at the uneasy passenger in a mildly speculative way. "This hoss is the very same identical hoss that I drove that summer. I don't know what on earth's the matter with him! He seems to have lost his animation."—London Telegraph.

All Details Arranged.

"Dear," whispered the eloping lover, "what shall we do with the rope ladder? We shouldn't leave it hanging there."

"Oh, that's all right," replied the coy damsel. "Pa said he'd pull it up again so we couldn't get back."—Philadelphia Press.

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	8.00 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
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	9:40 a.m.	9.05 p.m
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	5.05 p.m.	9.05 p.m
	10.15 p.m.	4.30 p.m
Lindsay Local	9.40 a.m.	9.10 p.m.
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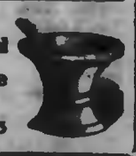

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LATEST CITY NEWS.

Rehearsal to-night

—Rehearsal to-night for "The Private Secretary" at 7.30 p.m. in the K. of P. Hall.

Probabilities

PROBS—Easterly gales with snow or sleet. Saturday—northwest gales and becoming decidedly colder.

Jordan Bros., Florists

—Will remove on the 1st February to the store now occupied by Macgregor & Reid, 423 George street.

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"The Private Secretary"

—Watch to-morrow night's Examiner for the story of "The Private Secretary," which will be put on at the Grand Opera House to-morrow night.

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—All the citizens of Peterborough to have their garments dyed, cleaned pressed and repaired by "My Valet" 204 Charlotte street. All work guaranteed. dtf

Literary Meeting

—The regular meeting of The Ladies' Literary Society of St. Peter's T. A. S. will be held on Friday evening when a paper will be read by Miss V. Donoghue. 3dan22

Will Occupy New Store

—Jordan Bros. beg to announce that they will occupy their new store, 428 George Street, (MacGregor & Reid's old stand,) on Monday, Feb. 1st., and will be very pleased to see all their old friends at their new premises. 3d-23

Free Magazines at Stratton's

—A limited number of the following English magazines are being given away free at the Peterborough Bookstore, in order to introduce them to the Peterborough public: The Ladies' Journal of Practical Fashions, The London Magazine, The Red Magazine. Call early and get a copy while they last. A H. Stratton & Co.

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Band at Brock Street Rink to-night

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Miss Ivie Morris, of Orillia, is the guest of Miss Maud Denison, at the National Hotel.

Mr. Willis Garrow returned this morning to Haire, Montana, after spending a pleasant vacation with his parents, 462 Park st.

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ANTI-NOISE LEADER.

Even Paris Admires Mrs. Rice and Yearns For Her Help.

Three years ago Mrs. Rice of New York city started an aggressive campaign to quell the excessive noises of urban life, and she is at present president of the association incorporated since then under the name of the Society For the Suppression of Excessive Noise. A tour of Europe has convinced her that in this matter, as in so many others, the people of America are far ahead of the rest of the world.

With the exception of a branch society in London, up to the time of the establishment of her society there was no association in existence with a similar object, so far as she could learn. People in Europe were interested in her work, and some of them, inclined to be critical at first, are now studying the subject with the intent of following her lead.

One of the most ardent admirers of her anti-noise campaign is the German writer, Professor Theodor Lessing,

MRS. ISAAC L. RICE.

who has published a book entitled "Larm" ("Noise"). He has shown his interest in a practical way and has established in Munich a similar society, which had its first meeting not long ago. He invited Mrs. Rice to become its president and was greatly disappointed that her work in New York will prevent her accepting.

The officials of the city of Rotterdam are discussing the establishment of a similar organization, and the newspapers devoted columns of description and praise to her work while she was there.

When Mrs. Rice reached Paris she found that the fame of the anti-noise society had long preceded her. Journalists visited her and were enthusiastic to the point of hysteria over her idea. One newspaper writer apostrophized her:

"When you have finished calming the American tumult come to us, come to Paris, for we have need of your aid. In Paris the tumult grows day by day. Come, oh, come! Try to obtain from our authorities permission to suppress, above everything else, the use of the strings of changing bells which disfigure the necks of the cab horses. The sound of those bells is rendering us gradually foolish—idiots, neurotics. By and by we shall all be in asylums. Think of that, Mrs. Isaac L. Rice! Think of that and hurry up! We simply cannot wait, for it is absolutely true that if the present uproar continues much longer Paris itself will be only a great hospital!"

Mrs. Rice brought back in her trunk a few strings of the cab horse bells, which she rang as an accompaniment while she laughingly translated the appeal.

A Professor's Viewpoint.

The last contribution to woman vivisection is from Professor W. T. Thomas of Chicago university. In a number of the American Magazine the author of "Sex and Society," after giving an excellent resume of the evolution of the human animal from the standpoint of the biologist and the anthropologist, indulges, as is now customary, in the unmerciful and not uniformly logical dissecting of modern man's mate. Although a certain degree of scientific fairness is dealt her both in the author's premises and in his conclusion, and he at least concedes that woman is the same animal as man, he nevertheless deals with modern woman much after the manner of his predecessors.

For instance, he accuses her of cunning and hypocrisy (would not these qualities in man have become shrewdness and diplomacy?), of vanity applied to her wooing instincts, although he frankly admits that "she is less interested in man than man is in her." This, however, does not prevent his declaring that "her purity, constancy, reserve and devotion," which constitute "her morality," have been imposed upon her by man whom the latter pleases. Yet can it be denied that when woman breaks through her moral self restraint it is usually due to what the learned professor is pleased to call man's "interest in her?" Is he not a little "mixed" as to the quality and origin of woman's morality?

At least, unlike his predecessors, Professor Thomas seeks a remedy for the "irregularity, pettiness, ill health and unserviceableness of modern woman," and he finds it not only in a general and cultural education, but in "a special and occupational interest . . . which should be preferably gainful." This, he thinks, would relieve the matrimonial situation by putting a curb on wives' demands upon their husbands' attentions and must surely be a more solid basis of association by bringing women in the same general world of interest as men.

On this ground Professor Thomas, who, by the way, says many equally wise things and a few less so, will no doubt be met by most earnest modern women. The important point for the progress and happiness of society at the present juncture is that women and men shall stand together and understand each other, for, as the book of Genesis says, "God created man . . . and male and female he created them"—that is, they are one.

A Famous Physician's Advice.

There is a famous physician who has given much of his time to the study of rest. He has worked out some good plans for tired men and women which have benefited them.

This doctor says that plenty of fresh air day and night and one hour's walk is enough for any woman. Her constitution does not need any more exercise than is given by a three mile spin. If she is in the city she cannot go at such a rate of speed, but on springy country roads she can turn out from two to three miles a day and find herself in fit condition.

This is the only exercise, he thinks, that does not exhaust the heart, irritate the nerves and overwork the muscles. He does not object to light tennis, indifferently played, but tennis as the American girl plays it is simply out of the question. She wants to play like a man, and she plays against men. She plays too long, and the cold shower bath which she takes at the end is too serious a shock. This doctor has a good deal to say on the subject of annual vacations. He now has his hands full of sick and fatigued women who have overdone the vacation theory.

They work for ten months in a year in some way, whether for wages or not, without giving themselves any rest, then lump their rest all in a few weeks or less during the summer.

They do unaccustomed things which exhaust a body already tired and come back home generally unfit for the winter.

To quote him, he says: "Nine out of ten women feel worse after a vacation than when they started and are unable to resume work properly. A woman does not need a long rest, but a great number of short ones.

"It is better to rest four separate half hours a day than to go like mad through the week and rest sixteen hours on Sunday. It is better to divide the twelve months of work into stated half holidays rather than take two months after ten months of exhaustion."

French Working Women.

The highest paid working women in France are said to be the cutters of precious stones. They receive about a dollar a day. The lowest wage is 60 cents a day and is paid to dressmakers. There are 14,000,000 women in France, and the majority earn their own living. The movement on foot to secure for them the ballot is carried on with the object of gaining for them a formal recognition in the industrial world in the hope of increasing their wages and winning for them equal pay for equal work with the men.

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By F. M. D.

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Sir Walter Raleigh a Second ...roteus

Sir Walter Raleigh ... of the ... Prot... like ... that ... ever strutted ... He ... ...ldier, a sailor ... poet, a ... ...s-writer, an ... ...r, a ... court ... ...surite, a ... ...orer, a ... pro... ...moter, ...ducer ... In ... every ... of ... ...rests he was ... in the first rank ... among his fellows.

Sir Walter was ... ...n the year ... 1552, at Hay... ...ussair. In ... course of time he ... ...ered ... College, Oxford, ...and after ... ...ras... ...dance there, took ... ...h a ... body of ... ...lunteers in the ... ...ench ... Huguenot army. Returning to Eng... land in 1576, we find him in 1580 ... commanding an ... ...y in ... Munster, Ireland. ... ...he ... distinguished himself ... ...gour ... and ab... ...ility ... ...ilst ... was ... ...ish, ... who ... seems to have ... ...ered ... subjects to be got rid of ... any ... means, fair or foul.

Gaining the favour of Elizabeth he ... for ... ...son ... years stood ... ...ier, ... and obtained many ... ...ions ... marks of her favour.

In 1587 he was appointed ... ...ain ... of the Queen's Guard. Raleigh ... ...ow... ever, was not a man to ... ...own ... ...ition ... ...ing ... ...ed ... ...ce ... being ... ...ployed ... ...ite ... ...ap... ...ere ... were ... ...rring ... ...s ... the ... ...ourt of ... ...r Richard ... ...ille ... ...ment for ... ...e of ... ...sh... ...self ... ...nous ... ...ere ... ...ing ... ...by ... ...during ... ...and ... ...We ... ...find him ... ...ongst ... ...his ... ...where ... ...engaging ... ...ill ... ...rts ... of ... ...prizes, ...seeking ... ...for ... ...old ... ...mines, ...ossing ... ...Spanish ... ...re ... ...ships, and ... ...empting ... ...plan... ...ons ... in America.

Meets the Only Countess of ... ...na

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... ...y years of Raleigh's life ... ...to be ... ...his ... ...port. ... ...; in ... ...smiles of a ... ...ch ... ...ood ... ...favour ... ...of ... ...bearing, ...at ... ...manly ... ...his path through ... ...ar ... ...f ... ...temporary ... ...serve ... ...ow... ...L... ...ell, by ... ...reason ... ...of ... ...his ... ...with one of his ... ...ts ... ...ight ... ...of ... ...honour, Elizabeth ... ...mor... ...tion, ...Lights ... with ... ...ter ... ...on her ... ...th, a ... ...ight ... ...that ... ...her ... ...fortunes, and ... ...final ... ...in the ... ...Armada ... ...had ... ...brought ... ...to ... ...a ... ...close.

execrable traitor that ever lived."

— Raleigh—"You speak indiscreetly, barbarously and uncivilly."

Coke—"I want words sufficient to express thy viperous treason."

Raleigh—"I think you want words, indeed, for you have spoken one thing half a dozen times."

Coke—"Thou art an odious fellow; thy name is hateful to all the realm of England for thy pride."

Raleigh—"It will go near to prove a measuring cast between you and me, Mr. Attorney."

Coke—"Well, I will now make it appear to the world that there never lived a viler viper upon the face of the earth than thou; thou hast an English face but a Spanish heart. Thou art a spider of hell. Thou viper! for I THOU thee, thou traitor. Have've I angered you!

Raleigh: "I am in no case to be angry." Certainly those were strenuous days, as well in the Law Courts as in other walks of life.

Imprisonment in Tower

Raleigh was found guilty and imprisoned in the Tower. As to whether he really was guilty or not is a moot point and need not be discussed here. He attempted to commit suicide in prison by stabbing himself in the chest. This was in all probability the first and last cowardly act he was ever guilty of. For twelve long years he lay immured in the Tower, his wife living with him, and there he wrote the fragment of that work so noble in conception, so vast in design, but so impossible of execution, his History of the World.

The part of his history which he was able to complete, opens with the Creation and ends with the second Macedonian War, about 168 B.C.

This work has excited astonishment owing to the vastness of the learning embodied therein. The truth is that it was the work of several persons. Ben Jonson, it is known, was a considerable contributor, and also Dr. Robert Burrel, rector of Northwald, Norfolk, a former chaplain of Raleigh's, did all the reading for his chronology, criticisms and Greek and Hebrew authors.

Free From Imprisonment

At last, James, penniless, and anxious possibly for any excuse to set his captive free, loosed his bonds, on the understanding that he was to exploit a gold mine which he claimed to have discovered years before in South America. Raleigh did not get to the gold mine, but he burned the Spanish town of St. Thomas on the banks of the Orinoco, and in the assault on that place his eldest son, W... ...d.

The rage of the Spaniards was boundless. Gondomar, the Spanish Minister to England whose brother had been killed in this buccaneering raid, on receiving the news, rushed into James' presence, demanding Raleigh's execution on a charge of piracy. James, anxious to conciliate the Spaniards, had Raleigh arrested on his arrival at Plymouth, and brought to London. There the old charge of treason was brought against him, and a few months later he was executed at Westminster. He died as he had lived, facing the headsman with undomitable courage. Lifting the axe, he felt its keen edge, and returning it to the executioner remarked, smilingly, "This is a sharp medicine, but it will cure all diseases." Thus died this grand hero of England. A man who has come down in history as a preux chevalier, who although he may have been, according to the statement of Ben Jonson, more solicitous of his fame than of his conscience, was nevertheless possessed of great virtues and stands forth as a type of all that is manly and refined in human nature. He died in 1606.

The following extract is from the conclusion to his History:

Oh, eloquent, just and mighty Death! Whom none could advise, thou hast persuaded; what none hath dared, thou hast done; and whom all the world hath flattered, thou only hast cast out of the world, and despised; thou hast drawn together all the far stretched greatness, all the pride, cruelty and ambition of man and covered it over with these two narrow words,—HIC JACET.

On the night before his death he wrote the following beautiful lines which were found in his Bible at Westminster:

Even such is Time which takes in trust
Our youth, our joys, our all we have,
And pays us nought but age and dust;
Which in the dark and silent grave,
When we have wandered all our ways;
Shuts up the story of our days,
And from which grave, and earth and dust,
The Lord shall raise me up, I trust.

BIG BARGAINS IN GOOD FURS

Sale of First-Class Garments at Mr. N. E. McWilliams' Fur Store.

Everybody is aware that the winter thus far has been inclined to be mild and for this reason there has not been a great demand for heavy furs. However, the furriers had laid in a large stock and among them was Mr. E. N. McWilliams, in Fred Clarke's old stand. He enjoyed a good business in light fur garments, but there was not the demand for beaver coats, etc., and hence a cut has been decided upon and the public will be given the advantage of getting men's coon and fur-lined coats, women's Persian lamb coats, and, in fact, all the popular and fancy garments. The prices are practically cut in two and Mr. McWilliams invites the public to inspect the bargains he is offering.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON QUESTIONS

Suggestive Questions on the Sunday School Lesson by Rev. Dr. Linscott, for the International Newspaper Bible Study Club.

January 31st, 1909.

The trial of Peter and John.—Acts iv: 1-31.

Golden Text.—They were all filled with the Holy Spirit and they spoke the word of God with boldness.—Acts iv:31.

Verses 1-3.—Why did these priests, who were God's appointees for carrying on his church, oppose Peter and John, seeing they were in the same service? (This question must be answered in writing by members of the club.)

Are professional teachers of religion naturally jealous, when others begin to teach and are making it a success?

Have priests and teachers in the past, been quick, or slow, to see God's new revelations of truth, whether in science or theology?

If two persons are really one with God, will they appreciate one another for difference of opinion, no matter how wide apart?

What ... made the Roman Catholics burn the Protestants?

What made Calvin, the Apostle of Protestantism, cause the burning of Servetus?

Should a sincere man ever be punished, or even blamed, for a wrong opinion?

Is it possible for a lover of truth to reach the goal without passing through some error?

Verse 4 — How is it that some accept, and some reject, essential spiritual truth on the same evidence?

Verses 5-7 — Why was it that these rulers did not recognize Jesus as the sent of God?

Is it possible that these Priests, in their hearts, believed that Peter and John were right, and opposed them because their own craft was in danger?

Verse 8 — What gave Peter and John such boldness?

What is it to be filled with the Holy Spirit?

Is a man filled with the Holy Spirit, always brave?

Was Peter specially filled with the Holy Spirit, for this occasion, or was he now always filled with him?

If a man to-day recognizes the Holy Spirit in him, and so acts, is he always filled with the Holy Spirit?

Verses 9-10 — How was the impotent man made whole?

What does the expression "in the name of Jesus," signify?

What would have happened if the Jews had accepted Jesus?

Verses 11-12 — These verses state that Jesus is the chief stone in the Christian Temple, and the only man through whom salvation can be had; now what do these two statements mean?

Verses 13-14 — What is the great evidence that Christianity is true?

Verses 15-18 — Do some leaders still commit the suicidal folly of being afraid of the truth?

Verses 19-22 — Has any man to-day authority to bind the conscience of any other man?

What is the authority to which men should always yield implicit obedience?

How can we tell whether our teachers are right or wrong?

To what authority did Jesus commit the education or instruction of the Christian? (See John xiv: 16, 17, 26; xv: 26; xvi: 7, 13, et seq.).

Has Jesus' authority concerning the Holy Spirit ever been superseded?

Verses 23-31 — When we obey God do we always have to rejoice over a true victory?

What is the inspiration of prevailing prayer and success, in the cause of God?

Lesson for Sunday, Feb. 7th, 1909 — True and False Brotherhood. Acts iv: 32 to v. 11.

The total wheat crop of Ontario last year was 18,628,192 bushels, as compared with 18,019,142 bushels in 1907. The total output of "Salada" Tea this year is over nineteen million packets. More packets of "Salada" than bushels of wheat. This is a sure indication of public appreciation of its excellent quality and value. 117

Young Women Badly Burned.

Buffalo, Jan. 30.—A fire, resulting in the probable death of two women and causing a loss of $1,800 to property, occurred yesterday in a rooming-house at 284 Elm street. Clara Clark and Alice Duffy, two young women who had arrived in Buffalo from New York on Thursday and engaged a room, are badly burned.

Was Paid For Vaccination?

Kingston, Jan. 30.—Action is being taken against Dr. A. W. Richardson, member of the Board of Education, for violation of the School Act, in that he accepted an appointment from the board as vaccinator of school children and was paid therefore by the board.

Only For Accidents.

Ottawa, Jan. 30.—Assistant Chief Commissioner Scott of the Railway Commission stated yesterday that the division of the work of the board along territorial lines recently announced applies only to the inspection of accidents.

Others Worse Off.

Toronto, Jan. 30.—A west-end minister applied for civic aid for a couple who were found to be living in a house for which they have paid $1,175, and who have $300 in the bank which they are saving for funeral expenses.

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DRAGNET AT SUDBURY.

Inspectors Raid Dives and Bring ... Many Prisoners.

Sudbury, Ont., Jan. 30.—Sudbury jail was filled to overflowing Thursday night. The long arm of the liquor license department fell upon the district of Sudbury and gathered in ... keepers of "blind pigs," dives, boarding-houses and hotels.

The drag net has been drawn through the entire district by half a dozen provincial detectives, directed by Chief Inspector Morrison of Toronto, during the last 15 days. Illegal liquor-selling has been rampant throughout the district, but evidence appears to be hard to secure.

The hearing of the cases opened yesterday morning before Magistrate Ardagh. At the end of the first day's proceedings 75 convictions had been recorded, with only one acquittal.

The biggest haul made by the detectives was at Crane Hill. A sleigh piled high with an enormous quantity of all varieties of liquor was required to bring the "evidence" to Sudbury.

Many of the offenders were allowed out on cash bail yesterday, but the worst will be held in custody until their cases are disposed of.

BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

Slight earthquakes continue to be recorded daily at Messina, but they do no damage.

A falling off in the cut is reported generally from the ice-harvesting operations of New England, where operations are now at their height.

The White Star Dominion line service to Canada will commence on April 22.

Geo. H. Gooderham Is President.

Toronto, Jan. 30.—Geo. H. Gooderham, M.P.P., was appointed president of the Industrial Exhibition, succeeding W. H. George, at a meeting of the directors yesterday afternoon.

Other appointments were: Hon. president, W. K. McNaught; first vice-presidents, J. G. Kent; second vice-president, Mayor Oliver; executive board, W. K. George, J. A. Cooper and S. E. Briggs.

The only contest was for position on the executive, Robert Fleming and C. A. B. Brown being the other candidates.

The board of control consented yesterday to the expenditure of $86... on a new transportation building ... the western entrance. Funds will ... taken from a balance of $114,000 ... over from funds voted some years ... for new buildings.

Twenty-Five Years For Seay.

Toronto, Jan. 30.—Chief Justice ... sonbridge yesterday sentenced ... liam Seay, colored, to 25 years ... Kingston Penitentiary for attempt... to kill his white wife by shoot... His wife had refused to testify ... him.

Men with violent passions, who ... on the impulse of the moment, ... Sir Glenholme, which was appl... in Seay's case, and men who ... the habit of going about with dan... ous weapons, must be dealt with ... the full letter of the law.

Seay is 32 years of age. He rece... his sentence without any appa... emotion. Good conduct will chop ... years from the sentence.

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Continued from last Saturday

Below Slavna the main postroad—as has already been stated, there was no railway at this time—follows the course of the river Krath for about five miles in a southeasterly direction. It is then carried across the stream, which continues to trend to the south, by an ancient wooden bridge and runs northeast for another fifteen miles through flat country and past prosperous agricultural and pastoral villages till it reaches the marshy land bordering Lake Taiti. The lake, extending from this point to the spurs of the mountain range which forms the frontier, bars its farther direct progress, and it divides into two branches. The right prong of the fork continues on the level till it reaches Dobrava, eight miles from the point of bisection. Here it inclines to the northeast again and, after some ten miles of steady ascent, crosses the mountains by St. Peter's pass, the one carriage road over the range and over the frontier. The left prong becomes a steep ascent directly the bisection has occurred, rising sharply for five miles to the hill on which the castle of Prasiok stands. Then it runs for another five miles on a high plateau till it ends at the hill city of Volseni, which stands on the edge of the plateau, looking down on Lake Taiti and across to Dobrava, in the plain opposite.

Beyond Volseni there is no road in the proper sense, but only cart or bridle tracks. Of these the principal and most frequented runs diagonally across the valley in which Lake Taiti lies, is interrupted by the lake, at that point about a mile and a half wide, and then meets the road from Dobrava halfway up St. Peter's pass and about twenty miles across country from Volseni. It thus forms the base of a rough and irregular triangle of country, with the point where the Slavna road bisects, the pass and Volseni marking its three angles. Lake Taiti is set in the middle, backed by a chain of hills continuous everywhere except at the indentation of the pass.

The two rode back together.

Though so near to Slavna in actual distance, the country is very different from the fertile river valley which surrounds the capital. It is bleak and rough, a land of hill pastures and mountain woods. Its natural features are reflected in the character of the inhabitants. The men who count Volseni a local capital are hardier than the men of Slavna, less given to luxury, less addicted to quarrels and riots, but considerably more formidable opponents if once they take up arms. For this reason no less than on account of their devotion to him the prince did well to choose this country as the recruiting ground for his new force of gunners.

The prince had been at Prasiok for a week when Sophy set out to join him there. At the last moment Zerkovitch decided to remain in Slavna, at least until the court made its promised move to Dobrava. Reassuring as Dr. Natcheff was, it would do no harm to have a friendly pair of eyes and ears in the capital so long as the king remained in residence. Thus the two ladies were accompanied only by Peter Vassip, whom the prince had sent to escort them. They set out in a heavy traveling carriage at 10 in the morning, reckoning to reach the castle before evening fell. Their progress would never be rapid and for the last five miles exceedingly slow. They left the capital in complete tranquillity, and when Sophy settled her bill at the sign of the Silver Cock and bade farewell to old Meyerstein, her landlord, he expressed the hope that she would soon be back, though, indeed, his poor house was, he feared, no fit quarters for the Baroness Dobrava.

"I don't know whether I shall come back here, but I can never forget your house. I shall always love it in my memory," said Sophy.

Max von Holbrandt had obtained leave of absence from his legation and had accompanied the prince to Prasiok. The two were friends, having many tastes in common and, not least, the taste for soldiering. Besides having the pleasure of his company the prince looked to obtain valuable aid from Max in the task on which he was engaged. The young German was amused and delighted with his expedition. Prasiok is a primitive old place. It stands on an abrupt mound or knob of ground by the roadside. So steep and sudden is the ascent that it was necessary to build a massive causeway of wood—an inclined plane—to lead up from the road to the gate of the square tower which forms the front of the building. The causeway had crossbars at short intervals to give foothold to the horses which in old days were stabled within the walls. Recently, however, modern stables had been built on the other side of the road, and it had become the custom to mount the causeway and enter the castle on foot.

Within, the arrangements were quaint and very simple. Besides the tower already mentioned, which contained the dining room and two bedrooms above it, the whole building, strictly conditioned by the shape of the hill on which it stood, consisted of three rows of small rooms on the ground floor. In one row lived the prince and his male guests, in the second the servants, in the third the guard. The ladies were to be accommodated in the tower above the dining room. The rows of rooms opened on a covered walk, or cloister, which ran round the inner court of the castle. The whole was solidly built of gray stone—a businesslike old hill fortress, strong by reason of its massive masonry and of the position in which it stood. Considered as a modern residence it had to be treated humorously, so Max declared, and found much pleasure in it from that point of view. The prince, always indifferent to physical comfort and ever averse from luxury, probably did not realize how much his ancestral stronghold demanded of his guests' indulgence. Old Vassip, Peter's father, was major domo—always in his sheepskin coat and high boots. His old wife was cook. Half a dozen servants completed the establishment, and of these three were grooms. The horses, in fact, seemed to Max the only creatures whose comfort were at all on a modern footing. But the prince was entirely satisfied and never so happy anywhere as at Prasiok. He loved the simple, hardy life. He loved even more, though perhaps less consciously, the sense of being among friends. He would not yield an inch to court popularity in Slavna, but his heart went out to meet the unsought devotion of Volseni, the mountain town, and its surrounding villages. Distant and self restrained in Slavna, here he was open, gay and full of an almost boyish ardor.

"It's worth coming here just to see its effect on you," Max told him as the two rode back together from Volseni on the day of Sophy's arrival. They had been at work, and the recruiting promised well.

The prince laughed gayly. "Coming here from Slavna is like fresh air after an oven," he said. "No need to watch your tongue or other people's! You can laugh when you like and frown when you like without a dozen people asking what's your motive for doing it."

"But really you shouldn't have chosen a diplomatist for your companion, sir, if you feel like that."

"I haven't," he smiled. "I've left the diplomatist down there and brought the soldier up. And now that the ladies are coming"—

"Ah, now we must watch our tongues a little bit! Mme. Zerkovitch is very pretty, and the baroness might make me absolutely poetical!"

Least prying of men, yet Max von Holbrandt could not resist sending with this speech a glance at his companion. The visit of the baroness compelled this much tribute to curiosity. But the prince's face was a picture of unembarrassed pleasure.

"Then be poetical! We'll all be poetical!" he cried merrily. "In the intervals of drilling be it understood!" he added, with a laugh.

Into this atmosphere, physical and moral—the exhilaration of keen mountain breezes, the brightness of a winter sun, the play of high hopes and of high spirit—came Sophy, with all her power of enjoying and her ardor in imagining. Her mind leaped from the sad embraces of the past to fly to the arms of the present, to beckon gladly to the future. No more than this had yet emerged into consciousness. She was not yet asking how for good or evil she stood or was to stand toward the prince. Fortune had done wonderful things for her and was doing more yet. That was enough, and beyond that for the moment she was not driven.

The mixture of poetry and drilling suited her to perfection. She got both when she rode over to Volseni with the prince. Crisp snow covered the ground and covered, too, the roofs of the old gray, hillside city—long, sloping roofs, with here and there a round tower with a snow clad extinguisher atop. The town was no more than one long street, which bayed out at the farther end into a market place. It stood with its back against a mountain side, defended on the other three sides by a sturdy wall, which only now, after five centuries, began to crumble away at the top.

At the city gate bread and salt were brought to the bailiff and his companion, and she and he rode side by side down the long street to the market place. Here were two or three hundred tall, fine fellows waiting their leader. Drill had not yet brought formality. On the sight of him they gave a cheer and ran to form a ring about him. Many caught him by the hand and pressed or kissed it. But Sophy, too, claimed their eyes. It was very cold. She wore a short jacket of sable over her habit and a round cap of the same fur, gifts of Lady Meg's in the days of her benevolence. She was at the pitch of pleasure and excitement.

Lukovitch sprang forward and kissed her hand.

In a moment a quick witted fellow divined who she was. "The lady who saved him! The lady who saved him!" he cried at the full pitch of his voice. The prince drew himself up in the saddle and saluted her. "Yes, the lady who saved me," he said. Sophy had the cheers now, and they mounted to her head with fumes of intoxication. It may be guessed how the red star glowed!

"And you'll save him if need be!" she cried quite indiscreetly. The prince smiled and shook his head, but the answer was an enraptured cheer. The hatred of Slavna was a recommendation to Volseni's increased regard, the hint of danger a match to its fiery enthusiasm.

"A favor, bailiff, a favor!" cried a young man of distinguished appearance. He seemed to be well known and to carry weight, for there were shouts of "Hear Lukovitch! Hear Lukovitch!" and one called, with a laugh, "Aye, listen to the Wolf!"

"What is it, Lukovitch?" asked the prince.

"Make the lady of our company, bailiff." New cheers were raised. "Make her a lieutenant of our artillery."

Sophy laughed gayly.

"I have his majesty's authority to choose my officers," said the prince, smiling. "Baroness, will you be a lieutenant and wear our sheepskins in place of your sables there?"

"It is your uniform, monseigneur," Sophy answered, bowing her head.

Lukovitch sprang forward and kissed her hand.

"For our bailiff's preserver as for our bailiff, men of Volseni!" he cried loudly. The answering cheer brought tears to Sophy's sparking eyes. For a moment she could not see her prince nor the men who thus took her to their hearts.

Suddenly in the midst of her exultation she saw a face on the outskirts of the throng. A small, spare man stood there, dressed in unobtrusive tweeds, but making no effort to conceal himself. He was just looking on, a stranger to the town, interested in the picturesque little scene. The face was that of Lieutenant Rastatz.

A small, spare man stood there.

She watched the drilling of the gunners and then rode back with the prince, escorted beyond the gates by a cheering throng, which had now been joined by many women. Dusk was falling, and the old gray city took on a ghostly look. The glory of the sunshine had departed. Sophy shivered a little beneath her furs.

"Monseigneur, did you see Rastatz?" she asked.

"No; I didn't see him, but I knew he was here. Lukovitch told me yesterday."

"And not in uniform?"

"He has leave, no doubt, and his uniform wouldn't make his stay in Volseni any more pleasant."

"What's he there for?" she asked fretfully.

"Ah, baroness, you must inquire of those who sent him, I think." His tone was light and merry.

"To spy on you, I suppose! I hate his being there. He—he isn't worthy to be in dear Volseni."

"You and Volseni have fallen in love with each other, I see! As for spying, all I'm doing I do openly and all I shall do, but I don't blame Stenovics for keeping an eye on me, or Stafnitz either. I do my best to keep an eye on them, you know. We needn't be afraid of Rastatz, we who have beaten Hercules Mistitch in open fight!"

"Oh, well, away with him!" cried Sophy gayly. "The snow's not frozen—shall we canter home monseigneur?"

Merrily they cantered through the fast falling evening side by side. Rastatz was out of mind now. All was out of mind save the fascination of the crisp air, the silent suggestion of gathering night, her prince who rode beside her. The dark mass of the tower of Prasiok rose too soon before her unwilling eyes. She drew reign, sighing.

"If life were just all that and nothing else!" she said, as he helped her to dismount and the grooms took the horses. She stopped halfway up the steep wooden causeway and turned to look back toward Volseni. The prince stood close by her.

"That's good, but life has better things," he said softly. "To ride together is good and to play together, but to work together is better still, baroness."

For a moment Sophy was silent. Then she laughed in joy.

"Well, I'm to wear your uniform henceforth, monseigneur!"

He drew her hand and kissed it. Very slowly and gradually she drew it away, her eyes meeting his as he raised his head. The heavy door at the top of the causeway opened. Marie Zerkovitch stood there, holding a lamp high in her hand. The sudden light flooded their faces. For a moment more he looked at her, then went down again on his way to the stables. Sophy ran up to where Marie Zerkovitch stood.

"You heard our horses?" she asked gayly.

But there was no responsive smile on Marie's lips. For her, too, the light had shone on those two faces, and she was sorely troubled.

The next day again they rode together, and the next. On the third day Sophy rode into Volseni in the sheepskin cap and tunic, a short habit of blue hiding her leather breeches and coming halfway over her long boots. The prince gave her his hand as they rode into the market place.

Marie Zerkovitch trembled. Max von Holbrandt shrugged his shoulders with a laugh, and little Rastatz drove back to Slavna through the night. He thought that he had seen enough for his purposes. His report might be useful in the city on the Krath.

Chapter Eighteen

In Slavna Dr. Natcheff continued his reassuring reports until the public at large was so reassured as to ask for no more reports even of the most optimistic description, but the state of mind of the few people behind the scenes was very different. Stafnitz's conclusion held sway there. The time was short! That was the ruling thought and the governing fact. It might be very short, and the end might come without warning. The secret was well kept, but to those to whom he spoke at all Natcheff spoke openly. The king's life hung on a thread, which the least accident might break. With perfect quiet and tranquillity he might live a year, possibly two years. Any shock or overstrain would precipitate the end. Countess Ellenburg and her confidential friends knew this, the king knew it himself, and Lepage, his valet, knew it. There the possession of the secret stopped.

The king was gay and courageous. Courage, at least, he had never lacked. He seemed almost indifferent. The best years were over, he said, and why not an end? An end swift, without pain, without waiting! There was much to be said for it. Lepage agreed with his master and told him so in his usual blunt fashion. They agreed together not to cry about it, and the king went fishing still. But the time was short, and he pushed on his one great idea with a zeal and an earnestness foreign to his earlier habit. He would see his son married or at least betrothed before he died. He would see the great marriage in train, the marriage which was to establish forever the rank and prestige of the house of Stefanovitch. The Prince of Slavna must set forth on his travels, seeking a wife. The king even designated a princess of most unquestionable exaltedness as the first object of his son's attentions or pursuit. With an unusual peremptoriness and an unusual independence he sent Stenovics orders to communicate his wishes directly to the prince. Stenovics received the royal memorandum on the day on which Lieutenant Rastatz returned to Slavna with the fruits of his observation at Volseni in his hand.

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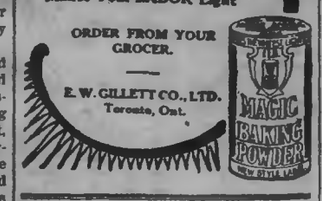

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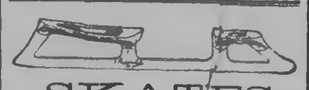

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Miss Tillinghast is the most famous woman worker in stained glass in the world. She was a pupil of John La Farge and of Caroline Duran and has lived and studied abroad the greater part of her life. With all her genius and reputation in the art world, this little woman is modest and retiring and almost shy when induced to talk about her work. In an interview at the gallery recently Miss Tillinghast said that the window, which is unusually large and contains a number of figures, took a year to execute and that the subject had been treated after the celebrated picture at Fontainebleau depicting the revocation of the edict of Nantes, before which canvas she had spent many inspiring weeks.

When asked about the mechanical end of her work she smiled and answered: "Why, that is the simplest part of it all. Of course you know." the artist continued, "the subject is usually suggested to me by the person giving the commission, and that these glass effects are made for a specific purpose, and place makes the work easier. The subject matter settled, the next step is to get my inspiration. If the theme is allegorical I read, dream and make sketches of my fancies until they materialize into something workable. Should the theme be historical I haunt, as in the present instance, the country that gave rise to the scene.

"Then I make a rough draft and afterward work out the picture with living models. Another sketch is made from this and the lead lines, a most important part of the scheme, put in. Under my direction the dyes are made and the glass cut and put together by skilled workmen."

In reply to the statement that a worker in stained glass had to be not only an artist, but a special colorist, architect and mathematician, Miss Tillinghast pointed to a small "e" in the word "edict" and said, "Well, there are four sections in that fifth letter of the alphabet." Which clinched the matter of the exact science conclusively.

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Scraps of meat "leftovers" may be utilized by chopping fine and adding enough water to cover then cooking a few minutes with a little salt, butter and pepper. Thicken as you would gravy. Line muffin or gem tins with pie crust and bake then fill with mixture and serve hot.

When cleaning pantry shelves fold together at least three sheets of newspaper the longest way of the full sheet. Place the fold to the front of the shelf, fit carefully and when next clean papers are needed slip a silver knife to the fold of the outer sheet, cut along the entire length and remove the soiled part. In this way your shelves may be cleaned often and with little labor.

If one has a bedroom wall on which butterflies or certain varieties of flowers predominate as a decorative figure, then rugs, following this same idea, are easily made to order at any of the places where this work is done. A genuinely effective and unusual rag rug had butterflies of pale yellowish and brown across the border of a yellowish and brown rug. The butterflies looked as though they had been worked in afterward, for they were a lower weave than the body of the rug. The same idea was carried out in a bird design for a border on a studio rug. For dens and studios these quaint floor mats are most attractive.

WHAT DREAMS MEAN.

Aids For the Raveling of Dreamland Lore.

Flying.—To dream you are flying is a very excellent omen. It foretells elevation of fortune. It also indicates that you will take a long journey which will turn out advantageous to you.

Injury.—To dream you receive an injury signifies that you have many friends and no enemies. If you dream of inflicting an injury you will both receive and dispense blessings.

Jockey.—If a girl dreams she sees a jockey riding at full speed she will have an offer of marriage made her very unexpectedly.

Legacy.—To dream of receiving a legacy denotes losing whatever you own that is in the hands of another.

Malice.—To dream that some one bears you malice foretells a pleasant prospect in your worldly affairs and that you will soon be advanced to some important station.

Money.—To dream of receiving money is a good omen, but to dream of losing it is a proof you will be deceived and unsuccessful in business.

Neighing.—To dream you hear horses neigh augurs that you will have new and powerful friends who will do you much service.

Paper.—To dream of paper is a good omen, but if it appears rumpled you will have to go through trouble of some kind.

MODERN WITCHCRAFT.

Story of Weird Incantation Is Told In an English Court.

In defending an action brought in the Oredition (Devon) County Court recently by a grocer named Ford to recover $10 for goods supplied Edith Patten, a single woman, gave an extraordinary reason for not paying the debt.

When in the shop on one occasion, she said, Mrs. Ford offered her a cupful of tea, and while she was drinking it Mrs. Ford's daughter pronounced the following incantation:

"Make them hot and make them swell, make them thin, walk them away and work them away. Put it in the arms and in the legs and in the feet. Put it in the face; fill up with neuralgia, toothache and more. Her have drinked it. Her have drinked it very well and don't know what her have drinked and will go to her grave."

In the evening, said Miss Patten, she became very hot and thirsty, so thirsty that she drank three quarts of tea and half a breakfast cupful of vinegar. She felt faint and thought she was dying.

The Judge—Do you believe that they bewitched you? I don't believe in anything of the sort, but I am getting thinner.

Judgment was given for the plaintiff.

"Dying" Man Laughs.

The illustrious baritone, Sir Charles Santley, could fill several books with interesting reminiscences in his career. He was born in Liverpool on Feb. 28, 1834, and sang his first solo in public at a chapel when he was 14 years of age. His first appearance in London was in 1857, after having studied for two years in Italy under the famous Nava. A good yarn is told of his debut in Dublin as Valentine in Gounod's "Faust." After the duel the lady who impersonated Martha rushed on the stage, at the head of a crowd of choristers, and raised the head of the dying Valentine. The house was very still, owing to the tragic manner in which he had fallen, when suddenly a voice from the gallery shouted: "Unbutton his wes'kit, 'Arry," a remark which evoked roars of laughter, and even Sir Charles forgot he was supposed to be mortally wounded. Returning from Worcester Festival one year, the train in which the famous vocalist was traveling met with an accident outside Westbourne Park Station. Fortunately, however, Sir Charles escaped with a few bruises. The doctor recommended him to keep within doors for a couple of weeks, and he would get him $10,000 damages, but the suggestion was declined.

Successful Woman, Successful Wife.

The popular idea is that any woman is good enough to be a wife. "She'll soon settle down once she's married," is commonly said of the most unsatisfactory sort of girl. But, as a matter of fact, the only way to be a success as a wife is to be a success as a woman first. The talents and virtues which constitute a good wife do not grow in a miraculous Jack and the Beanstalk manner as a mere result of getting married.

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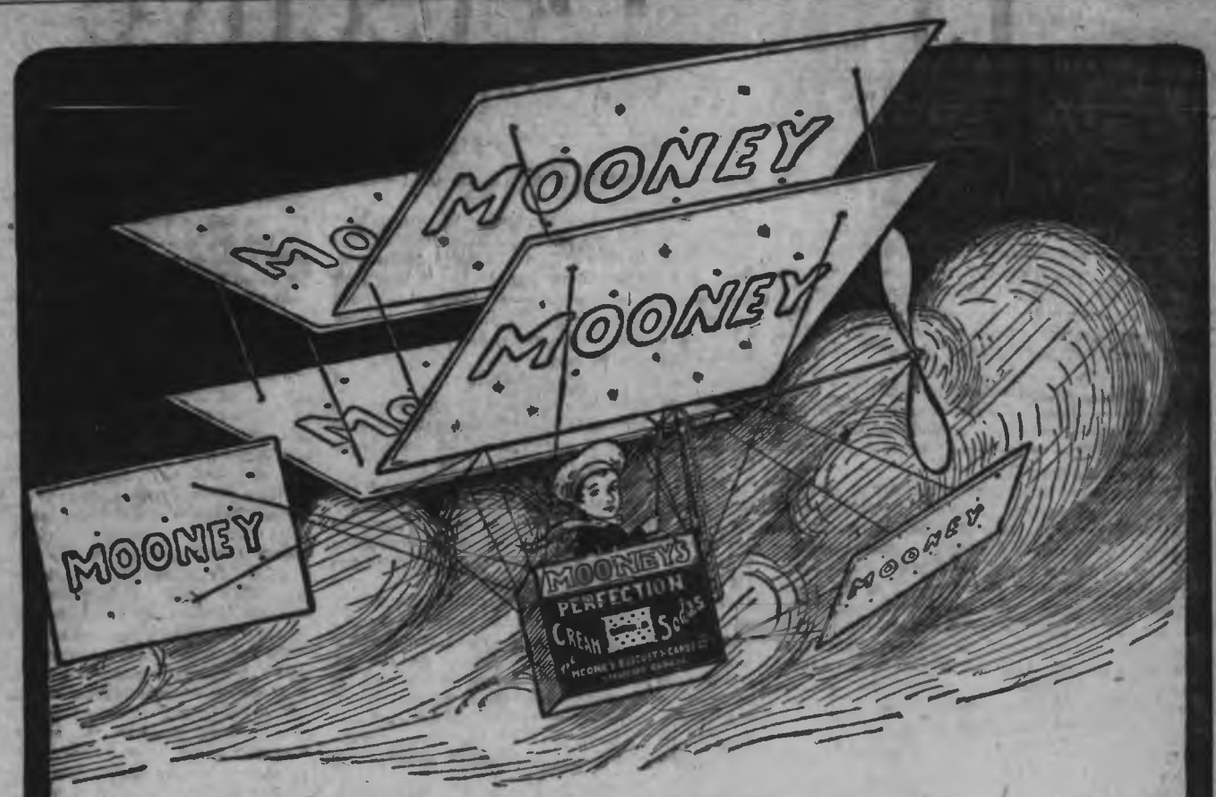

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Cowboy Not Dead.

As the Canadian west is such an enormous country, its settling is no matter of a decade or two. The United States has been settling its west for over half a century, yet millions of cattle still roam on its ranges, and thousands of cowboys whirl their lass' ropes and control their fiery steeds. The tendency has indeed ever been of late towards smaller ranches, and leases are supplanting free grass, and the same will apply to Canada. But we must not say that the cowboy is disappearing because he is beginning to call himself a rancher, and because his legs are not forever encased in the leather "chaps."

The cowboy will tell you that the real puncher of the best type neither more or less than any expert at handling range cattle; and there are still to be found in the west, clad though they be, not in buckskin shirts and fringed leggings, but in overalls and tweed vests. Men whose skill in handling a lass' rope, or in managing a herd of wild frightened cattle or a mean and vicious horse, is an unceasing wonder to the eastern eye.

It will be to the great advantage of the Dominion to number among its citizens men of the fearless, generous, hard-working and altogether heroic mould in which the average cowpuncher is cast.—Calgary Herald.

A Wonderful Harbor.

Churchill harbor is simply a land locked lake of eight miles in length running northeast and southwest by about four miles in breadth, in area approximately two townships in extent. The Churchill or English River falls into the harbor on its southwest corner. An outlet of about one-quarter of a mile wide at Fort Prince of Wales, leads to the open sea and to deep water.

This channel at low waters in its shoalest spot is 27 feet deep. It has an average tide of two fathoms. The sheltered harbor requires dredging and the removing of large boulders, stones and other impediments. Its deepest and best ship anchorage, gives 45 feet, opposite the present whaling station. A powerful ice-breaker could keep the channel leading to the open sea serviceable the whole year round. As time will prove, suitable tugs, aided by lighthouses, fishing stations, improved charts and the all important wireless telegraphy, will simply pick up and lead in a transatlantic vessel with ease, as soon as it enters the straits at the Button islands.

Dogs Prevent Accidents.

Superintendent Stinson, of the Ontario Provincial Department of Game and Fisheries, declares that that province has had this year the smallest number of serious accidents from hunting with hounds. He argues that still hunting requires the expert, the man who knows woodcraft, and that among the thousands who go to the woods not half a dozen could bring home a deer if it depended on woodcraft. Nearly all the deer are shot along the water paths with the hounds in pursuit. The use of hounds in hunting, he holds, is a preventive of accidents, for there is no mistaking the approach of an animal when chased by dogs. Moreover, in the northern districts, with their second growth of timber, still hunting would be almost impossible.

Not to Be Told.

"I see you've got a new fountain pen. What do you think of it?"

"Hush! The minister is sitting over there, and he'll hear us."

ROYAL CHRISTMAS CARDS.

Members of British Reigning Family Sent Artistic Little Folders.

Those who received Christmas cards from King Edward this season came into possession of an artistic production of the highest order.

King Edward's "card" this year was a four-page pamphlet, the frontispiece depicting the historical origin of the Order of the Garter, with Edward III. gallantly picking up the blue ribbon which the Countess of Salisbury had dropped. Within the book are the words:

"Gracious and tranquil may the season smile,
And social pleasure wing its golden hours."
"With best wishes for a happy Christmas and a bright New Year."

Queen Alexandra's Christmas greeting was a much smaller and less pretentious effort. Faced by a copy of J. H. Bacon's famous picture, "Roman Maidens Listening to the Christmas Story," it contains a portion of the score of Salmond's music to Miss Burnside's words:

"Still the old, old Christmas story,
To Faith's ears as fresh as when
Angel hosts, in ranks of glory,
Sang of God's good-will to men."

The Queen of Norway's card had a reproduction of Bennett's "Madonna and Child," with a verse; and the Prince of Wales used a picture of the Black Prince receiving the Garter, with the greeting: "May time befortune you with all good gifts. With best wishes for a happy Christmas and a bright New Year."

A Polite Hint.

By way of protest to those reckless paragraphers who are interesting themselves in the edicts of fashion it can be stated with a strong emphasis that no gentleman ever refers to a thin lady as a slat.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The Kaiser's Gifts.

In order to avoid rewarding certain services with orders of the Red or Black Eagle the kaiser has adopted the custom of offering snuffboxes enriched with his miniature or that of the empress.—Paris Figaro.

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True Detective Stories

"English Billy" and His Fifteen Friends.

BY A. L. DRUMMOND, FORMERLY CHIEF OF THE U. S. SECRET SERVICE.

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IN the detective business no incident is so small that it may not lead to the most important disclosures. Therein lies the fascination of the work. Early in January, 1881, I was asked to help apprehend William Burns, otherwise known as "English Billy," who had been shot while attempting, in company with another man then unknown, to pass counterfeit money in Stamford, Conn. I made a search of the New York hospitals and finally found him in the surgical ward of Blackwell's Island. When he recovered I took him before Commissioner Shields, but the Stamford authorities failed positively to identify him. They were morally certain he was the man they wanted, but they could not give unqualified affirmative answers and he was discharged.

The incident seemed ended, but I thought I would watch Burns a little while, just to see who his friends were and what he would do. I put Daniel McSweeney on his track when he left the courtroom and told him to shadow the young fellow.

McSweeney watched around for a day or two and learned that Burns seemed to be one of a gang of good-for-nothing men who made their headquarters in the resorts around Chatham square. Who these men were McSweeney did not know. He only knew they spent their time playing pool, drinking, gambling and so on.

The secrets of such men, if they have any, can be gained only by slow, painstaking effort, and the fact that their companion Burns was a counterfeiter seemed to make it worth while to learn more about them. So when McSweeney reported for duty the next morning I called him into my office.

"Dan," said I, "I want you to go down and camp with this crowd and find out who they are and what they are doing. Get yourself a room in a cheap lodging house, rig yourself out in some old clothes, gradually give them the impression that you are a crook and see if you cannot uncover some counterfeiters among them."

From that day on until the end of the case Daniel McSweeney was to Chatham square not Daniel McSweeney, United States Secret Service operative, but "Dan" Dugan, living without visible means of support and presumably a criminal. He established himself in a fourth floor back bedroom in a lodging house that decent men never entered. His days and his nights he spent in the places in which the gang stayed. He played pool with the pool players, cards with the card players and, so far as appearances were concerned, became as much of a loafer as any of them.

After he had hung around with them for three or four days he disappeared from their haunts for a day. When he returned to them he brought with him four or five watches with which I had provided him. Some of the watches had an inch or two of chain hanging to them, the links having been snipped off in the peculiar manner that thieves know so well. The ring of another watch had been wrenched out, as pickpockets by a quick twist remove the ring of a watch that they want to steal.

Between games of pool and at other appropriate times McSweeney showed these watches to some of his friends. They looked at them with interest. They also looked at McSweeney with interest. Here was a man who was buying stolen goods. They often had stolen goods to sell. With this man they could do business. And, as a matter of fact, this theory proved true. Within the next few days McSweeney bought from members of the gang several stolen articles, which he turned over to me, properly initialled, for identification.

As the relations between McSweeney and his new friends became more intimate remarks began to be made to Dan about counterfeit money. No one admitted that he had any to sell, but the drift of the conversation always simmered down to the fact that if McSweeney—or "Dugan," as they called him—wanted to deal a little in spurious silver some of the crowd could stock him up. Dan, however, always shook his head. He was not in the business. He wouldn't touch a bit of counterfeit. It was dangerous, and besides, it was not in his line. And even when Daniel Sullivan, who was known to the trade as "Scotty," urged McSweeney to take a chance, at the same time offering to sell him the goods, Dan waved him away.

"It's too risky for me," said Dan. "Those who want to can handle it—and some good men do—but I will not. I have a friend down in New Orleans who has made a barrel of money in this way, and he's never been caught, but I like to sleep nights and I couldn't if I had that on my mind."

Dan, however, was only drawing back to make a plunge. Together we fixed up a letter from his supposed friend in New Orleans, in which McSweeney was asked if he could not buy for him in New York $600 worth of counterfeit silver dollars. Directing the letter to Dugan to his Chatham square address, I enclosed it in another envelope and sent it to New Orleans to be mailed back.

When the letter was delivered to McSweeney he tore off the signature to create the impression thereby that he was trying to protect his friend and showed the communication to "Scotty" Sullivan.

"This crazy man at New Orleans can't get enough counterfeit down South," said Dan, "and is now sending North for it. I hate to touch the stuff, even to buy it for him, but he did me a good turn once when I was in a tight place and I must do it. Have you got $600 worth about you, 'Scotty?'"

"Scotty" hadn't. He was so small a dealer that he had to pick a pocket to get money enough to buy the lead and antimony with which to get a manufacturer to make $100 for him, and Dan knew it. But the plan was to make "Scotty" believe he had got against a big customer, so he would spread the news among other and perhaps larger members of the gang. All that "Scotty" could rake up was $30 worth of trade dollars, which McSweeney bought, initialled and turned over to me.

The deal over, Dan went on with his pool playing and for a day or two reported nothing of much importance. He soon came in, however, with a worried look on his face. He had been in trouble. He did not know whether he had done right, but he had engaged in a fight with one of the gang. It came about this way:—

Dan and a crook named William Saunders were playing pool.

"What were you coming out of Drummond's office for this morning?" asked Saunders.

"Who is Drummond?" asked Dan.

"Drummond is the New York chief of the Secret Service. I guess you know him well."

"I never heard of him, and any one who says I was ever in his office is a liar," said Dan, laying down his cue. "Who said so?"

"'Scotty' Sullivan told me," replied Saunders.

'Scotty' was just in the act of trying to make a fine shot at another table. He was still fiddling with his cue when the sound of an angry voice caused him to look up.

BIFF—BANG—WENT HIS FISTS.

"Did you tell Bill Saunders that you saw me coming out of Drummond's office this morning?" asked Dan.

"I guess I did—for a saw you."

Biff! bang! went the fists and in less than half a minute "Scotty" was lying on the floor with one eye in process of becoming a deep black. Other members of the gang rushed in and pulled Dan from his place on "Scotty's" chest.

"It was only a joke," explained Saunders, who had started the trouble by telling the story to Dan. "'Scotty' had sold you a little stuff and wanted to make sure that you were 'on the level.' He asked me to tell you he had seen you coming from Drummond's office just to see how you would act. If you were a copper he thought he could tell it."

"It's all right about its being a joke and about 'Scotty' trying to see if I was a copper," said Dan. "But nobody can talk that way to me. If I hadn't knocked Scotty out, then he would have meant it. Having knocked him out, he didn't mean it. All I've got to say to you fellows is that I'll break any man's head who says he ever saw me come out of Drummond's office. I don't have to make a living that way."

This is the story that Dan told to me, while his face wore a worried look.

"Maybe I did wrong, Chief—I don't know. Did I?"

"Dan," said I, "it is always a very serious thing for an officer to assault a citizen. But if any of that gang should ever again tell you that he saw you coming out of my office hit him harder than you did 'Scotty.'"

As a matter of fact, Dan's frenzied defence of his honor, resulting as it did in Scotty's black eye, did more than he could have so quickly accomplished in any other way toward giving him the complete confidence of every member of the crowd. From that moment they entertained no doubt concerning him. He was one of them, ready to pick a pocket, buy stolen goods, or, on a pinch, get counterfeit money for his friend in New Orleans.

As a result events moved rapidly from that time on. In a little while McSweeney had bought some counterfeit money from Saunders, who, he learned, was a manufacturer of spurious coins; from Edward King and Charles J. Wilson, also manufacturers, and from John Farrell, alias Jack Barrett, who was with Burns at Stamford the night Burns was shot. As rapidly as he could make the deals without exciting suspicion he also bought from Christopher McDonald, another manufacturer, and from Samuel Baker, Robert Kelly, James R. Hyde, James F. Murphy and David Angelo. William Burns also sold him a few pieces, and, after great effort, he succeeded in making purchases from Martin Leonard, saloon keeper and leader of the gang, and from Ann McCormack, Leonard's common law wife. Altogether McSweeney bought, marked and turned over to me counterfeit money that he had bought from sixteen members of the band.

The next thing was to get the men under arrest. If officers with warrants for the whole lot were sent out to scour the Chatham square resorts not more than four or five could be picked up before the news of their capture would cause the rest to flee. So it became necessary to get them by ones and twos without letting any knowledge of their fate get into the newspapers or otherwise to become public until the whole sixteen, or most of them, at any rate, were in prison.

We were delayed a little by reason of the fact that Baker had gone to Washington to pick pockets during the inauguration ceremonies of President Garfield, but at last we got under way. McSweeney lured "Scotty" Sullivan down near the Post Office Building, where officers of mine were lying in wait. An apparent attempt was made to arrest both of them, but McSweeney, of course, was permitted to get away, while "Scotty" was taken to the station house and put where newspaper reporters could not find him. Then I conceived the idea of establishing headquarters in the old International Hotel, which stood on the present site of the Park Row Building. At the head of the stairs in this building I hired a number of rooms and the plan was for McSweeney to lure the members of the gang, on one pretext or another, to these rooms, one of which he pretended to be occupying.

The plan worked well. McSweeney with a companion would come up the stairs and start to enter one of the rooms. Two or three of us would slip up behind them, grab the one we wanted in such a way as to pinion his arms to his sides and hustle him away. One by one we put them away in this manner until perhaps eight or ten had been picked up. Then I made up my mind we would go to Martin Leonard's saloon and get him and the woman with whom he lived.

Leonard and his barkeeper were both bad men. Besides the customary cheese knives and implements of that sort, they also had, as we afterward found, more revolvers and knives than they had hands to use. I knew that if we walked in and tried to take them by force it would mean a fight in which we might be compelled to kill one or both of them to prevent being killed. So McSweeney, at my suggestion, went into the saloon and asked for a glass of beer, while we waited outside near the door. Having taken his drink he came out, passing through the short swinging screen and then called back:—

"Oh, Martin! Come out and see the scrap!"

Martin hustled around from behind the counter, and the moment he came through the door we grabbed him around the arms and snapped the handcuffs around his wrists. He didn't seem to know what was going on until he heard the click of the cuffs, which he then gave such a wrench that it seemed as if he would break them. His barkeeper, who was also a dealer in counterfeit, followed at his heels, and we gathered him in in the same manner. Then we went up stairs and took Ann McCormack, Leonard's wife.

At one o'clock in the morning we were hammering on the door of Saunders' apartments, on the fourth floor of a lodging house in Second avenue above Houston street. Over the transom we could see a dim light, but repeated knocks brought no answer. We burst in the door, and Saunders' wife, clad only in her night clothing, flew at us like a tigress. Catching sight of McSweeney, she turned on him as if she would have torn him in pieces, calling him all the vile names to which she could lay her tongue.

"Danny Dugan!" she shrieked. "I knew you were a copper all the time. I always told Bill you'd throw him down and now you've done it."

It all happened so quickly that Saunders, who had been asleep, had barely time to rub his eyes when he was also put under arrest. Both were compelled to dress and were taken to the station house.

Two hours later, or at three o'clock in the morning, we were at Edward King's home, on Forsyth street, near Rivington. King lived on the third floor, rear, of a tenement, and, like the other house we visited, a light was burning, but knocks brought no answer. So we burst in his door.

HE THEN GAVE SUCH A WRENCH THAT IT SEEMED AS IF HE WOULD BREAK THEM.

We might have thought we were in a mint. Silver coins of all denominations were scattered about the rooms—for King and Wilson, who were found in bed, were at work when we came. Molten lead was in the melting pots, the molds were lying open, and everything was as it would have been if two men who had been at work all night had suddenly stopped for a moment.

We found more than four hundred counterfeit coins, all of which had been made since sundown. And talk about your Central American military costume!—a pair of spurs and a Panama hat—the room in which these men worked was so hot that they wore nothing but handkerchiefs under their chins.

With these men behind the bars with the others, the only important man who was still out of jail was Burns—"English Billy." Many a time McSweeney had tried to inveigle Burns to the International Hotel, but without success. Perhaps Burns had noticed that the men who walked away with McSweeney never came back; at any rate, he always had [illegible] when Dan tried to lure him down to the [illegible] where the rest of us were waiting to get him.

More than that, Burns had told McSweeney he would kill me on sight. He never forgave me for arresting him after he had been shot in Connecticut and had "gotten away clean," as he expressed it. McSweeney believed he meant business and warned me not to get in his way.

"You have a wife and family, chief," McSweeney said, "and if I can get Burns up here I will arrest him. He has no feeling against me. At any rate, you had better let him alone."

"All right, Dan," said I. "Get him if you can, but I am willing to take a chance on him if it so happens that you cannot get him up to the room."

All other means having failed to get Burns, several of us started out one day to arrest him. On the way to the place where we expected to find him we met him in the street.

"Hello, Billy," said McSweeney. "Where are you going?"

Burns mumbled something about being in a hurry and started to run. Dan took after him, but Burns was the better runner. Instantly McSweeney and all the rest of us began to yell "Stop thief!" A big policeman, hearing the cries and seeing the fleeing Burns, swung his night stick on him and Burns dropped. Nor did he get up until he was picked up. In one hand was clasped a dagger. In one of his pockets was a revolver. In his scalp was a gaping wound seven inches long.

The entire sixteen having been arrested, their trials followed in due order. Fourteen either pleaded guilty or were convicted. Dennis Glennon was the only one who was acquitted, and Joseph Delehanti, for some reason that I could never understand, was not tried. Leonard, the leader of the gang, was given a ten years' sentence. His wife was sent up for two years. Burns was given five years. Two were let off on suspended sentence and the others were given from one to three years each.

The next day after the arrest of Burns I was talking with the policeman who assisted so materially by knocking him out with his club.

"That was a bad man that you helped to arrest yesterday," said I, adding a few particulars about his crimes and desperate character.

"You don't say so," said the giant Irishman, who had made a seven inch wound in Burns' scalp. "If I'd known that I'd hit him ha-arder."

CALDWELL'S RIDE.

BY F. W. EDDY.

UNION SQUARE put Caldwell in romantic mood that morning. It had for him the smell of a holiday, with its russet foliage, its carpet of crumpled green and its denuded flower beds. The burnished sky and mellow air were equally seductive, as if nature had laid itself out to make a truant of him.

Caldwell's specialty lay in being out of the common run. In his own phrase, he was an "autumnal ground hog," seeking his burrow in June and emerging only with the scent of assured frost. In summer he dragged himself to work, yawned through his daily task and limped back home with all his spirit wrung—or sizzled—out of him. Now he was again in his element.

"In weather like this," he said to himself, "I would like to be well enough fixed to telephone to the office that I am not coming down."

Not having reached that estate, and as he was due at his desk in the next ten minutes, he filled his lungs with the air of promised frost and cast himself into the flow of travel on the busy sidewalk.

Holiday reflections stayed with him as he walked, and they still occupied him when, turning into Sixth avenue, he almost ran into a sign which read as follows:—

> Wheels by the Hour.
> Special Price for the Day,
> Reduced to
> Only 30 Cents.

Next to having the day at his disposal, Caldwell thought the noon hour on a wheel would be just to his liking. It was no weather for violent exercise, but how he would enjoy filling himself with the soft air, pedalling without effort, quietly, gently and only so fast that the air might [illegible] down to Washington square, up Fifth avenue to Madison square, over to Gramercy Park, across to Stuyvesant square and back to the office through Union square, all within an hour. "If it was only Tuesday instead of Thursday," he sighed. Caldwell's purse habitually became lean by Thursday.

The bicycle sign came between him and his accounts. His desk mate, Phillips, worked on like a machine while Caldwell felt under constant restraint lest he write "only 30 cents" in place of figures properly belonging to his entries. It was plain that Phillips had no sentiment and that it would be waste of breath to talk of perfumed air and russet trees to a man who plodded like a farm horse in all seasons. But Caldwell reflected that with the plodder Tuesday and Thursday were financially alike. Phillips might not long for the beautiful, but he took care of money, and when he called on the cashier on Saturday it was only to add the wages of another week to a store of savings already comfortable.

That morning the conduct of Caldwell toward Phillips denoted a fondness not usually apparent in their relations. He filled his ink well for him, offered him fresh pens, praised the neatness of his work and at noon brought him his hat. They went out together, and at the street door Caldwell said, "Great day, Phillips; don't you think so?"

"Weather never bothers me," was the indifferent reply.

"A day like this makes me want to get out," Caldwell went on eagerly, "and all the morning I have been thinking of a bicycle ride, just for the noon hour. I am hungering to fill myself with this air on a wheel, pedalling quietly and gently and just fast enough to be nicely fanned, down to Washington square, up Fifth avenue to Madison square, over to Gramercy Park, across to Stuyvesant square and back to the office through Union square, all within the hour. My pocket gets poor toward the end of the week, you know, but if you wouldn't mind helping me out with half a dollar I will hand it back to you on Saturday when we get our pay, and be ever so much obliged."

"Mr. Caldwell," came the cold response, "if you are so hungry as you say for spicy air you had better find a way to feed yourself. I look on that sort of thing as waste and I am not lending money for it. For some sensible use I might lend, but for this purpose I refuse—on principle."

Caldwell had appetite for only the scantiest luncheon. The fresh air seemed to mock him. Rather against his will than by design he drifted in front of the haunting sign which had drawn a considerable custom for the noon hour. He saw clerks like himself mount and ride gayly off. Some girls from neighboring stores hired wheels. He watched for several minutes a stout woman whom the sign had attracted. She had difficulty in mounting, even when assisted, and lost nerve completely when she began to pedal. As she fell the third time a voice behind Caldwell said, "Looks as if she were getting more than she expected for her money." When Caldwell saw that the speaker was Phillips, he counted ten to himself to curb his resentment and said in the blandest tones:—

"She would do very well with a little help. It is as simple as walking. If you were on a wheel, Mr. Phillips, you would go like a bird."

"You don't really think so?" queried Phillips.

"I am positive, Mr. Phillips, and you will never have a better chance. Here I am to help you, and this is a bargain day—price reduced to only 30 cents an hour."

Phillips and Caldwell entered the place. Caldwell selected the wheels and Phillips paid for an hour's hire. Assisted by Caldwell, Phillips found mounting most easy, and with Caldwell beside him he moved along, indeed, as freely as a bird. At a corner soon after the start Caldwell stepped aside for a passing cart and removed his hand from Phillips' saddle. Minus this support the bird lost poise and sprawled to earth.

"My dear Mr. Phillips," explained Caldwell, "you should have followed my instructions. I warned you not to think of your balance, but to sit straight and keep your eyes well ahead. It is perfectly simple. Let me show you."

Phillips jogged at his side, while Caldwell fed his hunger with the nutritive air, pedalling quietly, gently, and only so fast that the air fanned him, down to Washington square, up Fifth avenue to Madison square, over to Gramercy Park, across to Stuyvesant square, and back to the office through Union square, all within the noon hour.

A Matter of Conventions

By CLARISSA MACKIE.

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The train screamed its way through the valley, grunted up the steep incline and came to a standstill before the ramshackle little station. It paused while two passengers alighted, and then it hurried off, as if it was glad to get away from such an insignificant stopping place.

Elsie Lansing accepted her leather bag from the taciturn station agent, who at the same time pushed a suit case toward the other traveler, a tall young man buttoned up in a gray ulster.

"Stage here for Greentop?" queried the latter, picking up his grip.

"Not this day!" returned the agent grimly. "Jim Laidlaw, he seems to think Saturday's made special so's he can git a little drunker'n usual! If you ain't expected, you'll have to walk!" With which remark he slammed the station door and turned the key.

"Let me see—it's twelve miles to Greentop, isn't it?" asked the stranger thoughtfully.

"Twelve and a half. Straight road ahead." The agent tramped away across the platform and disappeared inside a small cottage perched on the high bank above the tracks.

Elsie Lansing looked dubiously at the frozen road stretching away between pine clad heights, faintly touched with the early morning sun. She had traveled all night and had telegraphed for her newly acquired brother-in-law to meet her.

There was no sign of the white motor car which had been a part of the bridal equipment and which was to speed her to the Eyrie, in the Green mountains, away from civilization and its attendant comforts.

"If you are going to Greentop, permit me to carry your bag," said the young man, lifting his hat. "It is a stiff walk, but perhaps it will stimulate an appetite for dinner."

"You are very good," replied Elsie pleasantly, "but my bag is not heavy, and I can easily carry it myself."

Without further conversation they left the station and made their way along the road in the shadow of the pines.

It was a crisp day, with a tang of early winter in the breath of the north wind. It was an invigorating day, with its strong scent of pine and balsom, the rattle of crisp, dry cones and the sweet purity of mountain air.

The stranger walked on ahead with long, swinging strides. His head was bent thoughtfully, and it was quite evident that he had forgotten the girl, who was struggling to keep pace with him. Suddenly he turned and perceived her.

"I must ask your pardon!" he cried commiseratively. "I forgot—that is, I did not realize how fast I was walking. Let me take your bag. You are very tired."

He took it from her unresisting hand and looked down at the delicate cheek, paler by contrast of the fringing dark lashes.

"I hope it isn't much farther," she admitted ruefully. "I have been ill, and my strength is fickle."

He stopped and looked about him. They had come to a slight opening in the forest, where the sun streamed over fallen tree trunks and glinted on the surface of a tiny brook that wound its way across the road.

"We will rest here," he said, with a note of authority in his voice. "It is a good deal farther. We have come perhaps three miles. If you will let me take you back to the station I will return to Greentop and procure a conveyance of some sort"—

"No," she objected, sinking wearily on to a fallen log. "I will be rested presently. You see, I didn't eat any breakfast, and"—

"No breakfast!" he echoed blankly. "I don't wonder you are tired. Wait a minute, please!" He knelt down before his suit case and unlocked it. From its depths of masculine apparel he brought forth a small alcohol stove, a bottle of the necessary liquid and a small tin of beef extract.

Elsie watched him with amused interest. With deft fingers he filled and lighted the lamp and opened the tin of extract. "I wonder if he is a drummer and is demonstrating some of his wares!"

But there was something in the man's thin, intellectual face, with its near sighted blue eyes behind thick glasses, that belied her estimate. There was a vague familiarity about his movements that puzzled her.

"Here," he said, approaching her with a small silver drinking cup, "drink this, please."

"You are very kind indeed," she said gratefully, sipping the hot liquid, "I am afraid I am depriving you of your luncheon."

He threw back his head and laughed heartily. Elsie liked the laugh and decided that she liked the man.

"Excuse me, but you must think I'm an old maid—to be traveling about with that equipment," he said. "You see, I have an invalid aunt in Greentop. These are to rejoice her heart!"

"I have bonbons in my bag," confessed Elsie. "Shall we eat them?"

"Let's," he assented gayly.

When the empty box had been thrown away and the spirit lamp and its appurtenances had been returned to the suit case Elsie arose and drew her furs about her white throat.

"I feel like a new woman," she said gratefully.

"The Lord forbid!" he cried, with fervency.

They laughed in unison as they resumed their journey. The way seemed shorter now as they chatted of impersonal matters. Once the man referred to a certain scientific work.

"I haven't read that; I did read Professor Ray's book on the same subject."

"Ah! You have read Ray's book?" he questioned.

She nodded. "I had to!"

"Why under compulsion?" There was deep interest in his tone.

"You see, Peter Ray is my brother-in-law's elder brother."

"You know him?" he asked.

"Not at all. I have never seen him, but Bob says he is a jolly grind, and my sister says he is charming."

"See that squirrel," said the man, suddenly changing the subject. "It is a flying squirrel, and his antics are worth watching. Squirrels are perfect acrobats."

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A long, white motor car crawled down the road to the railroad station. A man struggled ineffectually with the speed levers.

"Four hours from the Eyrie, darling," murmured a white veiled vision from the tonneau.

"I can't help it, Lettie! I don't know what's got into the machine! Elsie will be starved to death after this long wait. If Laidlaw isn't there she may try to walk," groaned Bob Ray dismally.

"If Peter was only here!" said Lettie gently.

"Aye, Peter could make the blamed thing go! By Jove, Lettie, look there!" He pointed ahead, where a huge log was rolled beside the path.

On it sat a man and a girl deeply interested in watching the antics of a squirrel in the pine tree overhead.

"Elsie!" cried Mrs. Ray breathlessly.

"And Peter, as I'm a sinner!" added her husband, tooting his horn gayly.

The pair on the log turned around and then arose.

For the first time that day Elsie felt embarrassed at the situation. She could explain the fact that a stranger had accompanied her on the long walk, but now to make it clear to conventional Lettie that sitting upon the log was a natural outcome of their friendly companionship?

Bob Ray saved her from Lettie's displeasure.

"Peter, old, man," he shouted gleefully, "forget all your old 'isms' and 'ologies' and get down and tinker this thing into shape! How is Elsie—tired, eh?"

Elsie flushed and hesitated. Professor Ray came nobly to her aid. "I met Miss Lansing at the station. We came up on the train together, you know. There was no conveyance, so we walked. Glad you met us, though," he added mendaciously.

When the automobile had been inwardly soothed by the skillful hands of the professor they whizzed smoothly toward the Eyrie.

"I thought you and Peter had never met, Elsie?" said her sister, with an interrogative glance.

"Why—yes—we—er—met"— faltered Elsie, with a pleading glance at the nearsighted blue eyes that peered at her from the front seat.

"We me"— said the professor, whose mental insight was without flaw, "we—er—met. Is not that sufficient?"

Lettie looked at her sister's conscious face and at Peter's betraying eyes.

"I think that is sufficient," she said, with a sage nod of her pretty head.

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Whether you have been selling papers in the past or not makes no difference.

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PARENTS

Who would like to encourage their boys to earn sufficient pocket money to keep them, are urged to give them a start with a few cents for their first lot of papers. There are many young men now holding good positions who made their first money by selling the Evening Examiner. Any boy can start at any time, but he should start on Monday, February 1st, with the rest and give no handicap. Any further information required, regarding this competition, will be given at the office of the Examiner.

NOW, BOYS AND GIRLS, GET BUSY!

AN IMPORTANT CONDITION—In order that protection may be given to each boy who is entered in this competition it is a condition that no one will secure a prize who does not legitimately earn it. If a boy applies for a weekly prize who has not bought the papers for his own use and sale it will be turned over to the boy who has actually won it. :-: :-: :-: -:- :-:

NEEDLEWORK NOTES.

If a girl has clever fingers she can make herself pretty sash arrangements out of ribbons. The flowered ribbons made into shoulder strap and bretelle arrangements or the new hip draperies are not difficult to accomplish. The latter is only for the girl of slender proportions and needs careful handling. Then there are all sorts and kinds of neck finishes which make chic otherwise commonplace toilets.

Useful covers for table and sideboard are of blue linen, hemstitched and edged with Irish peasant lace. The linen may—in fact, must—be coarse, and it is very inexpensive. Blue does not soil easily, while the lace is all that could be desired—made of linen thread and quite inexpensive. If the cover is intended for the sideboard the lace and hemstitching need be only on three sides, the selvage serving for the side nearest the wall. The hems of these covers should be about two inches broad. The Irish peasant lace is a really beautiful fabric, though it is too heavy for any purpose save for household furnishing.

Rockefeller Has $25,000 Laundry.

John D. Rockefeller believes in having everything up to date around his country estate at Pocantico Hills. In addition to his $1,000,000 mansion, his $250,000 stable and several lodges, he has just completed a $25,000 laundry, where all the linen for the big house, the members of his family and the servants is made spotless.

Mr. Rockefeller also has a private dairy, from which he obtains fresh milk, cream and butter for his country house as well as his own house in Manhattan.

Mr. Rockefeller still has several agents out, it is said, trying to buy up more land so that he can enlarge his park.—New York American.

A Bullet Proof Garment.

Carl Keill, an engineer of Munich, has invented a bullet proof garment which promises to bring him a small fortune. It is in the form of a woman's corset, weighs about six pounds and is made of thin steel rings or links about an inch and three-quarters wide. At a trial of the garment eighteen revolver shots fired at a distance of eleven yards failed to make any impression upon it. "The Russian government is said to have offered Keill $50,000 for his discovery, provided it will stand proof against Mauser bullets, but he declined the offer, preferring to deal with the German war office," the Pall Mall Gazette says.

Peru's Change of Time.

By a decree of the government of Peru issued by President Pardo the time of the seventy-fifth meridian west of Greenwich was on July 28 adopted as the national standard time for the whole of Peru. The meridian is only a few minutes from that of Lima and runs almost exactly through the middle of the country. All timepieces throughout Peru will now coincide with those in the United States where eastern time is kept. Peru is the first South American republic to adopt the world standard.

Dangerous.

"If I exposed my throat and lungs the way you do," complained the father of the beautiful maiden, "I'd be a dead man inside of three days."

"Of course you would," she sweetly replied, "although really I don't believe lynching ought ever to be resorted to for anything." — Chicago Record-Herald.

A Cruel Precaution.

"I have an idea that those new neighbors of ours are great gossips, but I can't find out."

"Why not?"

"You see, their cook is deaf and dumb, and none of the girls in the block understand the sign language."—Baltimore American.

Envy.

"Julius Caesar's literary attainments were truly wonderful," said the student.

"Oh, I don't know," answered the discontented youth with inky fingers. "Anybody could get his stuff published with a pull like Julius Caesar." — Washington Star.

The Main Task.

Mrs. Stubb—A regiment of women soldiers would look wonderfully imposing, John. You wouldn't have any trouble telling them to fall in.

Mr. Stubb—No, but you'd have a lot of trouble keeping them from falling out, Maria.—Chicago News.

Not a Philosophic Enterprise.

"Young Mr. Bliggins is thinking of proposing."

"Yes," answered Miss Cayenne, "but I doubt if he will ever do so. The only way for a man to get courage in such matters is to stop thinking."—Washington Star.

Pushed to It.

Miss Gotrox—The count was awfully embarrassed when he proposed to me.

Miss Poorman—Yes, poor fellow. He probably proposed because he couldn't afford to do otherwise.—Houston Post.

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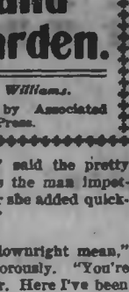

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A Girl and A Garden.

By Frank H. Williams.

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"I could love you," said the pretty neighbor, and then as the man impetuously reached for her she added quickly, "for your garden!"

The man's face fell.

"Now, I call that downright mean," declared the man vigorously. "You're a nice, pretty neighbor. Here I've been courting you and making love to you for months, and now I find that it's not me, but my garden, that's made an impression. I'll sell the garden," he added roughly.

The pretty neighbor clasped her hands in real distress.

"Oh, don't!" she cried. "You don't really mean that! Think how long it's been in your family! Think how much care your mother and your grandmother and your great-grandmother spent on all these dear flowers!"

"Time I was selling it!" growled the man. "I'll get an old factory, a bakery or something of that sort here!"

"Oh, oh!" cried the pretty neighbor.

"I mean it!" cried the man. "I'll start right away."

Wholly distressed, the pretty neighbor, her hands tightly clinched, watched the man as he went down one of the paths toward a gay little summer house.

She was standing near a wall, beside a little fountain, and all about her the garden was a bower of beauty. Vistas between the trees radiated from the spot where she stood. Birds sang in the trees. She could hardly realize that the big, hurrying city was just on the other side of the wall.

From the summer house she saw the man come out. In one hand he carried a big white board, in the other a bucket of paint and a brush. When he reached the pretty neighbor he placed the board against the wall and without a word took up the brush.

"What are you going to do?" the girl asked somewhat tremulously.

"Paint," answered the man laconically.

With fascinated eyes the girl watched him as the letters grew under his brush. Across the top of the board he painted in big brutal letters the words, "For Sale."

The pretty neighbor caught her breath as the cruel sentence, flaring red, stared at her from the board. Underneath these words the man worked industriously for a little time.

While he worked the girl gazed back at the garden with tear dimmed eyes. When he had finished the man gave a little sigh of satisfaction. The girl looked at the sign again and gasped. "For Sale," it read. "This Garden, Suitable For a Factory. Apply Within to Martin Connor."

"You—you aren't going to nail that sign up, are you?" questioned the girl, perilously close to tears.

"Sure!" ejaculated the man.

The man picked up the sign, holding it awkwardly to save his clothes from paint, and, with the bucket and brush in the other hand, again went toward the gay little summer house. He whistled as he went, but the girl, who followed, with difficulty stifled her sobs.

At the summer house the man deposited his painting utensils and secured hammer and nails. Still whistling, he led the way through a secluded little iron gate to the street.

Once outside, the man carefully nailed the sign to the wall. When the work was finished he stepped back a bit to admire it. The girl, who had watched the proceedings, cried out at this.

"You're perfectly horrid!" she cried. "I hate you!"

Then the pretty neighbor, frantically dabbing at her eyes with an absurd little handkerchief, ran across the street to her own home.

When the pretty neighbor awoke the next morning she could not think at first what sorrow was near her. Then it came to her in a jump. The garden was to be sold! She shuddered as she thought of the heartless sign and decided that she would never, never look at it again.

A moment later she was at the window, peering out at the garden wall opposite. Her heart gave a little bound as the blank face of the wall met her gaze. The sign was gone.

"WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO?" THE GIRL ASKED.

It was a very merry pretty neighbor that hailed Martin shortly after.

"Ho," cried the pretty neighbor, boldly walking through the little iron gate into the garden—"ho, I knew you didn't mean to sell your garden! You thought you'd scare me into loving you!"

The man, who had been weeding, looked up at her. He wore an old broad brimmed straw hat that in some undefinable way made him seem even more strikingly handsome than ever.

"You're wrong," he declared slowly. "It's sold!"

"What!" cried the pretty neighbor in consternation.

"Yes," replied the man.

"And some one's going to put up a horrid, grimy factory here?" wailed the pretty neighbor.

"Perhaps," said the man listlessly. "I'm glad you came over," he went on. "I was afraid I'd have to go without saying goodby to you."

"Goodby?" asked the girl, her face a picture of surprise and dismay.

"Yes," the man went on, "I'm going away. My train leaves at noon. You may never see me again."

"Why—why are you going?" stammered the pretty neighbor very woefully.

The man looked up at her quickly.

"There's nothing for me to stay here for," he replied without animation, evidently not finding what he hoped in the girl's face.

"I'm sorry," said the girl finally.

She extended her hand. In silence he shook it. Slowly she went toward the gate. When she was almost there the man called to her.

"I'm a brute," he declared contritely, "for letting you think for a minute that I'd ever really let a factory be erected here. Since you love the garden so you've a right to know that the man who has bought it is your father. He will not disturb it for some time—not for the present at least."

"Oh!" cried the girl. For a moment her face was radiant, then suddenly it went sad again.

"Wouldn't you—won't you come back some time and visit my father's garden?" she asked.

"No, I'll not come back," the man replied. "It—it would hurt too much. Goodby."

"Goodby," repeated the girl and slowly went through the little iron gate, across the street to her home.

Several times during the next hour she looked at the clock and involuntarily sighed. The morning was going very fast, it seemed. Faster and faster the time flew on toward noon. Presently it was 10:30, then 10:45 and then 11 o'clock.

When the morning reached this point the pretty neighbor was suddenly galvanized into action.

"Good gracious!" she cried, jumping from the chair where she had been endeavoring to read a book. "Good gracious, he may be gone, and I haven't found out where he is going!"

Without more ado the pretty neighbor raced out of the house and across the street to the little iron gate. The gate was locked! Wildly she tore around the wall to the great front gate. Through this she ran up the shady, curving path to the big house.

Suddenly, as at high speed she bore around a particularly sharp curve, she plumped right into the arms of the man. The latter, when he saw that it was the pretty neighbor, dropped the suit case he had been carrying and drew her closely to him.

"Dear, dear sweetheart," he cried, "I simply can't leave you! I can't do it!"

He hugged her so tightly that she fairly gasped for breath. However, the pretty neighbor had enough breath left to gasp a reply—a very faint reply.

"Don't go," she said, burrowing her head into his coat. "Don't go. It's not your garden I want. It's not your garden I'm in love with. It's you!"

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ACCUSED OF FALSE PRETENCES.

Lord Ribblesdale Once Wormed Important Interview Out of Parnell.

There were great rejoicings at Gisborne Park, near Clitheroe, England, for the coming-of-age of Hon. Charles Lister, son of Lord Ribblesdale, and the future baron. Lord Ribblesdale is generally regarded as one of the handsomest men in the peerage, and has the unique distinction of having been named "the Ancestor" by the King on account of his dignified appearance and air of belonging to the courtly ages of the past. He is a noted sportsman; was Master of the Buckhounds, for three years, and has written an interesting book on stag-hunting. He served in the Rifle Brigade for some years, but never saw active service. The house in Gisborne Park was built over three hundred years ago of stone from the Yorkshire fells. A curious story is told concerning the decoration of the building. In the early part of the eighteenth century a party of French plasterers journeyed from Paris to Gisborne Park, where they worked for a year or so on the adornment of the house. And they left permanent evidence of their visit in some singular figures on the wall of the principal staircase. These figures are in half relief, life size, and they are represented as reading, writing, training flowers, and in other such occupations. The great hall is hung with pictures. Among them is one of Cromwell, by Sir Peter Lely, on the canvas of which is painted the word "Now," possibly in allusion to the immediate execution of the ill-fated King. Lord Ribblesdale is noted for having accomplished an extremely difficult task. He once interviewed Parnell. They happened to travel by chance in the same compartment from London to Holyhead, and the first efforts of the peer to draw the Irish leader into conversation were met by very brief replies. In time, however, Parnell thawed, and talked at some length upon the Irish Tenants' Arrears Bill, which was then the subject of great political interest, and many other matters besides. The interview duly appeared in a magazine, and Parnell never questioned its accuracy, merely saying it was got by false pretences.

A Wedding Decoration.

Whether it was a mistake or a joke or simply an example of bad taste is a question that is still puzzling most of the passengers. But no matter about that. It certainly was a floral masterpiece. Full four feet it stood from the ground, in the form of a cross. Roses white and roses red composed the body of the cross, and dainty white blossoms and green leaves formed the trimmings. In the center the word "Peace" was spelled out in rosebuds.

Everybody in the car admired the offering, and when the boy set it down on the floor all leaned forward to examine it more closely. At length one old gentleman stood up and readjusted his glasses in order to get a better look at it.

"That is a mighty pretty posy you've got there," he said. "Who, may I ask, is dead?"

The boy giggled.

"Nobody 't I know of," he said. "This ain't for a funeral; it's for a wedding."

The old gentleman sat down heavily.

"Good Lord!" he said. "What idiot ever ordered 'Peace' inscribed on a wedding decoration?"

The rest of the passengers smiled, and many of them, being married, wondered as well, but nobody ventured an explanation.—New York Times.

Death and Snuff.

A certain Margaret Wilson of Westminster, who was an inveterate snuff taker, enjoined that a quantity of Scotch snuff should be placed in her coffin. She also ordered that the arrangements connected with her funeral should be as follows: "Six men to be my bearers who are known to be the greatest snuff takers in the parish of St. James, Westminster. Instead of mourning, each to wear a snuff colored beaver hat, which I desire may be bought for the purpose and given to them. Six maidens of my old acquaintance to bear my pall, each to carry a box filled with the best Scotch snuff, to take for their refreshment as they go along." Snuff was also to be thrown on the threshold of deceased's dwelling before the cortege passed out, snuff was to be strewn on the ground at every twenty yards in advance of the coffin, and the officiating clergyman's fee was to be proportionate to the quantity of snuff he consumed during the ceremony.—London Globe.

What the Peruvians Believed.

A unique idea of the future state was that of the ancient Peruvians. As the disembodied soul winged its way to eternity it encountered two rocks, upon one of which it must needs rest. The choice was determined by the morality of the life in the flesh. If it rested upon the left hand rock it was instantly translated to "Po," or oblivion, a state analogous to the Nirvana of the orient. If through early misdeeds, however, the unhappy spirit was guided to the right hand rock it entered into a purgatorial hell where fiends grated away the flesh from all the bones in succession, after which the skeleton was reclothed and sent back to earth for another try. There was no haste about this grating process. It took something over 10,000 years.

Australia's First Theater.

The first recorded production of a play in Australia took place in June of the year 1789. It was called "The Recruiting Officer." The proceeds of the first pay night (some £20) went to the family of a man who had been drowned. In January, 1796, a rough and ready playhouse was opened, and the public had to pay a shilling a head for admission. The payments were made in kind, wheat, flour or rum taking the place of the usual currency.—London Standard.

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MOST INTERESTING NARRATIVE OF THE LIVES OF THE PARENTS OF A PROMINENT OTONABEE FAMILY

Two Children Grow Up in the Unsettled Country Under a Primitive Culture and are Married---Their Parents Had Emigrated From Scotland on the Same Vessel and Settled on Adjoining Lots.

A COPY OF THE TESTAMENT THE SOLE SCHOOL BOOK.

The story of the lives of an Otonabee young man and woman of two generations ago has just come to the notice of the Examiner, and is given to its readers as a beautiful refutation of the old favourite quotation that "the course of true love never runs smooth." It also conveys to us of this advanced age some idea of the struggles for a livelihood of the people who first turned the soil of this district and garnered from its wealth of natural riches the foundation of prosperity upon which some of the foremost men the country has produced were brought up and sent out into the world where they won fame for themselves and splendid recognition for their home and their parents who had wrestled with the conditions incident to the subjugation of a rough and unbroken country to obtain even a rudimentary culture.

In the year 1820 two families came out to Canada from Kincardine, Scotland. They were Mr. and Mrs. George Eason and Mr. and Mrs. John Fife. The story concerns both, but for the most part relates to the former and accordingly the destinies of the Eason family will be followed.

Margaret is Born

Arriving in Canada in the year 1820 among the very first settlers who decided to come up into the interior of the country, Mr. Eason took up residence with his family in Port Hope, where on the 10th of November of that year a baby girl was born to the happy parents who gave her the name of Margaret. The father was not satisfied with Port Hope, and when Margaret was but six weeks old, the family moved up into Otonabee. The journey was an arduous one and was performed in the early part of the winter. The mother with her baby on her knee was drawn on a hand sleigh across Rice Lake by the father who followed the blazed trail the surveyors had made through the country. Their little rough cabin which was to serve as home had been built by the father during their stay in Port Hope, he having come up for that purpose some time previously. This humble abode was located on Lot 21, Con. 4, in one of the best parts of Otonabee.

Home Burned

During that winter the family suffered a severe drawback and misfortune when in March their cosy little home was burned. Mrs. Eason was taken ill with the ague, and the child was removed to the home of the Rev. Mr. Hayden at Cold Springs, in the township of Hamilton. The baby Margaret was then about six months old, and this step had to be taken in order that the little one might be fed on milk as there were no cows in Otonabee. A new house was built in the early part of the summer, and the little one was brought to her parents after an absence of six months.

Girlhood

Her girlhood was spent in that quiet little settlement, under the watchful care of her parents. Margaret attended school, but had to walk five miles to the schoolhouse and return in the evening the same distance.

Her school days extended through six weeks, but even at that she was possessed of a wide knowledge of affairs that home teaching had developed. The only book used in school was the New Testament, and pieces of slate were used to write on. To help occupy the time the teacher used to teach dancing. Their nearest neighbours was the family of John Fife, who had come out on the same vessel as Margaret's parents. One of the children was a boy, Alexander, about the same age as Margaret, and their childish friendship blossomed into love with their advancing years before the eyes of their parents and to their delight.

Is Married

On October 15th, 1839, when still young, they were married in the English Church, Peterborough. Margaret went to live with her husband on the Fife homestead, for her husband had been the youngest son and he remained at the old home. Their married life was happy, and was blessed with children, but on the 13th of June, 1853, Margaret was left a widow and the mother of seven small children to watch and protect without the aid of her beloved husband.

That she accomplished this is shown by the splendid family that grew up under her care and with true motherly love she kept them together throughout until the time came when they, too, were married and left the roof that had sheltered them to their maturer years.

The intervening years saw the baby Margaret reach the prime of her life, and slowly her years began their recession, and were spent pleasantly among her children, but she still retained the homestead. On three occasions she visited her youngest daughter, Mrs. Robert McConnel, in North Dakota, and took up a half-section of land in that district for one of her sons in 1881. Mrs. Fife returned home for the last time in 1887, where she remained until her death on January 12 of this year, when she passed away in her 89th year and was buried in the Fife Cemetery on January 14th.

One of her sons is Mr. John H. Fife, Reeve of Otonabee and a member of the County Council.

KATHRYN OSTERMAN

In her $1000 cloth of gold directoire. Handsomest gown in the world. Grand Opera House, Saturday matinee and night, February 6th, in her new comedy "The Night of The Play." Seat sale opens Thursday.

CONCERT BY OLD SOUTHLAND SEXTETTE AN ARTISTIC TREAT

The concert in the Grand Opera House on Friday night by the Old Southland Sextette of coloured singers, under the auspices of the Leaders' Corps of the Y.M.C.A. was in every way a splendid success. The programme was one of supreme excellence, every member of the company proving to be an artist, and the effect of their work was truly charming. There was a large audience present and that they thoroughly appreciated the efforts of the visiting artists was indicated by the hearty applause with which each number was greeted. The soloists were possessed of excellent voices, while the united work of the company was thoroughly pleasing, the sweet voices blending most pleasingly in such old, but never unappreciated numbers, as the "Suwance River" and "My Old Kentucky Home," which were sung with expression and feeling. Mme. Ruth Holmes, the mezzo soprano, won the admiration of the audience by the melting sweetness of her voice in the plaintive melodies of the ensemble, and her work characterized her as one of the integral parts of a company of vocal stars. Her singing in solo and assisted by the full chorus was a sparkling bit of a brilliant whole.

S R Overstreet, the basso of the company had a large share of the honours of the evening, his thunderous voice, rich, clear and deep, carried the audience by storm. In solo and ensemble his cultivated voice in wondrous chest tones lent solidarity to quartette and company chorus alike.

Following was the programme:

Part I.

Chorus—"Come Where the Lilies Grow."

Mixed Quartette, "Sweet and Low"—Mesdames Holmes and M Talbert and Messrs. J J Warsham and S R Overstreet.

Solo, "Rocking."

Duet, "Love"—Mme.

Chorus, "Swanee River."

Mixed Quartette, "Auctioneer"—Mesdames Holmes and Talbert, and Messrs. Warsham and Overstreet.

Solo, "Call Her Back"—Mrs. J H Warsham.

Medley Quartette — Mesdames Holmes and Talbert, and Messrs. Warsham and Overstreet.

Chorus, "I'm a Rolling."

Part II.

Male Quartette, "Bill of Fare."

Solo, "Sweet Refrain" — Mme. Holmes.

Chorus, "Call John."

Contralto solo, "In Dreams I Dwelt With Thee"—Madame Talbert.

Chorus, "Grand Old Flag."

Solo, "Old Black Joe"—Mr. Overstreet.

Quintette, "Kentucky Home"—Solo by Mme Holmes.

Quartette—O.P.R.A.

Chorus, "Erin's Waltz," from Vogal Glee.

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JAPANESE OPERETTA TO BE PRESENTED

Young People of the City are Being Prepared for Conservatory Affair.

Friends of the Conservatory of Music are promised a dainty operetta which will be produced on Feb. 22nd and 23rd, in the Conservatory Hall. It is Japanese in its settings, locale and music, and is delightfully named "Princess Chrysanthemum." Prominent young people of the city are now being prepared for its production. The orchestra will assist materially in its presentation and a delightful success is looked forward to.

INSPECTOR OF WIRING FOR CITY IS ADVOCATED

Ald. Turner does not exactly approve of the manner in which some of the merchants have been ordered to rewire their premises upon the inspection of a representative of the Underwriters' Association. At the meeting of the Fire, Water and Light Committee last night he stated that he thought that the city should have a wiring inspector, who would guarantee the work done in this respect and guard against such a state of affairs, after the work has been done under the inspector's supervision. Ald. Turner cited a case of a George street business man who had overhauled the wiring in his store, but had been recently informed that it has all practically to be done over again. Ald. Turner thinks there is something wrong about such state of affairs and asked the committee to give the matter some attention.

FELL ON SCHOOL ROOM FLOOR AND BROKE HER ANKLE

Another peculiar accident occurred to Miss Stella Coughlin, of Hastings, a teacher in training at the Normal School, by which she fell while walking through one of the rooms, breaking her ankle. The floor is well polished and this is considered to be the cause of the accident. Miss Coughlin, it is stated, slipped and fell and was afterwards removed to the hospital. It will be some weeks before she is able to return to the school.

ST. PETER'S T. A. S. AT HOME

An enjoyable evening promised on Tuesday, February 2nd at St. Peter's T. A. S. Rooms. Another assured success. 2d-25

KATHRYN OSTERMAN'S BEAUTIFUL GOWNS

The ladies of this city will be particularly interested in the engagement of Kathryn Osterman at the Grand next Saturday, Feb. 6th, Matinee and evening, when she will be seen in her new comedy "The Night of the Play," as the frocks worn by the brilliant comedienne are said to be dashingly and darlingly adorable. Miss Osterman has a beautiful figure and her graceful curves are most fetchingly revealed in a frock of silk crepe of a delicious shade hovering between pink and lavender. The whole gown is wonderfully inserted with Valenciennes lace, the upper part of the skirt being cut into panels which form a sort of tunic, below which are billowy miles of crepe finely plaited between lines of the insertion. The bodice is guiltless of tullness, the lines converging simply and exquisitely at the delicately rounded waist, while the decolletage reveals the beautiful neck and arms, which are the crowning charm of this very lovely woman. Most beautiful of all her frocks is the evening gown of shell pink crepe Miss Osterman wears in the last act. This has a long trailing skirt plaited and elaborately inlaid with heavy cream guipure, as is also the very low bodice. The frock is of marvellous lines in a sort of tunic (over skirt we would have called it twenty-five years ago) which covers the upper part of the skirt fitting smoothly over the hips, falls to the knees in front and slopes upward to half that length in the back. There is no lace on the tunic and it is simply bordered with a single row of rich crystal fringe. The effect is so original as to be startling, but when you get used to it it is charming too. Jewels worth a king's ransom are worn with this costume, which is one of the smartest seen on the stage this season.

ANOTHER PURSE IS RETURNED TO THE OWNER

The Examiner's ability as a purse hunter has once more been demonstrated and a lost ad quickly returned the satchel Mrs. Henry Connolly lost. It was picked up by Mr. Hanna, who left it at the police station. The owner has expressed her thanks to Mr Hanna for his prompt return.

THE MOROCCAN COAST SUFFERS FROM A QUAKE

Dead at Remara Exceeded 100 and it is Feared That Loss of Life in Other Towns is Even Greater.

BARCELONA ESCAPED.

J. N. Barber, (Special)

Gibraltar, Jan. 30.—The Moroccan coast was shaken by an earthquake at an early hour this morning. The dead at Remara exceeded 100 and it is feared the death toll in the more distant towns will also be heavy.

Madrid, Jan. 30.—Barcelona escaped the earthquake and tidal wave which was reported early to-day to have destroyed a large part of Spain's largest city. Telegraph and 'phone communication with Barcelona was re-established and the cheering news received that the city was unharmed.

MR. R. SCOTT IS CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD FOR 1909

The new Board of Management of the House of Refuge is composed of Messrs. Shaw, Moher and Warden Scott. Mr. Robert Shaw was appointed chairman and the affairs of the institution for the county's poor will be in the hands of this committee.

LEAVES ON LONG TRIP TO THE WEST

Mr. Jas. A. Tully Will be Away About Three Months in Interests of I. O. O. F.

Mr. J. A. Tully, who has just returned from the Province of Quebec, where he has been for a short time, travelling in the interests of the I. O. O. F. Relief Association, returned home last night and is now making preparations to start on his long annual journey to the western provinces, on the same mission. Mr. Tully will leave on Monday and will go direct to Winnipeg, where he will remain for a few days before journeying further west. He intends paying more attention to his work in Saskatchewan than he has done in former years, and will make Regina, Moose Jaw, Saskatoon, Maple Creek and Prince Albert as his headquarters. He expects it will be at least three months before he returns, and will visit all the Oddfellows' Lodges in Saskatchewan and parts of Alberta and Manitoba.

WITHDREW CHARGE AND PAID COSTS

Case Against Dr. Gray Was Settled Yesterday Afternoon.

The charge laid against Dr. Gray of practising medicine without paying his annual fees to the Medical Council, has been withdrawn by the prosecution, who paid the costs. Mr. E. E. Wood, the Crown Attorney, acted for Charles Rose, the prosecutor for the Medical Council, and Mr. G. N. Gordon defended Mr. Gray.

FINED $50 FOR ILLEGAL SALE OF LIQUOR

Mr. Charles Nixon, proprietor of the Grand Hotel, was fined $50.00 and $1.60 costs in the Police Court this morning on a charge of having unlawfully sold liquor during the time prohibited by the Liquor License Act, on Sunday, Jan. 24th.

Mr. Jas. Haverson, K.C., who appeared for defendant, pleaded guilty.

Two other charges against him were dismissed. One was a charge of having sold liquor to a minor on January 19, and the other was a charge of having sold liquor after seven o'clock on Saturday, January 23nd.

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WORRYING OVER ILLNESS OF HER SISTER DUMMER WOMAN TAKES A DOSE OF CARBOLIC ACID

Mrs. Gilliam Passed Away on Thursday Night, Shortly After Taking Poison—Came From Havelock.

DIED IN TWENTY MINUTES.

Examiner Special

Warsaw, Jan. 30—Word has reached here of the death of Mrs. Gilliams who lived four miles from this place on Thursday night as the result of taking a big dose of carbolic acid from the effects of which she died about twenty minutes afterwards with her son and other relatives unable to do anything for her. Mrs. Gilliam was apparently in good spirits on Thursday night about nine o'clock retired to another room for a few minutes and there took several teaspoonsful of carbolic acid in water. When she returned to her family she asked that they should take off her boots as she desired to lie down for a few moments.

Her request was obeyed but a few moments afterwards her son noticed that she was ill and she rapidly grew worse. Word was sent to Warsaw to Dr. Munro but Mrs Gilliam had passed away before he reached her home.

The only reason that can be assigned for her self inflicted death is that a sister of the deceased residing in Havelock has been so seriously ill that her life was despaired of and Mrs. Gilliam had been worrying very much over this and it is supposed that in a fit of despondency she took the carbolic acid.

Mrs. Gilliam came to this township about a month ago from Havelock and was not very well known in this district.

The funeral will take place at Havelock where the relatives reside.

PERMANENCE THE WATCHWORD

A letter in to-day's issue anent the proposal to crush river cobble stones for street metal suggests the whole question of permanent improvements. It is simply waste of money to place crushed limestone on the streets. The city fathers should devise a sane and comprehensive policy of street construction, to correspond with the fine equipment — some forty miles of permanent pavements, out of a total street mileage of 56 miles which we possess. Such a policy would include the asphalt or other paving of George street—say a mile a year—but of a character to last. This policy with permanence as the foundation stone, would result in securing permanent value for the civic money spent on our streets.

DEPUTATION WILL WAIT ON THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

That the County Council is in earnest in regard to the securing of better arrangements for the attendance of pupils at the Collegiate Institute the Committee on Schools, appointed Warden Scott, Mr. Stewart, Mr. J. C. Brown and Mr. R. Lees, a deputation to wait on the Board of Education for that purpose. They will endeavour to secure lower fees for the pupils from the county.

DORCAS SOCIETY ENTERTAINMENT

Large Audience Spent Most Enjoyable Evening.

A very enjoyable evening was spent at St. Andrew's on Friday night, when the Dorcas Society held a charity concert, to assist in their work among the city's poor. A large number were present and were entertained with songs, drills and recitations rendered by a few of the young people of the city. Great praise is due little Miss Annie Christie for the way in which she rendered three choice recitations. Dr. Park gave three selections on the mandolin and was accompanied by Miss Davies, the last selection being an imitation of bag pipes played on the violin, which called forth great applause. Mrs. W. G. Rankin and the other officers of the society have worked very faithfully to make the event a success, as the society needs money to carry on their good work amongst the poor of this city. They were well paid for their untiring zeal in the large attendance.

Rev. Mr. Potter was in the chair and proved very acceptable.

The dialogue, entitled "Before and Behind the Scene," was very funny and caused many a laugh throughout.

The evening came to an end with the singing of the National Anthem and a prayer by Rev. Mr. Potter.

Miss Lila Tully and Miss Mary Potten occupied the stool at the piano and delighted the audience with their playing.

The following is the programme:

PART I.

Drill—12 girls.
Violin solo—Dr. Park.
Song—"Little Black Me," seven girls.
Recitation—Annie Christie.
Song—"Childhood," four boys.
Violin solo—Dr. Park.
Song—"Little Teddy," three girls.

PART II.

Dialogue—"Before and Behind the Scenes."

THERE WAS A LARGE MARKET THIS MORNING

In spite of the bad weather the market this morning, Saturday, was a fairly large one. There were not many changes in the prices of the various produce, if any, they are very small. The following are the prices:

Dressed hogs	$8 1-2 to 9c.
Live hogs	$6.75
Pork	10 to 11c.
Beef	5 1-2 (to 7c.
Turkeys	$2.25
Chickens, each	60c
Hides F.O.B.	8 to 8 1-2c.
Butter	30c.
Eggs	30 to 33c.
Potatoes	85c. bag.
Hay, loose, per ton	$11 to $14
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There are also sensational scenes, pathos and plenty of action. Light and shade are happily blended in this play. "Rory of the Hills" does not deal with political themes. It abounds with stirring scenes, as found in the "Old Country," with plenty of heroic action, love episodes, pathos, comedy, and is noted for its great "heart interest." Clear, concise and dramatic is the story of "Rory of the Hills." The play is a vehicle for the re-appearance of Erin's sweetest singer, Bernard Daly, and is marked by the strength of its comedy, and gives this charming player an opportunity to exercise his varied talents. Special scenery has been constructed and original costumes designed for the play. No better character study of Ireland has been written and produced in years.

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THE DOMINION BANK.

Elsewhere in this issue appears the report and statements presented, at the annual meeting of the Dominion Bank. These disclose business operations of a very profitable character, in the face of adverse conditions of the past year. There is noted an improved demand for bank accommodation indicating an improvement in business. A good harvest has increased deposits so that cash reserves are strong, with a high percentage of liquid assets. The report shows the position of the Dominion Bank strong in resources and high in public confidence. The issue of $1,000,000 of new capital stock in 1907, as subscribed, has been paid in full. The net profit for the year ended Dec. 31 last, after deducting the usual charges, etc., and making provision for bad and doubtful debts reached the sum of $641,319.11, to which was to be added $235,140.61, brought forward at credit of profit and loss, and $148,274.75, the premium received on new stock, thus making up $1,234,733.47 available for destribution. Of this the twelve per cent. dividend absorbed $478,462.64, there was written off the cost of the bank premises $100,000, and transferred to reserve fund $148,274.75, leaving the large balance of $302,996.08 to be carried forward. With the above transfer the reserve fund now stands at $4,981,737.02, as against a paid up capital of $3,983,492.38. Deposits bearing interest at the date of closing accounts stood at $32,790,056.46 and deposits not bearing interest at $5,114,040.35. The directors note various branches of the Sovereign Bank taken over and new branches opened. Altogether the report and statements are of a highly satisfactory character to which the local branch under the management of Mr. Crane has substantially contributed.

In the period from 1901 to 1907 the paid up capital of Canadian chartered banks increased from $67,095,718 to $96,362,130.

CANADIAN CREDIT.

Conservative journals are fond of asserting that the Liberal Government's "extravagant" expenditures have injured Canadian credit in the British money market. This involves two unsupported assumptions; one that there has been extravagance and the other that the credit of Canada is impaired. As good an authority as Byron E. Walker, of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, says Canadian credit in Britain is good and he is almost as unpartizan and reliable an authority as the Mail and Empire. The Canadian loan of $30,000,000 recently placed on the London market by Hon. Mr. Fielding, is practical evidence that Canadian credit is not at a low ebb. Sir Richard Cartwright says that the success of the loan has been "quite as good as could be expected." It is to be remembered that the loan was demanded under peculiar conditions. The Globe specifies these thus:

The amount of the loan is unusually large: thirty million dollars. It was put on the market at an unfavourable time: just after the financial world had begun to recover from a protracted and acute depression. It was marked by a departure of a sort that is not popular with conservative financiers: bonds in amounts varying downward to fifty dollar were offered to the general investing public.

The placing of so large a loan, under unfavourable conditions, at the low rate of three and a quarter per cent—practically at par—99 3-4—does not argue a low condition of Canadian credit. The British themselves have congratulated Mr. Fielding upon the success of the loan. The Conservative journals are a little unreasonable. They expect too much from Mr. Fielding—they must remember that he hasn't had the experience in making loans which kept finance ministers busy during the Conservative regime. Since Mr. Fielding has been in charge of the Dominion finances, he has met capital expenditures, to a very large extent, out of current revenue, and hasn't been compelled to invade the money market as frequently as his predecessors, who had hard work to make ends meet, not to speak of having money to spend in permanent national requirements. If Canadian credit has not reached the low ebb Conservatives falsely ascribe it, it is not their fault. There are many of them, who persistently occupy the perch of the croaker. They misrepresent and falsify the record of the government. Their agents load up British journals with misleading information about Canada. They do their best to blacken the character of the country and are disgusted and disappointed when they fail to effect the end sought—the discrediting of the government.

One of the elements in maintaining Canadian credit at a high level, is the fact that the money borrowed on our national credit, is used in the development of new resources, representing added value to the security.

THE LAYMEN'S MISSIONARY MOVEMENT.

In many respects the National Congress of the Laymen's Missionary Movement will be the most remarkable gathering ever held in Canada.

The churches of the entire Dominion, without regard to denominational lines, have never before come together with such hearty unanimity in behalf of any cause, and strong denominational conferences will be held every forenoon during the Congress, but in the great sessions in Massey Hall lines of division will be entirely obscured.

In no nation have the churches ever been called upon to formunate a national policy in regard to their missionary undertakings; and possibly the most remarkable feature is the fact that so large an undertaking is entirely in the leadership of laymen rather than the clergy.

The clergy, however, will be present in large numbers, and the first session Wednesday afternoon, March 31, will be of special interest to them. The Congress programme is planned with this in view, so that many of the pastors who attend will be able to get away Saturday, April 3, and yet not miss any of the features planned especially for them. The closing day, Sunday, April 4, will be marked by the strongest possible addresses to different groups of laymen and college students.

In connection with the Congress there will be special conferences for ministers, students and Sunday School workers. The women's societies of several communions are planning great meetings at the same time, and the denominational conferences promise to be of great profit.

In addition to the British and Canadian speakers, invitations to address the Congress have already been accepted by Mr. Robert E Speer of New York; Bishop J M Thoburn, from India; Dr. J M Zwemer, formerly of Arabia; Hon. S B Capen of Boston; Mr. J Campbell White of New York; Mr. Silas McBee of New York.

It is expected that there will be 2,000 regular commissioners in addition to the group of honorary commissioners composed of clergymen, theological students and visiting Americans. Special rates will be given by the railway companies, and the action of Canada in her effort to meet the nation's share of responsibility in the world problem of missions will be watched by all Christian nations.

The theme of the Conference will be "Canada's National Missionary Policy," with such subdivisions as follows:—

"The Relation of the Ministry to a Missionary Church."
"The Victorious Progress of Missions."
"The Place of the Church in the Making of the Nation."
"The Stewardship of Life."
"How to Lead the Church to Its Highest Missionary Efficiency."

The Congress has been described as unique, broad, far-reaching, and epoch-making.

THE BROWN TAIL MOTH.

One or two specimens of the brown tail moth were found in the Maritime Provinces some two years ago. Within the last few weeks a large number of nests of this moth have been discovered in New York State.

The importance of the statements just made will be more clearly understood when the facts as to the extent of the depredations caused by this enemy in the New England States are called to mind. Large forest areas in those states, and extensive orchard areas, have been threatened with total destruction by the work of the brown tail and gypsy moths combined, the former being the greater pest of the two. In one respect the brown tail moth has proved a more serious evil than the San Jose scale itself. The scale seems to have confined its operations in the main to fruit trees, and can be controlled by spraying; the moth finds its chief fields of activity in forest and ornamental trees, and is beyond the reach of spraying mixtures. The only effective means of combatting it has been found in picking the nests by hand in early spring, and on this and similar work the New England States are reported to have spent millions of dollars already, and the National Government is now coming to their aid with a further appropriation of $300,000.

Dr. Wm. Saunders, of the Central Experimental Farm, has sent out warning to Canadian nurserymen to be on the lookout for possible infestation in imported stock. But more than this is necessary. It will be easily possible for the moth to find its way here by migration, and orchardists and park superintendents all over the province should be on the watch for it. The nests, if there are any, may be found before spring concealed in clusters of leaves at the tips of branches and can be removed and burned. Reasonable precaution now may be the means of avoiding untold loss later on.—Toronto Star.

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ASSUMED VIRTUE.

The Mail and Empire, as was to be expected from such a stern stickler for undeviating straightforwardness in political matters, endorses Dr. Reid's motion made on Wednesday, to the effect that tenders for Government contracts should be opened in presence of the public. To strengthen its contention the organ prefaces its remarks by the extraordinary action of recalling the blessed results following the system of awarding contracts under the Conservative regime. This perfection of system, however, did not prevent a few little irregularities creeping in in conection with the exeuction of contracts under the Conservatives, rifling, perhaps, in their selves, but sufficient to land a Conservative politician or two in jail. The Conservatives imagine "every bush an officer," they see, or pretend to see, evil in everything done by a Liberal Government. There is no evidence to prove that the public interests have suffered or unfair award of contracts has taken place under the system prevailing in the past. And, in view of the new regulations adopted by the Government providing for opening tenders in the presence of two officials and the minister of the department affected, there is hardly a possibility that unfairness in dealing with tenders will result. There is a possibility of being a little too good—in claim—and the Mail and Empire and Dr. Reed are running a little risk of being considered hypocritical.

When a man puts on a character he is a stranger to, there's as much difference between what he appears and is, as there is between a mask and a face.—La Bruyere.

AN EXCELLENT NUMBER.

Canada has a fleet of eight armed cruisers which patrol the boundary lines to see that no poaching is done by foreign fishing vessels. The story of how and why the Dominion protects her fisheries, which are the most extensive in the world, is told in a breezy manner in the February number of "Busy Man's Magazine," and elaborately illustrated. There are many other bright features in this month's unusually attractive edition, including an able and comprehensive contribution on "The Finances of the Past Year," by Prof. James Mavor, of Toronto University. "Men and Events in the Public Eye," is decidedly entertaining, while the selections from the world's periodical press embrace the best in the realm of current literature. "The King as a Guest," "The Health Value of Laughing," "Mapping Out a Career," "Unemployment: a Difficult Problem," "The Law of Prosperity," "The Arrangement of a Private Office," "The Truth About the Automobile," "Mortality in Relation to Weight," etc., affords only a slight conception of the varied character of the captivating contents of Febru ary Busy Man's.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

It is stated that in the past 20 years Canada has produced gold to the value of $258,000,000—an average of $1,290,000 per year. Last year alone the value of Canada's soil crop grains, etc.—was $432,000,000. This is nearly twice as much in one year as the total output value of our gold mines in twenty years. The farm is Canada's real gold mine.

Hon. Mr Pugsleys says that the people take little stock in charges of political wrong-doing, unless such charges are supported by evidence. This may be true in the long run, but the election roarback such as the yellow telegram of Mr. Borden, which he says he did not send, but knew was being used, did yeoman work in winning British Columbia for the Conservative party at the last election. If the scene of the other day in Parliament, had been enacted before the vote was taken, the result would no doubt have been different. The "Duty of the Hour" pamphlet and the yellow telegram were circulated and sent or used in Mr. Borden's interest, and yet he takes the strange position that this was not done by the Conservative party. Mr. Borden in becoming a receiver of stolen goods, subjects himself to the necessity of a vast deal of explanation of somewhat piscine character.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

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A.C.P	75¼	73¾
Atch	99⅜	99
B.R.T.	69¾	68¾
C.P.R.	171¼	171
C.F.I.	30¼	30
Erie	30¼	30¼
Great Northern	141¼	140¾
L.N.	121¼	121
Mo. Pac.	69¾	69
Northern Pacific	128¾	127¾
N.Y.C.	127	126¾
Penna	133¼	130⅝
S.L.	24¾	24
S.P.	128⅝	131⅛
Smelters	84½	83¾
Sou.	142⅜	142⅜
St. Paul	149	148¼
S.P	118	117½
U.P.	177½	176¾
U.S	53¾	52
U.S. pfd.	114	113¾
Twin City	97½	97½
Mipissing	9¼	9⅜
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NEW BOOKS FOR THE PUBLIC LIBRARY

The following new books have been received at the Public Library:

Reminiscences of the War of 1812—Dunlop.
Lorenzo, the Magnificent — Horsburgh.
Wroth—Cattle.
The Maid of France—Lang.
The Soul of Dominie Wildthane—Hocking.
Septimus—Locke.
Polly of the Circus—Mayo.

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WHOLE VILLAGE IS BURIED

Romara, Opposite Gibraltar In Morocco Is Overwhelmed and Several Hundred Die—Coast Line Is Submerged Near Barcelona—'Quake Is Felt Along the Entire Mediterranean Coast.

London, Jan. 30—A special despatch received here from San Sebastien, Spain, says that a terrible earthquake has devastated several towns and villages in south and southeastern Spain.

A tidal wave partially submerged the coast near Barcelona, and a great landslide at Ceuta, in Morocco, just opposite Gibraltar, buried the village of Romara and several hundred inhabitants.

A despatch from Tarrasa says that Barcelona has been overwhelmed by a tidal wave. The loss of life is unknown. Subterranean roarings preceded the tidal wave, causing a fearful panic among the people on the promenades and in the buildings of the city.

News from Malaga says that many houses were damaged in the town of Totana, and several villages in the province of Murcia.

Tarrasa, whence comes the report of a great tidal wave at Barcelona, is fifteen miles distant from the latter city. Barcelona is the second largest city in Spain, situated on the Mediterranean, in the northeastern part of the country. It has a population of 450,000.

Murcia, where the shock is also reported to have been felt, is in southeastern Spain, a short distance inland from the Mediterranean coast. The meagre advices thus far received indicate that the earthquake was felt along the entire Mediterranean coast.

Moving Pictures Not Reliable.

New York, Jan. 30.—Despite moving picture evidence, introduced by counsel for the Coney Island & Brooklyn Railway Co. in the action brought against it by Stephen McGorty, 10 years old, a jury in the Supreme Court, Brooklyn, on Thursday awarded the lad $8,500 damages.

The boy had been injured by being thrown from a trolley car by a conductor in 1905, and the moving pictures showed him running, boxing and wrestling, although it was claimed he is permanently injured. The jury held that the moving picture operator could control the speed of the film and misrepresent the boy's activities.

Cowboys In Autos.

Galveston, Texas, Jan. 30.—An order for ten automobiles for the Ransom and Wellsford cattle ranches of Midland and Crane counties were placed on Thursday for use in the semi-annual round-up of cattle. A special machine suited to this work will be manufactured.

Col. Crowley, secretary of the Cattle Raisers' Association, in describing the tests, said:

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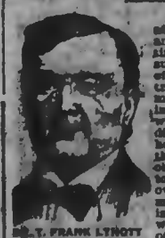

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Coquelin Buried.

Paris, Jan. 30.—The best known men and women in French art, science and literature gathered yesterday afternoon at Port aux Dames, a little village near St. Germain, to render their last homages to the famous French actor, Benoit Constant Coquelin, who died Jan. 27.

Messages of condolence have been received from all parts of the world. Sara Bernhardt, who is in Italy, telegraphed: "I am overwhelmed and grief-stricken. I salute the dear dead."

Says Judge Broke Sabbath Day.

Toronto, Jan. 30.—Robert Brown, who claims the title of "Rev.," as pastor of the Chinese Mission, wanted the Lord's Day Alliance to prosecute Judge Winchester for a breach of the Lord's Day Act.

In giving judgment that Brown is not qualified to perform marriages, the pastor alleges a copy of the judgment he received was dated Nov. 17, 1907, a Sunday.

The Alliance did not see its way to help him.

Will C.P.R. Go to Gowganda?

Sudbury, Jan. 30.—The report is current here that the Canadian Pacific have in consideration the extension of their Toronto-Sudbury line north of here to a junction with the Grand Trunk Pacific at Cochrane, taking in the new silver country, Gowganda included, a distance of 160 miles. This would give the shortest route to Winnipeg when the Grand Trunk Pacific is finished.

No Special Fares For Chinese.

Washington, Jan. 30.—Railroads cannot allow special fares for transporting Chinese to ports of deportation even though the expense is paid by the Government.

The hours of service law does not apply to employes on a ferry, even though the ferry be owned by a railroad company.

These were among several administrative rulings announced by the inter-state commerce commission yesterday.

Brantford Police Statistics.

Brantford, Jan. 30.—Chief Slemin's annual report shows the department to have handled 1,720 cases at the Police Court with 1,157 convictions secured. Out of 1,129 occurrences reported, the police succeeded in clearing up 883.

The foreign population of the city has increased to 1,093, of whom 134 have been offenders.

An increase in the department is asked for.

Public Service Commission.

Montpelier, Vt., Jan. 30.—The longest session of the Legislature in the history of the state closed yesterday when the law-makers adjourned after a ninety-two days' sitting. The creation of a public service commission to supervise telegraph and telephone companies and railroad corporations was among the most important acts of the session.

$50,000 For a Cure.

Harrisburg, Pa., Jan. 30.—A bill introduced in the Legislature provides for the payment by the state of $50,000 as a reward to the man who first succeeds in discovering a cure for tuberculosis.

The act specifies that the cure must be as effective as is the anti-toxin now administered in cases of diphtheria.

Mine Workers In Hot Debate.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 30.—Yesterday's session of the United Mine Workers' convention was enlivened by a bitter debate over the national organizers. The faction opposed to President Lewis charged that the organizers were sent into Pennsylvania for electioneering purposes.

Amnesty For Lincoln Offenders.

Washington, Jan. 30.—Speaker Cannon yesterday received a letter from Memphis, Tenn., conveying for his consideration a bill by which it is proposed to grant amnesty and a general pardon to any persons who aided or abetted the assassination of President Lincoln.

GREAT BRITAIN TO BE AROUSED

New War Melodrama Has a Moral For Englishmen.

TELLS STORY OF INVASION

Play Produced at Wyndham's Theatre London Promises to Be a Big Sensation and Has Been Prepared, It Is Said, by Barrie and Du Maurier—May Be Produced by the Local Committees.

London, Jan. 30.—The interesting announcement is made that the sensational play, "An Englishman's Home," which was produced at Wyndham's Theatre Thursday night, and which depicts an invasion of England by a foreign army, was revised and prepared for the stage by Jas. M. Barrie and Gerald Du Maurier.

Some difficulty was found in obtaining the sanction of the censor of plays, owing to the fear of offending Germany, until assurance was given that Germany was not intended as the invading force, and that the invaders represented would not wear the German uniform.

Viscount Esher, one of the public men most interested in the territorial army scheme, has expressed the hope that provincial committees will be organized to produce the play in every great town of England as an object lesson to the country.

It is predicted that this play will be the sensation of England. It was touch and go at the end of the first act, and even more so after the second act began, whether the play would be hissed off the stage or be a triumphant success.

It is without question the latter. It deals with what might happen to England, as the majority of Englishmen fear the worst thing that might happen to them would be a German invasion. The play shows minutely this much-dreaded invasion to the self-satisfied, smug, unthinking Britisher.

The play is no insult to those who have studied the present condition of English defence against a foreign foe; of the lamentable lack of volunteers for the territorial army, and in short, of the unpreparedness for war of England.

Gerald Du Maurier supervised the stage productions, and current rumor has it that his brother, Capt. Guy Du Maurier of the English army was mainly responsible for the text.

"An Englishman's Home," is a melodrama quite as good as any that has been produced in London for many years. It is crammed full of action, and the dialogue blends tragedy and comedy in a way that is as rapid as the fire of a Maxim gun.

It tells the story of the landing of a foreign army at Essex, near London, and the capture of a home whose master is finally killed. The piece goes along full of incident and scenic effect until the arrival of British troops from London saves the day.

The keynote of the whole play is the inexperience and incompetency of the defenders. The windows are barricaded with a piano, with tables, with mattresses, with anything that comes handy. The untrained volunteers are aligned against them with every willingness in the world and shoot at random, because none knew how to regulate their sights. They expose themselves in the most useless way imaginable, and are shot down by the invaders in consequence.

The invaders on the other hand are the acme of efficiency and military skill.

Fatal Wreck.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 30.—One man was killed and four others seriously wounded in a collision between a freight train and a construction train yesterday. The construction train pulled from a siding directly in front of the freight train.

Bulgaria Dispersing Troops.

Constantinople, Jan. 30.—The governor of the Vilayet of Adrianople has telegraphed the Minister of the Interior that Bulgaria is disbanding the reservists recently concentrated on the Turkish frontier.

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ST. JOHN'S CHURCH — Rev. J. C. Davidson, Rector.
4th Sunday after Epiphany.
8.30 a.m. Holy Communion.
11 a.m. Matins and Sermon.
Hymns 290, 231 82, 219.
Venite, 126; Te Deum, Simper; Benedictus, 27.
Anthem: "There is a Blessed Home" (J. C. Marks).
3 p.m. Sunday School, Bible Classes.
7 p.m. Choral Evensong and Sermon.
Hymns 161, 290, 208, 234.
Responses, Tallis; Psalms sung to Cathedral Psalter Chants 150, 126, 2.
Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis, Simper in D.
Anthem: "Praise the Lord" (Boyle).

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH — Rev. Dr. E. A. Langfeldt, M.A., Rector.
4th Sunday after Epiphany.
8 a.m. Holy Communion.
11 a.m. Memorial Service and Morning Prayer.
3 p.m. Sunday School, Bible Class.
7 p.m. Evensong and Sermon.
Weeknight Service, Wednesday at 8.

ALL SAINTS CHURCH — Corner of Rubidge and Sherbrooke streets.
Rev. H. R. Trumpour, M.A., B.D., Rector.
4th Sunday after Epiphany.
11 a.m. Memorial Service for the late Archbishop. Sermon: "An Estimate of the Life and Work of the late Archbishop."
3 p.m. Sunday School, Bible Classes.
7 p.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon.
Sermon more particularly to men:—"The Real Battle of Life."

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Missionary Anniversary: 11 a.m., Rev. R. L. Stuart, B.A., B.D., a missionary from Chentu, China; 7 p.m., Rev. S. J. Storey, D.D., of Cobourg.
Consecration Meeting.
3 p.m. Adult Bible Classes and Sabbath School.
Brotherhood in the Church at 8 p.m. Monday at 8 p.m., Epworth League. Wednesday, 8 p.m. Special pre-Communion Service conducted by the Pastor. 9 p.m. Sunday School Lesson Preparation.

MARK STREET METHODIST CHURCH — Rev. C. H. Coon, Pastor.
Class Meeting at 10 o'clock.
Rev. Wm. Kenner will preach at the morning service, while the Pastor will occupy the pulpit in the evening. It will be Missionary Sunday to-morrow, and both subscriptions and collections will be devoted to mission work.
Sunday School at 2.45.

GEORGE STREET METHODIST CHURCH — Rev. Edwin A. Pearson, B.A., Pastor.
Missionary Services— 11 a.m., Rev. S. J. Storey, B.D. of Cobourg; 7 p.m., Rev. R. L. Stuart, of Wes. China.
2.30 p.m. Sabbath School. The following Bible Classes will meet:—
Inthon (Men). Teacher: the Pastor.
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ST. JAMES METHODIST — Rev. H. M. Manning, Pastor.
Regular Morning Church Service and Sunday School in the afternoon.
There will be no service at night.
It is proposed to begin Public Services in the basement of the New St. James Methodist Church building about the end of January or the beginning of February. In the meantime the Sunday School will be held as usual in the King Edward School, and the week night service in the homes of the members of the congregation.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH — Rev. Robert Pogue, Pastor.
Mr. Pogue will teach the "Mitre" Adult Bible Class. Inspector Mowat will teach the Young Men's Class. The Guild will meet at 8.15 Sabbath evening.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH — Corner of Rubidge and Brock streets.
Rev. Jas. G. Potter, B.A., Pastor.
Usual services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
3 p.m. Sunday School.

KNOX CHURCH — Rev. H. J. Keith, B.D., M.A.
Usual services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
Subject in the morning: "The Common People."
3 p.m. Young Men's Guild and Sunday School.
Mission Sunday in the Sabbath School. The offering will go to Pointe-aux-Trembles School.
Evening subject: "Belief and Conduct."

THE MURRAY STREET BAPTIST CHURCH — Rev. J. R. Webb, Pastor.
Usual services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

PARK STREET BAPTIST CHURCH — Rev. W. C. Riddiford, Pastor.
Pastor will preach at both services. 11 a.m. "Hindrances to the Christian Life."
3 p.m. Bible School and Pastor's Bible Class.
7 p.m. "The Penitent's Cry."
Monday: Young People's Meeting.
Consecration Meeting.
Wednesday, 8 p.m.: Prayer Meeting
Thursday: Choir Practice at 8 p.m.
J. C. Miller, Choir Leader.
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Young People's Meeting on Monday evening, 8 o'clock at the Pastor's residence.
Regular Prayer Meeting on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.
GOSPEL HALL — Corner of George and Brock streets.
The Lord's Supper will be commemorated at 11 o'clock.
The Sunday School will be held at three o'clock. Any children not attending any school are heartily welcome.
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Heart-To-Heart Talk Between Father And Son

The Examiner Newsboys Contest the Topic---Showing How Parents Can Encourage Their Boys to be Industrious Money Earners.

The live interest which has always been taken by thoughtful parents in the Examiner Newsboys' Competitions is again manifesting itself in the third interesting event announced to begin on Monday evening.

Many instances have developed showing the gratifying results which have followed the selling of the Daily Examiner by boys to their own subscribers. This fact has led parents to encourage their boys to exert themselves with the view of not only earning their own pocket money, but of helping to clothe themselves, as well as in starting a small bank account.

The twenty substantial cash prizes offered to the boys who secure the largest number of new subscribers to the Daily Examiner before the 1st of May, makes it well worth the time and effort required to become a successful prize winner.

Besides these twenty cash prizes, a supplemental cash prize will be given every week to the boy who sells the largest number of Examiners each week. And in addition to these prizes, each boy gets every cent he makes from the proceeds of his daily sales.

That bright boys make bright men has often been demonstrated by Examiner newsboys. One instance of special interest might be given as an actual fact is that of a well known Peterborough boy who is to-day a business manager in one of the most influential business establishments of the city. And he takes pride sometimes in declaring that he could put his hands on more loose cash when he was a newsboy than he often can do now, during these days of speculation in stocks and expensive living.

The following conversation between a father and his boy is related as a fair sample of what has taken place relative to the Examiner Newsboys' Competitions:—

Father: "Come, Fred, ain't you going to try your hand at selling Examiners?"

Boy: "Don't know, Father, it's pretty hard work. Guess there isn't much chance for me. The other boys that have been selling will scoop up all the prizes."

Father: "What makes you think so? It doesn't matter how many papers they are selling at present. It's the number of new customers you get; the old ones don't count."

Boy: "Well, I know, but I never sold any papers, and they know all about it."

Father: "Pshaw! They had all to learn. What trick is there in selling papers to a boy like you who can play hockey the way you can. You've got the sand in you, and you might as well be making a few dollars after school like the rest of the boys."

Boy: "If I thought I could get a prize, I might tackle it, father."

Father: "Prize! Of course you can win a prize if you tackle it right. Besides it will sharpen you up and help to learn you how to earn you bigger money as well as to save it."

Boy: "Oh, I know a lot of boys who have earned a pile of money selling papers. I know one fellow who has all the pocket money he wants and over $75 dollars in the bank as well. And there's Jim McC——, who buys all his own clothes and is never without a dollar. Johnny W—— helps his mother a good deal, too, when his father isn't working, and I have heard his mother say that he has often kept the house going on what he made selling Examiners."

Father: "Well, isn't that a good act? You just get in line with the new crowd of boys that start on Monday and I'll back you up."

Boy: "All right, Dad. Give me a nickel or two to start on."

Boys! Remember that the getting of ten new subscribers is sure of a good prize, surely any boy can do this and more — if he hustles.

"THE WORTH OF THE HUMAN SOUL."

"IN THE SEEING SOUL, ALL WORTH LIES"

"I search but cannot see
What purpose serves the soul that strives or world it tries
Conclusions with, unless the fruit of victories
Stay, one and all, stored up and guaranteed its own
For ever, by some mode whereby shall be made known
The gain of every life. Death reads the title clear—
What each soul for itself conquered from out things here
Since, in the seeing soul, all worth lies, I assert,—
And nought i' the world, which, save for soul that sees, inert,
Was, is, and would be ever—stuff for transmuting,—null
And void until man's breath evoke the beautiful—
But, touched aright, prompt yields each particle its tongue
Of elemental flame,—no matter whence flame sprung
From gums and spice, or else from straw and rottenness,
So long as soul has power to make them burn, express
What lights and warms henceforth, leaves only ash behind.
However the chance; if soul be privileged to find
Food so soon that, by first snatch of eye, suck of breath,
It can absorb pure life"

From Browning's "Fifine at the Fair"

When Goldsmith, in speaking of the Italian Renascence, wrote the lines,

"The canvas glowed beyond even nature warm,
The pregnant quarry teemed with human form—"

he, consciously or unconsciously, gave expression to two great truths. A shallow criticism has found fault with these two lines. It has been said that the province of art is to copy nature, not to surpass it; and that the marble does not teem with human form at one period more than at another. Let us examine these objections. Take the case of a landscape. You may have passed it many times without being attracted by it. You may even have had your attention drawn to it, and failed to see anything of special interest. Now let it be put on canvas by a great artist. Compare the pictures, point by point, with the original. Nothing has been added, nothing omitted. And yet the landscape, as a whole will, ever afterwards, have a charm for you. What has the artist done? He has idealized his subject. He has endowed it with life and soul. His finely attuned nature has felt, and in a lesser degree, made you feel the influence of the Over-Soul. He has given you glimpses of the divine, and shown you that the soul is greater than nature. Nature can but suggest the soul can manifest.

So is it with the beautiful forms in the marble. The quarry is not pregnant until it has been impregnated by the soul of the artist. The master does not see the human forms because they are there. They are there because he sees them.

We idealize everything. Shakespeare's characters are often spoken of as true to nature. If that were so, they would not be so interesting. They are not true to nature in the sense of being mere copies of natural men and women; they are men and women idealized. The poor, unfortunate wretches whom we meet in passing through life, may excite our sympathy, and, alas, too, unless we are imbued with the spirit of the Christ, our disgust; but let them be shown by the artist's picture, and disgust may be changed into admiration. We see the same men and women; but we had not, before seen the God.

God is within us: and your god is only as high as your ideal, which is the measure, not of your potentiality, but of your present capability. How can we form a conception of a being higher than ourselves? What that which we call God is objectively, we cannot know; but subjectively, Colonel Ingersoll was right when he said—

"An honest god's the noblest work of man."

The soul of man, seperated from the Universal Soul, and longing for a reunion, seeks constantly after God. It is this longing which is the cause of all effort. It is this which inspires the sculptor, the painter the poet, and the musician. In fact, all the actions of man, seem to him, for the time being, the best means of reaching God, the highest good. Some one said, not long ago, that the drunkard, in his orgies, is seeking God. The saying was ridiculed at the time. Is it not true?

Each loves his ideal. You, married man, think you love your wife. She is but the lay figure that suggested the ideal, the real object of your love. Byron says—

"In her first love, a woman loves her lover;
In all the others, all she loves is love."

Another cannot fill the place; but the ideal remains, and she goes on loving. Some one has said that ideals are the only realities.

But what is this that we love? Our highest conception of the good, the true, and the beautiful; our highest selves; our gods. For what can we know of God, but from within, whence all our light comes? We hear Christians say that they love God, when they mean God objectively. How can they love a being who fills immensity, and permeates every particle of matter in the Universe? Who is not only infinite, but infinity itself? The highest being of which they can have any actual knowledge, and the highest being they can love is man. What do we know of our fellow-men? What even of ourselves?

"Below the surface stream,
Shallow and light, of what we say we feel;
Below the stream, as light of what we think
We feel, there flows with noiseless current, strong and deep
The central stream of what we feel indeed."

The potentialities of the human soul are infinite. When Jesus speaks of removing mountains, he means not what preachers say, mountains of sin, which exist only in a diseased imagination, but actual mountains, and it was easy to believe as the words of the Master that if one could live up to the possibilities of his composite being he might cast the Rocky Mountains into the Pacific.

BARTON EARLE

The Directors of the Little Lake Cemetery Co. have requested me to collect all outstanding accounts at once, and I ask those owing the Company, to call at my office and pay the same.

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POST CARD COLUMN

Editor Post Card Column:

Dear Sir,—As a taxpayer in this city I wish to ask a question, which I hope every taxpayer will ponder over. Have the City Council and the School Boards any right to go on spending money recklessly, without the authority or vote of the taxpayers? I believe the law in the matter is very plain, and that the men who do this thing are personally liable. This kind of thing has got to stop sometime and if an example is made of a few men in this matter, I believe it will be in the public interest. Another question I would like to ask. Can the Council foist these unauthorized expenditures on the taxpayers this year without their consent, and legitimately, collect it? If they attempt it there will likely be trouble.

Respectfully yours,
A WEST END CITIZEN.

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OUR OWN	*Waltz*
LET'S GO HOME	*Waltz Song*
I'VE TAKEN QUITE A FANCY FOR YOU	*Song*
JUNGLE TOWN	*Song*
MONKEY LAND	*Song*
SUMMER TIME	*Waltz Song*
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SWEET SIXTEEN	*Song*
NO MOON LIKE THE HONEYMOON	*Song*
THE LITTLE OLD RED SCHOOLHOUSE ON THE HILL	*Song*
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SMILING STAR	*Song*

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LOCAL OPTION IN THE CITIES

Knoxville, Tennessee, for Example.

The advocates of prohibitory legislation are constantly met by one or both of two arguments. We are told that while local option may work alright and give general satisfaction in the rural constituencies, villages and smaller towns, it is out of the question in the larger and more intelligent centres of population. Again it is contended that the introduction of prohibitory legislation into cities and larger towns will be ruinous to business.

It is quite true that, so far as Ontario is concerned, local option laws have not been tried in any of the cities or many of the larger towns. The reason for this though is not to be found in their greater intelligence, but rather in the fact that in these centres of population there is a larger proportion of voters lacking in that quality, and so more difficult to reach by any campaign of education. As to the injury to business, the very opposite has proved to be the case, as is shown, not only in our own province, but in many of the states of the American Union, where the cause of temperance is more advanced than with us.

The Legislature of the State of Tennessee has just passed a State Prohibition Law. Previous to that there had been for some time a local option law. This had been passed and was in operation in 92 of the 96 counties of the State. The legislature simply made it unanimous. This action was violently opposed in some of the larger cities, the chief arguments being those indicated above, viz., The ruin of business and the impossibility of operating such a law in the cities. In reply to this it is pointed out that the city of Knoxville in that State, with 36,000 population, has been for a year under local option, and that all the 114 places that were formerly saloons, are now occupied by business enterprises, which are a benefit to the community. In this connection the testimony of the Mayor, the City judge and the Chief of Police are interesting. The following is what they say:

Statement of the Mayor, Hon. J. Brooks.

"Prohibition has been and is a marked success in Knoxville. Our criminal record has been greatly reduced, and the drunk and disorderly list is almost entirely wanting. Families that had scarcely ever known what it was to have a 'square meal,' or a good suit of clothes, are now well fed, well clothed and happy."

Statement of Judge Thomas A. A. Nelson.

"If a larger and more regular attendance at Sunday School, preaching and other services at our churches, if a larger and more regular attendance at schools, by better shod, better clad and cleaner children; if forty thousand dollars more money for increased room and better equipment and larger pay to teachers; if more revenue for the city from ad valorem and license taxes; if sixty per cent. decrease of arrests for drunkenness and kindred crimes; if a decrease of a like or even greater percentage in homicides and all grades of crime; if a million dollars a year spent for necessaries is less helpful than a like amount spent for liquor; if these things indicate failure, then prohibition has failed."

Statement of Chief of Police, W. P. Chandler.

"No matter who says prohibition in Knoxville is a failure, it is not true. We have had a dry town for a few days more than one year, and this city is better off in every respect. The most important matter to be considered in any locality, as I see it, is the moral condition, and I am glad to say this is the one most improved. Our city is 100 per cent. better to-day than when saloons were here. It is true we make arrests, and some for drunkenness, but where in the days of the saloons we made 150 to 250 a week, we rarely make fifty arrests a week now, including all manner of cases. In the saloon days we would make ten to twenty arrests each day, and thirty-five to fifty on Saturdays, nearly all punks of the result of drunks. Now we have an average of three or four a day, and rarely go over ten or fifteen on Saturdays. There is some whiskey sold here, but we get the man doing it, sooner or later, and some of the big ones, too have workhouse sentences against them.

"The liquor people and friends of liquor say that prohibition here is a failure, but they are crazy to get saloons back. I make this assertion and defy contradiction: That there are now hundreds of children in Knoxville with clothes and shoes to wear and something to eat, who went naked and hungry when saloons were here. The city schools of Knoxville never had such large attendance as this year. Teachers, policemen and firemen all get salaries raised this year, the first time in twenty years. The city comptroller tells me he collected more in (business) licenses in nine months this year than the whole of last year."

STONE CRUSHING IDEA OF MR. HAY CONDEMNED

"Ratepayer (And One Who Knows)," Deals With It in a Letter.

To the Editor of the Examiner:

Dear Sir,—I noticed in last night's Examiner, that Mr. T A S Hay, the City Engineer, has given out a report to the Board of Works, that, by putting the north-end stone crusher in the bed of the river below the Cereal Works dam, and crushing rotten limestone, that will all go to pieces when a load goes on it, and then blow away in dust, it would save the city $2.62 per cord, in place of $3.00 per cord, according to the motion passed by the Board of Works. I notice that Mr. Hay has it down pretty fine when he puts the 2 cents to his figures. According to Mr. Hay's figures these stones could be taken from the river for 38 cents a cord. I would like to see Mr. Hay try this and keep a team to tow the lords out of that hole. He or no other man living could do it for that money. The city fathers should consult somebody that knows something practical about matters. It is very easy for a man to sit down in his office and figure on an article to the best of my opinion this he had never properly done according to his figures, and it is a sure thing that if they ever do put the crusher down there, they will find it just like the Romaine street sewer, a failure and the taxpayers can pay for it.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for space in the Examiner, I am, etc.

"RATEPAYER."

(and one who knows.)

Magistrate Dumble Returns Judgment Of Not Guilty In The Millbrook Trunk Affair

The "gray-blue" trunk can be taken to Millbrook with its contents, if Mr. John Croaker, who purchased it so desires. Magistrate Dumble gave his decision this morning dismissing the charge against Mr Alex. Elliott of having unlawfully sold whiskey to John Croaker of Millbrook. The judgment was as follows—

The charge herein is laid under section 61 of the Liquor License Act for selling to a person not entitled to sell and who sells such liquor or who buys for the purpose of reselling.

In order to sustain the charge, Mr Elliott or his employees who in this case sold the liquors must be proved to have known—

1 That John Croaker was not licensed to sell liquors and did sell liquor, or

2 That they knew Croaker was buying to sell again.

Mr. Elliott personally did not sell and it is not shown that he knew of the sales.

The two men in the shop swear that they did not know Croaker, who he was or where he came from, and there is no evidence to contradict them.

It is shown that Croaker got a trunk full of whiskey on several occasions at Elliott's retail store and that he kept an hotel in Millbrook, a local option village, and one might infer that he bought to sell again, but that does not fasten knowledge on Elliott or his employees or justify a conclusion of guilt.

Under sub-sect. 2, the defendant is not called on to rebut a conclusion of guilt by proving good faith and want of knowledge on his part and on the part of his servants, until first a prima facie case has been made out. The evidence does not prove either that Croaker sold liquor or bought to sell, and I would not be justified in finding from the quantity of liquor bought by him that Mr. Elliott's servants were bound to know that he was selling or bought to sell.

In fact his living in a local option village should lead one to suppose that Croaker was keeping the law especially where there is absolutely no evidence that he does sell liquor.

The case is discharged. The liquor seized will be delivered to Mr. Croaker.

"D. W. DUMBLE"
P. M.

Jan. 30th, 1909.

The above Judgment would seem to show that liquor can be purchased by persons living in a Local Option District, in any quantities, provided that the same is not bought for the purpose of reselling or purchased with the intention of reselling. As long as a man purchases liquor for his own use, although living in a Local Option District, he is free to do so.

In the above case Mr. E. H. D. Hall appeared for the prosecution, and Mr G. N. Gordon, successfully defended Mr. Alex. Elliott.

LITTLE LIVES LOST
HOW TO SAVE THEM

The annual report of the Registrar-General for Ontario shows that for every thousand children born one hundred and eleven die before they reach the age of one year. Most of these deaths are due to disorders of the stomach and bowels, and most of these little lives could be saved if mothers kept always at hand a safe and simple remedy like Baby's Own Tablets. These Tablets cure all stomach and bowel troubles, but better still an occasional dose will prevent these troubles coming on. Mrs. N. Shaffer, The Brook, Ont., says: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets for stomach and bowel troubles and always find them satisfactory. I feel that my little ones are safe so long as I have this medicine in the house." Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

PRESENTATION TO CLASS MEMBER

Interesting Event in Which Members of Mark St. Church Classes Figure.

A number of the young ladies of Mark street Sunday School, East City, together with Mrs. M. W. Matchett's class of young men, met at the home of Mr. H. Callander, Hunter street, to spend the last evening with his son, Lynn, who is a member of the class, prior to his departure for the West.

A pleasing feature of the evening's entertainment was an address read by Mr. Wesley Crowe, and the presentation of a complete set of toilet brushes on a beautiful china tray by Mr. Alfred Record, to Mr. Lynn Callander, on behalf of the class.

All expressed themselves as having spent a most enjoyable evening. Credit is due the ladies present for the dainty refreshments served.

GOVERNMENT WILL DEEPEN WEST CHANNEL OF RIVER

Hon. J R Stratton, M.P., accompanied by Mr. J G Sing, C.E., Government Engineer, waited upon the Government on Thursday in connection with the deepening of the bed of the river here in order to divert, as much as possible, the flow of the water to the eastern side of the river, so that the force of the current will not interfere with the progress of crafts coming up the stream on the west side of the river, where all wharfage will be situated and all landings made.

The Engineer's report on this subject being favourable, it is more than probable that the Government will give instructions to have the work done, while the water is low and before the spring freshets arrive.

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LOCAL OPTION COLUMN.

Owing to the contest now being so largely advertized in this paper, the conditions of the Local Option Essay Competition will be held over for another week. In the meantime pupils of the schools may gather together as much material as possible on the subject: "Why Should Peterborough Banish the Bar?"

LATEST CITY NEWS.

Dorcas Society

—The Dorcas Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Rankin, Gilmour street, on Monday afternoon.

Jordan Bros., Florists

—Will remove on the 1st February to the store now occupied by Macgregor & Reid, 428 George street.

George St. Methodist

—Anthem, "Sing unto God," Bevan. Duet, "Twilight," Nevin. Ladies' Quartette, "Abide With Me," Parks. Solo, Miss Reesor.

Probabilities

—North and north west gales, becoming colder, light snow Sunday strong north westerly winds, fair extremely cold

Painting and Decorating

—Painting and decorating, all work quickly, neatly and cheaply executed. Country work not objected to. A. Guppy, 455 Stewart street. 28d14

W. A. A. meeting

—The Reading Circle of the W. A. A. will meet at half past seven on Monday evening at Mrs. Seward's. The subject of discussion will be "Poussin."

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—All the citizens of Peterborough to have their garments dyed, cleaned pressed and repaired by My Valet 204 Charlotte street. All work guaranteed. dtf

Literary Meeting

—The regular meeting of The Ladies' Literary Society of St. Peter's T. A. S. will be held on Friday evening when a paper will be read by Miss V. Donoghue. 3doh22

A Pleasant Sight Restored.

—This morning it was a pleasant sight to see a dray proceeding to the railway station loaded with machinery from the Wm. Hamilton Works, again in running order.

Granted Letters

—The Trust and Guarantee Company, Limited, Toronto, have been granted letters of administration of the estate of the late James Edward Heron, of the township of Brantford, in the county of Brant.

Will Occupy New Store

—Jordan Bros. beg to announce that they will occupy their new store, 428 George Street, (MacGregor & Reid's old stand,) on Monday, Feb. 1st., and will be very pleased to see all their old friends at their new premises. 3d-23

St. Andrew's Church

The services in St. Andrew's Church to-morrow will be of special interest. The Rev. Mr. Potter will preach at both services. The evening service will be of special interest to men. There will be a male chorus of some thirty voices and a special address, "The Spectator of Tragedy and What Became of Him."

Sunday Reading

—"The Sabbath was made for man," and the restfulness of the day is enhanced by reading. Come to the Peterborough Bookstore to-night and select your Sunday reading from our wide range of literature. Books were never cheaper during our stock-taking sale. Bibles selling at 20 per cent. off regular price. February illustrated periodicals and papers in full supply. A H Stratton & Co.

Rev. Mr. Reid to Preach

—The Rev. A. L. Reid, M.A., of Toronto, and formerly of Barbadoes, West Indies, will officiate at St. Luke's next Sunday, at all services. Mr. Reid formerly assisted at St. Luke's and should be greeted by large congregations. The morning service will be a memorial for the late Archbishop, to whose life and work reference will be made in the sermon.

Memorial Service

—There will be a special memorial service at All Saints' Church on Sunday morning, in memory of the late Archbishop Sweatman. The hymns, psalms, lessons and prayers will be appropriate to the occasion. The rector will preach on "An estimate of the life and work of the late Archbishop." In the evening there will be a sermon more particularly to men, on "The Real Battle of Life."

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Miss Marion McCabe of Division st. entertained a few of her girl friends Friday evening.

Mrs. Joseph Hutchinson, of Oxbow, Sask., is visiting at the home of Mr. Jas. Savigny, 362 Queen street.

Miss Lottie Faux left Friday morning for Toronto, where she will be the guest of her cousin for a few days.

Mr. George Munro, a former attache of the Examiner, now a jeweller of Grand Forks, N. D., is in the city for a brief visit.

Mr. W. R. Morris has left the National Hotel and taken up his residence at No. 21 Scott street. Mrs. Morris will not receive again until March.

Mrs. A. Rickner, who has been spending the last month with her daughter, Mrs. J. Trussler, 287 Westcott street, returned to her home in Rochester Saturday morning.

It is understood that Colonel Greenwood, who has lately returned from South Africa, has rented the Lefevre property in Lakefield for one year, and intends to move there with his wife and family in February.

Mr. H. W. Hilliard, of Meanodosa, Manitoba, who has been visiting at the home of his brother, Mr. G. B. Hilliard, Lakefield, passed through the city yesterday, Thursday, on his way to London, England.

NOTICE.

Peterborough Show Room for Nordheimer Pianos are at 332 George Street. You are invited to see them. 8d-18

BLAKE IN FINE SHAPE FOR WALK

Will Take Part in the International Race in Madison Square Garden.

J. F. Blake, the American coloured walking champion, arrived in the city Thursday night, ready for the big walking match in the Auditorium Roller Rink with Jim Harrison, the local crack, to-day. He was given a warm welcome back to Peterborough by those who had made his acquaintance in the walk here last spring, when his plucky walking won him many friends. Blake says that he is in fine shape, and he thoroughly looks the part, being stouter and fresher looking than on his last appearance in Peterborough. He has had considerable walking since he left here, and has been successful in annexing a number of races, including a 50 mile race at Plattsburg. In another 50 mile race at the same place he was second, being beaten out in the last desperate sprint by five yards, the two men keeping together all the way. Blake was fifth in the big walk at Auburn, N.Y., which was captured by Hoagland. He is entered in the International Six Day Go-as-you-please race in Madison Square Garden, New York City in March next, having been selected as one of the American representatives.

To-day's race started this afternoon at 2 o'clock sharp, and the men will walk until five o'clock, after which there will be a rest of three hours, the race being finished out with three hours at night. The rink will be heated and will be comfortable for spectators, while there is ample seating accommodation for a big crowd. The band will be on hand in the evening.

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CIVIL SERVICE REMUNERATION

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OUTSIDERS CLAIMS MADE

Mr. Borden Declares That Others Beside Ottawa Employes Should Get More Money and Sir Wilfrid Announces That They Will Receive Consideration — Leader of the Opposition Criticises Letter.

Ottawa, Jan. 30.—The Government have lost no time in taking steps to implement their promise of a general increase in salaries of the inside civil service.

In the House yesterday Hon. Sydney Fisher introduced a resolution for a general increase of $150 in the salaries of officials of the inside civil service under the deputy heads, based on recommendations of the Civil Service Commission. Mr. Fisher at some length explained who would be benefited. Under the new classification of last session 59 received increases of 11 per cent. Under this resolution 2,605 receive increases of $150 a year, the average increase being 13 per cent. Thirty-five are not benefited in any way. Under the new classification the increases total $36,000. The resolution provides for increases totaling $347,000; a grand total of $383,000. The Civil Service Commission recommended a general increase of 12 1-2 to 15 1-2 per cent.

Mr. Borden pointed out that every argument in favor of increases for the inside service was equally an argument for increases for the outside service. The statute made a clear distinction between the two branches of the service, but the case of living did not. The Government ought to bring down the circular distributed among the civil servants of Ottawa bearing the signature of the junior member for Ottawa and endorsed by the Prime Minister, so that the House might know whether the promises made to the electors were being implemented in the resolution.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier stated that it was the intention to reform the outside service also.

As to Mr. Borden's suggestion that the promise to the electors of Ottawa in the campaign was a bribe, Sir Wilfrid said it was the intention to introduce the resolution last year and to date the increase from Sept. 18. But now Mr. Borden said it was a bribe. It was not safe to make that charge in the election campaign. The outside service must come under the reform, but one thing at a time.

Hal. B. McGiverin, junior member for Ottawa, failed to see that the statement he made to the electors of Ottawa was a bribe. The Conservative candidates had promised to use their endeavors to see that the recommendations of the Civil Service Commissioners were carried out at once, and said they had "the assurance of our leader that this will be done."

Dr. Barr also argued for better pay for outsiders, and Dr. Sproule continued the discussion, the House going into committee shortly before six o'clock.

In the afternoon R. L. Borden asked today afternoon R. L. Borden asked when the House might expect the waterways treaty, and if the matter of the fisheries dispute had been submitted to The Hague tribunal.

Sir Wilfrid replied that the Governor-General had on Thursday communicated with the Foreign Office in England for permission to release the treaty; as to the second matter, it had been agreed between Newfoundland and Great Britain that fisheries and other matters in dispute should be referred to The Hague.

R. L. Borden, rising to a question of privilege, quoted an editorial in The Globe, which complained that he had allowed three months to pass without repudiating the faked telegram in The Victoria, B.C., Colonist, representing him to be in favor of the "absolute exclusion of Asiatics." It was not till his return from the south (about the middle of December) that his attention had been called to the matter. He had written to The Colonist, which had replied that no one connected with the management was responsible, and he was awaiting the result of further enquiries.

Out of a great evil may come a great good.—Italian Proverb.

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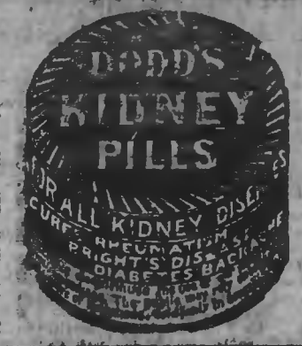

ROASTS SALVATIONISTS.

Labor Commissioner Trotter Speaks at British Congress.

London, Jan. 30.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—The labor congress at Portsmouth passed a socialistic resolution by 362,000 to 313,000. A resolution to prevent labor members appearing in support of any measure on the same platform as members of the capitalist party was rejected by 788,000 to 113,000. Congress next declared for secular solution of the education question.

Tariff reform was denounced as no cure for unemployment, Ramsay MacDonald, M.P., declaring that tariff reformers said they wanted to broaden the basis of taxation, but the basis indicated was the people's backs.

A full report of Mr. Trotter's speech on Thursday is not available, but he fiercely criticised the Salvation Army, and, in addition to what was cabled Thursday, declared that a man who would attempt to Christianize Salvation Army headquarters would have a very difficult job. There were 5,500 white unemployed in Vancouver, and the same state of things prevailed at Montreal and Toronto. Yet, the Salvation Army was going to emigrate thousands. The Salvation Army had become the procurator-general of cheap labor for international capital.

Canada's Mission Policy.

Toronto, Jan. 30.—"The first time in history that the men of a nation have met to consider and adopt a missionary policy for their country," is the announcement on the proposed program for the Canadian National Missionary Congress, under the auspices of the Laymen's Missionary Movement, to be held in Massey Hall from March 31 to April 4 next. The theme of the congress will be "Canada's National Missionary Policy, Home and Foreign."

The Canadian Council of the Laymen's Missionary Movement have received word from His Excellency Earl Grey, the Governor-General of Canada, that he is pleased to accept the invitation extended to him by the council to be honorary president of the congress.

Three Men Drop Into Canyon.

Prince Rupert, B.C., Jan. 30.—Reports have reached here that one day last week three men were killed outright by falling over high banks. From Port Essington, to the very last railway camp at Mile 98, up the Skeena river to the trail is exceedingly dangerous and men walking from camp to camp in several places along the route have to support themselves around these dangerous cliffs by means of half-inch ropes that have been stretched by the contractors around the most dangerous of these places.

It was at one of these high cliffs that these men lost their lives. They missed their footing and fell over 100 feet to the river below.

Federal Appointments.

Ottawa, Jan. 30.—The following appointments are gazetted:

C. H. Parmelee, King's printer; W. M. McMahon, assistant King's printer and controller of stationery; W. H. Routledge, Athabaska Landing, to be superintendent of mounted police in Alberta; George L. Jennings, to be mounted police inspector in Alberta; Capt. D. A. McInnis, to be harbormaster and port warden of Port of Vancouver and Burrad Inlet; James O'Brien, Hamilton, Ont., to be deputy collector of inland revenue.

The Massey-Harris Co.'s capital has been increased from eight million dollars to twelve million dollars.

Quebec Declines Highest Tender.

Montreal, Jan. 30.—News reached the city yesterday that that Province of Quebec, which asked for bids on $750,000 fifty year 4 per cent. bonds, has refused the highest tender of 101.10, which was made by N. & W. Harris & Co. of Boston. Twenty tenders were made. A Montreal bond man says the bid of 101.10 is a good one and that the province may have difficulty getting a better figure.

Kootenay and Alberta Railway.

Ottawa, Jan. 30.—Application is being made to Parliament for an act to incorporate the Kootenay and Alberta Railway Co., to run from a point on the Crow's Nest branch of the C.P.R. between Cowley and Pincher Creek, through Beaver Valley to the North Kootenay Pass, whence down the valley of the Flat Head River in British Columbia to the international boundary.

A Lecture From Glasgow.

London, Jan. 30.—Referring to the abandonment of militia camps The Glasgow Herald things that Canada has the night of empire, behind her rests the shadow of the Monro doctrine. She would be blameworthy if she allowed the pre-occupation of purely material things to blind her to the responsibilities of a nationhood and empire.

Export of Cattle.

Ottawa, Jan. 30.—By order of the Department of Agriculture no Canadian cattle, sheep or other swine will be allowed to leave Canada for export to Europe except through the ports of St. John, N.B., Halifax, N.S., or Charlottetown, P.E.I.

Previous orders regarding exportation of cattle to Europe are rescinded.

Must Close on Sunday.

Montreal, Jan. 30.—The Attorney-General has issued instructions that actions be taken against twenty-two moving picture shows in Montreal, and also the Nationscope, in that city, for keeping open on Sunday.

Menelik Ill.

Rome, Jan. 30.—A special despatch received here from Abyssinia says that while King Menelik is ill his condition is not as bad as has been reported. Italy, France and Great Britain have reached an understanding for the protection of Europeans in Abyssinia in the event of an uprising in case Menelik should die.

Negro's Escape.

Jacksonville, Fla., Jan. 30.—A negro answering the description of one who attempted to criminally assault Mrs. Jessie Holland was captured Thursday night and strung up to a tree with a telephone wire. The wire broke, and a second attempt was being made to hang the negro when a sheriff's posse scattered the crowd.

Brother-In-Law Accused.

Poughkeepsie, N.Y., Jan. 30.—Theodore Adams, employed in the railroad round-house at Hopewell Junction, was arrested yesterday and charged with the murder of his brother-in-law, John Kliff, of that place, after Mrs. Kliff had accused Adams of wounding and robbing her.

Don't Like the Choice.

Winnipeg, Jan. 30.—Considerable opposition is developing amongst the French-speaking population of Manitoba to the nomination of Noah Chevrier to the Senate to succeed the late Senator Bernier. There is talk of circulating a petition of protest.

Attempts Suicide While Under Arrest.

Windsor, Jan. 30.—Mrs. Eliza Landon, arrested in Detroit in connection with the death of Ettie Sowler of Bothwell, Ont., is thought to have attempted suicide at her home while officers were searching her effects. Officers detected the odor of gas and found a jet wide open in a room where Mrs. Landon was being guarded.

G.T.R. to Run Steamers.

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 30.—The Grand Trunk's contract with the New Haven Co. for the operation of the New Haven's boats between New York and New London will expire July 1 next and after that date it is probable that the Grank Trunk will operate its own boats on that line.

Everybody Must Be Vaccinated.

New Orleans, Jan. 30.—One of the most sweeping decrees to enforce a sanitary precaution ever issued has been made by President Cabrera of Guatemala. It requires that every person in the republic must be vaccinated.

Black Hand Police Bureau.

New York, Jan. 30.—The establishment of a branch of the police service to deal exclusively with the so-called "black hand" and other similar secret organizations is the latest move announced at police headquarters.

Death-Bed Wedding.

Brockville, Jan. 30.—Married on Wednesday, knowing he was on his death-bed, to Miss Mary Weatherspoon, Pascal Finn of Ireland, with no relatives in this country, died yesterday morning in the hospital.

New General Manager.

Winnipeg, Jan. 30.—Robert Campbell, acting general manager of the Northern Crown Bank since the resignation of De Courcay O'Grady, has been appointed general manager by the board of directors.

Embargo on Horses Lifted.

Niagara Falls, Jan. 30.—After having been in force since Nov. 21, the embargo on horses was removed yesterday. Horses and wagons are now allowed to cross the bridges into the Dominion.

The Tragedy of the Robin.

Rev. R. J. Campbell, who attributed a solo to a recent service at the City Temple (London) in order to show how a certain hymn should be sung, tells the following story of his grandfather, a strong old Puritan, stern in the cause of right, but gentle in his dealings with children and animals. His intense love and sympathy for animals was such that when he accidentally shot a robin one day—for he was a keen sportsman—he held the poor little bird in his hand while it died. Then he walked back silently to his study and hung up his gun, never to be taken down again. And he never failed, when opportunity arose, to impress upon the future pastor of the City Temple the lesson of kindness to dumb creatures.

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MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool and Chicago Wheat Futures Close Higher—Live Stock—Latest Quotations.

Friday Evening, Jan. 29.

Liverpool wheat futures closed unchanged to ½d higher than yesterday, and corn closed unchanged.

Chicago May wheat closed ⅝c higher than yesterday; May corn closed unchanged, and oats unchanged.

Winnipeg Options.

Wheat—January, $1.00¾ bid, July $1.03⅛ bid, May $1.03⅜ bid.
Oats—January 37⅛c bid, May 41⅝c bid.

Toronto Grain Market.

Wheat, fall, bush	$0 98	to $0 99
Wheat, red, bush	0 98	....
Wheat, goose, bush	0 91	....
Rye, bush	0 88	....
Buckwheat, bushel	0 56	....
Peas, bushel	0 82	....
Barley, bushel	0 55	0 60
Oats, bushel	0 35	0 36

Toronto Dairy Market.

Butter, separator, dairy	0 25	0 26
Butter, store lots	0 22	0 23
Butter, creamery, solids	0 27	0 28
Butter, creamery, lb rolls	0 27	0 28
Eggs, new-laid, dozen	0 32	0 33
Eggs, cold storage	0 26	0 27
Cheese, large, lb	0 13½	....
Cheese, twin, lb	0 14	....
Honey, extracted	0 10½	0 11

Liverpool Grain and Produce.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 29.—Closing—Wheat, spot, firm; No. 2 red western winter, 7s 11½d; futures, steady; March, 7s 8¾d; May, 7s 7¼d; July, 7s 8d. Corn, spot steady; new American mixed (via Galveston), 5s 5½d; futures, quiet; March, 5s 4¼d; May, 5s 4¾d. Hops in London (Pacific coast), steady, £2 to £3. Bacon, long clear middles, light, 47s 6d, steady; do., heavy, 47s 6d, steady. Lard, prime western, in tierces, quiet, 46s; American refined, in pails, quiet, 48s 6d.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Butter—Fancy grades firm; others, easy; prices unchanged; receipts, 4017.

Cheese, steady, unchanged; receipts, 688.

Eggs—Firmer; receipts, 4506; State, Pennsylvania and nearby fancy selected white, 35c; do., fair to choice, 34c to 35c; brown and mixed fancy, 34c; do., fair to choice, 32c to 33c; western firsts, 33c; seconds, 31c to 31½c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Cables Firm—Hogs 5c to 15c Higher at East Buffalo.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—London cables for cattle are steady at 12c to 12½c per lb., dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 10½c to 11½c per lb.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

EAST BUFFALO, Jan. 29.—Cattle—Receipts, 125 head; fair demand and steady; prime steers, $6 to $6.60.

Veals—Receipts, 700 head; active and 25c higher, $7 to $10.

Hogs—Receipts, 3500 head; slow; pigs and yorkers, 5c to 15c higher; others, steady; heavy and mixed, $6.55 to $6.65; yorkers, $6.15 to $6.50; pigs, $6.05 to $6.15; roughs, $5.40 to $5.65.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 15,000 head; active; sheep, steady; lambs, 10c lower; lambs, $7 to $7.60.

New York Live Stock.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Beeves—Receipts, 1233; steers, in light supply and 10c higher; bulls, 10c off; cows, steady to 10c lower. Steers, $4 to $6.35; oxen and stags, $4.75; bulls, $3.50 to $4; cows, $2.15 to $4; tops, $4.20. Exports to-morrow, 7305 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 661; steady for good veals; others, weak; barnyard calves, $4.25; western, $4.50; veals, $7 to $9.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2837; sheep, slow to lower; lambs, 10c lower. Sheep, $3 to $4.75; yearlings, $5.80 to $6.65; lambs, $7 to $7.4; no choice here; culls, $5.

Hogs—Receipts, 3018, all for slaughterers; nominally lower.

Jury Deplore Conditions.

Kingston, Jan. 30.—The jury in connection with the recent level crossing tragedy deplore the conditions of the crossing, and recommended immediate action to improve conditions and make it safe for the public. The jury further recommended that the conditions of the crossing and finding of the jury be brought to the attention of the Railway Commissioners.

W. Pope, solicitor, appeared for the G.T.R., and A. B. Cunningham for relatives of the deceased.

Probing Englishman's Death.

Chicago, Jan. 30.—Suspicious circumstances connected with the death of J. W. Wheeler, an English manufacturer, whose dead body was found yesterday in his room at 831 Michigan avenue, have led the police to begin an investigation. The gas jet was found open, but, according to the police, there was not sufficient gas in the room to cause death. Wheeler arrived in Chicago four days ago and registered from Liverpool, England.

Penny Cables Not Yet.

London, Jan. 30.—A pessimistic note was struck at a meeting of the Norwegian Chamber of Commerce regarding penny-a-word cables. Sir F. Flannery said that the time had not arrived when a sufficient increase in traffic would be obtained by making the reduction. Mr. Machin said that the rate of a penny per word was impossible. Sir J. Cockburn remarked that cheaper rates would come in the future.

Conservative Paper For St. John.

St. John, N.B., Jan. 30.—The Standard Publishing Co., Limited, which will either purchase the plant of The Sun and Star or secure a new plant, to print a Conservative daily in this city was organized yesterday, with J. W. Daniel, M.P., president; Ald. J. B. M. Baxter, vice-president, and A. B. Armstrong, secretary-treasurer.

Didn't Regard Sheriff's Presence.

Tilbury, Jan. 30.—Geo. Chalmers, late proprietor of the Balmoral Hotel, with his bartender, Alvin Morrison, and stepson, Elmer Ainslie, were yesterday committed for trial at the spring Assizes for fraudulently removing horses, liquors and cigars from the hotel premises after the sheriff had placed the goods under seizure.

To Inspect Dangerous Crossings.

Windsor, Jan. 30.—Essex County Council yesterday passed a motion to petition the Railway Commission to inspect dangerous level crossings on town line between Sandwich West and Sandwich East, over Michigan Central and electric railways.

Forty Relatives Killed.

New York, Jan. 30.—Telling a heart-rending story of his experiences in the Calabrian earthquake, in which over a score of his relatives perished, Antonio Strite of White Plains, New York, arrived yesterday from Marseilles.

Drowns With a Crucifix.

Southbridge, Mass., Jan. 30.—Mary Rose Girouard, 21 years old, was found drowned in a brook on Thursday, her hand clutching a crucifix she had been a sleep-walker.

THE DOMINION BANK

Proceedings of the Thirty-Eighth Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders.

THE THIRTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE DOMINION BANK was held at the Banking House of the Institution, Toronto, on Wednesday, 27th January, 1909.

Among those present were noticed:

Dr. Gracsett, A. M. Nanton, A. Foulds, J. H. Maclean, Andrew Semple, Hon. J. J. Foy, W. E. Booth, E. B. Osler, C. W. Band, W. Crocker, R.M. Gray Dr. J. F. Ross, V. H. E. Hutcheson, Alex. C. Morris, S. Samuel, A. Moore Grier, F. J. Harris (Hamilton), Wm. Gleeny (Oshawa), W. C. Lee, A. R. Boswell, G. N. Reynolds, Ira Standish, H. B. Hodgins, Barlow Cumberland, H. S. Harwood, Stewart Houston, Capt. Jessop, J. T. Small, C. Walker, Wm. Robe (Port Perry), R. J. Christie, H. Gordon Mackenzie, Col. Sir H. M. Pellatt, Wm. Mulock, jr.; W. C. Crowther, Richard Foster (Bowmanville), Geo. D. Scott, Jacob E. Finkle, W. R. Brock, W. D. Matthews, Temple Blackwood, A. W. Austin, J. J. Dixon, Dr. Andrew Smith, L. A. Hamilton, E. W. Langley, Thos. Walmsley, Robt. Mills (Hamilton), J. C. Eaton, Jas. Matthews, A. H. Campbell, jr.; W. H. Cawthra, J. G. Ramsey, Mrs. Adamson, James Scott, Richard Brown, David Smith, C. A. Bogert, H. J. Bethune and others.

It was moved by A. W. Austin, seconded by Dr. A. Smith, that Mr. E. B. Osler do take the chair, and that Mr. C. A. Bogert do act as Secretary.

Messrs. A. R. Boswell and A. H. Campbell, jr., were appointed Scrutineers.

The Secretary read the Report of the Directors to the Shareholders, and submitted the Annual Statement of the affairs of the Bank, which is as follows:

To the Shareholders:

The Directors beg to present the following Statement of the result of the business of the Bank for the year ending 31st December, 1908:

Balance of Profit and Loss Account, 31st December, 1907	$328,140,41
Premium received on new Capital Stock	143,274.70
Profit for the year ending 31st December, 1908, after deducting charges of management, etc., and making provision for bad and doubtful debts	641,358.11
Making a total of	$1,024,773,41
Which has been disposed of as follows:	
Dividend 3 per cent., paid 1st April, 1908	$176,562.51
Dividend 3 per cent., paid 2nd July, 1908	118,161.75
Dividend 3 per cent., paid 1st October, 1908	119,265.50
Dividend 3 per cent., payable 2nd January, 1909	119,422.56
	473,402.64
Written off Bank Premises	100,000.00
Transferred to Reserve Fund	146,374.75
	721,777.39
Balance of Profit and Loss carried forward	$302,996.02

RESERVE FUND.

Balance at credit of account, 31st December, 1907	$4,834,456.87
Transferred from Profit and Loss Account	146,374.75
	$4,981,731.62

At the Annual Meeting in January, 1908, your Directors in their Report to the Shareholders made reference to the unusual financial conditions then prevailing and the policy which it was considered advisable to pursue in conducting the affairs of the Bank. Since then a marked change has taken place—there has been a steady contraction in the trade of the country, and the demand for banking accommodation has been limited, although we now find an improvement in this respect, and can confidently look for a gradual expansion in business. A crop some what above the average was harvested, and the proceeds distributed through the country, which has tended largely to increase deposits. From the causes just mentioned the Cash Reserves of the Bank have been particularly strong for some months, and the percentage of liquid assets is exceptionally high.

In January, 1908, we took over Branches of the Sovereign Bank at Baden, Linwood, Marmora, Mount Albert, New Dundee and Petherton. The Petherton office was subsequently closed.

Branches have also been established at the corner of King and Wentworth streets, Hamilton, on Upper Sherbourne Street, Toronto, and at Wawota, Sask. It is our intention to shortly erect an office at the corner of St. Clair Avenue and Vaughan Road, Toronto, where a site has recently been purchased.

Further expenditures have been made at Avenue Road Branch, Toronto, at Fort William and Windsor, Ont., at the North End Branch, Winnipeg, at Selkirk and Deloraine, Man., and at Grenfell and Regina, Sask., to an extent fully warranted by the importance of the Bank's interests at these points.

In connection with the issue of $1,000,000 of new capital stock in 1907, it is worthy of note that the amount subscribed for has now been paid in full.

A Special Committee of your Directors has completed the customary verification of the General Balance Sheet of the Bank as on 31st December, 1908, including the certification of our funds in the hands of Foreign Agents. They have also examined and found correct the Cash Reserves, Investments and Securities as shown on the Statement presented.

All Branches of the Bank have been thoroughly inspected during the year.

E. B. OSLER,
President.

The Report was adopted.

The thanks of the Shareholders were tendered to the President, Vice-President and Directors for their services during the year, and to the General Manager and other Officers of the Bank for the efficient performance of their respective duties.

The following gentlemen were duly elected Directors for the ensuing year: Messrs. A. W. Austin, W. R. Brock, James Carruthers, R. J. Christie, J. C. Eaton, J. J. Foy, K.C., M.L.A., W. D. Matthews, A. M. Nanton and E. B. Osler, M. P.

At a subsequent meeting of the Directors, Mr. E. B. Osler, M. P., was elected President, and Mr. W. D. Matthews, Vice-President, for the ensuing term.

GENERAL STATEMENT.

LIABILITIES.

Notes in circulation		$ 5,067,960.00
Deposits not bearing interest	$ 5,114,849.36	
Deposits bearing interest (including interest accrued to date)	32,799,056.45	
		37,913,905.81
Deposits by other Banks in Canada		338,548.53
Balances due to Banks in the United States		23,276.31
Total Liabilities to the Public		43,343,154.35
Capital Stock paid-up		3,000,000.00
Reserve Fund		4,981,731.62
Balance of Profits carried forward		302,996.02
Dividend No. 105, payable 2nd January, 1909		120,422.56
Former Dividends unclaimed		760.75
Reserved for Exchange, etc.		44,919.00
Reserved for rebate on Bills Discounted		114,966.54
		$54,908,951.23

ASSETS.

Specie		$ 1,138,158.80
Dominion Government Demand Notes		4,756,213.00
Notes of and Cheques on other Banks		3,201,455.94
Balances due from other Banks in Canada		231,542.16
Balance due by Agents in Great Britain		154,027.72
Balances due from other Banks elsewhere than in Canada and Great Britain	1,961,956.89	
	$10,974,560.89	
Provincial Government Securities	863,866.24	
Canadian Municipal Securities and British or Foreign or Colonial Public Securities other than Canadian	972,696.98	
Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks	8,922,302.80	
Loans on Call secured by Stocks and Debentures	3,301,560.76	
		17,954,926.66
Bills Discounted and Advances Current	30,960,468.90	
Deposit with Dominion Government for Security of Note Circulation	150,000.00	
Loans to other Banks in Canada, secured	640,219.52	
Overdue debts (estimated loss provided for)	53,852.23	
Real Estate, other than Bank Premises	95,000.00	
Mortgages	47,926.44	
Bank Premises	3,000,000.00	
Other Assets not included under foregoing heads	16,886.70	
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BEAUTY'S HALF SLEEP.

Be Reposeful If You Would Cultivate Curves and Retain Youthful Contour.

It would seem from the deluge of advice poured into the stout woman's ear that there are no overlean women in existence, or if there be such they are well satisfied with their angles. While fashion frowns heavily upon any signs of buxomness—and we must admit that a large percentage of femininity past thirty is fighting to retain youthful contours—there do exist women who would undergo tortures in order to exchange their sharp outlines for softer curves.

It is all very well to prate of the "lines of youth," but when one's shoulder blades, elbows and hips are bony to scragginess one is bound to yearn for a light coating of adipose tissue. Let us not forget, however, in the search for artistic curves that it is usually the woman with decided tendency to "fret and worry" who is thin even unto attenuation.

The very slender woman never impresses you as really reposing. She sits on the edge of her chair, wriggles her slim feet and continually works imaginary patterns with ten diligent little fingers. When she enters a room she moves from point to point and finally bends unresignedly to a seat, the hardest one in the room, while her plump friend gravitates to a pile of cushions and snuggles into their depths as naturally as the soft eyed Maltese curls herself into a ball before the open grate.

Then, too, the bony woman is so deadly in earnest when she talks. She searches the room for imaginary threads, walks to the window to rearrange faultlessly hung curtains, readjusts ornaments, continually hears the telephone bell and does everything to keep her nerves a-jangle.

The meager woman who courts flesh to round her angles into curves of beauty needs fresh air and sunshine in unstinted measure and must have them. She must eat a great deal of fruit. Those denied to her obese sister are her special friends. She must when possible take a glass of milk between meals in mid-morning and afternoon and again before going to bed. A wafer or two can be eaten at the same time, while the milk must be slowly sipped, not gulped down rapidly.

She may eat cereals freely and all the starchy and sweet vegetables. White and sweet potatoes, peas, corn and beans and salads to promote digestion are her mainstays. Meats are according to appetite and taste. All sorts of sweets are fattening, particularly chocolate, which is also especially nutritious.

OLD FASHION REVIVED.

The Samplers of Our Grandmothers' Time in Vogue.

It was a great pity when the samplers of our grandmothers' time went out of fashion, for they helped many a little girl to learn how to properly handle a needle. For this reason it is good news to hear that there is now some chance of the mistake being rectified. It is said that the old crewel work is to return. Give any little girl a bit of canvas and some bright zephyrs and let her fashion the thing in her own way. The work will surely be interesting. It will keep the busy little hands out of mischief, and the result will often be surprisingly good.

If the diminutive lassie is allowed to choose and execute her own conception of a design the work will be doubly beneficial, for it frequently develops some latent talent.

The secret of making a task attractive lies in not letting the child work off its first enthusiasm. Any child or any grown person, for that matter, will attack a thing in the beginning with all the joy that is felt when any new task is undertaken. Unfortunately the first time the work is taken up it is continued so long that unaccustomed hands become tired and the constanc effort grows irksome. Make it a pleasant task, something to look forward to, a reward for good behavior, and in this way the novelty is preserved and the work does not cease to be interesting.

It is much the same with dolls. Take them away before they get to be too familiar, before the inquiring little brains, for the sake of something new, destroy the treasured possessions. If this is done there will always be some novelty to produce when days are long and rainy.

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CAVERN YIELDS RELICS

CELTIC REMAINS OF GREAT VALUE FOUND IN ENGLAND.

Mementoes of the Time Before the Romans Invaded Britain Are Discovered In Workly Hole in Mendip Hills—Utensils, Implements, Weapons and Ornaments Are Included in Recovered Treasures.

The well-known caves of Workly Hole, in the Mendip hills, near Wells, England, which have yielded unequaled examples of the remains of prehistoric man and animals, have just yielded more, expected to be the finest unearthed.

Remains of the Pleistocene fauna were found there in abundance, though hitherto the great inner cavern had yielded nothing of importance. But, with the consent of the owner (Mr. Hodgkinson) the Mendip Research Club recently undertook the examination of the floor and recesses of the cavern, with the result that, though the exploration has not proceeded very far, exceedingly important relics of the cave-dwellers of the period which preceded and coincided with the Roman occupation of Britain have been brought to light.

Fragments of Roman pottery, human remains and occasional Roman coins in good preservation were discovered practically on the surface. Slightly deeper an interesting series of bone, bronze and iron objects were found, mixed with pottery and human and animal bones in profusion.

These include well-formed bone and bronze pins and bone and iron needles a variety of combs, including a large six-toothed comb of rare form, almost complete; a T-handled comb formed like a wrist and hand, fragmentary carding combs, with circle and crossed line decorations, and portions of a thin double comb with iron rivets.

There were also found curious fine bands of bone with minute rivets, and bone awls of various shapes. Fragmentary bearings of some rotating wheel also occur.

Broken antlers of red and roe deer, some with tires chopped and sawn off, show the source from whence various polished antler articles were obtained. These were perforated with square or round holes, and were used on pony bridles.

Of metal relics a variety have been discovered, including implements, ornaments and weapons. Along with portions of a human skeleton were found an iron dagger, hatchet and billhook, with other iron objects. An iron arrow-head, bent as though it had struck a rock; a fragment of a fine-toothed saw, fragmentary knives and a great number of large nails were dug up, and—not the least important—a specimen of bar money. The latter is a very rare find. There are probably not more than eight examples in England.

In bronze the best specimen discovered is a large fibula or brooch. There are also two other brooches, hinges and a small chain of thirteen links.

In stone a large top quern stone of early date was brought to light and also a rude mortar of grit, with corresponding rubbing stone, a lamp of oolite, still coated with lampblack, a variety of horn stones and rubbers, some of the former being of fine workmanship, and a large ball fashioned from the stalagmite of the cave.

Spindle whorls of stone, pottery and clay (both baked and unbaked) occur. Vessels of pottery are of great variety, their fragments being often scattered so as almost to defy restoration. These extend in date from the early Celtic deposits of La Sene type down to vessels of the finest Roman ware, whilst fragments of all subsequent dates occur superficially.

Crude Celtic pottery includes sepulchral urns of heavy black ware and others with fine patterns.

Cooking vessels abound, invariably fragmentary, but often beautifully decorated. There are saucers, dishes, jars, ewers of elegant design, drinking cups, milking pots, boiling pots, mortaria, vessels for storage of grain, water, etc., little vessels for condiments or cosmetics, bowls, covers, pierced strainers, urns bearing curious patterns, such as the Swastika and, rarely, pierced designs.

Purely Roman ware is represented by a Samian bowl and cover and a series of other typical forms and a painted ewer of red ware.

Fragments of several beautiful objects of glass of elegant design were also found.

Coins, though not abundant, are representative of nearly the whole period of the Roman occupation. Those found include a first brass of Antoninus Pius, second brasses of Vespasian A.D. 79, Magnentius, who usurped the empire in 350, and Constantius Pius and third brasses of nearly all the later emperors till the evacuation of Britain. Later coins are scarce, only two of Charles I being found.

Prof. Boyd Dawkins regards the discoveries as of the highest importance and they indicate that still greater wealth of the cave is yet to be revealed.

Few Murderers Escape.

Mr. Gladstone's reply to a question about the number of unpunished murders in London of recent years is complimentary to Scotland Yard. Excluding cases where death followed illegal operations, the "undetected" murders number only one per annum. From this total must be deducted one or more cases where the police knew their man, but could not find valid evidence against him. This document does not touch the cases in which not only the murderer, but the murder, is undetected, and, according to Mr. Sims, they are very numerous.

Free Fly Papers.

The little Fen town of Ramsey, in Hunts, England, is feeling the effects of the fly pest so severely that the District Council has taken the unusual course of providing free fly papers for the poorer inhabitants.

If you would have a faithful servant and one that you like, serve yourself.—Benjamin Franklin.

FIRES REDUCE TIMBER.

Fernie Conflagration Destroyed 185 Square Miles of Forest.

Mr. H. R. Macmillan of the Forestry branch of the Department of the Interior has written as follows to Saturday Night from Ottawa:

I have just returned from the eastern slope of the Rockies, where particularly in the region of the Crow's Nest Pass, I have been investigating forest conditions for the Forestry branch. The supply of merchantable timber on the east slope of the Rockies has been greatly reduced by fire. In the valley of the Crow's Nest River, of an original total forest area of 204 square miles, only 30 remain unburned. What does remain, being that at higher elevations in the smaller creeks, is of a quality somewhat inferior to the timber which occupied the main valleys. Of the burned timber some 30 square miles remain standing, sound and fit for use. This dead timber is being used at the rate of over 2,000,000 lineal feet annually by the Crow's Nest coal mines for props and mining timbers. When it is known that 3,000,000 feet is the annual growth upon 34,000 acres of that mountain land, it can readily be understood why the mine owners are now wondering where they are going to get their future supply of props. Salvation lies in the fact that the burned overland is rapidly coming up to young timber, which will, if protected from fire, constitute the next timber supply. To protect this young timber is now the problem confronting the Forestry Department.

THE LATE JUDGE M'CALLUM.

After Hot Political Meeting He Changed Before Those Who Stayed Late.

Archie McCallum was stumping South Grey for the late Senator Landerkin, and the place of meeting was Drewery's school-house. As is well-known Archie was always chosen to stump the constituencies where the Highlanders were numerous, and at this meeting were the McQueens, McNairs, McEachrens, McFadyens, McDonalds, McDougalls, McPhees, Curries, Campbells, Keiths, and Buchanans.

Gaelic and English political oratory poured forth as it could only when McCallum was the medium. No reporters were present, and so many unprintable arguments were set forth. After the meeting the crowd tarried long, as is the custom after any rural gathering. It was a cold night, and it was a long drive to Durham. For a space Archie felt a little uneasy, but after a while, turning to the writer, demanded:

"Are these people going to stay here all night? If they are I may as well do it first as last."

So opening his valise he took out a heavy undershirt which he changed right there in the small auditorium for the wringing wet one he had on.

This is vouched for by W. T. Rogers, now principal of Brockville Business College, who was the teacher of the school at that time, and acted as chairman at the meeting.

A British Farm Colony.

The Earl of Stanhope visited British Columbia recently. He says the western provinces are full of undeveloped resources, and will some day prove to have immense value. The fruit which was produced in the valleys of Southern British Columbia was unsurpassed by any that he had tasted from any part of the world. One of the matters into which Lord Stanhope was looking during his trip was the practicability of the establishment in Canada by the British Government of an extensive farm colony, in which large parties of British people could be placed. It was the idea of the visitor that large numbers of British unemployed might be brought to Canada in vessels owned by the Government, and that the Government would be responsible for them. As they were able, these colonists could leave the farm of the Government and begin to work for the farmers of the country or go on land of their own. If they were wholly unsuitable they could be taken back to the Mother Country. This plan, if tried at all, the earl said, ought to be tested on a large scale. It would cost a large sum, but the resulting advantage would be great.

Dog Days in Westmount.

Long after dark the Westmount man sat on his front step listening to the dismal howls of a restless canine.

"Awful racket," commented the town police force, as he sauntered up the avenue.

"Terrible," agreed the man on the steps.

"Those howls are enough to raise the dead."

"Well, I should say so."

"Make the cold shivers creep up and down your spine."

"They are fierce."

"Wonder why you don't make a complaint?"

"Well, I am just waiting."

"May I ask you what you are waiting for?"

"Sure! I am waiting to find out if that is my dog or my neighbor's dog. If it is my dog—well, you know we all have to put up with unseemly noises these fall evenings, but if it is my neighbor's dog—blamed if I don't shoot him myself."—Montreal Herald.

Need Young Priests.

The pioneer Roman Catholic missionaries, who have been working all their lives in Northern Canada, are now growing too old to endure the hardships of their mission fields, and fresh, younger blood is found to be needed to recruit the ranks. These soldiers of the cross are being drawn from the young French-Canadians, and, in order to prepare them for the missionary service, an endeavor is being made to raise a sufficient sum to establish a seminary at some suitable place in the Mackenzie Valley region, where the young priests may receive proper attention.

Natural History.

"Whah is you been workin'?" asked Miss Miami Brown.

"Up to one o' deshere garridges whar dey keep de automobiles."

"I s'pose you likes 'em better dan mules."

"Well, de diffunce is dat a mule kicks wif his hin' feet an' de automobile is mo' liffle to butt same as a goat."—Washington Star.

SYDNEY SNAKE FARMS

AUSTRALIA HAS VOTARIES OF A PECULIAR INDUSTRY.

The Reptiles Are Marketed For Their Poison Which Is Used as an Antidote to Snake Venom—Taxidermists Will Pay Big Prices — Frogs and Toads Are Also Raised at Good Profit.

Snake farming is not an attractive occupation, but it has more than one votary in the Australian Commonwealth. In the neighborhood of Sydney the industry has been carried on for several years by an individual who, while disclaiming all knowledge of the snake-charming art, appears to have an exhaustive knowledge of the reptiles and their ways. In addition to the snakes, large numbers of frogs, and even toads, are carefully reared, partly for food for the reptiles, and partly for scientific purposes. The snakes are caught in the bush, a work frequently necessitating many miles of wandering and long hours of patient watching, for the snake is a suspicious creature, generally more alarmed at the sight of man than man at it. The snake hunter employes a couple of forked sticks as a means of capture. With one the reptile is pinned by any part of the body to the ground, after which it is fixed by the neck with the other. This done, the captor, with finger and thumbs, grasps the head at the side of the jaws, and thus has the reptile safe and harmless. The snake is thus dropped, tail first, into a sugar bag. All that is really necessary is a steady nerve, a straight eye and a firm hand.

A recent visitor was shown some large specimens of the tiger and diamond species, intended for the Sydney Board of Health, which is regularly supplied with venomous snakes from which the poison, used in preparing "snake antidotes" is obtained by "milking." This is described as a most interesting performance. Before milking time the snakes are fed, afterwards becoming excited when a glass similar to a watch glass, covered with the finest gutta percha, is put into the cage. The infuriated reptiles bite viciously through the gutta percha, leaving tiny drops of poison on the prepared glass. The milking is invariably performed during the summer months, when the creatures are most active and fierce, and the poison most virulent. Numerous vicious specimens are kept in cages at the offices of the Sydney Health Department to be milked, and when somewhat worn out are returned to the snake farm to recuperate. After the snakes have become useless for "milking" purposes they are sold to taxerdermists or the Sydney Zoological Gardens. There is always a good market for good, new specimens, as much as $30 being paid for a single snake. Several hundred snakes have been collected at one time on the farm, where they are kept in bags or boxes. The latter being covered at the top with a small mesh wire netting. At the bottom of each receptacle is a little bran or straw, and occasionally a few old rags.

When a snake farmer began to keep the reptiles he found himself periodically attacked by a mysterious kind of influenza or hay fever, which he subsequently discovered to be due to poison exuded from the bodies of the snakes. In one respect the creatures resemble human kind—they are sticklers for caste. The black snake is considered the gentleman of the snake fraternity, and lives much alone, seldom associating with other members of the reptile tribe. The carpet snake is the loafer of the reptile world, while the diamond snake is a positive larrikin, stealing the other snakes' wives and swallowing their children. The tiger species is hard to get on with, being vicious and deceitful, and, like the tiger, and cat tribe generally, plays with its prey before devouring it.

The question of food is an important one. It necessitates ample supplies of frogs, rats, bandicoots, rabbits, eggs, etc. This has caused the frog-rearing to become one of the features of the farm. The reptiles are kept in large bottomless cages, placed on the grass, with some brush on one side and a small pond in the centre. When in the open a bit of brush is indispensable for snake and frog alike.

"In hot weather," said the snake farmer, "when the frogs are sitting in the bushes, they are treated to shower baths, an ordinary garden syringe being used for the purpose. Great seems their enjoyment, turning round and round, stretching out their legs and necks to the spray. But," he continued, "there's a fortune in frogs if we only had the French secret of feeding them. No matter how much water is about, in the dry weather they get together in crowds and hop for miles away from their old homes, looking for fresh, marshy places, with plenty of cover. Frogs carry water in their pouches, and when they come across a suitable hollow in a shady spot they fill it and make a pond for themselves." The venom obtained from the snake is understood to be of great value, the quantity being extremely limited, and rarely weighing more than a few grains. It rarely, if ever, loses any of its poisonous qualities, and has to be handled with the greatest of care.

Mirandy Knew.

Mrs. Gaybird burst into the village postoffice all out of breath.

"Anything for me?" she asked in anxious tone.

The postmaster shook his head. "Narthin'," he replied.

"Goodness gracious!" exclaimed Mrs. Gaybird. "I was expecting a letter from my husband as to when he was coming home."

"Waal, I'll ask Mirandy," said the old man. And he called to his wife in the kitchen: "Say, Mrs. Gaybird's called to know if there's any mail—sez she's lookin' fer a letter or soinethin' from her husband as ter when he's comin' back. Is there anything fer her?"

"Yes, there is," called back the postmistress. "He sez he'll be to home this comin' Friday."—New York Times.

GIVES LIFE TO INDIANS.

Father Lecorre, After 30 Years in the North, is Back to Civilization.

Rev. A. Lecorre, O.M.I., who for 30 years has been doing missionary work among the Esquimaux and Indians of northern Canada, returned to civilization about three weeks ago, and will remain in the east until he is able to collect sufficient funds to establish a Catholic seminary in the heart of the Northern Canadian forests. Although 67 years old, he is still a strong, robust man, despite his two-score years' battle with the northern wilds.

After each address a collection will be taken, and Father Lecorre hopes to raise $10,000. He intends to visit the large Canadian cities, including Ottawa, Montreal, and Quebec, in an effort to fulfill his long-cherished hopes.

Father Lecorre is a French-Canadian. The first fifteen years of his work was spent in endeavoring to convert the people inhabiting the region near the polar circles. With the Esquimaux he met with but little success, being the first missionary among them.

"Most people have a wrong conception of the Esquimaux," said Father Lecorre. "They are horribly cruel and barbarous—that is, most of them were when I first went among them. They killed all their old men. The aged and feeble were compelled to kneel on the mat of death, and the younger members of the tribe pierced them through and through with spears until they were dead. I did, however, baptise about 300 babies. This made their medicine men jealous, and they made many attempts to kill me, both with knife and gun. But, you see, they were unsuccessful.

While carrying on his work of conversion in the far north, Father Lecorre has had many narrow escapes from starvation and death in other ways.

"Even when I was permanently settled at my little monastery, Lady of Good Hope, 100 miles south of the Arctic circles, I did not taste a piece of bread for three years," he said.

Dr. Lecorre, described a peculiar custom of the Esquimaux women, that of cutting a large hole in each cheek, in which they wear precious stones. These are removed during meal hours.

With the Indians of the far north Father Lecorre met with far greater success, and, while he has been at work among the missions of Providence, as the monasteries are called, he has had the satisfaction of seeing the Indians of the entire valley of the Mackenzie river embrace the Catholic faith. The first mission established in this region was at Edmonton, and consisted of two huts.

Twenty-five years ago, when Father Lecorre took an active part in converting the Slavian Indians, the Dog tribes, so-called because they eat dog flesh, and the Mountain Indians, his little hut was just 900 miles south of the Arctic circle, and 900 miles north of the nearest civilization, with missions at an interval of 180 miles. There were but thirty-two priests in the entire region at the time.

He Lost His Temper.

Toronto people who have occasion to talk over the telephone with a certain down-town business man, whose name it would not do to give away, frequently find great difficulty in understanding him because of an impediment in his speech. This stuttering makes it particularly awkward for those who call at his office to transact business.

Sometimes when the rush of words becomes unintelligible Mr. B. seizes a sheet of paper and uses a pencil to express his thoughts. Not long ago he adopted this plan with a caller whose business he did not know. To his surprise the visitor replied in the same way, writing a long and laborious reply on paper. Thinking he was the object of some kind of rude joke, B. "went of the handle," and used his talking apparatus to the limit in "calling down" the stranger.

When the atmosphere had cleared away he found that he had been wasting his energy on a man who was both deaf and dumb! Then business was resumed.

Christmas Excursions.

The good times following on a bumper harvest have enabled a large number of Canadians to go over to Britain for Christmas. The Old Country has the deepest fascination for the new countries overseas, and the homesteader in the Northwest, who may have gone from England in despair, still looks forward to the day when he can afford to revisit his old home. This year the Canadian Pacific experienced such heavy Christmas bookings that they arranged a special Christmas excursion direct from Canada to the port of London, by the steamer Montfort; and a thousand excursionists from the great Dominion should land at Millwall dock in time to see the pantomimes and do their Christmas shopping under the shadow of St. Paul's.

Battle River Bridge.

The big bridge over Battle river which has prevented the Grand Trunk Pacific from entering Edmonton for so many months, is now ready. The weather has been most favorable for the work. Every effort will be made to complete the G.T.P. line to Edmonton as quickly as possible. Over 1,200 carloads of railway material have been assembled at Wainwright, Alberta, for use in the construction of the line west of that town. The contract for the new station at Wainwright, Alberta, has been let. The building will cost about $12,000. The Canadian Northern Railway has built more than 350 miles of road this season. The company has surveyed about 3,000 miles of extension, upon which construction work will begin next year.

Cocoa Frosting.—Add to a cup of powdered sugar three tablespoonfuls of sweet cream and mix well. Add a tablespoonful of cocoa and half a teaspoonful of vanilla extract, then spread. This frosting will not crack when cut.

Miss Sarah P. Morrison has just entered the University of Indiana at the age of seventy five. She was a member of the class of 1855 and returns to take a postgraduate course in Greek and other studies.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE

CANADIAN PACIFIC

Going East	Leave Peterborough
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal, Kingston	11.10 a m
For Indian River, Norwood, Havelock, Tweed	7.41 p m
For Norwood, Havelock, Ottawa, Montreal	12.31 a m
Going West	**Leave Peterborough**
For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	8.38 a m
For Burketon, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	7.05 a m
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points	4.30 p m

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Port Hope and points east to Montreal and Boston	9.30 a.m. 1.45 a.m. 5.00 p.m. 5.05 p.m.
Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Cobourg Montreal and East	5.00 p.m 11.00 a.m 9.40 a.m. 9.45 p.m
Toronto, Lindsay, Scarsville, Uxbridge and Markham	11.00 a.m. 7.10 a.m 5.00 p.m. 10.30 p.m. 5.00 p.m
Lindsay Local	9.05 a.m. 9.10 p.m.
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	9.30 a.m. 9.35 a.m 5.05 p.m. 5.10 p.m
Lakefield	10.00 a.m. 9.00 a.m 6.15 p.m. 11.30 p.m

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The Examiner's Sporting Page

RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

CORNEY BURNS HAS CONTRACT FROM THE ERIE, PA., O. AND P. LEAGUE TEAM

Corney Burns, captain and manager of the Peterborough Baseball Club, champions of the Midland League for 1908, has received from the Erie, Pa., team of the Ohio and Pennsylvania League, a contract to play for them this season. A tempting salary offer accompanied the contract, and the crack local out-fielder is seriously considering the offer which he has not yet decided to accept. The Wilmington team of the North Carolina League with whom Walter Joyce is playing again this season, is also after Corney. If he accepts the offer of the Erie Club he will be the second Peterborough man to break into the O. and P. League, as Harry Burridge, the local catcher, will be with the Youngstown team. The offer is a flattering one and shows that the class of ball that has been handed out here in the last couple of years has been pretty high standard.

Burns should have no trouble in making good in the Class C League, in which he is likely to be found during the coming season. Last year, playing for Peterborough in the Midland League and in other games he clouted the pill for an average of .453 in twenty-six games, which is sure going some. In addition he is one of the fastest base runners ever seen here, being lightning fast on the sacks, and as an outfielder he does not need to back up from any of them as he covers an immense amount of ground and has a splendid whip.

CHIEFTAINS BEAT THE OTONABEES WON HANDILY BY 8 GOALS TO 1

It looks like Jack Thirnbeck's Chieftains for the Junior City League Championship, unless the George street team can stop their victorious career. On Thursday night the red and black team took the Otonabees into camp by the one-sided score of 8-1, having all the better of the play throughout. They had it on the Otonabees in skating, stick handling and combination, and the losers, although good individually, bunched too much to get away with any effective team work. It was a splendid exhibition of hockey all the way. For a while the Otonabees managed to hold their own, but the superiority of the winners began to show itself before long, and they drew away from the Southerners under wraps. Crane and Burritt were the best of the winners, while Hillier and Anderson did good work for the Otonabees. Referee S. W. Rose handled the game splendidly. The teams follow:—

CHIEFTAINS | Goal | OTONABEES

Lees ..... Mahoney

Point.

Munro ..... Close

Cover.

Wallis ..... Hillier

Rover.

Crane ..... Anderson

Centre.

Hall ..... Martin

Right wing.

Burritt ..... Rose

Left wing.

Fortye ..... Coughlin

The standing of the League is as follows:—

	Won	Lost
Chieftains	2	0
George street	1	0
Otonabees	0	1
T.A.S.	0	2

St. Andrew's Church League team will practice to-night at Knox Church Rink between 6 and 7 o'clock.

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THE COST OF CORN GROWING

From Farm and Dairy.

Below are given the results of the yield and the cost of growing 30 acres of corn and 15½ acres of roots on the Macdonald College Farm. These figures are kindly furnished the readers of Farm and Dairy by Mr. John Fixter, superintendent of the college farm in response to some adverse criticism of his methods of cultivation. Mr Fixter promises to furnish us in the spring with full directions as to the land to select, plowing, harrowing cultivation, etc., for both corn and roots so that others may have such excellent results as shown below, even in a very poor season. Read on another page Mr. Fixter's reply to those who have attacked him.

Yield and cost of growing 30 acres of corn:	
Rent of 30 acres, at $3.00 per acre	$ 90 00
Manure ½ of rotation, at $5.00 per acre	150 00
Ploughing, at $2.00 per acre	60 00
Harrowing 4 times, at $3.00 per day, 7 days	21 00
Seed—15 bushels, at $1.45 per bushel	21 75
Sowing 3 days, at $3.00 per day	9 00
Cultivation 4 times, 6 acres per day—20 days	60 00
Thinning and hoeing 40 days, at $1.50 per day	60 00
Cutting team 7 days, at $3.00 per day	21 00
Drawing 7 days, 4 teams—28, at $3.00 per day	84 00
Men loading and unloading, cutting, tramping, 96 days, at $1.50 per day	144 00
Use of engine and machinery 7 days, at $7.00 per day	49 00
Total	$ 769 75
Total weight of corn—480 tons, 1,441 lbs., cost	$ 769 75
Value on farm for feeding, $2.50 per ton	1,201 80
Profit in growing from 30 acres	$ 432 05
Average yield—16 tons, 48 lbs. per acre.	
Cost and yield of 15½ acres of roots:	
Rent of land, 15½ acres, at $3.00 per acre	$ 46 50
Manure ½ of rotation, at $5.00 per acre	77 50
Ploughing previous summer, at $1.50 per acre	23 25
Cultivating and harrowing previous summer	24 00
Ploughing in autumn, at $2.00 per acre	31 00
Cultivating in spring, 2 days	6 00
Harrowing in spring, 1 day	3 00
Ribbing 3½ days, at $3.00 per day	10 50
Rolling 1 day	3 00
Seed	13 60
Sowing 6 2-10 days, 15c per hour	9 30
Hand wheel hoeing, 12 days	18 00
Thinning, 62 days, at $1.50 per day	93 00
Hoeing, 34 days, at $1.50 per day	51 00
Pulling, loading, unloading, 112 days, at $1.50 per day	168 00
Drawing team 14 days, $3.00, horse and cart, 14 days, $2.25 per day	73 50
Total cost	$ 651 15
Total weight of roots—359 tons, 1,635 lbs.	
Average yield—23 tons, 1,431 lbs. per acre.	
Value on farm for feeding, at $2.50 per ton	$ 899 07
Profit in growing from 15½	

YOUR WINTER UNDERWEAR.

From Farm and Dairy.

If your winter underclothes have shrunk until they are too small, open the seams and insert a piece from an old suit wherever needed. If the vest is too tight open the seam under the arm and set in a piece from the arm hole down. All worn out underclothes should be carefully saved. The knit underwear, especially, makes excellent floor-cloths, while parts of them can be saved for rubbing windows, furniture or the stove. Every scrap of flannel should be carefully saved since it is excellent for use in sickness, and for many other purposes.—Jessie Burns, Frontenac Co., Ont.

Cause of Car Sickness.

W. C. Wood attributes car sickness to the nystagmus produced by looking out of the car windows. Look out of a car window and observe how rapidly the telegraph poles flit by. Each one is seen and involuntarily followed by the eye until it is opposite, when the eye shifts to the one following. This is true of near buildings. Objects farther away seem to move slower, and those very far off seem to be almost stationary until the whole landscape appears to be revolving round a common center. The unconscious effort to take in everything produces a rapid lateral oscillation of the eyeballs, as any one can observe by watching the eyes of his fellow passengers. The eye strain is enormous and is the chief factor in producing car sickness. This can be proved by asking a patient who is subject to car sickness to look steadily at a mirror which is moved rapidly to and fro or tilted backward and forward. He will immediately complain of nausea and vertigo. The treatment consists of advising the patient to avoid looking out of the car windows and in giving him a grain of citrated caffeine shortly before he takes the cars and repeating it every hour as long as there is any tendency to be sick. The author has been enabled by this procedure to relieve many sufferers from car sickness.—New York Medical Journal.

The Ship's Bell Clock.

In its most ordinary form the ship's bell clock is a stout, well made clock, a good timekeeper, contained in a round nickel plated case six or seven inches in diameter which is mounted on a board that can be hung on or screwed to a wall or bulkhead. The face of the clock, the dial, is of finished steel, and its pointers are of blued steel, so that with its nickeled case the whole clock has a metallic, solid, serviceable look.

Attached to a projection of the board upon which the clock is placed, outside the clock and immediately below it, is the clock's gong, with the hammers—there are two of them—brought down into it on arms extending through an opening in the clock's case and striking on the gong's inner side. It is a sturdy gong two or three inches in diameter, and it sounds with a strong, clear, resolute note when the hammer strikes it. On this clock's face you can tell the time in the usual way, but the hours are struck as they are at sea on a ship's bell.—New York Sun.

Fresh.

There was no doubt about it. He was very angry when he entered the village grocery store and demanded to see the proprietor.

"You sold my wife some eggs yesterday, Mr. Peavey," he said when the grocer appeared.

"Waal, yes," said Mr. Peavey genially, "believe I did."

"And you told her that they were fresh eggs," continued the visitor.

"Waal, yes; it seems to me I did," said Mr. Peavey.

"But, see here, Peavey, you had no business to say they were fresh eggs."

"Why not? I bought 'em for fresh—from Si Wiley too."

"I don't believe it. Si Wiley's an honest man."

"Waal, Si said it, all right. He come in here with his basket full of 'em and put 'em down on the counter and traded 'em off for a box of sody biscuits."

"When was this?"

"Oh, I dunno. 'Bout six weeks ago, I guess."—Baltimore American.

Size of the Sun.

The size of the sun is almost as inconceivable as is its distance from us. Its diameter is 865,000 miles, and its bulk is 1,200,000 times as great as that of the earth. Perhaps a railroad illustration will help you. If a track were laid around the circumference of the sun and a train should start to make the trip it would take it five years to complete the circuit, running day and night at a speed of sixty miles an hour. At the same rate of speed a train would make the circuit of the earth in sometimes days and a half.

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Natural Coon Stole, regular 16.00 for	11.00
Muff to Match regular 9.00 for	6.50

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Grey Squirrel Throws, regular 9.00 for	7.00
Grey Lamb Throws, regular 6.50 for	4.50
Persian Lamb Throws, regular 18.00 for	12.00
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Alaska Sable Throws, regular 20.00 for	15.00
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White Thibet Muffs, regular 8.00 for	6.00
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These are to be the sort of evening gowns in which critical women will appear at restaurant dinners, with the smartest of the new large hats. Most of the latter exhibits contrast in light and dark materials.—Harper's Bazar.

THE CHILDREN GET MONEY LEFT CHURCH

Daughter Died Before Father's Death and Judge Decides Legacy Had Lapsed.

By the judgment of Mr. Justice Clute, the legacy of Edith Shannon, left to her by her father, the late Thomas Shannon, farmer, of Haldimand Township, Northumberland County, has lapsed. The property, amounting to $7,027.75, was divided among seven children, one son predeceasing the father without issue, and his share having lapsed. One of the seven was Edith, who was an inmate of the Kingston Insane Asylum, and it was provided that her share was to be paid to Rev. Father Whibbs, parish priest of the Campbellford Roman Catholic Church, who was to pay for the girl's maintenance, and apply the remainder at her death to the liquidation of the debt of the church. As she died before her father, the other children claimed that her share had lapsed, and that so no part of the estate should go to the priest. Mr. Justice Clute finds that the legacy did collapse. W. F. Kerr, of Cobourg, appeared for the children.

"THE NIGHT OF THE PLAY"

The Coming Treat at Grand Opera House, Saturday, February 6th—Matinee And Night.

Kathryn Osterman will present herself in the new and novel comedy, "The Night of the Play" next Saturday, Feb. 6th, Matinee and Evening, and the Osterman dimples will be very much in evidence. The clever actress has a world of strength in her comedy work, and possesses that valuable quality that can convey much meaning by a glance, the intonation of a word, the wiggle of a finger or the turn of the wrist. She is radiant. Miss Osterman is a handsome woman and clad in her beautiful and well fitting gowns, will be a delight to the feminine eye when she comes to this city in her new play. "The Night of The Play" is peculiar, if not original, having most of the fun centre about the female characters. The action is brisk and the laughs are many and come close together, which is as it should be in comedy.

BRITISH BOAT IS LOST WITH CREW

Examiner Special.

Melbourne, Feb. 1.—The British steamer Clan Ranald is a total wreck near Edithsburg. The captain and forty-eight of the crew, most of whom were Asiatics, were drowned.

Charlotte Street Methodist Church Choir Concert, in Sunday School Room, Friday February 12 th. Assisted by the Canadian Male Quartette of Toronto. 3dmws,3dwtf

200 LIVES LOST IN FIRE IN FLEET

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A widow in the city has two children who were taken ill with scarlet fever some time ago, and required the mother's close attention in caring for them. After a short time she caught the disease herself. A whole day passed before others learned of her condition when a trained nurse was secured to wait on her. It is stated that but a little longer neglect and the woman would have succumbed to the fever, which in its regular way had almost blocked her throat, nearly choking her. It is learned that the family is now well on the way to complete recovery, thanks to the care and watchfulness of the Charity Board.

KATHRYN OSTERMAN,
In "The Night of The Play." Grand Opera House, Saturday, February 6th. Special Ladies' and Children's Matinee. Plan opens Thursday.

Husband Out Of Work Has Been Presented With Twins

A young man whose financial condition is at present not the most flourishing, in fact owing to continued inactivity in the labour world, has reached rather straightened circumstances. This young benedict of a year became a father this morning. He was presented with twins and occurring just at present, the event might almost be looked upon as anything but welcome. The family have been obtaining assistance through their time of need, and the advent of two additions to the family's numerical strength will increase the father's care until he secures work to meet all such worries.

Many Prominent Speakers For The Missionary Convention

The Canadian Council of the Laymen's Missionary Movement have received word from His Excellency, Earl Grey, the Governor-General of Canada, that he is pleased to accept the invitation extended to him by the Council to be Honourary President of the Canadian National Missionary Congress. It will be held under the auspices of the Laymen's Movement in Massey Hall, Toronto beginning Wednesday, March 31st, and closing Sunday, April 4th.

The following speakers have already been secured—

Robert E. Speer, New York.
Bishop Thoburn, India
Dr. Zwemer, Arabia.
S. P. Capen, Boston, Chairman Laymen's Missionary Movement
J. Campbell White, New York, General Secretary Laymen's Missionary Movement.
Hon. D. F. Wilbers, Halifax, American Consul-General.
Silas McBee, New York, Editor of "The Churchman"
Charles A. Rowland, Athens, Ga., Chairman So. Pres. Laymen's Movement.
N. W. Hoyles, LL.D., Osgoode Hall, Toronto.
L. H. Severance, Cleveland, Ohio.
J. A. Macdonald, Toronto.
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MR. CONMEE STATES THAT THE TRAIN WAS NOT A SPECIAL

Special to The Examiner.

Toronto, Feb. 1.—Mr. James Conmee, in an interview to-day, said of the so-called "Conmee Special," that it was not a special. It was a regular supply train that carried up materials to build the road, and the men evidently jumped on board, their fares not being paid by our men, for it is against the law for a railway not running passenger trains to accept fares. Personally I did not know a poll had been held till afterwards. As no protest has been lodged by Conservatives, Mr. Conmee said that he was not worrying.

THE "CANADIAN GENERAL" WORKS RESUME FULL TIME TO-MORROW

We can begin to-morrow to set our time pieces by the seven o'clock whistle of the "Canadian General." This is good news, both for what it is and for what it means in indication of the general quickening of industrial activity. It is understood that all the departments of the Canadian General Electric Company's works will take on working full time to-morrow. This intelligence will be welcome, not only to the workingmen interested, but to others whose interests are connected with pay cheques with full time figures—our merchants and business men. It is also understood, though no definite authority exists for the statement, that the inflow of orders may even necessitate working over time. At any rate we shall cease to hear the whistle announcing work at eight o'clock, and the seven o'clock warning will take its place for all over the works. The large employing capacity of these Works and the large value and wide distribution of their output gives the people of Peterborough a peculiar interest in their prosperity.

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At the conclusion of the service at the Charlotte Street Methodist Church on Sunday evening, Mrs. Bruce Hughes, who for some years has been soprano soloist of the choir, was presented with a handsome group photograph of the choir and the church. Sunday night was her last appearance with the choir and the members desired to show the esteem and affection in which she is held by them. Mrs. Hughes is very grateful to the choir for their kind gift which she will appreciate highly.

ATTENDED FUNERAL IN MARIPOSA

Mr. Wm. Lillico Passed Away After Short Illness From Pneumonia.

Mrs. M. Mitchell, Gilmour street, Mrs. R. A. Dorsee and Mr. E. Lillico of this city returned on Saturday from Mariposa attending the funeral of Mr. William Lillico who died on Wednesday last of pneumonia. Mrs Mitchell w a sister of the deceased and Mrs. Dorsee and Mr Lillico are children. Mr. Lillico's illness was of short duration. He was in 54th year.

the funeral was largely attended the deceased being well known in the neighborhood of his home, etc.

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LOOKING AFTER THE CHILDREN

Peterborough, as well as Ontario at large, takes a deep interest in the child saving question and our Children's Aid Society has, perhaps, the most general popular appreciation of any organized charity. Last week Ontario was represented in the person of Mr. J. J. Kelso at a "Children's Conference," in Washington called by President Roosevelt. The conclusions of the conference, in the interest of child saving work, may be be summed up in the following:

Children of worthy parents or deserving mothers should, as a rule, be kept with their parents at home.

Society should endeavour to eradicate causes of dependency like disease and to substitute compensation and insurance for relief.

Homeless and neglected children, if normal, should be cared for in families, when practicable.

Institutions should be on the cottage plan with small units as far as possible.

Agencies caring for dependent children should be incorporated, on approval of a suitable state board.

The state should inspect the work of all agencies which care for dependent children.

Educational work of institutions and agencies caring for dependent children should be supervised by state educational authorities.

Complete histories of dependent children and their parents should be recorded for guidance of child-caring agencies.

Every needy child should receive the best medical and surgical attention, and be instructed in health and hygiene.

The local child-caring agencies should co-operate and establish just bureaus of information.

Prohibitive legislation against transfer of dependent children between states should be repealed.

A permanent organization for work along the lines of these resolutions is desirable.

Establishment of a Federal Children's Bureau is desirable, and enactment of pending bill is earnestly recommended.

Suggest special message to Congress favouring Children's Bureau and other legislation applying above principles to District of Columbia and other federal territory.

These apply more especially to United States conditions, and serve to show how far this province has advanced on the lines laid down as desirable of adoption.

TRIUMPHS OF SCIENCE.

Byron says in his apostrophe to the ocean, "man marks the earth with ruin; his control stops with Thy shores." But modern science has changed all that. The Marconi wireless system of telegraphy has put the ocean under human control to a degree impossible of conception a century or even half a century ago. A vessel falls into distress. If provided with the wireless equipment, it can sweep the sea in a radius of a thousand or two miles and summon to its aid, not "spirits from the vasty deep," but any and every vessel ploughing the deep with practicable distance, and not only that, but help can also be summoned from the shore. In other days ships in distress had, save for the one chance in thousand of a stray passing vessel, to wrestle and sink or swim alone as the case might be. After the recent experience of the magnificent benefit of the wireless equipment, it is probable that civilized nations will insist that every ship that sails the seas shall be fitted with the wireless as they are now compelled to carry life boats and life belts.

Apropos of the present dry season it may be recalled that Niagara Falls ran dry sixty years ago—March 31, 1848.

GOVERNMENT ANNUITIES.

The Dominion Government's system of annuities is so popular in character and opportunity that it can hardly, for some time at least, receive too much publicity. It is distinct from the British old age pension system, inasmuch as it lacks pauperizing tendencies, and encourages thrift and to that extent self-reliance. The Canadian system is essentially, though not exclusively, an old age pension scheme in effect. Every annuity, however, has to be earned, in the sense that the pension is the repayment in old age of sums deposited with the government. The plan is attracting favourable attention and "The Investor," in Saturday Night thus deals with it:

Sir Richard Cartwright in his plan of government annuities, now in active operation, appears to have solved to some extent the problem of aiding the working classes in the saving of the odd dollars and thus providing for the time when the day's wage or the yearly salary can no longer be earned. This scheme of government annuities is in no sense an old age pension such as Great Britain is now providing for its citizens. On the contrary it is merely a means by which those of limited income can, from time to time, deposit with the government given sums, upon which interest is paid, compounded, at the rate of four per cent. per annum. At the end of a stated period this sum, with its accumulated interest, will be paid back in yearly instalments, thus securing for one's declining years a set income which within reasonable limits will keep them free from want and independent of friends, relatives or poor houses. Whether a person be five years of age or fifty, whether he pay a lump sum or in instalments, the total amount he has to pay is the same. Another feature is that by no process of law can the annuities be taken from him, and in case of death before the annuities become payable, all payments with interest revert to the heirs.

The lack of facilities by which the comparatively poor may save the small surplus over and above the annual expenses of living, has always been a weak spot in all governments in the new world. When governments or municipalities sell bonds on this side of the Atlantic, and in most countries in Europe as well, the denominations are usually not under $1,000, and therefore the man with a few dollars to invest is excluded. The same applies to railway and all other railway securities which are to be found in the open market. If, perchance, first class bonds can be purchased in small lots, then the buyer is obliged almost invariably to pay more than the market price, and the same rule applies where small lots of stocks are purchased. France more than any country in the world has taught her people, and particularly her peasantry, to invest small savings in the bonds of the country, and this very largely accounts for the fact that France to-day is reckoned, per capita, the richest country in the world.

The Canadian Government is, and will be for many years to come, a large borrower—this is inevitable with a country in the process of development. Then, why not borrow a goodly proportion of these funds at home, as outlined in the plan of government annuities? The advantages are evident. First of all the government would pay a large sum annually, as interest, back to its own citizens, this of itself being an enormous addition to the welfare of the community. And lastly but by no means least, the citizens who become creditors by the loaning of their funds would have as security the government itself, more lasting and solvent than any banking institution, insurance company or other corporation ever can or will be.

The attention of every wage-earner is directed to a study of the Government Annuities plan. Application to the postmaster will secure a booklet issued by the government clearly explaining all necessary details.

The paid-up capital of the chartered banks of Canada is in round numbers ninety-seven million of dollars.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Civil service reform, under the Liberal Government, is not to be partial. Sir Wilfrid announced on Thursday that the outside civil service will be placed on the new basis when the reform of the inside service shall have been completed.

The rates o finterest (outside, of course, the Ottawa usurers) are at present, a financial authority states the lowest on record. The liquidation of commercial loans has permitted and permits the banks to build up large cash assets and hence money is cheap. The cash held by our banks now aggregates $93,223,000, as compared with $75,082,000 a year ago.

Mr. W. F. McLean, M.P., has been formally read out of the Conservative party, the Conservative whip refusing to put him among the Conservative contingent on the Standing Committees of Parliament. The Conservatives evidently feel justified in labelling "dangerous" the man in their party who thinks for himself—is guilty of having ideas. Sir Wilfrid Laurier was, however, fairer. He had the mistake rectified and Mr. McLean's existence as a legislator was recognized. Mr. McLean may be regarded as in a state of political suspension, but he has a way of effervescing—coming to the surface.

The Ottawa Free Press is busy in exposing the knavery of some of the money sharks at Ottawa, who fleece the members of the civil service by lending them money at rates of interest running all the way from 12 to 120 per cent. An awful state of affairs is exposed, and the sharks are having an uneasy time of it. While the so-called sharks are not to be defended, their victims, as a class, are not much to be pitied. They are chiefly civil servants who get good salaries, sufficient to give them a comfortable and respectable living. But they aim to "break into society," and so live beyond their means, get into trouble and that is when the Shylocks gets into play. The man in receipt of a good salary who lives within his income need have no fear of the money-lending sharks.

WAS IT MURDER OR AN ACCIDENT?

Philip Vansickle's Home Near Ancaster Is Destroyed.

FOUL PLAY IS ONE THEORY

Aged Farmer, Son, Daughter, and Son-in-Law Are Burned to Death Late In the Forenoon—Father of Harry Vansickle, the Son-in-Law, Maintains That the Victims Were Murdered—Trouble Over Will.

Ancaster, Ont., Feb. 1.—In a fire which destroyed their home at Jerseyville, 18 miles west of Hamilton, Saturday morning, Philip Vansickle, his son Martin, his daughter Meletta, and his son-in-law, Harry Vansickle, were burned to death. The whole affair is a mystery and many conflicting explanations of the affair are current throughout the countryside. A coroner's jury is sitting on the case and there is a great deal of doubt whether the tragedy is the result of an accident or of some terrible crime.

At 3 o'clock Friday afternoon Seth Vansickle, who lives almost opposite the burned house was there and saw Meletta, his sister; the old man, his father; and Martin, his brother. He worked in the adjoining barns, which were used jointly by the old man and his sons with Harry. When they stopped at 7 o'clock Seth went to his home and Harry went into the house.

At 8 o'clock Saturday morning Seth went to the pump outside his father's house and drew a pail of water. He says that he noticed smoke coming from the chimneys at either end of the house and concluded that those within had arisen. There were no marks of footprints to door or window that he could see at the east end of the house, which is that toward his own. He went back to his own house and did not see the other again until his cousin Peter Vansickle came rushing into his kitchen shortly after 11 o'clock crying, "Come, father's house is burning and they are all inside."

It appears that the first to notice the fire were Bert and Peter, nephews of old Philip Vansickle, who live immediately west of the homestead on opposite sides of the road. Bert with his son Stanley were at work in their barn when they noticed smoke issuing from the window sashes of the old man's house. The father sent Stanley to see what was the matter, but before he returned his father saw a little tongue of flame lick out upon the verandah which ran along the front of the house. This would be about 11 o'clock. Bert dashed across the road and told his brother Peter and then ran for the burning house.

As is the custom Peter sounded an alarm by frantically ringing the large dinner bell and then ran to join Bert in rescuing the inmates.

Meanwhile Bert had reached the house. He rushed to the east end and around to the north corner where the old man's room was situated on the ground floor.

He smashed the window to be met by a heavy cloud of pugnent smoke. Undaunted, he clambered in and, groping about in the deadly fumes, stumbled over the old man's body, lying prostrate at the door of his room, which was closed.

He dragged it to the window, but was there so nearly overcome that he was forced to drop his burden and seek the pure air without.

At this juncture Seth, who had been called by Peter, came up. Together they pulled the body through the window, throwing in pails of water to keep back the smoke. It was too late, however, the aged man was dead. The body was carried to the carriage house and the three returned to the burning building. They strove to force their way in through the east door, but were driven back by the heavy black smoke and tongues, of flames which, fanned by the air, were now burning fiercely.

A great throng had congregated, but the flames, too, had gathered strength and any further attempt at rescue was hopeless.

When the roof fell the work of searching for the bodies began. These was burned almost beyond recognition. All were mixed with debris in the cellar of the smouldering ruins.

The body of Meletta, the daughter, was found at the northeast corner of the ruins. A patch of clothing under the arm showed that she had been still wearing her night clothes, and probably in bed when overcome by the smoke.

The body of Martin, son of Philip, was found below his room in the southeast corner. Embedded in the heap of the charred remains was a bed, indicating that he had gone down with his bed.

But the body of Harry was also found near this, while the room he occupied was in the northwest corner of the building. Upon his back, stuck in the burned flesh, was a buckle of his suspenders, but his watch was found under his own room.

Here is where his father begins to doubt. "The boy never slept with Martin," he says. "He always slept alone. What was his body doing there?"

It is suggested that he went to warn the others, being awakened by the smoke. This does not satisfy the father.

"The skulls of the two men are practically missing," he declares. "Oh, I think that there is something wrong. I feel it," he keeps repeating passionately until the thing becomes uncanny.

"I think there was a fight. Someone got in from the outside. I feel it. There was a will. There was trouble over that. One of the family said that he would fight it as long as there was a penny left.

"Some thought that the girls were getting too much. That was last spring. Then I believe there was another made by old Philip six weeks or so ago, and I was told at Christmas time that that made more ill-feeling."

Only the old man's passionate belief in his doubt and declaration stands against the seeming certainty of all.

Among the theories current many are wild and tangled, but a few bear weight from the intimate knowledge of those who hold to them concerning the habits of the unfortunate victims. Mrs. Harry Vansickle, who through a lucky chance had been staying with her three children at the home of her father-in-law, Wesley Vansickle, at Trinity, and so escaped death, says that it was the habit of old Philip to get up before the others and light the fires. He was just as apt, she says, to put the shavings, used as kindling, under the stove as into it, and it is known that for a time last fall his mind was unhinged. Others believe that a burning piece of charcoal must have fallen from the stove and smouldered in the carpet, overcoming all with the fumes before the actual burst of flames.

The jury empanelled to enquire into the cause of death is a curious one in that almost every man is related to the deceased, and so are nearly all who are to be witnesses. The settlement is the growth of two or three families of United Empire Loyalists, who settled at that spot as early as 1810, coming from New Jersey. Since then they have lived almost entirely to themselves, the intermarriage of first cousins being a not unfrequent occurrence.

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Two Men Who Drove Into Hotel at Midnight and Are Said to Have Rifled Abbot's Jewelry Store, Are Thought to Be Responsible For Destruction of Opera House and a Business Block.

Gananoque, Feb. 1.—Burglars are blamed for having caused a fire early yesterday morning which completely destroyed the Grand Opera House and the Turner blocks, involving a loss of more than $100,000.

At 3.30 flames were seen bursting from the front windows of Joseph McCauley's restaurant in the Turner Block, King and Stone streets. A gale was blowing, but the firemen responded promptly and soon had five streams playing. Prospects for the destruction of King street looked so certain that Kingston was telephoned for assistance and in 40 minutes an engine and men were entrained at Kingston Junction. As the fire was then under control, a message was sent countermanding the request.

While the origin of the fire is not certain, the discovery that Walter Abbotts' jewelry store had been burglarized during the night leads to the supposition that the burglars broke into the restaurant for something to eat and that they set fire to the building to conceal the crime.

Two men are said to have driven into a hotel shed about midnight, and left about three o'clock.

The fire sufferers are: W. G. Rogers, owner of the Grand Opera House, $30,000, insured for $8,000; also proprietor of the butcher shop, loss $25,000; W. Y. Boyd, owner of Turner Block, a three-storey brick building, loss $25,000; Clifford Sine, druggist, loss $15,000, insurance $8,000; Corrigan & Co., dry goods; James McCauley, restaurant and billiard room, insured; Tiger Hockey Club rooms; Prof. Jackson, musical studio; Colonial Theatre, on top floor of Turner building; Peters Brothers, restaurant; A.O.U.W. and Canadian Order of Foresters, lodge rooms.

Walter Abbott's loss by burglary is over $500. Entrance was secured by boring 13 augur holes around the Yale lock, and knocking it in. The store is six doors away from the restaurant.

Fire at Schreiber.

Schreiber, Feb. 1.—During one of the wildest gales ever experienced in this part of the county, fire broke out on the roof of the Queen's Hotel here about 7.15 Friday night, and in less than two hours the hotel, together with the whole business block adjacent, was reduced to ashes. Only the presence of a thick stone wall between the hotel and store occupied by the Schreiber Trading Co. and postoffice, aided by the efforts of a volunteer fire brigade with the assistance of the C.P.R. fire hose, saved the latter building from destruction also. As it was, the trading company's store and stock was badly damaged by fire and water.

The following is a list of the buildings and places of business destroyed: Queen's Hotel, partly insured; H. H. Parliament, barber shop, insured; Schreiber Drug Co., drugs, total loss, insurance unknown; D. McCuaig, billiard and poolroom and tobacco store; A. Strachan, jeweler, loss $5,000, insured; P. McCuaig, bakery and confectionery store; J. H. Beamish, general merchant, loss $45,000; insurance about $35,000; E. J. O'Brien, merchant tailor, loss and insurance unknown; residence of F. Armstrong, contents saved.

K. C. McCuaig lived over the pool room and lost all his furniture.

The Schreiber Trading Co.'s stock is damaged to the extent of $6,000, covered by insurance.

Bad Blaze at St. John.

St. John, N.B., Feb. 1.—Fire early yesterday morning gutted three large establishments, Reid Bros., Dunlop & Cook, furriers, and part of A. D. Skinner's draperies.

Drank Wood Alcohol.

Orillia, Feb. 1.—James Loudfoot, a man of about 54 or 55 years of age, died here yesterday morning from the effects of drinking wood alcohol. It is reported that he had been out of town and on his return had drunk the alcohol in mistake. He had no friends or relatives here.

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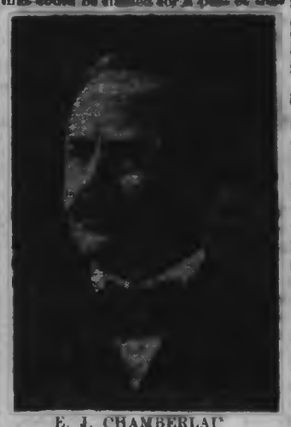
M'BRIDE FORCED MORSE OUT.

Stone Tells Ottawa In Explanation of Resignation.

Ottawa, Feb. 1.—The resignation of F. W. Morse as vice-president and general manager of the Grand Trunk Pacific continues to be discussed here. When it was first made known that he had stepped down it was said that it was because the Government had absolutely refused to deal with him. The story now is that it was Premier McBride who forced Mr. Morse from the management of the transcontinental road.

Mr. Morse is not the smoothest man that could be named for a post of that



E. J. CHAMBERLAIN

Who Becomes General Manager of Grand Trunk Pacific.

description and of late it is said he became so obnoxious to the British Columbia Government that they refused to conduct negotiations with him, and on one occasion at the request of Mr. McBride Mr. Wainwright was despatched west to deal with the Government.

To-day the Commons will discuss the academic question of the conservatism of the natural resources of the Dominion, on a motion placed on the order paper by R. L. Borden.

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BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

Canon William Alfred Burman of Winnipeg is dead, aged 52, after ten day's illness.

That Winston Churchill may be appointed Viceroy of India is the interesting piece of gossip in circulation in political circles.

The County of Carleton Conservative Association will meet to choose a candidate on Feb. 16. The choice will be equivalent to election by acclamation.

James McAnaney, about 50 years of age, was found dead in a St. Catharines' livery stable. He had a cut over the eye. Coroner Jory has ordered an inquest.

Burglars broke into the Van Hier Gallery and stole thirty of Van Hier's best paintings, valued at $50,000. A number of international diplomatic orders were also taken.

Mike Manson of Union Bay was the unanimous choice of the Conservative convention to oppose Hon. Mr. Templeman in Comox-Atlin, but it is not thought he will go to the polls.

The Persian revolution has gained such momentum in the last few days that Shah Ali Mirza is afraid that the movement will become national and sweep his capital into the rebel ranks.

Now that the Canadian and Mexican Governments have both formally accepted President Roosevelt's invitation to attend a North American Conservation conference, the session will begin on Feb. 18.

Friends of Charles W. Morse, the convicted banker, now in the Tombs, are preparing a petition to the judges of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals, asking them to admit Mr. Morse to bail pending his appeal from Judge Hough's sentence of 15 years.

Girl Conducts Elopement.

Port Huron, Mich., Feb. 1.—When the immigration authorities at Port Huron stopped Miss Jeanne Boureau, aged 24, and Hugh Lawrence, aged 20, they put an end to an elopment which reversed the usual order, the woman in this case running away with the man. The couple declared stoutly that they were married and gave another name to the officers, but finally broke down and said that they were bound from Montreal to Detroit. The girl is a pretty French-Canadian girl, while the young man is described as a "rogular Apollo." When questioned the girl told the officers that she happened to see the young man on one of the Montreal streets and had become infatuated with him. Other girls, however, took a fancy to Lawrence. Miss Boureau determined that she should have him all to herself, and finally succeeded in persuading him to start with her to Detroit, she paying all expenses. They were deported.

Queen Nearly Well.

London, Feb. 1.—Disquieting rumors have been current recently concerning the health of Queen Alexandra. Miss Knollys, her secretary, announced from Windsor Castle Saturday that the Queen has nearly recovered from her recent attack of influenza and hopes to return to London on Monday.

The Queen's physicians advise her to reserve her strength for her coming visit to Berlin, for which reason it is probable that she will not accompany the King when he goes to open Parliament.

FATAL WRECK IN NEW BRUNSWICK

Engineer Is Killed and Trainmen Are Injured.

DRIVER UNDER HIS ENGINE

Engineer Cool Loses His Life and Five Trainmen Are Hurt In Bad Smash-up Near Campbellton, N.B.—Double-Header Leaves Track as Result of Broken Rail—Both Engines Toppled Over.

Moncton, N.B., Feb. 1.—At 12.45 yesterday the British mail special, in charge of Conductor Wm. Crockett, which left Moncton about 7 o'clock yesterday morning, with a double-header, was wrecked about four miles east of Campbellton. In the engines' cabs were Drivers C. Cool of Campbellton, and A. H. Fryers, Moncton; Firemen Thomas Clark and Walter Carson, Moncton. Driver Cool, who was in the head engine, was pinned beneath the engine and was killed, while Driver Fryers was scalded about the head, arms and legs, but none of the injuries are serious. The train was made up of seven cars, five baggage cars, combination baggage and colonist, diner and sleeper. The run-off is supposed to have been caused by a broken rail. Wrecking crews were rushed to the scene with hydraulic jacks, but it was 6 o'clock last evening before the dead body of Driver Cool was taken from beneath the wrecked engine. Both engines toppled over on their sides and were transferred to other baggage cars, and were forwarded as soon as possible. At the time of the run-off the mail special was running fast, and when the head engine left the rails both locomotives were plunged into the ditch and topple over on their side. There was a heavy snowstorm on the northern division and the special plow had been running on the track for the mail special, but there was no plow on the mail train.

CORNERING MAY WHEAT.

James A. Patten Has Bought Ten to Twenty Million Bushels.

Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 1.—Not in ten years has there been a condition in the grain trade quite like that existing in Minneapolis and Chicago now, where James A. Patten operating in both markets, has bought anywhere from 10,000,000 to 20,000,000 bushels, and presumably is out to run a corner in May wheat.

The effect always felt before a corner gets under way is now apparent in the trade. Nothing is doing. Dealers agree that, as Patten stands and takes delivery of his wheat bought for May delivery, prices might easily advance to $1.25 or higher. They see also that in the grand statistics of the country he has the advantage, for there is not a great quantity of wheat in the United States, consumptive and export demand considered, and the present outlook is for a winter wheat crop next season smaller than for several years.

The exporting and manufacturing end of the business is getting the adverse effect. Buyers are afraid to stock up with flour or flour by-products or with grain, either wheat or other cereals, for fear that, should the Patten crowd ever decide to give up the deal and throw their holdings of wheat on the market, great decline in prices might follow.

The result of it is a deadlock. Prices fluctuate in narrow range and all business is down to minimum.

Tree Falls on Him.

Hamilton, Feb. 1.—Bertram Wylie, 20 years of age, the son of a Glanford farmer, lies in the City Hospital with a broken back and paralysed from the waist down. With his father, brother and uncle, he was engaged in cutting down the stub of a maple tree about a foot and a half in diameter and about 12 feet high. After they had nearly finished cutting it off at the stump, the young man, who is six feet tall and weighs 180 pounds, climbed up in the tree in order that his weigh might incline the tree in the desired direction, when it fell. His instructions were to jump when the tree began to fall, but his foot slipped and the tree fell on him. Dr. James White performed an operation on him and he has been placed on a water bed. Slight hopes of his recovery are entertained.

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Reports Passed By County Council At Their First Business Meeting Held Last Week

Committee on Appointments Made Many Recommendations ---Other Committees Sent in Their Reports Which Were Passed and Confirmed.

The County Council met yesterday afternoon and put through the following reports. They were in committee of the whole during the morning and the early part of the afternoon but went into regular session towards evening.

The following reports were passed and confirmed.

Report of the Committee on Appointments

The Committee on Appointments begs to report as follows:

1 That E A Peck be a member of the Board of Audit to autit the Criminal Justice accounts.

2 That Dr Caldwell be reappointed Gaol Surgeon on same terms as in previous years.

3 That H Nesbitt be re-appointed caretaker of Buildings and Park at the same salary as last year.

4 That the following be appointed caretakers of Bridges at the salaries set after their names respectively, their duties being to clean dirt from the bridges, remove drift wood, etc. from the supports and make necessary trifling repairs:

Pigeon Creek, T Flood, Ennismore, $40.00.
Chemong—W O'Leary, Bridgenorth, $150.00.
Gannons—J Smith, Lakefurst; $25.00.
Beaufort—W Smith, $5.
Buckhorn—W McIlmoyle, Halls Bridge; $5.
Young's Point—E Young, Young's Point; $5.
Nassau—W Lockington, Peterborough, $5.
Burleigh—J C Bates, Burleigh Falls $5.
Nogies Creek—I Moore Nogie's Creek $5.
Indian River—M Guerin, Guerin $5.00.
Evans—J H Pallue, Jermyn, $5.
Armstrong's—J H Pallue, Germyn $5.00.
Hope's—R Hope, Lang, $5.
Allandale—W Hastel; Lang; $5.
Keene Station—J Renwick, Lang, $5.00.
Keene—D Moore, Keene, $5
Brown' Burleigh—W McCauley, Havelock, $5.
Warsaw—J Clement, Warsaw; $5.00,
Prynes Dummer—W Spencer, Warsaw $5.
Crow River—A A Brown, Rockdale, $5.00.
Spencers—J McCracken, Warsaw; $5.00.
Sullivan's—P Heffernan, Guerin, $5
Burns—D O'Brien, Douro, $5.
Comstocks—R J Comstock, Westwood, $5.
Steel's—J Breckenridge, Birdsall; $5.00.
Welbeck—W Humphries, Westwood $5.00.
Lakefield—W Dodge, Lakefield, $
Robson's—W D Robson, Norwood $5.00.
Taylor's—Caleb Yeomans, Rockdale $5.00.
Deer River—John Rupert, Rockdale, $5.00.
North River—W Anderson, Round Lake, $5.
Douglas Creek—M Clark, Springville $5.00.
Burn Mills—C Easton, Havelock $5.00.
Wallace Point—R Dwyer, Wallace Point, $5.
Lockie Bridge—W Collins, Peterborough, $5.
Norwood Bridge—J Mickle, Norwood, $5.
Paynes Monaghan—J Morrow, Peterborough, $5.
Douglas Bridge—B Douglas, Warsaw $5.00.

5 That Messrs Moher, the Warden and Mr Graham be representatives of the Peterborough Historical Society.

6 That Messrs Shaw and Moher be with Warden, members of a Board of Management of the House of Refuge for the year 1909.

7 That R Shaw be chairman of such Board of Management.

8 That Mr Moher take Mr Scott's place on the committee re Foley Estate for one year.

9 That Messrs Graham and Darling be appointed members of the Committee of the Foley Estate for two years dating from April 14, 1909.

10 That Dr Graham's application for a raise of salary be received and if the present salary is not acceptable to Mr. Graham, the Board are empowered to make provision for Surgeon's attendance until the June session.

11 That H Nesbitt be re-appointed caretaker of the Registry office at a salary of $25.

12 That James Stewart, Keene; Henry Clements, Warsaw; T A Welsh, Westwood, and D J Montgomery, Hall's Bridge, be recommended for appointment as County Constables.

Respectfully submitted
W HALL
Chairman.

Report of the Committee on County Property

The Committee on County Property beg to report as follows:

1 That the matter of providing clothes for the old in the gaol be left in the hands of Messrs Nesbitt, Stewart and Brown.

2 That the matter of establishing a central plant for heating of Administration of Justice buildings be left over until June session.

3 That the matter of making requisite repairs to the Court House, and Gaol and County offices be left in the hands of the chairman and Mr Nesbitt.

4 That Mr Hope be given the insurance on the Gaol in a Company approved of by the chairman of the Finance Committee, and the Warden and that Mr Hill be given the insurance on out buildings at House of Refuge—subject to the same provisions.

Respectfully submitted.
J. BROWN
Chairman

Report of Committee on Schools

The Committee on Schools beg to report as follow:

1 That the reports of the School Inspectors be received and that the Committee express their appreciation of the exhaustive information and recommendations contained therein, and recognize the efforts put forth by the Inspectors in looking after the financial interests of the schools in the county.

2 That uniform promotion examinations be held in June in each year, and that the Inspectors be requested to prepare the necessary papers and arrange all details in connection therewith.

3 That no action be taken with reference to the suggested second visit, of the Inspectors to schools during the first half of 1909.

4 That the sum of $10 be paid to the pupil from the county receiving the highest number of marks at the Entrance examinations of 1909.

5 That the matter of the increase salary of Public School Inspectors be referred to the Finance Committee.

6 That the Warden, Mr Stewart and the Public School Inspectors, wait upon the City Board of Education with the view of obtaining more satisfactory arrangements for the attendance of pupils at the Collegiate Institute.

Respectfully submitted.
W B STEWART.
Chairman

Report of Committee on Printing

The Committee on Printing beg to report as follows;

1 That the Clerk be authorised to give the printing of all Tax Sales to the Review and Examiner alternately.

2 That the printing of the minutes be given to the newspapers published in the villages of the county alternately, and that in printing the same, as much matter be inserted in each page as can reasonably be done.

3 That save as aforesaid the printing be distributed between the various newspapers in the county in the same manner as last year.

Respectfully submitted,
F MOHER,
Chairman

Roads and Bridges

The Roads and Bridges committee beg to report as follows:—

1. That the Warden and Messrs. Fife and Moher be a deputation to visit Hynes bridge and report at next session as to whether said bridge should be assumed by county.

2. That the report of Mr. Hayes upon construction of Clydesdale bridge be received.

3. That no action be taken regarding Good Roads Association communication.

4. That no action be taken with respect to collecting fees from non-residents operating auto or motor vehicles in the county.

5. That the council interview the Dominion Government with regard to relieving the county from payment of the $3000 upon the construction of the Buckhorn bridge and approaches and to take into consideration with the Government the widening of the approaches.

6. That the matter of the Keene bridge be left over until after the Warden (Mr. Fife and County Engineer visit the said bridge and that they have power to act.

7. That the Warden and Mr. Fife proceed to take a tour of inspection of Hope's bridges the bridge east of Birdsall's station Robson's bridge, Lockie's bridge and report at next session and that the same gentlemen visit the Ball Lake Narrows where a bridge is also proposed and asked for by certain sections of the county and report at the same time.

8. That a committee composed of the chairman of this committee the Warden and Mr. Tucker be a committee to examine the bridge known as McCaul's bridge north of Apsley, and report at next meeting of the Council.

9 That clauses 2 and 3 of the January 1908 report of this committee remain in force and are again recommended.

10. That the sum of $150 be granted to each of the five following municipalities namely, Harvey, Chandos, Burleigh and Anstruther, Belmont and Methuen, Galway and Cavendish, to be applied for improvement of their highways.

11. That the sum of $100 be granted to Ennismore to be expended on the road from Gantons to Chemong bridges on condition that the Township of Ennismore grant $100, and the Provincial Government $200 for the same purpose.

12. That the Warden and chairman and Mr. Kidd and Mr. Graham, be a committee to inspect what is known as Snelgrove's bridge in the northern part of Smith and report at the next meeting of the Council.

13. That Messrs. Moher, Fife, Brault and Comstock meet Mr. Hayes and what power be vested in them to settle with Mr. Hayes as to his claim respecting the Asphodel bridge.

14. That 25 floats be procured by Mr. Shaw for Gannon's Narrows bridge.

Respectfully submitted
J. FIFE,
Chairman.

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WHERE THE HAND OF THE LAW IS POWERLESS

Cleveland Court Tells Father That His Daughter Has Liberty to Sit In Her Beau's Lap.

Cleveland, Ohio, Feb. 1.—A girl has a perfect right to sit upon her beau's knee, according to an informal decision of Judge George S. Addams, of the Juvenile Court.

A father asked Judge Addams to issue a warrant for the arrest of his sixteen year old daughter. He told the Judge that he happened downstairs at 11.30 p.m., and found the young lady sitting upon the knee of a young man caller. She had her arms around his neck.

"I told my daughter to go to bed at once, and ordered the young man to leave," said the father. "The young man kissed my daughter 'good-bye' right before my eyes. I want you to teach her a lesson."

"There is no law against a young lady sitting on the young man's knee," said Judge Addams. "No court in the land would interfere with your daughter for doing that."

The father went away angry and didn't leave his name.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES.

Dr. Greer's class will meet as usual to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock. Miss Nicholls' class in English will meet at 7.30 to-morrow. Mr. Mowat will commence a new course of study with his literary class on Thursday evening. All members of the Association welcome to this most interesting hour.

It was decided at the last Board meeting to meet on the morning of the first and third Tuesday of each month, at 10.30, for prayer, also on the second and fourth Saturday afternoon at 3.30. We invite all interested to join with us in prayer tomorrow morning.

ANNIVERSARIES OF WEDDINGS

Not all anniversaries are so romantically named as the sixtieth and fiftieth which are known respectively as diamond and golden. The first anniversary, for example, is known as the "cotton wedding." The reason for the name is said to arise out of the gift of cotton stuffs for baby's clothing, which is likely to be very necessary about a year after their marriage, in ordinary circumstances.

On the same principle the experts call the third anniversary the "leather wedding," for the reason the leather enters about this time more largely into the making of children's boots than heretofore. Why the fifth anniversary is called the "wooden wedding," is not so clear, nor is any reason very well ascribable to the term "tin wedding," which is celebrated on the tenth anniversary of the happy event.

If a couple have dwelt in happiness twelve years, it is customary among men folk who honour traditions to present their wives with silk garments; hence the "silk wedding." The "crystal wedding" takes place on the fifteenth anniversary of the marriage, the "china wedding" on the twentieth, when a set of chinaware is presented to the couple by the husband to the wife. The "silver wedding" takes place on the twenty-fifth anniversary; the "pearl" on the thirtieth and the "ruby wedding" on the fortieth anniversary.

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REV. FATHER McCOLL SPIRITUAL ADVISER

Acting in Rev. Dr. O'Brien's Position in Connection With St. Peter's T.A.S.

Rev. Father McColl will act as Spiritual Adviser of St. Peter's T.A.S., during the time that Rev. Dr. O'Brien is confined to St. Joseph's Hospital. The regular meeting of the society was held yesterday afternoon when the general business was transacted. The pleasing report was presented that Rev. Dr. O'Brien was progressing as favourably as could be expected. During the meeting Mr. Michael O'Brien gave an address on Temperance which was greatly appreciated.

"PRIVATE SECRETARY," TO-NIGHT, FEBRUARY 1ST

The scene of this delightful comedy, which was played by the famous Chas. Hawtrey in London, and by Wm. Gillette, (Author of "All the Comforts of Home") in New York, opens in a boarding and lodging house in London, England, and the peculiar entanglements that follow are even funnier than those of "All the Comforts of Home." Douglas Cattermole is a lodger in this house which is run by Mrs. Stead, and he has an uncle, Cattermole, in India, who is a multi-millionaire, and who will not give him a cent until he has sown his wild oats as he expresses it. Douglas, Cattermole's nephew, has signed notes and run up bills to an enormous extent and he is almost in despair when Harry Marsland his pal, arrives on the scene and suggests that he should go on a visit to his uncle Marsland and palm himself off as "The Private Secretary" for whom his uncle has advertised, and thus keep out of the clutches of the law. Before their departure, however, they arrange for the real "Private Secretary" Spalding, to remain in London and they are only at the uncle's house a short time before the real "Private Secretary" arrives, and what follows after that is too funny to tell. The real Private Secretary is an English Church Curate, who is very effeminate, educated, but innocent and cold, with a smileless, expressionless face, a child in worldly matters, who does not know when he is imposed on, and if he did not spirit enough to resent it. Douglas, the pseudo Private Secretary, is just the opposite. Those two characters are very funny and so are Mrs. Stead, the lodging house keeper; Mr. Cattermole, from the wilds of India; Miss Ashford, the guardian of Marsland's girls; Harry, Douglas' chum, Edith, Eva, and Gibson, the tailor, are all excruciatingly funny parts. The cast is an exceptionally good one and a delightful performance may be expected. The "Private Secretary" has had a tremendous vogue in England, and was recently revived in Chicago with immense success. It is comedy that is comedy clean and true. At the Grand Opera House to-night.

SCRAPS OF FACT.

White is the Siamese mourning colour.

One-tenth of the world is still unexplored.

Eighty per cent. of Ireland's emigrants go to America.

Crabs measuring two feet in length have been found in India.

Sixty languages are in everyday use in Freetown, Sierra Leone.

Scientists assert that a fly can make 900 strokes a second with its wings.

A trap baited with sunflower seeds is the most efficacious means of catching rats.

Over 800 people will be employed on the Drury Lane stage for "Dick Whittington."

From 1,800 to 2,500 pounds is an elephant's burden, that of a horse from 200 to 250 pounds.

The capacity of the Atlantic cables is 300,000,000 words annually. Only 25,000,000 are sent.

The ostrich lives about thirty years and in captivity yields, on an average, four pounds of feathers annually.

It is calculated that one fly will lay about a thousand eggs and leave 25,000,000 descendants in a season.

There are three varieties of dogs that never bark—the Australian, the Egyptian shepherd dog, and the "lion-headed" dog of Thibet.

In Sweden, the woman's suffrage movement is making such progress that the association there has now 127 branches, with over 10,000 members.

The word "carol" originally denoted a certain dance in which the dancers, forming a ring, circled round with a peculiar, rhythmic movement.

The hardest carbon steel can be cut with a soft steel circular saw without teeth revolving at great speed. The saw actually melts the steel.

A love letter engraved on a brick lies in the British Museum. It is a proposal for the hand of an Egyptian princess, and is about 3,500 years old.

The world's steepest railway has a grade of 70 per cent. at its upper end, and an average grade of 66 per cent. This is the Virgilbahn cable, up the side of a mountain in Southern Tyrol, Austria. The length of the line is 945 feet.

SOCIAL EVENING AT CHARLOTTE STREET

Brotherhood Concert Last Evening Was a Great Success.

A very enjoyable programme was given by the Brotherhood of the Charlotte Street Methodist Church on Friday night, at the social held under their auspices in the Sunday School room. There was a large attendance and the evening was one of thorough enjoyment to all concerned. Rev. Mr. Henderson occupied the chair and the programme was as follows:

Solo—Miss Titterson.
Address—"Tennyson," Mr. A. Mowat.
Solo—Mr. E. Nash.
Recitation—Miss Greta Lobar.
Instrumental—Mr. J. Ellam.
Recitation—Miss Greta Lobar.
Cornet solo—Mr. Ford.
Quartette—"Far Away," by the Brotherhood Quartette, Messrs. E. Nash, P. Nash, J. Ellam and R. J. Rogers.

Mr. Mowat's address on "Tennyson," was thoroughly appreciated by the audience.

The Brotherhood is making satisfactory progress—its membership growing steadily.

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Emigration Plans Are Already Beginning To Be Prepared

Department to Bring Out Only Experienced Men for Farm Work— Farmers are Asked to File Applications Early.

A LETTER REPRODUCED

The spring emigration this year will likely be completed and from what has already been learned there will not be any more persons brought out than there is work for. Mr. E. Blake Robertson of the Emigration department was in the city a few days ago and met the local agents the result of the conference being that Mr Howson has asked that all those farmers looking for help for the coming year should file their applications early in order that the number desired for this district may be ascertained. It is thought that the emigration will be concluded by the last of April. Already there have been farmers looking for men to help in the farm work, but it is still a difficulty to obtain those who are willing to work with farmers.

An example of this oft cited story occurred on Saturday. Two men applied for the names of farmers who wanted men and were told where to go, but on leaving the emigration office they turned over to George street not going up Water street as they were directed. The kind of men who will be brought out will likely be experienced farm hands as the agents across the water realize that they are the only men who can succeed at farm work.

A clipping from the Sheffield Daily Telegraph an English paper contains the following letter which was written by Mr. Geo. Howson, the local officer.—

Mr. Dawson, of 7 Haymarket, Sheffield, has received a letter dated December 29th, from the Official Government Employment Agent at Peterborough, Ontario, Canada, asking for farm hands and domestic servants. Says the writer—"Already the farmers are beginning to inquire for help for the coming season, and I remember that you sent me some good farm hands in the year just closing so I write to ask you to send me a few men to work on the farm. I will be able to place 100 single, experienced farm labourers, 25 single, unexperienced, but they must be willing to go on the land, otherwise they are only a source of bother and loss to us, and 50 good servant girls. I can also place a few married couples, those without children preferred."

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PAPER ON LIFE OF BISHOP McQUAID

Ladies' Literary Society of St. Peter's T. A. S. Heard Splendid Reference to Late Prelate's Earthly Efforts.

THE REGULAR MEETING-

On Friday evening the regular meeting of the Ladies' Literary Society of St. Peter's T.A.S. was held and a very enjoyable programme run off. The essay of the evening was on Right Rev Bernard J. McQuaid, late Bishop of Rochester, N.Y., and was read by Miss V. Donoghue. The essayist sketched, as a preliminary, the very early career of Bishop McQuaid: his birth in New York City on December 15th, 1823, his early studies at Chambly College, Quebec, and afterwards at St. John's College at Fordham, where for three years after his graduation he remained as tutor. He was ordained to the priesthood in 1844, by the Rt. Rev. John Hughes, in the old Cathedral in New York. From that time on his whole life was a continual struggle, but this struggle was his delight as he himself said. "My life has been one long struggle, but out of a struggle comes strength; the peaceful life is not the happy one; we are only happy when we are striving to overcome obstacles. Struggle which ends in achievement is the force that makes life worth living." Bishop McQuaid's first work was in New Jersey, where he was appointed to the arduous duties of a missionary priest, and where he began his great work of education, realizing that the school is one of the bulwarks of the Church, and at Morristown he organized the first Catholic School in New Jersey State. His administrative ability was also shown early in his career. He mapped out new territory in which to establish missions, and it was not long until they developed into realities. In 1853 the New Jersey territory was separated from the diocese of New York and Bishop McQuaid was transferred to Newark where he assisted Bishop Bailey with his duties. In 1868 he was appointed to preside over the deliberations of Seton Hall, and some years later was consecrated Bishop of Rochester. He was raised out of the great diocese of Buffalo, he was appointed Bishop Chancellor of the new See and founded at once the Cathedral school in Rochester. Organ followed and during the pastorate of Bishop McQuaid and interested among the members of the United States Hierarchy. He established St Andrew's College and in 1893 St. Bernard's Seminary was opened, and this magnificent College stands to-day as a monument of Bishop McQuaid's unceasing zeal in the interests of education.

In civic life Bishop McQuaid took an active part. When Fort Sumter was fired upon by the Confederates, he preached the first sermon in the land in favour of the preservation of the Union. In Rochester his work on the Park Board shows how highly he esteemed his duty as a citizen. He laboured for the establishment of the park system, aiding in forming plans which made Rochester famous for its parks.

His oratorical ability was well known and he was a writer of great force, contributing many articles, not only to Catholic magazines, but also to the North American Review.

He was always prompt to co-operate, often at great and difficult sacrifice of time and effort in the promotion of municipal improvement. He was a man of remarkable commercial skill and rare financial acumen, and watched with undisguised satisfaction the upbuilding of many a great manufacturing and commercial establishment in Rochester.

Not only by Catholics will the death of Bishop McQuaid, which took place on Jan. 18th last, be mourned, but also by the non-Catholic citizens to whom he showed a disinterested public service and a clear vision of public interest. In so doing he set a standard to be followed by his own people, and to be respected by all of whatever creed or belief.

Miss Eugenie Picard occupied the chair and presented the following musical programme:—

Instrumental Duet, Misses Tremblay and Tanguay.

Vocal Solo, Miss E. Jayes.

Instrumental Duet, Misses Hatrick and Gorman.

God Save the King.

The next regular meeting of the Society will be held on February 12th, when Rev. Father Galvin will deliver a lecture.

DEATH OF REV. FATHER TWOMEY

Funeral to be Held on Tuesday Morning in Belleville.

Rev. Father Twomey, parish priest of Belleville, died very suddenly Saturday morning in Belleville. He had been ailing for the past ten days, but not seriously. Saturday morning, however, serious symptoms developed and the deceased sank rapidly and passed away at eleven o'clock. The news was received here with deep sorrow as the Rev. Father Twomey was well known here. The first announcement of his death was made in St. Peter's Cathedral Sunday morning. The deceased was about 55 years of age. He had been in Belleville for the past four years, going there from Tweed. He leaves a brother, Rev. Dean Twomey, of Williamstown, and one sister in Cornwall. The funeral will be held on Tuesday morning, and will be attended by a number from this city.

Belleville, Feb. — Special. — Rev Father D A Twomey, who died here Saturday, was born in the City of Cork, Ireland, in 1850. He came to Canada in 1873 and took a course in St. Michael's Seminary, Montreal. He was ordained priest in 1882, and became curate for the present Archbishop Gauthier when the latter was rector at Williamstown. He was also curate at Prescott for a time. He was parish priest at Morrisburg for some time, he was rector of St. Michael's Cathedral at Kingston and was also Catholic chaplain of the Kingston Penitentiary. From there he went to Tweed, where he spent four years and his work was most successful. He came to Belleville in 1905 and his work here since then is well known. To his efforts is due the splendid new church and school. The remains will lie in state at St. Michael's Church from Monday afternoon till the funeral on Tuesday.

COUNTY RULERS WERE IN SESSION

A Resume of Their Visit on Municipal Business to the City—In Committee and Out.

NOTES OF THEIR STAY.

The past week saw the County Council's sessions begun and satisfactorily concluded after a week of business and a certain amount of pleasure. The members met on Tuesday and brought their affairs to an end on Saturday morning after which the reeves of Peterborough's Townships returned to their homes, after a week in the city. The councillors take great interest in all the proceedings of their session and there is little matter which is turned from their hands before having received careful consideration.

The committee rooms are warm and cosy and are conducive to deliberation and when any of the committees are preparing a report every clause is carefully considered before going to the council. The members of the council are genial and friendly and the atmosphere of their meetings is one of harmony which results in everything being settled amicably as well as in a businesslike manner. Those of the members who are inclined to smoke will sometimes fill their pipes in committee and lead the way to others, but there is on the whole but little smoking, everybody being apparently wrapped up in the discussion at hand.

The rendezvous of the members during their week in the city is the Munro House. The great majority of them register there when they arrive in the city and it is generally understood that the sitting room is the congregating place after supper and between times.

Here they meet their town acquaintances, chat over various matters which very often lead back to the doings of the council. Something happens during the day in the meetings, which is still fresh in the memory at night, and they must of course talk it over. One of the week's success was the banquet which everyone thoroughly enjoyed.

On Saturday afternoon an Examiner reporter visited the Munro House and found quite a number of the councillors gone. The several who remained, however, stated that they had enjoyed their week in the city and thought from the feeling at the banquet that there was a more sympathetic understanding between the County Council and the different departments which carry on the city's affairs, and they expressed the hope that this would increase in time and the interests of the two municipalities become welded for their common good.

In an answer to a query one of the men stated that they had been well treated by the townspeople, "but," he remarked, "it is only a few that we meet. As a general rule we see but few outside of our own friends or relatives."

ST. PETER'S T. A. S. AT HOME

An enjoyable evening promised on Tuesday, February 2nd at St. Peter's T. A. S. Rooms. Another assured success. 2d-25

MUSIC AND DRAMA

Mabel Barrison frankly admits she doesn't know whether she believes in dreams or not. She rather believes that her dreams are the result of what she eats the night before.

She doesn't dream very often and only recalls one that ever really came true. This was a most unusual dream and one for which she has never been able to account.

Several years ago, while she was living in Chicago, she dreamed one night that she was standing in the door of a little cottage in which she had spent some time during the summer. The cottage faced on a long broad avenue and as she looked down the street she saw a procession approaching. It appeared to be a funeral procession and as it drew nearer she noticed that the first vehicle seemed to be a cage affair, which was evidently run by electricity as there were no horses in sight. On the box sat a driver in blue uniform, with an ashen grey complexion and a deep red scar on his left cheek.

The procession came slowly toward the gate in front of the door where Miss Barrison was standing, and there it stopped. Miss Barrison looked at the man and the man looked at her for a moment, then he said, rather nervously, "Well, madame, are you ready?"

At this point Miss Barrison awoke with a start. The dream impressed itself upon her mind very strongly and stayed with her all the next day. The second day after this she had occasion to go down to the Masonic Temple Building to see her attorney, whose offices were on the seventh floor. When she had transacted her business and was ready to leave, she stepped out in front of the elevator and pressing the button, waited for a car. As it came down the man threw back the door and she seemed to recognize the blue uniform, the ashen grey complexion and the deep red scar on his left cheek.

For an instant she couldn't recall where she had seen him and hesitated. As she did so the man grew impatient and said: "Well, madame, are you ready?" At the words Miss Barrison recalled her dream and, although she had one foot almost in the car, she drew it back, telling the man to go on, she had changed her mind.

The man closed the door and the car dropped to the basement, instantly killing him and injuring two of its occupants.

I should think after a dream of this kind any one would believe in dreams. —Telegraph.

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POST CARD COLUMN

Editor Post Card Column:

To the Editor of the Examiner:

Dear Sir,—As a citizen, and one who is much interested in the good and welfare of our splendid city, I would like to express my opinion, on the much discussed question regarding the retention of our present fire chief.

While the chief has had a very difficult task to perform in the organization of the new fire brigade, in succession to the old system, I believe he now has a brigade of much efficiency. The city has been most fortunate in not having any very serious fires since the installation of the new brigade, but should a disastrous fire occur, I believe the chief an dhis men are equal to the occasion. I believe him to be the right man in the right place as a fire fighter. On the other hand I think he has made a very serious mistake in many ways and that he should be severely censured, with a final warning. Let him that is without fault cast the first stone. In consideration of the interests of the efficiency of our fire department, I sincerely hope our Mayor and City Aldermen will approve of a final chance. All things considered, this would not be asking more than anyone of us would wish, under similar conditions. Thanking you.

Yours sincerely,
"CITIZEN."

Peterborough, Feb. 1st., 1909.

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Erie	30¼	30
Great Northern	141⅜	141⅝
L.N.	121½	121½
Mo. Pac.	70	69⅝
Northern Pacific	137⅜	138
N.Y.C.	120⅛	120⅞
Penna	131	131⅛
R.I.	24	24⅛
Rdg.	131⅝	132⅜
Smelters	82½	84
Soo.	142⅛	141⅛
St. Paul	145	145⅛
S.P	117⅛	118
U.P.	176⅛	177
U.S	51⅜	52⅛
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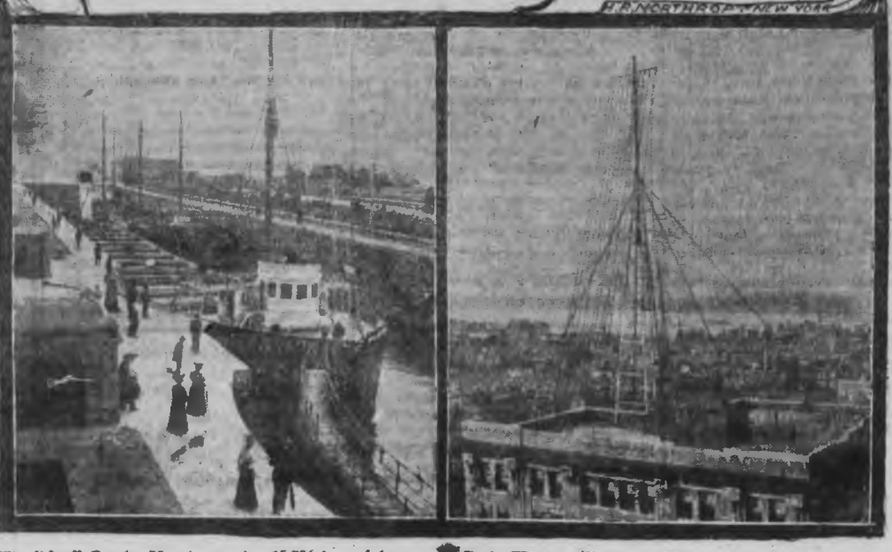

The "Soo" Canal—Vessels carrying 15,736 tons of iron ore passing through the locks.

Radio Wireless Telephone Tower—On the roof of the Terminal Building in New York.

WIRELESS telephony, that latest, and in many ways greatest, wonder of this electrical age, is on the eve of working a complete revolution in the methods of handling the enormous shipping of the Great Lakes.

Already, at scores of points along the lakes, the towering poles of the wireless telephone system, each with its antennae of wires, are being put in place so that by next Spring the system which already has made itself invaluable to the great Pacific fleet of our navy, as well as to the navies of Great Britain and Italy, will be in use from end to end of the chain of America's inland seas. By use of this system marine insurance rates will be reduced to a minimum, owing to the fact that all storm warnings may be transmitted immediately to lake vessels so that they will have ample time to make safe harbors and, used in conjunction with the enormous existing land system of wire telephones, will make it possible for persons either on the shores of the lakes or hundreds of miles away, to talk with officers of or passengers on any of the vessels engaged in the lake trade.

Without the enormous expense of wire maintenance that is necessary for the wire 'phone systems, and also without the expense of an expert operator as is necessary with wireless telegraph systems, the use of the wireless telephone will be within financial reach of the most modest sailing craft plying from port to port.

Few persons, even those directly connected with commerce on the Great Lakes, realise the enormous interests represented in that trade; therefore few realize the vast boon conferred by the latest electrical marvel. Eighty per cent. of all the water tonnage of North America is carried on the Great Lakes. Thirty thousand craft of all classes today are engaged in the lake trade, and the lake shipyards are from one to three years behind on their orders from lake ship-owners. Although one-half of all the vessels built in the Western Hemisphere in 1908 were for the Great Lakes trade, the need for more bottoms has become so acute that steamship companies engaged in the trade recently have been obliged to go to English and Scotch shipyards with orders.

An Enormous Fleet.

The freight conveyed over these waters during 1908 was more than seven times as much as the whole world carried through the Suez Canal in the same time. Four thousand freight steamers, 250 big passenger steamers and about 25,000 pleasure and other craft comprise the enormous Great Lakes fleet, which uses upwards of three million tons of coal in a single year, or enough to heat every house in Chicago for three years.

The Pittsburg Steamship Company, which is merely the carrier of the United States Steel Corporation, alone owns ships with a combined capacity of 650,000 tons of ore during a single trip. If the ships of this company alone were placed end to end they would cover a distance of eight miles and during the eight months of Great Lakes navigation each year they carry as much freight from Lake Superior to Lake Erie ports as all the vessels of the world take through the Suez Canal in a whole year. In weight of freight annually handled, Buffalo and Duluth are the world's greatest ports, while the tonnage handled at Ohio ports alone exceeds that of all the ports of France. During 1907 approximately 100,000,000 tons of freight were shipped in Great Lakes bottoms. This would be enough to fill 2,500,000 forty-ton freight cars, or a train that would girdle the earth and extend from New York to San Francisco in addition. Before than 90 per cent of this immense total consisted of 37,513,000 tons of iron ore, 14,000,000 tons of coal, 110,098,927 bushels of grain, 1,159,757 tons of flour, 14,888,027 bushels of flaxseed and more than 1,000,000,000 feet of lumber.

Greatest of all lines of lake traffic is that in iron ore, and some 800 giant steamers are engaged solely in its carriage. This ore commerce has doubled during the last six years and the steel men believe it will be doubled again during the next ten, for three little patches in the Great Lakes country produced in 1908 nearly half of the world's total supply of iron.

Total Tonnage for 1908.

During 1908 200,000,000 bushels of grain and 11,000,000 barrels of flour were shipped from Lake ports, the grain shipments from Port Arthur and Port William alone being well over 80,000,000 bushels. At least 99,000,000 bushels of wheat, 60,000,000 bushels of other grain and 7,500,000 barrels of flour passed through the "Soo" canals and 50,000,000 bushels of grain, conservatively represent the total shipments from Chicago, Milwaukee and other ports whose eastbound commerce does not pass through these canals. The year's lumber shipments aggregated nearly 1,500,000,000 feet, or enough to build more than 75,000 houses of eight rooms each.

Taking the "Soo" canal as its center and drawing a circle having a radius of 350 miles, it would be found to include four of the world's greatest ports, Buffalo, Cleveland, Chicago and Duluth. Within the circle or upon its circumference are such other ports as Detroit, Toronto, Dunkirk, Erie, Conneaut, Ashtabula, Lorain, Sandusky, Toledo, Gary, Milwaukee, Ashland, Superior and Port Arthur. The eight states along the Great Lakes are in reality the heart and power of the nation. Within their borders dwell 35,000,000 people and upon their shores center the greatest industries of the world. Should the lakes disappear suddenly the industrial supremacy of the United States would receive a staggering blow from which it might never recover and more than half the population of the nation would be vitally affected. The steel industry would come to an untimely end.

With all the great shipyards straining every effort to meet the demands of the lake commerce, shippers agree that they never will be quite able to meet the requirements of the traffic. Everywhere from Duluth to Buffalo the shipping is crowded. In many cases dangerously so. The greatest ocean ports never have known such blockades as Duluth has seen on more than one occasion. During one month alone last year there were 1,221 arrivals and clearances at this port, an average of forty a day. Steamers pass through the Detroit River on an average of one every twelve minutes, night and day. Harbors and canals must be enlarged to facilitate the growing business and unless there is some means available for the protection of this vast shipping, the tragedies of this next decade will be greater than those of all the past. In the wireless telephone it is believed that protection has been found.

Storms Do Terrific Damage.

The Great Lakes are known as the most treacherous highway in the world. Great storms, coming up at a few hours notice, do enormous damage to shipping. Scores of vessels suddenly and mysteriously disappear each year, leaving no trace behind them. According to the records more than $15,000,000 worth of freight has been lost on the lakes, involving the wrecking of 14,000 vessels and the total loss of more than 2,000 ships. During the last thirty years, in which time the records have been practically complete, the wrecked vessels numbered some 8,000, nearly 1,600 of which were total losses, while the loss in cargoes alone has exceeded $12,000,000 in this same period. A notable case in point occurred in 1900 when the steamer "Fiazg" went down with a cargo of metal worth $1,250,000, [illegible] of which was later recovered. One of the most horrible disasters in the whole history of the Great Lakes was the wrecking of the "Griffin" and her destruction near Cleveland, involving the loss of 250 lives. Thousands of other casualties mark the history of the [illegible] of Great Lakes storms.

During the first week of October, 1908, a record [illegible] vessels were wrecked during a severe storm. The net losses during this week were not far from $1,000,000. Warnings of the storm that caused this damage were posted by the United States Weather Bureau eight hours in advance and, had the lake vessels been equipped with wireless telephone apparatus at the time, every one would have had ample opportunity to have made port or a safe harbor. As it was, they had no warning of impending danger.

Another great peril to lake shipping is that of collision and conditions in this respect grow worse from day to day. During the whole eight months of the shipping season each year, scarcely a day passes without one or more collisions. These conditions, which of course are especially acute in time of fog, could be almost entirely obviated by wireless telephonic communication from ship to ship and, as all the dangers which surround the shipping interests on the lakes naturally compel the exaction of excessive insurance rates, this in turn reacts upon the freight tariffs so that the overcoming of the perils from storm and collision means a material reduction in cost of present lake transportation which, in spite of every existing obstacle, is exceptionally low.

Safeguard Against Extortion.

It is an admitted fact that the Great Lakes constitute the nation's chief safeguard against oppressive railroad rates. They are the regulators of our great commerce and the traffic on the lakes saves to the people of the United States $500,000,000 annually, or $6 for every man, woman and child of our population. Transportation over the lake waters in modern steamships costs from one-fifteenth to one-quarter of the prevailing railroad rates. It costs only two cents per bushel to ship grain from Duluth to Buffalo and only eighty cents to carry a ton of ore between these two points. This is only one-seventh the cost of railroad transportation for the same commodities between the same ports.

In passenger rates nearly a like difference is shown. During the season of 1908 the splendid passenger service of the Great Lakes was used by more than 10,000,000 people and the ratio of increase indicates that this total will be doubled in less than a decade. The railroad fare between Detroit and Buffalo is $7, but by steamer one can travel the 440 miles between these ports for $2.50, while one day each week a fare of $1.25 prevails.

The future of the Great Lake commerce is something so vast that none but the most venturesome would chance a prophecy. With the great Mississippi system to the southwest, soon to be connected with Lake Michigan by way of the ship canal which Chicago is building into the Illinois River, vessels will be enabled shortly to pass from the Great Lakes down the Mississippi to the Gulf. To the northwest lies the great wheat country of central North America, the focal point of which is the growing city of Winnipeg, located at the junction of the Assiniboine, now navigated for 300 miles, and the Red River of the North, up which steamers can go to the Minnesota, through the great wheat fields of the United States, thus bringing her sphere of influence south to Grand Forks and Fargo in the Dakotas.

Lake Winnipeg, which is as large as Lake Erie, now is being connected by locks with the Saskatchewan River system, navigable for nearly 1,000 miles into the very heart of the world's greatest grain fields. Soon this great inland water system, centering in Winnipeg, will have an outlet into Lake Superior by means of a canal running through the Winnipeg River, already navigable for 200 miles; Lake-of-the-Woods, Rainy River, Rainy Lake, Namekan Lake, Loon Lake, Nequokan Lake and others, requiring only a few miles of actual canal building to bring down to Thunder Bay the product of a region which already is becoming the world's granary, although the Canadian grain trade is but in its infancy.

Projects To Relieve Congestion.

The congestion in the Detroit River is to be relieved by two Canadian projects giving free outlet over British soil to the shipping of the great Northwest. The first of these, the Georgian Bay project, is to take in the French River, Lake Nipissing and the Ottawa River, thus connecting Lake Huron with the St. Lawrence at Montreal. The second, the Trent Navigation project, now is open from Lake Simcoe to the head of Hailey's Falls, a distance of 135 miles. Nearly all the unfinished portion is under contract.

In a few years the movement of ore to feed the hungry furnaces of Pittsburg will be by an all-water route, as a canal from Ashtabula to the great city of iron and steel will do the work of fifteen railroads at the cost of one.

Today the Great Lakes hold the key to the commercial supremacy of America. Great capitalists, of course, are vitally interested in the traffic but most of the shipping on the Lakes belongs to the masses, the stock in the owning companies being held by hundreds of thousands. As the shares are among the most profitable and the safest investments in the world they have become the property of small investors such as farmers, mechanics and clerks and it is an interesting fact that one-third of the farmers in the lake counties of Ohio have money invested in lake shipping.

Of all the needs of Great Lakes ships and shippers the greatest is for an adequate and reliable means of communication from ship to ship and from ship to shore. It is to meet this demand that hundreds of artisans and mechanics now are engaged in the construction of wireless telephone stations along the shores of the Lakes and in installing instruments on the Lake vessels.

No sooner had the wireless telephone become a commercial practicability, through the perfected inventions of Dr. Lee de Forest, who previously had won distinction in the wireless telegraph field, than its adaptation became a matter of greatest concern to the shipping interests of the lakes. When the De Forest system was installed and successfully tested by the United States Navy with the result that Admiral Evans was able to be in constant vocal communication with all the officers and ships of the great Pacific fleet on its cruise from Hampton Roads through the Straits of Magellan and thence to San Francisco, there came insistent demands for an adequate wireless telephone system for the lakes. Although the American Navy was the first to utilize wireless telephony, it since has been installed on many of the ships of the Italian Navy, while the navy of Great Britain is following the same course with all possible speed.

What Wireless Telephony Has Done.

Already, from the station which the De Forest people installed at the top of the Eiffel Tower in Paris, tests have been made which carried the human voice clear and distinct to beyond Marseilles, 600 miles away. In this country successful tests have been made for a distance of 150 miles, but when the new station is completed in the fifty-second story of the huge Metropolitan Life campanile in this city, it is confidently expected by the wireless telephone experts that they can project the voice much further than at the Paris tests. In fact, the inventor, de Forest, has declared that within a short time he will be able to send messages between these two greatest stations so that the voice spoken in New York may be distinctly and immediately heard in Paris.

When one considers that thirty years ago the present wire telephone system was laughed at as being nothing more than a clever toy, and that Prof. Alexander Graham Bell nearly wore his heart and soul out trying to get the small sum of money needed to construct his small test line for three miles from Boston to Somerville, the suggestion of wireless talking from New York to Paris is not to be considered as a smile-provoking proposition.

In establishing its system of wireless telephony it already has been announced by the Great Lakes Radio Telephone Company, of Cleveland, which controls the De Forest system for the territory in question, that it will work in conjunction with all the existing wire telephone systems, whether Bell or independent. By a simple contrivance the wire 'phone system can be connected with the wireless system at any of the latter's central stations so that a person located at a regular long distance telephone in New York, for instance, can be connected through a wireless station at Cleveland and hold conversations with a business associate traveling as a passenger on a steamer out in the middle of Lake Erie.

Each central wireless station will have its apparatus attuned to a certain number of vibrations on the principle of a tuning fork. The attuning of an instrument can be changed by a switch, just as the switchboard of a central wire station can be regulated by the insertion of plugs. In this way when a Lake steamer, for instance, desires to talk with Cleveland, its operator will throw the switch to the number of vibrations called for by Cleveland. When the wire instrument on the steamer is in repose, it will drop back to a certain specific number of vibrations so that it can be reached by any central station calling its number, or, by means of an Acrephone automatic signalling device, can be reached by any station sending out storm signals in darkness or fog. In this way each instrument can be so regulated that it can either take up general calls from any direction or only specific calls for its own number, as might be desired.

No Franchises Are Required.

One of the advantages of the wireless telephone is that it does not require a franchise right to operate or a right of way from any government, state or municipality. It talks through the air and is the only known method of vocal intership communication or of talking from ship to shore. In case of fog or storm the sound of the human voice, projected by this means, is as clear and distinct as at any other time, and the invention is therefore peculiarly adapted for safety signals and life-saving service. A distinct advantage of the wireless 'phone over the wire 'phone is that the buzz of the wire always is absent. As any ship's officer can talk by wireless 'phone as readily as by wire 'phone on shore, all expense of an expert operator is eliminated and the apparatus is placed within the reach of the most modest boat afloat.

The antennae wires of the apparatus are strung to the masthead of the ship by means of hempen rope, and are braced apart by a needle or spar of wood. The wireless telephone, just as the wireless telegraph, depends upon the projection of electric waves that pass through the atmosphere, and solid substances as well, with the velocity of light, which is 180,000 miles a second or more than seven times the circumference of the globe.

The mechanical principles upon which the wireless telephone depend seem to be simple enough, although there is a great difference of opinion as to the actual explanation of the phenomena of wireless telephony. Speech is the formation of very rapid complex and ever-varying series of vibrations of the air and their measurement by the nerves of the ear. Owing to the resistance of the atmosphere, these vibrations grow weaker and at last disappear as we get further from the source of disturbance. Telephony is the art of translating these vibrations of the air into vibrations of ether whose lesser resistance enables them to be carried to great distances for translation into air vibrations again, as only the air vibrations can be measured by the ear. In the wireless telephone the air waves are translated into the vibration of an electrical discharge which oscillates the ether.

One exceptionally valuable feature of the wireless telephone, which the United States Government is utilising as rapidly as possible, is its adaptability to the lighthouse and lightship service. Because of the absence of wire maintenance charges it costs no more to talk from shore to a lighthouse or a lightship than it would cost to talk between two blocks of a congested city district, and the lighthouse keeper or lightship people need have no expert training in order to operate the apparatus.

Government Shows Its Appreciation.

At every turn the Government has shown its appreciation of the invention, which, in addition to having been installed on the thirty odd battleships, cruisers and torpedo-boat destroyers of the Pacific fleet before they started on their voyage around the world, has also been installed at Fortress Monroe, Mare Island and other army posts.

Still another feature of the invention, or rather the benefit that may be derived from it, is for the supplying of music and other forms of entertainment to passengers traveling on the passenger vessels. A service of this kind, aided by a huge receiver so that all of the passengers gathered in a large salon could hear the music or operatic airs simultaneously, should prove a most welcome innovation for steamship travelers. It is within the range of possibilities, at an early date, that the traveler by Great Lakes steamer may be able to spend his evenings listening to the voices of Caruso or Melba simultaneously with the audiences who see the singers in person at Covent Garden, London, or the Metropolitan or Manhatian Opera Houses in New York.

With the first great long distance wireless station nearing completion at Toledo, with twenty-five other long distance stations already contracted for construction along the lake front, with work going ahead on seventy-five smaller shore stations and with fifty odd more already projected, there is reason to expect that, by the time Great Lakes navigation opens in the Spring for the season of 1909, the wireless telephone system will be in full operation on the Great Lakes with nearly 200 stations in use.

The central station of the system will be located at Sault Ste Marie, a contract for its construction already having been let. Chicago, Cleveland, Detroit, Milwaukee, Duluth, Buffalo, Erie and Pittsburg are among the cities being provided with long-distance stations, while among other places for which minor stations are either planned or under construction are Sandusky, Lorain, Benton Harbor, Muskegon, Bay City, Cheboygan, Manistee, Mackinaw, Alpena, Port Huron, Ashland, Dunkirk, Superior, Eagle River, Marquette, Escanaba Bay, Menominee, Manitowoc, Green Bay, Sheboygan, Racine, Kenosha, Waukegan, Gary, Grand Haven, Traverse City, Petoskey, St. Ignace, Grand Rapids, Ashtabula, Charlotte, Oswego and Sackett's Harbor.

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RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

HARRISON WAS AWARDED RACE BLAKE QUIT AFTER HAVING BEEN SET BACK ONE LAP FOR RUNNING

The walking match between J. E. Blake, the coloured heel and toe artist, from Syracuse, N.Y., and Jim Harrison, of Peterborough, in the Auditorium Roller Rink on Saturday was a disappointment not only to the few enthusiasts who attended, but also to the walkers themselves. Harrison was awarded the race by Referee A Rose, of Otonabee, after Blake had left the track because he had been set back a lap for alleged running, which was immediately after the men had resumed their walk in the evening. Blake went out at once and gained a lap but Harrison protested that his opponent was running and the referee allowed the claim, and Blake's lap was taken away leaving the two men again on even terms. The visitor continued to walk for a few minutes, but finally quit after he had gone 21 miles, 9 laps, claiming that he had not been given a square deal. Harrison continued walking until he had negotiated 27 miles, which was shortly after 10 o'clock, and then left the track himself after having been awarded the race. The attendance was disappointingly small, the total gate receipts for the day being $12.55, which did not cover the expenses. The men were walking for a sixty and forty split of the net gate, so that there was absolutely nothing in the race for them and both will be out as a result of the contest. Although there seemed to be a lot of interest in the race and there were many inquiries over the 'phone to the Examiner Sporting department as to the result, yet there was only a handful of spectators present during the whole race.

That the men are very evenly matched, was shown by the way in which they travelled during the afternoon. The start was made shortly after two o'clock and with Harrison doing the pacing they started out on their long grind at a brisk clip. The first half hour they negotiated three and one-half miles and there was no diminution of speed during the two and one half hours they walked. Harrison sprinted many times but Blake refused to be shaken off and when they stopped for the afternoon the two had walked 17 miles 3 laps. There were several vocal arguments between the two during the afternoon in which both blamed the other for fouling.

It was about 8.35 when they commenced in the evening and Blake at once started out to get a lead. Harrison set sail in pursuit, but slowed up almost immediately and pointing at Blake as he was rapidly negotiating the track in front of him, claimed that the negro was running. The referee awarded the claim and although Blake had gained a lap by his sprint he was set back again and the two were even up. Blake went on and walked for some time, but finally he quit and Harrison went on alone until after ten o'clock, when he too left the track.

The tug-of-war contest did not materialize, the Auburns who were to have pulled the Quakers, failing to put an appearance.

SOME GOOD SCORES BEING PUT IN FOR THE P. B. C. BOWLING TROPHY GOSSIP OF THE WEEK'S ROLLING

There was little of the sensational order in the local ten pin league last week, though there were a number of very large scores put up in practice games Herb Martin carrying off the honours with the single score of 253 on Thursday, equaling Waram's big string the previous week. Martin followed with a 246 score, and then made a desperate effort to break the alley record for three consecutive games. The record was established a couple of weeks ago and stands at 661. An outsider holds it and the spectators present pulled hard for Herb in his efforts to smash it. Despite the encouragement from the side lines however, Martin fell away in his third game rolling a total for the triple string of 644. There are a number of the local fraternity out after the honour and if faithful effort and perseverance will accomplish anything the mark is sure to go very shortly.

The contest for the championship cup is creating widespread interest and number of big scores have been put in for the trophy. Just at the moment McIlroy leads with several big strings, including one of 224 another of 216 and go on, while Martin, Cairns, Waram, Hoolihan, Stroud Ferguson, Barber, Ford, and a number of other cracks have put in large scores.

Just now interest mainly centres on the trip of the Peterborough contingent to Toronto next week, when the local five will be stacked up against a team of men who enjoy international fame as match bowlers. Nothing daunted, however the locals are ready to meet the best that Toronto or any other Canadian city can boast of and the team in view bowls anything like the form they are capable of Peterborough will not be disgraced by their work.

The writer spent a couple of days this week on Toronto alleys and diligent search failed to uncover anything in the way of big scores among the rank and file there that are not witnessed every day on local alleys. Of course an exception is made of the work of such experts as Neil, Johnston, Sutherland and a few other top notchers, the men who will be opposed to Peterborough team next week. But then we also have bowling timber of exceptional merit in such remarkable trundlers as Cairns, McIlroy, Waram, Ferguson, Martin, Hoolihan, Pollard, etc., and while the Torontonians will probably win their game on their own alleys, they will have to go the limit in the return game here—and then some.

There are about eight bowlers whose work of late would entitle them to a place on the team next week and among them are the following with their league averages to date—

Player	No. games	aver
Waram	27	176
McIlroy	30	.166
Cairns	24	.165
Hay	30	.162
Ferguson	30	.162
LaPlante	27	.162
Hoolihan	25	.15[illegible]
Pollard	27	.154
Martin	27	148

From the men mentioned above a very strong five man team could be selected and no matter which five are the lucky ones the Electric City's bowling fraternity can count upon being well represented next Saturday night.

In addition to the above team there will also be a five man team picked to play against the prize team of the Mail and Empire and a number of enthusiasts have expressed the intention of accompanying the bowlers. There is considerable interest being manifested in Toronto as well as local bowling circles in this game which is regarded as one of the biggest of the season, and a large crowd will gather at the Toronto Club to see the play, which promises to be well worth witnessing.

The local league standing has undergone some kaleidoscopic changes since the beginning of the week and the face promises to experience a further transformation next week. At the moment the Pacifics and Bankers are tied for the leadership with the Examiner A trio well up. The Belmonts are strongly entrenched in fourth place, and in the opinion of the writer this team will be the one to watch from this forth. They have been somewhat weakened of late by the illness of Jos Pollard and an accident lack of team work for is now himself again and the trio are working better together. Next week they have two rather easy teams to go up against in the Hams and the Lock Works, and if in any chance the Belmonts capture both series, that will be right close to the top as either the Pacifics or Examiner A team will have to take a drop on Monday's being scheduled on that night to come together. The Bankers are up against the Examiner B next week and the newspaper men are liable to hand their opponents a big surprise package. They have already won eleven of the last fifteen games played and with Jim Clark and Josh Craig hanging up 200 scores in practice games and Dela Post putting up his characteristically steady, consistent game there is no saying whom they may not trim.

And just here let it be said that Craig and Clark are good samples of the great progress being made by the new bowlers in town. Jake McFadden, Perry and Sullivan of the Grays; Westbrooke, Carol Hayes, Lang of the Lock Works, or a dozen other newcomers to the game and their work to say the least shows most gratifying progress and improvement.

The first half of the league season closes next week and the games yet to be played are as follows—

Monday—Exam A vs Pacifics.
Tuesday—Lock Works vs Belmonts.
Wednesday—Frontenacs vs Midgets.
Thursday—Bankers vs Exam. B.
Friday—Iroquois vs Midgets.

The following postponed games must be played off—
B. A. C. vs Frontenacs.
Grays vs Midgets.
Belmonts vs Hams.

The League Standing

Team	Won	Lost	PC
Pacifics	23	7	.767
Bankers	23	7	.767
Examiner A	22	8	.733
Belmonts	15	12	.556
B A C	15	15	.500
Exam B	15	15	.500
Iroquois	14	16	.470
Midgets	10	14	.415
Lock Works	12	18	.400
Frontenacs	10	17	.370
Hams	10	20	.333
Grays	5	25	.167

HERB LONG OF STRATHS IS THE CITY LEAGUE'S BEST SCORER

A study of the City League scoring statistics show that Herb Long, the big centre forward of the Strathconas, is away ahead of every one else in the league, in the matter of scoring. The Straths centre has found the nets no less than thirteen times in three games, which is sure going some, when it is figured out that the four teams in the league have only scored three times as many. Jack Seymour follows Long with first three in the list of best scorers are Strathcona men, inasmuch as Jack Seymour follows Loong with seven goals in three games and McMillan is next with four counters in two games. Quinn is Lakefield's best scorer, with five goals in three games, while Giroux leads the T. A. with three tallies in two games. Pentland has been the West Ends top counter with two goals in three games. The Belmonts have scored but four goals in the three games, not quite one-third of those to Long's credit, and none of the members has scored more than one goal. Following are the figures:

	Games	Goals.	Ave.
Long, Strathconas	3	13	4 1-3
Seymour, Straths	3	7	2 1-3
McMillan, Straths	2	4	2
Quinn, Lake	3	5	1 2-3
Giroux, T. A. S.	2	3	1 1-2
Dusty, Straths	3	4	1 1-3
Simpson, Lake	3	4	1 1-3
Ray, Straths	2	2	1
Cahill, T. A. S.	2	2	1
T. Sabatino, Lake	3	3	1
Morin, Lake	3	3	1
Coughlin, T. A. S.	2	2	1
J. Quigley, Lake	2	2	1
Pentland, W. E.	3	2	2-3
Galvin, T. A. S.	3	2	2-3
M. Quigley, T. A. S.	3	2	2-3
Dobson, Straths	2	1	1-2
Smith, Straths	2	1	1-2
Short, W. E.	3	1	1-3
C. Waram, Belmonts	3	1	1-3
E. Wilson, Belmonts	3	1	1-3
Rose, W. E.	3	1	1-3

Of those who have figured in but one game the score is as follows:
Weatherstone, Straths... ... ...2 goals
Quinlan, Lake... ... ...2 goals
Taylor, Belmonts ... ...1 goal
W. Waram, Belmonts... ... ...1 goal

THE COBOURG TEAM FOR TO-MORROW'S GAME WILL BE A VERY STRONG ONE

The greatest interest has been taken in to-morrow's game with Cobourg, and there promises to be a record crowd on hand when the two teams face each other. It should be one of the best games of the season, inasmuch as the Cobourgs will be greatly strengthened and will make a big effort to carry off the victory. Peterborough must win to-morrow to keep in the running, so that they can be counted upon to put up the game of their lives. Cobourg will have Crossen, their star cover point, formerly of St. Andrew's College, and one of the best long distance shots in Canada, on their line-up, as well as Moffat, Bently, Payne and other fast hockey men who will make things interesting for the Petes to-morrow. The locals are at home on fast ice, and if the present brand of weather continues they are going to get what they want all right to-morrow night. They are in the very best of condition and should take Cobourg into camp although it is likely to be a great game. Cobourg nearly beat Lindsay in the last game played between the two, the contest going into extra time and it is stated that had not Cobourg been without the services of their star rover Bently, at the last of the game they would have won out. Peterborough cannot therefore afford to take any chances with the visitors.

NORWOOD RAN AWAY FROM KEENE

Fast Game Played in the Trent Valley League on Saturday Night.

Norwood, Feb. 1.—Keene played Norwood in the Trent Valley League Saturday night. Norwood defeated the visitors in easy fashion, scoring at pleasure. The score was 11 to 4 in favour of Norwood, but the score was no indication of the play, as Norwood was by far the superior team. A Kempt was the star for Norwood, while McCarthy did well for Keene. The line-up was as follows:

Norwood (11) — Goal, Doherty; point, Edwards; cover, Cummings; rover, L. McNichol; centre, F Kempt; right wing, H McNichol; left wing, A Kempt.

Keene (4)—Goal Dean; point, Dixon; cover, H Dinsdale; rover, McCarthy; centre, Weir; right wing, Webb; left wing, L Dinsdale.

R Pearce, the official referee of the league, kept the game well in hand, the teams being inclined to rough it.

HOCKEY

The Peterborough Intermediate O. H. A. team will practise to-night at the Brock street rink between 7 and 8 p.m. A full turn-out is expected in view of to-morrow night's big game with Cobourg.

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The G. A. C. club challenge the Fresh Air Club, Cressman's, Novelty or the Belmonts to a game of hockey, to be played at Brock street rink, as soon as the ice can be secured.

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The Senior Church League game to-morrow night at Park street rink, between Park Street and Knox Church, promises to be one of the best seen in the league race to date. The game will be pulled off between seven and eight o'clock and both teams are confident of victory. Knox Church won the last game by 1 goal to 0.

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The fans will have lots of hockey this week, with two O. H. A. games with Lindsay and Cobourg here, and with the City League final between the Strathconas and Lakefield on Thursday night. There promises to be a record City League crowd present at this last game, which should be one of the best battles ever seen in the league. Neither team has lost a game this season and there will be loads of excitement when the two hook up. Lakefield have scores of supporters in the city and a big proportion of the fans are pulling for them to win. They are certain to put up the hardest kind of a battle against the High Commissioners, and it will be a battle royal. The Straths have won the cup for the past two years and with another year's victory almost in their grasp they may be counted upon to play for every ounce that is in them. The game between the two, which is scheduled as the last game of the evening on Thursday night, will be changed to the first game.

CRICKET

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Cricket Club will be held at the Y.M.C.A. Parlours on Wednesday, Feb. 3, at 8 p.m. All interested in cricket are requested to be present.

BOWLING

The Joy Club wish to challenge the Happy Thought champions of the Y. M. C. A. Bowling League to a series of games for the city championship. Three games to be rolled on the Y. M. C. A. alleys and three on the Peterborough Bowling Club's alleys; games to count in deciding the result, and the match to be played next week if possible.

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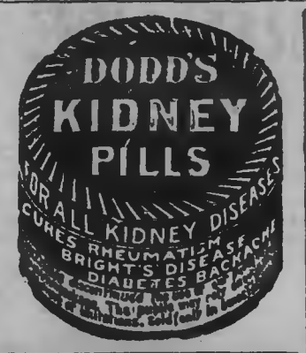

Jap Student Driven From Campus.

Berkeley, Cal., Feb. 1.—Kenji Kaneko, a Japanese student of the University of California, and a graduate of the Imperial University of Tokio, was set upon on the college campus by a crowd of white students, knocked to the ground and driven from the campus with students in chase. He managed to reach his home safely and is being protected by the police. Kenji Kaneko declared that the Japanese colony here would avenge the attack upon him.

The matter will be taken before the Japanese consul-general at San Francisco. It is asserted that the assault was unprovoked; that Kenji Kaneko was attacked while walking quietly by a group of students.

Laird-Scott Libel Case.

Regina, Sask., Feb. 1.—Saturday morning's session of the Laird-Scott libel case was chiefly occupied with cross-examination of Contractor Frye, who testified that he had paid $1,000 to Mayor Laird for influence as to a contract.

The defence produced several witnesses who swore Frye had said in their hearing that he could make more out of exposing Laird than he could make as a contractor in a year.

Dobson, Frye's partner, swore he had given Laird $500 for the provincial rights' party campaign fund.

The court was again crowded.

Would Wed Her Uncle.

Windsor, Feb. 1.—Charged with unlawfully detaining Lorraine Ulch, his 17-year-old niece, Forrest Ulch, residing in Sandwich East, was arrested yesterday and locked up. The girl's parents say that Ulch induced the girl to leave her home and go to him. Miss Ulch openly avows her affection for her uncle and declares that she would marry him were it possible. "Uncle" Ulch, as she calls him, is 42 years old.

Loses Both Feet.

Woodstock, Feb. 1.—John Slater, a man with no fixed place of abode, but who is well known in this county, had both of his feet amputated at the hospital yesterday.

Slater was found in a stable at Embro some few weeks ago. His feet had been frozen through exposure.

Level Crossing Tragedy.

Rochester, N.Y., Feb. 1.—Jacob Greenagle and his two sons were struck by the Chicago Limited on the New York Central Railway near Lyons Saturday night. One son, George, 7 years of age, was instantly killed and the sleigh demolished. Greenagle and the other child was badly injured.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS

ANY PERSON who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. The applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any agency, on certain conditions, by father, mother, son, daughter, brother, or sister of intending homesteader.

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For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	5.26 a m
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Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Cobourg Montreal and East	5:00 p.m	11:55 a.m 9:05 p.m
Toronto, Lindsay, Stouffville, Uxbridge and Markham	11:00 a.m. 9:00 p.m. 10:10 p.m.	7:10 a.m 3.30 p.m
Lindsay Local	9:55 a.m.	9:10 p.m.
Hastings, Campbellford, Madoc, Belleville, Kingston, Montreal and East	9:10 a.m. 5:55 p.m.	9:00 a.m 1:50 p.m
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Board of Education

—There will be a regular meeting of the Board of Education tomorrow (Tuesday) night, at the secretary's office, 437 George street.

Street Railway Extension.

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Literary Meeting

—The regular meeting of The Ladies' Literary Society of St. Peter's T. A. S. will be held on Friday evening when a paper will be read by Miss V. Donoghue. 3dain22

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Annual Tea

—The annual tea and social of the Gospel Hall Sunday School will be held on Friday next. Tea will be served from 5 to 7 o'clock. Any children who have attended during the year are invited to be present. There is no admission fee.

Will Occupy New Store

—Jordan Bros. beg to announce that they will occupy their new store, 428 George Street, (MacGregor & Reid's old stand,) on Monday, Feb. 1st., and will be very pleased to see all their old friends at their new premises. 3d-23

Dividing the Big Store

—Workmen started this morning to convert the big double store of Merrell & Meredith into two stores. The north half is to be fitted up for the new firm of King Company, and the south half is retained by Merrell & Meredith.

Dr. Neil has improved his handsome residence at the corner of Charlotte and Rubidge streets by the addition of a commodious office. Dr. Caswell, who has been relieving Dr. Neil during the latter's absence, will continue to do so for the present.

"THE EDUCATIONAL IDEAL OF THE MINISTRY" WAS DISCUSSED

The regular monthly meeting of the Ministerial Association was held on Monday evening in the Y. M. C. A. parlours, with a very large representation of the ministers of the city present. Rev. H. J. Keith, president of the association, occupied the chair.

The feature of the meeting was a review of the book, "The Educational Ideal of the Ministry," by Dr. W. H. P. Faunce, president of Brown University, which came from the press of McMillan only three months ago, and which is already in its second edition. Rev. Mr. Webb's remarks were most interesting and were followed with close attention by the ministers present, all of whom took part in the discussion which followed.

The society decided to recognize and help the work of the Children's Aid Society by passing a grant from the funds of the association of $15 towards the society.

USEFUL INVENTION OF FORMER PETERBORO' BOY

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Peterborough boys generally come to the top when they go abroad, and generally manage to get into positions of responsibility which they fill with credit. The latest example of success is Mr. C C H De Laney, of New York, and a former Peterborough boy. He is a son of the late Hon. J A DeLaney, of North Dakota, head of the firm of DeLaney & Sons, who manufactured agricultural implements—1874 to 1879—in Peterborough. Mr. C C H De Laney, who was educated at the South Ward (now South Central) School, is a prominent law stenographer of New York, and is making a great hit with his own invention, a new process typewriter matrix paper. That is the letters of the typewriter impressed upon the paper so as to form a matrix from which a casting can be made providing a plate from which an indefinite number of copies can be printed. His invention has a good deal wider application and it is a pleasure to know that an old Peterborough boy has invented a process that seems certain to achieve a world-wide success.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Mr John P Leahy, of Douro, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Kennedy, East City.

Mrs. Pearce, 387 Walton street, has left on a visit to Toronto, and will not receive until the fourth Tuesday in February.

Mr. Geo. Lynch, of Peterborough, the well known City Hockey League official is refereeing the Trent Valley League game in Havelock to-night between the home team and Marmora.

Miss Bessie Pearce entertained a number of her friends on Saturday evening in honour of her cousin, Miss Minnie Pearce, of Peterborough.—Marmora Herald.

Owing to the illness of Mr. Haskill, the conductor of the Toronto flyer, Mr. Jobbitt, of the Lakefield train, had to take his place and a man was sent from Lindsay to take charge of the Lakefield train.

Mr and Mrs. J Bibby and children, of Gravenhurst; Mr and Mrs. Sam Bibby, of Campbellford, and Mr. W. Bibby, of Allendale, spent several days the guests of Mr. and Mrs. N Bibby, Romaine street last week, departing on Saturday morning.

SNOW PLOUGH HAS NOT BEEN SEEN

C. P. R. Line Through Here Has Not Found Trouble From Snow.

A noticeable difference between last winter and that which is now passing over us is found on the C. P. R. line through Peterborough. It has been learned that the snow plow has not yet been over this division, whereas last year it had made many trips. The snow problem this year has not caused the C. P. R. much trouble, although the weatherman may yet be heard from before the season is past.

THE ST. PETER'S T. A. S. AT HOME TUESDAY NIGHT

Many Will Attend This Event Which Should Prove Very Successful.

A delightful evening has been prepared for to-morrow night's "At Home," at St. Peter's T. A. S. The committee who have been looking after the arrangements, promise an exceptionally fine luncheon and the provision for the rest of the entertainment has been quite as complete.

THE WEATHER.

The thermometer took another drop on Saturday night and reached two degrees below zero. On Sunday the mercury remained about zero all day and a raw, biting wind from the north-west did not help matters any. This morning showed another slump in the mercury, the official registration being 12 below. No lower mark was reached during the night.

THIS TRAIN AT LAST ARRIVES ON TIME

Another very unusual and unexpected event took place one evening during the week which caused much discussion and difference of opinion as to its cause. The event referred to was simply the arrival of the train on time. Yes! it is a fact worthy of note, the Haliburton train did arrive at the proper time, 4.16 p.m., once during the month of January 1909. However I have not heard of any complaint being sent to the head office in consequence, therefore a similar mistake — if mistake it was — may not occur again during the year.

—Minden Echo.

OBITUARY

MRS. MICHAEL CADIGAN.

The second daughter within two weeks, of Mr. John Cronin, passed away in the person of Nellie Cadigan, wife of Michael Cadigan, Concession street, Ashburnham. Mrs. Cadigan was a native of Peterborough and was 40 years of age. She will be greatly missed as she has a very very large circle of friends. Besides her sorrowing husband, two children and one brother and two sisters are left to mourn her loss. The funeral will be held Tuesday morning at nine o'clock, and mass will be celebrated in St. Peter's Cathedral. The body will afterward be conveyed to St. Peter's Cemetery for interment.

MR JOHN FARRELL

Mrs. N. Bibby, Romaine street, left on Saturday for Stirling, where her father Mr. John Farrell, passed away on Friday night after a year's decline resulting from a paralytic stroke. The other surviving children are Angus, Theresa, Edmund and Leo, of Stirling, and Lizzie of Peterborough. Mrs. Bibby and Miss Lizzie Farrell went down on Saturday and remained over to-day, the funeral taking place this morning.

MRS. ISAAC DORMER

Word has been received in the city of the death of Mrs. Isaac Dormer, at Ailsa Craig, Western Ontario on Sunday night. The deceased formerly resided in Peterborough and was highly respected by a large number of friends. The surviving members of the family are her husband and the following children, Lorne of Rapid City, Man., Miss Maud, Miss Minnie, Mrs. Sam. Mitchell and Robert of Berlin. The remains will be brought to Peterborough for interment on Wednesday.

CHURCH SERVICES

St. John's

Monday, 4.15 — Boys' Choir Practice.

Tuesday afternoon, 4 to 6 o'clock — A Japanese Tea Party in the School Room given by the Women's Auxiliary to obtain funds for material. The ladies of the congregation are invited to turn out in large numbers.

Thursday evening at 7.30 — Rev. Canon Davidson's third instruction to confirmation candidates.

Monday at 7.30 p.m. — Girls' Auxiliary.

Wednesday, 3.30 to 4.30 — Devotional and Social Hour led by Mrs. aPlmar.

Wednesday at 8 p.m. — Regular service in the Guild Room.

Friday at 4.15 — Mission Band. In the evening Choir Practice.

Saturday at 9 a.m. — Boys' Training Class.

Menelik Is Not Dead.

Addiz Abeba, Abyssinia, Feb. 1.—The reports recently circulated in Europe and America that King Menelik was desperately ill, and even that he had died, were wildly exaggerated. The King is a chronic invalid, but there is nothing in his condition today to cause immediate alarm.

Author of "Elsie" Books.

Elkton, Md., Feb. 1.—After several weeks' illness, Miss Martha Finley, the author, died yesterday at her home in Elkton, aged 82 years.

Miss Finley was born at Chillicothe, Ohio, April 26, 1828. Her best known works were the "Elsie" books.

Great Northern's Assistant.

St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 1.—It is announced at the Great Northern Railway that L. C. Gilman, formerly attorney for the Great Northern Railroad at Seattle, had been appointed assistant to President Lewis Hill of that road.

"Colonist" Regrets.

Vancouver, B.C., Feb. 1.—The Colonist newspaper Saturday contained an apology for the publication of the false Borden telegram, explaining that the wire was taken off the telegraph editor's desk and never returned.

CLAN ALPINE CAMP WILL MEET TUESDAY EVENING

Clan Alpine Camp, S. O. S. will hold their regular monthly meeting to-night at their hall K. O. P. at eight o'clock. As there is important business to transact it is important that every member be present. The above camp cordially invites all Scotchmen to join in their ranks and help keep alive the glorious memories and traditions of the Motherland.

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Chief Howard Gets Chance To Prove Himself Worthy Of Position He Occupies

The Council Chamber Crowded by Citizens Interested in the Fire, Water and Light Committee's Report—Vote on the Question Was 7-5 in the Chief's Favour—Audience Was Disorderly.

CHIEF MUST BE GOOD.

In the words of Ald. Buller's motion Chief Howard was given another opportunity to prove himself capable of occupying the position of Chief of the Fire Department of this city. The Council Chamber on Monday night was crowded with citizens in anticipation of the discussion which was expected among the Aldermen before the report of the Fire, Water and Light Committee was dealt with. It was one of the largest representations of the citizens seen at a council meeting in many months, showing that the general public was interested in the affair.

The Report

Ald. Buller presented his report as chairman of the committee as follows:

Your Fire, Water and Light Committee beg leave to report as follows:

1. We recommend that the supplies for the Fire Department be bought, as far as possible, in the city when the prices are reasonable.

2. We authorized the Chairman to purchase fifteen tons of coal for the Fire Station.

3. Your Committee received a letter from ex-Ald. W J Johnston, making a number of charges against W A Howard, Chief of the Fire Department, which is attached to this report We investigated the charges and heard a number of witnesses, notes of whose evidences is also attached to this report.

In reference to these charges we beg to report that to Chief Howard is due the credit for organizing the permanent brigade in the face of many obstructions, but while doing so and afterwards we would judge from the evidence produced the Chief has been indiscreet and his actions have left him open to criticism to such an extent as to convince us that the best interests of the city would not be served by his remaining at the head of the fire department.

4. We recommend that the Chairman be instructed to purchase supplies for the fire department where they can be bought the cheapest.

5. We recommend that such of the firemen's coats as require it, be repaired.

6. We recommend that the Water Commissioners be requested to place a hydrant on George street near the corner of Wolfe street at a point to be located by the Chairman of this Committee and Mr. T F Matthews.

Before resuming his seat Ald. Buller read the following as a rider to section three:

Moved by Ald. Buller, seconded by Ald. Turner, that the report of the Fire, Water and Light Committee be amended by striking out the second paragraph of section three and substituting therefor the following:

"In view of Chief Howard's services in organizing the permanent brigade, and his abilities as head of the department, although he has been indiscreet and injudicious; and in view of his promise of amended conduct, he be given an opportunity to show that he will keep his promise, and that as thus amended the report be adopted.

Ald. Morgan and Duncan moved that the original report be adopted. The feeling began to run a little more spirited about this stage.

Ald. Hicks' Statement

Ald. Hicks was the first to express an opinion. He stated that it was strange that this rider should be added after the committee had drawn up their original report, the result of considerable investigation. At first he thought ex-Ald. Johnston's allegations were groundless. The evidence showed that there were several things which deserved a severe reprimand, but on Monday night (a week ago), they took a more serious turn. The particular charge took place, he said, thirty days after Chief Howard assumed control. Had he fallen after a long service he might forgive him, but in this case he had not proved his services.

"I do not believe he will make good. I stand for honest administration of the city's affairs and honesty from those at the head of the civic departments, and I will vote against the chief."

Ald Turner

"I am not here to see any one getting away with the city's funds," Ald. Buller stated, but he felt charitably inclined and wanted to see Chief Howard given another chance. If he did not prove as good as his word, he could be dismissed at a moment's notice.

Ald. Morgan

"We're not here to run a Reformatory, that's up in Toronto," began Ald. Morgan. "You threw down the best brigade in Canada to get something better, and you got it too.

"Backed by the whole council the Chief acted as if he owned the town. His men came here and swore that the Chief was a 'booser,' that he was not an honest man and could not refute some of the charges made against him." Ald Morgan brought forth stamping and loud cheers from the crowd whose sentiments were against Chief Howard.

"Here we pay $1,200.00 for a first-class man and we get a false alarm from Owen Sound." Ald. Morgan stated that he had been given credit of being out with the Chief and he acknowledged that he had done so to find out the true nature of affairs and he intimated that what he had seen was entirely convincing.

Ald Metheral could not understand how any alderman could wish to give the Chief another chance. His pudding of the pay sheet which he could not repudiate was, Ald. Metheral said, premeditated and there were men rotting in durance vile for less serious offences.

Ald Duncan agreed with Ald. Hicks. He had thought the Chief was going to "turn around and be a good boy,' but he had since the investigation seen him drinking.

Ald. Dullus stated that personally a dismissal would be ruinous as far as his future was concerned, but as a matter of business he had to vote against him.

The Mayor called for a vote which resulted as follows in favour of the amendment:

YEAS.—Ald. Phelan, Morrow, McIntyre, Buller, Turner, Gillespie, Bradburn and Buller.

NAYS.—Ald. Metheral, Morgan, Duncan, Dullus and Hicks.

The crowd throughout was inclined to boisterousness and were even disorderly; some even hissing Ald. Buller, who showed no signs of flinching in presenting and supporting the amendment.

THE TRENT CANAL NOT FORGOTTEN

Sir Wilfrid Laurier is not forgetful of his promise made in the Brock Street Rink, Peterborough, in November 1904, that his Government intended to complete the Trent Canal. Last year a million dollars was appropriated for construction work on the canal. In this year's estimates another million is included. We have a Government that takes the canal seriously. This year's estimates also include $37,000 for Peterborough Armouries.

Strong Man Sheds Tears In The Police Court Under Sting Of Magistrate's Reprimand

Stole Five Dollars From Room Mate During the Still Hours of the Night—Says His Family "Are Terribly Hard Up and the Rent is Long Overdue."

ACKNOWLEDGED THE THEFT

Under Magistrate Dumble's reprimand for stealing five dollars from a friend last night, Joseph Robertson broke down in the police court this morning and gave free rein to the tears that had been welling up as the sense of his guilt was impressed upon him. Robertson is a heavily built lumberman, but recently from the woods, and the sight of a man actually crying was something new in the annals of the hardened court.

Robertson was charged with having stolen $5.00 from John McGrath. He was asked if he wished to be tried summarily or preferred to wait until the spring assizes.

"I don't understand what you mean," he passively replied.

After further explanation he said, "I'll take my trial now."

"I'm guilty and I'll give this man back"— "Wait now," the Magistrate interjected.

"Very Hard up"

"I'm terrible hard up," the prisoner stated, "and my wife and family are hard up too, worse than I am. My home is in Warkworth."

"And did you think that your children would do well on stolen money?" the magistrate asked in a rather stern voice.

This thought had not come to him, he only knew they needed money to live. His working in the camps has been intermittent with the result that his earnings have not been large. He went on to state that he owed more than two months' rent.

"I am ashamed of a man who wanted to go home with twice as much money as he had earned, with money which belonged to another who needed it probably as badly as you did. The fact that you are behind in your rent and your family needs food does not excuse or warrant thieving."

Robertson, who certainly had no suggestion of criminal propensities in his countenance, and showed that the money had been taken under the stress of straitened circumstances broke down under the magistrate's characterization of his crime. He covered his face and turned around in the box, in an endeavour to conceal his feelings, the tears dropping on his hands, cracked and hardened by want of protection in the open woods.

He was let go on suspended sentence and departed still in tears.

McGrath explained that they had been sleeping together in an hotel in the city last night. McGrath had $5 in one pocket and saw that it was there before going to sleep. During the night he woke and heard Robertson crawling on his hands and knees on the floor at the foot of the bed. He thought McGrath was asleep and the next morning when spoken to about it denied having stolen it, but in court he no longer made a denial.

Mr. T. B. McGrath Appointed One Of Assessors For This Year

Messrs. T B McGrath and Harry Thompson were appointed assessors for 1909 at the salaries of $600.00 and $500.00, respectively. The following had applied for the position: T B McGrath, F J Jamieson, R F McGregor, John Malone, Wm. Van Every (assistant), Harry Thompson, (assistant), John Boorman, W S Strike, Edward A Armstrong, Albert Hanna, John Green and Jack Wilson.

Moved by Ald. Morgan and Bradburn that Mr. T B McGrath be appointed assessor.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Duncan and Gillespie, that Mr Thompson be also appointed.—Carried.

Moved by Ald. Duncan and Morrow, that Mr. McGrath receive $600 and Mr. Thompson $500, and that no extra be granted during the coming year.—Carried.

PORT HOPE DOCTOR WAS ACCUSED

Examiner Special.

Port Hope, Feb. 2.—Reeve Chislett in Council accused a local doctor of spreading small pox in going around town. Ald. Curtis moved that all citizens be vaccinated

COURT OF APPEAL HEARS CASE

Examiner Special.

Toronto, Feb. 2.—The Court of Appeal is to-day hearing the cases of Ogorman, Mulloy, Wiley and Reid who were with Edgar Sifton, tried before Judge Winchester for conspiracy in connection with London elections between 1898 and 1905. E. F. B. Johnston contests Judge Winchester's jurisdiction to try the case.

Band To-night at Jackson Park.

SUING FOR $10,000 FOR DEATH OF WIFE

Examiner Special.

Toronto, Feb. 2.—W. G. Sherwood, Georgiana Township farmer, is suing A. O. Hogg, of Lindsay, in jury assizes, for $10,000 for death of his wife, who was thrown from a buggy near Udora, on September 12th, 1908, when the horse was frightened by defendant's automobile.

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JURY DISAGREES IN LIBEL CASE

Examiner Special.

Regina, Feb. 2.—Jury disagreed in Laird-Scott libel case. A new trial has been ordered.

MISS HOPE MORGAN.

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PRESENTATION WAS MADE TO MRS. RANKIN

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The Dorcas Society is very pleased to report the proceeds of the "Charity Concert," held in St. Andrews schoolroom on Friday evening last, amounted to $25.35, which will help considerably in the good work it is endeavouring to carry on among the poor and needy in the city.

The ladies met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Rankin, Gilmour st., and several hours were spent in preparing garments for distribution, after which Mrs. Carter, on behalf of the members of the society presented the president, Mrs. Rankin, with a fern and jardiniere, as a token of their appreciation of her faithful work and untiring zeal, in connection with the late concert. Mrs. Rankin, to whom the affair was quite a surprise, responded in a few well chosen words, expressing her pleasure, at the same time feeling it a privilege to work in such a cause.

Tea was then served, and an enjoyable evening spent, the gathering breaking up at 10 o'clock.

MARRIAGES HAVE INCREASED SOME

The vital statistics for January have been compiled as follows:—

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1909

NATIONAL THRIFT.

The British scheme of annuities in connection with the postoffice is not successful, it is thought because there is not sufficiently publicity given lot. The Dominion Government is determined that this objection shall not be tenable as against the splendid system of old age annuities established last year. An agent of the government is going to large population centres to explain the working of the scheme. No better step could be taken to confer wide national benefits than the arousing of a national popular interest in the matter of thrift. If all the money earned by all the people which is foolishly and improvidently spent, were deposited with the government many benefits would accrue. The government would have means to make expenditures without borrowing so much money abroad; the interest would be paid to our own people—the people themselves would be the gainers and reap the advantages in their old age when earning powers should be impaired. It is the existence of habits of thrift that makes France so strong financially, that makes that country its own banker. It was the result of thrift that enabled the French nation to pay with its own money—the savings of the people—the tremendous war indemnity exacted by the victorious Germans in connection with the Franco-German War of 1870. The spirit of a popular song, banal enough in its way, if adopted by Canadians, would be a great national medium of uplift—"Every little bit added towhat you've got, makes just a little bit more."

Tupper, in his Proverbial Philosophy, describes economy as the poor man's mint.

RAILWAY ACCIDENTS AND THE LEVEL CROSSING.

The loss of life in railway accidents in Canada makes a sad total and the sadder feature is that the list of killed and injured is greater — nearly double—that of last year. The figures compiled by the Railway Commission are as follows:

	1908.	1907.
Passengers killed	64	42
Passengers injured	25	210
Employees killed	246	212
Employees injured...	866	317
Others killed.....	219	206
Others injured	177	76
Total killed...	529	460
Total injured... 1,309		603
Grand total... 1,838		1,163

The principal railways reporting accidents were G.T.R., 165; C.P.R., 283; C.N.R., 19; M.C.R., 25. It is to be remembered that most of these accidents are the results of carelessness in railway management and on the part of employees and of persons entering upon railway tracks—without seeing that such a procedure is safe. There is a great deal of feeling aroused over the danger of the level crossing. No doubt some of these are dangerous even with the greatest precaution, on the part of persons crossing them. But there is a large number of them that are as safe, with proper precautions, as a street railway track, which is as dangerous as a level railway crossing if passengers are careless or take foolish risks in passing in front of moving cars.

It is probable that steps will be taken to minimise the danger of level crossings. The Department of Railways and Canals is taking action and no doubt some effective measure of improvement will be adopted. The question is somewhat complicated in the matter of providing for the cost of precautionary measures. Some may hold that the railways should bear all the cost, but there are two sides even to this question. The railways naturally feel that the municipalities should bear part of the expense of gates or watchmen. Their contention is not perhaps unreasonable. The municipalities were anxious to have the railways constructed which have created the conditions of danger it is desired to remedy. Some municipalities have been so eager to secure railways that they have voted large sums by way of bonus. This was done because the railways were considered a benefit. If thir construction was a benefit, their maintenance and operation are necessary to make the benefit effective. So that, in one sense, both the railway companies and the public are interested. The railways naturally argue that both parties to the advantages arising from the operation of railways, should share in the cost of provisions necessary to insure safety of public travel. However, whatever diverse views may obtain upon the question of the cost of provision and the maintenance of provisions for making railway crossings safe, there is unanimity upon the question of providing measures of protection, whatever form they take, whatever means of maintenance are adopted.

Up to and including 1907 the total aid extended to Canadian railways by the Dominion and Provincial Governments and municipalities, was $181,298,412.

A LAME EXCUSE.

The Montreal Herald has the following comment on the garbled telegram sent by Mr. Borden, by virtue of which he won a majority of seats in British Columbia:

"The Victoria Colonist has published an explanation of the falsification of Mr. Borden's telegram. It may read better when the paper reaches the East, but the paragraph telegraphed is a very shamefaced production. Somebody took the telegram away just after it had been received, and did not return it. When it had to be printed, the Colonist people wrote what they wanted Mr. Borden to say, not what he did say. They were not satisfied with his phrase 'the absolute protection of white labour,' so they made it 'the protection of white labour and the absolute exclusion of Asiatics. (How, by the way, did Mr. Borden propose to secure the 'absolute protection of white labour' without 'the absolute exclusion of Asiatics.' This telegram was received on October 24. The amended version was used all over British Columbia until the close of the polls on October 26. In Victoria the falsification was accountable for the narrow victory of the Conservative candidate over Hon. Mr. Templeman.

"Sir Wilfrid Laurier has been scolded for reading the falsified telegram in the House. Probably the Victoria Colonist and the member for Victoria think Sir Wilfrid blameworthy, but the average man will put the blame on other shoulders. If Sir Wilfrid had not spoken the truth would not be known yet. Mr. Borden knew for three months of the falsification, and he said nothing."

ONTARIO WILD CATS.

An Ontario Government report shows that during 1907 no less than three hundred and twenty-one mining companies were incorporated in the province with capitals aggregating $319,876,000, and the figures for 1908 are said to be nearly as large. The report says: "A perusal of the list shows that the fever for dealing and speculating in the shares of silver mining companies, which followed upon the discoveries at Cobalt and Montreal River, was responsible for the formation of a large portion of these companies, many of which were of the veriest bubble kind." The Ontario Government has certainly done its best to prick these bubbles, but it is impossible to protect people against their own folly. Imagine what are the possibilities in the way or earning dividends on over $600,000,000 of nominal capital, the creation of only two years' incorporations. Of course, this wonderfully large amount of "capital" represents a wonderfully small amount of hard cash. In a large number of cases these companies will do no more in the way of silver mining than they will in the way of lobster fishing. The very richness of the Northern Ontario silver region makes these wild-cat schemes possible.—Financial Chronicle.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Mr. Cortelyou, Secretary of the Treasury in the Roosevelt Cabinet, estimates that the national expenditure will exceed the receipts by about one hundred and fourteen millions of dollars, and that the deficit for the coming year will be $143,046,796.

The Toronto Mail and Empire, says the Ottawa Free Press, finds ground for condemning Mr. W. L. Mackenzie King, M. P., as an "absentee member," because he is absent on Imperial public business. But it has not a word to say about the absence of its own member, Mr. E. B. Osler, from his place in Parliament. But then Mr. Mackenzie King is a Liberal and Mr. Osler is a Conservative.

The Toronto News, which is certainly not extravagant in its commendation of the Liberal Government, has the following to say of the government's old age pension scheme: "Altogether the government deserves credit for a step in the right direction, and for a serious effort to aid a large element in the community to provide for their latter days. The scheme decidedly makes for the encouragement of thrift. But its success depends upon the degree of publicity it receives."

The difficulties in the way of public ownership of interior grain elevators are said to have decided the premiers of the three prairie provinces against any present move in that direction—though no official announcement has been made since their recent conference. If the matter is placed in the hands of the Railway Commission the public will be assured of the advantages of public ownership without incurring immense financial obligations. The recent tilt of the Commission with the express companies shows that the public interests are safe in the hands of the Railway Commission.

MANY CASES HERE OF RHEUMATISM

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"SOLID AS THE CONTINENT."

For many years past the North American Life Assurance Company has held the financial reputation of being "Solid as the Continent," and the annual report published in another column, shows that the Company has fully upheld its high reputation during 1908

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Dated the 13th day of January, 1909.
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NOTICE.

The Municipal Council of the Village of Hastings will receive applications for the appointment of one person as Constable, Engineer of Fire Engine, Street Commissioner, Sanitary Inspector, Pound Keeper, Caretaker of the Town Hall and Fire Hall, the appointee to furnish wood to heat the Town Hall and Council Chamber whenever required and he to live in the basement of the Town Hall free of rent.

Applicants will state salary per year expected, give references and if possible communicate with the undersigned before Friday the 5th inst. Applications however will be received until Friday the 12th inst.

A. WILSON,
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February 1st, 1909.
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NEIGHBORS SAVED FAMILY

Alberta Woman and Lives of Four Little Children Are Preserved by Prompt Action of Friends In Quenching the Fire Laid to Destroy Their Home — Brothers Are Committed For Trial.

High River, Alta., Feb. 2.—One of the most sensational arson trials in the history of the country has been begun here by the commitment of M. Driscoll and his son, F. Driscoll, on a charge of setting fire to the barn and house of a neighbor named Demers. Settlers around saw the fire in the barn, and rushed to Demers' assistance in time only to avert a possibly horrible tragedy as the culmination of the crime. When they arrived they found the outbuildings in flames and a box full of inflammable material in the coalshed, to which a burning fuse had been attached, and which had burned down almost to the explosive point. Had it not been discovered when it was the lives of Mrs. Demers and four little children would have been menaced, if not sacrificed, as they were asleep in the house at the time. Strong circumstantial evidence connected the Driscolls with the crime, and they have just been sent for trial.

No Gas, and They Freeze.

Columbus, Ohio, Feb. 2.—With the thermometer ten degrees below zero yesterday, Lancaster, 25 miles from here, is practically without fire. The natural gas main from the West Virginia field has broken across the Ohio river and the city is without a supply. Lines of people are going to the coalyards with buckets, baskets and wheelbarrows, or anything else they can get, but the coal supply will soon be exhausted. All the factories and schools have closed.

At Upper Sandusky the natural gas has been reduced to the lowest pressure and the water pipes have frozen. Chillothe, Ohio, is also minus gas, and few houses are equipped for coal fires.

Slovenly Farmers In Saskatchewan.

Regina, Feb. 2.—The Department of Agriculture yesterday published a final report dealing with the crop of last year.

"Compared with 1907," says the report, "returns of last year are almost twice as large, both in acreage and yield," but deduces the fact that for each farmer whose crops exceeded the average yield for the province, some other farmer or farmers must have had crops of which the average yield was correspondingly less. The report says that Saskatchewan is being retarded and damaged by bad and slovenly farming.

Sudden Change.

Chatham, Feb. 2.—Visiting the police station to ask the magistrate to permit the woman with whom they were boarding to keep a maid, Thos. Fobbiston and Walter Simmons, who have been here from England three years, admitted that they had boarded at the place, which is a house of ill-repute, in the estimation of the police. They were immediately charged with being inmates, pleaded guilty and each was sentenced to six months in the Central Prison.

Fernie Sufferers Squabble.

Fernie, B.C., Feb. 2.—There are lively times in sight because of an agitation among the work people burned out in the big fire against the repaying the money that was loaned them to rebuild their homes.

At a meeting attended by practically all the sufferers by the fire, strong language was used and ex-Mayor Tuttle vigorously replied to certain attacks made on the disposition of the relief funds.

Compulsory Insurance.

Minneapolis, Feb. 2—Compulsory old age and disability insurance under state control and applying to workers in trades, crafts and professions, is advocated by Senator J. T. McGowan of Henepin County. Senator McGowan is embodying his ideas in a bill which will be introduced at the present session of the Legislature.

Steamers Ice Bound.

Halifax, N.S., Feb. 2.—Traffic between Prince Edward Island and the mainland is interrupted. The steamer Minto, which is from Georgetown, P.E.I., for Pictou, has been in the ice three miles off Pictou Light since Saturday and is landing mails and passengers over the ice.

One Resignation.

Regina, Feb. 2.—City Assessor Peter Cooper has handed in his resignation.

Cooper was the alderman whom Fry and Dobson, in King v. Scott, mentioned as having to be squared with Mayor Laing in order to get the contract raised $3,500.

Two Hundred Burned In China.

Canton, China, Feb. 2.—At least 200 lives were lost in a fire which occurred yesterday in a fleet of flower boats. The charred bodies of 170 victims have already been recovered, but many persons are still missing.

Beecham's Pills

When lack of appetite is caused by overeating, take Beecham's Pills to relieve the feeling of heaviness. When a sick stomach takes away all desire for food, use Beecham's Pills. They invariably tone the digestion and

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MONTREAL'S EARTHQUAKE.

Shocks Were Very Light But Many Say They Felt Them.

Montreal, Feb. 2.—The chief topic of discussion in Montreal yesterday was the earthquake which on Sunday night startled, those of the residents who were not in bed and asleep. The shock was a very light one, but a great many people declared that they had felt it, some even declaring that they had been awakened by it.

Westmount seemed to have been particularly shaken up by the first disturbance at 11.45 Sunday night.

There were two others at intervals of about 15 minutes, but they were very slight.

About an hour afterwards there came a third shock.

The operators in the fire alarm office in the tower of the City Hall reported that there was a shock at 1.45 a.m. yesterday, and still another at 3 a.m. is vouched for by others.

In the section about Elgin avenue, Westmount, quite a few houses were quite severely damaged, especially where the construction work had not been carried out as perfectly as it should. One roof is reported to have split.

The McGill seismograph was found not to have been working. McGill scientists are of the opinion that the present disturbances are indirectly connected with those which have occurred on the other side of the world. Mount Royal, which overlooks the city, was at one period of its existence a living volcano, but not for many years has it been active, and scientists are of the opinion that it never will be again.

WHAT THE KIDNEYS DO

What Booth's Kidney Pills are Doing for Peterborough, Ont., People.

All the blood in the body passes through the kidneys every three minutes.

The kidneys filter the blood.

They work night and day to daily remove about 500 grains of impure matter. If they fail some part of this impure matter is left in the blood, bringing on pain in the back, headache, dizziness, irregular heart, hot, dry skin, rheumatism, gravel, dropsy, deposits in the urine. Booth's Kidney Pills make the filtering right and overcome kidney trouble. Hundreds of Peterborough County residents have found this out.

Mrs. John Wallace, of No. 323 Water street, Peterborough, Ont., says: "I had suffered with many painful and annoying symptoms of kidney trouble for over two years and could find nothing that would benefit my condition. My back was weak and a dull, heavy pain settled across the small of it, extending into my sides and shoulders. I could not sleep at night as the kidney secretions were so frequent and irregular that I would have to leave my bed a number of times. I was dizzy and weak and would usually awake with a dull headache. Booth's Kidney Pills procured at McDirmid and Jury's drug store, cured me when all else failed. I am stronger and feel better generally. I can conscientiously recommend Booth's Kidney Pills, and I would not be without a box in the house."

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DYNAMITING FOR FISH.

Inspectors Have Lively Episode With Niagara Poachers.

Toronto, Feb. 2.—A brush between Government officers and fishing poachers on the Niagara river in which rifles and shot guns were brought into play, has been reported to Superintendent Tinsley of the Ontario Department of Fish and Game.

Chief Officer T. J. Briggs of Black Rock advises that on Saturday night three provincial officers while patrolling the Niagara river in a boat, located a power launch, the occupants of which, three in number, were dynamiting for fish near the Canadian side. They gave chase and being unable to overhaul the poachers' craft, opened fire with rifles. The pursued replied with shotguns and disappeared in the darkness. No one was injured.

Mr. Tinsley has issued orders for a strict patrol of the river. The "fish pirates," as they are designated, are believed to have a rendezvous on an island and this will be closely watched. It has been known that dynamiting has been going on for some time, the discharges killing the fish, which come to the surface and are gathered in easily, boxed up, and sent to Buffalo or other cities for marketing. The United States officers have given assurance of their active co-operation in an attempt to capture the predatory band.

Level Crossing Accident.

Chatham, Feb. 2.—About noon yesterday a horse attached to a dray loaded with coal was crossing the tracks at William street when the wheel of the wagon became caught in a frog. A freight was approaching and struck the wagon, completely demolishing it. The horse was carried down the track 35 feet, but did not receive even a scratch.

To Compel Use of Wireless.

Paris, Feb. 2.—The French Government is studying the entire question of wireless communication with the idea of introducing a bill to oblige French navigation companies to install wireless apparatus on all their ships above a certain tonnage.

To Close Savings Bank.

Boston, Feb. 2.—An injunction to restrain the Greenfield Savings Bank of Greenfield, Mass., from receiving or paying deposits was issued yesterday by Judge Sheldon of the Supreme Judicial Court at the request of Savings Bank Examiner Pierre Jay.

Not Guilty.

Brockville, Feb 2.—William Scott, an Ottawa man, charged with stabbing Clifford Hollingsworth in Prescott during an altercation in a barroom, was yesterday found not guilty.

Ministers Asked to Help.

Toronto, Feb. 2.—Secretary Caskey of the Laymen's Missionary Movement, yesterday began circularising all the Protestant ministers throughout the Dominion with outline programs of the great missionary congress here in April.

Each minister is also asked to furnish a list of prominent laymen who will co-operate in the movement.

Judicial Inquiry.

Galt, Feb. 2.—The Town Council last night decided on a judicial investigation of the civic scandal in which Town Foreman Davidson is accused of employing men on his own farm and having their names on the board of works pay list.

Meanwhile Davidson has entered suit against George Egerton, his accuser, for libel.

Eskimo at College.

New York, Feb. 2.—Mene Wallace, the full-blooded Eskimo boy, who was brought to the United States 12 years ago by Commander Peary, was heartily cheered yesterday by a big crowd of students on the campus of Manhattan College here, when he appeared to enter the preparatory class of the institution.

From Sectionman to President.

New York, Feb. 2.—William C. Brown, who began his railroad career forty years ago as a section hand on the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railroad at $1 a day, yesterday became president of the great system of railroads, of which the New York Central is the chief line.

Two Freeze In New York.

New York, Feb. 2.—Two deaths resulted from the cold yesterday. Jas. Kelly, aged 70, was found frozen to death at Irvington, and Malcolm Meyer, 54, a hack driver, was found dead in a stable at Rockaway Beach.

Two thousand applicants for food and coffee were lined up at the Bowery Mission during the night, which was the largest number fed at that place thus far this winter.

Employers to Blame.

Montreal, Feb. 2.—The royal commission appointed by the Provincial Government to investigate the question of compensation to workmen injured in the course of their employment, places the responsibility for all kinds of accidents upon employers without regard to contributory negligence on the part of the workmen unless an injury has been due to wilful acts of his own.

Woman Stole From the Dead.

Ottawa, Feb. 2.—For what the magistrate characterized as a ghoulish act, Adeline Boivin, a middle-aged woman, was sentenced to four months in jail.

The evidence showed that she had stolen the rings off the fingers of the deceased wife of Nicholas Norman, and also some jewelry to the value of $20, from under the dead woman's pillow.

Exciting Times In China.

London, Feb. 2.—A special despatch to The Times from Pekin declares that since the death of the Dowager Empress, it has become increasingly evident that the Government is in the hands of the Regent and the Manchus, and that the palace is becoming a hotbed of party faction.

This, the despatch says, is reflected in wholesale impeachment by censors.

Socialists and Police Clash.

Hanover, Germany, Feb. 2.—Socialist demonstrations here in protest against the Prussian election laws resulted in a collision between the Socialists and the police. The police used their side arms against the demonstrators and in the fighting between twenty and thirty persons were injured.

To Light a Channel.

Brockville, Feb. 2.—Motor and steamboat owners are circulating a petition asking the Dominion Government to place more lights in the Canadian channel of the river between here and Gananoque, in order to make it navigable after dark.

Eighty Cent Gas Assured.

Washington, D.C., Feb 2.—The Supreme Court of the United States yesterday denied the application of the Consolidated Gas Co. of New York for a re-hearing. The case involved the validity of the 80-cent gas law.

Mexico's City Hall Destroyed.

Mexico City, Feb. 2.—Fire destroyed the City Hall, the Hotel Paaje, and two blocks of business houses and dwellings on Sunday. Loss $500,000.

Palpitation of the Heart.

One of the first danger signals that announce something wrong with the heart is the irregular beat or violent throb. Often there is only a fluttering sensation, or an "all gone" sinking feeling; or again, there may be a most violent beating, with flushings of the skin and visable pulsations of the arteries. The person may experience a smothering sensation, gasp for breath and feel as though about to die. In such cases the action of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills in quieting the heart, restoring its normal beat and imparting tone to the nerve centres, is, beyond all question, marvellous. They give such prompt relief that no one need suffer.

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NORTH AMERICAN LIFE

ANNUAL MEETING

REPORT FOR THE YEAR 1908

The Twenty-eighth Annual Meeting of the North American Life Assurance Company was held at its Home Office in Toronto, on Thursday, Jan 28th, 1909, when the following report of the business of the Company for the year ended Dec 31st, 1908, was presented:—

Cash Income

The cash income for the year from premiums, interest, etc., was $1,897,078 28, showing the satisfactory increase of $81,950 59.

Reduction in Expense Ratio

The business has been conducted on a conservative basis, as is shown by a further reduction in the ratio of expenses to premium income, thereby placing the North American Life in the front rank of economically managed Canadian companies.

Payments to Policy-holders

The amount paid on policy-holders' account was $654,991 05 and of this sum $369,831 76 represents payments for Dividends, Matured Endowments and Investment Policies.

Assets

The Assets increased during the year by the sum of $854,762 01, and now amount to $3,590,638 09. The Assets continue to be as heretofore invested in the best class of securities available. A detailed list of these will be published with the Annual Report for distribution.

Net Surplus

After making ample provision for all liabilities and paying the sum of $124,771 26 for dividends to policyholders, the net surplus was increased to $876,214 15.

Insurance

The policies issued during the year together with those revived amounted to the sum of $4,465,224 00 making the total insurance in force $40,341,091 00.

Audit

A monthly examination of the books of the Company was made by the Auditors, and at the close of the year they made a thorough scrutiny of all the securities held by the Company. A committee of the Board, consisting of two Directors, made an independent audit of the securities each quarter.

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The Annual Report, containing a detailed list of the securities, will be sent in due course to each policyholder.

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City Fathers As Busy As Bees At Their Regular Meeting

Appoint City Trust Commissioners and Assessors---Receive Deputations, Listen to Petitions and Deal With Applications---By-laws Passed in Regular Way---Mayor Rush Keeps the Civic Ship Before Business Winds With Good Results.

The regular monthly meeting of the City Council took place on Monday evening.

There were present all the aldermen, Mayor Rush presiding.

The meetings of the previous meeting were confirmed.

The following communications were read and were referred to their respective committees.

From Ed. Armstrong, asking for position of assessor.

From W. J. Stacey, reminding the council that the municipal grant of $25 to the Peterborough Teachers' Institute is due.—Finance.

From twenty-five ratepayers residing in a section of the city on the east side of the river and north of Smith street, petitioning for adequate fire protection.—Fire, Water and Light.

From W. S. Strike, John Booman and Harry Thompson, applying for the position of assessor.

From Dumble & Johnson, representing Wm. Stock & Son, claiming damages against the city for $100. by reason of a delivery waggon being broken and horse injured owing to malformation of the road on Concession street.—Legal Committee.

From John Corkery, representing the Separate School Board, stating that the sum to be collected for for Separate School purposes was $9,333.—Finance.

From twenty carters of the city, asking that the present prices in their business be increased, first because they have always been too small to make a living, and secondly that prices of hay, grain, etc., have considerably increased.—Received.

From the officers in charge of the Salvation Army Band, asking for grant of $200.—Finance.

From John Holland, stating that he had been taxed for property on Inverlea street during the past three years, and asking that the taxes on that land be refunded to him and this year's assessment be corrected.—Legal Committee.

From R. F. McGregor, John Malone, Wm. VanEvery, applying for positions as assessors.

From residents on south side of Rink street, west of George street, petitioning for a water main from Aylmer street, a distance of 400 feet, their wells having gone dry.—Fire, Water and Light.

From S. R. Armstrong, secretary Charity Board, stating that owing to advanced prices, etc., they could not meet the demands with the grant they have received. They asked for $2,000 and the repayment of $400 and a balance of an advance to purchase wood.

From Albert Hanna, applying for position as assessor.

From R. F. McWilliams, counsel for P. C. Adams, asking council to reconsider matter of paying him $20 as directed by the police magistrate for the apprehension of a horse thief.—Police Commissioner.

From R. F. McWilliams, representing Mr. A. Kennedy, asking for some compensation for the serious injury and long illness resulting from accident which he suffered by a fall at the corner of Chambers and Hunter streets. The sidewalk, Mr. Kennedy states, was in a dangerous condition.—Legal.

Charity Board

At the meeting of the Committee of the Whole Council Mr. F. W. Miller, relief officer, was present in behalf of the petition of the Charity Board. He stated that he had been asked by the Charity Board to present to the council a few reasons why the grant the board received should be increased. The population of Peterborough had advanced very considerably, as well as the prices of general articles. Wood could be bought several years ago for $3.20, whereas $5.30 was paid this year. Moreover the hospitals did not now receive patients with contagious diseases, and in the case of those persons who were unable to pay their own way the Charity Board had to assist them, and not a few of these cases have been experienced.

There were also persons in the House of Providence and Protestant Home, whose maintenance had to be paid by the Board. Mr. Miller stated the former institution had quite a number who could not pay their own expenses, and Rev. Father McColl had stated that he intended to come before the council and ask that the city provide for them as they were all from Peterborough.

Mr. Miller read the following statement, showing the amounts the Board had received in the past:

	Population	Amount
1894		$ 2,187 56
1895		1,988 84
1896		2,037 62
1897	10,951	1,269 04
1898	10,854	1,449 05
1899	10,554	1,346 48
1900	10,879	1,504 52
1901	10,985	1,403 20
1902	11,067	1,342 63
1903	11,548	1,300 112
1904	14,175	1,523 58
1905	14,391	1,542 13 1-2
1906	14,962	1,778 36 1-4
1907	16,000	1,877 99 1-4
1908	16,491	2,471 04 1-2

The Board was organized in 1897 on the second of February, exactly twelve years ago.

It was moved by Ald. Morgan and Metherel that the council assume the $400 which had been expended over last year's allowance.—Carried.

Mr. Kendry's Request

Mr. James Kendry, with a number of ratepayers from Auburn, spoke in connection with their application for fire protection in this part of the city.

Mr. Kendry stated that there were many homes in that section of the city and no adequate fire protection had been provided for them. There was no water then and the same lack of protection was felt at the mill and altogether the feeling was that the residents and property owners should receive some consideration from the council.

Another speaker stated that a recent fire had impressed upon him the immediate need of protection. Burning shingles had fallen on the surrounding roofs and only the layer of snow saved them.

Ald. Turner, Phelan and Duncan and the Mayor spoke in regard to the matter which will likely be dealt with this summer. The Fire, Water and Light Committee were asked to deal with the question.

Will Reconsider it

Mr. William Logan's petition for $60 in settlement for the loss he sustained by entrance to his shop at the corner of Aylmer and Brock streets being cut off by the building of the bridge over the creek last summer will be reconsidered by the Board of Works.

Mr. Logan was given an opportunity to speak and stated that he thought it was not fair on the part for the council to cut his request for $60 down to $30. He had kept it in repair for the last 8 years, he stated, and $60 was little enough. The matter was referred back to the Board of Works.

Statement of Roll

The statement of the roll ending 31 Jan., 1909, was presented by Mr. Green, tax collector, as follows:

To total amount on roll...$159,356.66
By total amount deposited. 147,089.06

Balance	$ 12,267.60
Less 20 per cent discount on first payment	$ 2,290.45
Balance	$ 9,977.15

Total amount collected and deposited during January, $1,825.73.

By-laws Passed

The following bylaws received their several readings and were passed:

By-Law No. 1,432, to authorize the execution of an agreement in respect to the filling in of a part of the River Otonabee.

By-Law No. 1,433—a by-law in respect to the agreement of the delivery of Portland cement for the year 1909.

By-Law No. 1,434, to authorize the appointment of assessors for the year 1909.

By-Law No. 1,435, to authorize the execution of a conveyance of a part of Murray street.

By-Law No. 1,436, to authorize the appointment of a city trust.

Moved by Ald. Gillespie and Turner that the City Clerk thank the Ministerial Association for their invitation to attend church and especially to Rev. E. A. Pearson for his address and the choir of the George Street Church for their music on the occasion of the annual municipal sermon.

The City's Trust Commissioners were appointed at the meeting of the Committee of the Whole Council. The election resulted as follows:

Mr. Jas. Stevenson for five years.
Mr. W. H. Moore for four years.
Mr. Rich. Hall for three years.
Mr. T. E. Bradburn, M.P.P., for two years.
Mr. Robt. Neill for one year.

Three men were nominated for one year, Messrs. E. F. Mason, Robt. Neill and Wm. Langfoerd. The vote resulted in a tie for the first two mentioned. Mayor Rush's vote nominated Mr. eNill.

Finance Committee

The report of the Finance Committee was presented by Ald. Morrow and carried as follows:

That a bond of the Peterborough Hardware Company with one surety, approved of by the committee be accepted, instead of the cheque the company deposited with their tender for supplying the city with cement this year.

That a grant of $15 be made to the Hospital for Sick Children at Toronto.

That the demand of the Board of Education for this year be paid in monthly instalments, as requested by the Board.

That no action be taken on the application of the chief constable that the council pay for an extension telephone in his residence.

That one copy of the Municipal World be ordered.

That no action be taken on the application of Messrs. Smyth and Pappas for a reduction of the license fee for billiard tables.

That the Bell Telephone Company be instructed to place a telephone in the City Clerk's residence.

That the account of Dr. T. N. Greer for $10, for services rendered to W. Taylor be not paid.

That the amount of $10, the fees of Dr. E. A. Hammond and Dr. T. W. H. Young, for the examination of W. H. Moore for insanity, be collected from the city of Ottawa, as the police magistrate's order is that the accounts are payable by this city but collected from the city of Ottawa.

That the following accounts be paid:

Kingan Hardware Co	$ 34 84
James Murty	17 45
Wm. Hetherington	1 35
John Fowler	3 25
C. P. R. Telegraph Co	25
Drummond & Duffus	40 85
J. and W. Metheral	13 75
Walter Stocker	16 50
William Leeb & Sons	13 00
G. N. W. Telegraph Co	50
Jos. Batten	25 30
Robert Wilson	5 10
B. C. Yelland	2 70
Chamberlen Estate	75 00
St. John's Industrial School	10 25
Benj. Shortly	35 45
Wm. Taylor & Co	36 75
W. J. Wolstenholme	3 50
A. Allison	25
Bell Telephone Co	105 18
T. E. Bradburn	42 00
John Crane	90 00
J. J. Cocks	25
W. H. Eastman	1 10
J. E. A. Fitzgerald	3 25
Grand Trunk Railway System	49 03
The Garden Printery	2 50
E. A. Hammond, M.D., C.H.	5 00
Hutchinson-Sturgeon Co	13 50
W. P. Hetherington	1 75
Jordan Bros	10 00
Jas. Reid	2 20
C. B. Routley	6 50
John Meharry	1 50
Wm. Logan	36 95
McColl Bros. & Co	5 03
Northern Electric and Manufacturing Co	76 68
The Peterborough Examiner	254 05
Dr. A. W. McPherson	5 00
Merrell & Meredith	42 00
T. W. H. Young	5 00
Peterborough Water Commission	3 07
The Peterborough Review	169 66
W. D. Scott	5 00
Times Printing Co	150 71
Victoria Industrial School	49 29
Alexandra Industrial School	16 25
Banks Bicycle and Sporting Goods Co	16 10
J. T. Braund	25
A. W. Cressman	3 44
F. C. Dubitt	1 05
Fitzgerald & Co	263 25
J. P. Frame	1 00
Grand Trunk Railway System	35 80
R. Hicks & Co	15 75
W. H. Hamilton	5 55
John Halpin	7 90
Peter Hamilton Co	120 00
King Edward Sanatorium	25 29
F. L. Robinson	2 50
James T. Stenson	6 00
Peterborough Hardware Co	55 05
The Municipal World	5 00
McGregor & Reid	140 78
The Peterborough Machine Co	29 70
Peterborough Light & Power Co	42 19

All of which is respectfully submitted.

MR. CUMBERLAND TO GIVE LECTURE

The Peterborough Historical Society has another treat in store for its members and for the public generally. On Thursday evening, Feb. 11th, Mr. Barlow Cumberland will deliver an address on "The Attack on Fort York, April 27th, 1813." Mr. Cumberland, who is President of the Ontario Historical Society, has been very active in the agitation for the Restoration of the Old Fort, Toronto, and, of course, equally active in opposing all attempts to detract from its historic value. He has delivered this address at many meetings in Ontario and Quebec, and it has always been much appreciated.

Regarding the attack on Fort York Clements' History says: "American historians gravely assert that the American troops and hung up over the Speaker's Chair in the Legislative Assembly Chamber, a human scalp which has incensed them that they proceeded to burn a number of public buildings."

Many intensely interesting details, never printed in school histories, are brought out in an address such as Mr. Cumberland will deliver. The Historical Society hopes that the public will take advantage of this opportunity of hearing real history. The meeting will be held in the Collegiate Institute.

WILL STUDY THE IDYLLS OF THE KING

About sixty-five young people of the All Saints' congregation attended the first literary meeting last night, and a very enjoyable time was spent. Tennyson's "Idylls of the King" will be taken up by the young people. Last night Rev. Mr. Trumpour read one of the "Idylls" with a running explanation and there was a musical programme followed by refreshments.

ANNUAL MEETING OF LOCK COMPANY

Statement Presented on Monday Was Very Satisfactory—The Directors.

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Lock Manufacturing Company was held at the Company's offices on Monday afternoon.

The annual statement of assets and liabilities, and profit and loss was submitted and approved. Hon. Senator Cox was re-elected Honorary President, Hon. J. R. Stratton was re-elected President, Mr. W. G. Morrow, Vice-President, and Messrs. Thos. Fortye, Wm. Irwin, and A. L. Davis were re-elected Directors. Notwithstanding the extreme depression in the building trade last year, the report was a most satisfactory one.

Band To-night at Jackson Park

CITY FATHERS HAVE BANQUET

After the storm comes a calm, and under the brighter rays of the sun that flaunts its splendour at the fleeting clouds, it is time to enjoy the brightness and warmth.

After the apparent civic storm last night, the thunder ceased, the clouds parted, and the City Fathers went forth to a picnic at Hoopers, being the guests of Mayor Rush. The affair was thoroughly enjoyed. City Clerk Armstrong, City Treasurer Adams, Mr. Rupert Bradburn and members of the press gathered around the festive board for a pleasant hour. United for the city's good but standing by their own opinions, the aldermen left the atmosphere of the Council behind them and very friendly spirit prevailed. A short toast list was honoured, the Mayor receiving the compliments and thanks of every one present.

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KATHRYN OSTERMAN

Coming in "The Night of the Play" — Grand Opera House, Feb. 6.

"The Night of the Play" in which jolly Kathryn Osterman will be seen, is one of the big laughs of the season. The audience begin to smile as soon as the curtain is up on the first act and as the action advances swiftly the smiles expand into laughs, then laughs grow into roars and the roars finally mount to screams. The play is a rollicking comedy with a wealth of bright sayings and comical situations that constantly tickle the risibilities.

The comedy is one of Augustin Daly's clever adaptations from the German, the original having been a play by Rosen. To Mr. Daly's spark-

Don't Miss KATHRYN OSTERMAN in "The Night of The Play," next Saturday, February 6th. Special Ladies' and Children's Matinee at 2.20. Plan opens Thursday morning.

ling lines has been added up-to-date dialogue and the result is a smart entertainment that is right up to the minute. The play tells of a young wife who writes a play in collaboration with an author whom she has never seen. She is obliged to keep her work secret from her husband because of his prejudice against the theatre and the secrecy leads to many amusing complications, including the husband's pursuit of the "other man."

Kathryn Osterman as Nancy Brasher has a part that fits her admirably. She plays it in a semi-serious, semi-farcical way that makes every line count. She travels a lively pace in the comedy, but carries the audience right along with her. Indeed the pace of the whole play is a rattling gallop and there are no dull moments.

Miss Osterman has the support of a clever company, all the parts being played acceptably.

The gowns of Miss Osterman are a feature of the performance, one, a directoire model worn in the last act, being particularly dazzling.

MISPLACED POLITENESS BRINGS EMBARRASSMENT

Last night at the performance of "The Private Secretary," two gentlemen occupied seats behind a young lady. At the end of the play when everybody was donning wraps or rubbers, one of the gentlemen, after he had got on his own rubbers, saw an extra one under the seat of the young lady in front of him. Perhaps afflicted by the distraught "the absent minded spirit of" the Spalding," the gentleman, with the politeness that is interwoven in his character, lifted the rubber and holding it in front of the young lady gallantly inquired if it were hers. The situation may be imagined when it is known that the golosh which was of pontoon variety —No. 9—belonged to his friend. If looks and indignant repudiation could kill, the fiery flash of the outraged damsel's eyes would have collapsed the undiplomatic gentleman into a corpse, on the spot. He had the good sense not to apologize and afterwards consoled himself that the size of the lady's shoe had innocently led him into the mistake of associating the young lady's feet with a No. 9 "golosh."

Note.—In justice I must be said that the gentleman had not gone out between the acts.

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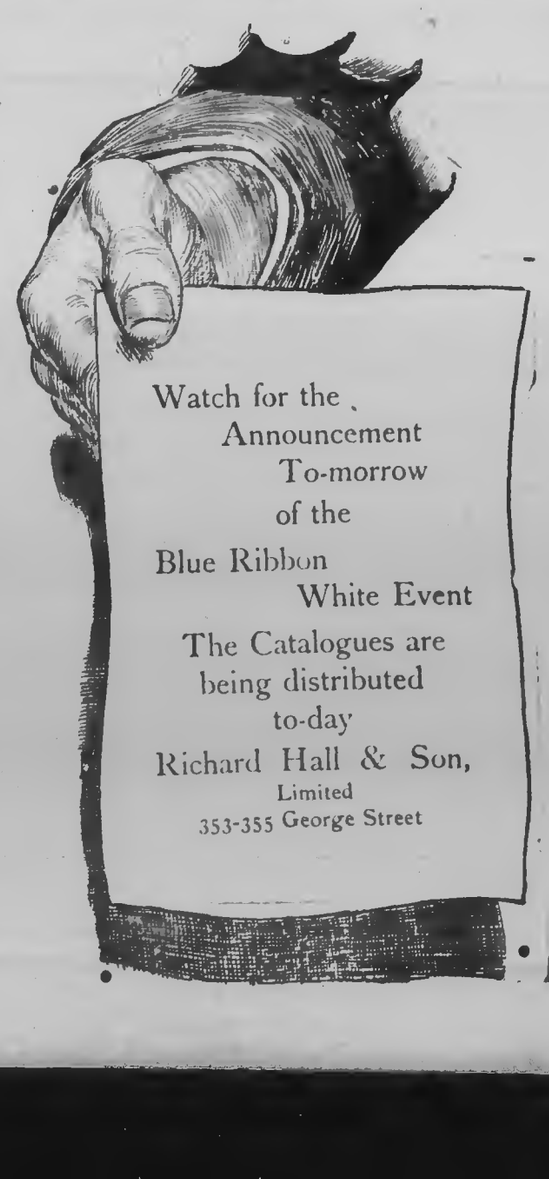

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Interesting Information In Regard To Water Works New Dam

Mr. Matthews Presents to Council Details Received From Mr. Kennedy in Regard to the Construction of the Proposed New Dam—Pointed Information.

THE ESTIMATED COST.

Considerable information is contained in the report from Mr. Wm. Kennedy, of Montreal, to the Water Commissioners regarding the proposed new dam. The report was presented at the meeting of the council on Monday night and should prove to be of interest to all those who follow civic undertakings. The first letter is as follows—

T. F. Matthews, Esq.,
Chairman Board of Water Commissioners, Peterborough, Ont.

Sir,—I am sending you to-day by Dominion Express, three blue prints in duplicate, preliminary designs and plans for the proposed new dam, the pump house and pumping plant for your town.

The dam as will be seen by reference to the plans is intended to be constructed of concrete piers, built on a solid concrete base or low dam, the latter founded on rock bottom, with sluices between the piers of sufficient capacity to discharge the entire river flow at high water periods without causing flooding or unduly high back water in the pond; the sluices to be closed, or partly closed, by stop logs as may be required, to control the river discharge; thus making available the entire low water river flow for power purposes. The stop logs will be handled by power winches, probably electrically worked.

Details of Construction

There will be a log slide in the dam; and the dam throughout its entire length will be covered by a steel re-inforced concrete floor or bridge.

The pump house, situated at the westerly end of the dam, will have concrete foundations, penstocks and forebays, all founded on rock bottom wheel pits and tail races.

The superstructure will be of brick, with iron window sashes, steel concrete floors in the pipe vault and machinery room, thus being of the most durable construction and absolutely fire proof.

The pumping plant will consist of one new unit of three million imperial gallons capacity per 24 hours, when pumping against 115 lbs. pressure in the air vessel, for fire purposes, also the two 2 1-4 million gallons each pumping unit in the present pump house. The new unit will be first installed and set to work, after which the old units will be removed, if necessary and removed to the new pumping station, thus providing an uninterrupted water supply to the town. The pumping capacity will then be 7 1-2 million gallons per day with provision in the pump house for an additional unit of 3 millions, thus ultimately providing for 10 1-2 million imperial gallons per day.

The pump house will be well lighted, and provided with a travelling crane capable of handling any part of the machinery in the building.

There will be a concrete decked crib, situated in the pond, for the intake or suction pipe, with centre well and revolving screens for convenient cleansing.

The suction and discharge pipes will be well supplied with slap valves for cutting off any pump or set of pumps as may be necessary.

It is intended that the dam, pump house and pumping plant, in fact the entire development shall be so designed, constructed and equipped as to be thoroughly modern and efficient throughout, as well as absolutely fire proof. The materials of construction will be almost entirely of concrete, iron and steel, thus securing the greatest degree of permanence and reducing the cost of maintenance and operation to a minimum.

Approximate Cost

The estimated cost of the dam with bridge, power house, intake crib, 7 1-2 million gallons capacity pumping plant installed complete with suction and discharge pipes, valves, etc., is one hundred and seventeen thousand dollars ($117,000). This amount includes 12 1-2 per cent for contingencies, also 5 per cent for engineering and inspection, but does not include land, legal or printing expenses.

With more time at command and detail plans fully worked out I expect the cost will be reduced from this preliminary estimate but should exceed rather than fall short of the actual cost.

I may remark that it is the intention to provide a continuous roadway across the river, on the dam, thus requiring slight changes from the preliminary plans but included in the estimate of cost.

WM. KENNEDY, Jr.

A number of questions were asked Mr. Kennedy by Mr. Matthews, and were answered as follows—

What Head will the Proposed Dam Give

The head will fluctuate slightly according to the river flow, but I propose the low water pond level to be maintained at elevation 783.6 to 784.5 or at least one foot higher than the present dam crest levels, which with a further gain of, say nine inches in tail water, by placing the dam further down stream, will be a total gain of at least fifteen per cent of the present head from the dam crest to tail water, as given by Mr. Henderson to October 1908,—or from, say present head 10 feet to 11 1-2 feet proposed head.

This fifteen per cent, or over, extra head will give a net gain in results output power to pumping or electrical machinery of twenty per cent or over, at the new dam.

I expect we will do better than this, but the exact gain can only be determined by actual tests under varying water conditions.

What Horse Power will it Give?

The horse power will vary in proportion as the variations in river flow from low to high water, but at ordinary low river flow of 65,000 cu ft per minute, (figures obtained by Mr. Henderson, superintendent) and 11 1-2 feet head the power will be 1132 H. P. allowing 80 per cent efficiency on water wheels, increasing as above stated with river flow, or, probably 1300 H. P. during a great part of the year; increasing to 2000 H. P. at a good flow.

Provisions for Raising Water

Provision is made in the design of the new dam to permit of raising the water four feet, or more, higher than the crest of the old dam, (this being an an advisable precaution to take care of extreme floods), but to maintain this extreme height would raise the pond so as to injure the turbines at the Nassau dam, and would not be allowed.

With the new dam, and the proper use of the stop logs, the pond level can be maintained to the greatest permissable height under all conditions.

Yours truly,
WM. KENNEDY, Jr.

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The Camera Club Has Had Most Satisfactory Series Of Meetings Since Its Inception

The Peterborough Camera Club has now completed its fourth month of existence, and has now a membership of 31 active members, and 24 honorary members, and financially is on a sound footing. Its meetings have been fairly well attended. It was organized on Sept. 18th with 8 active members which has now increased to 31 active members.

The officers elected at the first meeting in October were:—

Hon. President: His Worship Mayor Rush.
Hon. Vice-President: Professional Photographer.
President: J. A. Morgan, M.D.
1st Vice-President: Mr. R. S. Rose.
2nd Vice-Pres.: Mrs. A. McCarthy.
Sec.-Treas.: N. A. Howard Moore.

Since that date an executive committee of six has been elected: Messrs. A. W. Patterson, Alfred Rogers, and J. A. Brightman for two years, and Messrs. James English, Allen McCarthy and R. Picard for one year.

At each meeting a programme of exceptional excellence has been presented, which has been both entertaining and instructive, consisting of papers on the "Dark Room," "Art of Negative Making," "At Home Portraiture," "Photography; an Aid to Surveyors and Surveying," all of these were accompanied with charts and illustrations on the subject. Demonstrations were also given on "Sepia Work," by Mr. Louis Mendel; "Analytical Composition of sodium Salts," by Mr. Frank Russell, and "Printing and Development, and obtaining of Sepia effects on Velox papers," by Mr. S. F. Badgley of the Canadian Kodak Co., of Toronto. All of these were listened to by the members and their friends with a great deal of interest. A number of other features have also been promised for the balance of the winter, including "Lantern Slide Making," "Bank Development" and "Pyro Development." An exhibition some time during April is under consideration.

The last meeting held on Tuesday, Jan. 26, was an unusually interesting one to the large audience which greeted the demonstrator Mr. S. F. Badgley, of Toronto. He gave a very instructive talk on "Printing and Development of Velox Papers" and "Obtaining of Sepia effects on Velox Papers." The work done by Mr. Badgley was of the first order, was watched attentively by everyone present, the questions which were asked by many showed an unusual interest, and all felt that the two hours was all too short. Several hints which Mr. Badgley gave are worthy of reproduction. "Snap shots should be used only by new beginners, time exposures should only be practised by those of experience;" "The stronger the development, the softer the prints." Those who were not present missed one of the most instructive of the series. The subject for the next meeting will be "Pyro Developing" with a demonstration.

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Main Estimates Brought Down in House Show Big Decrease.

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If No Supplementary Estimates Are Brought In Expenditures Will Fall Well Below Those of Last Year—Many Public Buildings Are Planned — Sir Wilfrid Favors Three New Committees.

Ottawa, Feb. 2.—The main estimates for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1910, were tabled last evening by the Minister of Customs calling for an expenditure of $110,489,774, a comparative decrease of $19,296,389. Should the Government stick to its decision to bring in no supplementary estimates this session, this would represent the net decrease in estimated expenditure. Last session supplementary estimates totaled over ten and a half millions.

Chief decrease are: In arts, agriculture and statistics, $585,500; militia, chargeable to income, $636,125; public works, chargeable to income, $8,000,000; lighthouse and coast service, $668,150; railways and canals, income, $636,125. The increases include: $1,741,180 in interest and charges on public debt and $1,874,679 in the item of civil government, which provides for the enhanced salaries of inside civil service.

For redemption of public debt the sum of $50,825,262 is asked, which takes in the "Canada reduced 4 per cent. loan, payable January, 1910, and the "4 per cent. loan of 1885, payable Jan. 1, 1910."

Under the head of immigration the decrease is $106,120. The sum of $150,000 is asked for preparing plans, etc., for the reconstruction of Quebec bridge.

Under the head of public buildings for Ontario there are the following, including revotes: Belleville armory, $15,000; Belleville, to reimburse City of Belleville re drill hall site, $2,025; Brantford drill hall improvements, $3,000; Cornwall Dominion public buildings, $20,000; Fort William public building enlargement, $11,000; Glencoe public buildings, $26,000; Hamilton drill hall, addition, $37,000; Kincardine public building, $15,000; Kingston Military College, addition, $57,000; accommodation for stables, $15,000; Kingston Veterinary Hospital, $15,000; Leamington public building, $23,000; Markham public building, $10,000; Ottawa, buildings for testing fuel, $15,000; Owen Sound public building, $20,000; Parkhill public building, $20,000; Peterboro armory, $37,000; Renfrew public building, $16,000; Simcoe public building, $20,000.

Toronto Dominion buildings, repairs, $5,000: drill hall, additional accommodation, $25,000; meteorological observatory, $44,000; military magazine, $1,500; post office, to make good damage by fire of 1906, $25,000; Welland, public buildings, $33,000; Whitby public buildings, $28,000.

The following additional expenditures are asked for public works in Ontario: Burlington channel piers, reconstruction, $50,000; Cobourg, extension of breakwater, $60,000; Goderich harbor, repairs to piers, $5,350; harbors, rivers and bridges, general repairs and improvements, $25,000; Little Current, improvement of northern channel, $28,000; renewal bank protection works at Chatham, $7,100; Montreal river, improvements above Latchford, $25,000; Pelee Islands, western wharf, $5,500; Port Stanley, harbor improvements, $45,000; River St. Lawrence, improvement to channel between Kingston and Brockville, $75,000; Rideau harbor, improvements, $25,000; Sault Ste. Marie, dredging, $56,000; Southampton, extension of dock, $6,000; Toronto harbor, improvements, $375,000.

Under the head of customs salaries and contingent expenses in several parts, including pay for overtime of officers, the additional sum of $95,600 is asked. City postoffice salaries are increased: $18,000 in Ottawa, $53.90 in Toronto, $5,389 in Hamilton, $1,135 in Brantford, $4,866 in London, $3,226 in St. Thomas, $13,533 in Winnipeg, and $11,408 in Vancouver.

There is a big reduction on Intercolonial Railway, the item of $9,798,830, looking after capital expenditures, comparing with $4,502,240 last year.

There is a reduction of $40,000 in the item of industries of Kingston Penitentiary.

Twenty millions are provided for surveys and construction of the National transcontinental railway in place of thirty millions last year, while for the Hudson Bay Railway $65,000 is provided.

Canals get $1,720,300, of which the following items are for the Welland, chargeable to capital: Electric lighting and power plant, $8,000; to widen canal near Welland, $40,000; Port Colborne improvements, $65,000; surveys, $10,000; dock, south of Welland, $40,000; siding to Port Colborne elevator, $21,000. Chargeable to income the following sums are included: To renew entrance piers, Port Maitland, $65,000; stone protection to banks, $10,000; heavy repairs, $10,000; to renew foundations of junction lock, $8,000; to build new steel gate lifter, $12,000; to renew bridge over raceway, lock No. 2, old canal, $1,500; to renew three feeder bridges, $3,000.

Most of the items for civil government passed last night when the estimates were taken up.

In seven minutes the House disposed of Mr. Lancaster's level crossings bill by putting it through all the stages as in the same form as it was last year, and it now goes back to the Senate, perhaps to be inhumanly slaughtered again.

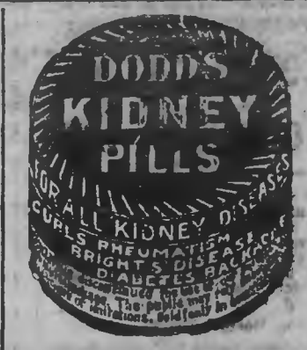
Sir Wilfrid Laurier readily accepted R. L. Borden's suggestion that a select standing committee on natural resources be appointed. Mr. Borden asserted that development and conservation might well be the watchwords of the representatives of the people in Parliament, yet any stimulus to public interest had come almost together from the outside. Mr. Borden suggested that a sub-committee might be appointed to deal with the fisheries, resources and interests. Germany had greatly increased its forest wealth by turning the rough hill districts into timber lands, and he quoted a statement that the spruce forests of Nova Scotia are reproducing more rapidly than any other timber in the world. The water-powers should be held for the general benefits of the people, not handed over to private control. The mineral wealth of the country should also be carefully guarded. The committee could also investigate the advisability of preventing the export of pulpwood.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier was in favor of the principle of the resolution, but thought that as the subjects involved were various it would be better to have more than one committee, say one for fisheries, one for minerals and one for forests and waterways. It would be better to have smaller Parliamentary committees and more of them.

Mr. Borden agreed. He had only ventured to ask for one more committee, but would cheerfully accept three.

Mr. Aylesworth introduced a bill to prevent the payment or acceptance of illicit or secret commissions, explaining that there was already an act directed against persons receiving commissions from transaction while acting for the Governments or municipal bodies. The proposal goes further and makes it illegal on the part of any employe to receive commissions in considerations of favors to be given at the expense of the employe.

Dr. Barr introduced his bill to facilitate the crossing of railway tracks by telephone, telegraph or electric wires or water mains. It provides that the person or company requiring to cross the track may proceed with the work if no action is taken by the railway company within 15 days.



BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

M. Ravenstein, a Dutch painter, who will do some special decorating in Notre Dame Cathedral, Montreal, has arrived at Quebec.

Soon after the steamer Lake Erie left Liverpool A. Engleborn, a C.P.R. interpreter, committed suicide by hanging himself in his cabin.

It is reported in Hamilton that Dean Mahoney will become Bishop of London. Archbishop McEvay may make the announcement there on Feb. 14.

George Busse, son of Mayor Busse of Chicago, who on Sunday night accidentally shot and killed Mrs. Lucius C. Tuckerman, was exonerated from all blame by a coroner's jury.

Joseph T. Clark, editor of Toronto Saturday Night for three years, has regained the editorial staff of The Toronto Star. C. Fred Paul of The Montreal Star will become editor of the weekly.

William Holder of Kingston has received word from his brother, Isaac Holder of Rhodworth, Sask., that his son Ernest aged 17 has been lost in a blizzard that swept over the country last week.

N. [illegible] Rose, manager of the Traders' Bank at Owen Sound, has been appointed manager of the branch in Ottawa. E. C. Newman, manager at Prescott, goes to Owen Sound, and Mr. McGill of Arthur to Prescott.

Too Much Brandy In Chocolate.

Montreal, Feb. 2.—Dr. Milton Hersey yesterday morning submitted to the court his report of the analysis of the brandy chocolates which were seized by detectives in a big raid on local confectionery establishments, made last week. Dr. Hersey stated that the liquid in the chocolates contained 6.26 [illegible] per cent. of brandy. The percentage of alcohol in the whole candy was about 7. The chocolates were about half the strength of ordinary brandy, and he considered them intoxicating.

Diamond-Maker Sentenced.

Paris, Feb. 2.—Jean Lemoigne, the Frenchman, who claimed that he could manufacture diamonds, was tried in the courts of Paris last summer, has been sentenced to two years' imprisonment in default. Lemoigne died just before the final hearing of the case against him.

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RUSSIA SETTLES THE QUESTION

Arrives at a Solution of the Near East Difficulty.

EXIT BALKAN WAR CLOUD

Financial Difficulties Are Cleverly Solved by Scheme In Which Bulgaria Pays Money In Dispute to Turkey and Latter Pays Debt to Russia With It—Powers Concerned Are All Agreeable.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 2.—The Turko-Bulgarian deadlock over the amount of money to be paid Turkey by Bulgaria because of the Bulgarian declaration of independence is practically broken and the war cloud in southeastern Europe has been dissipated by the acceptance of a plan proposed by Russia, which reconciles in a novel manner the Turkish claim of 120,000,000 francs ($24,000,000) and the Bulgarian offer of 82,000,000 francs ($16,400,000).

This plan is based on the war indemnity of 8,000,000 francs a year, which, in accordance with the Berlin treaty of 1878, Turkey is to pay Russia for a hundred years. These payments bear no interest. The Russian proposal is to remit them until the Turkish claim against Bulgaria is satisfied. Russia will collect instead 82,000,000 francs from Bulgaria in similar installments. These payments will bear interest, and the amount of this interest will recoup Russia.

Bulgaria has formally assented to this proposal, and the Russian Government has assurances that the plan is satisfactory to the Turks.

The settlement of the Turko-Bulgarian difficulties, it is stated in well informed circles, involves the recognition of the kingdom of Bulgaria, whose proclamation of independence precipitated the crisis.

One Man's Downfall.

Brockville, Feb. 2.—Richard C. Grindlay, a tramp, locked up here on suspicion of being a murderer, wanted in Rochester, N.Y., was yesterday discharged. Grindlay is very well connected in Glasgow, his father being president of a large manufacturing concern, while a brother is an eminent lawyer. His wife and family live in Plainfield, N.J., but he is a confirmed inebriate, and they would sooner live without him.

Fatalities on G.T.P.

Vancouver, B. C., Feb. 2.—The steamer Rupert City arrived with the bodies of Peter Burglund, Seattle, and Eric Lindstrom, sub-contractors on the G.T.P. Burglund was killed by the premature explosion of dynamite. Transporting the remains 40 miles up the Skeena river was extremely difficult, as the river is piled high with ice, and with seven feet of snow on the banks. Lindstrom was killed in his bed by a landslide.

Experiment Futile.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Feb. 2.—Dr. Germain E. Nirman, 38 years old, died on Sunday, following an operation recently performed at his direction, sent to prove the theory that he advocated some time ago at a medical meeting in Washington. Dr. Nirman held that the removal of the colon would make one immune from diseases. As he was locally diseased in the colon he decided to experiment on himself to prove his theory.

Anniversary of Assassination.

Lisbon, Feb. 2.—The first anniversary of the assassination of King Carlos of Portugal and his son, Crown Prince Luiz, occurred yesterday and passed off quietly.

King Manuel, Queen Marie Amelie and a number of court dignitaries attended a memorial service in the Pantheon of St. Vincent, where the remains of King Carlos and his son lie buried.

Port Hope Council Gets Busy.

Port Hope, Feb. 2—The Town Council last night decided to have a representative of the Provincial Board of Health visit Port Hope to look into the smallpox scare. Pointed allegations were made that the trouble was being carried about by doctors.

Ald. Curtis introduced a bylaw looking toward compulsory vaccination, which measure carried, with a recommendation that several foreigners' families be specially cared for.

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1 No. 16 Walker Plain Oaks, regular price $16, Sale Price 12.50
1 No. 18 Walker Plain Oak, regular price $18, Sale Price 14.50
3 No. 14 Walker Brilliant Oaks, regular $15, Sale Price 11.50
2 No. 16 Walker Brilliant Oaks, regular $17, Sale Price 13.50
1 No. 18 Walker Brilliant Oak, regular $19, Sale Price 15.50
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1 No. 2 Quebec Idea Heaters, regular price 6.50, Sale Price 5.50
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The Examiner's Sporting Page

RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

GREAT ICE FOR TO-NIGHT'S GAME WITH COBOURG'S INTERMEDIATES

To-night's big game with Cobourg will be called at 8.15 o'clock and a grand sheet of ice is ready for the teams. There is every indication of a big crowd being on hand to see the battle. It is necessary that the Peterboroughs should win in order to keep in the running, and they may be depended upon to play the hardest kind of hockey from start to finish, while Cobourg, although out of the running, are desirous of making a good showing, and will have their strongest line-up on for to-night's battle, which promises to be the best that has been seen here this season. The Cobourg team will arrive on the 6.30 train and will have with them Crossen, Bently and company, believing that they can trim Peterborough right on their own ice. The locals remembering the hard battle that the visitors gave Lindsay are not going to take any chances, and will play hockey from the drop of the hat. Both teams relish the keen going, and they will get what they are looking for to-night, as the best ice of the year is available for the game.

The Peterborough team will line-up as follows:—

Goal — Derocher.
Point — Glover.
Cover — Moore.
Rover — Parnell.
Centre — Morgan.
Right wing — Rose.
Left wing — Dusty.

Charlie Ray is still under the weather as the result of the effect of his recent illness, and is being kept for Friday's game against Lindsay.

Mr. F. C. Waghorne will referee.

MURRAY STREET JUNIORS BEAT KNOX TEAM IN CHURCH LEAGUE GAME

A splendid game was played in the Junior Church League at the Park street Rink last night, when the Murray street Juniors took the Knox Church youngsters into camp by a score of 4-2, leading at the half by 2-1.

The game was a good exhibition all the way, the Baptists having a shade the better of the argument.

The teams lined up as follows:—

Murray street.		Knox Church
	Goal	
Scott		Taylor
	Point	
Wilson		Neary
	Cover Point	
Irwin		Thompson
	Rover	
Evans		Mein
	Centre	
McConnell		Sullivan
	R. Wing	
Doughty		Bicknell
	L. Wing	
Matthews		Condin

PETERBORO' JUNIORS WERE BADLY BEATEN BY PORT HOPE TEAM

The Peterborough junior O. H. A. team were badly beaten in a junior O. H. A. game at Port Hope last night, losing to the Lakeshore bunch by the somewhat biased score of eight goals to nothing. The play was considerably closer than the score would indicate, but at that the Peterborough youngsters were out-played all the way, the speed of the Hopers being too much for them. The winners checked back very fast, and this helped them immensely, while on the other hand the Petes shot poorly when they did get away and their mistakes when in close lost them their opportunities to score. Brown, Port Hope's little rover, was the star of the game, playing grand hockey. He was fast as lightning and was very hard to stop when he got going. Hueston, at cover point, also played a fine game, and in fact, the whole team was there with the goods.

Rose Dobson and Wade were Peterborough's best and never let up for a minute.

The Peterborough team lined up as follows:

Goal—L. Giroux.
Point—Wade.
Cover—Dobson
Rover—Rose.
Centre—C. Giroux.
Right wing—Short.
Left wing—Pentland.

SPENCELEY SAYS HE IS CHAMPION

Claims He Won the Title in Brock Street Rink on July 12th Last.

To the Sporting Editor of the Examiner:

Dear Sir,—I would like you to favour me with a part of your sporting column. I noticed on the hand bills in regard to the Harrison-Blake walk, which took place on Saturday in the roller rink that James Harrison styled himself as the champion walker, of Peterborough. I merely wish to call the public's notice that I, Wilbert B. Spencley, hold that title, winning it on the 12th of July last in the Brock street rink. In the contest of this walk for the county championship of Peterborough, in which he refused to partake. I hope that James Harrison will not take offence with this insertion, as it is merely a matter of fact. Hoping this will not take up too much of your valuable space, and oblige

Yours respectfully,
W. B SPENCLEY.

Peterborough, Feb. 1. 1909.

ANOTHER FAST SCHOOL GAME

Geale's Seven Put a Tent Over Conroy's in Collegiate Series.

Geale's team won another game in the Collegiate Hockey League last night by defeating Conroy's team 10-0.

The game started out with a rush and in the first fifteen minutes Geale had scored three and Richardson two goals. Conroy's team steadied down and for ten minutes there was no scoring. But the game soon became one-sided again and at half-time the score was 6-0. It was Conroy's fine work that kept the score from being greater. He got away with frequent rushes but received little support.

Geale played a fine game as usual, and was well supported by the rest of his team.

The line-up:—

Conroy		Geale's
	Goal	
Hooper		Layfield
	Point	
Kerns		Meldrum
	Cover Point	
Conroy		Geale
	Rover	
Ackerman		Matthews
	Centre	
Hairstone		Dixon
	Left Wing	
Clegg		Dean
	Right Wing	
Corkery		Richardson

Fred. Dennison was referee.

Band To-night at Jackson Park.

HOCKEY

The L. T. B. hockey club have organized and would like to arrange matches with junior teams. The Lock Works preferred.

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The following players of Knox Church senior team are requested to be at Park Street Rink to-night at 6:45: Hillier, Bartley, Reid, Galley, Crowe, Denoon, Henderson, Meehan, Menzies, Stewart.

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The F. A. C. Hockey team accepts the challenge of the Grafters.

CURLING.

Five rinks played last night at the Curling Rink in the Trophy Games scheduled and were as follows:—

W. P. Adamson		B. Lastar
C. Taber		F. Clarke
F. Brownacombe		J. Montgomery
R. Neill, 8		G. H. Giroux, 12
G. White		H. Hall
H. T. Millard		L. Hall
H. Taylor		W. H. Taylor
D. Hall, 8		D. Davidson, 17
G. Tovey		W. A. Labelle
A. A. Hollingshead		L. Sherwood
E. L. Goodwill		G. Baptie
—Medd, 12		G. L. Hay, 10
F. Dobbin		W. H. Hill
G. Hill		J. A. Aylmer
R. J. Winch		G. C. Clarke
R. Hicks, 13		J. H. Burnham, 17
L. Dobbin		F. R. Payser
W. H. Denham		Dr. Wightman
J. W. McDermid		E. N. McWilliams
T. F. Matthews, 14		J. H. Connal, 7

A rink came down from Lakefield and was skipped by Mr. Fitzgerald against a rink that was picked up here and resulted in a win for Peterborough by two shots. The score was Lakefield 10, Peterborough 12.

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A game was played between the George Street Methodists and St. Paul's Presbyterian Churches yesterday, and resulted in a win for the Methodists' by 5 stones. The rinks lined up as follows:

Methodists	Presbyterians
S. V. Oke	L. Hall
J. S. Knapman	C. N. Brown
F. H. Foote	D. Davidson

Rev. E. V. Pearson, sk 13.
Rev. R. Pogue, sk 8.

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POST CARD COLUMN

Editor Post Card Column:

Dear Sir,—I noticed in your issue of last evening an account of the meeting of the Stony Lake Cottagers' Association and their indignation at the neglect of the Radial Railway in not following out their agreement. Now, I am not particularly interested in Stony Lake, because the traffic between Peterborough and Stony Lake only lasts about three months in the year. What I am interested in is this poor, neglected Fifth Ward, Viz., Ashburnham, where the mud puddles are ten inches deep in the middle of the roads after every shower, and the bridges on the main streets so narrow that horses and vehicles fall over the edge into the creek, as you have reported in your paper twice lately.

The city councils of the past years seem to have forgotten the very existence of Ashburnham. Even the Radial Railway, with all their fair representations, when they wanted the franchise, are no nearer running a line over here than they ever were. It is an actual fact that our population moves over the river every day. The Collegiate Institute, Drill Hall, Opera House, Jackson Park and other parks, most of the churches, cemetery, hospital and railway depots are all on the west side of the river, and Ashburnhamites have to walk or stay at home.

Everyone seems to have forgotten the Fifth Ward but the city assessor. He remembers it, yes, and makes his doings remembered.

We hear that the Smith street bridge is to be a cheap affair, that will not carry the steam roller. So, I suppose, we will have to negotiate with the Otonabee Council to get them to come up and improve our streets. Really, Mr. Editor, it is laughable to think of Ashburnhamites talking about "our" steam roller and they never see it without walking a mile or two to get a view of it.

We are hoping for a little consideration at the hands of the new council. Half of our voters plumped for their two representatives this year, and if things go on as they have been, we will have to quit voting for anyone else.

Yours,
FIFTH WARD.

Peterborough, Feb. 1, 1909.

START EARLY AND BE A WINNER

Is anyone in your neighbourhood saving the bottoms of Orange Meat boxes? If not, why don't you begin to save and collect immediately.

The winner of the First Prize gets Seven Hundred Dollars cash. This is one way the Orange Meat Company have of rewarding their friends and customers. The person who sends in the largest number of bottoms cut from Orange Meat boxes secures the first prize and others in their order get large Cash prizes. Start saving and collecting to-day and get all your friends to help you.

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The Western Canada Flour Mills Company has a far-reaching system of storehouses scattered throughout the entire West, which are used both as purchasing depots and flour warehouses. Along the main and branch lines of the Western railways there are at present over 75 of these, and this number is being constantly added to as new lines of railway open up virgin wheat country. They have a capacity of over two and a half million bushels. As fast as the wheat is bought, and required at any of the company's mills it is shipped to Brandon, Winnipeg or Goderich, in which cities the company's mills are located.

The St. Boniface Mill is one of the show places of Winnipeg. Among millers it is famous as one of the most perfectly equipped large modern mills in the world. In extent the property covers over 12 acres. The mills, which were completed in 1906, cost over $1,000,000. The mill proper is seven stories in height, with a floor space of 75,000 square feet; and apart from the mill there are 14 tanks with a capacity, including the workhouse, of over 500,000 bushels; an elevator that has a capacity of 45,000 bushels, and an electric power plant from which is distributed power, light and heat for the entire establishment.

The mechanical equipment is nothing short of marvellous. Its amazing completeness may be estimated from the fact that in the huge seven story building of the mill itself there are less than ten men employed; the entire work being carried on by automatic machinery.

Is it any wonder these Westerners are proud, proud of their country and its soil, their wheat, and of the product of that wheat, i. e., Purity Flour.

HASTINGS WANTS VILLAGE POO BAH

"Multum in Parvo" Must be the Motto of the Village Fathers.

The municipality of the village of Hastings is advertising for a man who will be called upon to play as many parts as Pooh Bah of Mikado fame. In the advertisement which will be found in this issue, it will be seen that the village fathers are looking for a man who shall be village constable, the engineer of the village fire engine, the street commissioner, sanitary inspector, pound keeper, caretaker of the town hall and the fire hall, and to furnish woodd to heat the council chamber Shakespeare must have foreseen this man when he remarked with his usual truthfulness: "One man in his time plays many parts."

JORDAN BROS., FLORISTS, NEW RETAIL STORE

Bloom and Business Budding Brightly as Usual a Few Doors Farther North.

The change of retail store premises made by Jordan Brob., city florists, from 416 to 428 George street, was quickly executed yesterday, causing scarcely any interruption to business. The window of the new retail store is already in bloom with floowers, and the firm's handsome gilt sign is now in position over the door. Everything was well managed, so that customers were not inconvenienced by the removal.

The new premises is very convenient for an attractive floral display. Besides it affords the additional advantage of extra accommodation in the rear for a workroom, where wreaths and bouquets may be made up with greater dispatch. The same close attention to business will, of course, characterize the firm's methods as before.

Be sure and hear Controller Hocken at the Ladies' Orange Lodge Concert in S.O.E. Hall, Hunter Street on Friday evening, Feb. 5th. Good Programme. Admission 25 cents. 3d—27

MOVING PICTURE SHOW GIVEN AT CAVANVILLE

Views of Champlain Ter-Centenary—An Excellent Presentation Given by Mr. Laidlaw.

The moving picture show which was given by Mr. C. N. C. Laidlaw, at Cavanville, on Friday, January 29th, was a marked success. The films showing the celebration ceremonies at Quebec last summer were splendid and made a big hit. "Making Love to Coleman's Wife" was an exceptionally funny picture and brought down the house.

Mr. Fred M. Hutchinson, of Cavanville, added greatly to the pleasure of the evening by singing the illustrated song, entitled "Sister," accompanied on the piano by Miss Edith Hutchinson. The show will be repeated in full next Thursday, February 4th, at Cavanville.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

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Atch	99⅜	100⅛
B.R.T.	70⅜	70⅜
C.P.R.	172⅛	173⅛
C.F.I.	39⅜	40
Erie	30⅛	31
Great Northern	141⅛	142
L.N.	122	122⅛
Mo. Pac.	70	70
Northern Pacific	137⅜	138⅛
N.Y.C.	126⅜	127⅛
Penna	131⅛	132⅛
R.I.	24⅛	24⅛
Rdg.	133	133⅛
A. R.	84⅛	84⅛
M.S.M.	142	142
St. Paul	145⅛	146
S.P.	118⅛	118⅜
U.P.	177⅛	178⅛
U.S.	52⅛	53
U.S. pf'd.	114⅛	114⅛
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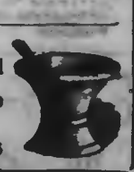

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Women's Auxiliary

—The Women's Auxiliary of All Saints' Church, will hold a social tea at the residence of Mrs. Gilbert, Sherbrooke street, on Thursday evening, from 4 to 6 and from 7 to 9.

Funeral To-morrow

—The funeral of Mr. Isaac Dormer will be held to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock from the residence of Mrs. Wand Burnham street. The remains arrived in the city at noon to-day.

"The Little Tycoon"

—There will be a full turnout of —all those who are taking part in —the production of "The Littge Tycoon," at the Conservatory of Music Hall to-morrow evening. It is important that all those interested should be present.

Consecration Service

—The Charlotte street Epworth League held their monthly consecration service last evening. Mr. G F Horsley gave an inspiring and helpful address. The president, Mr. Jas. Goodwin occupied the chair and urged every member to try to live up to their pledge. The meeting closed with prayer.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Mrs. P Downham, who has been ill for several days, has recovered and will be about in a day or so.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred L Roy returned last night from a trip to Toronto, Buffalo, Detroit and other points.

Miss Grace Coolidge, London street, left on Saturday to spend the next two months with friends in Montreal, Que.

Mr. Tuppen, who was successfully operated upon for cataract, two weeks ago, at St. Joseph's Hospital left on Monday for his home in Fenelon Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McFarlane and family, of Fort William, have returned to this city, Mr. McFarlane having connected himself with the William Hamilton Company's plant.

Mr. Sandy McFadden, formerly of Burleigh, came back with his wife and son to spend the winter with friends in the city and Burleigh, after an absence of nine years in Saskatchewan, where he has been successfully farming.

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A distinct triumph was scored by the local amateurs who last evening at the grand Opera House put on a production of Chas. Hawtrey's clever farce "The Private Secretary" before a large and thoroughly delighted audience. The cast under the direction of Mr Irving Beers, who made himself known to the local theatre goers through the presentation of "All the Comforts of Home," did magnificent work last night in staging the comedy chosen as their vehicle and that the audience was satisfied with their clever acting was indicated by the applause and laughter which continuously rippled through the house. The production once more enabled Mr Beers to demonstrate his ability in training amateurs for stage work and that talented gentleman has reason to feel proud of the work of his pupils.

"The Private Secretary" must be played correctly to be effective and the amateurs should be congratulated upon the way in which they handled the difficult production it is decidedly funny but much of the humour would be lost through in different stage work and that there were no hitches or mix ups should be a matter of satisfaction to every one cocerned. As in the case of "All the Comforts of Home" a number of the cast were making their first appearance before the foot lights but there was little signs of it in their work last night, none of the usual stage fright or gaucherie usually associated with amateurs.

"The Private Secretary" is well-known to the older generation of the theatre goers but has not been seen here for many years and was consequently new to a large part of the audience last night. The complications that arise and the hilariously funny situations introduced make it a most laughable farce from beginning to end. The action never drags and the dialogue is bright and witty, with a laugh in every speech. Last night's cast took full advantage of every opportunity to produce a laugh and they played Mr Hawtrey's comedy as it was meant to be played so that their efforts were thoroughly enjoyable. The action hinges around the return from India of Mr Douglas Douglas, whom he proposes to benefit but who is not to receive a cent until he has sown his wild oats. Douglas has signed notes and run up bills to such an extent that he is liable to fall into the clutches of the law but is rescued by his chum, Harry Marsland who proposes that his friend accompany him to his uncle Marsland's residence and pose as the private secretary for whom he has advertised and in the meantime they persuade the real private secretary, Rev Robt Spaulding an English church curate an innocent, effeminate, lifeless, but well educated man, to remain in his place. The consequence is that when Uncle Cattermere arrives he finds him and taking him for his nephew is disgusted with the private secretary. Then Mr. Spaulding gets a telegram from Mr Marsland to come down to his country place and he follows the pseudo private secretary with the result that the complications are fast and furious. Fun is added by Gibson the tailor who desires to get into society and by Miss Ashford the old maid guardian of Marsland's girls who has a strong interest in spiritualism and who takes the real private secretary for a medium with most amusing results.

A large share of the honours of the evening fell to Mr A. C. Yokome who played the part of Rev Robert Spaulding, so that it stood out like a sore thumb to use a theatrical phrase, his clever work winning him round after round of applause. He gave a splendid conception of the part making Spaulding appear as a smileless expressionless inert curate, chief interest in life seemed to be to take care of his Bath sun, his umbrella and his goloshes. His make up and acting were uniformly good and when it is considered that the part is one of extreme difficulty, his work is all the more creditable.

Mr D. F MacRae was cast as the stormy blustering Cattermole from the wilds of India and gave a capital interpretation of the role, his rough ways being very amusing. Mr. Chas A. Barber as Douglas the spendthrift nephew and Mr W. E. Hillman as Harry Mdarsland, his chum were natural and unaffected in their acting and their efforts were finished and successful.

Mr. W. S. Davidson had the role of Gibson the ambitious tailor and his work in that role left nothing to be desired. His efforts to break into society and his breaks when he had "broken" brought down the house. Mr. H B Gillespie gave an effective portrayal of the role of Mr. Marsland, his work at all times being good.

Mrs. J. N. Barber, who will be remembered by her splendid work as Mrs Bender in "All the Comforts of Home" was cast last night as Miss Ashford an old maid who believes in spiritualism and she made a big hit in the part by her make up and clever acting. She managed to get a whole lot of comedy out of the role.

Miss May Overend was splendid in the part of Mrs. Stead, the lodging house keeper and Miss M. Brooks and Miss Bessie Brightman as Miss Edith Marsland and her friend Miss Eva Webster played their parts with ease and naturalness.

Mr. Claude Brady in the dual role of Knox writ server and John a servant did justice to the parts.

Stony Lake Cottagers Unite With City Re Street Railway

A deputation from the Stony Lake Cottagers' Association waited upon the Council on Monday night at the meeting in committee, in regard to the extension of the street railway. It was composed of Messrs Robt. Neill, J S Knapman, Wm. Irwin, F Brownscombe, D W Dumble and R G Kingan. They asked the council what the city's position was in regard to the application for the extension of time to build a line to Stony Lake which the Street Railway Company were going to make to the Legislature.

Mr. Brownscombe read a resolution which was passed at the last meeting of the Association in which they were opposed to an indefinite delay in the work.

Mr. Neill and Mr. Dumble also spoke in regard to the matter. The latter pointed out the benefits that the cottagers would enjoy by a street railway line instead of the present difficulties which were experienced by the large number of people who spent the summer season at the Lakes. The Association wanted to act in harmony with the council and they did not wish to antagonize the local railway company. They wanted the latter to be given first preference but if they did not intend to do the work soon, the cottagers did not want to see other organizations blocked who would step in and provide a railway in the near future. Mr. Dumble said that if the promise were given that the Peterborough Radial Railway Company would do the work this year or next, that would be satisfactory. The Association wanted to be fair and reasonable and they recognized the efforts of the local company to give the city a modern service.

Mayor Rush suggested that the deputation also wait on Mr Larmouth and state their views to him.

It was stated that the council looked for a promise of construction this year or next and if this was made definite they would not oppose the company's application for an extension of time.

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After an illness of four weeks Mrs. William Hales died in Burleigh on Wednesday, Jan. 27th, 1909, at the age of 78 years. She moved to Burleigh from Hales Bridge, Drought member of the Methodist church. She was predeceased by her husband two and a half years ago. She will be greatly missed by friends and neighbours for miles around, for she was beloved by all who knew her. She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Richard Hales, of Burleigh, and Mary Ann, who is left on the homestead, and Mrs. Brown, of New Ontario. There are also two sons, John Waldon, of this city, and Watson, of Saskatchewan; and five grandchildren.

The funeral was held to Apsley Cemetery on Friday last.

MRS. THOS. H. WILLOUGHBY

Word has been received in the city of the death in Watford on Saturday, Jan. 30, of Mary E Wise, relict of the late Thos. H Willoughby, at the age of 59 years. Her husband predeceased her on January 10th. The late Mrs. Willoughby was the mother of the late Martin Willoughby who was formerly a resident of this city, and who met death by drowning.

Band To-night at Jackson Park.

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A very pretty wedding took place on Wednesday, Jan. 27, at 5.30 p.m., at the home of Mr. Joseph Porter, of Bailieborough, when his eldest daughter, Miss Eva Josephine, was united in marriage to Mr. Edmund Ernest Anderson.

The drawing room was very prettily decorated with evergreens and flowers for the occasion.

The bride was given away by her father and entered the room to the strains of Mendelssohn's "Wedding March," which was played by Miss Vina Moncrief, of Benafort.

The bride looked handsome in a gown of white silk, with garniture of point lace, her veil was surmounted by a wreath of orange blossoms; she carried a shower of bride's roses.

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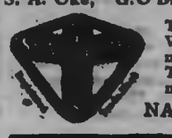

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If you are thinking of giving a watch New Year's then our large stock will be of interest to you. Remember, in buying a Watch quality is what counts every time. Some Watches are dear at any price. We pay most particular attention in selecting our movements.

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PUPILS HAVE TO WEAR THEIR WRAPS

Conditions at West Ward School Said to be Rather Irregular.

The members of the Board of Education are not quite sure whether the heating system or the janitor of the West Ward School is to blame for the fact that the children have frequently to wear their wraps in the rooms. Dr. Morrison stated that an enquiry should be made before the money for the work of installing the system was paid.

Mr. Dumble stated that he had been at the school recently and everything appeared to be satisfactory. Mr. Crane remarked that Mr. Dumble was the father of that system and he should look to its success.

START EARLY AND BE ONE OF THE WINNERS

Your Chances are Good for the $25 Prize in The Examiner Newsboys Competition.

The Examiner pressroom is printing extra copies of the Examiner every evening to supply the newsboys in the Examiner Newsboys' Competition. More boys are entering every day and still there is lot of room for 50 more.

The winner of the first prize gets $25; the second $20; the third $15; the fourth $10, and so on. Twenty prizes in all. Besides the boy who succeeds in getting the largest number of new subscribers every week gets an additional $2 while the competition lasts.

This is one way of encouraging the boys to start selling the Examiner and earning his own pocket money.

Start early, boys, and get among the winners; get all your friends and neighbours to help you. We will announce the name of the lucky boy every week. Some boys are working hard and having good success.

Be sure and hear Controller Hocken at the Ladies' Orange Lodge Concert in S.O.E. Hall, Hunter Street on Friday Evening, Feb. 5th. Good Programme. Admission 25 cents. 3d—27

REGULAR MEETING OF REBEKAH LODGE

Twenty-eight New Candidates Instructed in the Mysteries.

A regular meeting of the Golden Link Rebekah Lodge, No. 18, I.O.O.F., was held last night (Tuesday) in the I.O.O.F. Hall. The business of the evening was gone through in which twenty-eight candidates were instructed in the mysteries of the Rebekah degree. Also during the evening short adresses were given by District Deputy Grand Master A. A. Fowler; Past Noble Grand Col. Miller and Past Noble Grand Kelly of Lakefield, and Past Noble Grand Bro. Patterson, of Havelock. They spoke in glowing terms on the prosperity of the Lodge, and of the effective manner in which the work of the degree staff was done. They also complimented the officers for the manner in which they gave the different lectures of initiation. Too much praise cannot be given to Bro. Reason for the noble manner in which he had done his work in training the degree staff. The Lodge wore their new regalia, the gowns being very beautiful making the work more effective. Noble Grand Sister Watts conducted the business in a very acceptable manner, and at the close of the Lodge a social hour was spent and refreshments were served.

WILL APPEAR IN WEEKLY EXAMINER

Mr. Barton Earle's paper on "The Worm of the Human Soul" which appeared in the Daily Examiner last Saturday will be re-published in the Weekly Examiner issued to-morrow so that the many people who have been unable to secure a copy of the paper containing the article will be able to obtain a paper to-morrow.

How A Man Can Obtain New Outfit Of Togs With Less Than $10

A Few Figures That Were Actually Quoted by Local Merchants—Actual Totals for Those Who May be Financially Weak.

NEW CLOTHES ARE CHEAP

Out of mere curiosity and to get an idea of the lowest sum which would be required to clothe oneself, a reporter asked several of the clothiers what it would cost to secure an entire outfit. Of course it is supposed that a man is down in pocket and has to scrimp as much as possible. He has, however, to clothe himself and is not particular as to his outfit being of the best design. With this understanding the following prices were offered:—

STORE No. 1

Suit	$3.90
Underwear	.75
Shirt	.39
Collar	.10
Tie	.10
Socks	.10
Cap	.19
Braces	.10
	$5.66
Boots	2.00
	$7.66

STORE No. 2.

Suit	$2.90
Underwear	.75
Socks	.09
Shirt	.39
Tie	.15
Collar	.06
Cap	.15
Braces	.15
	$4.63
Boots	$2.00
	$6.63

The first outfitter stated that he would not be beaten and could produce a suit for $2.90.

Of course it is understood that with the above togs the wearer would not be a dandy nor have any of the distinction of Berry Wall, or James Hayden Hyde. It is assured that the wearer would not be particularly pleasing to the feminine eye, and no guarantee is given as to their durability. However a man with a ten dollar bill can feel satisfied that he can tog out in a new outfit any old time at all.

GREAT EXCITEMENT OVER FRIDAY NIGHT'S BIG GAME WITH LINDSAY BOTH TEAMS WILL BE STRONG

Now for Lindsay.

The Peterborough intermediates by beating Cobourg last night, kept themselves right in the running for the district championship, but they must beat Lindsay in the big game here on Friday night. Will they do it? is the question that fandom both here and in Lindsay is asking just now.

The Peterboroughs say that they will turn the trick, while on the other hand Lindsay are equally confident of victory.

Whichever way the game goes it will be the battle of the season, and should prove one of the finest games ever seen at Brock street arena. Both teams are now in the pink of condition and the contest should be of the lightning variety from start to finish without a dull moment. That there will be oceans of excitement goes without saying. Every fan in Peterborough has been looking forward to the game for some time and it is safe to say that the crowd present will be one of the largest on record, as the game forms the principal topic in sporting circles just now, and every one that possibly can arrange the matter will be on hand Friday night.

The Peterborough team is playing great hockey now and will give the famous Midgets a grand run for the money.

The Lindsay club is arranging for an excursion to Peterborough and the team will be accompanied by a big crowd of rooters who will not be slow in making their presence known. Their coming will add to the excitement.

It is likely that W. S. Hancock, the well known Toronto referee, will handle the game.

Young Peterborough Engineer Wins Conspicuous Distinction

Mr. Ernest V. Moore, Associate Member C. S. C. E., Awarded Gzowski Medal for Year 1908—Unanimous Choice of Committee of Canadian Society of Civil Engineers.

A SPLENDID ACHIEVEMENT.

Mr. Ernest V. Moore, associate member of the Canadian Society of Civil Engineer, a son of Mr. David H. Moore, of this city, has had the honour of winning the Gzowski medal awarded by the society for the best contribution to the literature of the profession of civil engineering during the year 1908. This is the second time in recent years that this distinction has come to Peterborough, Mr. Walter J. Francis winning the 1906 medal for his paper on "Mechanical Canal Locks in Canada."

The subject of Mr. Moore's paper was "The Development of the Peat Fuel Industry and Its Possibilities."

On this subject he is possibly the best informed man to-day in Canada, having devoted his time exclusively to investigations along this line for the past five years. His work has been along the practical as well as the theoretical side of this subject, and he has at present an experimental plant in the northern part of Victoria County, and from his work there most of the data of his paper was procured.

Of the nineteen papers that were presented by members of this society in 1908, Mr. Moore's was the unanimous choice of the committee awarding the medal. This places his name in a list containing the names of some of the most prominent engineers in Canada, those of later years being: in 1904, Mr. J. A. Jamieson, who was the engineer in charge of the Port Colborne elevator; in 1905, Mr. C. B. Smith, engineer in the construction of the Hydro-Electric plant at Niagara Falls; 1906, Mr. W. J. Francis, and in 1907, Messrs. R. A. Ross and Henry Holgate.

The Gzowski Medal.

The Gzowski medal, awarded annually by the Canadian Society of Civil Engineers, was founded in 1890, and the following description is taken from the by-laws of the society: "A silver medal to be called 'The Gzowski Medal,' shall be struck each year from the annual proceeds of the fund provided for that purpose by Col. Sir Casimir Gzowski, A. D. C., K. C. M. G., president of the Society, which medal shall be awarded according to the rules for papers presented to the Society. The medal shall be awarded for the best paper of the medal year, provided such paper shall be adjudged of sufficient merit as a contribution to the literature of the profession of Civil Engineering.

The medal is awarded by a committee of five members or honorary members of the society, on this occasion it being composed of Messrs. Holgate, chairman, J. M. Shanly, R. S. Kelsch, J. B. Porter, W. Kennedy, Jr. The latter it will be noticed has just made the report on the new water works dam which was printed in Tuesday's paper.

Mr. Moore attended the Peterborough Collegiate Institute and afterwards took a course at McGill University, from which he graduated with honours in Mining Engineering in 1900. From college Mr. Moore spent three years as government engineer on the Port Colborne entrance improvements, from which he resigned to investigate the peat fuel problem. He is still prosecuting this work and says that although the real progress has been slow, it is surely leading to the successful launching of this enterprise on a firm and profitable basis, not only in Canada, but in the United States. That the public interest is rapidly growing is evidenced in the fact that both the Canadian and United States governments are at present spending money to obtain reliable information as to the economic value of peat as a fuel.

Mr. Moore is probably one of the youngest men to be awarded the Gzowski medal, and it speaks well for his engineering ability and the thoroughness of his work, that he should have attained this seal of approval from the best known engineering body in Canada.

It is with satisfaction that the Examiner has to record this evidence of success coming to a second one of Peterborough's young engineers.

Miller's Grip Powders cure. Sold by J. D. Tully, druggist, Peterborough.

Hear Bernard Daly [illegible]

Semi Ready

New Spring Suits

An advance shipment of the new Spring Suits has arrived and been placed in our wardrobes The lot comprises Fancy Tweeds and Worsteds in the new stripe for spring; Natty New colour effect; in fact this first shipment is worthy of your early attention and it will pay you to see these before the assortment is broken. Prices 15 to 25.00.

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TOGGERY SHOP
389 GEORGE ST.

BREEZY NUMBER OF COLLEGIATE ECHOES

Institute Paper for January Contains Much That is Interesting.

The current number of Collegiate Echoes published by the Philomathean Society of the local Collegiate Institute continues to show a marked improvement in the breezy little publication and its editors are to be congratulated upon the bright, interesting and varied contents of the January edition which will be read with interest not only by the pupils of the Collegiate, but by the citizens of Peterborough, generally. The number contains much that is entertaining and readible. There are interesting special articles on "Books," by Miss Gertrude A. Yenney; on "The Old vs. The New E.C.I.," by M. J. O'H and on 'New Year's Resolutions,' by Miss Margaret Edwards. Crisp and pointed editorials are a feature, the meetings of the Society are chronicled in an interesting manner and the column entitled "Corridor Cullings" affords opportunity for a display of scholastic wit of which full advantage is taken.

COMPLETE AND ELEGANT POCKET MEMORANDUM BOOK

The Examiner has to acknowledge with thanks, the receipt from the Alaska Feather and Down Company, limited, Montreal, of a beautiful and complete vest pocket memorandum book, exclusively Canadian, and including maps of the Dominion and Provinces, British Isles, members of parliament, population of towns and cities, provincial game laws and much general statistical information. An elegant and complete little book.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 25 cents each insertion in either the Daily or Weekly Examiner.

DIED.

KINNABURGH — At Nicholls Hospital, Peterborough, on Monday, Feb. 1st, James Kinnaburgh.

MARRIED.

HALL — CAMERON — At the residence of Mr. John A. Cameron, Stewart street, brother of the bride, Rev. Robert Pogue, of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, on Wednesday, Feb. 3rd, 1909, Mr. Adam Hall to Miss M. E. Cameron.

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WANTED.

200 Cords of Stone at $3.00 per Cord, delivered at the City Yard, Townsend Street.

T. A. S. HAY,
City Engineer.

Peterborough, Ont.,
2nd February, 1909. 2d-27

SITUATIONS VACANT.

MEN WANTED AT ONCE ON SALARY and Expense. One good man in each locality with rig or capable of handling horses to advertise and introduce our guaranteed Royal Purple Stock and Poultry Specifics. No experience necessary, we lay out your work for you. $25 a week and expenses. Position permanent. Write W. A. Jenkins Manfg. Co., London, Ont.

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BOARDERS CAN BE ACCOMMODATED with board and rooms, easily breakfast, conveniences. Apply at the Examiner office. 12d 26 5137

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HOUSE TO LET — No. 18 QUEEEN ST., city. Apply J. J. Lundy, Peterborough. 26d-27-5179

FURNISHED ROOM TO LET, WITH OR without board, private family, very desirable part of city; prices reasonable. Apply Box 5153, Examiner. 3d 26 5153

FIRST CLASS FURNISHED ROOM, with all modern conveniences, with or without board. Apply 331 Water street. 3d 26 5150

TO RENT — APPLY J. BELL, PHONE 847L. Nos. 127 and 129 Rubidge st., 10 rooms, $12.00. Nos. 126 and 128 Park street, 10 rooms, $10.00. No. 123 Park street, 10 rooms, rent $20.00. dtf

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TO RENT — HOUSE No. 243 RUBIDGE street; hot water heating and all modern conveniences; immediate possession. Apply 457 George street. d-tf

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Houses to Let at reasonable rent. Apply for particulars at **W. H. BRADBURN'S OFFICE** over Dominion Bank, corner George and Simcoe Streets. dtf

FARM FOR SALE.

FARMS FOR SALE — N.E. QUARTER Lot 19, Con. 11, and N.E. Half Lot 15, Con. 11, of Otonabee. Apply John J. Lundy, Peterborough. 4w-5-5178

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE — 1 FRANKLIN TYPEwriter for $16.00; 1 Hammond Typewriter at $17.00; 1 Remington Typewriter at $25.00; and 1 Empire Typewriter at $35.00, all in good condition. dtf

FOR THIS WEEK ONLY," PEERLESS," the best carbon paper made at $3.00 per box of 100 sheets, regular $3.50. dtf

FOR SALE—ALL KINDS OF RUBBER Stamps. Apply at Examiner office.

WE ARE SOLE AGENTS FOR PETERborough and the territory between Toronto and Kingston for the Parisian Novelty Co., and have samples of all kinds of advertising novelties on hand. Call and see them at the Examiner office.

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Beautiful Brick House double parlors, winter kitchen, summer kitchen and wood shed, 4 bed rooms, bath room, complete electric light fixtures, furnace, cement cellar floor and cement walks to front and side entrance. This can be bought for $3800.

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Houses and Lots for sale on easy terms.

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HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED AT ONCE — WOMAN TO work and help in dining-room; can go home at 7.30 p.m., 2 1-2 hours off in afternoon. Apply at Oriental. 3d-23-5183

HOUSEKEEPER WANTED — APPLY after 7 in the evening at 518 Bonwell avenue, or at Examiner office. 3d 27 5167

WANTED—GOOD GENERAL SERVANT no washing; youngest child 5 years. Apply Mrs. Cubitt, 291 Reid street, afternoon or evening. 3d-27-5166

WANTED — GOOD UPSTAIR GIRL. Apply National Hotel. 3d 26 5154

SITUATIONS WANTED.

POSITION WANTED BY WIDOW WOman as cook in private family; can furnish good references. Apply No. 99 Gladstone ave., city. 2d-27-5173

SITUATION WANTED BY CAPABLE and respectable woman at housework where she can go home in the evening. Apply at this office. d dh

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This is an excellent piece of land for market gardening, or it would make an excellent home for a retiring farmer. Price and terms reasonable.

Building Lot 37 x 110, with concrete foundation 21 x 26 and 12 x 12, ready for house. The owner will sell on easy terms of payment, or to a Carpenter and wait for his money, without interest, until the house is completed and sold. Price $450.

Also two or three farms in the vicinity at very reasonable prices.

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A NEW YEAR'S GIFT

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NOTICE.

The Municipal Council of the Village of Hastings will receive applications for the appointment of one person as Constable, Engineer of Fire Engine, Street Commissioner, Sanitary Inspector, Pound Keeper, Caretaker of the Town Hall and Fire Hall, the appointee to furnish wood to heat the Town Hall and Council Chamber whenever required and be to live in the basement of the Town Hall free of rent.

Applicant [illegible] state salary per year expected, give [illegible] and if possible communicate with [illegible] undersigned before Friday the 5th inst. Applications however will be received until Friday the [illegible] inst.

[illegible] Ontario, [illegible] WILSON,
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UNION LABEL

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1909

THE LESSENED ESTIMATES.

As was anticipated the Dominion estimates are largely reduced from the figures of the preceding year, in sympathy with the lessened inflow of revenue. For years there has been a buoyant revenue. Taking advantage of this condition the Government provided large sums to be devoted to capital expenditure, to provide necessary national equipment in promotion of our transpoortation and allied interests. These interests—in a country of magnificent distances like Canada, are of pre-eminent importance and the large expenditures devoted to their promotion, so long as the money spent is available, are in every way justified. We havr made considerable progress in meeting the demands of national expansion, and in providing for the conditions which a large influx of immigration has created and creates. The temporary depression has decreased revenue, and it is the part of wisdom to contract expenditure. This has been done in this year's estimates to the extent of nearly twenty million dollars, This retrenchment, while it is wise, will create some disappointment in some sections, but considerations of the general welfare should counsel loyal acquiescence, even in places where needed and expected public improvements are temporarily witheld. Minor matters must give way to the greater. We cannot afford to neglect transportation in the interests of the development of our west, whose building-up extends reflected advantage to the older provinces. It is, therefore, to be expected that money should be voted to continue construction of the National Transcontinental railway, though the sum placed in the estimates is less than last year—twenty million as against thirty the previous year. Also in the interests of transportation the policy of prosecuting Trent Canal construction is adhered to, another amount, similar to that of last year—one million dollar—being included in the estimates, insuring continued vigorous prosecution of the work, and representing a practical implementing of the promise of Sir Wilfrid Laurier that the Trent Canal was slated for completion from lake to lake.

The construction of the Trent Canal has given Canada a very definite distinction—supremacy in hydraulic lift lock structures, that at Peterborough being the largest in the world, and that at Kirkfield, a good second.

TECHNICAL EDUCATION.

Ontario is generally and properly regarded as the foremost industrial province of the Dominion, but is is unfortunately not the foremost in industrial education, one of the essentials to sound industrial progress and development. While this province has been standing still and as the London Advertiser puts it, "whining for aid from the Dominion Government," in the matter of technical education, the Province of Nova Scotia hasb een doing something practical in the promotion of industrial education. A recent visitor to London, Ontario, was Dr. Sexton, of that province, who spoke before the Canadian Club on the subject of technical education in Nova Scotia.

It appears, from his remarks, that the Nova Scotia schools are divided into three classes—engineering, coal mining and technical schools—and are found to be of special advantage to wage-earners desirous of improving their positions. The engineering and coal mining schools are confined to the colliery districts, and the technical to the industrial centres. Of the latter there are four, located at Halifax, Amherst, Sydney and New Glasgow. They are conducted in public school buildings. Practically all the expense of the coal mining and engineering school is borne by the Government, which also defrays one-half the cost of instruction in the technical schools, and provides the necessary apparatus, the locality supplying the other half of the cost, besides the rooms, heat, light [illegible]nitor.

The [illegible]ses include drawing, science and modern practice in connection with the calling of the student, the number and character of the courses offered in any locality depending on the number of students available, and the dominant industries. Such subjects as practical mathematics, mechanical drawing, electricity, etc., are demanded in every centre, while metallurgy, chemistry, pharmacy, etc., are included in localities where special industries call for such studies. The student is required during the first four sesions of a class to make a deposit of $2 to $4, according to the class. This money is kept until the end of the year, when, if the student has been constant in attendance, it is refunded. A certain percentage is, however, retained, for each class the student has missed. The attendance was very satisfactory, some students having a record of 100 per cent., while whole classes averaged 84 per cent. for the year.

Experience has shown the department the wisdom of supplementing the recitations and class lectures with laboratory method, especially in electricity, for it is found that the practical men in the classes need concrete illustrations even more than ordinary school pupils. To equip the four schools with electrical apparatus, machines, measuring instruments, and a small dynamo-electric laboratory cost about $10,000. As now arranged, the different technical subjects may be followed for three years in successively advancing classes. A pass mark of 75 per cent. in each of the three classes, and the same standing in the general subjects of practical English, practical arithmetic, algebra, trigonometry and practical *geometry*, entitles the student to a full diploma, the highest honour obtainable.

Nova Scotia has the reputation of having a surplus of brains among its population. Judged by the distinguished sons it has produced and sends out to take foremost positions in intellectual and educational activities in the other provinces of the Dominion and in the United States, this repute is deserved. The practical manner in which the Bluenoses deal with the problem of practical technical education, as set forth in the preceding compendious statement lends added force to this reputation. In Ontario we are wont to boast of our educational advantages, but they do not include the practical elements that distinguish the Nova Scotia system. This failure of our government authorities to measure up the demands of the situation is all the more striking when we recall the great extent of our territory and the great variety of its natural resources. Ontario can be made the great purveyor to the other provinces of the Dominion in industrial products. Our manufacturing facilities, our countless water powers, our wealth of raw resources, our central geographical position in the Confederation all point to this possibility. What we need to enable us to realize the industrial supremacy which is possible, is, among other things, the breeding of a population whose hand is trained to dexterity in connection with intellectual equipment — sons given the advdantage of technical training such as is making Nova Scotia an important unit in Dominion industrial development, such as has made Germany a world power in industrial supremacy in branches of manufacture which bespeak a general distribution of trained material as well as mental skill. Does the Ontario Educational Department realize its responsibility in this matter? If it does it has a masterly way of concealing its convictions in this regard.

The mineral output of Ontario for the year 1907 was of the value of $24,849,475. This large figure is capable of almost infinite increase. What we need for this are skilled artizans, engineers, etc., and to produce these we need a thorough system of technical education.

THE PEACE RIVER DISTRICT.

If all that is told of the Peace River country is true, one of the richest parts of the Dominion is yet to be developed.

Explorers and members of surveying parties have described in a general way the wonderful resources of the outlying section of Canada, but it has been left to Fred G Lawrence, F. R. G. S., to furnish details. Mr. Lawrence has been a resident of the district for thirty years, has travelled about it perhaps more than any other white man, and should be able to speak from actual experience and observation.

In a recent address Mr Lawrence declared that there were 655,000,000 acres of first-class agricultural land in the Peace River region, an area equal to three times the assessed lands of Ontario, capable of growing wheat. Wheat can be ripened there in eighty-six days from date of planting, and fifty-six bushels to the acre have been produced four hundred miles north of Edmonton, and ground in a roller mill, lighted by electricity and operated at the same point. He is convinced that when railway connection is provided to Hudson's Bay, grain from there can be landed in Liverpool at less cost than Manitoba grain is landed in that great English market to-day.

Of the mineral resources of the region Mr. Lawrence tells a wonderful sory. Along the banks of all streams flowing east or west from the boundary to the Arctic Ocean, he says gold is to be found, while along the foot of the Rockies, and the streams of Athabaska, outcropping coal in seams of six inches to twenty-eight feet have been discovered. In his opinion the coal-bearing area there surpasses in extent that of all the coal areas at present being exploited in the United States. Petroleum is also to be found in vast quantities, and the largest gas well in the world is located not far from Pelican Rapids, on the Athabasca River, near the asphalt deposits. Bitumen has been found in immense quantities, estimated by Government experts at 6,400,000,000 tons, sufficient to supply all the asphalt used. Along the Mackenzie River to the Arctic spruce grows to a diameter of two feet, and for this there is sure to be a demand sooner or later. — London Advertiser.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Conservatives of Carleton will meet on February 16th to select a candidate to contest the representation of the riding in the bye-election to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of the seat by Mr. R. L. Borden.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier aims to make Ottawa the Washington of the North, but it remains for the civic authorities to give it a Chesterfieldian touch—separate polling booths are to be provided for lady voters so that they will not be forced to come into the coarseness of contact with mere men.

Money is one of the mightiest motives that influence humanity. Russia is anxious for peace, not for the sake of peace, but because there's money in it for her. Bulgaria owes Turkey money and Turkey owes money to Russia, therefore the latter has brought peace between Turkey and Bulgaria, so that the Balkan war cloud has indeed a silver lining. Russia's chances for handling Turkish money are made better by peace.

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THE TEACHING OF AGRICULTURE

Victoria County Council Makes a Grant of $500 to Lindsay Collegiate Institute.

The County Council of Victoria County has made a grant of $500 to assist in the teaching of agriculture in Lindsay Collegiate Institute, a marked recognition of the good work that is being carried on there under the supervision of the Ontario Department of Education. The Government grant is $1,200 a year, which pays the salary of the instructor. It is expected that several other counties will follow suit, and thus materially assist in extending this very practical branch of education.

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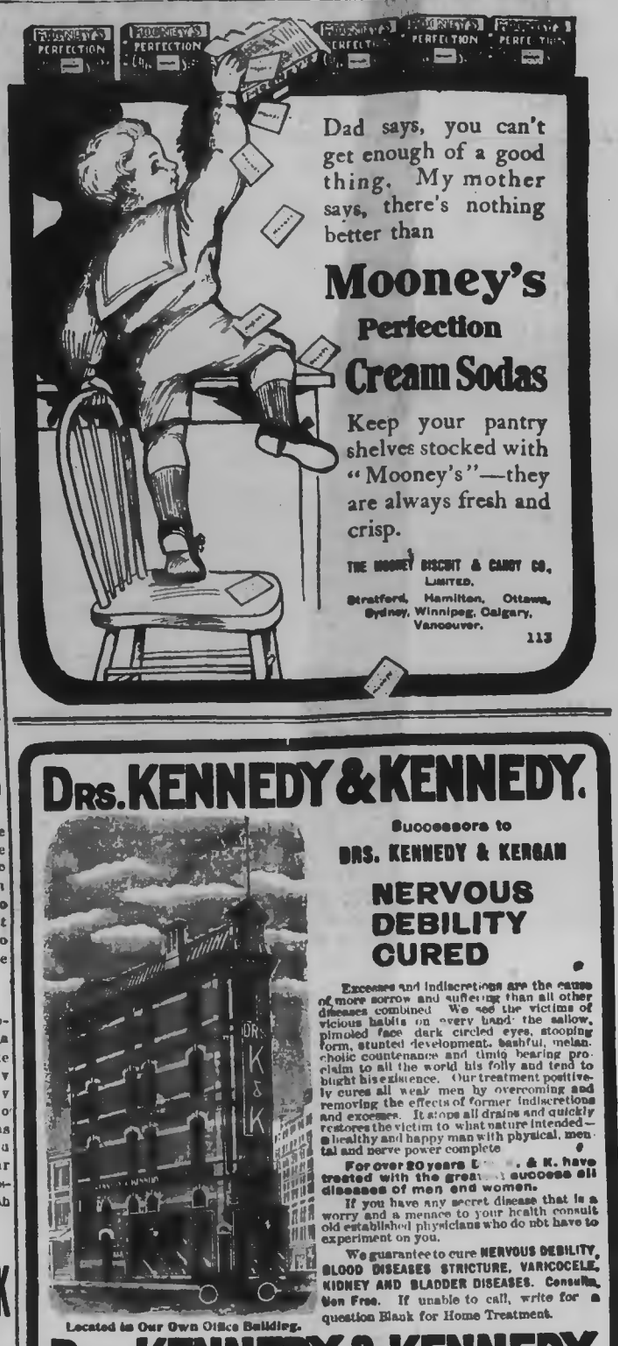

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WILL BE AN EXAMPLE.

St. Thomas Judge Gives 14 Years and 16 Lashes to Brute.

St. Thomas, Feb. 3.—Charles Fiveash was sentenced yesterday to fourteen years in Kingston Penitentiary and to receive 60 lashes, 20 in one month, 20 in a year, and 20 in two years.

This punishment was meted out to him by Judge Coulter, who found him guilty after a trial lasting only a few hours of a criminal charge, his accuser being his eighteen-year-old daughter, who admitted relations covering the past year. The prisoner's wife made the complaint.

Fiveash is a recent immigrant, and has not worked for the two years of his residence here. In court yesterday he said he was under the hypnotic influence of his wife.

The judge ordered an examination as to his sanity. Three doctors declared him sane, and in passing sentence the judge said the only use of Fiveash's whole life should now be the warning the sentence might be to others.

Fiveash did not wince when sentenced.

BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

The Presbyterian Church at Port Colborne was damaged by fire, which was confined to the interior of the edifice.

Twenty Sissenton Indians are leaving the Keeley Institute at Minneapolis to return to their reservation in South Dakota.

For the first time within 24 hours, since the day the earthquake overwhelmed the city, no shocks have been noticeable at Messina.

The planters of the Hawaiian Islands are arranging to import laborers from Porto Rico to supply the demand caused by the stoppage of Japanese immigration.

The U. S. Congress has reversed its former action and struck from the Army Appropriation Bill the additional $500,000 for war balloons and airships, authorized last week.

James Irwin, cattle drover at Sharbot Lake, had a narrow escape from being burned to death early yesterday. He was alone in his home, which was totally destroyed. Railwaymen aroused the sleeping man.

A special despatch from Naples says: The captain of the steamship Galileo, which arrived from Palermo, reports that his ship was nearly overwhelmed by a tidal wave off Cape Gallo, Sicily, at 11 o'clock Monday night.

P.E.I. Legislature Opens.

Charlottetown, P.E.I., Feb. 3.—The Provincial Legislature opened yesterday afternoon, being the first session since the general election, when 17 Liberals and 13 Conservatives were returned.

The Lieutenant-Governor's address states that some of the outstanding claims against the Dominion were satisfactorily adjusted. Reference is made to the success of the Government's agricultural policy, the benefits derived from the short course at the Truro Agricultural College, and to the proposed rural telephone system.

Owing to the closeness of the parties, the session promises to be lively. This is the earliest opening of the Legislature for some years.

Can't Leave the Country.

Port Huron, Mich., Feb. 3.—Told to leave Canada within five days or serve time in the Central Prison, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick James Lawrence, the man and woman who made an unsuccessful attempt to gain admission to the United States last week, and who were intercepted, have decided to serve time in the Canadian prison rather than have any further trouble. The Lawrences were charged with keeping a disorderly house in Sarnia. Lawrence was sentenced to three months in prison or to leave Canada in five days, while the wife was given six months with the same alternative. Immigration officers refused to allow them to enter the United States.

Civil Servants to Give Evidence.

Ottawa, Feb. 3.—With an agreement reached by the local newspapers not to publish the names of civil servants who give evidence, Provincial Inspector Rogers is enabled to call upon 12 Ottawa money lenders to answer charges of making loans at usurous rates of interest.

Witnesses are now ready to give evidence on the understanding that their private affairs will not be made public in the press.

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LAIRD-SCOTT CASE DROPPED.

Litigating Parties Agree to End Their Dispute Over Charges.

Regina, Sask., Feb. 3.—Following the disagreement, after 12 hours' duration, of the jury in the Laird-Scott criminal libel case, an agreement was reached yesterday afternoon by which all the cases arising out of graft charges are dropped.

The case of Laird against The Regina Leader, Premier Scott's paper, for $25,000 damages, is dropped and Laird is to ask the Attorney-General to definitely discontinue criminal action against Scott.

The reason given for the arrangement is the prospective difficulty of arriving at a verdict and an agreement is made that the costs in each case will be paid by the parties incurring them.

The foreman of the jury told Judge Nelands they had reduced the charge to that of Laird having received $500 for his city campaign fund, and found him innocent of all but this.

The sticker was whether or not this $500 was used for his personal profit.

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George H. King, of 22 Wellington street, South Woodstock, says: "We would not think of keeping house without Hyomei. It has warded off colds, croup, coughs and sore throats for all of our three children many and many a time. When a child breathes badly and through the mouth and the glands around the eyes and nose commence to swell, then is the time that we find the Hyomei quickly relieves the trouble and gets the bronchial tubes, lungs and throat cleared up."

Hyomei (pronounced High-o-me) is guaranteed by Wm. Madill to cure catarrh, coughs, colds, asthma, bronchitis and croup, or money back. A complete outfit, including a neat, hard rubber pocket inhaler, costs only $1.00. An extra bottle of Hyomei, if afterwards needed, cost but 50 cents.

Tariff, Not Frost, to Blame.

London, Feb. 3.—George Wyndham, M.P., addressing a meeting at Birkenhead, said Mr. Lloyd George, in a speech some time ago, had accused him of not having told his audience at a former meeting that the St. Lawrence being frozen in winter we had no direct route for taking tinplates directly to Canada.

"I ask him to apologize to his audience and the whole Dominion. Lloyd George ought to have told his audience that the anti-dumping clause of the Canadian Act, not frost, was the reason that checked the dumping of tinplates in Canada to the detriment of our trade."

Taft to Become a Mason.

Cincinnati, Feb. 3.—The grand master of the Ohio Masons, Charles S. Hoskinson, of Zanesville, has tendered to William Howard Taft, President-elect of the United States, the rare and high honor of being made a Mason at sight. Judge Taft has accepted and the ceremony on Feb. 18 in the Scottish Rite Cathedral will be a notable one.

To Improve French Navy.

Paris, Feb. 3.—Alfred Picard, who was named Minister of Marine in succession to M. Thomsan last year, for the purpose of reorganizing and carrying out reforms in the French navy, has presented to the Cabinet an extensive plan of development which, not counting new ships, involves an expenditure of $45,000,000.

Sues Municipality For $10,000.

Ottawa, Feb. 3.—Annie L. McGuire is suing the Corporation of Burk's Falls and the mayor for $10,000 for loss by fire of her hotel. She claims that the water pressure was too low for protection, whereas she had lots of hose, etc. She alleges the water was being supplied to the G.T.R. engines instead of the village.

Fast In the Ice.

Pictou, N.S., Feb. 3.—The steamer Minto is still stuck hard and fast in the ice, about two miles off Pictou light. The ice is exceptionally heavy. Four passeners and mails came off the Minto on Monday by teams. Provisions have been taken out to the steamer.

A New Flyer.

Berlin, Feb. 3.—Armand Zipfel, the French aviator, made four successful aeroplane flights here yesterday. Each time he covered a distance of nearly a mile at a height of from 30 to 40 feet.

Author Suicides.

Mendham, N.J., Feb. 3.—John Gilmer Speed, the author and journalist, committed suicide by shooting himself in the head while in his bedroom in the Phoenix House here yesterday.

Charges Against Judge.

Toronto, Feb. 3.—Judge E. B. Fralick of Belleville was at Madoc on Jan. 23, when the license inspector at Madoc obtained the conviction of two hotelkeepers, Wm. Goulding and John Quinn of Marmora, for selling liquor to minors. R. R. Casement, J.P., imposed a fine of $20 each upon the offenders.

Judge Fralick's court sat the same day, but only for an hour, and the judge sojourned to the hotel afterwards.

The inspector reports to the Provincial Secretary's Department that the judge talked very loud about the cases. He reminded the inspector that if the cases were appealed, they would come before him as county judge, and if this were the case he would "soon upset the convictions."

The notices of appeal being now issued, the inspector reports the matter so as to make certain that Judge Fralick should not be permitted to adjudicate upon them.

The Department will lay the matter before the Minister of Justice.

Bad Trio Rounded Up.

Phoenix, B.C., Feb. 3.—Chief Bunbury and Constable Dockateader, assisted by the deputy sheriff of Okanagan County, Washington, rounded up three bandits at Oreville, Washington, 70 miles west of here. The deputy sheriff arrested Bill and Cleve Newman, lodging them in the county jail. Both carried revolvers. By a ruse a third bandit, Ben Hart, believing he had only American officers to deal with, headed across to the Canadian side, where he was captured after a little gun play.

Hart confessed to participating in the Bridesville hold-up, and has offered to turn King's evidence. The police believe they are the desperadoes who held up a hotel at Midway on Aug. 25, when one man was killed.

Hotelmen Fined.

Stratford, Feb. 3.—Eight hotelkeepers were summoned to court yesterday on charges of selling liquor after hours or on Sunday. In this "clean up" by the provincial license department half the hotelmen in the city were involved. All pleaded guilty. Magistrate O'Loane imposed fines amounting to $600 and costs as follows: Queen's Hotel, Norman Reinhart, $125 and costs, second offence; Albian, James, $75 and costs; Victoria, Chas. Casson, $50 and costs; American, Geo. Richardson, $50 and costs; Dominion, Mat Strode, $50 and costs; Windsor, Thomas Gillespie, $75 and costs; Commercial, J. J. Hagarty, $75 and costs; Mansion, Ephraim Killer, $100 and costs, second offence.

Confesses to Burglaries.

Kingston, Feb. 3.—Reginald Lewis, aged 23, and Percy Pare, 27 the latter belonging to the Army Service Corps, having confessed to Saturday night's burglary at Gananoque, but they deny having been responsible for causing the subsequent big fire.

In addition, they admit having committed the recent burglaries in this city, the loot amounting to thousands of dollars. Much of it has been recovered. They will be sentenced on Friday.

The police here found that the men had hired a livery and had been to Gananoque. They secured Lewis and he admitted the fact. After being put through a sweating he gave in.

Teamsters Lockout In Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, Feb. 3.—At four o'clock yesterday afternoon the Manitoba Cartage Co., a subsidiary to the C.P.R., locked out 25 teamsters for taking an active part in the establishment of a union.

A general strike among the teamsters is expected to result.

Aeronauts Dashed to Death.

Saint Pons, France, Feb. 3.—A balloon which was drifting over the mountains at night was overcome by a gale. The occupants of the car, two Bordeaux aeronauts, tried to make a descent, but a violent gust dashed the balloon against a boulder and both were killed.

Village Carried Underground.

Rome, Feb. 3.—Prince Scales, who has just returned from Calabria, brings reports of some telluric phenomena which seem almost incredible. One of the villages, he says, was carried 250 feet underground by the opening of the earth and the subsequent landslide.

Elected by Acclamation.

Montreal, Feb. 3.—Hon. Jeremie Decarie, the new Minister of Agriculture in the Gouin Government, was elected yesterday by acclamation in his old constituency of Hochelaga, while the Liberal member, Mr. Galipault, was also returned unopposed in Bellechasse.

Skin Diseases.

A diseased or disfigured skin will always leave its stamp on the mind of the individual. Many people suffering from disfiguring skin diseases avoid society and lose all pride in their personal appearance. When the skin breaks out in eruptions and sores it is due entirely to an impure condition of the blood.

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SORES ON FACE.

Mrs. Harvey Barkhouse, Gold River, N.S., writes: "I was greatly troubled with Sores on my face and finally became so bad I had to go to the doctor about it, but he could do nothing to help me.

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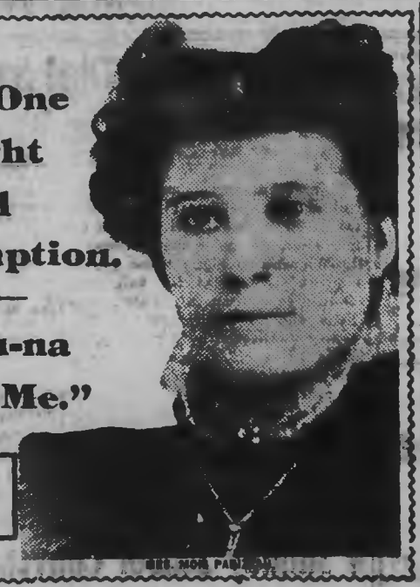

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A NEGLECTED cold is generally the first cause of catarrh.

Women are especially liable to colds. These colds occur more frequently during the wet, sloppy weather of winter and spring than any other time of the year. Often they are not considered serious and are allowed to run on, or they are treated in such a way as to only palliate the symptoms, while the cold becomes more deep-seated and the patient finally awakens to the fact that she has a well-developed case of catarrh.

WOMEN SHOULD BEWARE OF CATCHING COLD.

By reason of their delicate structure, the lungs are frequently the seat of a cold, especially if there is the slightest weakness of these organs. The treatment of catarrh of the lungs is also more difficult and discouraging than catarrh of any other organ of the body.

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Mrs. Jaschob, 1631 Hicks St., Toledo, Ohio, writes:

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Most Enjoyable Time Spent At The W. A. Japanese Tea

A most enjoyable time was spent yesterday afternoon at a Japanese tea given in the Guild room of St. John's church under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary which proved a great success as the hall was crowded to such an extent that more chairs had to be brought in. The scenery was loaned by Mr Devey and had a great effect upon the stage. The decorating was done by the ladies of the congregation and represented a cherry orchard and the young people added greatly to this effect by appearing to wait on the tables in Japanese costumes.

They were Miss Seward, Miss Morphet, Miss Palmer, Miss Nesbitt, Miss Dela Fosse and Miss Horsfield.

During the course of the tea Miss Humphreys gave a very interesting account of her work on an island near Vancouver which was listened to with great pleasure. Mrs Davidson also spoke very appropriately, urging the people to take more interest in the Missions and also to study the Missionary books more closely than has been done in the past.

Music was rendered by Miss K. Wallis and Miss E. Aylmer. The ladies chorus consisted of Mrs. Devey, Mrs Seward, Mrs. Common, and Mrs. Evans who sang splendidly, pleasing all present.

The tea came to an end about seven o'clock, those present giving vent to their feelings by congratulating those who were responsible for the enjoyable time that had been spent.

A Sunday School Convention Is To Be Held Here In May

A meeting of the City Sunday School Association was held last night in the Y.M.C.A. parlours with Rev. H J Keith in the chair. The meeting was called for the purpose of considering the advisability of holding a county Sunday School Convention in the city. After due deliberation it was decided, with the concurrence of the County Association to hold a convention here on Monday and Tuesday, May 3rd and 4th. It is expected that Rev. Canon Sweeny, president of the Provincial Association, will be present as well as a number of other prominent workers.

STRATHCONAS OR LAKEFIELD FOR THE CITY LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIP?

The tit-bit of the local City League season will be pulled off to-morrow night, when the Strathconas and Lakefield will come together in the final game for the City League Championship, and the great interest that is being taken in the contest presages a record crowd when the two get together. There is much conflicting opinion amongst the fans as to the result. Many local people count upon Lakefield to win the contest, while on the other hand do not feel that it is possible for the local option seven to stop the Straths, who have not been defeated in a City League game in three years. In any event it will be a grand battle. Neither team has lost a game this season and on the dope sheet look to be about equal. The Lakefield players have been practising faithfully and will be down to-morrow night with the determination of beating the Straths. The High Commissioners will, however, trot out the strongest team that has represented them this year and are not worrying about the result.

The executive of the City League has decided to reverse the schedule for the evening, so that the big game will be played first starting sharp at 8 p.m., while the Belmont - West End game which was to have been first, will follow the other contest.

In addition, what looks to be the decisive game in the Junior City League will be played commencing at 6.45, the Chieftains clashing with the George street team. Neither has been defeated and a win for either probably means the championship. It should be a great game. The last City League games of the season should draw a big crowd, especially in view of the fact that the championships of both Leagues hinge on the results.

The Strathconas City League team and the Peterborough Intermediate O.H.A. team will practise together to-night at Brock street Rink between 7 and 8 p.m. A full turn-out of both teams is expected as the Straths play the City League finals to-morrow night, while the Petes have a hard game with Lindsay on Friday night.

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Will be Held Thursday Evening—Officers to be Elected.

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Poultry Association will be held to-morrow (Thursday) night in the hall on Simcoe street over C. N. Brown's flour and feed store. Officers are to be elected for the ensuing year; the auditor's report will be presented, and other important business is to be transacted. It is important that there should be a large attendance of members. The Association has had a most successful year, and with earnest co-operation of the members during the coming season there is no reason by even greater success should not be achieved.

GOODS STOLEN FROM CUTTER

Mr. McManus, of Douro, had the misfortune to have a pair of rubbers and socks to match, also a demijohn of syrup, stolen from his cutter while he was absent about ten minutes. This happened on Tuesday at one of the local hotels, and Mr. McManus had to buy another pair before he left for home.

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A "CLEAN UP" OF THE HOTELMEN

Half the Hotel Proprietors of Stratford Fined for Breaking the Law.

Stratford, Feb. 3.—Eight hotelkeepers were summoned to Court yesterday on charges of selling liquor after hours or on Sunday. In this "clean-up" by the Provincial License Department, half the hotelmen in the city were involved. No evidence was taken, however, as all decided to plead guilty. Magistrate O'Loane imposed fines amounting to $600 and costs as follows:—

Queen's Hotel — Norman Reinhart, $125 and costs, second offence.
Albion — James Hastings, $75 and costs.
Victoria—Chas. Casson, $50 and costs.
American—George Richardson, $50 and costs.
Dominion—Mat Strode, $50 and costs.
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OBITUARY

JAMES MONGRAW

At St. Joseph's Hospital this morning (Wednesday) the death occurred of Mr James Mongraw, at the age of 52 years. He was born in Cannington, moving to this city 19 years ago, when he engaged in the barber business, having a shop on Simcoe street. Mr. Mongraw will be greatly missed by a large circle of friends. He is survived by his wife, who lives at 182 Hazlitt avenue, West City, and five daughters and three sons; the daughters are Mrs. W Bailey, of this city; Mrs E D Woods, Battleford, Sask.; Edith, Vera and Leah, at home. The sons are Clarence, George and Harold, all of this city.

The funeral notice will appear later, owing to having to wait for relatives coming from the West.

MRS. ROBERT WALTON

The death occurred in Chicago on Tuesday of Mrs. Robert Walton, a well known resident of this city, at the age of about 70 years. Mrs. Walton resided with her husband for about 50 years in Peterborough, being one of the oldest settlers in this district. Her husband predeceased her four years ago, since then she resided in Chicago with her daughter. She is survived by three daughters and five sons. The funeral will be held on Friday on the arrival of the 11.45 G.T.R. train, and proceed to Little Lake Cemetery for interment.

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MUSIC AND DRAMA

Speaking of Kathryn Osterman, who appeared in Toronto the week before last the Toronto Globe has the following to say—

It has been some time since patrons of the Grand Opera House have laughed so heartily as they did last night over the piece of mirthful absurdity, 'The Night of the Play," which is Kathryn Osterman's starring in her throat; terror crowds few real comediennes, and Miss Osterman happens to be one of them. To hear her laugh and not to laugh with her is an utter impossibility. But that vocal mirth of hers is but one of her gifts; she has a droll personality, a whimsical seriousness which is even more funny than her moments of high vivacity. For instance, in the second act when she is party to an innocent but compromising situation, her ability as a comedienne is put to test. She is enjoying the situation, she releases her associates, gives rein to her sense of humour, and then, in the midst of her laughter, comes an ominous knock at the door. Her husband, her jealous husband, is there! The laughter shrivels; one hears a choking in her throat; terror comes with from her face. What a study in facial expression. And by the same token, what a study in vocal expression That is, of acting. All the members of Miss Osterman's company are admirably qualified for her support. One of them is Miss Sada Werthero. She has girlish vivacity, the grace and charm of youth, and in addition to that reveals a certain womanly reserve. In the role of the jealous but well-manner husband Gavin Harris demonstrated that he is capable. C. L. Worthington, Edna Post, Wm. A Williams, Guy Sampsel and the entire company are good Miss Osterman's gowns are beautiful. They are the kind that most women see in their dreams but seldom attain. One of the decided hits is the wonderful directoire. It is made of the cloth-of-gold, and is worn by the clever comedienne in the fourth act.

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The Power Stock Company will open a week's engagement at the opera house Monday evening, Feb 8, presenting a brand new line of plays of a variety to suit everybody. The Company has been selected with great care and the plays are produced under the direction of the well known comedian Herbert H. Power, whose thorough knowledge of the stage is sure to warrant finished performances in every detail. The specialties are bright and interesting and their introduction between the acts avoids long and tedious waits, making the performance practically continuous.

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County Seeks Equal Rights For Country Children At Collegiate

Deputation Waits on Board of Education---Explanation of How Difference Would be Made Up---Reports From Committees and Special Business Introduced---Regular Meeting.

The Board of Education's regular monthly session was held on Tuesday night with a full attendance of the members. Principal Kenner, of the Collegiate Institute and Inspector Mowat were also present.

The first business was the reception of a delegation from the County Council appointed during its recent session to wait on the Board with a view to securing the admission to the Collegiate Institute of pupils from the county at the same fees as is charged the city pupils. The delegation comprised Warden Scott, Councillor Stewart, School Inspectors Lees and Brown and the County Clerk, Mr. Ed. M. Elliott.

Warden Scott introduced the subject, stating that a larger number of pupils would attend the Collegiate Institute were the arrangement of fees more satisfactory. As it is the board during their stay in the city is a heavy bill of expense and the fees are unsatisfactory.

Inspector Brown.

Mr. J. Coyle Brown, one of the Inspectors for the County pointed out how the High School Act allowed for a special grant from any county to the maintenance of a High School in any city where such school or Collegiate Institution was thrown open to the county. He stated that there would be no additional expense brought upon the Board and the staff of teachers would not need to be enlarged.

Mr. Brown also stated that many of the citizens were indifferent to the advantages their Collegiate Institute afforded. On the other hand county pupils have to make a sacrifice, monetary at least, to attend, and in practically every case they would put forth their best efforts.

Mr. Brown stated that the idea of the Collegiate Institute being a place for rich men's pupils had passed away largely and was now looked upon as it should, as a school for the children of people of lesser means. In concluding he stated that if the city would open its doors, the special assessment of the county would make up for the loss of fees.

Mr. Richard Lees.

Public School Inspector Lees further explained the manner in which the county provided for special assessment. The present fee of $2 50 a month he said was practically prohibitory. Mr. Lees read the following from the High School Act which deals with this case.

"Where the trustees of any high school situated in a city or in a town separated from the county notify the county clerk that such high school is open to county pupils on the same terms as high schools in the municipalities not separated from the county, the county council shall in all such cases pay a sum equal to 50 per cent. of the average annual cost of the maintenance of county pupils at such high schools."

By section 40 of the Statute Law Amendment Act 1907 the mode of estimating the amount payable is set forth as follows—

"From the total cost of maintenance of the High School there shall be deducted the amount of the legislative grant,—the remainder shall be divided by a number representing the total number of days' attendance of all pupils at such High School during the year for which payment is to be made and the resulting amount shall be multiplied by the total number of days' attendance of pupils in respect of whom such municipality is liable—the percentage mentioned in the subsection under which payment is to be made shall then be determined, and from this amount the fees paid by such pupils shall be deducted, and the resulting amount shall be the amount payable by such municipality."

Explanation.

By way of explanation Mr. Lees stated that the amount is obtained as follows—Find the average cost per day of each pupil, including county and city together, multiply this by the total number of days attendance of county pupils and 50 per cent. of this is paid by the county to the city.

Mr. Elliott and Mr. Stewart also spoke on the question. Whenever the to open the Collegiate and so informs Board state that they have decided the clerk, then the pupils will be sent and the county assumes its liability.

Mr. Wm. Hill's Remarks.

Mr. Hill stated that the reason it had not been opened before was because it was thought that there was no extra accommodation to spare. He suggested several methods of circumventing the fee question. One of them was for the pupils to pay the regular fee demanded and the county make up the difference between this and the fee charged city pupils. This would save the county money as the present fee of $25.00 per year and the other method suggested would cost the county over $40 a year for each pupil.

Dr Morrison and Mr. Dumble expressed their views of the subject. It was finally moved by Messrs Hill and Morrison that the matter be referred to the committee of the whole Board.

No Accommodation.

Mr Kenner afterwards stated that there were 39 pupils from the county now in attendance and he considered that it was not feasible to change the fee with the present size of the building.

Mr Hill remarked that it had not been built large enough.

Communications

The following communications were received:

From Mr. W J Dunlop, secretary of the Historical Society, asking for permission to use one of the rooms in the Collegiate Institute for the meetings of the Society.—Granted.

From Mrs. A Stevenson, secretary of Y.W.C.A. Board, asking for the use of the Collegiate Institute Assembly Hall for the closing exercises of the Y.W.C.A.—Granted.

Accounts Presented

The following accounts were ordered to be paid:

Bell Telephone Co...	$ 40
R Fair & Co.....	48 50
H R H Kenner.....	4 00
Peterborough Canoe Co...	238 60
G.N.W. Telegraph Co...	34
Peterborough Canoe Co... .....,	223 75
Peterborough Canoe Co...	1 00
United Agency Co.....	3 00
Peterborough Hardware Co.....	90
Peterborough Fuel & Cartage	17 32
Peterboro Light & Power Co...	5 37
G W Green.....	5 24
Water Commissioners	68 01
T C Westlake.....	2 50
Peterborough Review	15 00
Mann Lumber and Box Co...	4 25
Mann Lumber and Box Co...	1 20
Mann Lumber and Box Co ...	90
Wm Hipperson	22 00
Adamson & Dobbin...	2 81
A R Williams Machinery Co...	57 62
E B Clegg...	7 00
Peterboro Light & Power Co...	27 60
Higgins Hardware Co...	4 50
Berlin Interior Hardware Co...	422 65
Berlin Interior Hardware Co...	168 00
W J Johnston...	442 36
T Foster.....	50
R Fair & Co.....	14 07
R J Soden.....	9 00
R J Soden.....	12 25
Peterborough Lock Co...	60
Peterboro Light & Power Co...	31 20
United Agency Co.....	2 00
Bee Hive.....	6 24
R Gibbs.....	2 00
W Madill	1 75
F Mason.....	2 40
Jas Smart Co.....	350 00
McGregor & Reid.....	42 60
McGregor & Reid.....	5 73
F R J MacPherson...	34 88
Isaac Noble.....	3 05

Attendance at School

The monthly reports from the various schools showed the following attendance:

Collegiate Institute

	On Roll.	Average.
Form 1V.....	22	21
Form 3A...	33	32
Form 3B...	24	23
Form 2A.....	37	33
Form 2B...	43	40
Form 1A.....	38	36
Form 1B...	44	43
Form 1C.....	41	40
Com. I...	37	34
Com. II.....	20	19
	339	321

H. R. H. KENNER, Principal.

Public School Attendance

	On Roll.	Average.
Central	429	390
South Central... ...	393	364
Queen Alexandea...	256	234
King Edward...	252	236
East City	200	182
Park Street	160	147
Total	1720	1583
Kindergartens	152	124
Grand Totals	1872	1707

A. MOWAT, Inspector.

Statement of Accounts Paid

The payments of the following accounts were confirmed on motion of Messrs. Fair and Crane:

McGregor & Reid, balance in full of contract, extras, and all demands re Collegiate Institute, $701.63.

C. A. J. Duranceau, on account contract re Collegiate Institute, $950.00.

J Lacheur, for work at schools, $1.50.

Peterborough Water Commissioners, special frontage tax, and proportion of law rates, $10.92.

R. J. Soden, account for text books, $85.52.

F. J. Drake, for carting ashes, $2.00.

Mrs. Latchford, for cleaning at Domestic Science Department, $1.25.

Peterborough Canoe Co., contract for physics tables, and for extras, $157.80.

H Edmondson, carting, $2.50.

R J Soden, account for text books, $46.46.

C. Barrett, for work at Domestic Science Department, $5.00.

Property Committee

Mr. Nelson moved the adoption of the following report, which he read:

That this Committee has received an estimate from Alexander & Miller for the installation of two mechanical weather proof enclosed iron box bells with 5 gongs to operate over hallway of 1st floor of Collegiate Institute for $28.00; two similar bells, but larger, for 10 in. gong, $40.00.

The rollers for towels at the buildings have been furnished.

The following window shades have been ordered to be placed as follows: Queen Alexandra, 19 shades; Central School, 6 shades; New Collegiate, 8 shades. These are of the best Holland and mounted on rollers of suitable strength, the price complete being $18.28. It was thought advisable to leave all the blinds on the windows as at present, thereby having two shades when the new ones are placed. Messrs. Hall & Son have agreed to refit the blinds now, or at any time we desire to do so.

Your Committee have had a compressed air spring placed on the north outside door of the Collegiate Institute, also chains have been ordered to be placed on tanlights in daily use, in the building. It was found that the tanlights were without sufficient support when opened, and several accidents were narrowly averted.

The matter of the Janitor of the East City School is still under consideration.

The old stoves in the Central school have been disposed of to the Higgins Hardware Company for the sum of $13.00.

This was seconded by Mr. Mason and was carried.

Finance Committee

The report of the Finance Committee was as follows:

Your Finance Committee beg leave to report and recommend the payment of the following accounts:

John Watson Mfg. Co... .....$	24 00
Canadian Gen. Elec. Co...	60 55
Peterborough Examiner Co ...	37 20
Peterborough Hardware Co ...	4 65
Peterborough Hardware Co ...	401 87
Peterborough Hardware Co ...	1 25
Peterborough Review...	3 82
W H Hamilton.....	50
United Agency Co	6 00
G W Green...	13 63
Adamson & Dobbin...	12 66
Chas. Huttman.....	50 00
McGregor & Reid.....	2 00
Robt. Hicks...	75
Robt. Hicks	1 15
Robt. Hicks.....	147 04
Robt. Hicks.....	206 43
Peterboro Light & Power Co ...	87
Peterboro Light & Water Co ...	8 75
B F Ackerman & So...	8 50
B F Ackerman & Son.....	4 25
Kingan Hardware Co...	6 35
G.N.W. Telegraph Co...	2 36
Wm Gaertner & Co...	28 02
Bell Telephone Co.....	2 85
Davis, Thompson Co.....	125 00
Canadian Casualty and Boiler Insurance Co.....	48 00
Dennistoun, Peck & Kerr	50 00
B G Yelland...	4 00
A Comstock.....	46 00
F I. Robinson.....	3 00
Langford & Sheeny...	39 75
R Gibbs.....	6 00
T A Rehill.....	1 50

R. FAIR, Chairman.

Monies Received

The monies received were as follows:

H R H Kenner, fees... .....$	593 00
City Treasurer, account Municipal Grant	15,000 00
Government Grant, for use of rooms in Public Schools for observation and practice teaching.....	750 00
Text Book Fees...	250 60

Committee on Appointments

Mr. Hill presented the following report of the Committee on Appointments, which was adopted:

Your Committee on Appointments beg leave to report:

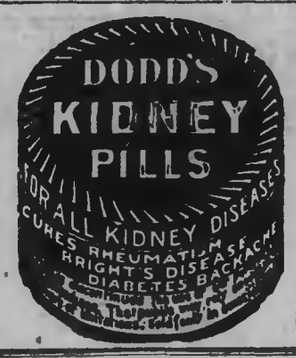
That they have carefully considered the High School Inspector's Report, and recommend as follows:

That the Property Committee be authorized to purchase a gong, towels and extra blinds for one room on the south side of the Collegiate Institute Building.

That the Scientific Apparatus, Art Models, and books required under the Department Regulations be referred to the Supervision Committee with instruction to purchase the minimum amount necessary in each case.

That the sum of $100.00 be granted for Library purposes, and that the same be expended under the direction of the Supervision Committee.

The Committee also considered the Public School Inspector's Quarterly Report, and are pleased to find the Public Schools in such a satisfactory condition, and we believe at the present time we have a staff on the Public Schools second to none in the Province.



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REGARDING ISSUE OF C.P.R. STOCK

W. F. Maclean Says It Means a Big "Melon Cutting."

PEOPLE WILL HAVE TO PAY

In Reply to South York Member's Protest Against Increase of Stock of Canadian Pacific, Mr. Graham Says the Road Must Have Every Chance to Maintain Its High Standing In World.

Ottawa, Feb. 3.—The process known in the terminology of Wall street as "cutting the melon" was the subject of a brief but spirited debate in the House yesterday afternoon. For the benefit of members not familiar with the phrase, Mr. W. F. Maclean cited, as an illustration, the proposed increase of capital stock of the C.P.R. from 150 to 200 million dollars, authority to issue which has been granted by the Government. In this method of finance Mr. Maclean declared there was an attempt on the part of the C.P.R. to pocket twenty-five millions of the people's money for the benefit of its shareholders, and he vigorously denounced the proposal as a "public scandal." Hon. Mr. Graham, while admitting that there was room for argument as to the best and safest means of financing the big railway corporations, pointed out that in authorizing the C.P.R. to issue the additional stock he had simply followed the policy usually adopted in the past.

Mr. Maclean found his opportunity to raise the question on the motion to go into supply. He claimed that the increase in the capitalization of Canadian railways was of the utmost concern to the people, and argued that there should be some control exercised by Parliament over the issue of railway securities. The State of New York had passed legislation in that direction, and it had proved to be in the public interest. The issuing of fifty million dollars of stock by the C.P.R. to its shareholders at par, when in the open market it would bring at least $150 per $100 share, would be a public scandal. The stock ought to be sold in the open market to the highest bidder, and there should be a provision in the railway act giving the Railway Commission power to control the issue of such stock. Alternatively, the C.P.R., if it wanted to raise money, should be limited to floating bonds, carrying, say, 4 per cent. The C.P.R. would have to pay dividends on an additional fifty millions of stock, which it proposed to issue, and in order to realize those dividends the people might be called upon to pay higher freight and passenger rates.

Hon. Mr. Graham pointed out that the C.P.R. was one of the best-managed railway companies in the world. It was necessary that the credit of Canadian undertakings should stand high in the eyes of the world, and the C.P.R. had carried out its undertakings with a marvellous degree of efficiency. If that "company," after years of experience, asked authority to raise money to enable it to meet the demands for greater railway facilities in the west, it was the duty of the people to as far as possible to acquiesce in that request, in order that the requirements of the west might be met. There was room for argument as to whether the issue of additional capital stock or floating of bonds was the better method of financing, but in authorizing an increase in the capital stock of the company the Government had simply followed the course pursued in the past. It had to be remembered that it makes a marked difference in the value of C.P.R. stock and in the credit of the company if it was to issue bonds of any large amount in order to raise more capital. The C.P.R. had to look to the future, and should be given every opportunity to retain its high financial position. In view of the desire of the company to extend railway facilities in the west, he thought the Government were justified in authorizing an increase of capital stock. There was a good deal to be said in favor of giving some control of such matters to the Railway Commission, but it was a question whether the Government, who were directly responsible to the people should entirely divest themselves of such responsibility in a matter of that kind, or whether the Railway Commission should advise the Government.

Hon. John Haggart maintained that the stockholders of the C.P.R. had a right to be considered, and that the interests of the people as far as freight rates were concerned, were safeguarded by the Railway Commission.

Dr. Sproule supported Mr Maclean's contention that the stock should be sold in the open market at the highest price it would bring.

Dr. Chisholm thought that the C.P.R. could get all the money it wanted by selling its western lands at a reasonable price.

The matter then dropped, the House going into supply.

Hon. Sydney Fisher was prepared yesterday to introduce his bill giving effect to the resolution increasing the salaries of the inside civil service, but Mr. Foster and other members of the Opposition desired more information as to the details of the scheme, and, after a desultory discussion regarding the hours and duties of civil servants, consideration of the resolution was adjourned.

The House spent three hours in committee of supply. Hon. Mr. Paterson put through the excise estimates, and several civil Government items were also passed.

Mr. Sealey (Wentworth) has given notice of a resolution asking the Commons to declare that, inasmuch as the manufacturers of Canada are given the benefit of tariff protection, a similar protection should be given by the tariff to Canadian agriculturists and stock-raisers upon hogs, hog products, garden vegetables and "such other items as it may appear possible to protect with advantage to agriculturists and without undue injury to Canadian consumers."

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TWO CONDUCTORS JAILED

Trainmen on Toronto-Montreal Run and Three Other Men Are Arrested —Accused of Selling Bogus Tickets to Jews and Honoring Them on Train—Fare Was $4 Instead of $10 — Bank Checks Used.

Toronto, Feb. 3.—A big swindle by which the Grand Trunk Railway has been the victim for three and a half years, was ended last night, with the arrest of two Grand Trunk conductors and three alleged "phony" ticket manipulators.

Two of the arrests were effected in or near Montreal, and three in Toronto, being practically simultaneous, since all happened between the hours of 8 and 9 p.m. The prisoners are:

Conductor Daniel Corrigan, 375 West King street, Toronto, arrested on the 8.30 train for Montreal.

Conductor Frank McCallum, Montreal, arrested on train No. 5 out of Montreal.

Jacob Woods, 117 York street, arrested at 8 p.m. on York street, opposite the bar entrance to the Palmer House.

Harry Rosenbes, 95 William street, arrested at 8.30 at the entrance to the Kerby House, Queen street.

Joseph Woods, arrested in Montreal at 8 p.m.

The round-up is due to the efforts of the Thiel Detective Agency, who planned the swoop from both ends of the line and materialized it with the aid of the local detective department, whose agents made the arrests.

Local Manager James E. Stein of the Thiel Agency states that the depredations have been systematically going on for three and a half years, and that during the month of January alone Harry Rosenbes, in collusion with Conductor Corrigan, has defrauded the company of $520 clear, to say nothing of the extent of the company's losses if the 130 passengers carried had paid the regular $10 single trip fare.

They operated chiefly among Jews, who thought they had struck a bonanza in the way of cut rates, at $4 per fare to Montreal.

The system was worked at both ends, and this is how Conductor McCallum and Joseph Woods of Montreal happened to get tangled into the snare.

Jacob Woods, the third Toronto man, wasn't in on the deal with the Corrigan, Rosenbes, McCallum, Woods quartette, but he is charged with carrying on a system all his own.

He would sell his patrons a regular ticket good for a short distance out of Toronto at $4 and go down to the depot personally and "fix" it with the conductor, according to the story of the Thiel sleuths.

But the quartette are charged with using holder methods. Rosenbes, working in Toronto, and Jos. Woods in Montreal, issued tickets of their own, improvised by marking blue pencil stubs on yellow Imperial Bank checks.

The yellow checks of the Imperial Bank are the exact color of the G.T.R. second-class ticket, and a "spotter" sitting in a train, seeing no cash transaction, allowed the thing to pass.

These yellow slips bore the initials "H. R." also "T. M." indicating a through passage to Montreal. They were also numbered.

FOUL PLAY IDEA IS STRENGTHENED

Another Complication Arises in Vansickle Case.

TROUBLE AFTER FUNERAL

Charges Made by Father of Harry Vansickle Leads to Hot Dispute and Family Breaks Up Into Two Factions—Discovery of Revolver Is Announced After Having Been Concealed For Some Time.

Brantford, Feb. 3.—The Jerseyville cremation tragedy is further complicated by the announcement of the finding of Harry Vansickle's revolver close to the spot where his body was picked up in the ruins of the burned homestead.

It was picked up Sunday morning by Seth Vansickle between the spots where lay the bodies of Harry and Martin. There were four cartridges in the five-bullet cylinder, and the caps in two of these showed that they had been discharged by the trigger, and therefore to have been fired before the revolver was burned.

This fact had been concealed by the members of the family until yesterday.

The theory that Harry, whose body was found in the east end of the building, while he is supposed to have slept in the west end, was dressed and had risen before he died, is confirmed by the finding of his keys and the chain upon which he wore them attached to his trousers, close to the spot where the body was picked up.

The breach in the Vansickle family is widening, and it now needs but a spark to bring the different factions into open conflict. Indeed there was trouble yesterday, even at the funeral, which was the largest in the history of the district. After the service a great crowd started to the ruins and descended to the basement.

There, Wesley Vansickle, father of Harry, voiced his doubt as to his son's death being accidental. He was engaged in argument with Sam Misner, a neighbor, distant relative and sympathizer of the other faction. The old man became excited and his arguments came close to being charges. This lasted nearly an hour and was watched and heard by more than a hundred of those who had attended the funeral. It was this that led to the disclosure of the finding of the revolver, which, it was urged, showed at least that Harry had not been attacked. It is said that shots were heard in the house about 11 o'clock Saturday morning, shortly after the fire was discovered. These may be explained as coming from three shotguns. A small 22 calibre revolver belonging to old Phillip was found in the ashes of his room.

The question of motive for foul play still remains far from decided. The statement that a new will had been made by old Phillip at Christmas time loses weight from the fact that J. G. Cochrane of Jerseyville, who drew the one made last May, and also the one made two years before, says that the one drawn in May is the last will. This is further supported by all the sons of the old man, who say that they knew of no other will.

Of course the point is brought out that even without a will the fire destroyed two of the natural heirs to the old man's property and two likely to share largely in his estate under any will owing to their close attendance upon him in his last years. Mr. Cochrane would say nothing as to the contents of the will.

Maitland Vansickle, son of Philip, was at the funeral yesterday from northern Michigan. He is indignant that Wesley should hint at foul play, and it was he who disclosed the finding of Harry's revolver, which he says shows that Harry at least was not attacked.

Practically nothing has been done to collect evidence of the crime. The suspender buckle found in the back of Harry's body has been lost. The coroner has not yet learned of the finding of Harry's revolver, the few bits of the clothing are not collected and neither coroner, farmer nor Constable Phillips has been on the ground since the fire.

Roosevelt Refuses $10,000.

Washington, Feb. 3.—President Roosevelt, in a letter to the attorneys for the administration, says that under no conditions will he accept a legacy of $10,000 left by the last will of Benj. Hadley, an East Somerville recluse, who died Dec. 16, 1907. The will disposes of property valued at $150,000.

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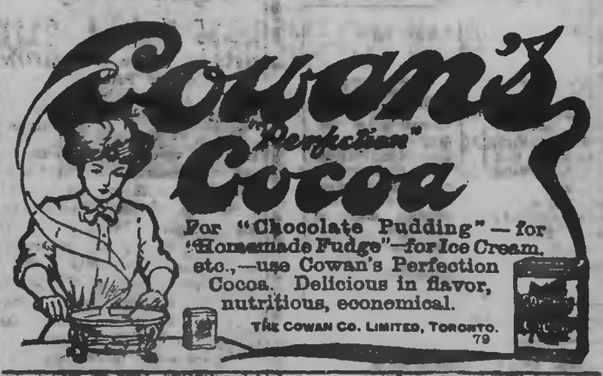

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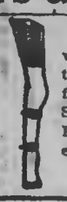

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RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

PETERBORO TRIMMED COBOURG TEAM HANDILY BY 13 GOALS TO 1 IN AN INTERMEDIATE O. H. A. GAME

Lakeshore Bunch Were Never in the Running and it Was a Good Work-out for the Lindsay Game.

HALF-TIME SCORE WAS 5-0

The Peterborough Intermediates had an easy task in stalling off Cobourg in the Intermediate O. H. A. game played at the Brock Street rink last night, and the homesters won under wraps by 13 goals to 1, leading at the half by 5 goals to nothing. The game was fast and interesting always, and the good crowd of fans present found it entertaining from start to finish, although there never was any doubt of the result. The visitors were outplayed throughout and the score might have been larger had not the Petes grown careless and lost opportunities when in close. The locals had too much speed and combination for the Lakeshore bunch, and although the latter worked hard until the last whistle they were not in the hunt. Several of the junior team were on their line-up and the youngsters did good work at all times, especially Guy, the cover point of the juniors, who played at cover point last night. The ice was in grand condition for fast hockey, and in consequence there was some brilliant individual work and some splendid combination was shown, the greater part of the latter being contributed by the locals, whose forward line broke away nicely together, and handled the puck cleanly and accurately. They generally carried the puck well in before shooting, while Cobourg, on the other hand, shot from well out and as a result the Peterborough defence had somewhat of an easy task in looking after them. The Petes also checked back better and had it on the visitors all the way, although there were spots in which Cobourg played nice hockey. The game was clean, the only penalties that were handed out being for minor offences, and one minute sentences were in vogue. The best of feeling between the two teams was in evidence, and neither bunch showed any inclination to rough it, so that Referee Waghorne's task was a light one.

Harry Morgan was on the Peterborough line-up and furnished the team with what has been needed—a man to do the scoring. He got five of Peterborough's goals last night, and was always on hand when a shot was needed, while he worked in splendidly with the other forwards in combination work, being of immense assistance to the advance guard. All the other forwards played fine hockey, the work of the line leaving nothing to be desired. They had combination and speed, checked well and there was a marked improvement in their shooting. Dusty had several of the feature plays, once in the first half carrying the puck nearly the length of the rink for a score, and repeating the feat a moment after for another score. Rose took passes and shot nicely from the right wing, and did a lot of useful stick handling and rushing, while Parnell was always effective at rover, both on the defence and the attack.

Moore worked to good effect at cover. His rushes always helped and his defence work left no room for criticism. Glover played his usual reliable game, getting away for some pretty rushes, while Deorcher in the nets took care of everything that came his way. The only goal scored on him was netted by Payne, who secured the puck behind Peterborough's nets and skating around in front slammed one past Derocher, before the local goal keeper could get around to meet the shoot.

The whole team played good hockey and they will give Lindsay the hardest kind of a battle here in Friday night, in what promises to be the best game in many moons.

Crossen, the old St. Andrew's player, was Cobourg's best. The husky cover point got away for some telling rushes and checked hard. His wrist shot for some reason was not, however, in evidence last night. Patton, the goal keeper, distinguished himself by some magnificent stops, especially in the first half. Guy, the junior defence man, played an excellent game at point, while Payne shone on the forward. The visitors had little combination and failed to check back with the Petes, which accounts in some measure for the score.

Our old college chum, F. C. Waghorne, made his first appearance in Peterborough for two years as referee, and he gave every satisfaction to both teams. His work was light, as the penalty list was small.

The teams lined up as follows:

	PETERBOROUGH	
	Derocher	
	Glover	
	Moore	
	Parnell	
Rose	Morgan	Dusty
Skitch	Clarence Pratt	C. Pratt
	Payne	
	Crossen	
	Guy	
	Patton	
	COBOURG	

The game started off a lively clip with Peterborough pressing from the beginning. Parnell and Morgan got away together, but Patton was in the way and then Parnell was given an opportunity but shot wide. Crossen rushed for Cobourg, but Moore was in the way and relieved nicely. Finally, after five minutes of play, Rose secured the puck at centre, passed to Morgan, who returned when well in and Rose slipped one past Patton.

Peterborough 1, Cobourg 0.

Clarence Pratt tripped Morgan and was chased by "Wag" for one minute. Peterborough kept pressing but threw several chances away. It was not until Morgan got away for a nice run down the side and centred to Parnell, the locals annexed their second goal, after seven minutes had elapsed.

Peterborough 2, Cobourg 0.

Two minutes after the puck came back to Morgan from a scrimmage and the local centre scored on a shot from well out.

Peterborough 3, Cobourg 0.

Skitch tripped Dusty under "Wag's" watchful eye and was banished from the scene of hostilities for one minute. He had just returned when Crossen was sent away for tripping Rose, just when a score seemed certain. Wag got in the way of one of Guy's wrist shots and was knocked off his feet, the game being suspended until he recovered his wind. The play had slowed down considerably at this stage, but after fifteen minutes playing Dusty electrified the crowd by a pretty dash around the Cobourg team for a score unaided.

Peterborough 4, Cobourg 0.

Soon after the Strathcona man got away again and after a twisting jaunt scooped another past Patton in a minute and one-half.

Peterborough 5, Cobourg 0.

Peterborough started scoring again immediately after half time, Morgan counting in two minutes from a pass from Parnell.

Peterborough 6, Cobourg 0.

Clarence Pratt retired for a few minutes for repairs and was accompanied by Morgan. Dusty was fenced for tripping, but Peterborough kept on scoring, Rose doing the trick after some pretty combination, in three minutes.

Peterborough 7, Cobourg 0.

Morgan and his check returned to the ice at this stage, and Parnell and Morgan united in a pretty piece of combination, which resulted in a goal as the result of a pass to Rose.

Peterborough 8, Cobourg 0.

Rose carried the puck up and centred nicely to Morgan, who scored the next goal neatly in one minute.

Peterborough 9, Cobourg 0.

Three minutes afterwards he repeated the feat on a pass from Parnell, and the score was Peterborough 10, Cobourg 0.

Cobourg averted a white wash in the next two minutes, Payne bringing the puck from behind the Peterborough nets for a goal.

Peterborough 10, Cobourg 1.

Parnell was penalized for tripping and Payne got a minute for the same offence. The feature of the next few minutes was a rush to centre by goal keeper Patton, of Cobourg. Moore shortly afterwards slammed one in, in a mixup.

Peterborough 11, Cobourg 1.

Glover got away for a nice rush and passed to Morgan, the latter doing the trick in one and one-half minutes.

Peterborough 12, Cobourg 1.

Dusty ended the scoring by netting Peterborough's last goal on a pretty individual rush just before time was up.

Peterborough 13, Cobourg 1.

The summary follows:

1—Peterborough, Rose, 5 mins.
2—Peterborough, Parnell, 7 mins.
3—Peterborough, Morgan, 2 mins.
4—Peterborough, Dusty, 15 mins.
5—Peterborough, Dusty, 1.30.
Half Time—
6—Peterborough, Morgan, 2 mins.
7—Peterborough, Rose, 3 mins.
8—Peterborough, Rose, 1 min.
9—Peterborough, Morgan, 1 min.
10—Peterborough, Morgan, 3 mins.
11—Cobourg, Payne, 2 mins.
12—Peterborough, Moore, 7 mins.
13—Peterborough, Morgan, 1.30.
14—Peterborough, Dusty, 1 min.

Penalties—Pratt, Skitch, Crossen, Dusty, Parnell, Payne.

JOHN L. SULLIVAN IS ABOUT TO LAUNCH INTO OCCULTISM AT ALASKA-YUKON EXPOSITION

Examiner Special.

Seattle, Feb. 3.—Having dipped generously into about everything else, John L. Sullivan is about to launch himself into occultism.

The one time champion of all the "champs" is planning a resurrection, or a materialization, or some other psychic stunt and as a result of it, declares he, the pugilistic ghosts of other days will be conjured to do their turn for a little time, as they did it in the days of the greensward and the skin tight glove.

It has been something like a century and a half now since the Boston Boy laid Paddy Ryan low on the banks of the lower Mississippi. To be accurate, it was in 1883 that the one good Irishman was laid away by a better one and the question of the championship brought down out of the air.

It was a whole lot later than that, but almost as long ago, as memory serves, that Jake Kilrain was planted on the same well greased toboggan and between that time and this there has been many another good man sent on his way to the place where all good mittmen go, via the same route.

It is these ghostly shadows of the past that Sullivan would bring back into the theatre of events, that present generations may see what manner of man it was fought when nothing save pistols was barred and the anvil was considered a legitimate weapon of defence.

It is in Seattle that Sullivan plans his revivification of the dead ones. He has arranged with the directorate of the Alaska Yukon Pacific Exposition for a concession on the "Pay Streak," and there he will set up a ring of the old days — not a ring with a velvet carpet on the floor and a lot of sofa pillows stuck round — but a real turf ring, with a rock or two here and there to make it feel homelike, and with the four posts jerked from a farmer's fence, with the nails left in them. "There will be none of your cozy corners," says John L., "for either principals or seconds."

And through the ropes will go those pugs of the other day, and some of a later day, who still were fighters, for Kid Lavigne will be among those present and there is none to say he was not a grand little man, who took the gaff and liked it when he came this way.

Charley Mitchell, traditional rival of the Boston lad, is in with Sullivan on the deal, and stranger things could happen than that they two should get together in the late autumn of their careers and settle that long moot question; they came near to a mill only a pair of years ago.

Sullivan has also pulled Jake Kilrain out of the never never land, and Peter Maher, champion of Ireland, it is announced, will repeat that celebrated Mexican experience of his. Joe Choynski, one of the greatest of the old ones, who still lays claim to a punch, will be another and there is many a man, to-day in fistiana who remembers the time Choynski and Jim Corbett went up San Francisco Bay on a barge to have it out.

"I forgot my gloves," said Joe when the barge came to anchor.

"Take these," said Corbett, "and cut the fingers off them," and he pulled from his pocket a pair of driving gloves with beautifully sewed silk welts down the backs of them. An hour later those same welts had made the bank clerk's face look like an unimproved Hamburger steak. It was only the foolish or uninformed who after that said Corbett had the streak in him.

That Corbett will be one of them, may not be said, for bless you man, he is now talking of tearing Jack Johnson's head off and throwing it in his face, and it is not seemly that ghosts should talk like that.

But if Corbett isn't, the rest of the Old Guard will be, an even score of them, and it will be such a show as will touch the hearts of the right ones, and be a lesson to these to-day chaps who settle their differences with cream puffs at twenty paces.

LINDSAY WON THE DISTRICT CUP COMPETITION WITH LOCAL RUNNERS-UP

Lindsay won the District Cup competition played here yesterday with the Peterborough rinks as runners up. Four clubs—Lindsay, Keene, Port Hope and Peterborough — took part in the event, and the games were most interesting. In the first game which commenced at 1.30 p.m., Peterborough was drawn against Keene, while Lindsay was pitted against Port Hope. Peterborough had an easy task in disposing of Keene, while the other game was closer, although Lindsay was up on both rinks. The finals were played in the evening, with Peterborough and Lindsay as the opposing teams, and the games proved very interesting, the play being followed by a big gallery of spectators. Lindsay had little trouble in carrying off the honours, both rinks having large margins. McFadden was twelve up on Matthews, while Welch had six to the good over Hicks.

Following were the scores:—

PRIMARY

Keene	Peterborough
F. A. Eason	M. Lyle
J. C. Read	D. Hall
R. J. McCamus	W. M. Lang
W. Campbell, 7	T. F. Matthews, 34
Keene	**Peterborough**
G. E. Howson	J. Montgomery
J. A. Bruce	J. E. A. Fitzgerald
Dr. V. McWilliams	H. Foote
J. R. McIntyre, 15	R. Hicks, 18
Port Hope	**Lindsay**
J. Caldwell	J. McGillvery
A. B. Boultbee	A. Watson
W. Oke	Rev. J. Wallace
Capt. Peacock, 14	R. G. R. Welch, 16
Port Hope	**Lindsay**
C. Bruncombe	— Williams
F. C. Curtis	W. Knowlson
W. D. Stevens	— Williams
H. B. Rosevear, 15	McFadden, 19

FINALS

Peterborough	*Lindsay*
M. Lyle	— Williams
D. Hall	W. Knowlson
W. M. Lang	— Williams
T. F. Matthews, 11	— McFadden, 23
Peterborough	**Lindsay**
J. Montgomery	J. McGillvery
J. E. A. Fitzgerald	L. Watson
H. Foote	Rev. J. Wallace
R. Hicks, 18	R. G. R. Welch, 24

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	Crowe.	
	F. Reid.	
	Henderson	
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We know house expenses are high at this time of year, and labour is none too plentiful, but by giving us your Grocery orders we are satisfied we can save you money.

3½ lbs. of our favourite 30c Tea and 10 lbs. of Granulated Sugar for	$2.00
Peas, Corn and Tomatoes, 3 tins for	.25
100 lbs. of Manitoba Flour for	2.75
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Evaporated Apricots, per lb.	.15
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We now have nice bitter oranges for Marmalade. Also some fine medium-sized grape fruit which we are selling at fifty cents per dozen. Don't forget that "Sealshipt" Oysters are the only Oysters with the genuine sea flavour and sold solid meats. Don't forget that these are the only kind we handle.

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LATEST CITY NEWS.

Probabilities

—Moderate, variable winds; moderately cold with snow flurries. Thursday.—A little milder.

Choir Practice

—The weekly choir practice of St. John's church choir will be held on Friday evening instead of Thursday evening this week.

Dorcas Society

—The Dorcas Society will be glad to receive left-off clothing of any description for charity work. Can be left at Mr. Hill's store, George street.

Painting and Decorating

—Painting and decorating, all work quickly, neatly and cheaply executed. Country work not objected to. A. Guppy, 455 Stewart street. 23d14

Wanted

—All the citizens of Peterborough to have their garments dyed, cleaned pressed and repaired by My Valet 204 Charlotte street. All work guaranteed. dtf

Oyster Supper

—The Ladies' Aid oyster supper will be held at Chemong Town Hall, on Thursday, February 25th. There will be plenty of funny speeches, dialogues and recitations.

A True Blue Gathering

—Watch Tower L.T.B. Lodge, No. 277, will meet this evening (Wednesday) in their hall on Simcoe street, and they wish all other True Blues in city to be present and enjoy the meeting with them.

Meeting of I. O. O. F.

—A special meeting of Court Chemong, I. O. O. F., is called for this evening at eight o'clock in the S. O. E. Hall, for the purpose of making arrangements to attend the funeral of the late Brother Jas. McGraw.

Valentines! Valentines!

—Valentines in great profusion at the Peterborough Bookstore. Select now. Wonderful variety comic, pretty, handsome, tasteful. Something here for everybody. Valentine post cards in a great range of appropriate designs at 2 for 5c., 5c. and 10c. each. A. H. Stratton & Co.

Foreign Pictures.

—The advance sale tickets issued by the local branch of the Women's Art Association for the exhibition of foreign pictures in the old Bank of Montreal building, from February 9th to 13th, are not good unless paid for and stamped at Payne's drug store. The association is making arrangements to bring from Montreal Miss Katharine E. Wallis' well known statue "The Cabbage Bab," which has attracted considerable attention wherever shown.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Mrs. Hughes Charles will not receive on Thursday of this week.

Miss Clara Beattie left on Wednesday to visit friends in Chicago.

Mrs. W. J. Green, 375 Brock street, will not receive during February.

Mrs. W. J. Thompson, 763 George street, will not receive to-morrow, (Thursday.)

Mrs. A. F. Lane, 327 Simcoe street, will receive this week on Friday instead of Thursday.

Mrs. John Crane will receive on Wednesday afternoon of this week and not again until March.

Rev. Dr. Langfeldt and family returned on Monday from Orillia. The friends of St. Luke's rector will be pleased to learn that he has very much improved in health.

Miss Bertram, Honorary Past President of the local branch of the Women's Art Association, arrived in Peterborough this morning and is the guest of the Misses Morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. John Law, 176 Sherbrooke street, entertained a number of young people, Monday evening, in honour of Mr. Law's sister, Miss Emma Law, who is visiting them from Toronto.

CANADIAN CLUB'S NEXT MEETING

Speaker Secured and Date Will Likely be February 12th.

Mr. E. L. Goodwill, secretary of the Canadian Club states that the next meeting will likely be held on February 12th. The speaker will be Mr. John S. Ewart, K.C. of the firm of Ewart, Scott, McLaren and Kelly, of Ottawa. The subject will be "The Munroe Doctrine."

FEBRUARY 8th, BOOKS CLOSE.

Don't forget that Monday Next, February 8th is the last day for settlement of accounts.

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$9,000 REPORTED PAID FOR FARM

Mr. Wm. Roseboro Makes Fine Purchase of Smith House With 300 Acres.

News of the sale of a farm in Smith township has just been received, the money involved being $9,000. Mr Wm. Roseboro is reported having bought the farm of Mr. T Boyce, between concessions six and seven. The farm is 300 acres in extent and has a splendid house on it.

Charlotte Street Methodist Church Choir Concert, in Sunday School Room, Friday February 12th. Assisted by the Canadian Male Quartette of Toronto. 3dmwa.2dwtf

THE COUNTY ORANGE LODGE'S OFFICERS

The County Orange Lodge has elected the following officers for 1909:

County Master — W H G Armstrong.
Deputy Master—Wm. Preston.
Chaplain—Joseph Batton.
Rec. Sec.—E G Clarke.
Fin. Sec.—N A Howard Moore.
Treasurer—Wm. Watt.
Director of Ceremonies—E W Nottall.
Lecturer—H Dodds.
Deputy Lecturers—Newton Hopkins and C H Duffman.

'ROUND THE STORES.

It really looks as if eggs were likely to take a drop in price. In another column a city grocer quotes them to-day at 25c per dozen. For a month or two past eggs have been held at a price that has been almost prohibitive to most people.

The ladies are likely to make short work to-morrow morning of the 300 pairs of sample kid gloves to be offered at 49c a pair. The qualities ought to be right according to the names of the French makers. By the way it has been learned that there are not likely to be many more "glove sales," as the dealers here held a caucus lately and decided to cut them out, for they were ruining the glove business.

New spring embroideries had a great innings this morning. For imported goods five cents a yard was a ridiculously low price, but it was a drawing card, and the ladies evidently know a good thing when they see it—judging by the quantities of the insertion that was sold.

Perhaps the most remarkable of all the reductions made by the mid-winter sales in the city is the "two dollar for one" inducement to fur buyers.

Resourceful, wideawake fur merchants know that February must see stocks well cut down. Chances for fur bargains are good just now.

THE CAMPBELLFORD DEBENTURES SOLD

Examiner Special.

Campbellford, Feb. 2.—At a special meeting of the Campbellford Town Council the tender of the Ontario Securities Company, Limited, was accepted for the purchase of $50,000 five per cent. thirty-year debentures.

HOCKEY

The George Street team will play the St. Andrews' team a Church League game to-morrow night at Knox church rink between 8 and 9 o'clock. The following are requested to be on hand—Williams, Best, Curtis, Ackerman, Davidson, Godfrey and Sanderson.

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS

PAZO OINTMENT is guaranteed to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days or money refunded, 50 cents.

CONTRIBUTIONS HAVE BEEN ACKNOWLEDGED

Citizens Give to General Fund and to Children's Aid Society.

Mr. F. W. Miller stated to-day that he had received ten dollars more this morning from citizens who were anxious to assist those in need of help. Mrs. (Dr.) Geo. Burnham gave five dollars and Mr. Geo. Weber the same amount.

The Children's Aid Society acknowledges $15 received from the Ministerial Society, and $1.10 from St. Paul's Sunday School.

CARNIVAL TO BE HELD AT WARSAW

Skating Rink Co. Have Provided Good Ice for the Villagers who Appreciate It.

Examiner Special.

Warsaw, Feb. 3.—The Warsaw Skating Rink Co. have every reason to be pleased with the patronage their rink is having these afternoons and evenings. The ice has been in excellent condition, and with favourable weather patrons will find no difficulty in satisfying their ambitions in so far as skating is concerned.

A special feature in the way of a Fancy Dress Carnival will be held on Friday evening, Feb. 12th. Prizes will be given for ladies' and gentlemen's fancy and comic costumes, girls' and boys' fancy and comic costumes, and for following races:—

Mens half mile; boys' quarter mile; ladies' half mile; girls' quarter mile; partners' race, barrel race and several others.

Arrangements are being made to have a band present on the occasion.

The Ladies' Hockey Club is about to be organized, and all ladies are invited to join and take part in the practices.

CHAPPED FROM FINGERS TO ELBOWS

Boy's Agony Relieved by Zam-Buk.

If you are suffering from badly-chapped hands you will be able to comprehend a little of the agony which Henry Walker, of 14 Manufacturers street, Montreal, endured before Zam-Buk gave him relief. His mother, telling of the case to a Press representative, said:—

"Henry works with his shirt sleeves rolled up above his elbows, and passing from a warm room to the biting cold, as he was obliged to do, he got the worst case of chapped hands and arms I have ever seen. From his fingers to his elbow was one mass of raw flesh, with bad cracks here and there. Whenever he washed, it brought tears to his eyes, the pain was so acute. He tried several kinds of salves, but nothing relieved him really until he tried Zam-Buk. This balm seemed to take away the burning and smarting almost at once. The cracks began to heal, and a few applications of the balm cured him. His hands and arms are now smooth and soft.

"We have also used Zam-Buk for other emergencies. I sustained a burn on one of my fingers. Zam-Buk took the fire out and healed up the sore. It really seems a wonderful household preparation.

"On one occasion my son Harry had his foot frozen. It was very swollen and discoloured, but Zam-Buk both relieved the swelling and removed the discolouration. Zam-Buk is so handy and so effective that we shall always keep a supply handy."

Miss Hattie Bertrand, of Salisbury, Ont., says:—"Every winter I suffer from chapped hands, but I have found a cure in Zam-Buk. Applied at night, it heals the cracks by morning, and takes away all the soreness."

Similar effects follow its use for eczema, scalp sores, blood-poisoning, ulcers, ring-worm, children's sores, cuts, burns and bruises. It also cures piles. All druggists and stores sell at 50c. a box; or post free from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, for price.

FEBRUARY SALE

Choice Dairy Butter
28c lb.

New Laid Eggs
30c doz.

Finnan Haddie
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Sealed Oysters (Solid Meat)
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Marmalade Oranges
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C.P.R.	172⅜	174
C.F.I.	40⅛	39⅜
Erie	31⅛	31
Great Northern	142	143
L.N.	123⅛	123⅛
Mo. Pac.	71	70⅜
Northern Pacific	128⅜	128⅛
N.Y.C.	128	127⅜
Penna	132	131⅜
R.I.	94⅜	94⅛
Rdg.	135⅛	132⅛
A. R.	84⅛	84⅛
M.S.M.	142	142
St. Paul	145⅜	145⅛
S.P.	118⅛	118
U.P.	178⅛	177⅜
U.S.	53⅛	53⅛
U.S. pfd.	113	113⅛
Twin City	100	100⅜
Nipissing	9⅜	9⅜
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Valentines

None of the old-world festivals are more quaintly interesting in its surviving customs than St. Valentine's Day, February 14th. Grand opening of—

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Interesting display of pretty, tender messages from Cupid's Arrow—

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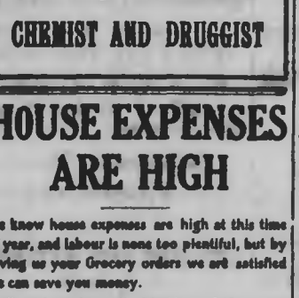

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PENGELLY GETS HIS LIBERTY

Suspended Sentence is, However, Placed Over Him.

Mark Pengelly was given his freedom to-day, but the law still has a hold on him in the form of suspended sentence. His case was sent up from the police court, the charge being that he had stolen six hens from Mrs. Margaret Hurd. It will be remembered that Pengelly took the six poultry as an armful, to Woo, the Chinese restaurant "prop.," and to this day Woo cannot understand how Mark performed the feat without losing one of the birds.

Judge Weller permitted Mark to go free, but under suspended sentence.

Mr. R. E. Wood represented the Crown, and Mr. F. N. Gordon appeared for Pengelly. Restitution of $2.05 was made to Woo.

PRAISE FOR THE CHILDREN'S SHELTER

Mr. Thomson States That it is Second Best in the Province.

Mr S. M Thompson, who was in the city on Wednesday, in the interests of the Children's Aid Society work, was greatly impressed by the splendid Shelter that Peterborough has provided. In his opinion it is the best in the province outside that at London. The situation pleased him and the amptitude of the accommodation was another favourable feature of the building. The number of children, he stated, was largger h e than at other places.

Band To-night at Street Railway Rink.

HERE'S A CHANCE FOR LOCAL GIRLS

Mr. F G Morley, Secretary of the Toronto Board of Trade, has received the following letter from Thomas Fitzgerald, 1412 Main avenue, Spokane, Washington, dated Jan. 27th, 1909. "I wish you would give me the address of some matrimonial agency, or send this to to them. I am interested in the best district in Western Canada (in Alberta) and there is in that district several men of different ages, mostly young men, who are in good circumstances, owning from 160 to 640 acres of as good land as is on this continent, and are single, and all need good women, and nowhere in my broad and lengthy travels over this continent do I know of a better class of women than are to be found in Ontario, the birthplace of my mother. This may be a new one to you, but it is a necessary one wishing information on this matter at your earliest convenience."

LOOK WHO'S COMING

Laughter loving Kathryn Osterman comes to the Grand Saturday in the funniest play now on the stage entitled "The Night of the Play." The company comes here after playing both Toronto and Montreal where the Press criticisms were of the most flattering nature. A complete scenic equipment is carried and patrons of the Grand are assured of a real treat, even moreso than that given them last season when Miss Osterman appeared here in "The Girl That Looks Like Me" in which he made a decided hit with the local theatre goers. A special ladies and Children's matinee will be given on Saturday afternoon at 2.30. Judging from the large number of seats sold when the box office opened this morning the company will be greeted with a big house. Great interest having been aroused by the comments of the Press on the elegant costumes worn by Miss Osterman, particularly her $1000 cloth-of-gold directoire gown.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 25 cents each insertion in either the Daily or Weekly Examiner.

DIED.

WALTON.—In Chicago, on Tuesday, Feb. 2nd, Lavina Ferris, widow of the late Robert Walton. Funeral from G. T. R. Station on Friday, Feb. 5th, on the arrival of the 11.45 train. Interment in the Little Lake Cemetery.

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Postman Arrested And Is Committed For Trial On Charge Of Robbing Mail

Charles Mitchell Had Undelivered Letters, Opened, in His Mail Bag—Has Been Under Surveillance Owing to Numerous Complaints.

INSPECTOR SET A TRAP

Charles Mitchell, the letter carrier on route No. 7, of the local free mail delivery system, was committed for trial by Magistrate Dumble this morning on the charge of stealing three dollars from each of two letters, the property of the Postmaster-General.

Mr. F. D. Kerr, representing the prisoner, declined to elect and as a result of Magistrate Dumble's decision Mitchell will be tried at the Spring Assizes.

The evidence as produced this morning was to the effect that complaints were coming in from residents on route No. 7, and Mr. Henry Merrick, Post Office Inspector, for this district, sent out two decoy letters which it is alleged Mitchell opened and from which he abstracted the money that had been placed in them.

Inspector's Evidence

Inspector Merrick was the first witness for the prosecution. He stated that he was the post office inspector for this district. Numerous complaints of missing letters had been received from residents on Mitchell's walk. For some months past letters were disappearing and many enquiries were made by those who posted them. Two decoy letters were put in the mail yesterday morning. Postmaster Rogers was associated with Mr. Merrick in the work of preparing them. The two letters were produced in court. One was addressed to Mrs. Arthur Head, 257 Bethune street. It was post marked from Toronto and had been prepared there and sent to Mr. Merrick's office in Kingston for decoy purposes. The other was addressed to Mr. Robert Martin, 255 Dalhousie street, Peterborough, and bore a Rochester postmark and an American stamp, as if despatched from the American city.

Money in Them

In the letter addressed to Mrs. Head three one dollar bills—Dominion bills—were enclosed. In the other envelope there were three one dollar silver certificates of the United States Government.

Continuing Mr. Merrick testified as follows. "I put the money in each letter. I made a note of the numbers on the bills. Postmaster Rogers also took a memo of them and witnessed the enclosure. The letters were then taken into the post office by the postmaster. I went with the Chief of Police and a constable about 5.30 o'clock yesterday to Mitchell's house. He arrived a little while after. I took him into a private room and charged him with stealing these letters. I related to him the circumstances of their posting. I mentioned the addresses of the letters, but he denied having seen either. I then called in the policeman and asked him to arrest him. In my presence he was searched by Chief Roszel who found on him some money and several letters, not the two decoys. I demanded the production of the post bag. This was found where the prisoner told us. I examined its contents. In it were a number of letters undelivered. Among them I found the two decoy letters, both opened as they are now, and no money in them. I found other envelopes in a similar condition.

Post Master Rogers

Post Master Rogers was sworn and stated that he had been with Mr. Merrick when the money was put in the decoy letters yesterday. "The memo I took," he stated, "agrees with those mentioned by Mr. Merrick in his evidence. I put the letters after they were sealed in the compartment for letters on Mitchell's route. This is route No 7. I saw him get his letters out of that compartment. I went to the houses of the people addressed on the decoy letters. I told Mrs. Head she would probably get a letter and I would call afterwards for it. I asked them not to open them. I remained in Mrs. Martin's house until the postman passed. He called at other houses close by but not at either of those to whom the decoys should have been delivered. I returned to the private office of Chief Roszel where Mr. Merrick was waiting and reported to him that they had not been delivered."

This occurred in the afternoon and shortly afterwards, about four or five o'clock Mr. Merrick, the Chief and Constable Mcharry went to Mitchell's house.

To Mr. Kerr witness stated that he saw the letters first in the post office when Mr. Merrick brought them in already addressed. The money was then put in them.

Mr. Kerr submitted that there was no evidence to show that these were post letters. They were decoys in the purest sense of the term, and they were never mailed and therefore did not become the property of the Post Master-General.

Magistrate Dumble stated that they were in the post office and had been sent out for delivery and certainly were the property of the Post Master-General.

Three or four other letters were obtained in the post bag. They had been opened. Postman Mitchell will be tried at the Spring Assizes.

DETAILS GATHERED FROM PORT HOPE AND COBOURG REGARDING THE PROPOSED ELECTRIC LINE

People Strongly in Favour of the Road to Havelock—Statement Made That Peterborough Line Will be Completed in Six Months

THE COMPANY'S DIRECTORS

The people of Peterborough are doubtless interested in the two proposed electric car lines from Cobourg, the one by way of Port Hope to Havelock, the other around the west end of Rice Lake to Peterborough, and one to Stony Lake. The latter is of more concern locally and a few details that have already been made public should be of interest. Col. H. C. Ward, K.C., of Port Hope, is the applicant for the first mentioned road and the provisional directors are as follows: W. J. Crossen, Car Manufacturer, Cobourg; H. T. Bush, President of Standard Ideal Sanitary Bath Co., Port Hope, (the two largest shippers between Toronto and Montreal); Col. H. A. Ward, ex-M.P., Port Hope; Bernard McAllister, capitalist, Cobourg; Reeve Joseph Knox, builder, Havelock; E. C. S. Huycke, K.C., will assist in legal work and organization.

The above railway company's main line will run from Port Hope to Cobourg and across Northumberland near Centreton and Burnley to Warkworth and on to Campbellford and passing near Healey Falls on to Havelock on the C. P. R., while a ten mile branch line will run from Cobourg to Gore's Landing on Rice Lake. Besides connecting the G. T. R. and C. P. R. this line will open up the rich farming country of Northumberland and it will connect the iron and other mining properties back of Havelock.

The Peterboro Line

The applicant for a charter for the Cobourg, Peterborough and Kawartha Lakes Electric Railway is David Ewing, of Cobourg, and the main line route, as far as the name implies, is from Cobourg via Dewdley to Peterborough and Stony Lake.

Regarding this line the Port Hope Guide of Tuesday contains the following:

On Monday evening a public meeting was held at Rosenath, Alnwick and Mr. David Ewing addressed the meeting in the interests of the Cobourg, Peterborough and Kawartha Lakes Road but no action was taken.

We are informed that the promoters of the Cobourg, Peterborough and Kawartha Lakes Road have stated that their line will be built within six months; yet they are trying to secure two years' franchise for right of way from farmers for the magnificent sum of $1.

The other line has been very strongly endorsed by the Port Hope and Cobourg press, and prominent men in both towns, Havelock Council is strongly in favour of it, as is Hamilton Township and others. In fact, it is receiving splendid support.

HEAT APPARATUS IS ALL RIGHT

Inspector Mowat Refers to the West Ward School Building.

Mr. A. Mowat, Inspector of Public Schools, informed the Examiner to-day, in connection with the statements made at the Board of Education meeting in regard to the hearing of the west school, that on the occasion mentioned the trouble was caused by a current of cold air being allowed to get into the building. The janitor had left the building, thinking that everything was right, but on his return, an hour and one-half after, he found that a current of cold air had entered the building, but the difficulty was soon remedied. There is nothing wrong with the heating apparatus of the school and the trouble is not likely to happen again.

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The choir of the George Street Methodist Church were most pleasantly entertained at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. B. Shortly, Aylmer street, on Tuesday night. Some forty people were present and spent a very enjoyable evening, Mr. and Mrs. Shortly looking after their guests in a manner that made the event one long to be remembered. Musical games were indulged in and the choir provided music. Mr. McCann, on behalf of the choir, thanked Mr. and Mrs. Shortly for their hospitality at the close of the evening.

Hear the Singing Class at the Sunday School Concert in the George Street Church on Monday Night Next.

ANNUAL T. A. S. PRODUCTION

Pretty Irish Play Entitled "True Irish Hearts," Will be Presented on March 17th.

"True Irish Hearts" is the name of the pretty Irish comedy drama that will be presented at the Grand Opera House on March 17th, by the dramatic section of St. Peter's T. A. S. The preliminary work of the production has already been commenced, and rehearsals will be held shortly. A change will be noticeable this year in the general tone of the specialties which will likely be worked into the thread of the play, and will be of a most pleasing nature.

"Rory of the Hills"
"Grand"
To-night

GRUESOME CARGO OF DEAD CHINAMEN

Five Thousand Bodies Being Taken to China to be Laid Under Native Soil.

New York, Feb. 4.—Five thousand Chinese corpses, bound for their final resting places in the flowery kingdom, will leave Brooklyn next Wednesday on the steamer Chingtu.

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Applicants will state salary per year expected, give references and if possible communicate with the undersigned before Friday the 5th inst. Applications however will be received until Friday the 12th inst.

A. WILSON,
Clerk,

Hastings, Ontario,
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COLD CROW.

Hon. Mr. Matheson, Provincial Treasurer, must have his little bumps against lumps he raised in Opposition—has to handle ,with a pretence of pleasure things he used to scoff at—in a word lunch off a little cold crow. He was always fighting the succession duties established by a Liberal Government. Now he manages to smilingly include big receipts from this source in his budget and count them as contributions to a surplus he never believed in. He had had to take a formal hand in completing negotiations testifying to what a great industry the "Soo" works represent, in spite of the fact that he applauded the statement of his leader that the money guaranteed to put them on their feet "might as well be thrown into the lake." When the session opens Mr. Matheson, will speak with pride of the record contributions of succession duties to the revenue—$1,158,740 for last year. Once he scorned this revenue as money "stolen from the dead." While Mr. Matheson is getting official glory and credit for good financing over the success of the "Soo" industries, and boasting of the big returns from succession duties, he might balance the account by giving a little credit to the Liberal Governments that established the one and saved the other from collapse.

Rigid canons of fairness enjoin us to give even the devil his due.

CIVIL SERVICE REFORM.

The Laurier Government has made a serious and successful business of civil service reform. Appointments to the civil service are now vested in a Commission and all appointments are based on merit, in which political services does not count. The political element is entirely eliminated and fitness for the duties required is the sole consideration, that influences appointments. The Government, in this regard becomes a mere registering body, formally making appointments which the Commission has practically made. When a vacancy occurs in any department, the Government of the day has no power to fill it. The vacancy is reported to the Commission, which after a competitive examination, nominates a candidate and all the Government has to do in the matter is to give effect by formal appointment, to the decree of the Commission which is an absolutely independent body, like the Auditor-General and in no way subject to Government control. A short time ago a vacancy occurred in the Customs Department. This was filled by the Commission with a man whom neither the Commission nor the Minister had ever seen before. And the new official did not take the salary of the man he succeeded, but entered the service at the lowest salary.

The matter came up in Parliament in supply, provoked by a civil service item in the estimates. The facts elicited in the discussion show that the Liberal Government's civil service reform is real reform for which the Government deserves credit. But the attitude of the Conservative party seems to be critically hostile and, instead of aiding the Government in the application of the reformed system in order to make it the most effective, an obstructive spirit is displayed. But this opposition will not stand in the way of eliminating the element of political pull in civil service appointments, and so far as appointment by merit may be effective, placing it upon the soundest and most desirable basis. In this as in all great reforms the Liberal Government shows the way. The Province at Conservative Government of the day, which claims the possession of superior political righteousness, should take the lesson to heart and substitute a similar system of civil service renovation for the spoils system which it introduced and has applied with so much zeal.

The true standard of statesmanship has been defined as a combination of a disposition to preserve and an ability to improve.

INDUSTRIAL PROMOTION.

The annual report of the retiring president of the Brantford Board of Trade in dealing with the local industrial situation, said that last year the amount of wages paid by the manufacturing establishments of Brantford fell off some $600,000 or $2,000 a day compared with the year 1907. This condition, which proportionately curtailed the purchasing power of the people and the profits of merchants and business men, shows the importance of thriving manufacturing establishments, in the civic economy. It also gives emphasis to the necessity of Peterborough making the most enterprising endeavours to enlarge the already important list of our industrial concerns. As remarked already in these columns London, Ontario, is proposing to spend $100,000 in the purchase of property to be placed at the disposal of new industries seeking location. The fact of London having to pay perhaps extravagant prices for such properties, is a lesson to Peterborough to look ahead, and be on the alert. Though this may not be so much needed in the matter of rates, yet it is necessary in other regards. The proposal to appoint a capable man to specially interest himself in the matter of bringing new industries to the city should not be pigeonholed and made the sprit of red-tape. While such a man could busy himself with the actual work of industrial additions, the city fathers have abundant play for larger activities — the provision of sites and of additional motive power at a moderate price. There is room for some large thinking and action.

World-old and world-wide experience shows that the most effective way of doing things is to do them. Talk may be an appetiser but it can never take the place of action, as "a square meal."

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Only seven working days of the session passed, and a Government bill has passed to its third reading. What, inquires the Ottawa Free Press, thus becomes of the Conservative complaints of "delay of business?"

Hon Mr. Fielding, before he set out for home, had an audience with His Majesty in London. The brief cable did not tell us whether the Finance Minister found the King in his parlour counting out his money.

London, Ont., is now fighting over the question of spending $100,000 for lands to turn over to new industries for factory sites. London neglected to acquire such lands when they were cheap, and is now having to pay the penalty of its want of foresight.

It seems like carrying coals to Newcastle to hear Lord Rosebery lecturing an audience of canny Scotchmen on the necessity of cultivating the homely old virtue of thrift, which has made France pre-eminent as a banker nation. It will also make any nation prosperous that follows a popular practice of saving. If everybody worked faithfully, spent prudently what is earned and avaoided foolish expenditure, there would hardly be, barring sickness or misadventure, such a thing as extreme poverty or pauperism.

The Mail and Empire and other newspapers of its political shade, complain of the delay of public business in parliament through the obstructiveness of the Government. This contention is quite unsupported by facts. The truth is that the Government business is advanced as it hardly has been at a similar stage of any precedent session. The address in reply has been disposed of, the estimates brought down and work in supply well advanced, a Government bill has been passed to its third reading and there is or has been no delay for which the Government is responsible.

Hon. Mr. Foster meets the penalty of talking too much and showing an excess of zeal. In Parliament a day or two ago in a vein of virtuous indignation he criticised an item of $2,000 for extra clerical help in the Justice Department. The Minister of Justice easily satisfied Mr. Foster that he himself was responsible for this waste of public money, in compiling a return moved by Mr. Foster, for particulars as to the exercise of the pardoning power. The return was tabled in the House of Commons last Tuesday. It comprises 700 pages and represents nearly a year's work by special clerks. Mr. Foster himself will probably never cut the leaves of the 700-page aggregation of documentary junk which his zeal for political capital caused to be compiled at a cost, or, rather, waste of $2,000.

Engineer's Watch an Hour Out.

Spartanburg, S.C., Feb. 4.—Three men were killed and several injured in a collision between two freight trains on the seaboard air line railroad near Greenwood yesterday. The collision is alleged to have been caused by the engineer on the extra setting his watch one hour wrong. The engineer who made the mistake and his fireman jumped and saved their lives.

BEAUTIFUL WOMEN

Paris Is Full of Them and Nearly All Use Parisian Sage

In the beauty show at the metropolis two years ago gold medals were awarded to five different women.

To the most beautiful woman between 20 and 25; between 25 and 30; between 30 and 35; between 35 and 40 and between 40 and 45.

A society reporter who interviewed all five women in the interest of his papers, reported that all of them had beautiful hair, and that each of the five enthusiastically attributed her luxuriant hair to Parisian Sage. Wm. Madill, corner of George and Hunter streets, sells Parisian Sage for 50 cents a bottle. He guarantees it to cure dandruff in two weeks; to stop falling hair and itching of the scalp. It makes any woman's hair beautiful, soft and luxuriant.

BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

Fire did $15,000 damage to Thomson & Co., contracting electrical engineers, at Montreal.

The Financier states that the Canadian $30,000,000 loan has been gradually absorbed by investors.

Wilbur Wright's aeroplane has been equipped with a new motor, which has turned out to be a great improvement on the old motor.

At Philadelphia an aged couple who registered as Mr. and Mrs. Lomax of Lewistown, Pa., were found dead with a gas jet turned on full.

Louis Simpson, for 20 years or more manager of the Valleyfield Cotton Mills, has resigned and will go into the electric smelting business.

Packard Electric Co.'s automobile works at St. Catharines, which were closed down some time ago owing to trade depression, are starting up again.

Hon. Sydney A. Fisher, Hon. Clifford Sifton and Dr. Beland, M.P. for Beauce have been appointed the Canadian representatives of the International Conservation Commission in Washington on the 18th inst.

A Liverpool cable says it is reported the Allan line has lodged a renewed protest with the Atlantic Conference against the White Star line entering the Canadian passenger trade. The Allans threaten withdrawal from the conference.

Power Scheme For Brockville.

Brockville, Feb. 4.—Mr. Beach, an Iroquois man who owns an extensive water power there, accompanied by his engineer, J. Gilmour of Toronto, is in town submitting a proposition for the transmission of electric power to Brockville.

If the scheme goes through he will also include the village of Cardinal and the town of Prescott in a similar manner. Mr. Beach interviewed several of the manufacturing concerns and is understood to have received much encouragement.

The idea is to supply power and light to the civic light and power department, as well as to the waterworks station. Mr. Beach would guarantee at least 1,000 horse-power at a reasonable cost, and undertake the construction of his own transmission lines.

A Matrimonial Fraud.

Cleveland, Ohio, Feb. 4.—L. A. Horthy, wanted by the federal authorities upon the charge of operating a fake matrimonial agency, was found upon the streets here yesterday disguised as a Catholic priest. He was taken into custody. He will be held on the charge of using the mails to defraud.

It is alleged by the authorities that Horthy advertised for suitors for an orphan girl with a moderate fortune who desired to marry. He taxed the applying affinities $4 each and over 300 letters were found in his office when it was raided last Monday.

Horthy by a clever ruse escaped when first taken into custody on Monday.

$80,000 Fraud Detected.

New York, Feb. 4.—As the result of an investigation by Wm. H. Edwards, the Princeton University graduate, recently appointed street cleaning commissioner of New York City, eight employes and the foreman of a private contractor were arraigned yesterday on charges of grand larceny by the use of fraudulent tickets issued to drivers of snow wagons to attest to their removal of a wagon load of snow from the streets. The frauds would have cost the city $50,000 if not detected.

Big Negro Round Up.

Pittsburg, Feb. 4.—Yesterday 126 negroes, arrested following a series of attacks upon white girls in the Herron Hill district recently, were arraigned. Forty-three proved that they have honest employment and were discharged. Forty-two were fined, and forty-one were held.

Runaway Jeweler Sentenced.

Galt, Feb. 4.—Hedrich, the jeweler, who recently made an assignment and then left for Toronto, taking with him several hundred dollars' worth of his stock and watches and jewelry left with him for repair, was sentenced to a month's imprisonment. He pleaded guilty.

To Sell Liquor on Sunday.

Montreal, Feb. 4.—The Licensed Victualers' Association is holding a meeting this week to discuss three requests they are to make to the Provincial Government.

They are: To legalize Sunday selling of liquor as in England, the saloons being closed during church service hours; opening at 7 a.m. instead of 6 a.m., and keeping open till 1 a.m., instead of midnight as at present.

Banquet For R. L. Borden.

Ottawa, Feb. 4.—The Conservative members of the Senate and the House of Commons will tender a banquet on March 3 to R. L. Borden

Authoritative denial is given to the report emanating from Montreal that Mr. Borden was likely to again tender his resignation as leader. He has the confidence and respect of the members and will continue at least until the proposed national party convention is called.

BAIL IS REFUSED.

Men Charged With Swindling G.T.R. Appear In Court.

Toronto, Feb. 4.—Although their counsel offered all kinds of surety, bail was flatly refused the five men arrested Tuesday night charged with defrauding the Grand Trunk Railway, when they appeared in the Police Court yesterday.

T. C. Robinette, K.C., who is defending Conductor Corrigan and Jack Woods, was ready with an offer of $3,000 for the former, but Acting Crown Attorney Bell was insistent that no bail be taken. The five were remanded for a week, and taken to the jail.

It is anticipated that if the charges are proven against the two conductors it will go hard with them. Railway officials are highly indignant over the affair, and particularly so on account of the warning the conductors should have got a year and a half ago, when a wholesale dismissal of conductors was executed by both Grand Trunk and C.P.R.

It is hinted that the loss to the Grand Trunk in this one district through the alleged fraud will run into many thousands of dollars.

Conducor Corrigan, it is said, feels badly cut up, because of his parents and sisters, whom he supports. In the detective office he said he never intended to be dishonest.

The charge read against the prisoners in the Police Court yesterday was: "That they did combine, conspire and agree to defraud the Grand Trunk Railway by allowing certain persons to travel and be carried on part of the said company's line without paying their fares."

The two Woods are cousins, and Joseph is Rosenbes' brother-in-law. Joseph's father is a court interpreter in Montreal, and on this account he had a good opportunity of becoming acquainted with forciginers wishing to travel.

FAVORS IMPERIAL STAFF.

General Hoad Believes It Would Cement Empire's Forces.

London, Feb. 4.—(C.A.P. Cable.)—General Hoad of Australia, speaking at the Canada Club, said a better understanding and better results would follow the inauguration of an Imperial general staff.

The efforts of Britain in connection with the territorial force would be watched with greatest sympathy in Australia, where the citizens had accepted the responsibility of the country's defence.

Sir Gilbert Parker, president, referred to the visit of the imperial pressmen, each of whom was a minister of instruction, and the conference was bound to lead to a larger understanding and the bringing nearer of the goal of interdependence and co-operation in high ideals, tending for the good of civilization.

FIRE AT TEMAGAMI.

Beautiful New Station Is Burned—Cost $15,000.

North Bay, Feb. 4.—Fire broke out at 6 o'clock last night in the T. & N.O. Railway station at Temagami, and this handsome structure, completed about one year ago at a cost of $15,000, is in ruins, only the massive stone walls standing.

Details are meagre on account of the wires having been put out of business by the blaze, the operator just having time to briefly report that the building was on fire and make his escape.

Books and records in the office were saved, but the fire spread so rapidly that nothing could be done to check the flames. A woollen building adjoining, occupied as restaurant and baggage room, was saved.

Rockefeller Generous, If——

Philadelphia, Feb. 4.—President Thomas of Bryn Mawr College announced yesterday that the general education board having charge of the John D. Rockefeller foundation for higher education had agreed to contribute $250,000 toward an endowment fund for the college, providing that $380,000 is contributed from other sources before June 2, 1910. The alumnae of the college have raised $100,000 of this amount after about five years' work.

Gas Overcomes Firemen.

Albany, N.Y., Feb. 4.—New York's $25,000,000 capitol was slightly damaged and a dozen firemen were overcome with gas as a result of a fire which broke out late yesterday in a storeroom in the basement of the building. Although the gas in the building was quickly shut off, the heat melted a four-inch gas pipe and the firemen entering the basement to fight the fire were overcome. All are expected to recover. The damage was slight.

Numerous Places Want Industry.

Kingston, Feb. 4.—The Wormwith company has received liberal offers to locate its piano factory, from Stratford, Uxbridge, Prescott, Gananoque, Niagara Falls, Iroquois, Deseronto, Peterboro, North Bay, Chatham, Arnprior, Welland, Alexandria, Port Hope and Guelph.

To-day Kingston ratepayers will vote to grant the company a bonus of $10,000.

Railways and Electricity.

New York, Feb. 4.—The Harriman lines are investigating water powers for the electrification of the Montana and Washington railways and on the Atchison lines.

The Pennsylvania and Canadian Pacific and other roads are also to develope the use of electricity as a motive power.

New Navy For Spain.

Madrid, Feb. 4.—The Cabinet has decided to accept the tender of Vickers, Sons & Maxim, the English shipbuilders, for the construction of the new Spanish squadron, on condition that the firm consents to certain modifications. The amount of the contract is $40,000,000.

Route to Gowganda.

North Bay, Feb. 4.—Two C.P.R. survey parties leave Thursday morning, one from Sturgeon Falls and one from Warren, to survey the Sturgeon river valley route to Gowganda for the proposed extension which will connect with Toronto-Sudbury line near Byng Inlet.

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REPORT OF MR. J. COYLE BROWN INSPECTOR OF COUNTY SCHOOLS

Mr. Richard Lees Presents His Report on Schools to the County Council.

During the recent sessions of the County Council two of the most important reports were those presented by the School Inspectors of the County, Messrs. J. Coyle Brown and Richard Lees. They were received and considered and referred to the School Committee. Mr. Lees' report was as follows:

To the Warden and Council of the the County of Peterborough:

Gentlemen,—I beg respectfully to submit my report on the schools of the county for last year.

During the first half of the year I visited the schools in the Western, and during the last half in the Eastern division of the County. In the former, there were employed 48 teachers in the rural schools, and 7 in the Village of Lakefield. In the latter, there were 55 in the rural schools and 12 in Havelock, and Norwood, making a total for the county of 104 rural school teachers and 19 in the villages. Of the former, 2 held first class, 25 second class, 34 third class, 23 district, and 16 temporary certificates or none at all. For the villages, the figures were 3 first, 15 second, and 1 third class.

As in former years, the greatest obstacle to progress has been the shortness of tenure of office on the part of the teachers. At my visits in 1908, I found but 34 out of 104 rural schools in charge of the same teachers that were there at the time of my former visit. In December last, there were only 7 of the rural schools in which there had not been a change since I made my first visit, about three years ago. At the close of last year, there were, in the whole county, only 26 teachers of those I met on my first round. Under such circumstances, it is impossible to carry out any definite plan of advance as the workers are away before it is possible to get them even started along any line of progress. Many trustees are exceedingly indifferent, and seem even more anxious than otherwise for a change when it is entirely uncalled for. Mere whims or prejudices, little personal feelings of spite or jealousy, the saving of a few dollars in salary or a simple desire for change, frequently constitute the only reason for upsetting the work of the school and throwing things into that confusion that inevitably results from a change even under the most favourable circumstances.

I am pleased to say that this is not a universal condition. There are many boards of trustees that are anxious to promote the best interests of their schools, are willing and ready to adopt suggestions from teacher or inspector, and to make personal sacrifices on behalf of the schools. But there are others, who having no interest in the school themselves, except to meet the bare requirements of the law at the least possible expense, cannot conceive that either teachers or inspectors can have any higher motive, and so look upon both as necessary evils. These are the really poor schools. The buildings and surroundings are usually uninviting, the equipment is inadequate, the children catch the infection of the officials and lack enthusiasm, there is no "school spirit," the teacher is often "cheap," and if possessing some ambition, finds a deadness and inertia that are too great to be moved, and soon settles down to the dead level of the surroundings.

My experience in the work so far, has led me to the conclusion that the inspectors' visits are too far apart. It is not possible to get sufficiently into touch with either pupils or teacher to exercise that supervision that would be in the best interests of the schools. I am of opinion that during the first half year which contains more than half the teaching days, a good deal more could be accomplished by making two visits. This would be quite practicable, at any rate in the western division of the county, where there are fewer schools and the ground is more easily covered. I am willing to undertake this extra work for this half year, if an additional allowance is made to cover the added expense. I advise that this plan be adopted for the present half year as an experiment.

The grants for the year were generous. The amount received by the county from the various Legislative Grants were as follows:

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Grant on account of salaries.....	5,014 00
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Special grant for accommodation and equipment	1,155 00
Special grant for assisted schools.....	1,235 00
Special grant for libraries.	290 16
Grant to continuation schools.....	574 46
Grants to Village schools.....	816 03
Total..... ....$	10,962 62

The county pays the equivalent of the grants to continuation schools and that on account of accommodation and equipment amounting to $1,727.46. This added to the above makes a total of grants to public schools in the county of $12,690.08.

A considerable sum was expended during the year on the erection of new buildings. An addition has been made to No. 8, Smith, (Young's Point,) and two teachers are now employed there. New buildings were erected in Nos. 6 and 8, Chandos, and in No. 3, Belmont. These are all good buildings, modern in design and well built. Additions each containing four rooms have been made to the buildings at Lakefield and Havelock. This makes a total of ten rooms in the former and eight in the latter. In Lakefield there will be, for the present, two rooms unoccupied, but as the cost of four rooms was only slightly more than of two, the board wisely looked to the future, and built the four. In Havelock, the space is practically all needed at present. The increased accommodation was urgently needed there and will prove a great boon to the educational interests of the village. Both places are to be congratulated on their enterprise and energy. I am informed that an excellent building has been erected in the Separate School Section No. 4, Asphodel. Including this the total expenditure in the county on new buildings will be over $17,000 for the year.

The Continuation Schools continue to make progress. There are now three Grade A. Schools, Lakefield having, since September arranged for the principal to give all his time to this work. In the three schools, Ennismore, Havelock and Lakefield, there are more than a hundred students receiving an excellent training in high school work without the expense and inconvenience of going away from home. At the Ennismore School, 8 candidates wrote on the Teachers' Examination last July. Of these five took the stand necessary for entrance to the Normal School, two of them with honours, while the other three obtained the standing necessary for admission to the District Model Schools. The probability is that in the near future, all three schools will require the services of at least two teachers.

More than ordinary difficulty has been experienced by many trustees in securing teachers for the present term. This matter, will adjust itself at midsummer. The students at present attending the Normal School will then be available for positions. There are about 160 at the Peterborough School and trustees where changes are in contemplation, would do well to move early and get into communication with these students before they have made engagements elsewhere. The day seems to have passed when it is possible to secure a "cheaper" teacher by waiting till the last minute.

It was my privilege last June to pay a brief visit to the City of Winnipeg and some parts of the Province of Saskatchewan. Though my time was limited, yet I found it possible to visit a few of the schools in both places. In Saskatchewan the rural schools are mostly small, but the buildings are neat and so far as my observation went, fairly well equipped. The work being done is very similar to that in our own rural schools. The most marked difference I found was in the salaries of the teachers, which are on the average, about double those paid here.

A great deal can be gained by an inspector in having the privilege of observing what is being done by others. I would recommend that your inspectors be given, during the present year, a month's leave of absence for the purpose of observing the work in other inspectorates or outside the province if thought desirable, and that a fair allowance be made to cover the cost of such a visit. I am convinced that it would be money well spent in the interests of education in the county.

I have the honour to be, gentlemen, your most obedient servant,

RICHARD LEES
Public School Insp.

Peterborough, Jan. 26th, 1909.

Mr. Brown's report was as follows:

To the Warden and Members of the Council of the County of Peterborough.

Gentlemen,—I have the honour to present to you the following report for the year 1908:

In the county there are three schools in the incorporated villages of Havelock, Lakefield and Norwood. Of rural schools there are ninety-nine: in Asphodel 7, in Belmont and Methuen 14, in Burleigh and Anstruther 6, in Chandos 8, in Dourb 10, in Dummer 8, in Ennismore 4, in Galway and Cavendish 5, in Harvey 8, in North Monaghan 3, in Otonabee 14 and in Smith 12. During the year an application was made for the formation of another school section in Douro. The arbitrators who dealt with the matter made an award adverse to the application. An appeal was made, and the second Arbitrating Board formed a new section. It is now the subject of litigation. What the result may be I am unable to state. I may be allowed to make the general statement that in the front parts of the country, and in parts of the rear, there are too many sections, more than can support effective schools.

The past year presents some aspects of progress. The school buildings in the villages of Havelock and Lakefield were in each case enlarged by four additional class rooms. These were much needed. The number of pupils exceeded the accommodation. Both of the villages named had considerable continuation classes, and a prospect of these classes being largely increased in the near future. Another room was added to the school building at Young's Point. The number of pupils attending the school in this section was greater than could be properly managed by one teacher. The trustees and ratepayers wisely determined on and carried out the enlargement. A new school house was built in school section No. 3, Belmont, the old building becoming unsafe. The site was also changed so as to bring it nearer the centre of the section. Another new house was built on a changed site in school section No. 8, Chandos. No. 8, Chandos, up to last year was without a school site or building of its own. The school was held in an old unused dwelling. During the year a site was chosen and a school house built.

Many of the schools are fairly well provided with furniture and equipment, library included. The improvement made in these regards during the last two years must be very gratifying to all who have the educational advancement of the country at heart. In the course of a short time little more will be required in most of the schools than to make trifling additions, and keep up the necessary repairs.

Of the 123 teachers employed, there were 5 holders of first class certificates, 42 second class, 41 third class, 18 district, 4 temporary, and at the time of my visits 13 with no certificates at all. Some of these 13 got temporary certificates afterwards. At present the teachers constitute one of the great weaknesses of our educational system. Of the 123 employed in the county last year, only 47 were in possession of permanent certificates; that is there were only 47 who had a thorough theoretic training for the work in which they were engaged. At present it is impossible to get anything like fairly qualified teachers for many of the positions in the county. The scarcity is partially owing to the low salaries paid to teachers in former years. Young men and women were on this account deterred from preparing themselves for teachers. The scarcity is also in some measure due to the change in the professional training of teachers recently introduced. In June next a large number of qualified teachers will issue from the Provincial Normal Schools. This will relieve the situation, and, in all probability, it will not be so acute in the future. Good buildings, good furniture, good equipment are all desirable, but these are of little value without good teachers. It is to be hoped that many trustees will avail themselves of the opportunity of securing such teachers at the approaching end of the Normal School term.

Perhaps the feature of our educational system that demands the greatest attention at present is the attendance. The attendance is not what it should be. Many parents appear indifferent as to whether their children go to school regularly or not. The children are often kept at home for trifling reasons. There is a compulsory law, but the machinery for carrying it out is defective. A parent who neglects to send his child to school regularly may be summoned before a magistrate and punished, but a trustee or a neighbour is adverse to making the necessary complaint. In every section there should be a truant officer, whose duty it should be to find out from the teacher or otherwise the names of the pupils who are not attending school regularly. The officer should warn the parents. If the warning is not sufficient, the legal punishment should follow. The province, the municipality and the section are compelled to pay for the support of the school. Parents should if necessary, be compelled to send their children to take advantage of it. Education costs. In no other way, however, can parents make so much provision for the future welfare of their children at so little outlay.

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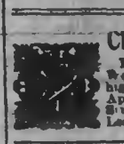

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TEACHERS WERE NOT AT LECTURE

A Gentle Reproof From Member of Board of Education for Not Hearing Discourse on "Volcanoes."

The school teachers of the city were reproved in an indirect manner several nights ago, when the Board of Education was in session. It had been decided that the Y. W. C. A. could use the assembly hall for their closing exercises and the Historical Society were given permission to hold their lectures there. Mr. Dumble and Mr. Hill had stated that they thought both these events were educational in their nature and should be allowed to use the hall. Mr. Dumble, referring to the lecture on "Volcanoes," a week ago, stated that among the audience he had noticed very few teachers. The number was very small, far too small for a city with as many teachers as Peterborough.

Mr Fair laughingly remarked that the Crystal was open that night and the pedagogues may have been there.

The citizens of Peterborough who desire to signally further education and build up the Collegiate Institute are being given the opportunity to provide books for the library that is being put together. There may be some people who would like to help the students by presenting a set of the works of some good author. It is desired that they be complete and in good condition and new if possible. Trash is distinctly refused. Anyone desiring to make an offer should, if they are in doubt as to what steps to take, either see him personally or write him. A card will appear shortly in the daily papers which will serve as a guide.

FEBRUARY 8th, BOOKS CLOSE

Don't forget that Monday Next, February 8th is the last day for settlement of accounts.

H. LeBRUN & Co. 3d-28

"ECHOES" PLEASE THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD

Presented With Copies of the Collegiate Institute's Monthly on Tuesday Night.

The members of the Board of Education were evidently well satisfied with the January number of the Collegiate Echoes. They were each presented with a copy of last month's bright number and many complimentary remarks were passed about the taste shown in the articles and the general pleasing appearance of the Echoes.

Remember the Grand Concert in Conservatory Hall, Thursday Feb. 11. Miss Hope Morgan, the distinguished Soprano, and Conservatory Orchestra of 25 performers. Prices 50c and 75c. Subscription at MacDonald's Drug Store and Conservatory of Music. 2d29

BIG
SALE
Continues at
ROUTLEY'S
Prompt responses to February Extraordinary Remnant Sale of Wall Papers, Crockery, etc.
In most cases you do not pay one-quarter the original prices.

Wall Paper
8000 rolls Wall Papers, assorted patterns, regular from 10c to 85c per roll. Now the price will be from . . . **3c to 10c**

Special Lines of Wall Covering
420 rolls Japanese Grass Cloth regular $5.00 for per roll **$2.59**
160 rolls Japanese Fibre, reg. $3.50, for per roll **$1.99**
187 rolls Leathers, used for dadoing, etc. regular $1.75, for per roll **97c**
1000 yards Dyed Burlaps, in greens and reds, reg. 35c for per yard . . **25c**

Crockery Drives
300 dozen edge line and sprig or gold clover leaf Cups Saucers and Plates, the three pieces for **10c**
The goods we are offering are reliable, and should crowd the store with enthusiastic buyers and boom selling beyond our own highest records of previous sales.

C. B. Routley
TORONTO—262 Queen St. West
PETERBOROUGH—370 Geo. St.

Question Of Enlarging The Murray Street Baptist Church Is Now Under Consideration

The question of providing greater accommodation for its congregation is now before the officials of the Murray street Baptist church. Practically every church in the city has grown extensively during the last few years and not a few of them have had to be enlarged or a new edifice has had to be constructed. In this respect the Board of the Murray street Baptist church has been recently contemplating making some provision for their increased membership. The feeling has been more evident of late, and for the purpose of considering the question a meeting was held on Monday night when the following committee was drafted to come to some decision in the matter: Messrs. T. F. Matthews, Vincent Eastwood, Dr. Scott, James Montgomery, Thos. Wilson and William Aldridge. Prominent officials of the church refuse to state their opinions of what the outcome may be.

Officer Of Children's Aid Society Spoke At Schools

Mr. S. M. Thomson, of Brantford, engaged in Children's Aid Society work under Mr. J. J. Kelso, was in the city on Wednesday and with Mr. Geo. Cochrane made a partial tour of the city. They visited in the afternoon the Central School and the South Ward School, Mr. Thomson giving a short talk at both institutions. His remarks were chiefly relative to the work the Society is doing in caring for children who are left homeless, or in charge of parents who are not giving them a proper training. He referred as an example to some cases where such young people had grown to maturity and were now married and had good homes of their own.

In the evening Mr. Thomson attended the regular mid-weekly meetings at St. Paul's and at the George street Methodist church where he also spoke briefly about the Society's work. Mr. Thomson's visit was mainly in the interests of wards of the Society, to see that they were receiving the care and attention which is expected from their foster parents. His fifteen years' experience in the work has made him thoroughly conversant with all its aspects and the encouragement given by the public has been a great benefit.

Man With Lost Identity In Hospital Seems Marathon Mad

PASSAIC, N. J., February 4. — Confusing his identity in turn with those of Ulysses, Leonidas and the orginal Marathon runner, a man supposed to be a merchant of Hinton, Va., is a patient in the general hospital, and the subject of much interest among medical men.

His is a clear case of lost identity. It is plain that he has no idea of his real name nor of the place whence he came. He gives as address, Sparta, Greece, and most of the time asserts he is Leonidas. Yet it is evident that all he has learned in the course of a classical education is sadly mixed, for he imagines himself not the hero of Thermopylae, but the strategist of Troy. He insists Leonidas commanded the Greeks who, in the wooden horse, gained entrance to the beleaguered city. At other times he thinks he is fighting Ulysses, then he is Ulysses in combat, the next that he is the fleet-footed youth who carried the news of the great victory of Miltiades from the field of Marathon, and fell dead as he cried Victory."

The stranger is about 30 years old and of athletic build. Again and again he mentions obscure towns known only to scholars. As a rule he has his incidents right, but he attributes them to the wrong men.

A card found in his pocket bears the name and address, "Tyler Jubal Daglen, Hinton, W. Va., which leads the authorities to think he is a business man of that town. He was found near the railroad station by a policeman, surrounded by a crowd that was listening with interest to his description of the first great Marathon.

MR. BENNETT MAKES REFERENCE TO BURNS

Interesting Letter on the Great Scotch Poet Received.

To the Editor of the Examiner,—

Dear Sir,—I desire to thank you for your able and very beautifully written article on the Scottish Poet Burns, on the occasion of his one hundred and fiftieth anniversary, in the daily Examiner—issue of January 25th.

The 25th of January, as everybody knows, is Burns' day. Burns' day is a world wide institution held right round the world wherever members of the Scottish race are to be found.

It is a time for enthusiasm over one who has shed undying glory on the Scottish race and on common people generally, for Burns, be it ever told, belonged, to the humble and poor. He was never anything but poor all his life, and in spite of the glory into which he emerged, he remained on familiar and kindly terms with the humble and obscure.

It is well that our interest and enthusiasm should be excited on behalf of one who has so splendidly spoken for the great inarticulate mass of our fellow men.

Here let me tell the story which is supposed to have suggested to Burns his "Tam O'Shanter and the Deil."

One day a bullock strayed into the church yard and the church door being open, went into the sacred edifice. Once in it got entangled in the seats and could not get out again. A woman passing heard the animal bellowing, looked in at a window, saw the shaggy head and fearsome horns, and rushed off, crying that the Deil was in the kirk. Hence "There sat auld Nick in shape o' beast." When the animal was being taken out one of its horns was knocked off.

"The wind blew as 'twad blawwn its last,
The rattling show'rs rose on the blast,
The speedy gleams the darkness swallow'd,
Loud deep and lang the thunder bellow'd.
That night a child might understand,
The Deil had busines on his hand."

J. M BENNETT,
Canadian Cordage Co.

THRONGED WITH HER ADMIRERS

The Toronto Globe in a recent issue says: "Fashionable Toronto turned out in goodly numbers to welcome Miss Hope Morgan on the occasion of her first appearance since her return from England, when the capacity of the Conservatory Music Hall was taxed to the utmost. Miss Morgan has won many triumphs abroad, when the largest halls in England and Europe have been crowded with her admirers, but it is doubtful if any of her audiences were more spontaneously appreciative than were those who gathered to welcome her in the lyric dramatic hymnal presented.

QUEEN VICTORIA'S HAIR.

Its Great Profusion Was Always a Cause of Wonder.

Even at the age of 80 years, Queen Victoria's hair was a marvel of luxuriance. The court physician following Prof. Unna's discovery undoubtedly treated her Majesty's scalp with a germ destroying preparation that was not made public. It is now known however, that the remedy for dandruff, the germ destroying element, is embodied in Newbro Herpicide, the only hair preparation on the market that does destroy the dandruff germ. Without dandruff, Hair will grow profusely, and falling hair will be stopped. Destroy the cause, you remove the effect." Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample to the Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. Two Sizes 50c and $1. McDermid & Jury, and Payne's Drug Store, Special Agents.

K.O.C. AT HOME TO THEIR FRIENDS

Enjoyable Evening Was Spent Last Night with Knights of Columbus.

The Knights of Columbus gave a very enjoyable "at home" last night in the Foresters' Hall, Simcoe street. The evening was delightfully spent and the large number of members and their friends combined for a most pleasant time. The committee, who had charge of the arrangements deserve every credit for the success their efforts entailed.

Band To-night at Street Railway Rink.

SOMETHING WRONG IN HASTINGS AFFAIRS?

The "Star" Wants to Know Who Authorized Advertisement for General Public Helper.

The advertisement for a Johannes factotum for the village of Hastings seems to have raised a small storm as the following in the Hastings Star would indicate:

We notice an advertisement in a Peterborough paper, calling for tenders for the Consolidated Offices in the Village of Hastings.

What does this mean? We were under the impression that a man was hired at the last meeting of the council. Has he refused to make good his offer, or did he never make an offer at all that would bind him? Are all the men competent of filling the job gone from Hastings or are they just distasteful to certain members of the council? Who authorized anyone to go to Peterborough for a man? The clerk did not send any advertisement to any paper as is usually done in such cases, and no one was authorized at any meeting of the council to do so. Two members of the council were not consulted and know nothing about it.

How about it?

108 Nox a Cold In One Day
The Greatest Lung Healing Medicine known to science. A guaranteed cure for all Lung Trouble, Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Sore Throat and Consumption. Every Bottle sold under a guarantee. The only Cough Medicine endorsed by doctors. 25c. Bottles.

Fig Pills Nature's Remedy For Constipation
Fig Pills will cure Rheumatism and all Blood Disease. Pimples and Blotches removed in a few days by taking Fig Pills. One taken at night time will make you feel better in the morning. Large boxes, 25c.

HASTINGS FAMILY SEEMS UNFORTUNATE

Several of its Members Have Met With Accidents.

Last Wednesday evening Mr. John Coughlan received word that his daughter, Loretta, who is attending the Normal School at Peterborough, had fallen and broken her ankle. It seems that Miss Coughlin fell on the waxed hardwood floor in one of the halls in the school causing the painful accident. She will be laid up for some time. Mr. Coughlan's family have been very unfortunate during the past year. Tim broke his leg playing ball in the summer, and Miss Winnie received a bad sprain while sleigh riding a few weeks ago from which she is not yet recovered. Hastings Star.

Be sure and hear Controller Hocken at the Ladies' Orange Lodge Concert in S.O.E. Hall, Hunter Street on Friday Evening, Feb. 5th. Good Programme. Admission 25 cents. 3d—27

CANADA LIFE ANNOUNCEMENT.

An important change made during the past month in the Canada Life office was the promotion of Mr. C. E. Barnett, who has been for some time cashier of the Detroit office, and latterly Inspector of Agencies for that district, to the position of District Agent for Central Ontario District, with headquarters at Peterborough. This opening has occurred through the removal of Mr. S. E. Sills from Peterborough to Toronto. Mr. Barnett received his early training in the Toronto office, and the tribute of his former manager is that he is one of the most progressive young men in the company's employ. He has gained considerable reputation as a producer of business, and his training particularly fits him for his new position, where he will have in his charge an important district, comprising the Counties of Peterborough, Northumberland, Hastings, Lennox and Addington, with the responsibility for several capable representatives of the company, who have been devoting some time to its business, and who will in future, under the new arrangements, pay particular attention to the field which Mr. Barnett has under his management.

The Davis-Thompson Co., Limited, have assumed the Peterborough Agency, and necessary alterations are being made in their office at No. 433 George street, to accommodate the business. A very vigorous campaign is being planned to keep the Canada Life before the insuring public, and the district agent, as well as the local agents, will give the best attention and most courteous consideration to all interested in the Canada Life or wishing to do business with the company.

The purity, flavour and strength of "Salada" Tea make it incomparably the best value on the market. It is infinitely more delicious and decidedly more economical than other teas. 93

Bernard Daly "Grand" To-night

Valentines

None of the old-world festivals are more quaintly interesting in its surviving customs than St. Valentine's Day, February 14th. Grand opening of—

Fancy | Comic
VALENTINES
Artistic | Sentimental

Interesting display of pretty, tender messages from Cupid's Arrow—

Prices from 3c to $2

Envelopes of all sizes to fit Valentines.

VALENTINE PARTIES, Etc.

A hostess can scarcely do better than decide upon a Valentine Party. There are endless opportunities for decoration and entertainment, and the Peterborough Bookstore's resources are ready to command.

The daintiest of Party Invitation Cards with envelopes. A charming line of Fancy Note Papers and Envelopes for society correspondence. Also, Pretty Art Novelties and Prizes for Valentine "favours."

VALENTINE POST CARDS—Comic and Sentimental

Unique and Attractive, Pretty and Dainty.
Prices—1c each, 2 for 5c or 5c each, according to design, etc.

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EXTRAORDINARY CHANCES IN
Pianos and Organs
$190 will buy an Upright Piano just as good as new. Only three months in use. A snap at $190.
$15 and up will buy Organs, piano-cased, which were taken as part payment on pianos.
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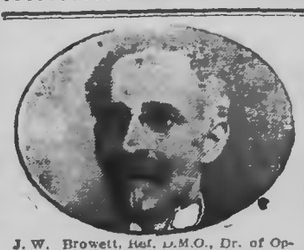

AT 9 P. M. SATURDAYS
Hereafter the Peterborough Optical Institute closes at nine o'clock every Saturday night instead of ten as formerly, and 8 o'clock other evenings.

APPOINTMENTS
Evening is quite as suitable as day time for eye examinations for glasses but it is usually necessary to arrange a day or two in advance in order to secure a suitable appointment. Appointments are made by phone, letters or a call.
THE PETERBOROUGH OPTICAL INSTITUTE
In the Market Building, 332 George St., Phones—Bell 454L, Machine 7

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Linens

The housewife will find this Blue Ribbon White Event a bonanza for filling her Linen needs at a wonderful saving of money—and the quality of the Linens are the sort which careful housewives demand.

DAMAGED TABLE CLOTHS

Sizes 2 yds. x 2 yds, 2 x 2½ yds, 2 x 3 yds, 2½ x 2½ yds, 2½ x 3 yds, 2½ x 3½ yds, 2½ x 4 yds, in a big variety of patterns and qualities, all slightly damaged. These table cloths were bought direct from the manufacturer in Ireland at a discount of 50% of regular price. **See Them, Main Floor,** centre aisle, and see how low we marked them for the Blue Ribbon White Event.

RICHARD HALL & SON
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353-355 George Street
Peterboro

Second Annual February

"MARK DOWN" SALE

COMMENCING Feb. 5th (Friday) the Smallwares Department will give forth scores of the biggest values that you'd expect to find anywhere. Values that are only found where an object such as we have in view is the incentive, viz. the bringing of February to a standard with other months of the year in the turnover of merchandise. We realize that to do this we must offer the public, New Spring Goods at such low prices that to purchase early is a consideration worth while. Every department is represented in this sale every day during the month, but each has five days of publicity. Watch the ads. Watch the windows.

MITTS and GLOVES

No 1—Long White Wool Tobogganing Mitts for Ladies and Misses. Regular price 50c and 75c. "Mark Down" price **39c.**

No. 3 — Women's Cashmere Gloves, in wine, cream and navy with two dome wrist. Regular 25c and 35c.
"Mark Down" price **19c**

No. 2—Two dome wool Golf Gloves, in navy, tan, brown, white and red. Extra good wearers. Value 50c. "Mark Down" price **39c.**

No. 4—Long Kid Gloves, in Ox-blood and Green, just a few pairs left. Regular $3.00 value. "Mark Down" price **$1.48.**

No. 5—Extra long Black Kid Gloves, good shades. Regular $3.75 value,
"Mark Down" price **$2.75**

LEATHER SATCHELS

No. 1 — Hand Satchels of stamped leathers in new designs and shape, with purse inside, black and tan, valued at $1.25. Mark Down price **98c.**

No. 2—Black Hand Satchel, with purse and card case. Regular value $1.00. Mark Down price **59c.**

No. 3—Black Satchel, with three sections and side pocket fastened with dome, strong leather handles, regular $1.00. Mark Down price **69c.**

Women's Children's UNDERWEAR

No. 1—Watson's unshrinkable underwear, three parts wool, 75c value. Mark Down price **59c.**

No. 2—Ladies' White Drawers, half wool, well made. Regular 35c line. Mark Down price **27c.**

No. 3--Children's Watsons unshrinkable vests and drawers, sizes 16 to 22, ranging as high in price as 45c. Mark Down price **33c** garment. Same quality, in sizes 22 to 32, reg. 50c for **43c.**

No. 4—Ladies' Black Equestriennes in all wool quality, one line worth $1.00. Mark Down price **78c.** Another line 75c for **59c.**

LACES AND BELTS

New Valenciennes and Torchon Laces and Insertions, 1 to 2½ inches wide, regularly retailed at 10c yard. Mark Down price **3 1-2c.**

Neat, new Elastic Belts, in brown, navy and black webs, with pretty brass buckles. Special Mark Down price **22c.**

Women's Children's HOSIERY

No. 1—Heavy wool Ribbed Hose, seamless feet, guaranteed stainless dye, sizes up to 8½. Regular 35c. Mark Down price **27c.**

No. 2—Children's fine Ribbed Cashmere Hose, in sizes up to 5½. Regular 25c. Mark Down price **2 for 25c.**

No. 3—Very heavy wool knitted "Goderich" stocking in sizes 8½ to 10. Regular 60c. Mark Down price **47c.**

CORSETS

No. 1 — White Coutil, long hip, short waisted Corsets with hose supporters attached, D and A-Make. Regular $1.50 value. Mark Down Price **$1.29.**

No. 2—D and A Corsets in grey coutil, splendid styles and well made, with hose supporters attached. 1.25 and $1 lines clearing price during Mark Down Sale at **78c.**

EMBROIDERIES

No. 1—Fine Swiss Embroidery and Insertion, from one to four inches wide, neat designs. Reg. 10c and 12½c qualities. Mark Down Price **3½c.**

No. 2—Swiss Cambric Embroidery in beautiful open patterns from 3½ to 7½ ins. Regularly retailed at 12½ and 15½c. At **7½c.**

No. 3—12 inch Embroidery Insertion suitable for blouse fronts, etc. Regular 25c and 35c. Mark Down Price **19c.**

No. 4 — Corset Cover Embroidery with floral design, beading edged. Regular 25c line. Mark Down price **15c**

No. 5—Beautiful open patterned Corset Cover Embroidery, also heavy Roman designs. Regularly priced at 55 cents. Mark Down Price **42c**

FRILLINGS

No. 1—Merry Widow boxed Frilling, three in a box. worth 35c box. Mark Down Price **21c** per box.

No. 2—Merry Widow Frilling, pretty effect. Regular 20 cents frill. Mark Down Price **10c** a frill.

HANDKERCHIEFS

No. 1—Pure linen hemstitched cambric Handkerchiefs, worth 10c each. Mark Down price **4 for 25c.**

No. 2—Embroidery edged mull Handkerchiefs, slightly soiled from display, regular 15c. Mark Down price **4 for 25c.**

No. 3—Plain lawn hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 5c value. Mark Down price **7 for 25c.**

RIBBONS

No. 1—Good Taffetta Ribbons, 4 inches wide, in black, brown, navy, white, pink and pale blue. Regular 20c value. Mark Down price **14c**

No. 2—Splendid quality Taffeta Ribbon, 6½ to 7 inches wide in white, grey, cream, pink, tuscan, brown, navy, black and cardinal, all good shades. Regular 35c lines. Mark Down price **27c.**

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THEY SURPRISED COUN. MORROW

Enjoyable Affair Held in North Monaghan Last Night.

A very enjoyable gathering was held at the residence of Councillor Jas. Morrow, North Monaghan, on Wednesday evening, when about 90 of his friends gave him a surprise party in honour of his being elected to the council. A most enjoyable evening was held, the night being spent in dancing and games. Mr. Albert Reynolds of Springville, supplied the music.

Last week a similar gathering was held at the residence of Councillor Dobbin, when an equally enjoyable time was spent.

Band To-night at Street Railway Rink.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF METER COMPANY

Business of the Factory is Very Encouraging.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Peterborough Meter Company was held on Tuesday, when the business of the company was gone over and the following officers were elected—

President—Mr. J. H. Larmouth.
Sec. and Treas. —W. H Denham

The old Board of Directors was re-elected and consisted of— J. H. Larmouth, W. H Denham, R. J. Wolstenholm, A. J. McClelland, E. Wasson.

The president reported that the factory is now turning out an exceptionally high grade meter and that the business has been steadily increasing and that the outlook for 1909 is of a most encouraging nature.

SPECIAL MEETING OF HOME CIRCLE

Mr. O. S. Matchett Was Elected Financial Secretary.

A special meeting of the Home Circle Society was held last night (Wednesday) in the Foresters' Hall, on George street. There was a large number present. The following officers were elected:

Past Leader ..... Mr. Kemp
Leader ..... Mr. Carey
Vice-Leader ..... Mr. Middleton
F. S. ..... Mr. Matchett
C. S. ..... Mr. Jewett
Treas. ..... Mr. Milburn
Chaplain ..... Mrs. Jewett
Trustees ... Mr. Bunton, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Goodenough

COUNTY SCHOOL REPORTS

No. 4 Douro

The names are in order of merit.
Class V—Rosaline Moher.
Class IV—Marks obtainable, 800.
Senior IV—John F. Condon, 670.
Junior IV—Maye Condon, 679; Lillian Condon, 626; Marjorie Allen, 608; Victor Kennedy, 608; Carrie Sweeny, 436; Lottie Sullivan, 542; Frank Moher.
Class III. — Marks obtainable, 800. Tommy Russell, 710; Patrick Condon, 666; Edward Kennedy, 580; Stella Russell, 552; Edgar Wood.
Class II. — Marks obtainable, 600. Hazel Russell, 489.
Class Part II.—Mamie Kennedy, Harold Moher, Agatha Sullivan.
Class Sr. Part I.—Francis Condon.
Class Jr. Part I.—Francis Condon.
Average attendance, 16.
Teacher: Josie M. Condon.

No. 3 Douro

Names in order of merit.
Sr. IV.—Frank Leahy, Maggie Maloney, Lottie Campbell, Mae Leahy, Harold Conroy.
Jr. IV.—Myrtle White, Pearl Campbell.
Sr. III.—Leo Conroy, Thomas Leahy, Dan Maloney, Stanley Northey.
Jr. III.—Mabel Northey, Violet Campbell, Helen Brown.
Sr. II. — Theresa Maloney, Annie Christie, Vernon Campbell, May Conroy, Martin Leahy, Graydon Northey, Vincent Leahy, Bert Leahy.
Jr. II.—Harold White, Rollie Campbell, Mary Mahoney, Edward Rich.
Pt. II.—Lena Allen, Herbert Stickenrider, Annie Leeson, Charlie Christie.
Pt. I.—Sherman Northey, Leo Leahy, John Burns.
B. A. Herr, Teacher.

No. 1, Otonabee.

Names arranged in order of merit.
Class V.—Bessie Shearer.
Class IV. Sr.—Rena Shearer.
Class IV. Jr.—Bella Wood, Mabel Steele, Stanley Walker, Gordon Wood, George Edwards, James Fortune.
Class III. Jr.—Ethyl Steele, Florence Blezard.
Class III. Sr.—Edith Steele, Maggie Myers, Alex Hastie, Edith Wood, Harold Blezard, Annie Edwards, George Dickson.
Class II.—Willie Redpath.
Class I. Sr.—Melville Wood.
Class I. Jr.—Willie Steele, Amos Hastie, Harry Garnett (equal), Wilfred Blezard, Agnes Wood.
Lila Taylor, Teacher.

OBITUARY

MRS. JOHN DRUMMOND

Keene, Feb. 4th, Special.—The death occurred this morning at ten o'clock of Mrs. John Drummond at her home in Otonabee. The deceased had been ill for some time, and her death was not unexpected. Her maiden name was Margaret Benne, and she was a native of this township. She leaves to mourn her loss, besides her husband, three daughters, Mary, Jean and Lettie.

The funeral will be held from the family residence Friday afternoon at two o'clock and interment will take place in Keene Cemetery.

ROBERT RAYMOND LANG

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. C. Lang, 622 Rubidge street, will sympathize with them in the bereavement which has come upon them in the death of their youngest son, Robert Raymond Lang, which took place last night, after a short illness. The little fellow was aged two years and eight months.

The funeral took place this afternoon to Little Lake Cemetery.

MR. JAMES MONGRAW

The funeral of the late Mr. James Mongraw, who died in Ashburnham on Tuesday last, will be held on Friday, February 5th at 2.30 p. m.

Members of L. O. L., No. 457, Nassau, of which lodge the deceased was a member, will meet at the Orange Hall, on Simcoe street, at 1 p. m., and proceed to the residence of the deceased. Interment will take place at the Little Lake Cemetery. Members of the Order in the two districts are invited to be present at the funeral ceremony.

Mr. James Mongraw, Peterborough is a son of the deceased, who is also survived by two brothers, Mr. George Mongraw of Buffalo, N. Y., and Mr. Max Mongraw of Midland, and one sister Miss Emma Mongraw of Midland. He was a member of Court Chemong, No. 530, Independent Order of Foresters.

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No matter how correct an eye test may be, if the lenses are not ground perfectly the glasses are useless. Our glasses are always "Perfect."

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FEBRUARY SALE

Choice Dairy Butter **25c lb.**

New Laid Eggs **30c doz.**

Finnan Haddie **10c lb.**

Sealed Oysters (Solid Meat) **60c qt.**

Marmalade Oranges **15c doz.**

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TELEPHONES—304

For **Drug Wants** Try **R. I. Davidson** DRUGGIST with the Tate-Taylor Optical Company 412 George Street

Keep Your Eye on Our February Reduction Prices

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Here are a few Starters:

Ladies' finest musk rat lined, best mink trimmed Coats, reg. $125, now .. $90.00
Ladies' finest musk rat lined, best Alaska Sable trimmed Coats, reg. $95 now 70.00
Ladies' finest Hamster lined, best Alaska Sable trimmed Coats, reg. $70 now 50.00
Ladies' Hamster lined, best Alaska Sable trimmed Coats, reg. $65, now .. 45.00
Ladies' finest lock squirrel lined, best Alaska Sable trimmed Coats, reg. $60, 55.00

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Manufacturing Furriers
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Saturday Snaps | **ADAMS'** | Saturday Snaps

SPECIAL SATURDAY SNAPS AT ADAMS'

Children's Sweaters, Ladies' Golf Coats, Elderdown Sacques, Toques, Sashes, Long Mitts, Worsted Hose, Flannelette Gowns, Black Sateen Underskirts.

$1.50 Children's Sweaters 98c
One lot of Children's Sweaters, assorted colours, opened at shoulder and front, extra firm quality, all wool, our regular $1.50 lines. Saturday special price..... **98c**

$1.00 Elderdown Dressing Sacques 50c
24 only Eiderdown Dressing Sacques, colours blue and cardinal, made of fine quality all wool Eiderdown, our regular $1.00 lines. Special Saturday price.. ..... **50c**

35c Worsted Hose 25c
5 dozen all wool worsted ribbed Hose, sizes 6½ to 10. Special Saturday price.. **25c**

$2.50 Golf Coats for $1.98
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WILL SAFEGUARD GREAT RESOURCES

House Passes Resolution Favoring Fisheries Committee.

CROSSING BILL POSTPONED

Mr. Sinclair of Guysboro Moves For Select Standing Committee to Deal With Marine and Fisheries Questions.— Mr. Graham Wants to Confer With Railway Commission Over Crossings Measure.

Ottawa, Feb. 4.—A comprehensive and effective policy of conserving and developing the natural resources was brought a step nearer realization by the unanimous adoption by the House of Commons yesterday afternoon, moved by Mr. Sinclair of Guysboro', calling for the appointment of a select standing committee to deal with the questions relating to marine and fisheries. In the discussion on Mr. Borden's motion the other day the Prime Minister suggested that marine and fisheries should be dealt with apart from other resources, and accepted, on behalf of the Government, the resolution submitted by the member for Guysboro yesterday afternoon.

W. F. Maclean (South York) observed that there were a good many committees now and they had a good deal to do, and he thought the time was opportune to consider if some of the work could not be put on the Senate. He believed the Senate ought to be reorganize to take up such matters as the fisheries, and the conservation of natural resources.

J. B. Crosby (Halifax) endorsed the idea and was followed by A. K. McLean (Lunenburg), who stated that such questions as the modus vivendi giving United States fishermen privileges in Canadian waters, the coasting trade privileges granted to Norwegian vessels and the decline of the shipping industry might properly be referred to the new committee.

Mr. Brodeur announced that the Government accepted with pleasure the suggestion contained in the resolution and it was adopted by the House.

Though the House of Commons accepted unanimously the Lancaster level crossing bill when it was brought up on Monday last, the member for Lincoln encountered an unexpected difficulty yesterday afternoon when the third reading, which was expected to be a mere formality, was delayed at the request of Hon. Mr. Graham, who said he desired to get the opinion of the chairman of the Railway Commission, who was at present in Winnipeg.

Mr. Lancaster made a strong plea. If it was delayed in getting to the Senate and then sent back for amendment it might not be reached again by the Commons, as was the case last year. The bill represented the combined intelligence of this House for three sessions, and surely the chairman, who is an administrator, had nothing to do with making the law. This was the business of Parliament.

Mr. Graham said his object was to get rid of dangerous crossings. He thought the man who had to administer the law could give some practical hints as to the way it should be drawn.

R. L. Borden observed that the Minister had a year to get the opinion of the chairman and it was late to ask for postponement. Any modifications could be presented to the Senate.

Dr. Edwards (Frontenac) declared that in view of the activity of the G.T.R. in the recent election there must be another reason why the Minister asked delay. Haughton Lennox also protested against delay.

Mr. Graham said it was not a question of putting the jurisdiction of the commission against that of Parliament, but he had asked the chairman to put his views in the form of a bill.

Mr. Lancaster said if something was not done to protect level crossings, trains would be derailed. The people would not stand for this nonsense.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier handled Mr. Lancaster diplomatically. What has occurred recently at level crossings was appalling, but would it not be better for Mr. Lancaster to follow the course suggested? The legislation proposed had been passed by the House twice, but had failed in the Senate because of its drastic character. There would be no delay by waiting till the chairman had given his opinion, as the Senate would not meet till the 25th, and the bill would remain the first order. And Mr. Lancaster accepted Sir Wilfrid's undertaking.

W. B. Northrup introduced a bill to empower the Railway Commission to compel a railway company which absorbs another to carry out its contracts with municipalities.

In the question hour Mr. Lancaster ascertained from Mr. Graham that the number of men employed on the Welland Canal was swelled to 416 in September and 611 in October. The men were taken out on the recommendation of the engineer in charge of the work.

Mr. Jamieson (Digby) enquired if it was the intention of the Government to spend the money voted last session for wharves in his constituency. Digby has since gone Conservative. Mr. Pugsley answered that it is not the intention to proceed with the wharves.

Mr. Graham informed Mr. Lennox that negotiations are in progress with the Vancouver Drydock and Shipbuilding Co. for the construction of a dry dock under the act of last session.

Dr. Sproule directed Mr. Graham's attention to the alleged fact that in a recent railway wreck on the Pennsylvania road where both engines and wooden cars were crushed into a mass of ruins, a steel Pullman car immediately behind the engine escaped without a scratch. What did the Minister propose to do towards introducing steel cars on the I.C.R.?

Mr. Graham pointed out that the cost of changing from wooden to steel cars would preclude the reform for some years to come.

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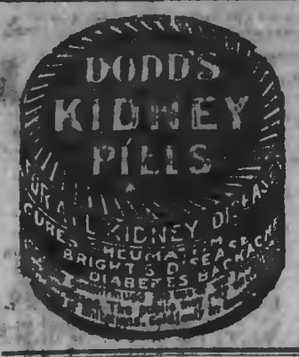

VANSICKLE FIRE AN ACCIDE

Jury in Vansickle Case Finds No Trace of Foul Play.

MANY STILL DISSATISFIED

Neighbors and Some Jurors Feel That There Is Something Bearing on the Case Which Was Not Brought Out at Inquest—Ill-Feeling Between Martin and Harry Vansickle, Says George W. Meisner.

Jerseyville, Feb. 4.—"We find that the fire which destroyed the residence of Philip Vansickle was purely accidental, and that Philip Vansickle, Martin, his son, Melita, his daughter, and Harry, his son-in-law, came to their deaths by suffocation, and that there is no suspicion of foul play."

This was the verdict of Coroner Farmer's jury, which yesterday closed the inquest into the fourfold tragedy at Saturday morning last.

Despite this verdict, there still remains a doubt in the minds of jurors and of the neighborhood. The whole inquest seems, in the minds of many of the jurors and of the inhabitants to have been held more for the purpose of dispelling the particular suspicion so broadly hinted at by old Wesley Vansickle, father of Henry, than for real discovery.

Every witness was questioned as to whether there was any ill-feeling among those living in the house, or between any of them and the close relatives living near by. None knew of any save one, George W. Meisner, who said that Harry had complained of Martin, who worked the farm with him on an equal basis of remuneration, saying that it was not fair that he should do three-quarters of the work and Martin be equally rewarded.

Albert Vansickle, uncle of Martin and Seth, spoke of the much discussed will of Peter, of which he was a witness. This was the will made in the winter of 1908. He believed there was no dissatisfaction with the will.

Policeman Saves a Life.

Niagara Falls, Ont., Feb. 4.—Alexander Ray of this city had a narrow escape from suffocation by gas fumes on Tuesday night.

Ray is caretaker for Mr. Rowland, and police had been instructed to keep a watch on the house. Officer Dart on his round was trying the doors and looking through the window saw Ray leaning over a stove, which had the lid off. Dart broke into the house and found the man unconscious from the combined effects of whisky and gas fumes.

Pointed Gun a Firemen.

Toronto, Feb. 4—Crazed with liquor, Samuel Moore threw a lighted lamp at his wife at 9.30 last night, setting fire to his house, 57 Allan avenue, and when the Bolton avenue firemen arrived Moore tried to drive them off with a cylinderless revolver.

He was arrested by P. C. Sockett and locked up in No. 8 police station. The blaze did but trifling damage to the house.

TO LESSEN COST OF LITIGATION

Hon. J. J. Foy Says Reforms Must Be Instituted.

LAWYERS ENTER PROTEST

Deputation That Goes to Local Cabinet to Advise Against Alteration of Procedure is Told That Cost Must Be Decreased and Delays Lessened — One Delegate Agrees With the Attorney-General.

Toronto, Feb. 4.—"There are undoubtedly some evils to be remedied," said Hon. J. J. Foy, the Attorney-General, replying to the large deputation of legal men who waited upon the Government yesterday afternoon in reference to the proposed measure of law reform. "There is something faulty in the matter of appeals. We expect to place a bill before the House and some little time will be allowed for its consideration, both in the House and throughout the country. We are anxious to secure the views, not only of the judges and lawyers, but of the laymen—the litigants—as well. Their views will be well considered and digested.

"The measure will aim at curing some of the evils that we believe exist. The cost of litigation should be lessened; delays—many of them unnecessary and vexatious—should be made less frequent and less possible, and the public generally should have greater satisfaction with the final judgment given.

"I do not think a commission is necessary to deal with this matter. There are voluntary and self-constituted commissions sitting upon it all the time. We shall be glad to consider all suggestions, but, in my opinion, the time is ripe for the measure, and it will be duly introduced."

"This is not a hysterical or periodical change process," added Sir James Whitney. "There has been a growing conviction in favor of the one appeal, and around that idea have clustered subordinate views."

The suggestions submitted by the deputation were diverse and discursive. Their general trend was toward conservatism touching legal procedure. A commission of judges was recommended to consider the whole question before it was tackled by the Legislature. The deputation declared themselves unanimous as to the retention of the present Court of Appeal, the right of higher appeal and the establishment of a permanent divisional court. One speaker declared the law reform movement to be largely the result of newspaper agitation based upon appeals taken from jury verdicts in negligence cases, and urged the abolition of juries in damage suits of this character. The "block" system for the payment of lawyers by their clients was also advocated, another speaker declaring it was "infra dig for lawyers to itemize every fifty cents in their accounts."

Mr. D. B. Maclennan, K.C., of Cornwall, who spoke at the Premier's suggestion, rounded upon his legal brethren with a pronounced advocacy of "nil the Attorney-General has outlined." "There are now sixteen proceedings to an act, while six is all we require," he said. "We should cut out the other ten."

Storm Ties Up Manitoba.

Winnipeg, Feb. 4.—The first through train since Saturday to arrive over the main line from Edmonton will reach the city to-day. Since Saturday a local has been running daily from Humboldt to Winnipeg. The district most affected by the severe storm is in the vicinity of Bonda, a small station east of Warman, where an exceptionally severe blizzard made it utterly impossible for trains to be operated. The track will be in first-class condition to-day.

A Linotype Deal.

London, Feb. 4.—The scheme for the absorption of the Linotype and Machinery Co., London, by the Mergenthaler Co. has received the assent of a requisite proportion, viz., 75 per cent. of the shareholders.

Four Months For Stealing Fowl.

Kingston, Feb. 4.—James McIlroy was convicted yesterday of stealing fowl and was given four months in the Central Prison. His wife and mother were in court and broke into tears when the sentence was imposed.

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BARRIERS SURMOUNTED.

Miss Slater's Husband Put Up a Hard Fight.

Montreal, Feb. 4.—Miss Mabel A. Slater, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Slater of Montreal, was married to Charles W. Moffitt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Moffit of New York, in the Catholic Church in Plattsburg, N.Y.

The groom is Protestant and unable to secure a dispensation for the marriage in Canada, Mr. Moffitt being a Protestant, the wedding party journeyed by special train to Plattsburg, returning afterwards to Montreal, where a dinner reception and dance for 300 guests were held at the Windsor.

The young people met while en route to the Mediterranean, but their parents decided that both should return to school. Mr. Moffitt, however, was not to be frustrated in this way and proposed to his father that he be permitted to work up in his office. This was agreed to, and the young man after applying himself assiduously, displayed such business aptitude that promotion rapidly followed.

Mr. Slater is the wealthy shoe manufacturer, and the elder Mr. Moffit is a real estate operator of New York City.

School Panic at Buffalo.

Buffalo, N.Y., Feb. 4.—Fearful that an earthquake was about to occur 600 Italian children at Our Lady of Mount Carmel school were thrown into a state of great excitement at 10 o'clock yesterday, but through the strict observance of the fire drill no one was injured. The skies darkened with the fall of snow, a little girl shrieked, and a panic almost resulted.

The report was circulated that the school was on fire, and hundreds of frantic fathers and mothers rushed to the school to get their little ones.

Takes Wife and Cash.

Brantford, Feb. 4.—A warrant has been issued for the arrest of Walter Williams, who is said to have eloped with the wife of John Curley, a storekeeper in Tuscorara Township.

Williams, it is said, carried the cash box and considerable goods with him when he left.

Danger Dogs Some People

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The Examiner's Sporting Page

RUNNING ATHLETICS HOCKEY

TO-NIGHT'S CITY LEAGUE FINAL WILL BE COMMENCED AT 8 O'CLOCK SHARP BOTH TEAMS HAVE STRONG SEVENS

The final chapter in theCity Hockey League race will be revealed to-night when the Strathconas and Lakefield cross sticks at 8 o'clock sharp in the decisive battle. Neither team has lost a game and the championship of the League depends upon the result. What is more the fate of the Stratton Trophy hinges upon the game as if the Straths win the contest the Trophy becomes their property as it will be the third time in succession for the High Commissioners. In that case the League will be without a Trophy next year.

Many people however think that the Straths are due for a trimming and that Leo Quinn's speedy bunch will about turn the trick Both teams are at their best on hard ice and the going to-night should suit everyone, as a splendid sheet o' ice is available.

Both teams will have the same line ups as wore their colours last week and it should be a battle royal with fast clean hockey from start to finish.

Many local people are pulling for Lakefield to win as their determination in sending a team down year after year on cup hunting expeditions has won the admiration of the fans, and the Cementville team will not lack for supporters to-night A big crowd is coming down from Lakefield for the battle and it looks as if the visitors will be the favourites with the audience.

The big game will commence at 8 o'clock sharp, not 9 o'clock as the schedule calls for. The change has been made in the interests of the public and will no doubt be appreciated.

The Straths will be without the services of Charlie Ray, and the teams will line up as follows—

Strathconas		Lakefield
	Goal	
Wilson		Crawford
	Point	
Smith		Sabatino
	Cover Point	
Dusty		Quinn
	Rover	
Dobson		Simpson
	Centre	
Long		T Sabatino
	Right Wing	
Seymour		Morin
	Left Wing	
McMillan		Quigley

The Chieftains and George street will play a Junior City League contest before the big game, commencing at 6.45 o'clock, while the Belmont-West End game will bring the League season to a close

ANNUAL MEETING OF PETERBOROUGH CRICKET CLUB WAS ENTHUSIASTIC

Large Attendance of Those Interested—Officers for the Year Elected and Other Business Transacted.

THE HIGHEST AVERAGE.

The annual meeting of the Peterborough Cricket Club was held last evening in the Y.M.C.A. Parlours, when the officers for the coming season were elected and prospects discussed. There was a good attendance and much enthusiasm was displayed, auguring well for the success of the Club. Last year the club had an enjoyable and successful season, and there is every reason to expect that the coming season will be one of the best in the history of the grand old game in Peterborough.

At last night's meeting reports were read and adopted from the various committees, and the financial statement was read, showing a small balance to the credit of the club. The property committee's report showed the material on hand is in good condition.

An interesting feature last night was the presentation of the medal donated by Messrs. F. Clarke & Son for the highest batting average for the season, to Mr. George Marshall, one of the club's best players, who last season, averaged twenty runs per innings.

The following officers were then elected:—

Hon. President — Dr. Burnham.
Hon. Vice-President — Mr. Matthews.
President — Mr. C. Hill.
Vice-President — Mr. Dela Fosse.
Sec.-Treasurer — Mr. C. Poussette.
Patrons and Patronesses — Hon. J. R. Stratton, M.P., and Mrs. Stratton; Mr. A. P. Poussette and Mrs. Poussette; R. R. Hall and Mrs. Hall; Mr. T. F. Matthews and Mrs. Matthews; Mr. M. A. Montizambert and Mrs. Montizambert; Dr. Young and Mrs. Young; and T. E. Bradburn, M.P.P.

Another meeting will be held in about six weeks, when the players will begin to get into shape for the season's fun, and will elect their executive committee and captain.

JIM HARRISON CHALLENGES W. B. SPENCELEY TO NINE-HOUR RACE

To The Sporting Editor

Dear Sir—Kindly allow me space in your valuable paper, regarding Mr. W. B. Spenceley's claim to be the champion walker of Peterborough, which he says he won by right last summer at Brock Street Rink. So he did in a One Hour Walk and he made the remarkably fast time of 6 1-4 miles, which I can name three boys of Peterborough the oldest of them being under 15 years of age who can cover for one hour equal or better than that and he says I refused to take part in the same race. Perfectly right, as I had no ambition to be Peterborough's One Hour Champion. But he did not say that the three men he beat in the match I raced in a relay race, they doing four miles each and myself 12 miles, beating them easy, on the same night.

But if Mr. Spenceley is eager for a race I will concede him the same distance that Mr. Hoagland conceded me, viz 1 mile start in a nine hour walk, at any time or place he likes to name for a good substantial side bet. Thanking you for your space, I remain yours truly,

JIM HARRISON,
Champion Long Distance Walker of Canada.

P. S.—Not Peterborough, but Canada.

LEAGUE HAS APPOINTED BILL ROSE REFEREE FOR TO-NIGHT'S BIG GAME

That both Strathconas and Lakefield are anticipating a hard battle in to-night's City League championship game at Brock street rink is shown by the difficulty that occurred in deciding upon a referee to handle the battle. It has generally been the case that the two teams agreed upon an official but in this case the contesting sevens could come to no agreement and as a result the president of the League Mr. C. G. Graham, had to appoint an arbitrator. The managements of the two clubs were in telephone communication with each other several times yesterday but could not agree upon any one man. Geo. Lynch, Wallie Parnell, Harry Morgan, Ernie Wasson and Walter Miller were suggested but one team or the other objected to all five and there was nothing doing. Bill Stroud and Rollie Glover were nominated but both declined and then the teams informed the League officials that they could not come to an agreement. President Graham this morning appointed Bill Rose of the Peterboroughs. He has been handling the Junior City League games and giving every satisfaction and should be able to look after to-night's big battle all right.

SHRUBB IS IN GOOD SHAPE FOR TO-MORROW'S RACE WITH LONGBOAT

New York, Feb. 3—Tom Longboat except on of the finishing touches, is all ready for his engagement with Alfred Shrubb on Friday, with the latter's training quarters in Montclair are the most favourable.

The little Englishman has entirely recovered from the injury to his toe, and is reeling off 10 and 15 mile workouts at his usual speedy pace. As far as the race itself is concerned, the question between the two men still remains, one of speed vs. endurance. Longboat says, however, that he will beat the Englishman at his own game. He intends to take right on to the Britisher's pace, and hold it from flag fall to finish.

Perhaps not Hayes

Johnny Hayes may not run in the big Marathon scheduled for St. Patrick's night in Madison Square Garden. Johnny claims Dorando and Longboat are under the same management, and that if they compete in a four-cornered race with Shrubb, Longboat, Dorando and himself as entries, Longboat and Dorando will run as a team, one going in just to pace the other. Hayes says this would not be fair to himself and Shrubb.

Dorando says he won't compete against Hayes. The Italian claims he has fully demonstrated his superiority over Johnny Hayes. However, it looks now as if there would be an additional entry in the St. Patrick's night race in Mat Maloney, who may turn "pro."

THE LINE-UP FOR TO-MORROW'S GAME WITH LINDSAY IS CHOSEN TEAM IN GOOD SHAPE FOR BATTLE

The long looked for game between Lindsay and Peterborough will be played at Brock street Rink to-morrow night, and promises to be the most exciting and hardest fought battle seen in Brock street Rink for several seasons. Word comes from Lindsay that the Midgets are in the pink of condition and supremely confident and will come down here to-morrow night with a big bunch of rooters, expecting to trim the Petes on their own ice. Whether they will do so is another matter, and the Peterborough enthusiasts are equally certain that the Midgets will find themselves, to use the classical words of the poet, "up against it."

The Petes have rounded into shape and in their game with Cobourg and their practice last night, showed great form. Charlie Ray will be back in the game, and should be going great guns after his rest, and the team, on paper, looks the strongest of the year. Lindsay will have the same line-up as defeated Peterborough in Lindsay two weeks ago, and they expect to repeat with them.

The reserved seat plan opened at the rink to-day, and judging by the way in which the reserved seats are going there will be a record crowd present. The fans have been looking forward to the contest ever since the game in Lindsay, and will turn out en masse to-morrow night to cheer on the Peterborough team. Excitement reigns supreme in Peterborough over the contest and the same state of affairs prevails in Lindsay. There is so much at stake in the game that nothing else is being discussed in sporting circles in either place, the Longboat - Shrubb contest paling into insignificance before the importance of the battle with Lindsay.

The Scugog Club is running a special train, leaving Lindsay at 7 o'clock, and a big crowd of fans will accompany the visiting seven.

The Petes had a great practice last night, after which the team committee selected the following line-up for to-morrow's game:—

Goal, Derocher; Point, Glover; Cover Point, Moore; Rover, Ray; Centre, Morgan; Right wing, Parnell; Left wing, Dusty.

W. S. Hancock, of Toronto, is expected to referee the battle.

BANKERS DROP IN LEAGUE RACE WHILE THE BELMONTS GO UP ONE

The Belmonts greatly strengthened their position in the Ten Pin League race Tuesday by taking three straight games from the Lockworks, while the Bankers improved their standing by capturing two from the Examiner B team. The Bankers had a decidedly off day and were lucky to win the second game, only a seven pin margin being shown at the finish. The newspaper men also appeared like winners in the last game, but unfortunately they went to pieces in the last couple of frames, while the Bankers improved and finished strong.

The Belmonts easily took the series from the Lock Works, though they had a narrow squeak in the first game. After that, however, Waram's great bowling spoiled any chance the Belmont's opponents had of winning. Bill's second game was one of the best rolled in the league since the season opened and his total for the three games is only eleven pins behind the fine record established by George Cairns some weeks ago.

Yesterday afternoon the Midgets and the Iroquois met, while last night the Hams and Belmonts came together. The scores follow:—

Bankers vs, Examiner B.

BANKERS—				
Ferguson	117	147	143—	407
Barber	153	138	142—	433
Ford	121	156	169—	446
	391	441	454—	1286
EXAM B—				
Dela Fosse	129	183	143—	465
Craig	127	148	130—	405
Clark	156	103	121—	380
	412	434	394—	1250

Lockworks vs. Belmonts

LOCK WORKS—				
Lacheur	129	121	116—	366
Laing	128	167	172—	468
La Plante	126	176	148—	450
	383	465	437—	1284
BELMONTS—				
Pollard	127	139	150—	416
Tanney	130	167	164—	451
Wareham	165	225	199—	589
	412	531	513—	1462

HAMS STOPPED THE BELMONTS BY TAKING TWO OUT OF THREE GAMES

The unexpected happened in the Peterborough Bowling League last night, when the Hams stopped the victorious career of the Belmonts with a sudden jar by taking two out of three from Captain Waram's bunch. Bruce Hickey has been signed by the Hams and did good work for them last night, while Gene Hurtubise and Joe Hay were also in good form. Bill Waram fell down in his second game, rolling only 135 and then followed up by piling up the magnificent score of 241 in his last game, which kept his average up. The Iroquois rallied from their losing streak and rolled like champions, taking two out of three from the Midgets, although in both games the losing team had the greater pinnage.

The scores were as follows:—

IROQUOIS—				
Anderson	187	155	153—	495
Stroud	157	189	159—	505
Martin	133	151	122—	406
	477	495	434—	1406
MIDGETS—				
Hayes	144	151	179—	474
Ardiel	118	176	147—	441
Giroux	171	153	168—	492
	433	480	494—	1407
HAMS—				
Hurtubise	131	179	157—	467
Rickey	163	136	150—	449
Hay	167	188	147—	502
	461	503	451—	1428
BELMONTS—				
Pollard	161	167	140—	468
Tanney	132	149	179—	460
Wareham	166	135	241—	452
	459	451	560—	1470

Over the Foul Line,

The Hams desire to hereby publicly express thanks to their many friends for the presentation of the handsome silver cup which they were made the recipients of this morning in recognition of their achievement last night, when they took two games from the Belmonts The presentation was made by Herb. Martin and the cup is now on view at the P. B. C.

Cyril Giroux established a new record for five pins at the P.B.C. yesterday, piling up the remarkable score of 210. The former record was held by Mr. Adams, whose mark of 197 has stood the test for several months.

A party of fifteen will accompany the local bowlers to Toronto on Saturday night, when they go up to play the two Queen City teams on the Toronto Bowling Club alleys.

WHITBY DEFEATED PORT HOPE SEVEN

Fast Game in Former Town Last Night.

Whitby, Feb. 3.—Whitby Rink was positively crowded as never before to-night to witness the Port Hope vs. Whitby game. As an exhibition of clean, swift hockey, the game has never been surpassed here. Whitby won because on their own ice they are invincible. The visiting team were splendid fellows, and played a beautiful game. At half time the score was 6 to 4 in Whitby's favour, and at the close 10 to 8 in favour of the home team. The Whitby team never played better and the game was brilliant and terrifically fast. Referee Hancock had to penalize at times, but kept the play strictly to rule. He gave the best satisfaction of any referee here this season. Two hundred Port Hope supporters, with two bands, came by special train.

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HOCKEY

Peterborough's win from Cobourg last night has sent that team's stock booming. The Cobourg team were composed of a number of juniors though, and were a very weak outfit.

—Lindsay Warder.

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A game of hockey will be played to-night on the Knox Church rink between St. Andrew's and George Street Methodist Church in the Church League, between 8 and 9 o'clock. The St. Andrew's team will line up as follows:

Goal—Patterson.
Point—R. McDonald.
Cover point—Flanagan.
Rover—Staunton.
Centre—Rae.
Right wing—Barrie.
Left wing—Dormer.

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The Lindsay Midgets on Friday evening next will meet the Peterborough fast seven in Peterborough for the district championship and for the large crowds which will follow the team, the managers have arranged with the Grand Trunk Railway to pull out a special from the local depot, leaving at 7 p.m. sharp, fare $1.00 return. The special will again leave Peterborough after the game at 11 o'clock sharp. A large crowd should be in attendance at the game to assist the blue and white socks of the old Lindsay burg to put the finishing touches on the blue and white of Peterborough.

The game above all doubts will be fast and exciting and will be clean hockey if the Midgets know what they are doing.

If the Peterborough seven play hockey, and not shinny, the locals will give them a chase even on their own ice.

The Midgets have had successful practices, and all that is needed now, is a sure "com" which counts in clean play.

The team will be composed of the old line-up: Goal, Newton; point, Koyl; cover-point, Sullivan; centre, Taylor; rover, Stoddard; left wing, Cole; right wing, Randall.—Lindsay Free Press.

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The G.T.R. hockey club accept the challenge of the C.P.R. to a game of hockey to be played in Brock street rink, the challengers to secure the rink.

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The Peterborough Lock Company accept the challenge of the L.T.B. to a game of hockey, the challengers to make arrangements for the rink.

Band To-night at Street Railway Rink.

CURLING.

The following games were played last night at the curling rink:

C. James	C. D. Biggs
W. S. McIntosh	W. Adamson
J. D. Collins	J. A. McCone
C. N. Brown—12	J. E. A. Fitzgerald—7
J. Davidson	J. F. Gross
W. Hall	J. R. Barbed
G. Ferguson	D. Dennison
W. M. Lang—12	J. H. Ferguson—5
F. R. Poyser	R. Best
N. McWilliams	S. J. Stubbs
Dr. Wightman	A. Mowat
J. Connal—11	H. R. H. Kenner—12
G. Jobbitt	G. Hill
L. Hall	R. Cameron
S. D. Hall	T. Bradyeats
J. E. A. Fitzgerald—9	Dr. Greer—7
J. D. Craig	T. Minicola
R. Carton	J. D. Clarke
H. Meredith	H. Evans
E. B. Clegg—11	C. N. Brown—11
J. Wolstenholme	W. H. Bradburn
C. Taber	G. B. Stevenson
Dr. Eastwood	W. C. Read
R. Neill—9	W. Lang—13
L. Dobbin	G. Tovey
S. A. Oke	W. T. Hall
W. H. Denham	A. A. Hollingshead
T. F. Matthews—13	S. T. Medd—5

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For Toronto, Galt, London, Detroit, Chicago	6.50 a m
For Burketon, Bobcaygeon, Myrtle, Toronto	7.35 a m
For Toronto, Detroit, Chicago, Winnipeg and Northwest Points	4.35 p m

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Port Hope, Toronto, London, Detroit, Chicago & West, Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Cobourg Montreal and East	3.00 p.m 11.05 a.m 8.00 a.m. 9.05 p.m
Toronto, Lindsay, Bobcaygeon, Orillia and Northern	11.05 a.m. 7.55 a.m 3.00 p.m. 10.10 p.m. 5.30 p.m
Lindsay Local	8.05 a.m. 9.05 p.m.
Hamilton, Chautauqua, Buffalo, New York, Kingston, Montreal and East	3.00 p.m. 11.05 a.m 8.00 p.m. 3.05 p.m
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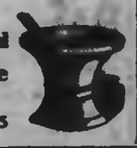

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LATEST CITY NEWS.

Probabilities

—South and southwest winds, cloudy and milder. Friday, mild, with light rain or sleet.

Special Meeting

—The session and managers of Knox Church will hold a special meeting to-morrow, Friday evening at the church at 8.15.

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Assembly Hall

—Social meeting will be conducted by Mr. Jas. Pearson, Evangelist, of Deseronto, in the Assembly Hall George street, under Bradburn's old opera house, Thursday and Friday evenings at 8 p.m. and on Sunday evening at 7 p.m. All cordially invited.

Sock Social

—The Ladies Aid Society, of St. Luke's Church, is making preparations for a concert to be held on Shrove Tuesday, February 23rd, in which a "sock" social will be held. A splendid programme is being arranged for the occasion.

Valentines! Valentines!

—Valentines in great profusion at the Peterborough Bookstore. Select now. Wonderful variety comic, pretty, handsome, tasteful. Something here for everybody. Valentine post cards in a great range of appropriate designs at 2 for 5c., 5c. and 10c. each. A. H. Stratton & Co.

Supper to Employees

—The firm of Macgregor & Reid, contracting plumbers and electricians, intend giving their employees a supper next Wednesday evening, February 10th. This interesting event is intended as a fitting finale to the heavy work in connection with their removal to new premises, after a prosperous year's business.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Mrs. Alexander, of Toronto, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. H Alexander, of Rubidge street for a few days.

Mrs. Nelson, who has been somewhat seriously ill for the past four or five weeks, is now gradually regaining her health.

Mrs. H A. Pearson, of St. Catharines, returned home to-day after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hill, Union street.

Miss Attie Henricks, of Toronto, and Mrs. Pethick and son, of Rochester, are at present in the city visiting Mrs. S. Nelson, 490 Charlotte street.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs Denham will be pleased to hear that their son, Donald, is practically out of danger, and if no complications set in he will be around in a short time.

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BOBCAYGEON MAN HURT IN A RACE

D. D. Cain, general merchant, of Bobcaygeon, was injured at the horse races held on Pigeon Lake on Tuesday, by being thrown from his position behind his racer. His head struck the ice with considerable violence, and he was unconscious for some time.

The accident was due to a collision with Walter G., while the horses were scoring for the free-for-all. Cain's horse "Why Not, has a reputation as a bad acter, and was giving a little performance in the stretch when Walter G. came alongside with Charlie O'Neil up. A collision followed up and both drivers were hurled from their seats. Cain's sulky was upset and he landed heavily. Assistance was speedily rendered when it was found he was unconscious. He recovered shortly after and no serious results are anticipated. Charlie O'Neil was bruised a little, but drove the remainder of the race.

THE BUSINESS BOYS HAD SLEIGH DRIVE

The sleigh ride under the auspices of the Business Boys' Class of the Y. M. C. A. last night was a very enjoyable event, and the boys thoroughly appreciated the outing. They drove around town for several hours, and then returned to the Association building where they sat down to supper.

After the needs of the inner man had been carefully attended to, the evening was most pleasantly spent in speech-making and story telling.

Mr. Wasse favored the boys with a number of comic recitations, which were greatly appreciated. Several of the boys gave stump speeches. Mr. George Hogan favoured the boys with a stump speech. Mr. Hogan said the boys must have known his sentiments when they asked him to speak on this subject.

Mr. Evans gave a very thrilling story of camp life. Dr. Middleton was overflowing with wit and humour.

The party broke up after singing the Association hymn, Blest be the tie that Binds, and God Save the King.

KEENE'S ACCOUNT OF NORWOOD GAME

Keene, Feb. 2.—Keene hockey boys played their return game with Norwood, in Norwood, last Saturday evening, resulting in a victory for Norwood by 10—5.

Norwood boys were out to win by fair means or foul, and not being able to do it fairly they chose the latter way.

Keene fought hard against the odds, but were unable to hold out, as they are "hockey players," and not "club swingers." The conduct of the spectators was disgusting, using a mild term, it being more like what you would expect at a bull fight or in the prize ring.

The Keene boys entered a protest and by the kind of hockey and conduct that was dished up to them should have no difficulty in maintaining their standing in the league.

Somehow all slugging and slashing escaped the eagle eye of the referee, but this can hardly be wondered at as it was next to impossible to distinguish the players in the hazy light, only at such times as the moon came from behind a cloud and threw her silvery rays on the scene.

Keene's line-up was as follows:
Goal—T. M. Dean.
Point—J. Dickson.
Cover point—"Haddie Dinsdale."
Centre—R. Weir.
Rover—"Kinger" McCarthy.
Forwards—S. Dinsdale and Leo Walsh.

'ROUND THE STORES.

Housekeepers will hail with delight the announcement made by one of our leading grocers of a large purchase of granulated sugar at a price which ensures his patrons against any increase for some time to come.

Fifteen tons of new spring wall papers across a big shipment for one local firm to receive at one time for the spring trade. This represents 50,000 rolls and is the contents of a full car load, Messrs. A. H. Stratton & Company are the consignees.

What is likely to prove a very attractive shopping event for the ladies is the Blue Ribbon Whitewear event, which opened this morning. No finer fabrics or lingerie has been shown this season, and the variety fills the tables and counters to overflowing. Dainty undergarments, linens, domestics, laces, embroideries, are all in the white sale.

The mid-winter shoe sales advertised are being well patronized. The marked down prices are attracting all classes. Like sensible merchants, the dealers do not hesitate to cut deep on felt goods and all winter lines. Our advertising columns will furnish a safe guide to buyers.

ANOTHER FAST SCHOOL GAME

Best Yet in Collegiate Series—Conroy's Team Lose Again.

In a fast game last night Anderson's team defeated Conroy's 4—1 was the best game played in the league and was in doubt until the finish. Anderson's team had a little better of the play, having good combination, while Conroy's team depended solely upon individual effort.

Conroy was the mainstay of his team and Halpany and Dennison starred for the winners.

The goals were scored by Halpany 2; Dean 1; and Dennison 1. Just as the whistle blew Dennison scored again but it was not counted. For the losers Clegg scored one and Corkery one.

The teams lined up as follows:

	Anderson	
	Armstrong	
	Dennison	
	Halpany	
Rankin	Dean	Brooks
Clegg	Hamstone	Corkery
	Conroy	
	Kerns	
	Ackerman	
	Hooper	

"Punch" Meldrum was referee.

The three teams in the Collegiate League have been reorganized, as previously Anderson's and Conroy's teams were no match for Geales. The teams are now more evenly matched and some hard fought contests are looked for next week. Geale's team plays Anderson's on Monday between 5 and 6 o'clock and Conroy's on Wednesday at the same hour.

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Asph	99⅝	99⅛
B.R.T.	70⅝	70⅝
C.P.R.	173⅝	173⅛
C.F.I.	30⅛	30⅝
Erie	30⅝	30⅝
Great Northern	141⅝	141⅝
L.N.	129⅛	129⅝
Mo. Pac.	71⅛	70⅝
Northern Pacific	128⅛	128
N.Y.C.	127⅛	127⅛
Penna	131⅝	131⅛
R.I.	24⅛	24⅝
Sdg.	132	130⅝
A. R.	85	84⅛
M.S.M.	141⅛	141
St. Paul	143⅝	143⅝
S.P	118	118⅛
U.P.	177⅝	177⅛
U.S	53⅛	52⅝
U.S. p'f'd.	113⅛	113
Twin City	100⅝	103⅛
Nipissing	10	10
May-Wheat	109⅝	109⅛
" Corn	63⅛	63⅝
May Oats	52⅛	52
" Pork	16.03	17.90

FRESH AIR CLUB BEAT ALL SAINTS

One of the best games seen on Knox rink this season was played last night between All Saints' and the Fresh Air Club. The score at half time stood 2—1 against the All Saints' aggregation, and in the last half neither team found the nets. The game never lagged a minute, and the rooters present thoroughly enjoyed it. Both forward lines worked hard and got away with some fine rushes, but the defence men were always there when wanted, and prevented much shooting. Killingbeck, the Fresh Air goal tender, was undoubtedly the star of the game, and turned aside many good shots from the All Saints' forwards. Moore, in the nets for the Saints, also got in the way of some likely looking ones. The teams were:

	ALL SAINTS'	
	Moore	
	Price	
	Allan	
	Layfield	
Lebar	Gilbert	Armstrong
Barrie	Tisdall	Chambers
	Godfrey	
	Hopkins	
	Killingbeck	
	FRESH AIR CLUB	

Percy Johnston, of Park Street Baptist team, made a satisfactory referee.

EXCITING GAME SEEN AT LAKEFIELD

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	Goal	
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	Point	
Hill		Cumberland
	Cover Point	
Sabatino		Crawford
	Centre	
Pammett		Blewett
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